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Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, the Governor-General may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, and its amendments:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim that the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has become Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

PUNAOMARU, Section 92A, Block I, Awamoko Survey District: Approximate area, 13 acres 3 roods 23 perches. Punaomaru, Section 92B, Block I, Awamoko Survey District: Approximate area, 11 acres 3 roods 38 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of April, 1928.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, and its amendments:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim that the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has become Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

NGAWHAKATUTU A 19 Block, containing an area of 1,298 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, situate in Block IV, Mata Survey District, Block XIII, Waipapa Survey District, and Block I, Waipiro Survey District, and being all the land comprised and described in certificate of title, Vol. 79, folio 207, of the Land Registration District of Gisborne.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of April, 1928.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be vested in His Majesty under Section 368 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided, *inter alia*, that the Crown may purchase any Native land in pursuance of a resolution of the assembled owners passed and confirmed in accordance with Part XVIII of the said Act; and on the resolution being adopted by the Native Land Purchase Board it shall become a contract of purchase as between the Crown and all persons who are the owners of the land; and the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, at any time after the contract of purchase has been so made, declare that the land so purchased is vested in His Majesty the King, and it shall vest accordingly and shall become Crown land:

And whereas a resolution was passed by a meeting of assembled owners, and duly confirmed by the South Island District Maori Land Board, that the land set out in the Schedule hereto be sold to the Crown:

And whereas the Native Land Purchase Board has adopted such resolution:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the said Act, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land set out in the Schedule hereto is vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE.

PUNAOMARU, Section 92c, Block I, Awamoko Survey District: Approximate area, 44 acres 2 roods 17 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of April, 1928.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Selection by Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made on the nineteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-fourth day of February then instant, setting apart Crown land for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, in so far as it relates to the land in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 10, Block IV, Puketapu Survey District: Area, 691 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Settlement Land set apart for Disposal by way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Taranaki Land District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area of settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart

and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

SECTION 11s, Tawhiwhi Settlement: Area, 1 acre 3 roods 37 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Street in the City of Auckland.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a street the land in the City of Auckland described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A STREET.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a street:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	0	24	Allotment 282 E.R.
0	0	19	Allotment 362 E.R.
0	0	0.42	Allotment 211 E.R.
0	0	0.25	Allotment 214 E.R.

Situated in Whau Township South, City of Auckland, Block VII, Titirangi Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 24189.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 69749, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/2613.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VI, Waitemata Survey District, Waitemata County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Waitemata Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 5 acres 2 roods 5.6 perches.

Being portion of Sections 68 and 69, Waipareira Parish; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of piece of road closed: 2 acres 2 roods 11.2 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 67, 68, and 69, Waipareira Parish; coloured green.

All situated in Block VI, Waitemata Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 23761.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71407,

deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 24th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/2675.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XI, Motuotaraia Survey District, Patangata County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Motuotaraia Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	3	20.6	} Being Portion of Lot 1, D.P. 3798, part Block 84, Porangahau C.G.D.; coloured pink.
0	0	0.008	
0	1	20.9	
0	2	15.8	

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	2	30.8	} Adjoining or passing through Lot 1, D.P. 3798, part Block 84, Porangahau C.G.D.; coloured green.
0	0	11.1	
0	0	32.2	
0	2	7.9	

All situated in Block XI, Motuotaraia Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 938.)

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71811, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 40/307.)

Land taken for Purposes of paddocking driven Cattle in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District, Waiapu County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of paddocking driven cattle, and shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waiapu as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 2 roods 7 perches.

Being portion of Mangaharei A5, situated in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1303, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71074, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 54/507.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Cemetery in Block XII, Waitemata Survey District, Waitemata County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a cemetery, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Birkenhead as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 2 roods 30.7 perches.

Being portion of Allotment 122, Takapuna Parish, being portion of Birkenhead Domain.

Situated in Block XII, Waitemata Survey District. (S.O. 24491.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71967, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 50/400.)

Land taken for the Purposes of the Taieri Plain Flood-protection Works in Block I, Maungatua Survey District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the Taieri Plain flood-protection works; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 8 perches.

Being part Section 20, situated in Block I, Maungatua Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71834, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 48/68/2.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block I, Opunake Survey District, Egmont County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	3	24.7	Section 107; coloured pink.
0	1	8.6	„ 108 „ violet.

Situated in Block I, Opunake Survey District.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71769, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 24th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 38/482.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XV, Orahiri Survey District, Waitomo County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
7	2	26.5	Te Kumi No. 6; coloured red.
2	0	22.1	„ No. 4 „ blue.
0	2	16.1	Section 10; coloured red.

Situated in Block XV, Orahiri Survey District. (S.O. 24696.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70077, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 14th day of April, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 37/428.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XII, Waipara Survey District, Waipara County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet,

Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood 31 perches.

Being portion of R.S. 7540, situated in Block XII, Waipara Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 856/396.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70867, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 24th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 45/591.)

Land taken for the Development of Water-power (Arapuni Scheme, Waitotahi Substation-site) in Block I, Opotiki Survey District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the development of water-power (Arapuni Scheme, Waitotahi Substation-site); and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
2	3	28	Part Lot 4, D.P. 7175, being part Allotment 411, Waitotahi Parish.

Situated in Block I, Opotiki Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1310, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71375, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 60/247/1.)

Allocating Cost of certain Proceedings under Section 132 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, Borough of Woodville.—Petition of D. Fraser and Others.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion,

doth hereby direct that the Woodville Borough Council and the Woodville County Council shall defray in equal proportions the costs of the Commission appointed under the said Act by a Warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the eighth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, to inquire and report upon the proposal contained in the petition of D. Fraser and others to exclude a certain area from the Borough of Woodville and to include such area in the County of Woodville.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(I.A. 19/1/206.)

Authorizing the Laying-off of a Street in the City of Auckland of a Width less than 66 ft., but not less than 54 ft.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the Auckland City Council to permit the laying-off of the street described in the Schedule hereto of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than fifty-four feet, it being inexpedient to lay off such street of a width of sixty-six feet.

SCHEDULE.

THAT street in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland, between Walker's Lane and Coombe's Road, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 33.6 perches, more or less, through part Lot 75 and Lots 76 and 77 of Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71871, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1138.)

Authorizing the Wellington Harbour Board to reclaim Land in Evans Bay, Wellington Harbour.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by the one hundred and seventy-ninth section of the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that where a Harbour Board is desirous of executing or constructing upon lands vested in such Board or upon lands of the Crown any harbour-works of such a nature that the same could, but for this section, only be carried out and executed under the authority of a special Act, the Board may apply to the Governor-General in Council for a special order, and, if the Governor-General in Council thinks fit, such order may be made and granted :

And whereas the Wellington Harbour Board (hereinafter called "the Board") is desirous of reclaiming from the sea certain land at Evans Bay, in Wellington Harbour, and the said harbour-works are of such a nature as aforesaid, and the Board has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a special order authorizing the execution of the said harbour-works :

And whereas the conditions precedent to the granting of a special order prescribed by the said Act have been duly performed and observed, and it appears expedient that such order should be made :

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of

the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize and empower the Board to reclaim from the sea in Wellington Harbour all the land shown edged in pink on plan marked M.D. 6474, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, such reclamations to be carried out and constructed in accordance with plan marked M.D. 6474, subject to the provisions of the said Act.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Authorizing the Laying-off of a Street in the City of Wellington of a Width less than 66 ft., but not less than 40 ft.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the Wellington City Council to permit the laying-off of the street described in the Schedule hereto of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty feet, it being inexpedient to lay off such street of a width of sixty-six feet.

SCHEDULE.

THAT street in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, being part Lot 6 (D.P. 1440), being part Section 38, Karori R.D. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70736, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1130.)

Authorizing the Purchase by the North Canterbury Electric-power Board of certain Electric Works, the Property of the Rangiora, Kowai, and Eyre County Councils.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section seventy-six of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the purchase by the North Canterbury Electric-power Board, duly constituted under the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, of the several electric works the property of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of each of the Counties of Rangiora, Kowai, and Eyre, referred to in three agreements each bearing date the fourteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and made between the said Electric-power Board of the one part and the Councils of the said counties of the other part, subject to the conditions that such purchase be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the said agreements so far as the same relate to the purchase of electric works, and that all moneys credited or paid over to the said Electric-power Board in terms of the said agreements be credited to the Depreciation Fund of the said Electric-power Board or otherwise as may be allowed by the Minister of Public Works.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 26/1392.)

Order in Council consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three of the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act, it shall not be lawful or competent for any local authority to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than in anticipation of its revenue within the limits of its powers, if any, in that behalf), whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council given after compliance with the provisions of the said Act :

And whereas section eleven of the said Act provides that the Governor-General in Council, in giving his consent to the borrowing of moneys by the local authority, may impose such conditions with respect to the time at which such moneys may be borrowed, the rate of interest that may be paid in respect thereto, the term for which they may be borrowed, and provisions for repayment thereof as he thinks fit, and that it shall not be lawful for the local authority to borrow such moneys save in accordance with the conditions so imposed :

And whereas the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto are desirous of raising the respective amounts set out opposite their names therein :

And whereas the said local authorities have complied with the provisions of the said Act, and it is expedient that the aforesaid precedent consent should be given to the raising of the loans on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby consent to the raising by the respective local authorities whose names are set out in the Second Column of the said Schedule of the loans referred to in the Third Column of the said Schedule up to the respective amounts set out in the Fourth Column of the said Schedule, subject to the condition that the respective local authorities shall before borrowing the said respective sums or any part thereof make provision for the repayment thereof by establishing a sinking fund under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and by making to such sinking fund payments at intervals of not more than one year at a rate or rates which shall be not less than the respective rates per centum set out in the Fifth Column of the said Schedule, such payments to be made in respect of every part of the said respective sums for the time being so borrowed and not repaid, and the first payment to be made not later than one year after the first day from which interest to the lender is computed on any moneys so borrowed, and subject to the further condition that in no case shall any portion of interest or sinking fund be paid out of loan-moneys.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. Consecutive Number.	Second Column. Name of Local Authority.	Third Column. Name of Loan.	Fourth Column Amount of Loan.	Fifth Column. Annual Rate Per Centum of Payment into Sinking Fund.
1	Kairanga County Council ..	Mangaone Riding Culverts and Bridges Loan, 1928	£ 1,900	Per Cent. 2
2	Mangawara Drainage Board ..	Northern Subdivision Drainage Improvements Loan, 1927	250	3
3	Huntly Town Board ..	Town Hall Loan, 1927	1,000	4½
4	Huntly Town Board ..	Great South Road Loan, 1927	2,560	8
5	Pleasant Point Town Board ..	Town Buildings Loan, 1928	3,250	3

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Board of Trade (Gas) Amending Regulations, 1928.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section twenty-six of the Board of Trade Act, 1919, and by section twenty-seven of the Finance Act, 1924, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby, on the recommendation of the Minister of Industries and Commerce, make the following Board of Trade Regulations relating to the regulation and control of the supply and sale of gas.

REGULATIONS.

1. (a) THESE regulations may be cited as the "Board of Trade (Gas) Amending Regulations, 1928."

(b) These regulations shall be read together with and form part of the Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924, and the Board of Trade (Gas) Amending Regulations, 1926, and the said respective regulations and these regulations may be cited together as the "Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924-1928."

(c) These regulations shall come into force on the date of publication of this Order in Council in the *Gazette*.

2. Clause 2 of the Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924, is hereby amended by revoking the definition of "local authority" and substituting therefor the following definition :—

" 'Local authority' means any City Council, Borough Council, Town Board, or any other Board or public body having power to undertake the supply of gas for public and private use within any locality."

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.*Consent to exercise by Chief Judge of Power of Amendment.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection eight of section seven of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1922, it is enacted that in all cases where an order is dated more than five years previously to the receipt of the application, the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court shall first obtain the consent of the Governor-General in Council before making any order thereunder :

And whereas application has been made under the said section to amend an order of the Native Land Court dated the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and

sixteen, appointing successors to the interests of Mere Karaka (deceased) in Konoti B1, South West 2 Block :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Chief Judge exercising with regard to the said recited order of the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, all and every the jurisdiction granted to him by the said section seven, and to the making of any such order thereunder as may seem necessary or expedient.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to stopping Roads in Block XII, Waipara Survey District, Waipara County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Waipara County Council stopping the roads described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of roads permitted to be stopped: 15 acres 2 roods 5 perches.

Adjoining or passing through R.S. 7540, situated in Block XII, Waipara Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 856/396.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70867, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 45/591.)

Consenting to Land being taken for the Development of Water-power (Arapuni Scheme, Waiotahi Substation-site) in Block I, Opotiki Survey District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the development of water-power (Arapuni Scheme, Waiotahi Substation-site).

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land permitted to be taken :-

A. R. P. Being Portion of
2 3 28 Part Lot 4, D.P. 7175, being part Allotment 411, Waiotahi Parish.

Situated in Block I, Opotiki Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1310, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71375, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 60/247/1.)

Consenting under the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, to the Raising of a Loan by the Christchurch City Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the borrowing by the Christchurch City Council of the sum of seven hundred pounds for the purpose of repaying portion of the Richmond Channeling Loan of one thousand six hundred and forty pounds, which matured on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, subject to the following conditions :-

1. That the term for which the loan is borrowed shall not exceed fifteen years.
2. That the local authority shall, before borrowing the said sum or any part thereof, make provision for the repayment thereof by establishing a sinking fund of not less than four pounds twelve shillings and eightpence per centum per annum, calculated on the amount raised.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting under the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, to the borrowing of £3,000 by the Nelson City Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Nelson City Council borrowing under the provisions of section thirty-two of the Finance Act, 1927 (No. 2), a sum not exceeding three thousand pounds, subject to the following conditions :-

1. That the term for which the said money is borrowed shall not exceed three years.
2. That the rate of interest payable in respect thereof shall not exceed current bank overdraft rates.
3. That any sum so borrowed shall be repaid out of the revenue of the electric light undertaking or otherwise within the said period of three years.
4. That no portion of interest or sinking fund shall be paid out of loan-money.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting under the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, to the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board borrowing by way of Bank Overdraft the Sum of £7,500.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-

General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board borrowing by way of bank overdraft a sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds for the purpose of erecting a special departments block, subject to the following conditions:—

1. That the term for which the loan is borrowed shall not exceed ten years.
2. That the rate of interest payable in respect of the said loan shall not exceed seven pounds per centum per annum.
3. That the loan shall be repaid by annual instalments of principal of an amount not less than seven hundred and fifty pounds.
4. That no portion of interest or sinking fund shall be paid out of loan-money.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting under the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, to the Foxton Fire Board borrowing £208 7s. 7d. by way of Overdraft.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Foxton Fire Board borrowing by way of bank overdraft a sum of two hundred and eight pounds seven shillings and sevenpence for the purpose of redeeming a portion of a loan which matured on the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, subject to the following conditions:—

1. That the term for which the loan is borrowed shall not exceed seven months.
2. That the rate of interest payable in respect of the said loan shall not exceed seven per centum per annum.
3. That the loan shall be extinguished within the said term by utilizing for that purpose the proceeds of the existing sinking fund investments on maturity.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting under the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, to the Raising of a Loan by the Foxton Fire Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the borrowing by the Foxton Fire Board of the sum of one thousand one hundred and fifty pounds for the purpose of renewing a portion of a loan of one thousand four hundred and fifty pounds which matured on the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, subject to the following conditions:—

1. That the term for which the loan is borrowed shall not exceed five years.
2. That the rate of interest payable in respect of the said loan shall not exceed six pounds per centum per annum.

3. That the local authority shall, before borrowing the said sum or any part thereof, make provision for the repayment thereof by establishing a sinking fund of not less than two pounds per centum per annum in respect of the sum of seven hundred pounds and twelve pounds per centum per annum in respect of the balance of four hundred and fifty pounds.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XV, Orahiri Survey District, Waitomo County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes of a road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land permitted to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
7	2	26.5	Te Kumi No. 6; coloured red.
2	0	22.1	„ No. 4; coloured blue.
0	2	16.1	Section 10; coloured red.

Situated in Block XV, Orahiri Survey District. (S.O. 24696.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70077, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 37/428.)

Declaring a Native to be a European.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European:

And whereas Himepiri te Wharekauri Munro, of Rotorua, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that he might be declared a European: And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Himepiri te Wharekauri Munro to be a European: And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Himepiri te Wharekauri Munro to be a European.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a Portion of Main Highway in Highway District No. 6, Kaitieke County, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that on and after the date of gazetting of this Order in Council the portion of highway described in the Schedule hereto shall become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

RETARUKE—WADES LANDING.—All that portion of road known as the Retaruke—Wades Landing Road commencing at its junction with the Te Kuiti—Bulls Main Highway (via Taumarunui) at Raurimu, and proceeding thence generally in a westerly direction through Kaitieke County and terminating at the Retaruke River Bridge, being a distance of eleven miles, more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 55, deposited in the office of the Main Highways Board at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue and marked P-L.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of Road in Block XII, Drury Survey District, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared to be a Government Road: 1 acre 0 roods 29 perches. Adjoining or passing through part Allotment 4, Mangatawhiri Parish, situated in Block XII, Drury Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 24135.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68973, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 34/286/1.)

Declaring Portion of a Road in Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by

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and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared to be a Government road: 1 acre 1 rood 14.3 perches. Adjoining or passing through part Lot 2, D.P. 6671, of Allotment 64, Ruakaka Parish, situated in Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 24131.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70024 (sheet 5), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 19/511.)

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Silverdale Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

Frank William Bartlett,
Percy Bayley,
Thomas Angus Bridson, and
John Richard Curley

to be the Silverdale Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Friday, the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at eleven o'clock a.m., as the time when, and the Public Hall, Silverdale, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SILVERDALE DOMAIN. ALLOTMENT 31, Parish of Okura: Area, 9 perches.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Mackenzie Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

George William Forbes, M.P.,
Leonard Murray Gibson,
Thomas Lewis,
Duncan George McDonald,
Archibald McGiffert,
Dugald McLaren, and
John Thomas Read

to be the Mackenzie Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Cheviot Public Hall, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held,

SCHEDULE.

MACKENZIE DOMAIN.—CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

<i>Town of Mackenzie.</i>				A.	R.	P.
RESERVE 3823, Block I	Area,	5	0	0		
" 3152 " XI	"	0	2	21		
" 3153 " XIV	"	0	2	14		
" 4195 " XXII	"	0	1	0		
" 3155, within the town	"	1	3	16		
" 3156 "	"	9	3	1		
" 3168 "	"	6	0	39		
" 3169 "	"	15	1	20		
<i>Cheviot Survey District.</i>				A.	R.	P.
Reserve 3146, Block VII	Area,	109	0	0		
" 3170 "	"	23	0	0		
" 3171 "	"	15	0	8		
" 3176 "	"	9	1	16		
" 3178 "	"	13	3	0		
<i>Lowry Peaks Survey District.</i>				A.	R.	P.
Reserve 3174, Block XII	Area,	36	1	0		
" 3175 "	"	9	2	2		

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Tutamoe Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

Alexander Beazley,
Thomas Lennox Gorrie,
Sam Heath,
Lawrence Henry Paton, and
John Brock Smith

to be the Tutamoe Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Tutamoe Hall, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TUTAMOE DOMAIN.—NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 29, Block VIII, Waipoua Survey District: Area, 6 acres 3 roods 35 perches, more or less.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Wairarapa Lake Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

His Worship the Mayor of Featherston, *ex officio*,
His Worship the Mayor of Martinborough, *ex officio*,
Francis William Smith,
Walter Askin Tate,
Reginald Frank Watson,
William Benton,
William Henry Jackson,
Thomas Hubert Hughes, and
Frederick Norris

to be the Wairarapa Lake Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Thursday, the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Anzac Hall, Featherston, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIRARAPA LAKE DOMAIN.

SECTIONS 21, 22, 24, 25, and 26, Block VII, Wairarapa Survey District: Area, 315 acres 1 rood 25 perches, more or less.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Lands other than Alienations in favour of the Crown.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and gazetted the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, but only in so far as it affects the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto prohibiting all alienation of the land other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TE MATA AND KIDNAPPER SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Block.	Approximate Area.	A.	R.	P.
WAIMARAMA 3A 6B 6A (balance)	265	3	8	
" 3A 6B 6B (balance)	270	0	0	

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Lands Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of two years the Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and gazetted the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

HAUTU No. 3F No. 7 Block, Waitotaka Survey District: Approximate area: 409 acres 0 roods 30 perches.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Lands other than Alienations in favour of the Crown.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and gazetted the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, but only in so far as it affects the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, prohibiting all alienation other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TONGARIRO AND WAIMANU SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Block.	Approximate Area.			
		A.	R.	P.
TAUREWA 4 East A No. 1	128	2	0	
.. 4 West A No. 1	5	0	0	
.. 4 West A No. 4C	333	0	0	
.. 4 West E 2B No. 1 (balance)	230	0	38	
.. 4 West E 2B No. 3A	412	0	0	
.. 4 West E 2B No. 3B	657	0	0	
.. 4 West E 2B No. 3C	211	0	0	
.. 4 West E 2B No. 3D	639	0	0	

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of two years the Order in Council dated the ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and gazetted the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TAHOA 2A E No. 3 Section 2 Block, Waimana and Waiouka Survey Districts: Approximate area, 1,012 acres.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Hauraki Plains West Drainage District, County of Hauraki Plains, constituted.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, a majority of the ratepayers in the area of land described in

the Schedule hereto, situated within the County of Hauraki Plains, have presented a petition to His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, praying that the said area be constituted a drainage district under the provisions of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth as on and from the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, constitute and declare the area of land described in the Schedule hereto to be a district for the purposes of Part I of the said Act, and to be called by the name of the "Hauraki Plains West Drainage District"; and also, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the fourth section of the said Act, doth hereby declare that the Board of Trustees of the said district shall consist of five persons to be elected as members of the said Board, and under and in accordance with the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES OF HAURAKI PLAINS WEST DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

ALL that land in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded commencing at a point on the Firth of Thames midway in the mouth of the Piako River; thence generally in a southerly direction by the west bank of the Piako River to its junction by the southern end of the Puhanga Canal; thence northerly by the east bank of the said Puhanga Canal to a point in line with the southern boundary of Section 24 of Block I, Waihou Survey District; thence westerly by a right line to and along the southern boundaries of Sections 24, 35, 22, 38, 21, and 20 of Block I, Waihou Survey District, and along the southern boundary of Section 1, Block V, Waihou Survey District; thence north-westerly along the western boundaries of Section 1, Block V, Waihou Survey District, and Sections 18, 13, 46, 5, 3, and 1A, Block I, Waihou Survey District, and Section 16, Block X, Wharekawa Survey District; thence westerly along the southern boundaries of Sections 12, 11, 10, 9, and 8, of Block X, Wharekawa Survey District; thence in a generally north-westerly direction along the western boundary of Section 8 of the aforementioned block, to and across a public road, and along the western boundary of Waitakaruru Reserve to the Firth of Thames; thence in an easterly direction by the Firth of Thames to the point of commencement.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(I.A. 19/10/63.)

Native Land in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District, Waiapu County, taken for the Purposes of paddocking driven Cattle.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby proclaim and declare that the Native land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of paddocking driven cattle, and that the said land shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Waiapu County as from the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 1 rood 33 perches.
Being portion of Native land, situated in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District. (S.O. 1303, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71074, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 54/507.)

Post Office Savings-bank: Forms.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection four of section sixteen of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1927, the Schedule to the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1913, was amended by repealing the third paragraph in the forms therein numbered one and two respectively :

And whereas by the said subsection four it is enacted that the said forms may from time to time be altered by the Governor-General in Council to such extent as may be required by reason of any alteration that may be effected by the Minister of Finance pursuant to the said section sixteen in the rates of interest for the time being payable in respect of deposits in the Post-office Savings-bank :

And whereas by Notice duly published in the *Gazette* the Minister of Finance, pursuant to the powers conferred on him by the said section sixteen, has so fixed the rates of interest payable in respect of deposits as aforesaid that no interest is payable to any depositor on so much of his deposit as exceeds two thousand pounds (except as by the said Notice provided), and it is expedient to alter the said forms accordingly :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said subsection four of section sixteen and of all other powers and authorities in this behalf enabling him, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby alter the form numbered one in the Schedule to the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1913, by inserting therein immediately after paragraph two thereof the following paragraph :—

“3. I am aware that, whatever my deposits may amount to, I am not entitled to interest on more than £2,000.”

And doth hereby alter the form numbered two in the said Schedule by inserting therein immediately after paragraph two thereof the following paragraph :—

“3. I am aware that, whatever my deposits as such Trustee may amount to, neither I nor the said is entitled to interest on more than £2,000.”

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Kairanga County Council in respect of a Loan of £1,900, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of replacing three specified Bridges with Culverts.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority or public body may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Kairanga County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of one thousand nine hundred pounds for the purpose of replacing three specified bridges with culverts :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive

Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Kairanga County Council in respect of the said sum of one thousand nine hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Kairanga County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one thousand nine hundred pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Term for which the Tauranga County Council may borrow the Sum of £300, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of erecting a Bridge over the Wharawhara Stream, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority or public body may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Tauranga County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of three hundred pounds for the purpose of erecting a bridge over the Wharawhara Stream :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Tauranga County Council may borrow the said sum of three hundred pounds shall be thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Tauranga County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three hundred pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Term for which the Mangawara Drainage Board may borrow the Sum of £250, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of widening and deepening Drains in the Northern Subdivision of the District, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money, or any part thereof, has not been borrowed, the local authority or public body may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Mangawara Drainage Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds

for the purpose of widening and deepening drains in the Northern Subdivision of the district :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be twenty years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Mangawara Drainage Board may borrow the said sum of two hundred and fifty pounds shall be twenty years, and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Mangawara Drainage Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two hundred and fifty pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Huntly Town Board in respect of a Loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of meeting a Liability in connection with the Town Hall.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority or public body may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Huntly Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one thousand pounds for the purpose of meeting a liability in connection with the Town Hall :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Huntly Town Board in respect of the said sum of one thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Huntly Town Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one thousand pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Huntly Town Board in respect of a Loan of £2,560, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of double-sealing Great South Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has

been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority or public body may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Huntly Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of two thousand five hundred and sixty pounds for the purpose of double-sealing Great South Road :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Huntly Town Board in respect of the said sum of two thousand five hundred and sixty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Huntly Town Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two thousand five hundred and sixty pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserve in Canterbury Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Canterbury Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be, and the same is hereby, brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act ; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Okain's Bay Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Okain's Bay Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, and being part of Reserve Number 150, situated in Block IV, Okain's Survey District, and bounded as follows : Towards the north-east by Rural Section Number 827, 460 links ; towards the south-east by a public road, 625 links ; towards the south-west by other part of reserve Number 150, 220 links ; and again towards the north-west by a public road along the Okain's Creek, 640 links, approximately. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/3384, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserve in Canterbury Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and

with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Canterbury Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of, and declared to be subject to, the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as the Lake Alexandrina Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—LAKE ALEXANDRINA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District containing by admeasurement 1,750 acres, more or less, being part Reserve No. 3411, situated in Blocks V and IX, Tekapo Survey District, and being the areas known as Lake Alexandrina and McGregor's Lagoon, and the waterway connecting them, and bounded on all sides except at the outlet to the east by a one chain road reserve; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 40149, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserve in Otago Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of, and declared to be subject to, the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Allanton Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Allanton Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 1, Block XXIII, Town of Allanton: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 6 perches.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserves in Otago Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserves for recreation in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby brought under the operation of, and declared to be subject to, the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserves shall hereafter be known as the Tomahawk Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

TOMAHAWK DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, being

Section 59, Township of Ocean Grove Extension No. 2 (Land Transfer plan 3370). Bounded towards the north-west by Tomahawk Lagoon, 780 links; towards the north-east by Crown land, 153 links; towards the south-east by Sections 10 to 21, 910-58 links; again towards the north-east by aforesaid Section 10, 175 links; again towards the south-east by Glen Street, 20 links; and towards the south-west by Section 9, 290 links.

Also all that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 24·3 perches, more or less, being Section 60, Township of Ocean Grove Extension No. 2 (Land Transfer plan 3370). Bounded towards the north-west by Sections 45 to 53, 499-28 links; towards the south-west by aforesaid Section 45, 151-5 links; again towards the north-west by Glen Street, 20 links; towards the north-east generally by Section 44, 151-5 and 49-23 links, and Sections 44 and 42, 106-32 links; towards the south-east by Sections 36, 37, and 38, 128-46 links, and Sections 24 to 31, Township of Ocean Grove Extension No. 1, 513-75 links; and again towards the south-west by Section 54, 62-56 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/845, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserve in Westland Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Westland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of, and declared to be subject to, the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Greymouth Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Greymouth Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section 368, Town of Greymouth, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 26, folio 45, Westland Registry.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking the Vesting in the Corporation of the Borough of Birkenhead of Part of a Cemetery Reserve, Parish of Takapuna, Auckland Land District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of an area vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Birkenhead, in trust, for a public cemetery, by an Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in *Gazette* of the twenty-second day of that month, in pursuance of section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, but a certificate of title has not been issued in respect of the said reserve:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order in Council should be revoked in so far as it relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto, and the Birkenhead Borough Council has duly consented to such revocation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice

and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by subsection two of section three of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council hereinbefore referred to in so far as it relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 30.7 perches, more or less, being part Allotment 122, Parish of Takapuna, Waitemata County, as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/522A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (North Auckland Plan 24467.)

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Setting aside Native Land as a Native Reservation.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty-two of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that when any Native freehold land is owned at law or in equity by more than ten owners in common the Governor-General may, by Order in Council, set apart and reserve any part of that land for the common use of the owners thereof as in the said Act provided :

And whereas the Native Land Court has recommended that the land described in the Schedule hereto be so set apart and reserved :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and all other powers thereunto him enabling, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby set apart and reserve the Native freehold land described in the Schedule hereto for the common use of the owners thereof as a meeting-place and church-site.

SCHEDULE.

BLOCK VIII, UAWA SURVEY DISTRICT.

ALL that area of land situate in the Tairāwhiti Native Land Court District called or known as Kourateuwhi 1B 3A 1 Block (Puketawai Papakainga), containing 2 acres 2 roods, more or less, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 11th May, 1917.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Portion of a New Street in the Borough of Palmerston North, known as Karaka Street, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Palmerston North Borough Council on the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, the portion of street affected by such resolution being more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, viz. :—

“The Palmerston North Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the Borough of Palmerston North, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the new street known as Karaka Street, containing 1 rood 30.87 perches, passing through Lot 6 on deposited plan 7051, being part of Suburban Section 1083, Town of Palmerston North, Block XI, Kairanga Survey District. As the said portion so exempted is shown on the plan annexed hereto and bordered red, such plan being sealed with the seal of the Council for identification purposes” ; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the portion of Karaka Street (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of fifteen feet from the boundaries of the said portion of the street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Karaka Street, situated in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Palmerston North, adjoining parts of Lot 6 (D.P. 7051), being parts Suburban Section 1083, Township of Palmerston North, Block XI, Kairanga Survey District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71760, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1094.)

The South-eastern Side of Portion of Lucan Street, the South-western Side of Portion of Arnold Street, and the North-western Side of Portion of Radnor Street, in the City of Dunedin, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to Conditions as to the Building-lines.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Dunedin City Council on the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, the portions of streets affected by such resolution being more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, viz. :—

“That the Dunedin City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Dunedin, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to those portions of streets described hereunder, viz. :—

“(a) The south-east side of Lucan Street where the same abuts on Lots 1 to 10 (both inclusive), Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

“(b) The south-west side of Arnold Street where the same abuts on Lots 1 and 20, Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

“(c) The north-west side of Radnor Street where the same abuts on Lots 11 to 20 (both inclusive), Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

as the said several portions of streets are shown on the plan attached hereto, and thereon coloured brown” ; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the said portions of Lucan and Radnor Streets within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-lines thereof or on the land fronting the said portion of Arnold Street within a distance of twenty-nine feet from the centre-line thereof.

SCHEDULE.

(a) The south-eastern side of the portion of Lucan Street, in the Otago Land District, City of Dunedin, adjoining Lots 1 to 10, Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

(b) The south-western side of the portion of Arnold Street, in the said land district and city, adjoining Lots 1 and 20, Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

(c) The north-western side of the portion of Radnor Street, in the said land district and city, adjoining Lots 11 to 20, Block X, Township of Ascotvale :

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71671, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured brown.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1164.)

A New Street, being an Extension of William Street, in the Borough of South Invercargill, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the South Invercargill Borough Council on the twentieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, the street affected by such resolution being more particularly described in the Schedule hereto, viz :—

“That the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of South Invercargill hereby, under the authority conferred by section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen shall not apply to the land having a frontage to that street in the Southland Land District, Borough of South Invercargill, containing by admeasurement 12.5 poles, more or less, through part Lot 30, Block IV, Ramornie Township (D.P. 241), part Section 3, Block III, Invercargill Hundred” ;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the south-western side of the said street (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that new street situated in the Southland Land District, Borough of South Invercargill, being an extension of William Street, fronting part Lot 30, Block IV, Ramornie Township (D.P. 241), part Section 3, Block III, Invercargill Hundred. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71042, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1149.)

The Western Side of Portion of Liardet Street, in the City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Wellington City Council on the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, the portion of street affected being described in the Schedule hereto, viz :—

“The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the western side of all that portion of Liardet Street, beginning at the north-eastern corner of Lot 400, D.P. 52, and extending for a distance of approximately 550 links, being the portion of Liardet Street fronting Lots 401, 402, 403, 404, and 405, D.P. 52, being part Section 15, Ohiro Registration District” ;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the western side of the portion of Liardet Street (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE western side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Liardet Street, fronting Lots 401, 402, 403, 404, and 405, D.P. 52, part Section 15, Ohiro R.D. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 69399, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/1071.)

Vesting the Control of a Reserve in the Hawarden Memorial Hall Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a site for a memorial hall: And whereas it is expedient that the control of the said reserve should be vested in a special Board as hereinafter provided :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section two of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto, for the period of five years from the date hereof (unless previously amended or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely :—

Marjorie Isabel Stuart Wood,
John William Wright, and
James Quigley,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Hawarden Memorial Hall Board (hereinafter referred to as “the Board”), with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say :—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business at the Hawarden Memorial Hall, or at such other place and at such time as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1928.

2. The members of the Board shall at their first meeting, and thereafter at the annual meeting hereinafter mentioned, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. If by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise the seat of any member shall be or become vacant, or if any member absents himself, without reasonable cause, from three consecutive meetings of the Board, the Governor-General shall have power to appoint any other person to be a member of the Board in his stead.

5. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

6. The Board shall have prepared and submitted at an annual meeting held in the month of April in each year a

report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the 31st day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 33.6 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 4112, situated in the Township of Hawarden, Block VII, Waipara Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north by Lot 7 on deposited plan No. 7103, 272 links; towards the east by Lot 9 on said deposited plan, 83.49 links; towards the south by a right-of-way 1 chain wide, 232.45 links; and again towards the south-west by the Horsley Downs—Waikari Road, 92.4 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/3637, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating holding of Election to fill Extraordinary Vacancy on Onehunga Borough Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS pursuant to section forty-two of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), an election to fill an extraordinary vacancy of a councillor for the Borough of Onehunga should have been held on the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight:

And whereas such election was not held at the prescribed time, but was held instead on the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight:

And whereas it is expedient to validate the holding of such election after the time required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by section seventy-one of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the aforesaid election in so far as such election was not held on the day fixed by the said Act, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings in connection with the holding of such election shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

(L.A. 19/55/28.)

Declaring Land in the Auckland Land District to be subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and five of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and shall hereafter form part of the Te Miro Settlement.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 74 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, being portion of Karokaro B Block. Bounded towards the north by Tahuroa Block, 1074, 565.6, and 131.1 links; towards the east by Lot 1 of Section 28s and Section 33s, Te Miro Settlement, 1407.3, 1574.4, 1615.6, 161.6, and 148.1 links; towards the west generally by other part Karokaro B Block, 906.4, 384.6, 2215.3, and 1626.9 links; be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26/15495, deposited in the Head Office, Lands and Survey Department, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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Opening Settlement Lands in Otago Land District for Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule, and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Tairi County.—Otokia Survey District.—Duncan Settlement

SECTION 1A: Area, 105 acres 0 roods 35 perches. Capital value, £105. Half-yearly rent, £2 12s. 6d.

Weighted with £8, valuation for improvements consisting of 20 chains of fencing, to be paid for in cash.

Improvements, included in the capital value, consist of 37 chains of sod wall, 7 chains post-and-wire fence and one gate on district road, half-value 44 chains gorse hedge on south-east boundary, and half-value 16 chains sod wall and post-and-wire fence on north-west boundary. Total value, £13 7s.

Mixed agricultural and pastoral land. Soil of fair quality. Altitude, 150 ft. Distant one mile from Brighton Post-office and school, and fourteen miles from Dunedin. Gorse fences need attention. Section watered by stream; fairly broken by a deep gully.

Clutha County.—Pomahaka Survey District.—Pomahaka Settlement.

Section 4, Block XIV: Area, 316 acres 1 rood. Capital value, £1,054 10s. Half-yearly rental, £26 7s. 3d.

Improvements, not included in the capital value, but which must be paid for in cash, comprise two-roomed hut with brick chimney, Shacklock range, £40; open shed, £10; 47 chains fencing, south boundary, half-value, £4 14s.; 48 chains fencing, east boundary, half-value, £8 8s.; 20 chains east roadline boundary, full-value, £4 4s.; 122 chains internal fencing, £18 6s.; total, £85 12s.

Open undulating land, terminating in abrupt spurs towards the Pomahaka River, to which this section has a frontage of 67 chains. With the exception of about 50 acres the section is all ploughable. Deep black soil on a sandy clay subsoil. Part of the area requires draining. Fairly well watered, but permanent water might be got even in the driest seasons by opening up several springs. General aspect north-easterly. Distant from Clinton thirteen miles and a half.

Manuherikia Irrigation Settlement.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Section 4s: Area 42 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £70. Annual rental, £3 10s.

The Manuherikia Settlement is situated in Blocks I, VII, VIII, and IX, Leaning Rock Survey District, from one mile and three-quarters to two miles and a half from Alexandra Railway-station, and one mile and three-quarters to two miles from Clyde Railway-station, on the Otago Central Railway, which passes through part of the settlement. Access is obtainable from the Clyde—Omakau, Clyde—Alexandra, and Alexandra—Omakau main roads. The nearest schools and stores are situated at Alexandra and Clyde. The land is practically all easy undulating country and flat terraces, the soil varying from a light schisty loam to sand, resting on gravel formation; while irrigation water is available from the races constructed by the Public Works Department, at the usual rates.

Improvements.—The following improvements are included in the capital value of the section: 53½ chains south road boundary at 20s. per chain, £53 10s.

Special Conditions.

(1) The right is reserved to the Crown at any time and from time to time, without being deemed to commit a trespass and without payment of compensation, to enter upon the said land and thereon to take, lay, construct, maintain, inspect, repair, or reconstruct water-races, drains, and all other works which the Minister of Public Works deems necessary for the supply of water to the said land or to any other land.

(2) The lessee will be required to take water from races provided for irrigation purposes, at a price to be fixed by the Crown.

(3) The Crown will not be liable for any damage caused by any overflow or break-away of any race or channel.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the thirteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Town of Clyde.

SECTION 54, Block XXIII: Area, 39.9 perches. Upset price, £20.

Weighted with £61, valuation for improvements, comprising remains of old stone dwelling and out-buildings, £50; fruit trees, £10, and fencing, £1; which amount must be paid in cash.

Section all flat; soil of poor quality.

Situated about 34 chains from the railway-station and 26 chains from the post-office.

Section 46, Block XXVI: Area, 38.7 perches. Upset price, £15.

Section 47, Block XXVI: Area, 1 rood 36.9 perches. Upset price, £15.

These sections are practically flat, being river terrace. Soil poor and shingly. Situated about 34 chains from the railway-station and 26 chains from the post-office.

Town of Ranfurly.

Section 22, Block I: Area, 10 acres 0 roods 32 perches. Upset price, £80.

Weighted with £160, valuation for improvements, comprising school buildings and sheds, £150; and fencing, £10; to be paid for in cash.

This area was previously the Ranfurly School site. Situated half a mile from the Ranfurly Railway-station and close to the main Naseby-Ranfurly road. Land of fair quality, on gravel formation.

Town of Alexandra.

Section 2, Block XIX: Area, 8 acres 3 roods 33 perches. Upset price, £50.

Section 7, Block XXXIV: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 30 perches. Upset price, £5.

Both sections are situated within the Borough of Alexandra, about half a mile from the centre of the town. Flat land, soil consisting of sand and gravel. No improvements.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Taranaki Land District for Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Stratford County.—Omona Survey District.—Tawhiwhi Settlement.

SECTIONS 5s, 9s, Lot 2 of Section 6s: Area, 1,345 acres; capital value, £3,450; half-yearly rent, £86 5s.

An exemption from payment of rent for a period of two years will be allowed contingent on substantial improvements to the value of the rental remitted being effected annually.

This property is situated about fourteen miles from the

Douglas Railway-station and about two miles from the Tutu-tawa School. It comprises undulating land of good quality very suitable as a sheep proposition. Originally the area was in good pasture, but this has generally reverted to fern and second growth. The soil is of a volcanic loam, well watered by running streams.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in the Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and seventy-six of the said Act, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Monday, the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash or on deferred payments, or be selected on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the price at which the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Bruce County.—Akatore Survey District.

SECTION 46, Block I: Area, 26 acres 0 roods 26 perches. Capital value, £16 5s. Deposit on deferred payments, £1 5s.; half-yearly instalment, 9s. 9d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 6s. 6d.

Weighted with £1 15s., valuation for improvements consisting of 24 chains fencing, part road fence, and half north boundary; to be paid for in cash.

A poor piece of back-lying and exposed land, mostly in fern and rubbish.

Situated on the Milton-Glenledi road about six miles from Milton. Soil consists of light loam on clay formation, and the section is watered by creeks and springs.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notice of Change of the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Town of Stratford, Taranaki Land District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section six of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), the Governor-General is empowered, in the case of any public reserve vested in His Majesty or the Governor-General for any of the purposes comprised in Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, to change the purpose for which such reserve was set apart to any other purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve duly set apart for the use of the Department of Agriculture, being a purpose within Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose of such portion:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the portion of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto is hereby changed from a reserve for the use of the Department of Agriculture to a reserve for a site for public buildings of the General Government. And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, and 638, Town of Stratford: Area, 3 acres, more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of April, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Warrant authorizing the Kiwitea County Council to rebuild a Bridge over Hayne's Creek, on the Cheltenham Cross Road (together with Approaches thereto), and apportioning the Cost.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by section one hundred and nineteen of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby authorize the Kiwitea County Council to rebuild the bridge (together with approaches thereto) described in the Schedule hereto; and I do also declare that the cost thereof shall be borne by the Kiwitea County Council and the Oroua County Council in the following proportions, viz: The Kiwitea County Council shall pay two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) and the Oroua County Council shall pay one-third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of such cost respectively; and I do further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Oroua County Council shall be paid from time to time in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said Council, within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Kiwitea County Council; and all such payments shall be made from time to time to the County Clerk of the Kiwitea County Council for and on behalf of the said Oroua County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge in the Wellington Land District over Hayne's Creek, on the Cheltenham Cross Road, the boundary between the Counties of Kiwitea and Oroua, adjoining Section 212, Block III, Oroua Survey District (together with approaches thereto). As the site of the said bridge and approaches is more particularly delineated on the plans marked P.W.D. 71668 and P.W.D. 71240, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 41/666.)

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the three-hundred-and-first section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1927, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

Denis Patrick Roughan,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Tadmor, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the three-hundred-and-first section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1927.

As witness my hand, this 24th day of April, 1928.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

Ranger under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 24th April, 1928.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the Marlborough Acclimatization District:—

George Wareham, of Blenheim.

M. POMARE,
Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/23/25.)

Ranger under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 28th April, 1928.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District:—

Harry Peat, of Tuakau.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/23/4.)

Members of Inter-Wanganui River Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 28th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of section 6, River Boards Amendment Act, 1913, to appoint

William Ernest Thiele,
John J. McKay,
William Searle,
William Berry,
Thomas S. Fergusson,
Alfred Wall, and
Francis Haddock,

to be members of the Inter-Wanganui River Board.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 19/121/28.)

Members of Domain Boards appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 28th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to make the following appointments:—

James Blair

to be a member of the Mayfield Domain Board, in place of George Leonard Sandrey, resigned.

John Bates

to be a member of the Orari Park Domain Board, in place of Thomas Bates, resigned.

Donald McGregor and
Edward Moore

to be members of the Tokomairiro Domain Board, in place of Charles Grey and Thomas Scott, resigned.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Member of Auckland Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 18th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Samuel Christie Baird Macky

to be a member of the Auckland Land Board.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Appointment in the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy.

Navy Office,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointment in the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy:—

Lieutenant Commander Cyril John Maule Lang, Royal Navy, to H.M.S. "Dunedin," additional as Staff Officer (Operations and Intelligence) to the Commodore Commanding New Zealand Naval Station and as Staff Officer (Intelligence) Wellington.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Chairman of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Frederick William Platts, Esquire, S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Hamilton, vice W. Wilson, Esq., S.M., on leave.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Members of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Norman Robert Cleland, Esquire, and
James Watson McMillan, Esquire,

to be members of the Licensing Committee for the District of Stratford.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Charles Hastings Butcher

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kaipara, *vice* E. G. Tyler, on leave.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Trustees for Public Cemeteries appointed.—(H. 2/86.)

Department of Health,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 4 of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

Henry Atkins,

to be a trustee in place of Henry Nichol, whose seat has become vacant by death, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Patutahi Public Cemetery.

William Phillips,

to be a trustee in place of the late William Phillips, sen., to provide for the maintenance and care of the Weedons Public Cemetery.

James Hutchinson,

to be a trustee in place of Robert Duncan, whose seat has become vacant by resignation, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Blackball Public Cemetery.

John Noble Niven,

to be a trustee in place of James Quinn, whose seat has become vacant by death, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Seddonville Public Cemetery.

Marion de Stacpoole,

to be a trustee in place of Thomas Hobson, who has left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Takapau Public Cemetery.

William Steere Maunder,

to be a trustee in place of Jack Howard Vincent, whose seat has become vacant by death, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Ashhurst Public Cemetery.

Andrew Carr,

to be a trustee in place of Alexander Currie, whose seat has become vacant by death, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waikawa Public Cemetery.

William Edward Lindsay, and
Colin McLeish,

to be trustees in place of John Lindsay and Peter Colin Campbell McLeish, whose seats have become vacant by resignation, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Calcium Public Cemetery.

William John Dalkie,
John Henry Powell,
Leslie Ernest Powell, and
John Robertson,

to be trustees in place of George Arthur Archer, James Butterworth, Gilbert Harper Mouat, and George Morgan Powell, whose seats have become vacant by resignation, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Nile Hill Public Cemetery.

Frederick William Beccard,
Alexander Murray,
Peter Christopher Murray, and
Thomas Edmund Whiteside,

to be trustees in place of Robert Collins, and Philip Henry Jones, whose seats have become vacant by resignation, William Taylor, whose seat has become vacant by death, and Joseph Turnbull, who has left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waipahi Public Cemetery.

Frank Allen,
Charles Coster,
William Horton,
John (G.) MacDonald,
Charles McIntosh,
Archibald McKay, and
Robert Miller,

to be trustees in place of George Cottell Batcheler, John Richard Hamilton, Jenkin Evans, Paul A. R. Kania, Joseph Murdoch Mackintosh, Henry Ernest Rutledge, and Donald Young, whose seats have become vacant by resignation, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Hedgehope Public Cemetery.

J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.

Cemetery Trustees Appointed.—(H. 2/85.)

Department of Health,
Wellington, 28th March, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, pursuant to section 55 of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, has been pleased to appoint

The Te Kuiti Borough Council

to be trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the Te Kuiti Public Cemetery in the place of John Nicholls, Samuel Thomas, Rev. Alfred Drake, and Rev. Charles Strand, who have left the district, and Arnold Blackman, whose seat has become vacant by resignation.

The Inangahua County Council

to be trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the Boatman's Public Cemetery in the place of John O'Regan, Edward Joseph Gilsenan, David Kennedy Meharry, whose seats have become vacant by resignation.

J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.

Appointments to Cook Islands Public Service.

Cook Islands Department,
Wellington, 1st May, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand has been pleased to make the following appointments to the Cook Islands Public Service under sections 12, 104, and 110 of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, and the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908:—

Ayson, Annie Irene Watt,

to be Assistant Mistress, Avarua Normal School, from 23rd April, 1928.

Smith, Norris Y.,

to be Headmaster, Takitumu School, Rarotonga, from 30th January, 1928.

Mackenzie, Alexander,

to be Headmaster, Aitutaki School, Cook Islands, from 24th April, 1928.

Brass, Allister James,

to be Assistant Medical Officer, Cook Islands, from 24th April, 1928.

M. POMARE,
Minister for the Cook Islands.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.

THOMAS TOLME BLYTH, Esquire, of 112 Gresham House, Old Broad Street, London, England, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England, has this day been appointed by the Honourable Sir Charles Perrin Skerrett, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in England under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

W. W. SAMSON,
Registrar, Supreme Court, Wellington.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 1st May, 1928.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, *viz.*:—

John Frederick Ericson	..	Blueskin.
Victor Reginald Sellwood	..	Auckland (at Ellerslie).*
John Arthur Storey	..	Oxford.

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Appointment in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 28th April, 1928.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

James Selwyn Mosley, Esquire,

to be Clerk of the Warden's Court, Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Mining Registrar at Orepuki for the Otago Mining District, constituted under the Mining Act, 1926, as from the 1st day of April, 1928.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 2nd May, 1928.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the City of Christchurch, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

Notice of Result of Loan Poll.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and section 32 of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925, we hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of that part of the City of Christchurch named Richmond Hall and Library Special-rating Area, taken on the 28th day of March, 1928, on the proposal of the Christchurch City Council to borrow the sum of seven thousand one hundred and forty pounds (£7,140) for the acquisition of the Old Richmond School site and the laying-out and equipping of same for use as a children's playground, also for the purpose of reconstructing the brick building on the site for use as a public hall and library.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 325; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 444; and we declare the proposal to be rejected.

J. K. ARCHER, Mayor.
J. S. NEVILLE, Returning Officer.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 1st May, 1928.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Golden Bay Electric-power Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

THE GOLDEN BAY ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at separate polls taken on Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1928, for authority to raise special loans of £21,500 for the purpose of providing for the cost of a hydro-electric-power scheme and £3,500 for the purpose of providing financial assistance to the consumers of electric power, the results were as follows:—

1. *Special Loan, £21,500.*

For the proposal, 118 votes; against the proposal, 48 votes; informal, 1 vote.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

2. *Special Loan, £3,500.*

For the proposal, 118 votes; against the proposal, 48 votes; informal, 1 vote.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

FRANK HAYES, Chairman.

Declaring Tires to be superresilient for the Purposes of the Motor-lorry Regulations, 1927.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Motor-lorry Regulations, 1927, I, Robert Alexander Wright, for the Minister of Public Works, do hereby declare the tire hereunder described to be superresilient for the purposes of the Motor-lorry Regulations, 1927, until and unless the substance of the said tire is so worn as to cause it to lose the character of superresilience.

Tire Trade Name.	Description.
United States Demountable Cushion	Demountable solid tire with large cavities.

Dated at Wellington, this 27th day of April, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 62/26/2.)

Extradition Treaty with Albania.

Police Department,

Wellington, 1st May, 1928.

THE following despatch and enclosure, received from His Majesty's Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, are published for general information.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

(P. 24/1312.)

NEW ZEALAND.
Dominions No. 150.
SIR,—

Downing Street,
23rd March, 1928.

With reference to my telegram No. 27 of the 12th March, I have the honour to transmit, for the information of His Majesty's Government in New Zealand, copies of an extract from the *London Gazette* of the 16th March, containing a notice issued by the Foreign Office regarding the application to certain Dominions and India of the Extradition Treaty with Albania of the 22nd July, 1926.

I have, &c.,

L. S. AMERY.

Governor-General, His Excellency, General Sir C. Ferguson, Bart., LL.D, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., D.S.O., M.V.O., &c.

EXTRADITION TREATY OF 22ND JULY, 1926, BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND ALBANIA.

Foreign Office,
8th March, 1928.

Whereas by the "Albania (Extradition) Order in Council, 1927," it was provided that from and after the 11th day of July, 1927, the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1906, should apply in the case of the Albanian Republic under and in accordance with the Treaty concluded on the 22nd day of July, 1926, between His Majesty and the President of the Albanian Republic:

And whereas it was further provided by the said Order in Council that the operation of the said Acts should be and remain suspended within the self-governing Dominions herein-after named, that is to say, the Commonwealth of Australia (including for this purpose Papua and Norfolk Island), the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, and Newfoundland, and India, until notification should have been made in the *London Gazette* that the Treaty had been made applicable thereto, and that on such notification being made in respect of any such Dominion or India the said Acts should apply in such Dominion or India in the case of the Albanian Republic, under and in accordance with the said Treaty as from the date of the said notification:

Now, therefore, it is hereby notified that the said Treaty has been made applicable to the Commonwealth of Australia (including for this purpose Papua and Norfolk Island), the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, and Newfoundland, and India, as and from the present date, viz:—the 8th day of March, 1928.

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN,
His Majesty's Principal Secretary
of State for Foreign Affairs.

By-laws, Eskdale to Tutira Section, East Coast Main Trunk Railway.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by section II of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, I, Kenneth Stuart Williams, Minister of Public Works, do hereby order and declare that the by-laws to be enforced on the Eskdale to Tutira Section of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway prior to its being opened for traffic under the Government Railways Act, 1908, shall be as set forth in the Schedule hereto, such by-laws to come into force on the twelfth day of May, 1928, from which date all previous by-laws fixed or imposed in respect of the said railway or any portion thereof are declared to be hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE.

I. THE by-laws to be enforced on the Eskdale to Tutira Section of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway prior to its being opened for traffic under the Government Railways Act, 1908, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be the same as those made by the Minister of Railways on the 29th day of May, 1909, for the management of the railways open for traffic in the Dominion of New Zealand, and for the regulation and control of all traffic on or upon the same (hereinafter called "the Railway Department's By-laws"), a copy of which by-laws has been published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 47 of the 10th day of June, 1909, as altered and extended from time to time by publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

2. Where the words mentioned in the first column below appear in the Railway Department's By-laws, the words mentioned in the second column below shall be read in lieu thereof:—

First Column.	Second Column.
Department	Public Works Department.
Board of Management of the New Zealand Government Railways or General Manager	Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary, Public Works Department.
District Manager or District Railway Manager	District Engineer.
Railway or Railways Minister	Public Works. Minister of Public Works.

3. Paragraph (2) of clause 40 and Part VI of the Railway Department's By-laws shall be omitted from the by-laws to be imposed on the Eskdale to Tutira Section of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 6/127.)

Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges, Eskdale to Tutira Section, East Coast Main Trunk Railway.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 11 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, I, Kenneth Stuart Williams, Minister of Public Works, do hereby order and declare that the regulations, scale of fares, rates, and charges for passengers and goods, and the conditions on which passengers and goods will be carried on the Eskdale to Tutira Section of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway prior to its being opened for traffic under the Government Railways Act, 1908, shall be as set forth in the Schedule hereto, such regulations, scale, and conditions to come into force on the twelfth day of May, 1928, from which date all previous regulations, scale of fares, rates, charges, and conditions for the carriage of passengers and goods fixed or imposed in respect of the said railway or any portion thereof are declared to be hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE.

THE regulations, scale of fares, rates, and charges, and the conditions on which passengers and goods will be carried on the Eskdale to Tutira Section of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway prior to its being opened for traffic under the Government Railways Act, 1908, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be the same as the following parts or portions of the parts of the regulations and scale of fares, rates, and charges for the New Zealand Government Railways fixed to take effect on and from the 31st day of August, 1925, by the Minister of Railways as published by the Government Printer by authority in form of a handbook (which is hereinafter referred to as "the Tariff"), and relating to passenger-fares and coaching and goods rates, as altered and added to from time to time by publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*:—

1. Part I of the Tariff, Regulations 1 to 38, pages 1 to 29, except Regulations 3 and 4, 9 to 20, 22 and 23, and 25 to 31, all inclusive.

2. Part II of the Tariff, Regulations 1 to 24, pages 35 to 51 inclusive.

3. Part III of the Tariff, pages 54 to 85 inclusive.

4. Part V of the Tariff, pages 109 to 139 inclusive.

5. Part VII of the Tariff, Regulations 1 to 10, pages 148 to 154 inclusive, except the definition of "Department" contained in Regulation 1.

6. Where the words mentioned in the first column below appear in the parts of the Tariff or alterations thereto hereinbefore mentioned, the words in the second column below shall be read in lieu thereof:—

First Column.	Second Column.
Department	Public Works Department.
Board of Management of the New Zealand Government Railways	Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary, Public Works Department.
District Manager	District Engineer.
Railway or Railways Minister	Public Works. Minister of Public Works.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1928.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 6/127.)

New Zealand School of Mines.—Scholarship Regulations.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 19th April, 1928.

1. Six scholarships are offered annually for competition by students attending schools of mines within the Dominion—three for the South Island, and three for the North Island.

2. The scholarships will be granted to those candidates who comply with the conditions and obtain the highest percentage of marks, which must not be less than specified in Regulation 9.

3. Holders of scholarships are required to attend during the University session at the University of Otago (no class fees will be charged on subjects contained in the curriculum of the Otago School of Mines), and during the long recess are also required to engage in approved practical work at one of the mines or batteries in the Dominion, or in the field with the New Zealand Geological Survey Department.

4. The scholarships will be of the annual value of £50 each to successful candidates, who, while attending classes at the University of Otago, have to reside away from their homes, and of £30 to successful candidates who are able to reside at their homes while attending the University classes.

5. The scholarships will be tenable for four years.

6. The scholarships will be open to all students as aforesaid who are not less than sixteen years of age on the day appointed for receiving applications, and who shall have attended regularly at any school of mines within the Dominion for not less than two years at least 80 per cent. of the lectures in each subject of the examination course: Provided that the Minister may grant such exemption from the provisions of this regulation as he thinks reasonable in any case where it was not practicable for a student to attend 80 per cent. of the lectures in a subject in which he wishes to be examined, or where no lectures were held in that subject at the school of mines at which he was a student.

7. The examinations will be held in or about the month of December in each year, on days which will be duly announced.

8. The examination will embrace six of the following subjects:—

- (1) Mathematics.
- (2) Elementary Mechanics.
- (3) Theoretical Chemistry.
- (4) Practical Chemistry and Quantitative Analysis.
- (5) Electricity.
- (6) Mechanical Drawing.
- (7) General and Mining Geology.
- (8) Metallurgy of Gold and Silver.
- (9) (a) Coal-mining; or (b) Metal-mining.
- (10) Winding, Haulage, and Pumping.
- (11) Ventilation.
- (12) Land and Mine Surveying.

Subjects 1, 2 or 3, and 5 are compulsory for all candidates, and each candidate must state in his application the branch of mining he intends to take up.

9. No scholarship shall be awarded to any candidate who does not obtain 60 per cent. of the marks in each of the six subjects.

10. The examination may be passed as a whole or in sections. In the latter case the first section must consist of not less than two subjects, and the whole examination must be concluded within three years from the date of the first application.

11. No payment on account of the scholarship will be made until the whole examination is passed.

12. Applications from candidates, accompanied by a fee of £1, and by a certificate from the Director of the School of Mines, stating the number of lectures which the student has attended in each subject, must reach the Mines Department, in Wellington, not later than the 1st November in each year.

Candidates who elect to pass the examination in sections as provided for in Regulation 10 will require to forward with each application a fee of £1, together with the necessary certificate from the Director of the School of Mines.

13. Candidates must present themselves for examination on the day fixed, as provided in Regulation 7.

14. The Minister of Mines retains to himself the right of cancelling any scholarship should the holder attend irregularly or be reported for idleness or bad conduct.

15. Holders of scholarships having to pay more than £5 for their return railway or steamer fare to Dunedin will be refunded by the Mines Department any excess over the sum of £5, but such refund will only be made once in each year.

Receipts for each fare paid in excess of 5s. (other than railway fares) must accompany each application for a refund.

16. These regulations supersede the regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 3rd February, 1927.

J. G. COATES,
For Minister of Mines.

(Mines N. 17/20.)

Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE, PLUMBERS BOARD EXAMINATION, 29TH AND 30TH OCTOBER, 1926.

THE following candidate having passed the examination of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand, held on 29th and 30th October, 1926, his name has been entered in the Register of Plumbers of New Zealand in pursuance of sections 8 and 17 (b) of the Act:—

Reg. No.	Name.
1862	Pearson, Reginald Harold.
J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.	

Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE, PLUMBERS BOARD EXAMINATION, 28TH AND 29TH OCTOBER, 1927.

THE following candidate having passed the examination of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand held on 28th and 29th October, 1927, his name has been entered in the Register of Plumbers of New Zealand in pursuance of sections 8 and 17 (b) of the Act:—

Reg. No.	Name.
1863	Needham, Oliver.
J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.	

Officiating Ministers for 1928.—Notice No. 15.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 1st May, 1928.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

The Roman Catholic Church.
The Reverend Milan Pavlinovich.
W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Result of Election of Trustees of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

THE following result of the election of trustees of a drainage district has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Upper Mangapiko Drainage District, County of Waipa—
William John Murdoch.
Albert Bertelsen.
Clarence C. Diprose.
Duncan Brown.
Vernon Howard Nolan.
Charles Parker.
John William Peake.
(I.A. 19/176/4.)

Tenders.

THE following schedule of tenders passed by the Public Works Department is published for general information:—

Work or Supply.	Price.	Tenderer.
Ararua Road : No. 2 Metalling Contract	£ 464 15 0	John Segedin.
Coleridge, Section 210 : 11,000-volt switchgear	2,524 10 0	A. D. Riley and Co., Ltd.
Arapuni, Section 267D— Lubricating oil	3s. 10d. p. g., c. and f.	Vacuum Oil Co. Pty., Ltd.
Compressor oil	4s. 1d. p. g., c. and f.	Vacuum Oil Co. Pty., Ltd.
Lubricating oil	112s. p. t., Pen- rose	Shell Co. of N.Z., Ltd.
Orakei Block Roads— Pipes (Spun)	1,254 6 9	John Duthie and Co., Ltd.
Valves and Fittings	259 13 6	John Burns and Co., Ltd.
Tokanui Mental Hospital : Additions	32,152 10 0	E. N. Willoughby.
Waikaremoana, Section 94 : Insulator weights	506 16 6	T. Waddell and Sons.
Katikati : Stationmaster's house	1,375 0 0	F. Parnwell.
Midland Railway : Gowan Bridge Goods-shed	775 17 6	Robertson Bros., Ltd.
Tikitiki Native School : Additions	785 0 0	R. J. Wills.
Te Ararua Native School : Renovations	250 0 0	R. J. Wills.
Woolston Substation Building	2,422 0 0	Glue Bros.
Te Kauwhata Horticultural Station : Electric Lighting	210 10 0	John Burns and Co., Ltd.
Arapuni, Section 258 : Oil-storage Tanks	256 3 3	G. Cain's Welding Works.
Quote 296 : Cable and Trif. Boxes	379 19 0	Tolley and Son, Ltd.
Quote 302 : Electric Ranges	134 7 6	Turnbull and Jones, Ltd.
Rolleston-Rakaia Main Highway : Metalling Contract No. 10	682 10 0	Farrier and Walker, Ltd.

F. W. FURKERT, Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary.

Public Works Department, Wellington, 30th April, 1928.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Election to Administer Estates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Bailey, Charles Ranger ..	Gore, formerly Auckland	Commercial traveller	15/1/28	26/4/28	Intestate	Auckland.
2	Bidois, James	Te Puna	Settler	27/2/28	26/4/28	Testate	„
3	Duncan, Thomas Steele ..	Tauranga	Farmer	11/2/28	26/4/28	Intestate	„
4	Evans, Helen Jessie	Christchurch	Widow	31/3/28	26/4/28	Testate	Christchurch.
5	Gigg, Edward James	Hastings	Labourer	27/11/18	26/4/28	Intestate	Napier.
6	Gillies, William Frederick	Auckland	Able seaman	8/3/28	26/4/28	„	Auckland.
7	Rayner, Alfred Charles ..	Papakura	Painter	8/12/27	26/4/28	„	Napier.
8	Winter, William John	Petone	Labourer	9/3/28	26/4/28	„	Wellington.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 30th April, 1928.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne on the 21st May, 1928.

Registrar's Office,
Gisborne, 21st April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 21st day of May, 1928, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

JNO. HARVEY, Registrar.

[Gisborne, 1928/9-1.]

SCHEDULE.

No. 32. Applicant: Waiapu County Council. Name of land: Waipiro A 16. Nature of application: For assessment of compensation for land taken for road.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 20th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: R.L. 568. Section 8, Lansdown Settlement. Formerly held by T. E. Gynes. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Lands.

Land in Westland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Westland Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: R.L. Lease No. 691. Section 7, Block XLIII, Runanga Village Settlement. Lessee: R. Tait. Reason for forfeiture: At request.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Southland Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Lands for Settlement Act, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Wallace County.

TENURE: L.I.P./L.S. Lease No. 137. Section 2, Beaumont Settlement, Block XXIII, Wairaki Survey District. Former lessee: Patrick Ryan. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 26th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Hawke's Bay Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: Special Tenure (Settlement Land). Section 9, Block III, Woodville Survey District (Coyne Settlement). Formerly held by Arthur Edward Dean. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Education Reserve in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 26th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 13th June, 1928, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 1 of 47, Block VI, Clarendon Survey District: Area, 30 acres. Upset annual rental, £2 5s. Term of lease: Twenty-one years, with right of renewal.

Weighted with £35, valuation for improvements consisting of cultivation (£25) and fencing (£10).

A back-lying piece of ground with a good portion in bush and scrub, broken by gullies and steep faces, looking into the Akatore River.

TOWN OF BALCLUTHA.

Section 5, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset annual rental, £1 10s.

Weighted with 10s. valuation for two chains of fencing. This area is situated in Stamford Street, North Balclutha, one mile from the station and three-quarters of a mile from the post-office and business portion of the town. Access by good road.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £2 2s. lease fee, must be paid on the fall of the hammer. Rent for broken period between date of sale and 1st July, 1928, is also payable.
2. Term of lease: Twenty-one years with right of renewal for a further term at rents based on fresh valuations under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.
3. Rent payable half-yearly in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each and every year.
4. Lessee to keep in good state of repair all improvements effected upon the land, and yield up same in good order and condition on expiry or sooner determination of the lease.
5. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or subdivide without the consent of the Land Board.
6. Lessee to keep land free from noxious weeds.
7. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.
8. Lessee not to make any improvements without the consent of the Land Board.
9. Lessee not entitled to compensation for improvements, but, if lease is not renewed upon expiration, the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for buildings and other improvements effected by the original lessee with the consent of the Land Board; failing disposal, the land and all improvements revert to the Crown without compensation.
10. Lessee liable to forfeiture for non-payment of rent within six months after due date or for breach of conditions.
11. Lessee to have no right to any minerals.

Sale plans and full particulars may be obtained from this office.

R. S. GALBRAITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Settlement Lands in Taranaki Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 26th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 5th June, 1928.

Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have one or more children dependent on them; to landless applicants who within two years immediately preceding date of ballot have applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully; to applicants who have served beyond New Zealand as members of the Expeditionary Force; to persons engaged on military service beyond New Zealand in connection with the late war, if such persons immediately prior to the war were *bona fide* residents of New Zealand; and to applicants who, while domiciled in New Zealand, have served beyond New Zealand as members of any of His Majesty's forces in connection with any war other than the war with Germany.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Stratford County.—Omona Survey District.—Tawhiwhi Settlement.

SECTIONS 5s, 9s, Lot 2 of Section 6s: Area, 1,345 acres. Capital value, £3,450. Half-yearly rent, £86 5s.

An exemption from payment of rent for a period of two years will be allowed contingent on substantial improvements to the value of the rental remitted being effected annually.

This property is situated about fourteen miles from the Douglas Railway-station and about two miles from the Tututawa School. It comprises undulating land of good quality very suitable as a sheep proposition. Originally the area was in good pasture, but this has generally reverted to fern and second growth. The soil is of a volcanic loam, well watered by running streams.

SPECIAL CONDITION.

The successful applicant for these sections is required to take a renewable lease of part Sub. 1, Matemateaonga Block, area 885 acres, at a capital value of £900, half-yearly rental £22 10s. The lease over this area will also carry an exemption from payment of rent for a period of two years, contingent on improvements to the value of the rental remitted being effected annually.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease: Thirty-three years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.
2. Rent: Five per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable in advance on 1st January and 1st July in each year.
3. Applicants to be twenty-one years of age and upwards.
4. Applicants to furnish with applications statutory declaration, and, on being declared successful, deposit £1 ls. (lease fee) and a half-year's rent. Rent for the broken period between date of lease and 1st January or 1st July following is also payable.
5. Applications made on the same day are deemed to be simultaneous.
6. No persons may hold more than one allotment.
7. Successful applicants to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
8. Lessee to reside continuously on the land, and pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
9. Transfer not allowed until expiration of fifth year of lease, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
10. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, New Plymouth.

W. D. ARMIT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICES.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Auction.

State Forest Service,
Hokitika, 27th April, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber, will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Hokitika, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 30th day of May, 1928.

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SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND CONSERVATION REGION, WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on that piece of land, containing 478 acres, situated close to the Township of Woodstock, in Block IX, Kanieri Survey District, portion of Provisional State Forest Reserve 1462.

The total estimated quantity in cubic feet is 971,590 or in board feet 6,338,500, made up as follows:—

Species.	Cubic Ft.	Board Ft.
Rimu	790,126	5,232,200
Miro	92,628	564,000
Kahikatea	88,836	542,300
	971,590	6,338,500

Upset price: £5,042.

Ground rent: £23 18s. per annum.

Time for removal: 4½ years.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-tenth of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, must accompany tender, and the balance be paid by fourteen equal quarterly instalments, the first payment to be made six months after the date of the sale.

In addition, the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by an "on demand" promissory note made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum in excess of current bank overdraft rates will be charged if the note is overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

2. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.

3. The aforementioned qualities, quantities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents must be made quarterly by the licensee on the last days of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species. These returns may be ascertained and verified by inspection of the books of the mill, or by such other means as the Conservator may require, and for this purpose the accounts and books shall be open to the inspection of the Conservator, a Forest Ranger, or other duly authorized officer.

5. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

6. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

7. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

8. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing date for receipt of tenders.

9. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned it will remain open for application at the upset price until further notice.

10. Tenders should be on the special form obtainable from any office of the State Forest Service, and should be enclosed in envelopes addressed "Conservator of Forests, Hokitika," and endorsed "Tender for Timber."

The conditions which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser and further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

A. D. MCGAVOCK, Conservator of Forests.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.

State Forest Service,
Hokitika, 2nd May, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Hokitika, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1928.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND CONSERVATION REGION.—WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lot 3.

ALL the milling-timber on that piece of land containing 297 acres, situated in Blocks IX and XIII, Ahaura Survey District, portion of Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1701, about eight miles from Ngahere Railway-station.

The total estimated quantity in cubic feet is 678,800, or in board feet 4,035,300, made up as follows:—

Species.	Cubic Feet.	Board Feet.
Rimu	672,850	4,002,500
Miro	5,950	32,800
	678,800	4,035,300

Upset price, £3,122. Ground rent, £14 17s. per annum. Time for removal, 3 years.

Further blocks of residual tributary timber in Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1701 will be selected at appropriate times and offered for sale by public tender as occasion warrants.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-tenth of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 1s. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by eight equal quarterly instalments, the first payment to be made three months after the date of sale.

In addition, the successful tenderer shall continue the payment of such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by an "on demand" promissory note made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum in excess of current bank overdraft rates will be charged if the note is overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

2. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.

3. The aforementioned qualities, quantities, and kind as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs out of each species and their contents must be made quarterly by the licensee on the last days of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species. These returns may be ascertained and verified by inspection of the books of the mill, or by such other means as the Conservator may require, and for this purpose the accounts and books shall be open to the inspection of the Conservator, a Forest Ranger, or other duly authorized officer.

5. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

6. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

7. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for the timber. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

8. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing date for receipt of tenders.

9. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned it will remain open for application at the upset price until further notice.

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The conditions, which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser, and further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

A. D. McGAVOCK, Conservator of Forests.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that L. DWYER, Agent, trading as "Tui Motors," of Palmerston Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 11th day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 27th day of April, 1928.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD CARR, Commission Salesman, 26 Swanson Street, Auckland, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 14th day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 28th day of April, 1928.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that PHILLIP MAEKE, alias PIRIPI MAEKE, of Taumarunui, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Taumarunui, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of May, 1928, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hamilton, this 24th day of April, 1928.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHN SMITH, of Matamata, Share-milker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hamilton, this 27th day of April, 1928.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE BOLLAND POWELL, of Wairoa, Picture Operator, late Garage-proprietor, Te Karaka, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room, Gisborne, on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

20th April, 1928.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN STEVENSON, of Gisborne, Machinist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room on Thursday, the 3rd day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

23rd April, 1928.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that NORMAN FRANCIS NEWBOLD, of Stratford, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

23rd April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHRISTIAN MEULI, of Tariki, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

26th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that RONALD ALWYN RICHTER, of Mokoia, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of May, 1928, at 2 o'clock p.m.

ROBERT S. SAGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 19th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that MICHAEL BERNARD KENNY, of Opunake, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Thursday, the 10th day of May, 1928, at 2 o'clock p.m.

ROBERT S. SAGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 27th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Napier.

NOTICE is hereby given that HARRY GARLAND, of Hastings, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hastings, on Friday, the 27th day of April, 1928, at 2 o'clock p.m.

G. G. CHISHOLM,
Official Assignee.

17th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wanganui.

NOTICE is hereby given that SYDNEY HIRST BAILEY, formerly of Wanganui, now of Hastings, Motor Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

24th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wanganui.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN REID, of Wanganui, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

27th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE EDWIN ELSMORE, of Palmerston North, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 2nd day of May, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

23rd April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY ISABEL THWAITES, of Adelaide Road, Wellington, Confectioner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

26th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY KATE BURTON, of Wellington, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 10th day of May, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

27th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES OGILVIE MACKIE, of Porirua, Public Works Employee, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 14th day of May, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

30th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES MORTON MCGILL, of 13 Colombo Street, Wellington, Sporting Writer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 11th day of May, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

30th April, 1928.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY ANN GARNOCK PERRIN, of Edgeware Road, Christchurch, Wife of Stephen Perrin, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Government Departmental Buildings, Worcester Street, Christchurch, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 24th day of April, 1928.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that STEPHEN PERRIN, of Edgeware Road, Christchurch, Company Manager, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Government Departmental Buildings, Worcester Street, Christchurch, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 24th day of April, 1928.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Invercargill.

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to be holden on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1928, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1928.

Aldridge, Alfred Henry, of Invercargill, Motor Mechanic.
Ballam, Duke, of Otautau, Fruiterer.
Biel, Arthur, of Invercargill, Caretaker.
Bowser, John, of Balfour, Carpenter.
Cunningham, Matthew, of Gore, Labourer.
Fanning, William, of Bluff, Carrier.

Harpur, John, of Tokanui, Farmer.
 Harrison, Joseph Brereton, late of Heddon Bush, Farmer.
 Harrison, Margaret Elizabeth Duffus, late of Heddon Bush, Farmer.
 Horton, Samuel Bert, of Woodlands, Garage-proprietor.
 Isted, Alfred Fahey, of McNab, Labourer.
 Kincaid, Thomas, of Winton, Garage-proprietor.
 King, Frederick, of Pukemaori, Farmer.
 Laffey, Catherine, of Invercargill, Married Woman.
 Collett, Albert Edward, and Liddell, William George, of Clifton, Farmers, trading as "Liddell and Collett."
 Collett, Albert Edward, of Clifton, Farmer.
 Liddell, William George, of Clifton, Farmer.
 McDougall, James, of Otautau, Saddler.
 Robinson, Frederick William, of Kapuka, Storekeeper.
 Rumler, Herbert Victor, of Otapiri, Farmer.
 Soper, Ernest, of Pyramid, Farmer.
 Stevenson, George Seator, of Gore, Butcher.
 Swain, Alfred, of Mabel Bush, Farmer.
 Wills, Edward, of Invercargill, Labourer.

J. M. ADAM,
 Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 4th June, 1928.

7679. WALTER EDWARD McELWAIN.—Part Allotment 22, Section 15, City of Auckland, containing 27.47 perches, fronting Victoria Street West and Albert Street. Occupied by J. E. Jenkins and Co., M. Salas, M. Greaney, and L. Walker. Plan 20931.

7723. AMBROSE TRUST.—Part Allotments 11 and 12, Section 9 of Small Lots near Howick, containing 2 acres 3 roods 33 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 21243.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 27th day of April, 1928, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

W. JOHNSTON, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been lodged with me of the loss of Crown lease registered in Vol. 5L, folio 28, for one rood and one decimal six perches, being Section 18, Block IV, Tautina Native Township, whereof WILLIAM McCULLOCH, of Tokomaru Bay, Tailor, is the registered lessee, and application having been made to me to issue a certificate of title for the unexpired term thereof, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such new certificate of title accordingly on the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Gisborne, this 23rd day of April, 1928.

G. H. SEDDON, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

5607. WHOLESALERS LIMITED.—39 perches, part of Sections 59, 60, 71, 72, Block VII, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by applicant and tenants.

5608. JAMES HAMLIN WALKER.—0.02 perches, part Section 19, Block XXI, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by applicant and tenants.

5609. WILLIAM PARIS.—26.96 perches, part Sections 18 and 19, Block XXII, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by George Marchant, Peter Smith, Bruce Raines, Jane Saunders, and Harry Rogers.

5610. CATHERINE ABBOTT.—2 roods 30.2 perches, part of Allotment 8, Block V, Township of Roslyn. Occupied by applicant.

5611. HELEN MALCOLM.—7.16 perches, part of Sections 57 and 58, Block XXXIV, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by Rebecca Brunton.

5612. REID AND GRAY, LIMITED.—35.99 perches, Section 17, Block XLVI, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by applicants.

5613. WILLIAM JOHN BIRRELL.—18.7 perches, part Allotment 8, Block V, Township of Roslyn. Unoccupied.

5614. EVELYN RENNIE HAY and ELIZABETH KERR HAY.—1 rood 0.06 perches, Section 70, Block XXV,

Town of Dunedin. Part occupied by Mary Smith and part occupied by John Watt.

5615. GIFFORD ALEXANDER LAURENSEN.—8.89 perches, part Section 9, Block II, Upper Kaikorai District. Occupied by applicant.

5616. FREDERICK ERNEST WOODS.—0.45 of a perch, part of Section 14, Block XI, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by tenants.

5617. ANDREW ELLIOTT SELBY.—11.42 perches, part of Section 50, Block XXIV, Town of Dunedin. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 26th day of April, 1928, at the Land Registry Office, Dunedin.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register and the company dissolved:—

Panels Limited. 1927/69.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this 26th day of April, 1928.

H. B. WALTON,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

TAKE notice that, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, the names of the undermentioned companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the companies will be dissolved:—

The Awatuna Finance Company, Limited. 1920/14.

Dunn, Waldie, Limited. 1923/11.

W. J. Martin and Co., Limited. 1923/12.

Cartom Tap Company, Limited. 1924/2.

A. Ramshaw and Son, Limited. 1926/7.

Given under my hand at New Plymouth, this 26th day of April, 1928.

A. L. B. ROSS,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

TAKE notice that the names of the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved:—

Fuge New Way Milking Machine and Tester Company, Limited. 1923/38.

W. J. Staples and Company, Limited. 1915/10.

Denton Engineering Works, Limited. 1920/100.

Dated at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1928.

W. H. FLETCHER,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register and the company has been dissolved:—

Hammers Limited. 1923/5.

Given under my hand at Dunedin, this 26th day of April, 1928.

L. G. TUCK,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

BRITISH GENERAL ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the place of business of THE BRITISH GENERAL ELECTRIC CO., LTD., situate at 14 Dowling Street, Dunedin, is being discontinued; South Island business now being conducted from Hannaford Chambers, Christchurch.

F. RICHARDSON,
 Branch Accountant.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED) proposes to commence to carry on business at Sumner, Christchurch.

The Receiving Office at Mount Albert of the Newton (Auckland) Branch of the above Bank will be closed on and from 4th May, 1928.

Dated at Wellington, New Zealand, this 1st day of May, 1928.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED),

By its Attorney—

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E. P. YALDWYN.

RELIANCE PLATING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, and in the matter of the RELIANCE PLATING COMPANY, LIMITED (in liquidation), Wellington.

ALL persons or companies having claims against the above company are required to send full particulars thereof to me, care of P.O. Box 1283, Wellington, on or before the 21st day of May, 1928.

J. L. ARCUS, Liquidator.

126 Featherston Street, Wellington.

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CHUBB'S AUSTRALIAN COMPANY, LIMITED.

In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments, and in the matter of CHUBB'S AUSTRALIAN COMPANY, LIMITED (an incorporated company having its registered office at 128 Queen Victoria Street, in the City of London).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of CHUBB'S AUSTRALIAN COMPANY, LIMITED, in the City of Wellington, has been changed to National Bank Chambers, Featherston Street, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1928.

CHUBB'S AUSTRALIAN COMPANY, LIMITED,

By its Attorney—

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CHRIS. LANGSWORTH,
Managing Director in Australasia.

HOWARD ANDREW, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of HOWARD ANDREW, LIMITED (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was duly passed by the shareholders of the above company on the 20th April, 1928:—

"That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the company, and that Mr. J. H. ANDREW be appointed Liquidator."

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J. H. ANDREW, Liquidator.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned WILLIAM POLLOCK and ARTHUR EMENY, carrying on business as Printers and Publishers, at Tokomaru Bay, under the style or firm of "East Coast Printing and Publishing Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of January, 1928, as far as concerns the said Arthur Emeny, who retires from the said firm. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said William Pollock, who will continue to carry on the business under the style or firm of "East Coast Printing and Publishing Company."

Dated at Tokomaru Bay, this 21st day of April, 1928.

W. POLLOCK.

Signed by the said William Pollock in the presence of—
R. E. Gambrill, Solicitor, Tokomaru Bay.

A. EMENY.

Signed by the said Arthur Emeny in the presence of—
R. E. Gambrill, Solicitor, Tokomaru Bay.

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FEATHERSTON-LONGWOOD WATER-RACE.

APPOINTMENT OF MANAGING RATEPAYER.—WATER-SUPPLY AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY WILFRED WILLIS, Farmer, South Featherston, has been appointed Managing Ratepayer of the said water-race in place of Henry Willis, Farmer, Featherston, retired.

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QUENTIN DONALD,
Chairman, Featherston County Council.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand,
Canterbury District.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments, and in the matter of IMPERIAL TIMBERS, LIMITED, a company duly incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908, and having its registered office at Christchurch, and carrying on business there and elsewhere as a timber-merchant.

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ADAMS.

Friday, the 20th Day of April, 1928.

UPON the petition of Arthur George Woods Williams, of 25 Eaton Place, Christchurch, Furniture Manufacturer, Alice Thompson, Wife of Frederick William Thompson, of 47 Woodham Road, Christchurch, Woollscourer, Henry Wyatt, of 93 Worcester Street, Christchurch, Printer, James Carmichael Pairman, of 21 Latimer Square, Christchurch, Medical Practitioner, and Walter Godfrey Yates, of 391A Worcester Street, Christchurch, Fishmonger, all contributories of the above-named company, on the 8th day of March, 1928, preferred unto a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand: And upon hearing Mr. Wright and Mr. Hensley of Counsel for the said petitioners and Mr. Twyneham of Counsel for the above-named company consenting: And upon reading the said petition, the affidavits of the said Arthur George Woods Williams and Henry Wyatt, verifying the said petition, and the affidavits of the said Arthur George Woods Williams, Leonard Joseph Hunter Hensley, and George Hutchinson filed in support of the said petition: And upon reading the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 15th day of March, 1928, the *Press* newspaper of the 16th day of March, 1928, and the *Star* newspaper of the 17th day of March, 1928, each containing an advertisement of the said petition, this Court doth order that the said company, Imperial Timbers, Limited, be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and that the costs of the petitioners herein and the costs of the petitioners in a certain petition by creditors filed on the 12th day of March, 1928, be fixed by the Registrar.

By the Court—

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A. H. CUTLER, Deputy Registrar.

VITOR LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

A GENERAL MEETING of this company for the purpose of receiving Liquidator's report will be held at 103 Bond Street, Dunedin, on Saturday, the 19th May, 1928.

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E. C. SERVICE,
Liquidator.

ONEHUNGA LANDS, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

THE following extraordinary resolution was proposed and carried at an extraordinary general meeting of Onehunga Lands, Limited, held on 23rd day of April, 1928, and called for the purpose of passing same.

"It having been proved to the satisfaction of the members of ONEHUNGA LANDS, LIMITED, that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up same, it is hereby resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that JOHN McDONALD COLEMAN, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated at Auckland, this 24th day of April, 1928.

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J. McD. COLEMAN, Liquidator.

THE CAWTHRON INSTITUTE TRUST BOARD.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

Expenditure.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I. Administration—						
Secretary	400	0	0			
Rents, &c.	188	3	11			
Motor-cars and travelling	195	14	5			
Legal expenses	1	0	0			
Trustee's commission ..	350	0	0			
Miscellaneous	100	3	7			
Payments <i>in re</i> mortgages	250	14	7			
				1,485	16	7
II. Capital Conservation Fund—						
Interest on Fund	86	5	0			
Allocation on 1926 income	482	16	0			
				569	1	0
III. Annuities				372	0	0
IV. Research—						
Salaries	6,356	0	1			
Chemistry and Agriculture	553	3	8			
Mycology	220	10	7			
Entomology	299	14	3			
Museum	88	13	1			
Library	319	12	0			
Lectures and printing ..	130	15	7			
Photography	108	13	10			
Motor-cars	220	19	11			
Fellworth House and grounds	908	11	5			
Fellworth office	159	6	8			
Annesbrook	694	10	4			
Observatory Park	95	7	4			
Rates, taxes, and insurances	312	13	11			
Pakihi lands	74	8	2			
Dr. Tillyard's visit	2	14	0			
Mr. Rigg's visit	400	0	0			
Depreciation	405	4	0			
				11,350	18	10
				£13,777	16	5

Income.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance forward				223	5	7
Interest on mortgages	9,537	5	2			
Interest on bonds and debentures	1,431	8	7			
	10,968	13	9			
Less interest on O.D.	72	11	6			
				10,896	2	3
Sales—Fruit, wool, &c.				686	10	1
Rents				39	1	3
Fees, grants, and donations—						
N.Z. Government <i>re</i> Pakihi lands	100	0	0			
N.Z. Fruit Federation	50	0	0			
Dominion Yeast Co.	26	5	0			
N.Z. Government <i>re</i> Cool-store experiments	60	0	0			
N.Z. Government <i>re</i> Research scholar	30	0	0			
Christchurch Domain Board ..	50	0	0			
N.Z. Government <i>re</i> Lysaght's salary	20	16	8			
N.Z. Institute	100	0	0			
Harrington	0	10	0			
Canterbury Meat Board	25	0	0			
				462	11	8
Share Marsden revenues				1,078	0	0
Balance forward				392	5	7
				£13,777	16	5

W. ROUT AND SONS, LTD., Secretary.

Audited and found correct—F. A. BAMFORD, F.P.A. (N.Z.), Auditor.
Nelson, 29th March, 1927.

Marsden Bequest Account.

REVENUE ACCOUNT YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Survey	15	0	0			
Land-tax	3	0	0			
Tools, &c.	139	16	10			
Legal expenses	3	15	6			
Cawthron Institute share Administration and Research	1,078	0	0			
				1,239	12	4
				60	14	10
				£1,300	7	2
				£	s.	d.
By rents received	123	7	2			
By approximate income transferred from Estate Account	1,177	0	0			
				1,300	7	2
				£1,300	7	2

Balance-sheet at 31st December, 1927.

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

Liabilities.

	£	s.	d.
Capital, &c., at 31/12/26	1,180	0	0
Additional cash received during year	11,065	0	0
Additional pictures, china, books, &c.	1,678	8	0
	13,923	8	0
Less transferred to Income Account	1,177	0	0
	£12,746	8	0

Assets.

	£	s.	d.
Cawthron Trust Board	12,746	8	0
	£12,746	8	0

INCOME ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
Appropriation account	60	14	10
Cawthron Trust Board	60	14	10

Hopkins Bequest Account.

BALANCE-SHEET AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1927.

Capital Account.

	£	s.	d.
Capital at 31/12/26	25	0	0
Capital at 31/12/27	25	0	0

Income Account.

	£	s.	d.
Balance at 31/12/26	83	10	5
Received during year from P.T.	151	3	10
	£234	14	3
	£	s.	d.
Balance at 31/12/27	234	14	3
	£234	14	3

W. ROUT AND SONS, LTD., Secretary.

Audited and found correct—F. A. BAMFORD, F.P.A. (N.Z.), Auditor.
Nelson, 29th March, 1928.

Balance-sheet at 31st December, 1927.

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

Liabilities.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Estate Account at 31/12/26	231,566	17	1			
Plus transferred from Income Account	650	18	11			
	232,217	16	0			
Capital Conservation Account	1,708	17	0			
Hopkins Estate Account	25	0	0			
Marsden Estate Account	12,746	8	0			
Bank overdraft	2,003	2	3			
	£248,701	3	3			

		Assets.			
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Fellworth—					
Land .. .. .	..	6,409	18 1		
Buildings .. ..	..	6,510	7 2		
Furniture and fittings	..	1,725	17 0		
Apparatus .. ..	..	2,624	14 2		
Library .. .. .	..	4,676	9 1		
Museum .. .. .	..	1,465	9 5		
Pictures .. .. .	..	1,986	8 0		
China .. .. .	..	864	0 0		
Excavation Account	..	876	19 1		
				27,140	2 0
Annesbrook—					
Land .. .. .	..	4,675	0 0		
Buildings .. ..	..	600	17 10		
Implements .. ..	..	284	18 4		
Live-stock .. ..	..	32	10 0		
				5,593	6 2
Observatory Park—					
Land .. .. .	..	850	0 0		
Buildings .. ..	..	20	7 2		
Live-stock .. ..	..	89	5 0		
				959	12 2
Cars .. .. .	..			273	0 0
Sundry debtors, mortgagors, &c.	..			212,735	2 11
Fixed deposit, B.N.Z.	..			2,000	0 0
				£248,701	3 3

INCOME ACCOUNT.

		£	s. d.		
Interest in arrears .. .. .	..	4,835	12 10	
Rates and insurances re mortgagors ..	..	467	8 9	
Rents .. .. .	..	0	16 6	
Sundry creditors .. .. .	..	16	17 0	
Hopkins Bequest income .. .. .	..	234	14 3	
Marsden Bequest income .. .. .	..	60	14 10	
Bank O.D. .. .. .	..	139	19 6	
		£5,756	3 8		
				£	s. d.
Imprest Accounts	60	0 0		
Sundry debtors	5,303	18 1		
Appropriation Account	392	5 7		
		£5,756	3 8		

W. ROUT AND SONS, LTD., Secretary.

I hereby certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, and securities in the Estate of Thomas Cawthron (deceased) for the year ended 31st December, 1927, and that the above balance-sheet is drawn up so as to exhibit a correct state of the affairs of the estate as shown by the books of the estate. F. A. BAMFORD, F.P.A. (N.Z.), Auditor. Nelson, 29th March, 1928. 424

THE WAITAWHETA TIMBER COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special general meeting of the above-named company, held on 26th April, 1928, it was resolved that the company should go into voluntary liquidation forthwith, and the undersigned was appointed Liquidator.

All persons, firms, or corporations having claims against the said company are hereby required to forward particulars of same, together with proof of debt in the prescribed form, to the Liquidator, addressed to him at Waikino, on or before Saturday, 12th May, 1928.

431 J. H. G. BANKS, Liquidator.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto carried on by HAWEA LINCOLN REES and JOHN HECTOR LUXFORD under the style of "Fitchett, Rees, and Luxford" has been dissolved as from the 31st March, 1928. The business will in future be carried on by the said Hawea Lincoln Rees under the style of "Fitchett and Rees."

FITCHETT, REES, AND LUXFORD. 31st March, 1928. 432

WHANGAREI INVESTMENTS, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an extraordinary resolution of WHANGAREI INVESTMENTS, LIMITED, duly passed on the 2nd day of April, 1928, and confirmed on the 24th day of April, 1928, so as to constitute the same a special resolution, it was resolved that the said Whangarei Invest-

ments, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that HAROLD ERNEST SIMMONDS, Public Accountant, and WILLIAM PHILLIPS ENDEAN, Solicitor, both of Auckland, be appointed Liquidators.

433 H. E. SIMMONDS } Liquidators.
W. P. ENDEAN }

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between PERCY HAROLD WATTS and CHARLES EDWARD JAMES ARMSTRONG, carrying on business as solicitors at Hamilton under the style of "Watts and Armstrong" is dissolved. 28th April, 1928.

434 PERCY H. WATTS.

BRAY'S VINERIES, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments, and in the matter of BRAY'S VINERIES, LIMITED, a duly incorporated company having its registered office at the corner of Garfield and Bradford Streets, Parnell, Auckland.

BY an order made by the Honourable Mr. Justice McGregor in the above matter, dated the 27th day of April, 1928, on the petition of Maling and Company, Limited, a creditor of the above-named company, it was ordered that BRAY'S VINERIES, LIMITED, be wound up by the Supreme Court under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908.

That the Official Liquidator of the said company be and is hereby empowered to exercise all or any of the powers conferred on the Official Liquidator by section 195 of the Companies Act, 1908, without the sanction or intervention of the said Court.

That the costs of the petitioning creditor of and incidental to the said petition as per schedule be paid out of the assets of the said company, and that the Official Liquidator be entitled to remuneration as set out in the bankruptcy scale.

Dated at Auckland, this 28th day of April, 1928.

STEWART, JOHNSTON, HOUGH, AND CAMPBELL, 6 Wyndham Street, Auckland, 435 Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

IRA L. AND A. C. BERK, LIMITED.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of IRA L. and A. C. BERK, LIMITED, a company duly incorporated in New South Wales.

NOTICE is hereby given that IRA L. and A. C. BERK, LIMITED, a company duly incorporated in New South Wales, proposes to commence business in Auckland, and that the offices of the company will be on the Fifth Floor, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland.

EDWARD ABBOTT WALLACE, Attorney for— IRA L. AND A. C. BERK, LIMITED. 436

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between CHARLES HENRY CULLEN and MAURICE GREEN, and carried on at Auckland under the name of "M. Green and Co.", Electricians, has been dissolved as from the 24th day of March, 1928.

Dated at Auckland, this 27th day of April, 1928.

M. GREEN. C. H. CULLEN. Witness to both signatures—R. G. Sellar, Solicitor, Auckland. 437

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between ROBERT LOWNIE CLARK and EDWARD JAMES BIRD, at Main Street, Lower Hutt, under the name of "The Hutt Valley Cycle and Motor-cycle Supplies," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 20th day of April, 1928.

LEICESTER, JOWETT, AND RAINEY, Solicitors for the parties. 438

KELLY AND FLEMING, LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the above-named company, held on the 23rd day of April, 1928, an extraordinary resolution was passed that the company be wound up voluntarily.

439 CHAS. H. FLEMING, Liquidator.

THE BONNET-BROWN ADVERTISING SERVICE
PROPRIETARY, LIMITED.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that THE BONNET-BROWN ADVERTISING SERVICE PROPRIETARY, LIMITED, a company registered in New Zealand under the above Act as a "foreign company," will cease to carry on business in New Zealand as at the 20th day of July, 1928.

THE BONNET-BROWN ADVERTISING SERVICE PROPRIETARY, LIMITED,

By its Attorney for New Zealand—

P. KEESING, Solicitor.

189 Featherston Street, Wellington. 440

THE EXHIBITION DEMOLITION COMPANY, LTD.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of THE EXHIBITION DEMOLITION Co., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that by special resolution dated 30th March, 1928, the above company decided to go into voluntary liquidation under section 220 (b), and the undersigned was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

H. B. BURDEKIN,

Care of Otago and Southland Finance Corporation, Ltd.,
Dunedin. 442

BOROUGH OF DEVONPORT.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Devonport Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Devonport Borough Unemployment Relief Loan of £11,100, 1928, authorized to be raised by the Devonport Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of providing work for the relief of unemployment by carrying out permanent improvements at Queen's Parade, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of thirteen sixty-fourths (13/64ths) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Devonport, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five (25) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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A. E. WILSON, Town Clerk.

DUNEDIN DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Dunedin District Drainage and Sewerage Amendment Act, 1921, the Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £60,000, being the second instalment of a loan of £250,000, authorized to be raised by the Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage Board under the above-mentioned Act, the said Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny (1d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage District, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 30th day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of fifteen years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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W. B. TAVERNER, Chairman.

HOWARD ANDREW, LIMITED.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of HOWARD ANDREW, LIMITED, a company incorporated under the above Act, and having its registered office in Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 20th day of April, 1928, presented to the Honourable Mr. Justice Smith, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by LESLIE JAMES STAPLES and JOHN HERRICK STAPLES, of Manakau, Farmers, creditors of the said company, and the said petition is directed to be brought before a Judge

of the said Court on the 25th day of May, 1928, at 10 a.m., at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Dated at Wellington, this 2nd day of May, 1928.

JOHNSON, BEERE, AND CO.,

Featherston Street, Wellington.

Agents for Messrs. Park and Adams, Levin,

Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

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