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Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Street, in the City of Auckland, at Auckland.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of the land taken for the purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a street:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a street, and that the said street shall be under the control of the Auckland City Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 22.8 perches. Portion of Railway Reserve, Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland. (S.O. 24649, blue.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 39710, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 7th day of June, 1928.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L.O. 2628.)

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Land set apart as an Endowment for Primary Education.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by subsection nine of section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land described in the First Schedule hereto, being a piece of road closed and being land which is adjacent to the endowment for primary education described in the Second Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be added to the said endowment.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District containing by admeasurement 11 acres 0 roods 3 perches, more or less, being Section 37R, and being part of the road closed by Proclamation dated the 15th day of March, 1928, and published in the *Gazette* of the 22nd March, 1928, and being the parcel of land more particularly described as follows: Bounded towards the west by a public road, a distance of 550.6 links; towards the north-west by Section 37, Block IX, Eyre Survey District, a distance of 5359.5 links; towards the north-east by a closed road, a distance of 293.4 links; towards the south-east by Run 191c, Blocks X and VII, Eyre Survey District, a distance of 5657.8 links, to the point of commencement: Be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. As the same are more particularly delineated on plan marked L. and S. 20/343, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District containing by admeasurement 952 acres 2 roods 23 perches, more or less, being part of Section 37, Block IX, Eyre Survey District (permanently reserved as an endowment for primary education

by notice published in the *Supplementary Gazette* dated the 6th June, 1878).

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 7th day of June, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart as Provisional State Forest declared to be subject to the Land Act, 1924.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Forests Act, 1921-22, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting on the recommendation of the Minister of Lands, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto, being portion of Provisional State Forest Reserve 1692, set apart by Proclamation dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and gazetted on the eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, is required for settlement purposes; and, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, such land shall, from and after the day of the gazetting hereof, cease to be a provisional State forest, and shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District, containing approximately 1,050 acres, being part of Provisional State Forest Reserve 1692, situated in Blocks VI, IX, and X, Arawata Survey District. Bounded towards the east by Run 25; towards the south-east generally by a line parallel to the right bank of the Jackson River, Saddle Creek East, and Saddle Creek West, at a distance of 15 chains therefrom in each case; towards the west by the left-hand branch of the Cascade (Martyr) River; and towards the north-west generally by a line parallel to Saddle Creek East, Saddle Creek West, and the north bank of Jackson River, at a distance of 5 chains therefrom in each case. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 8/7/46, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged green.

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 11th day of June, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Scenery Preservation Board, constituted pursuant to the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), has recommended that the land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved for scenic purposes, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a scenic reserve under the said Act, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—PENGUIN BAY SCENIC RESERVE.

SECTION 5, Block VIII, Oriieri Survey District: Area, 870 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 7th day of June, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land taken for a Government Work, and not required for that Purpose, to be Crown Land.

[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 the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land: 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.

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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

Declaring Land taken for a Government Work, and not required for that Purpose, to be Crown Land.

[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 the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land, subject to the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land declared to be Crown land:—

A. R. P.

1 1 14.3 Being stopped Government road adjoining or passing through part Lot 2, D.P. 6671, of Allotment 64, Ruakaka Parish; coloured green.

0 1 17.9 Being railway land; coloured yellow.

Situated in Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 24131.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are 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 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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 19/511.)

Defining the Middle-line of a Road in Blocks X, XI, XIV, and XV, Mahurangi Survey District—viz., a Deviation of the Waiwera-Mangawai Main Highway.

[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, the Public Works Amendment Act, 1923, 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 middle-line of the road desired to be constructed over Blocks X, XI, XIV, and XV, Mahurangi Survey District—viz., a deviation of the Waiwera-Mangawai Main Highway—shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point opposite Section 116, Puhoi Parish, Block XV, Mahurangi Survey District, and proceeding thence in a northerly direction generally and passing in, into, through, or over Sections 148, 149, N. portion 150, S. portion 147, N. portion 151, M. portion 147, Mahurangi Parish, Block XV, Mahurangi Survey District; N. portion 147 and 152, Mahurangi Parish, Block XIV, Mahurangi Survey District; Section 154, Mahurangi Parish, Block X, Mahurangi Survey District; Sections 156 and 159, Mahurangi Parish, Block XI, Mahurangi Survey District; N. portion 163, S.E. portion 158, M. portion 158, N. portion 158, E. portion 158, 164, School Reserve, 165, Mahurangi Parish, Block X, Mahurangi Survey District, and terminating at Barker's Bridge opposite the said Section 165; being a distance of 4 miles 26 chains, more or less: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and water-courses.

All in the North Auckland Land District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72138, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

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 6th day of June, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/1/1/8.)

Portion of Road closed in Block XXXIII, Clutha Survey District, Clutha 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 closed the portion of road in Clutha Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 road 14 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 18 and 19.

Situated in Block XXXIII, Clutha Survey District (Otago R.D.).

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72052, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 46/1005.)

Land proclaimed as a Street in the City of Wellington.

[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 Wellington 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
0	0	0.3	Part Lot 36, D.P. 394, and being part Block X, Res. K, Te Aro Reclamation; coloured red.
0	0	4.74	
0	0	7.39	Part Lot 37, D.P. 394, and being part Block X, Res. K, Te Aro Reclamation; coloured red.
0	0	22.93	Part Lot 6, S.O. Plan 53/33, and being part Section 215 and part Res. 9. Also part Lots 5, 6, 9, and 43, Te Aro Pa; coloured violet.
0	0	1.07	Part Lot 5, Te Aro Pa; coloured sepia.
0	0	2.69	Part Lot 34, Te Aro Pa; coloured blue.
0	0	7.05	Part Lot 27, Te Aro Pa, also part Public Way (part Res. 9); coloured yellow.

Situated in City of Wellington (Town of Wellington R.D.) (S.O. 2336.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72321, 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 12th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/519.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, in Block VI, Titirangi 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 Titirangi Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
2	2	0	Lot 2 on D.P. 18839.
0	0	0.07	Part Allotment 27.
0	2	0	„ 27.

Situated in Block VI, Titirangi Survey District, Waikomiti Parish (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 23931.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71340, 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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/2671.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, in Blocks I and V, Waiheke Survey District.

[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 Waiheke Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
3	1	33.4	Te Huruhi 5F 2A Block, Blocks I and V; coloured red.
0	1	36.7	Te Huruhi 5E Block on D.P. 12125, Block V; coloured purple.

Situated in Waiheke Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 24677).

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72149, 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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/2508.)

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Poerua Survey District, Westland 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 Poerua Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 5 acres 0 rood 17 perches.
Being portion of Reserve No. 1679.

Situated in Block I, Poerua Survey District (Westland R.D.) (S.O. 2692.)

In the Westland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72038, 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 6th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 44/604.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, in Block XI, Pareora Survey District, Levels 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 Pareora Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	3	12.0	Section 103.
0	0	2.9	„ 104.
0	0	5.9	„ 103.

Situated in Block XI, Pareora Survey District (Rosewill Settlement), (Canterbury R.D.) (S.O. 2022.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72015,

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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 45/621.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VI, Maraekakaho Survey District, Hawke's Bay 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 Maraekakaho 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.	Being Portion of
1	3	15	Block 66; coloured pink.
4	3	14	„ 66; „
0	0	0.01	„ 66; „
1	2	31	„ 66; „

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	2	33	Blocks 66 and 69; coloured green.
4	2	4	Block 66; coloured green.
0	0	0.002	„ 66; „
1	2	36	„ 66; „
0	0	0.02	„ 66; „

All situated in Block VI, Maraekakaho Survey District (Maraekakaho C. G. District). (S.O. 392, green.)

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72099, 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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/5/339/1.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII, Tutamoe Survey District, Whangarei 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 Tutamoe 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: 3 acres 3 roods 28.8 perches.

Being portion of Section No. 6; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 acres 0 roods 19.9 perches.

Adjoining part Section 6; coloured green.

All situated in Block VIII, Tutamoe Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 24363.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 70820, 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 8th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 33/219/1.)

Land proclaimed as a Street, and Street closed, in the City of Wellington.

[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 Wellington described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the street described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST 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	5·6	Land reclaimed from Wellington Harbour (Burnham Wharf reclamation); coloured pink.
0	0	0·8	

SECOND SCHEDULE.

STREET CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of street closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	0·5	Land reclaimed from Wellington Harbour (Burnham Wharf reclamation); coloured green.
0	0	4·4	
0	0	0·5	

All situated in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District (City of Wellington). (S.O. 2361.)

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72328, 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 11th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 23/16.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XVI, Wakamarina Survey District, Marlborough 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 Wakamarina 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: 1 rood 35·5 perches.

Being portion of Section 39 (Havelock Suburban District); coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 rood 37·8 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 31 (Havelock Suburban District); coloured green.

All situated in Block XVI, Wakamarina Survey District. (S.O. R. 401/75).

All in the Marlborough Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71744, 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 6th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 43/270.)

Land taken for the Purposes of the Taieri Plain Flood-protection Works, in Blocks V and VI, 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 twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
234	3	34	Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 21, and part Section 22, Block V. P.W.D. 72169.
78	0	19	Part Section 1 of 76, Part Section 77, and part Section 78, Block VI. P.W.D. 72170.

Situated in Maungatua Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked as above mentioned, 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 May, 1928.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

Land taken for the Purposes of the Taieri Plain Flood-protection Works in Block V, 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, the Public Works Amendment Act, 1913, 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 (subject to an unregistered deed of lease dated the twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, in favour of William Bryant, of Otokia, Farmer, for a term of twelve years from the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven), 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 twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 88 acres 2 roods 23 perches.
Being Section 8 and parts Sections 9, 10, and 15. Situated in Block V, Maungatua Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72168, 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 May, 1928.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

Land taken for the Wellington-New Plymouth Railway (Wellington-Tawa Flat Deviation), in the City of Wellington.

[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 mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the Wellington-New Plymouth Railway (Wellington-Tawa Flat deviation).

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 18.35 perches. Being Lot 19, Block 7, on D.P. 2425, being part Section 6, Harbour District, situated in Block XI, Belmont Survey District (City of Wellington). (S.O. 2368.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72336, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon bordered 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 11th day of June, 1928.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 19/47/19.)

Opening Lands in the Auckland 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 lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight; and also that the lands 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 prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Otorohanga County.—Pirongia Survey District.

SECTIONS 10 and 11, Block VII: Area, 421 acres 0 roods 33 perches. Capital value, £355. Deposit on deferred payments, £15; half-yearly instalment, £11 1s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £7 2s.

Weighted with £815, valuation for improvements and freehold value of Lot 2 of Section 3.

Situated on the Makeoeko Road, about thirteen miles from Te Awamutu Railway-station, dairy factory, and saleyards, by metalled road for ten miles; balance formed clay road. There is a store and school at Pirongia, five miles distant, while the nearest post-office is situate at Puketotara, three miles and a half distant. The whole of the land is undulating and at present covered with fern, with the exception of 16 acres of bush, comprising tawa, rewarewa, tawhero, &c., with a light undergrowth of supplejack and pungua. The soil is a medium quality loam on clay formation. Well watered by streams.

The improvements, which are not included in the capital value, but which require to be paid for as stated hereunder, comprise four-roomed dwelling with bathroom, implement-shed, cowshed, separator-room, calf shelter, 280 chains fencing, tracking, and bridge, and small area of grassing.

It is a condition of sale that the successful applicant for Sections 10 and 11 shall take over Lot 2 of Section 3 adjoining (freehold) by transfer from the Crown.

Lot 2 of Section 3, Block VII, Pirongia Survey District, contains 9 acres 0 roods 7 perches, and has been stumped, ploughed, and sown in turnips, which are now eaten off. Soil of medium quality on clay formation. Watered by stream. The improvements on this section consist of stumping and ploughing and about 20 chains fencing.

The weighting of £815 includes improvements on Sections 10 and 11 and freehold value of Lot 2 of Section 3, being repayable by a cash deposit of £35, the balance of £780 to be secured by instalment mortgage for 34½ years at 5½ per cent., repayable by half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined amounting to £25 7s. The selector will require to meet all expenses in connection with the preparation and registration of the mortgage and of the transfer from the Crown.

Raglan County.—Awaroa Survey District.

Section 1, Block IX: Area, 507 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £485. Deposit on deferred payments, £20; half-yearly instalment, £15 2s. 3d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £9 14s.

Weighted with £1,175, valuation for improvements.

Grazing property, situated about twenty miles from Glen Afton Railway-station and six miles from Kaawa School and post-office. About 300 acres bush land felled and grassed; 34 acres open country cleared, ploughed, and grassed; 140 acres open fern land; 10 acres bush; and 20 acres swamp land. Watered by springs and streamlets.

The improvements comprise cowshed, cowyard and crush, sheep-yards, 220 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, half-share 150 chains boundary-fence, felling, and grassing. Total value, £1,280, of which £105 is included in the capital value, the balance £1,175 being repayable by a cash deposit of £215, leaving £960 on instalment mortgage for 34½ years at 5½ per cent., repayable by half-yearly instalments of principal and interest combined, amounting to £31 4s.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Waitomo County.—Maungamangero Survey District.

Section 9, Block VII: Area, 353 acres. Capital value, £265. Deposit on deferred payments, £15; half-yearly instalment, £8 2s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £5 6s.

Weighted with £1,197 10s., valuation for improvements.

Situated on the Pungarehu Road, about twenty-four miles from Te Kuiti Railway-station, fourteen miles from Pio Pio Dairy Factory, store, and saleyards, and six miles from Mairoa School and post-office. A metalled road passes the property. About 270 acres have been felled and grassed, about half of which has now reverted; the balance being in standing bush comprising tawa, rimu, puketea, rata, tawhero, and rewarewa, with a dense undergrowth of supplejack. Undulating country, broken in parts, and the whole area being infested with ragwort. Poorly watered at back, but well watered at front by running streams. The soil is a medium quality loam resting on limestone and clay formation.

The improvements, which require to be paid for separately, comprise nine-roomed dwelling (all conveniences), wash-house, storeroom, and garage. About 350 chains fencing and felling and grassing, valued at £1,197 10s., repayable in cash or by a deposit of £22 10s.; the balance to be secured by instalment mortgage to the State Advances Superintendent over a term of thirty years with interest at the rate of 6 per cent.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 11th day of June, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland 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 Friday, the twenty-seventh day of July, 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.

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

Tauranga County.—Ohauiti Settlement.

SECTION 14s: Area, 132 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £170. Half-yearly rent, £4 5s.

Weighted with £118 15s., valuation for improvements comprising half-share in 100 chains boundary and 50 chains subdivisional fence (in poor order) and grassing. Payable in cash or by a cash deposit of £48 15s., the balance being repayable over a period of five years by ten half-yearly instalments of £8 1s. 9d.

Situated about ten miles by good formed road from Tauranga Railway-station and dairy factory, and four miles from Ohauiti School. Cream is collected within two miles of section. About 45 acres in worn-out pasture, 60 acres easy country covered with fern and tea-tree; the balance comprising steep faces and gullies. Patches of gorse and a little blackberry. Soil light sandy loam on pumice formation; watered by creeks and springs.

Sections 15s and 16s: Area, 575 acres 0 roods 18 perches. Capital value, £565. Half-yearly rent, £14 2s. 6d.

Weighted with £355, valuation for improvements comprising dwelling of three rooms and pantry, four-roomed dwelling with bathroom and scullery (in fair order), and cowshed and implement-shed combined. Repayable in cash or in fourteen years by twenty-eight half-yearly instalments of £17 18s. 7d.

Situated about eight miles from Tauranga Railway-station, post-office, and dairy factory, and one mile from Ohauiti School. Cream cart calls within two miles of the property. About 90 acres level to undulating land in worn-out pasture; balance being hilly broken country, at present covered with fern and tea-tree. Soil of a sandy nature on pumice formation; watered by creek and springs. There is a little ragwort on the sections.

The improvements, included in the capital value, comprise 240 chains of boundary and 110 chains subdivisional fence and grassing; valued at £315.

Sections 21s and 22s: Area, 761 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £800. Half-yearly rent, £20.

Weighted with £285, valuation for buildings comprising dwelling of four rooms (in fair order), three-roomed dwelling (unlined), four-roomed dwelling (in dilapidated condition), two cow-byres, separator-room, and cartshed. Repayable in cash or in fifteen years by thirty half-yearly instalments of £13 14s. 7d.

Grazing property, situated ten miles from Tauranga Railway-station and dairy factory, and one mile and a half from Ohauiti School. Cream cart calls within one mile and a half of property. About 70 acres in worn-out pasture, 20 acres rough pasture, 110 acres easy country, and 8 acres light bush. The balance is broken country, covered with fern and manuka. Watered by creeks and springs.

The improvements, included in the capital value, comprise 360 chains boundary and 160 chains subdivisional fence, felling, and grassing; valued at £340.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 11th day of June, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

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, do hereby declare that the lands

described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of July, 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 Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Tauranga County.—Te Papa Parish.

SECTION 587: Area, 299 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £150. Half-yearly rent, £3.

Weighted with £230, valuation for improvements comprising two whares (in poor condition), stockyard, and branding race; 90 chains fencing, felling, and grassing; repayable in cash.

Grazing property, situated about twelve miles from Tauranga Railway-station, and four miles from Oropi School and post-office. About 60 acres bush land, felled and grassed; balance in bush, broken by deep gorges. There is a little blackberry and ragwort. No water, except in gorge on back boundary. Section could be utilized as a change paddock by a holder of other land in the vicinity.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Rotorua County.—Otanewainuku Survey District.

Section 7, Block XVI: Area, 191 acres. Capital value, £60. Half-yearly rent, £1 4s.

Weighted with £46 17s. 6d., valuation for improvements comprising 25 chains fencing (in fair order) and grassing. Payable in cash or, to an approved selector, by instalments over a short period.

Grazing property situated about fourteen miles from Ngongotaha Railway-station and two miles and a half from Kaharoa Post-office and school. About 20 acres in worn-out pasture; the balance being in bush. Sandy soil of fair quality on pumice formation, the section being broken by deep gullies. Ragwort is spreading. Watered by creeks and springs.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 11th day of June, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the Motu Scenic Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto (being land reserved under the said Act), for the period of five years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely,—

- Richard Scarborough Fisher,
- Frederick William Peddle,
- George Oswald Donovan,
- Robert Charles Craig,
- Ellis Pryce Fisher,
- Frederick Adolph Hansen, and
- Thomas Schollum,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Motu Scenic Board (herein referred to as "the Board"), in trust, for the preservation of scenery, and with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The first meeting of the Board shall be held on Monday, the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, at eight o'clock p.m., in the Public Hall, Motu, and thereafter the Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Monday in each month at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board.

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 is 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.

4. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

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

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman for such meeting.

7. 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.

8. The Board shall prepare and submit at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first 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 in Charge of Scenery Preservation as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

MOTU SCENIC RESERVE.

Gisborne Land District.

SECTIONS 29, 34, 35, 36, and 38, Block II, Motu Survey District: Area, 49 acres 2 roods 17 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 11th day of June, 1928.

A. D. McLEOD,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Warrant authorizing the Levels County Council to construct a Bridge over the Pareora River on the Christchurch-Dunedin Main Highway (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 Levels County Council to construct the bridge (together with approaches thereto) described in the Schedule hereto; and I do also declare that the cost thereof, less such contribution (if any) as may be made thereto by the Government of New Zealand or the Main Highways Board, shall be borne by the Levels County Council, the Waimate County Council, the Timaru Borough Council, and the Waimate Borough Council in the following proportions, viz.: The Levels County Council shall pay twenty-eight per centum, the Waimate County Council shall pay forty per centum, the Timaru Borough Council shall pay twenty per centum, and the Waimate Borough Council shall pay ten per centum of such cost, respectively; and I do further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Waimate County Council, the Timaru Borough Council, and the Waimate Borough Council shall be paid from time to time, in the proportions hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said Councils, within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Levels County Council; and all such payments shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Levels County Council for and on behalf of the said Councils.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge in the Canterbury Land District over the Pareora River on the Christchurch-Dunedin Main Highway (together with approaches thereto). As the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plans marked P.W.D. 70014 and 70822, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of June, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 62/15/101/3.)

Delegating to the Waimairi County Council Powers in respect to a Proposed Private Bridge in Block IV, Christchurch Survey District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority vested in me by section one hundred and sixty-five of the Counties Act, 1920, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby delegate to the Waimairi County Council all the powers vested in me by sections one hundred and sixty-three and one hundred and sixty-four of the aforesaid Act in respect to the bridge described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the condition that any regulations desired to be made by the Waimairi County Council under paragraphs (b), (c), and (d) of section one hundred and sixty-four of the said Act shall be subject to the approval of the Minister of Public Works.

SCHEDULE.

THAT proposed bridge in the Canterbury Land District over the River Styx on a road running between Rural Sections 1075 and 1076, Block IV, Christchurch Survey District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of June, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 53/306.)

Honours conferred by His Majesty the King.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of notification of the honours conferred by His Majesty the King as follows:—

Knight Bachelor—
The Honourable George Fowlds, C.B.E.

Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George—

The Very Reverend Alfred Robertson Fitchett, M.A., D.D., Dean of Dunedin.

Henry James Manson, Esquire, New Zealand Trade Commissioner for Australia and Government Agent at Melbourne.

Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division)—

Robert Noble Jones, Esquire, Judge of the Native Land Court and Under Secretary for Native Affairs.

Miss Mary McLean, M.A., formerly Principal of the Wellington Girls' College.

Companion of the Imperial Service Order—

Captain John Bollons, Master of the New Zealand Government Steamer "Tutaneikai."

M. POMARE,
Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 12/4.)

Chairman of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Edward Darker Mosley, Esquire, S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Ellesmere and Lyttelton, *vice* H. A. Young, Esquire, S.M.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th June, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant Leslie Roy Capp

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

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Officer of Police appointed.

Police Department,
Wellington, 11th June, 1928.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint
Sub Inspector Frank Lewin
to be an Inspector of the New Zealand Police Force, the appointment to take effect from 1st July, 1928.
F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 9th June, 1928.
IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of the Official Appointments and Documents Act, 1919, appointed
Ralph Horatio Ward, of Tauranga,
to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the area defined in the First Schedule to the Taupo Trout-fishing Regulations, 1926.
F. J. ROLLESTON, for Minister of Marine.

Appointment of Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.
IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of the Official Appointments and Documents Act, 1919, appointed
Phillip Williamson, of Whangamata,
to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the Auckland Acclimatization District.
F. J. ROLLESTON, for Minister of Marine.

Appointment of Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.
IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of the Official Appointments and Documents Act, 1919, appointed
Thomas Hans Jorgenson, of Westport,
to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the Buller Acclimatization District.
F. J. ROLLESTON, for Minister of Marine.

Appointments in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (New Zealand Division).

Navy Office,
Wellington, 9th June, 1928.
THE New Zealand Naval Board have approved the following appointments in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (New Zealand Division):—
Dr. Herbert Jack Rawson, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.), as Probationary Surgeon-Lieutenant, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), with seniority of 6th June, 1928.
Dr. Harold Keith Corkill, M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.), F.R.C.S.E., as Probationary Surgeon-Lieutenant, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), with seniority of 6th June, 1928.
F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 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. :—
William Eric Boyd Ormondville.
David Archibald Victor Clive Drummond .. Ohinemuri.
Ashton Hart Blackball.*
George Cecil Paterson Wainui.
John Clouston Telfer Fortrose.
* Births and deaths only.
W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

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Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 6th June, 1928.
THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service :—
Henry Gilmore Smith, Esquire,
to be the Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the electoral district of New Plymouth for the purposes of the Electoral Act, 1927, as from the 1st day of May, 1928.

Constable Thomas Dale
to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Whangaroa, for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 24th day of May, 1928.

Constable Donald Archibald Campbell Maclean
to be Bailiff of the Warden's Court at Coromandel for the Hauraki Mining District, constituted under the Mining Act, 1926, and Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Coromandel for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 24th day of May, 1928.

Arthur Rex Grainger, Esquire,
to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Orchard and Garden Diseases Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of May, 1928.

Sergeant Leslie Roy Capp
to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Dargaville for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 24th day of May, 1928.

Erwin Sharman Molony, Esquire,*
to be the Returning Officer for the Auckland Licensing District for the purposes of the Licensing Act, 1908, and to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Auckland Central for the purposes of the Electoral Act, 1927, as from the 16th day of May, 1928.

Erle Greenaway Tyler, Esquire,
to be Assistant Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Dargaville for the purposes of section 8 of the Magistrates' Courts Amendment Act, 1922, as from the 6th day of June, 1928.

Constable Laurence George Parkinson
to be Clerk and Bailiff of Magistrates' Court at Mangonui for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 2nd day of June, 1928.

* Amending entry on page No. 1707 of *N.Z. Gazette* No. 44, of 24th May, 1928.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 12th June, 1928.
THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service :—

Name.	District.
Brown, Gordon	Whangarei
Slaughter, William	Auckland
Wilson, Frederick	Hamilton
Jackson, John	Gisborne
Kinsman, Percy Henry	Napier
Whiting, Gaius Robert Arnold	New Plymouth
Gohns, Ernest William Frederick	Wanganui.
Lowden, Joseph	Palmerston North
Hanlon, John Roland	Masterton
Waite, Alfred Edward	Wellington
Ross, Murdoch	Nelson
Snedden, Alfred Drummond	Greymouth
Bailey, Rowland Thomas	Christchurch
McKessar, George	Timaru
McGregor, Stanley Earle	Oamaru
Lightfoot, George Henry	Dunedin.
Weenink, Peter Carl	Invercargill,

to be District Registrars of Apprentices for the purposes of the Apprentices Act, 1923, for the districts specified, as from the 1st day of June, 1928.

Constable John Forsyth

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Te Awamutu for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of June, 1928.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments to Cook Islands Public Service.

Cook Islands Department,
Wellington, 12th June, 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:—

Binfield, R. E.

to be Assistant Fruit Inspector, from 16th May, 1928.

Conway, T.

to be Assistant Fruit Inspector, from 31st May, 1928.

Kennedy, J. D.

to be Assistant Fruit Inspector, from 1st June, 1928.

M. POMARE,

Minister for the Cook Islands.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the N.Z. Military Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 13th June, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the New Zealand Military Forces.

THE CANTERBURY YEOMANRY.

Lieutenant F. A. Juggins is retired. Dated 12th March, 1928.

THE REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant H. H. Osmer, *M.M.*, 3rd Field Battery, to be Captain. Dated 28th May, 1928.

Lieutenant E. R. Winkler, 7th Field Battery, is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain, with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 31st May, 1928.

2nd Lieutenant L. E. Bullock is transferred from the 6th Field Battery to the 19th Medium Battery (How.), with seniority as from the 15th September, 1927. Dated 31st May, 1928.

2nd Lieutenant W. J. E. A. P. Brophy, 7th Field Battery, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 6. Dated 31st May, 1928.

2nd Lieutenant L. J. Croot, 14th Medium Battery (How.), resigns his commission. Dated 31st May, 1928.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Central Depot.

The seniority of Lieutenant K. Rix-Trott is antedated to 8th May, 1925.

Southern Depot.

Lieutenant E. G. Ferriday resigns his commission. Dated 23rd March, 1928.

THE N.Z. INFANTRY.

The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own).

Lieutenant J. E. Wade, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant, and seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion. Dated 28th May, 1928.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (*on probation*). Dated 23rd May, 1928.

Walter Robert Hugh Martin, and seconded for duty with the 3rd C Battalion.

Charles Norman Nicholls, and seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion.

The Wellington Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant R. W. Harvey, from the Southland Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority as from the 27th June, 1927, and seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion. Dated 31st May, 1928.

The Canterbury Regiment.

Lieutenant G. M. McKenzie (Retired List) to be Lieutenant, and seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion. Dated 23rd May, 1928.

Edward Lunn to be 2nd Lieutenant and seconded for duty with the 5th C Battalion. Dated 25th May, 1928.

The Southland Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant R. W. Harvey, 1st C Battalion, is transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 31st May, 1928.

N.Z. AIR FORCE.

Captain C. Musgrave, A.F.C. (Class C), R.A.F., ceases to be attached. Dated 23rd May, 1928.

Captain A. C. Upham, D.F.C., is posted to the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 23rd May, 1928.

2nd Lieutenant H. L. Piper is retired. Dated 23rd May, 1928.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants, on transfer to the N.Z.A.F. as cadets, relinquish their substantive commissions, and are granted the honorary rank of 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1927.

M. Wilkes, 1st Battalion, Canterbury Regiment.

I. C. Maclaine, 4th C Battalion, Canterbury Regiment.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) R. E. Matheson lapses. Dated 29th May, 1928.

N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Northern Depot.

2nd Lieutenant W. A. T. McGuire to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th May, 1928.

Southern Depot.

2nd Lieutenant J. R. Esson to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th February, 1928.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

With reference to the notice published in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 34, of 26th April, 1928, relating to Captain R. A. H. Fulton, *M.B.*, for the word "attached" read "posted."

With reference to the notice published in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 29, of 5th April, 1928, relating to Lieutenant A. D. Iverach, *M.B.*, for the word "attached" read "posted."

With reference to the notice published in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 47, of 7th June, 1928, relating to Captain T. W. Maben, for the words "Southern Depot" read "Northern Depot."

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) A. J. Coutts relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 17th May, 1928.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th May, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to Lieut.-Colonel C. J. W. Lockie, the North Auckland Regiment.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Dismissal from the Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the dismissal of the undermentioned soldier of the Territorial Force from the New Zealand Defence Forces under section 6 (b), Defence Act, 1909, he having been convicted by the Civil power:—

No. 11A/2858, Private A. E. Arundale, 1st Battalion, Otago Regiment. Dated 25th May, 1928.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Bridge Rate Proposal.

Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman, Akitio County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,

Minister of Finance.

AKITIO COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Akitio was taken on the 30th day of May, 1928, on the proposal of the Akitio County Council to make and levy under section 24 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, a special rate over the whole of the County of Akitio, to be called a "bridge rate" (not to exceed in any one year the amount of three-farthings in the pound on the capital value

or its equivalent on the unimproved value of all the rateable property in the county), for the purpose of providing funds for the renewing or reconstruction of bridges on roads under the jurisdiction of the Council.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 182; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 84. I therefore declare the proposal was carried.
Dated this 6th day of June, 1928.

R. B. ROBERTSON, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

WAIPUKURAU BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the rate-payers of the Borough of Waipukurau taken on the 16th day of May, 1928, on the proposal of the Waipukurau Borough Council to borrow the sum of £16,235 for improvements to footpaths, reforming and draining Ruataniwha Street, storm-water drainage, purchase of plant, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 185; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 57; informal, nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 6th day of June, 1928.

R. McLEAN,
Mayor of the Borough of Waipukurau.

New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917.—Closing of Registers.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 5th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Register of New Zealand 5½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, maturing 15th January, 1933, will be closed from the 1st to the 15th July, 1928 (inclusive), for the purpose of the issue of half-yearly interest.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

Trustees for Cracroft Public Cemetery appointed.—(H. 2/88.)

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in Part I of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in Part II of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.—NAMES OF TRUSTEES.

Howard Collingwood Barton,
Ernest Wilfred Belcher,
James Cormack,
George Flower, and
Colin Ross Sim.

PART II.—NAME OF CEMETERY AND DESCRIPTION OF LAND.

Cracroft Public Cemetery.

All that area in the Rangitata Survey District containing by admeasurement 1 acre 0 roods 1 perch, more or less, being the lot marked "Cemetery" on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, at Christchurch, as No. 2005, being part of Rural Section 16129, and being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 217, folio 181.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of June, 1928.

J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks IX and X, Bruce Bay Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road—

and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Bruce Bay, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R. P.	Being Portion of
0 0 16	Section 776, Block IX; coloured blue.
0 2 7	" 731A " X;
1 3 38	" 777 " X; " "
1 2 34	" 782 " X; " red.
0 1 15	" 782 " X; " blue.
8 0 37	Reserve 420 " IX; " red.

Situated in Bruce Bay Survey District (Westland R.D.) (S.O. 2670.)

In the Westland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 71767, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 12th day of June, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 44/124.)

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block III, Paritutu Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road—and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken: And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Sentry Hill, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R. P.	Being
2 1 39.5	Part Subdivision 3 of Section 100.
0 0 4.7	Part Subdivision 1 of Section 99.
0 0 2.0	Part Subdivision 1 of Section 99.
0 0 2.1	Part Section 99.

Situated in Block III, Paritutu Survey District (Waitara West R.D.).

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65897, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1928.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 62/7/1/9.)

Reappointment of Associate Member of a Children's Court under the Child Welfare Act, 1925.

Department of Education,
Wellington, 31st May, 1928.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the Child Welfare Act, 1925, been pleased to reappoint for the period ending on the 30th day of April, 1929, Thomas Reid Fleming, of 10 Heriot Row, Dunedin, to be associated with the Children's Court holden at Dunedin generally in relation to all matters that may be dealt with by the said Court.

R. A. WRIGHT, Minister of Education.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed in the Borough of Marton.—Notice No. Ag. 2723.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 5th June, 1928.

THE following special order, passed by the Marton Borough Council on 30th April, 1928, and confirmed on 28th May, 1928, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of sections 4 and 5 (c) of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, the Marton Borough Council hereby, by special order, declares the following plant enumerated in the Third Schedule to the said Act—viz., Hemlock (*Conium Maculatum*) to be a noxious weed within the Borough of Marton; and that this special order shall take effect on the 1st day of July, 1928.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration revoking the Dissolution of a Society.

I, HAROLD BEANLAND WALTON, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that the declaration made on the 28th day of October, 1926, dissolving the Ruakaka Public Hall Association (Incorporated) was made in error, and the said declaration is accordingly hereby revoked in pursuance of section 28, subsection (3), of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Auckland, this 11th day of June, 1928.

H. B. WALTON,
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Assistant Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, LEONARD GRAY TUCK, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Otago Taxi Owners' and Drivers' Association (Incorporated) has no assets and has ceased carrying on operations, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Dunedin, this 31st day of May, 1928.

L. G. TUCK,
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

The Education Board of the District of Otago.—Election of Member for the Urban Area.—Extraordinary Vacancy.

IN accordance with the Second Schedule to the Education Act, 1914, it is notified that Mr. William Robert Brugh has been duly elected as a member of the Education Board of the District of Otago for the Urban Area.

The numbers of valid votes recorded in favour of the respective candidates were as follows:—

Brugh, William Robert 99
Somerville, James Cleland Hall 53

Total valid votes, 152; informal votes, nil.

G. W. CARRINGTON,
Returning Officer.

Education Office, Dunedin, 29th May, 1928.

Certificates of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that certificates of naturalization, in accordance with the provisions of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens (in New Zealand) Act, 1923, have been granted to the persons named and described hereunder.

M. POMARE, Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Address.	Occupation.	Country of Birth.	Date of Naturalization.
*Juramovic, Stipe	Auckland	Labourer	Jugo-Slavia	19/5/28
Bar, Nicholas Alois	Stratford	Farmer	Bavaria	28/5/28
Borich, Ivan	Oratja	Fruit Farmer	Jugo-Slavia	" ..
Gugich, Bozo	Hokitika	Contractor	Dalmatia	" ..
Lavus, Jure	Purewa, Auckland	Labourer	Jugo-Slavia	" ..
Peyer, Anton Franz	Auckland	Engineer	Switzerland	" ..
Segedin Marko	"	Labourer	Dalmatia	" ..
Tonnoir, Andre Leon	Nelson	Entomologist	Belgium	" ..
Urlich, Toma	Okaihau	Labourer	Jugo-Slavia	" ..
Adolph Alwven	Auckland	Pipelayer	Germany	8/6/28
Holder, Alexander Erlend	"	Fish-curer	Iceland	" ..
Marinkovich, Marko Antin	Te Kopuru	Labourer	Dalmatia	" ..
Matutinovich, Ivan Andrije	Dargaville	Carpenter	"	" ..
Orsulich, Josip	Okaihau	Labourer	"	" ..
Pfeffer, Joseph Peter	Millerton	Miner	Germany	" ..
Radich, Josip Ivan Luka	Ruawai	Labourer	Dalmatia	" ..

* Previously gazetted as Juromovic, Stipe.

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.	Occupation	Residence.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Dougherty Edmund	Wood and coal merchant	Gisborne	11/5/28	6/6/28	Intestate	Gisborne.
2	Gibson, Sarah	Widow	Blenheim	6/5/28	6/6/28	Testate.	Blenheim.
3	Quinn, Annie	Spinster	Auckland	10/5/28	6/6/28	"	Gisborne.
4	Thomson, Ann Jane	Married woman	Westport	17/2/28	6/6/28	"	Christchurch.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 12th June, 1928.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of May, 1928 :-

	Estimated Population, 1st April, 1928.	Live Births registered, May, 1928.	Proportion of Live Births to the 1,000 of Population.	Still-births registered, May, 1928.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MAY, 1928.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1928.
					Males.			Females.					
					Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland	205,610	292	1.42	8	6	4	70	4	5	50	139	0.68	
Wellington	129,680	193	1.49	10	2	..	48	1	..	45	96	0.74	
Christchurch	123,140	177	1.44	4	1	..	43	4	1	31	80	0.65	
Dunedin	83,970	106	1.26	3	2	..	23	1	1	25	57	0.68	
Hamilton	17,290	40	2.31	..	2	1	3	..	..	5	11	0.64
Gisborne	15,160	25	1.65	1	..	..	6	..	..	4	10	0.66
Napier	18,600	38	2.04	..	..	..	9	..	..	8	17	0.91
Hastings	15,120	18	1.19	..	..	1	5	1	1	5	13	0.86
New Plymouth	16,880	41	2.43	1	2	1	6	..	..	3	12	0.71
Wanganui	27,200	40	1.47	3	..	..	4	1	..	6	11	0.40
Palmerston North	20,880	36	1.72	..	..	..	6	..	..	5	11	0.53
Nelson	12,060	20	1.66	..	..	..	7	..	..	5	12	1.00
Timaru	17,530	30	1.71	2	1	..	5	..	..	1	7	0.40
Invercargill	22,865	43	1.88	1	1	..	4	2	..	12	19	0.83	
Totals	725,985	1,099	1.51	33	17	7	244	14	8	205	495	0.68	

The total live births registered for the urban areas amounted to 1,099 as against 1,029 in April, an increase of 70. The deaths in May were 495—an increase of 33 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 268, females 227. Forty-six of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 9.29 per cent. of the whole number. Thirty-one of these were under one year of age.

The equivalent annual rates per 1,000 of mean population for May, 1928, and five months ended May, 1928, were as follows. The infant mortality and still-birth rates per 100 births for the same period are also given.

Urban Area.	Equivalent Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population.				Rate per 100 Births.			
	Births.		Deaths.		Infant Mortality.		Still-births.	
	May, 1928.	Five Months, 1928.	May, 1928.	Five Months, 1928.	May, 1928.	Five Months, 1928.	May, 1928.	Five Months, 1928.
Auckland	17.04	17.34	8.11	7.91	3.42	2.96	2.74	2.29
Wellington	17.86	18.99	8.88	8.42	1.55	2.63	5.18	3.22
Christchurch	17.25	17.66	7.80	7.82	2.82	3.42	2.26	3.64
Dunedin	15.15	13.40	8.15	8.20	2.83	4.90	2.83	2.35
Hamilton	27.76	25.68	7.63	6.39	5.00	3.24	..	0.54
Gisborne	19.79	18.21	7.92	8.71	..	2.61	4.00	2.61
Napier	24.52	20.77	10.97	8.00	..	3.11	..	1.86
Hastings	14.29	16.83	10.32	6.67	5.56	4.72	..	1.89
New Plymouth	29.15	21.90	8.53	10.24	4.88	1.29	2.44	2.58
Wanganui	17.65	20.03	4.85	7.81	2.50	2.20	7.50	3.52
Palmerston North	20.69	19.77	6.32	7.96	..	0.58	..	1.74
Nelson	19.90	20.30	11.94	11.14	..	1.96	..	1.96
Timaru	20.54	20.26	4.79	6.71	3.33	4.05	6.67	2.03
Invercargill	22.57	23.59	9.97	8.08	6.98	4.74	2.33	3.16
All areas, May and five months, 1928	18.16	18.00	8.18	8.05	2.82	3.10	3.00	2.68
All areas, May and five months, 1927	18.06	18.35	8.96	7.78	3.72	3.78	3.26	2.69

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the urban areas during the month of May, 1928 :-

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
Males.															
Under 5 years	10	2	1	2	3	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	1	1	24
5 and under 10 years	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10 " 15 " .. .. .	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
15 " 20 " .. .. .	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
20 " 25 "	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
25 " 30 "	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
30 " 35 " .. .. .	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
35 " 40 "	2	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
40 " 45 "	1	4	3	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	16
45 " 50 "	5	4	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
50 " 55 "	11	6	5	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25
55 " 60 "	6	4	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	20
60 " 65 "	8	4	3	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25
65 " 70 "	8	3	5	3	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	21
70 " 75 "	11	5	3	4	1	..	1	..	1	1	2	..	2	..	31
75 " 80 "	4	5	8	3	..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	1	27
80 " 85 "	5	2	5	1	1	2	..	1	2	2	1	1	..	1	24
85 " 90 "	4	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	10
90 " 95 "	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
95 " 100 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100 years and over .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	80	50	44	30	6	6	9	6	9	4	6	7	6	5	268

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
<i>Females.</i>															
Under 5 years ..	9	1	5	2	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	2	22
5 and under 10 years ..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10 " 15 "	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
15 " 20 "	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
20 " 25 "	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	9
25 " 30 "	1	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	8
30 " 35 "	4	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	12
35 " 40 "	..	2	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
40 " 45 "	1	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	8
45 " 50 "	4	3	3	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
50 " 55 "	5	4	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	14
55 " 60 "	4	1	1	5	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
60 " 65 "	3	7	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	2	20
65 " 70 "	7	7	2	6	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	3	29
70 " 75 "	3	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	13
75 " 80 "	4	2	7	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	21
80 " 85 "	3	3	1	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	14
85 " 90 "	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
90 " 95 "	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
95 " 100 "	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100 years and over ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	59	46	36	27	5	4	8	7	3	7	5	5	1	14	277
Grand totals ..	139	96	80	57	11	10	17	13	12	11	11	12	7	19	495

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during May, 1928.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
I.—EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES.															
10. Diphtheria ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
11. Influenza ..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
21. Erysipelas ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
31. Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System	8	5	4	4	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	27
32. Tuberculous Meningitis ..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
33. Tuberculosis of Peritoneum ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
38. Syphilis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals ..	14	9	6	4	..	1	1	1	..	2	1	1	..	..	40
II.—GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED ABOVE.															
43. Cancer of Buccal Cavity ..	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
44. " Stomach and Liver ..	13	5	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
45. " Peritoneum, Intestines, and Rectum	1	..	1	4	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	10
46. " Female Genital Organs ..	4	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
47. " Breast ..	3	2	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	11
48. " Skin ..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
49. " Axillary Glands ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Bladder ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Bronchus ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Kidney ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Leg ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Pancreas ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
49. " Prostate ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
49. " Spleen ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
49. " (undefined) ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
50. Benign Tumour of Pelvis ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
51. Rheumatic Heart ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
57. Diabetes Mellitus ..	4	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	11
58. Anæmia ..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
60A. Exophthalmic Goitre ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
65. Leucæmia and Hodgkins Disease	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
66. Alcoholism ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
69. Hæmorrhagic Disease of the New-born	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals ..	31	17	14	14	4	2	7	1	1	2	..	4	2	..	99

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during May, 1928—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.															
160. Congenital Debility, Icterus, and Sclerema ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3
161A. Premature Birth ..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	6
161B. Injury at Birth ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
162. Other Diseases peculiar to Early Infancy ..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Totals ..	6	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	3	18
XIII.—OLD AGE.															
164. Senility ..	6	..	6	1	1	1	..	1	2	1	2	2	..	1	24
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.															
165. Suicide by Poisoning ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
167. " Gas Poisoning ..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
169. " Drowning ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
171. " Cutting Instrument ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
179. Accidental Burns ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
180. " Suffocation ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
182. " Drowning ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
185. Accidental Traumatism by Fall ..	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
188. " " Motor-vehicles ..	1	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7
188. " " Horse-drawn Vehicles ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " Railways ..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
188. " " Other Crushing ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
196. Accidental Electric Shock ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
201. Fracture (cause not specified) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
202. Other External Injuries ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Totals ..	10	5	7	2	..	3	1	..	1	1	2	..	1	1	34
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.															
205. Not specified or ill-defined ..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Grand Totals ..	139	96	80	57	11	10	17	13	12	11	11	12	7	19	495

Infant Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during May, 1928.

(These figures are included in the preceding table.)

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
11. Influenza ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
69. Hæmorrhagic Disease of New-born ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Meningitis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
80. Infantile Convulsions ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
98. Acute Catarrhal Laryngitis ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
99. Bronchitis ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100. Broncho-pneumonia ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Diarrhœa and Entertis ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
118. Intestinal Obstruction ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Congenital Malformation of Heart ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Pyloric Stenosis ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
160. " Debility, Icterus, and Sclerema ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3
161A. Premature Birth ..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	6
161B. Injury at Birth ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
162. Other Diseases Peculiar to Early Infancy ..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Totals ..	10	3	5	3	2	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	1	3	31

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1928.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganni.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau (including Picton).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1927.	
																					Quantities.	Revenue.		
Spirits (beverages) $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	36s., 18s.	£ 26307	£ ..	£ 282	£ 5034	£ 2069	£ 976	£ 4886	£ 44909	£ 8235	£ 1050	£ 816	£ 951	£ 1463	£ 165	£ 20786	£ 745	£ 3	£ 19682	£ 4403	79,364 gal.	£ 142,762	£ 224,008	
" other than beverages, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	36s.	1064	..	..	1	23	..	13	551	106	4	20	16	19	..	602	60	..	448	41	1,649	£ 2,968	£ 3,152
Cigars and Snuff, $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	12s.	502	..	..	..	..	..	..	546	20	..	13	..	13	..	331	2	..	346	..	2,955 lb.	£ 1,773	£ 2,522
Cigarettes	(a)	50787	..	..	3690	3617	1626	3653	49217	6488	1132	2076	679	1848	379	21928	1933	1	16018	4834	..	169,906	£ 183,932
Tobacco, manufactured, $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	(b)	7625	..	..	148	400	100	425	3975	613	138	95	..	50	..	1815	200	..	1522	425	35,062 lb.	£ 17,531	£ 23,484
" cut, n.e.i., $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	4s. 2d.	23382	..	..	1577	2204	750	1977	15654	2713	484	872	349	916	219	8911	1342	..	6345	2695	337,872	£ 70,390	£ 84,897
" n.e.i., $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	4s.	8221	..	..	403	739	269	668	4327	790	197	605	134	386	91	4394	689	..	3970	1484	136,837	£ 27,367	£ 35,070
" unmanufactured, $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	2s.	113	..	..	..	..	..	..	8651	11658	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	204,219	£ 20,422	£ 10,417
Wine, sparkling, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	15s.	226	..	..	1	15	..	14	420	41	..	..	..	15	..	232	6	..	93	6	1,426 gal.	£ 1,069	£ 1,951
" South African, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	9s. 6d.	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	£ 5	£ ..
" Australian, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	10s.	37	..	..	..	5	..	10	28	5	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	..	8	..	217	£ 109	£ 179
" other kinds, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	6s.	516	..	..	25	..	..	7	1123	98	..	..	..	4	..	1185	..	..	215	11	10,613	£ 3,184	£ 3,427
" South African, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	3s. 6d.	737	..	6	9	3	..	13	133	10	..	..	..	30	..	364	..	..	76	44	8,143	£ 1,425	£ 1,162
" Australian, $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	4s.	875	..	..	27	48	19	74	597	204	10	2	21	73	2	737	64	..	527	62	16,710	£ 3,342	£ 4,448
Ale, beer, &c., $\frac{7}{8}$ gal.	2s.	486	..	..	35	6	..	64	449	46	..	4	12	15	..	284	..	..	107	194	17,023	£ 1,702	£ 1,355
Tea—																								
General Tariff, $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	2d., 4d.	27	..	..	1	1	..	..	156	..	..	4	..	..	..	5	..	..	10	..	22,247 lb.	£ 204	£ 789
British Preferential Tariff, $\frac{7}{8}$ lb.	2d.	68	..	..	..	..	..	2	29	3	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	13,099	£ 110	£ 126
Goods by Weight—																								
General Tariff .. .. .	..	33714	..	..	9	325	..	619	12197	134	..	53	3	7	..	4210	84	..	2639	400	..	54,444	£ 71,239
British Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	11387	..	..	118	632	9	494	9890	593	26	96	76	329	35	3420	450	82	3143	742	..	31,522	£ 34,255
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	125	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	133	£ 58
Goods ad valorem—																								
General Tariff .. .. .	..	157611	..	85	1729	3975	177	3462	212989	7249	475	1355	194	570	252	78450	3381	582	50605	5145	..	528,286	£ 538,064
British Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	177751	..	183	4452	6990	1112	7786	181587	12806	1250	3268	968	2619	272	90982	7212	2453	72654	11151	..	585,496	£ 654,676
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	14	..	3	24	3	1	2	..	..	..	134	..	..	9	1	..	192	£ 67
Other Duties—																								
General Tariff .. .. .	..	15434	..	..	Less 51	Less 93	..	346	25828	1230	..	488	5	40	..	5108	856	16	4987	677	..	54,871	£ 54,331
British Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	5138	..	..	37	210	27	203	3358	225	..	47	..	47	..	2027	146	26	1006	167	..	13,164	£ 8,575
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	£ ..
Primage .. .. .	..	36641	7	13	560	1473	81	1084	32391	1873	163	440	128	309	35	15228	1551	334	11541	1835	..	105,687	£ 113,343

(a) 25s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under, and 10s. 6d. per lb.

(b) Fine cut for cigarettes, 10s. per lb.

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1928—continued.

CUSTOMS DUTIES—continued.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Waipara (including Picton).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter 1927.
																					Quantities.	Revenue.	
Totals—		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Tariff	326015	..	367	12602	13281	3898	16134	380992	39421	3480	6401	2343	5346	1106	148241	9298	602	107037	20315	..	1,096,879	1,238,698
British Preferential Tariff	195256	..	183	4534	7885	1167	8569	195989	13836	1286	3416	1065	3068	309	97183	7873	2561	77338	12125	..	633,743	702,259
South African Tariff	867	..	6	10	17	..	16	208	13	1	2	..	30	..	506	..	..	85	45	..	1,806	1,287
Primage	36641	7	13	560	1473	81	1084	32391	1873	163	440	128	309	35	15228	1551	334	11541	1835	..	105,687	113,348
Grand totals	558779	7	569	17806	22656	5146	25803	609580	55143	4930	10259	3536	8753	1450	261158	18722	3497	196001	34320	..	1,838,115	..
Corresponding quarter, 1927	611211	5	673	21654	27697	6951	33628	662885	55828	6559	11757	3823	10813	1848	301522	32098	2987	222974	40674	..	..	2,055,587
Financial Year, 1927-28	2332370	7	2891	36754	108709	24406	125588	2622117	218194	21556	51661	17659	48941	6959	1124513	93809	10969	836058	159864	..	7,893,025	..

(a) 25s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under, and 10s. 6d. per lb.

(b) Fine-cut for cigarettes 10s. per lb.

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Lyttelton.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1927.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer	(a)	£ 31,885	£ 13,630	£ 18,420	£ 61,832	£ 34,146	3,323,999 gal.	£ 159,913	£ 161,789
Tobacco	6s. 3d., 1s. 8d., 1s. 6d. per lb.	177	345	280	344	24,721	205,399 lb.	25,867	7,310
Cigars and Snuff	6s. 6d., 4s. per lb.	267	..	..	..	..	1,333 "	267	405
Cigarettes, made by hand	4s. per lb.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
manufactured by machinery	5s. 6d. per lb.	9,158	8,276	3,938	2,421	..	86,516 lb.	23,793	18,180
Alcohol used in manufacturing-warehouses in the production of—									
Perfumed spirit	36s. per gallon	..	582	120	140	..	468 gal.	842	750
Toilet preparations	30s.	327	257	78	400	8	713 "	1,070	1,243
Culinary and flavouring essences	16s.	498	197	359	996	43	2,615 "	2,093	2,348
Medicinal preparations containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	4s. 6d.	192	34	178	250	57	3,156 "	711	716
Grand totals .. .. .	..	42,504	23,321	23,373	66,383	58,975	..	214,556	..
Corresponding quarter, 1927 .. .. .	..	39,188	21,593	26,622	64,233	41,605	..	..	193,241
Financial Year, 1927-28 .. .. .	..	156,856	88,231	101,894	248,574	178,075	..	773,630	..

(a) Minimum, 11½d. per gallon, increasing by ½d. for every unit of specific gravity above 1047.

Customs Department, Wellington, 9th June, 1928.

GEO. CRAIG, Comptroller of Customs.

Officiating Ministers for 1928.—Notice No. 20.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th June, 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 Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend Richard Augustus Forde, B.D.

W. W. COOK, Registrar General.

Notice issued under the Dangerous Goods Regulations, 1928.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to Regulation 48 of the Dangerous Goods Regulations, 1928, the following pump is hereby approved for delivery of petroleum spirit from underground tanks for the purpose of retail sale:—

“Shell” Mark V Automatically-controlled Pump.

J. S. MACLAURIN,
Chief Inspector of Explosives.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in the Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 7th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Lessee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
H.P.L. ..	376	2	XI	Tairua Survey District ..	T. Wrigley ..	Non-compliance with conditions of license.
D.P. ..	748	11	VI	Kawhia North ..	A. J. Arlidge ..	Ditto.
D.P. ..	844	11, 12, 13, and 14	V	Pipiroa Township ..	V. Bower ..	”
D.P. ..	947	111A	..	Tamahere Parish ..	J. E. Dobbs ..	”
D.P. ..	1241	3/10	V	Pipiroa Township ..	V. Bower ..	”
D.S. ..	846	5	..	Omehau Settlement ..	E. F. Bourke ..	Non-compliance with conditions of lease.
R.L. ..	1633	8	VIII	Tauranga Survey District	J. W. Bryant ..	Ditto.
L.P. ..	1204	4	XIII	Pirongia Survey District ..	A. Ireland and J. Sinden	”
L.P. ..	1483	10	VII	Maungamangero Survey District	W. Jones ..	”
L.P. ..	2194	12A	VII	Ditto ..	A. S. Field ..	”
L.P. ..	2196	11A	VII	” ..	” ..	”
E.R. ..	18	13A	VII	” ..	” ..	”
O.R.P. ..	2252	5	IX	” ..	S. Leitch ..	Non-compliance with conditions of license.
O.R.P. ..	3215	20	IV	Rotorua Survey District ..	A. and E. Walters ..	Ditto.
M.L. ..	1309	12 of 12	V	Rotoiti Survey District ..	H. E. Humphrys ..	”
D.S. ..	533	184, 185, and 186	..	Parish of Matata (Rangitai Settlement)	..	Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned 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.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.

TENURE: Renewable lease. Lease No. 252. Section 11, Block XII, Longwood Survey District. Former lessee: Leonard Cross. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Westland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned 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: Regs. L. Lease 172. Section 3239, Block XII, Ahaura Survey District. Lessee: G. H. Hayes. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of license.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Lands in the Canterbury Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said lands have 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.

TENURES: STL/S 332 and RL748. Lot 3 of Section 5, Lambrook Settlement, and Lot 5 of Section 3, Cricklewood Settlement. Formerly held by Charles Sim. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale under the Provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 13th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections will be offered for sale at the Conference Hall, Dominion Farmers' Buildings, Wellington, at 7.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, the 12th July, 1928.

The sections may be purchased for cash; for cash by instalments; or on special deferred payments under the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—LOWER HUTT BOROUGH.
Belmont Survey District.—Hutt Valley Settlement.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Section.	Block.	Area.
		A. R. P.			A. R. P.
4	LII	0 0 28-41	23	LIV	0 0 27-27
6	"	0 0 26-0	24	"	0 0 27-27
15	"	0 0 32-0	25	"	0 0 27-27
18	"	0 0 28-82	26	"	0 0 27-27
19	"	0 2 3-0	27	"	0 0 27-27
4	LIII	0 0 30-72	28	"	0 0 27-27
5	"	0 0 31-67	30	"	0 0 27-27
6	"	0 0 28-05	31	"	0 0 27-27
10	"	0 0 24-0	32	"	0 0 27-27
11	"	0 0 24-0	33	"	0 0 25-97
12	"	0 0 24-0	40	"	0 0 26-12
13	"	0 0 24-0	42	"	0 0 33-9
14	"	0 0 24-0	44	"	0 0 25-54
15	"	0 0 24-0	45	"	0 0 25-91
16	"	0 0 24-0	48	"	0 0 28-01
17	"	0 0 24-0	49	"	0 0 30-27
18	"	0 0 24-0	50	"	0 0 24-66
19	"	0 0 24-0	51	"	0 0 26-97
20	"	0 0 24-0	56	"	0 0 29-03
21	"	0 0 23-68	1	LVI	0 0 23-49
1	LIV	0 0 23-32	2	"	0 0 23-99
2	"	0 0 21-53	3	"	0 0 23-99
3	"	0 0 22-98	4	"	0 0 23-99
4	"	0 0 24-28	5	"	0 0 23-99
7	"	0 0 24-33	6	"	0 0 23-99
8	"	0 0 24-45	7	"	0 0 23-99
9	"	0 0 25-94	8	"	0 0 23-99
10	"	0 0 27-61	9	"	0 0 23-99
13	"	0 0 20-77	10	"	0 0 23-99
14	"	0 0 20-48	11	"	0 0 23-99
16	"	0 0 21-33	12	"	0 0 23-99
21	"	0 0 27-27	13	"	0 0 23-99
22	"	0 0 27-27	14	"	0 0 23-99

The subdivision now under offer is situated to the south of Woburn Railway-station, and lies between the new Railway Workshops and the Waiwetu Stream. Bell Road, which traverses the block, will shortly become the main thoroughfare between the Hutt Valley and the eastern bays, and will provide direct access to the Woburn Station and to the industrial area.

The block has been subdivided into residential sites varying in area from 20 to 30 perches, and having adequate frontages. The soil is of a rich alluvial nature, suitable for gardening, whilst the shingle subsoil over a considerable portion of the area makes for better surface-water drainage.

The engineering works comprising street construction, storm-water drainage, and sewerage are well on the way towards completion, and, with the addition of gas and electric lighting, provide all the amenities that can be desired.

A recreation-ground of approximately 4 acres has been laid out in the centre of the block, and a 5-acre school-site has been provided just south of the area under offer.

Along the banks of the Waiwetu Stream a fine parade has been created to preserve for the public free access to the water and the beautification of this thoroughfare and the banks of the stream is now being dealt with by the recently appointed landscape gardener to the Hutt Borough.

NOTE.—The attention of intending purchasers is drawn to easements for public purposes as shown on the plan. Intending purchasers are also advised that a building-line restriction will operate in case of sections fronting streets of a less width than sixty-six feet.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Cash.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the remaining four-fifths, together with Crown grant fee of £1, within thirty days thereafter.

Cash by Instalments.

(a) Ten per cent. of the purchase-money, and license fee of £1 ls., on the fall of the hammer.

(b) Ten per cent. thereof on the expiration of each of the following periods from the date of sale—namely, three months, six months, nine months, and twelve months.

(c) The balance of 50 per cent. on the expiration of eighteen months from the date of sale.

(d) Interest on the unpaid balance of purchase-money to be payable with each instalment, and to be computed at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum.

Special Deferred Payments.

(a) Five per cent. of purchase-money, together with £1 ls. license fee, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

(b) The balance of the purchase-money, with interest thereon at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum, to be paid by instalments extending over a period of 34½ years.

(c) In addition to the prescribed half-yearly instalment the purchaser may, on making any such payment, pay any sum or sums not less than £5 or multiple of £5 in reduction of the purchase-money.

(d) Upon receipt of the final instalment a certificate of title in respect of the land purchased shall issue, upon payment of the prescribed Crown-grant fee.

If the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale be null and void.

It shall not be lawful for any person to acquire more than two allotments of land, subject to the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, under the system of deferred payments providing for repayment of purchase-money in 34½ years, and where any person so acquires two allotments, such allotments shall be contiguous.

Except on the recommendation of the Land Board and with the approval of the Minister of Lands, it shall not be lawful for any lessee or licensee of land subject to the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, to transfer his interest in such land before the expiration of ten years from the date of the original disposal of the land under the aforesaid Act.

Titles will be subject to section 85 of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

The lands are described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the accuracy of any description.

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

H. W. C. MACKINTOSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in the Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 8th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for lease for a term of thirty-three years, with perpetual right of renewal, by public auction at the Magistrates' Courthouse, Wanganui, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 5th July, 1928, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, section 130 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1924, and the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

*Patea County.—Block VIII, Wairoa Survey District.—
Subdivision of Moumahaki State Farm.*

LOT 4 on plan 73/26w, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor at Wellington (being part Sections 395 and 397, Okutuku District): Area, 189 acres 2 roods 22 perches. Upset annual rental, £320.

Weighted with £1,032, valuation for improvements, payable in cash on the fall of the hammer.

Also weighted with £860, being part valuation for buildings, and which sum will be repayable in twenty-one years by forty-two half-yearly instalments of £33 10s. 10d., and comprising partly principal and partly interest.

This farm comprises part of what was formerly known as the Moumahaki State Farm, which was utilized for many years by the Department of Agriculture for experimental and demonstration purposes. The property is situated about one mile and a half from Moumahaki Railway-station, and four miles and a half from Waverley, by good metalled roads. School adjoining. Cream cart calls daily. The section comprises first-class dairying land, undulating with some broken

gullies, all in grass with the exception of a few clumps of shelter bush and plantations, which afford good shelter. A small area under cultivation. Good free loam soil resting on clay and papa formation. Well watered by small streams and by electrically-driven pump. Elevation, 160 ft. to 290 ft. above sea-level. Well subdivided with first-class fencing.

Buildings comprise dwelling, cottage, garage, cow-shed, and dairy. Electric light and telephone.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND CONDITIONS.

1. Term of lease: Thirty-three years with continuous right of renewal, subject to revaluation for rent.
2. Residence is compulsory and must be continuous.
3. No person shall hold more than one allotment of the Moumahaki State Farm Subdivision, and such allotment shall be held for his or her sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. For the purpose of this condition husband and wife shall be considered to be one person.
4. *Improvements.*—Lessee shall effect permanent improvements to value of £100, within one year from date of lease.
5. Successful bidder to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
6. Rental payable half-yearly in advance on 1st January and 1st July. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and other assessments.
7. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.
8. On the fall of the hammer the successful bidder will be required to pay first half-year's rent, half-year's building instalment (£33 10s. 10d.), weighting for improvements (£1,032), and lease fee (£1 ls.).
9. Copies of the regulations prescribing the terms and conditions of the lease may be inspected at this office, the Local Land Office at Wanganui, and the post-office at Waverley.

The land is described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

H. W. C. MACKINTOSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Settlement Land in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 1st June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is 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, Wellington, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th June, 1928.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 27th June, 1928, but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of any other district.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants.

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.

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

Eketahuna County.—Pukeioi Survey District.—Tiraumea Settlement.

SECTION 5s; Area, 559 acres. Capital value, £2,300; £450.* Half-yearly rent, £57 10s.; £17 11s.†

* Valuation for buildings.

† Half-yearly instalment of principal and interest on buildings, consisting of four-roomed dwelling with concrete foundations, implement-shed, cowshed, and fowlhouse, valued at £450; which sum may be paid in cash or in twenty-one years by forty-two half-yearly instalments of £17 11s. Total half-yearly payment on lease, £75 1s.

This farm is situated in the Tiraumea Settlement about twenty-eight miles from Eketahuna Railway-station by good metalled road. School and post-office opposite section. The property comprises easy undulating land to easy hills, with a fair portion ploughable. About one-third of the area is in light manuka and scrub and balance fair pasture, native grasses predominating. Soil fair, on sandstone formation. Fairly well watered. Elevation, 600 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Sheep dip and yards. About 400 chains fencing.

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 5 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 1s. (lease fee) and a half-year's rent. Rent for 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, Wellington.

H. W. C. MACKINTOSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 13th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned section is open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th June, 1928.

Applicants must appear personally for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, the 27th June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.; but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of any other district.

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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Otorohanga County.—Wharepapa Survey District.

SECTION 16, Block X: Area, 648 acres. Capital value, £330. Half-yearly rent, £6 12s.

Weighted with £400, valuation for improvements comprising 620 acres felling and grassing, approximately 375 chains fencing (in poor order), dwelling, and shed. Repayable in cash or by instalment mortgage to State Advances Superintendent; term, thirty years; half-yearly instalment, £12 18s. 8d.

Situated twenty-eight miles from Te Kawa Railway-station, and three miles and a half from Ngaroma School. About 620 acres bush land felled and grassed, now partly reverted to second growth, balance in standing bush. Section well watered by running streams; ragwort prevalent.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, sixty-six years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of sixty-six years.

2. Rent, 4 per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

3. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.

4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with application, 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. Order of selection is decided by ballot.

7. Successful applicant to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

8. Residence is to commence within four years in bush land or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, and to be continuous for ten years. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with.

9. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.

10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

11. Transfer not allowed until completion of two years' continuous residence, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.

12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.

13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

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

K. M. GRAHAM,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 13th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th June, 1928.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 27th June, 1928; but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of any other district.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants.

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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Otorohanga County.—Orahiri Survey District.

(Exempt from Payment of Rent for Five Years.)

SECTION 4, Block XIII: Area, 1,045 acres 3 roods 32 perches. Capital value, £630. Half-yearly rent, £15 15s.

Weighted with £1,160, valuation for improvements.

Grazing property, situated fourteen miles from Hangatiki Railway-station, eight miles from Waitomo Caves, school, and post-office and store; also twenty miles from Otorohanga Dairy-factory and saleyards. A metalled road runs to the property. Approximately 350 acres recently grassed, 150 acres worn-out pasture, 248 acres felled and grassed (but now reverted), and 300 acres standing bush. Well watered by springs and creeks. Ragwort prevalent, and foxglove is making an appearance.

The improvements, which have to be paid for separately, comprise 150 acres in worn-out pasture, 350 acres recently

swept by fire, now regrassed with good mixture. Approximately 220 chains road-boundary fencing, half-interest in 140 chains boundary-fences, and approximately 80 chains sub-divisional fencing (in poor repair). Dwelling and out-buildings in good repair, also wool-shed and implement-shed in poor repair: total value, £1,160. To be paid in cash or by a deposit of £60; balance repayable over a term of 34½ years at 5½ per cent. interest, by half-yearly instalments of £35 15s.

NOTE.—A remission of the interest portion of these instalments for a period of five years will be granted, conditional upon improvements being effected annually to a value equivalent to the remitted charges.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, sixty-six years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of sixty-six years.

2. Rent, 5 per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable in advance on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

3. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.

4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with applications, 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. Order of selection is decided by ballot.

7. Successful applicant to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

8. Residence is to commence within four years in bush land or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, and to be continuous for ten years. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with.

9. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.

10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

11. Transfer not allowed until completion of two years' continuous residence, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.

12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.

13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

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

K. M. GRAHAM,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run in Hawke's Bay Land District for Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 13th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run is open for selection in terms of the Land Act, 1924; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 17th July, 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.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Hawke's Bay County.—Maungaharuru Survey District.

(Exempt from Rent for Two Years.)

SMALL grazing-run, Block 104: Area, 3,016 acres. Capital value, £1,500. Annual rent, £75.

Weighted with £900, valuation for improvements comprising four-roomed dwelling with bathroom, pantry, and washhouse,

all under one roof, hot-water service, whare, woolshed, cowshed, pig-stye, sheep-yards, and boundary and subdivisional fencing. Payable in cash, or by a deposit of £100, the balance to remain on instalment mortgage; term, 34½ years; interest, 5½ per cent.

Situated twenty-eight miles from Napier on the Te Pohue-Tutira Road; altitude, from 400 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. The country varies from undulating to hilly and broken, intersected in places by deep gorges. Country generally is covered with manuka scrub, fern, and tutu, and is suitable for pastoral purposes only. Light pumice soil; well watered.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Small Grazing-run.

1. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.
2. Terms of lease: Twenty-one years, with right of renewal; or in the event of subdivision into allotments, right to a lease of one allotment, compensation for loss of right to new lease of other allotments, and valuation for improvements.
3. Rent commences from date of lease, and is payable half-yearly, in advance, on 1st March and 1st September in each year.
4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with applications, 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 March or 1st September following is also payable.
5. No person may hold more than one run, except on the recommendation of the Land Board, and with the approval of the Minister of Lands.
6. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the run within one year to the value of one year's rental; within two years to the value of two year's rental, and within six years to the value of four years' rental. In addition to the foregoing, on bush land, improvements are also to be effected within six years to the value of 10s. per acre for every acre of first-class land, and 5s. per acre for every acre of second-class land. Any money paid as valuation for improvements will be allowed as substantial improvements upon the land.
7. On expiry of term of lease, lessee's improvements will be valued and protected.
8. Residence must commence within three years in the case of bush land or swamp land, and within one year in the case of open or partly open land, and be continuous until the expiration of the lease. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with after ten years.
9. Roads may be taken without payment of compensation.
10. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

J. D. THOMSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Settlement Land in Marlborough Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 13th June, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is 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, Blenheim, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Wednesday, 27th 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.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—
FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Marlborough County.—Taylor Pass Survey District.—Wither Settlement.

SECTION 22, Block IV: Area, 10 acres. Capital value, £310. Half-yearly rent, £7 15s.

Weighted with £10 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of 27½ chains of fencing, payable in cash.

Situated under two miles from Blenheim Post-office, and commanding a view of the surrounding country. Ten acres of light land, suitable for a residence-site, poultry farm, or home for working man. Borough water and electric-power pass the section.

Improvements: Six chains of fencing on road frontage, valued at £4 10s., is included in capital value. Lessee will require to arrange with adjoining holder for payment of half-share in 7½ chains of boundary-fencing.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease: Thirty-three years, with a perpetual right of renewal for a further successive term 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 person 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. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.
10. Transfer not allowed until expiration of fifth year of lease, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
11. Roads may be taken through the land at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.
12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

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

J. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS GERALD HAYCOCK, Traveller, formerly of Auckland, but now of Wellington, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 21st day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 8th day of June, 1928.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN REGINALD OVERTON, Farmer, of Auckland, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 25th day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 11th day of June, 1928.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD GEORGE HUNTER, Traveller, of Auckland, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 22nd day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 11th day of June, 1928.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MICHAEL HICKEY, of Hamilton, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 18th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hamilton, this 6th day of June, 1928.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY FELL, of Manunui, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Tamarunui, on Friday, the 22nd day of June, 1928, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hamilton, this 7th day of June, 1928.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE CORNFOOT, MARGARET CORNFOOT, and HARRY CORNFOOT, carrying on business as sheep-farmers at Hamilton in partnership, under the firm or style of "George Cornfoot," were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 25th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hamilton, this 9th day of June, 1928.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS HAMILTON STANHOPE and JANET STANHOPE, of New Plymouth, Farmers, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 12th day of June, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

6th June, 1928. J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Estate of LEO ALPHONSUS KYLE, of Haumoana, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 1½d. in the pound is now payable at my office on all accepted proved claims.

Napier, 6th June, 1928. G. G. CHISHOLM,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of GEORGE VORTIGEN KNIGHT, of Onga Onga, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 5s. 2d. in the pound is now payable at my office on all accepted proved claims.

Napier, 9th June, 1928. G. G. CHISHOLM,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK ERNEST HANCOCK, of Mangaweka, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Friday, the 15th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

6th June, 1928. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT LAWRENCE CRIPPS, of Wanganui, Farmer, 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 14th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

6th June, 1928. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LEONARD CARMAN CRIPPS, of Wanganui, Farmer, 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 14th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

6th June, 1928. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HARRY JONES, of Wanganui, Mechanic, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Friday, the 15th day of June, 1928, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

7th June, 1928. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that RANGIPOURI MARUMARU, of Palmerston North, Licensed Native Interpreter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 14th day of June, 1928, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

6th June, 1928. CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of ALBERT EDWARD FEILDING BOYD, Labourer, Feilding.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend of 2s. 10d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate, at my office, Waldegrave's Buildings, The Square, Palmerston North.

Palmerston North, 12th June, 1928. CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERMENIA CORLETT, of Te Ore Ore, Wife of W. H. Corlett, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Friday, the 15th day of June, 1928, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

6th June, 1928. ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM ROBERT DUFFY, of 39 Onepu Road, Kilbirnie, Wellington, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 9th day of June, 1928.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LESLIE HAROLD WARD GIBBONS, of Pangatotara, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Motueka, on Thursday, the 21st day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

11th June, 1928. F. MITCHELL,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR OSWALD EMMS, of Blenheim, Car-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 15th day of June, 1928, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

A. F. BENT,
5th June, 1928. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY THOMAS NORMAN, of Hastings, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 21st day of June, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

A. F. BENT,
8th June, 1928. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCY ALEXANDER JOHNSTON, of 250 Selwyn Street, Christchurch, Motor Mechanic, 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 Thursday, the 14th day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 6th day of June, 1928.
A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE CLEMENT CARTER, of New Brighton, Garage-proprietor, 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 Thursday, the 21st day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 9th day of June, 1928.
A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable at my office, Courthouse, Ashburton, on all proved and accepted claims, in the following estates:—

Thomas James Dowler, late of Ashburton, but now of Timaru, Saddler—Second and final dividend of 7½d. in the pound (making in all 4s. 7½d. in the pound).
Daniel Bell, of Lismore, Farmer—First and final dividend of 9½d. in the pound.

C. O. PRATT,
Ashburton, 5th June, 1928. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN THOMSON MACKAY, of Willowby, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Courthouse, Ashburton, on Thursday, the 21st day of June, 1928, at 11 o'clock a.m.

C. O. PRATT,
22nd May, 1928. Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims; promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends:—

Robert Bernard Wills, of Dunedin, Mercer—Second and final dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound (making a total of 4s. in the pound).
Thomas Howard Jarvis, of Dunedin, Butcher—First and final dividend of 7s. 4d. in the pound.

W. D. WALLACE,
Dunedin, 31st May, 1928. Official Assignee.

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In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims; promissory notes (if any) are to be produced for endorsement prior to receipt of dividend:—

Campbell, William, of Invercargill, Diver—First dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound.
Jordan, Arthur Edward, of Invercargill, Radio Specialist—Second and final dividend of 1s. 9½d. in the pound, making a total of 4s. 9½d. in the pound.
Relf, William, of Invercargill, Radio Dealer—First and final dividend of 6s. 4d. in the pound.

J. M. ADAM,
Invercargill, 5th June, 1928. Official Assignee.

In the Supreme Court holden at Dunedin.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908 (New Zealand), and of the SHOTOVER GOLD DREDGING COMPANY, No liability (in liquidation), by Order of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

THE creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 31st day of July, 1928, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to W. D. Wallace, the Official Liquidator of the said company, at the Courthouse, Dunedin, New Zealand; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Supreme Courthouse at Dunedin at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1928, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated at Dunedin, this 7th day of June, 1928.
W. D. WALLACE,
Official Liquidator.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by ATEREA AHIWAKA, the lessor under Memorandum of Lease No. 9067, affecting Mokau Mohakaitino 1E 2A 1, and being the balance of the land in certificate of title Vol. 72, folio 47, whereof CHARLES EDWARD WEST, of Aria, Settler, is the registered lessee, I hereby give notice that I shall register such re-entry as requested after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at New Plymouth, this 2nd day of June, 1928.
A. L. B. ROSS, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been supplied of the loss of certificate of title Vol. 67, folio 250, for Lots 205 and 206, Block X, plan 362, situated at corner of Riverslea Road and Clive Street, Hastings, whereof MICHAEL KEARNEY, of Tomoana, Freezer, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in lieu of the original, which has been lost, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such new certificate after the 30th day of June, 1928, unless good cause be shown.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Napier, this 9th day of June, 1928.
R. F. BAIRD, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the registration of a transmission to LOUISA MARGARET DIX, of an undivided moiety of Lot 49, plan No. 1319, Oxford Street, Township of Levin, being the land comprised in certificate of title Vol. 181, folio 293, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said certificate of title, and also of certificate of title Vol. 183, folio 24, in the name of the said LOUISA MARGARET DIX, I hereby give notice of my intention to register such transmission, and to issue a new certificate of title for the said Lot 49, in substitution for both of the said certificates of title, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1928.
C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in the name of WILLIAM PHYN, of Wangarei, Blacksmith, for one rood, more or less, being Section 15 on deposited plan No. 96, part of Section 165, Township of Sandon, and being the whole of the land in certificate of title Vol. 26, folio 193, Wellington, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the new certificate of title as requested after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1928, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE has been furnished of the loss of certificate of title Vol. 10, folio 260, for part of Section 5, District of Omaka, containing 3 acres, whereof EMILY FANNY BROWN, Wife of FREDERICK BROWN, of Blenheim, Settler, is registered proprietor, and also of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of memorandum of mortgage No. 2595, affecting the said land, whereof the TRUSTEES OF THE BLENHEIM MISTLETOE LODGE OF DRUIDS, are the registered proprietors, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title in lieu of the one lost as aforesaid and to register a discharge of the said mortgage dispensing with the production of the said outstanding duplicate, I hereby give notice that I will issue such new certificate of title and register such discharge at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Blenheim, this 2nd day of June, 1928.

H. O. GOVAN, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in the name of MARGARET SCOTT, of Papatowai, Widow, for 1 rood 28 poles, more or less, situated in the Town of Papatowai, being Sections 76 and 77 on the public map of the said town, and being the balance of the land comprised and described in certificate of title Vol. 146, folio 4, Otago Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such new certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin, this 11th day of June, 1928.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of new certificates of title in the name of GEORGE BALSILLE, of Dunedin (Retired), for 2 roods, more or less, being Allotments 24 and 25, Block I, on the plan of the Township of Opoho, deposited in the Land Registry Office at Dunedin, and being the whole of the land in certificates of title Vol. 17, folio 293, and Vol. 42, folio 29, Otago Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificates of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such new certificates of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin, this 9th day of June, 1928.

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:—

Te Kawa Town Hall Company, Limited. 1920/165.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this 6th day of June, 1928.

H. B. WALTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

KINDLY take notice that, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, the name of the under-mentioned company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved:—

The Waipu Cove Beach Development Company, Limited.
1926/235.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this 7th day of June, 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:—

Te Ruru Oil Lands Limited. 1914/2.

The Auto Milking Machine Company, Limited. 1916/1.

The General Transport Company, Limited. 1923/8.

Given under my hand at New Plymouth, this 11th day of June, 1928.

A. L. B. ROSS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE RURAL INTERMEDIATE CREDIT ACT, 1927, AND THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Oroua Co-operative Rural Intermediate Credit Association, Limited, was incorporated under the above-mentioned Acts on the 7th day of June, 1928.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 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:—

Ealing Saleyards Company, Limited. 18/21.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this 8th day of June, 1928.

J. MORRISON,
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:—

The Campbell Automatic Flusher World Rights Syndicate, Limited. 1924/42.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this 8th day of June, 1928.

J. MORRISON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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 Foxton.

Dated at Wellington, New Zealand, this 25th day of May, 1928.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, LTD.,

By its Attorney—

527 E. P. YALDWYN.

THE ALEXANDRA HERALD COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting held at the registered office of the above company, Tarbert Street, Alexandra, on the 21st day of March, 1927, the following extraordinary resolution was passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue to carry on its business, and that it go into voluntary liquidation, and that JOHN RIVERS, of Alexandra, Auctioneer, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1927.

554 JOHN RIVERS, Liquidator.

LONDON DISTRIBUTORS, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company intends to commence business at Wellington, in the Dominion of New Zealand, and that the situation of the office or place of business of the said company will be at Number 16 Victoria Street, Wellington.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of June, 1928.

R. W. G. ANDERSON,
For London Distributors, Limited.

Witness—A. T. Young, Solicitor, Wellington. 555

GISBORNE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

Fox Street Special District Loan, £1,200.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Gisborne Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,200, authorized to be raised by the Gisborne Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for installing a water-supply and sewerage system in the Fox Street Special Area of the Borough of Gisborne, the said Gisborne Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4½d. in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property of the Fox Street Special District of the Borough of Gisborne, being all that area more particularly described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 62 of 10th September, 1925, defining the boundaries of that area recently merged with the Gisborne Borough, and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

D. W. COLEMAN, Mayor.
R. D. B. ROBINSON, Town Clerk.

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JAMES LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of JAMES LIMITED (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Bank Street, Whangarei, on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1928, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that WILLIAM LAWRENCE DONOHUE, Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated this 6th day of June, 1928.

W. L. DONOHUE,
Bank Street, Whangarei.

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WHANGAREI MOTOR TRANSPORT CO., LTD.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of THE WHANGAREI MOTOR TRANSPORT CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Bank Street, Whangarei, on Thursday, 17th day of May, 1928, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company, by reason of its liabilities, cannot continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that WILLIAM LAWRENCE DONOHUE, of Whangarei, Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated this 6th day of June, 1928.

W. L. DONOHUE,
Bank Street, Whangarei.

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Auckland Savings-bank.

RECEIPTS and Payments Account for the year ended 31st March, 1928:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance as at 1st April, 1927 (cash in hand and B.N.Z.)	.. ..	567,879	13	1
Received from depositors	.. ..	3,936,327	8	0
Interest on mortgages	.. ..	162,811	9	9
Interest on debentures	.. ..	109,487	10	8
Interest on fixed deposit	.. ..	4,500	0	0
Interest on working account with Bank of New Zealand	.. ..	22,813	15	3
Mortgages repaid, including £50 overpaid	.. ..	120,693	0	0
Debentures repaid	.. ..	100	0	0
Rent	.. ..	1,700	0	0
Mortgage sundries	.. ..	103	5	9
Securities realization	.. ..	1,128	4	6
Charges refund	.. ..	1	12	6
		<u>£4,927,545</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>
PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	.. ..	3,798,822	5	7
Advanced on mortgage	.. ..	204,920	0	0
Mortgage principal refund (overpaid)	.. ..	50	0	0
Advanced on debentures	.. ..	210,000	0	0
Charges	.. ..	22,853	2	3
Buildings (Newmarket Branch)	.. ..	90	0	0
Buildings (Head Office alterations)	.. ..	13,895	0	0
Buildings (Symonds Street property)	.. ..	539	0	0
Buildings (Jervois Road Branch)	.. ..	5,125	9	0
Furniture and fittings, Head Office	.. ..	6,323	18	1
Rent	.. ..	544	10	0
Donations	.. ..	17,750	0	0
Mortgage sundries	.. ..	205	18	8
Securities realization	.. ..	3,473	1	3
Balance with Bank of New Zealand (working account)	.. ..	613,661	16	2
Cash in hand	.. ..	29,291	18	6
		<u>£4,927,545</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>6</u>

REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
Interest added to depositors' accounts closed during the year	.. ..	6,472	1	2
Interest added to depositors' open accounts	.. ..	206,006	9	3
Interest on Provident Fund Accounts	.. ..	309	7	11
Balance—Gross profit	.. ..	91,502	10	0
		<u>£304,290</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>
Cr.		£	s.	d.
Interest on mortgages	.. ..	164,161	3	6
Interest on debentures	.. ..	111,622	9	6
Interest on fixed deposit with Bank of New Zealand	.. ..	4,537	16	1
Interest on working account with Bank of New Zealand	.. ..	22,813	15	3
Rent	.. ..	1,155	10	0
		<u>£304,290</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
Charges (ordinary)	.. ..	23,513	14	1
Charges (Provident Fund)	.. ..	1,880	13	10
Balance—Net profit	.. ..	66,108	2	1
		<u>£91,502</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>
Cr.		£	s.	d.
Gross profit	.. ..	£91,502	10	0

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Dr.		£	s.	d.
Premises (written off)	.. ..	3,844	14	4
Furniture and fittings (written off)	.. ..	1,323	18	1
Transfer Securities in Course of Realization Account	.. ..	10,000	0	0
Transfer to Reserve and Investment Fluctuation Account	.. ..	47,055	11	7
Balance forward	.. ..	6,188	18	8
		<u>£68,413</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>

	Cr.		£ s. d.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
By Balance 1st April, 1927	20,055	0 7		
Less donations paid ..	17,750	0 0		
			2,305	0 7
By Net profit for year ended 31st March, 1928			66,108	2 1
			<u>£68,413</u>	<u>2 8</u>

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 1928.

Assets.		£	s. d.
First mortgages on freehold land	..	2,579,392	0 0
Interest accrued due .. ..	..	26,127	14 5
Investments at cost—			
New Zealand Government Inscribed Stock	1,274,736	0 0	
Local Bodies' debentures—			
Auckland Harbour Board	219,900	0 0	
Auckland City Council	388,680	0 0	
Waitemata County Council	26,300	0 0	
Mount Eden Borough Council	87,836	0 0	
Onehunga Borough Council	36,500	0 0	
Mount Albert Borough Council	48,000	0 0	
Pakuranga Road Board	700	0 0	
Ellerslie Town Board	5,000	0 0	
Whakatane Borough Council	16,500	0 0	
Manukau County Council	9,900	0 0	
Hamilton Borough Council	25,000	0 0	
Whangarei County Council	26,000	0 0	
Devonport Borough Council	17,500	0 0	
One Tree Hill Road Board	12,800	0 0	
Interest accrued on debentures to 31st March, 1928	20,298	18 0	
Rent accrued due	381	5 0	
Securities in course of realization	27,153	18 4	
Less reserve	10,000	0 0	
		17,153	18 4
Premises and property	70,000	0 0	
Furniture and fittings	6,000	0 0	
Fixed deposit—Bank of New Zealand	100,000	0 0	
Interest accrued	1,243	11 4	
Cash—Bank of New Zealand (working account)	613,661	16 2	
Cash in hand	29,291	18 6	
		<u>£5,658,903</u>	<u>1 9</u>

Liabilities.

Amount at credit of depositors—		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Savings-bank Ordinary Department ..	5,106,956	2 11			
Thrift Clubs Department ..	7,861	0 4			
Penny Bank Department ..	20,704	14 1			
Schools Banks Department ..	9,272	4 8			
			5,144,794	2 0	
Staff Provident Fund			7,920	1 1	
Reserve and Investment Fluctuation Account			500,000	0 0	
Profit and Loss Appropriation Account			6,188	18 8	
			<u>£5,658,903</u>	<u>1 9</u>	
Contingent liabilities on contracts (approximate): Head Office			80	0 0	
Three lamps branch			2,420	0 0	
			<u>£2,500</u>	<u>0 0</u>	

We hereby certify that, to the best of our belief, the above balance-sheet is correct.

CLEM. BARTLEY, Manager.
T. N. SMALLWOOD, Accountant.
C. ANDERSON, President.
ALFRED S. BANKART, Vice-president.

N. ALFRED NATHAN,
E. MITCHELSON,
H. GILFILLAN,
J. H. UPTON,
JOHN JENKIN,
R. E. ISAACS,
ALEXDR. HARRIS,
JOHN ALEXANDER,
E. A. BROWN,
GEO. W. SANDERS,
A. J. ENTRICAN,

Trustees.

We, the undersigned, being the auditors of the Auckland Savings-bank appointed in terms of section 4 of the

Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923, hereby certify—
(1) That we are satisfied that the foregoing balance-sheet has been properly drawn up from the books, accounts, and vouchers of the Savings-bank so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Savings-bank's affairs as at the 31st March, 1928, in accordance with the requirements of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923.
(2) That we have verified the cash, investments, securities, and assets of the Savings-bank as at the 31st March, 1928.
(3) That we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required.
(4) That the manager has certified that all the requirements of the Savings-banks Act, 1908, and amendments, have been complied with.

W. WALLACE BRUCE, F.I.A. (N.Z.),
F. C. BUDDLE, A.P.A. (N.Z.), } Auditors.

Approved—

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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Dunedin Savings-bank.

RECEIPTS and Payments Account for the year ended 31st March, 1928:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s. d.
To Balance as at 1st April, 1928		76,790	17 11
Lodged by depositors —			
Head Office	588,196	3 3	
South Dunedin Branch	159,783	7 4	
North Dunedin Branch	108,754	19 2	
		<u>856,734</u>	<u>9 9</u>
Interest on loans		54,033	7 8
Insurance premiums		397	9 10
Loans repaid		54,166	11 7
Debenture interest		27,966	3 9
Rents		1,220	14 2
Debenture		500	0 0
Building		852	10 0
Valuation fees		52	10 0
Fines		10	5 0
Charges		39	6 5
Bank interest		2,786	19 0
Suspense		50	0 0
		<u>£1,075,601</u>	<u>5 1</u>

PAYMENTS.

By Withdrawals by depositors—		£	s. d.
Head Office	548,059	19 11	
South Dunedin Branch	123,112	4 2	
North Dunedin Branch	73,242	3 3	
		<u>744,414</u>	<u>7 4</u>
Charges		4,714	0 5
Insurance premiums		898	12 10
Loans granted		152,615	5 5
Valuation fees		52	10 0
Trustees' fees		176	0 0
Office Furniture		724	5 3
Property Suspense		14	1 8
Debentures		71,997	15 0
Debenture interest		120	13 11
Building		6,213	14 4
Tenants		101	9 2
Grant—Dunedin Free Public Library		1,000	0 0
University of Otago		1,000	0 0
Balance		<u>92,058</u>	<u>9 9</u>
		<u>£1,075,601</u>	<u>5 1</u>

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1928.

Dr.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Interest credited to depositors—					
Head Office	46,124	4 8			
South Dunedin Branch	13,356	16 10			
North Dunedin Branch	7,811	2 9			
			67,292	4 3	
Charges, including rent of office, salaries, trustees' fees, and branch charges			4,888	4 0	
Depreciation—Office Furniture			70	18 3	
Transfer to Property Suspense Account			4,000	0 0	
Balance transferred to Appropriation Account			11,305	6 1	
			<u>£87,556</u>	<u>12 7</u>	

	<i>Cr.</i>						
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Interest on loans ..		54,727	4	3			
Interest on debentures ..		28,966	4	2			
Interest on deposits ..		2,796	4	2			
					86,489	12	7
Rents					1,056	15	0
Fines					10	5	0
					<u>£87,556</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>7</u>

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

	<i>Dr.</i>						
		£	s.	d.			
To Grant—Dunedin Free Public Library ..		1,000	0	0			
University of Otago		1,000	0	0			
Transfer to Retiring Officers' Benefit Fund		500	0	0			
Balance		76,013	2	8			
					<u>£78,513</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>

	<i>Cr.</i>						
		£	s.	d.			
By Balance, 1st April, 1928		67,207	16	7			
Transfer from Profit and Loss Account ..		11,305	6	1			
					<u>£78,513</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1928.

		<i>Liabilities.</i>				
Amount at credit of 19,548	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
depositors—						
14,225, Head Office ..	1,074,303	2	11			
3,307, South Dunedin						
Branch	317,555	13	4			
2,016, North Dunedin						
Branch	188,535	17	3			
				1,580,394	13	6
Retiring Officers' Benefit Fund				500	0	0
Promised Benefactions Account				1,000	0	0
Property Suspense Account				2,998	9	5
Debenture Premium Account				1,882	6	2
Suspense Account				10	0	0
Profit and Loss Appropriation Account ..				76,013	2	8
				<u>£1,662,798</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>
		<i>Assets.</i>				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Loans on mortgage	970,355	5	3			
Accrued interest	13,663	15	1			
				984,019	0	4
Rents accrued				280	0	0
Office furniture	1,070	18	3			
Less Depreciation	70	18	3			
				1,000	0	0
Land and building				30,079	4	11
Debentures—						
New Zealand Government	5,000	0	0			
New Zealand War Bonds	53,450	0	0			
Local Bodies	473,472	2	1			
Accrued interest	6,603	14	8			
				538,525	16	9
Fixed deposits	16,500	0	0			
Accrued interest	336	0	0			
				16,836	0	0
Cash at bank	97,487	12	11			
Less outstanding cheques	5,429	3	2			
				92,058	9	9
				<u>£1,662,798</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>

G. L. DENNISTON, President.
 ERNEST A. ROSEVEAR, Vice-President.
 C. W. CHAMBERLAIN,
 DAVID LARNACH,
 THOS. C. HARRISON,
 JOHN H. F. HAMEL,
 G. LAWRENCE,
 J. B. SHACKLOCK, } Trustees.

We, William Brown & Co., and Thos. Moodie, being the auditors of the Dunedin Savings-bank, appointed in terms of section 4 of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923, hereby certify: (1) That we are satisfied that the foregoing balance-sheet has been properly drawn up from the books, accounts, and vouchers of the Savings-bank so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Savings-bank's affairs as at the date hereof, in accordance with the requirements of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923. (2) That

we have verified the cash, investments, securities, and assets of the Savings-bank, as at the date of the balance-sheet. (3) That we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. (4) That we have received from the manager a certificate to the effect that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the terms of the Savings-banks Act, 1908, and amendments, have been complied with, excepting section 20 of the principal Act and section 44 of the Finance Act, 1921.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.
 THOS MOODIE,

Dunedin, 23rd April, 1928.

Approved—

562 CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

Invercargill Savings-bank.

RECEIPTS and Payments Account for the year ended 31st March, 1928:—

	<i>RECEIPTS.</i>				
		£	s.	d.	
Cash in hand, 1st April, 1927		58,621	10	7	
Amount lodged by depositors		720,775	8	1	
Interest added during the year		564	17	8	
Interest added, 31st March		18,080	12	6	
Interest received on mortgages		26,061	12	3	
Interest received on fixed deposits ..		1,200	0	0	
Interest received on War Loans		560	0	0	
Bank Premises Rents Account		89	14	0	
Mortgages repaid		3,070	15	0	
Valuation fees		252	11	6	
Insurance premiums		55	14	7	
Legal expenses		130	12	8	
Rates and Power Board charges		279	17	0	
Exchanges		0	11	0	
		<u>£829,743</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>10</u>	
	<i>PAYMENTS.</i>				
		£	s.	d.	
Invested on first mortgage		74,870	0	0	
Repaid depositors		648,880	13	6	
Interest credited to depositors		18,645	10	2	
Charges Account		3,947	0	2	
Property Suspense Account		1,489	8	5	
Bonus to staff		63	5	0	
Bank premises		10,075	7	9	
Bank furniture		749	2	2	
Valuation fees		275	19	6	
Insurance premiums		70	17	6	
Legal expenses		152	12	5	
Rates and Power Board charges		360	9	10	
Exchanges		1	19	9	
Cash in hand and at Banks		70,161	10	8	
		<u>£829,743</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>10</u>	

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

	<i>Dr.</i>				
		£	s.	d.	
Interest paid during year		564	17	8	
Interest added at 31st March		18,080	12	6	
Charges Account		3,947	0	2	
Suspense Account		142	12	3	
Profit for the year		4,245	10	2	
		<u>£26,980</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>	

	<i>Cr.</i>				
		£	s.	d.	
Interest on investments received and accrued		26,890	18	9	
Bank Premises Rents Account		89	14	0	
		<u>£26,980</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>	

PROFIT AND LOSS APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

	<i>Dr.</i>				
		£	s.	d.	
Transfer to Property Suspense Account ..		2,000	0	0	
Bonus to staff		63	5	0	
Depreciation on furniture		47	8	0	
Balance		26,789	13	10	
		<u>£28,900</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>	

Cr.	£	s.	d.
Amount at credit of Profit and Loss Account, 31st March, 1927	24,654	16	8
Profit for the year	4,245	10	2
	<u>£28,900</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>10</u>

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1928.

<i>Assets.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
Invested in New Zealand Government War Loans	12,000	0	0
Accrued interest	191	16	0
Invested in first mortgage	451,579	8	5
Accrued interest	4,758	13	6
National Bank of New Zealand fixed deposits	28,000	0	0
Accrued interest	250	16	8
National Bank and Bank of New Zealand current accounts	24,876	11	9
Bank furniture	£948	9	0
Less depreciation	47	8	0
	<u>901</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>
Bank premises	15,580	17	0
Cash in hand	17,284	18	11
	<u>£555,424</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>

<i>Liabilities.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
Amount at credit of depositors	528,123	17	10
Property Suspense Account	510	11	7
Balance of Profit and Loss Appropriation Account	26,789	13	10
	<u>£555,424</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>

N. A. BRODRICK, Manager.
H. R. WILLCOX, Accountant.

We hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct balance-sheet.

C. J. BROAD, President.

WILLIAM A. OTT,
R. H. BRODRICK,
W. MACALISTER,
ADAM HAMILTON,
J. GILKISON, } Trustees.

We, Denniston Cuthbertson and Charles Edward Hannah, being the auditors of the Invercargill Savings-bank, appointed in terms of section 4 of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923, hereby certify—(1) That we are satisfied that the foregoing balance-sheet has been properly drawn up from the books, accounts, and vouchers of the Savings-bank so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Savings-bank's affairs as at the date thereof, in accordance with the requirements of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923. (2) That we have verified the cash, investments, securities, and assets of the Savings-bank as at the date of the balance-sheet. (3) That we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. (4) That the manager has certified that all the requirements of the Savings-banks Act, 1908, and amendments, have been complied with, with the exception of section 18, subsection (1) and section 20.

D. CUTHBERTSON, F.P.A. (N.Z.),
CHAS. E. HANNAH, A.P.A. (N.Z.), } Auditors.

Approved—

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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Hokitika Savings-bank.

RECEIPTS and Payments Account for the year ended 31st March, 1928:—

RECEIPTS.			
	£	s.	d.
Cash in banks on 31st March, 1927—			
On fixed deposit	26,885	0	0
On current account	1,602	9	1
Amount lodged by depositors	46,409	17	9
Interest credited during period	190	14	9
Interest for year ended 31st March, 1928	4,360	0	0
Office account (rent)	51	0	0
Interest on fixed deposits	1,229	19	9
Interest on mortgages	4,624	17	4
Interest on Inscribed Stock and Bonds	916	7	5
Interest on Westland County debentures	181	1	0
Mortgages repaid	10,035	2	1
Westland County debentures repaid	607	0	0
Government Bonds repaid	8,050	0	0
	<u>£105,143</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>

PAYMENTS.			
	£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	47,402	7	9
Interest credited depositors	4,550	14	9
Invested on mortgage	16,903	2	11
Charges	972	8	11
Cash in Bank of New South Wales—			
On open account	7,507	1	10
On fixed deposit	9,900	0	0
Cash in Bank of New Zealand—			
On open account	12	1	3
On fixed deposit	8,340	0	0
Cash in National Bank of N.Z. (Limited)—			
On open account	0	7	4
On fixed deposit	7,950	0	0
Office furniture	55	2	0
Doubtful Debts Suspense Account	1,550	2	5
	<u>£105,143</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

<i>Dr.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
To Amount written off mortgages against loss or probable loss	1,143	1	7
Charges	921	8	11
Balance carried forward	20,308	16	5
	<u>£22,373</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>

<i>Cr.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
Amount at credit of Profit and Loss Account, 1st April, 1927	19,875	12	8
Interest Account	2,497	14	3
	<u>£22,373</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>11</u>

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1928.

<i>Assets.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
First mortgage on freehold land	76,706	9	8
Inscribed stock and debentures at cost	14,000	0	0
Westland County debentures at cost	2,756	0	0
Doubtful Debts Account	407	0	10
Fixed deposit, Bank of New South Wales	9,900	0	0
Fixed deposit, Bank of New Zealand	8,340	0	0
Fixed deposit, National Bank of New Zealand	7,950	0	0
Cash on current account, Bank of New South Wales	7,507	1	10
Cash on current account, Bank of New Zealand	12	1	3
Cash on current account, National Bank of New Zealand	0	7	4
Bank premises and office furniture	3,080	2	0
Interest accrued	1,443	1	0
	<u>£132,102</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>

<i>Liabilities.</i>			
	£	s.	d.
Amount due depositors	111,793	7	6
Balance Profit and Loss Account	20,308	16	5
	<u>£132,102</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>

ALEX. AITKEN, Acting Manager.

We hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge and belief the above balance-sheet is correct.

H. L. MICHEL,
C. EVANS,
GEORGE PERRY,
J. D. LYNCH,
D. J. EVANS,
W. E. WILLIAMS,
E. TEICHELHANN, } Trustees.

I, John Hamilton Wilson, being the auditor of the Hokitika Savings-bank, appointed in terms of section 4 of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923, hereby certify—(1) That I am satisfied that the foregoing balance-sheet has been properly drawn up from the books, accounts, and vouchers of the Savings-bank so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Savings-bank's affairs as at the date thereof, in accordance with the requirements of the Savings-banks Amendment Act, 1923. (2) That I have verified the cash, investments, securities, and assets of the Savings-bank as at the date of the balance-sheet. (3) That I have obtained all the information and explanations I have required. (4) That the manager has certified that all the requirements of the Savings-banks Act, 1908, and amendments, have been complied with.

J. H. WILSON, A.P.A. (N.Z.), Auditor.

Hokitika, 26th April, 1928.

Approved—

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, STUART BAIN MACKAY, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, 1928, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 7th July, 1928, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Auckland.

STUART BAIN MACKAY,
Auckland Hospital.

Dated at Auckland, 7th June, 1928. 559

THE MANUKAU PERPETUAL FLAX CO., LTD.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of MANUKAU PERPETUAL FLAX CO., LTD. (in liquidation).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above-named company duly convened and held at Auckland on the 9th day of May, 1928, the following extraordinary resolution was passed:—

“That it having been 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 same, it is hereby resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. GEORGE W. HUTCHISON, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

GEO. W. HUTCHISON,
Liquidator.

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THE UPPER HARBOUR FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

THE following resolution was passed as a special resolution under section 168, subsection (6), of the Companies Act, 1908, at a meeting held on the 31st May, 1928.

- (a) “That it is advisable that the company be reconstructed with a view to acquiring further vessels, to be used in connection with the company’s operations:
- (b) “That the directors be authorized to procure the formation and incorporation of a new company with a capital of £4,000, divided into 4,000 shares of £1 each, having as one of its objects the acquisition of the oil vessel ‘Wynona,’ at present owned by this company, and of the oil vessels ‘Tawa’ and ‘Twig,’ owned by Robert Henry Meynell:
- (c) “That for the purpose of carrying the above objects into effect it is further resolved that the present company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and that FREDERICK MORTIMER, Secretary of the company, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated at Auckland, this 31st day of May, 1928.

565 FREDERICK MORTIMER, Secretary.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF CANTERBURY COLLEGE ELECTED.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to regulations for the conduct of elections of members of the Board of Governors of Canterbury College, that, at the elections held on the 4th June, 1928, the following were the persons elected and the respective classes of electors by whom they were elected:—

Robert Heaton Rhodes,
elected by Canterbury Members of the Legislature.

John Guthrie and John Rogerson Montgomery,
elected by the Graduates of the College.

Lawrence Berry Wood,
elected by the School-teachers of the Canterbury Provincial District.

Henry Dyke Acland,
elected by the School Committees in the Canterbury Provincial District.
Canterbury College, 11th June, 1928.

566 C. C. KEMP, Returning Officer.

I, ALFRED IBBOTSON, General Manager of the Perpetual Trustees, Estate, and Agency Company of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare—

- 1. That the liability of the members is limited.
- 2. That the capital of the company is £106,250, divided into 25,000 shares of £4 5s.
- 3. That the number of shares issued is 25,000.
- 4. That calls to the amount of 16s. per share have been made, under which the sum of £20,000 has been received.
- 5. That the amount of moneys received on account of estates under administration during the half-year ended 30th April, 1928, is £232,970 8s. 7d.
- 6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates under administration during the half-year ended 30th April 1928, is £237,551 0s. 5d.
- 7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration during the half-year ended 30th April, 1928, is £42,731 5s. 1d.
- 8. That the liabilities of the company on the 1st day of May last were debts owing to sundry persons by the company, viz.: On judgment, nil; on specialty, nil; no notes or bills, nil; on simple contracts, £96,268 14s. 1d; on estimated liabilities, nil.
- 9. That the assets of the company on that date were: Government securities, £10,350; other securities, £112,321 4s. 9d.; bills of exchange and promissory notes, nil; cash at bankers and on deposit, £20,104 0s. 6d.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intitled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. IBBOTSON.

Declared by the said Alfred Ibbotson, at Dunedin, this 8th day of June, 1928, before me,—George Fenwick, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand. 567

CLIFTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

Wai-iti Loan.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 17 of the Local Bodies’ Loans Act, 1926, the Counties Act, 1920, and the amendments thereof, and any other Acts it enabling, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the Wai-iti Special-rating Area, as testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers of the said special-rating area, the capital value of whose properties as appearing on the valuation roll of the said district is collectively greater than the capital value of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Clifton County Council hereby resolves that, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of three hundred and fifty pounds (£350), authorized to be raised by the said Council under the above-mentioned Acts for the purposes of the formation and metalling of the Wai-iti Road and the purposes incidental thereto, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of a penny (¾d.) in the pound upon the rateable property of the said Wai-iti Special-rating Area, comprising part Sections 9, 10, 11, and 63, and Sections 13, 14, 16/24, 36/39, and 76 of Block X, Mimi Survey District, and that special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan and be payable on the 1st days of February and August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above resolution was duly passed in accordance with the Counties Act, 1920, and its amendments, at a meeting of the Clifton County Council held on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1928.

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H. A. FOREMAN, Chairman.

TE ARO HOUSE DRAPERY CO., LTD.

THE above company having ceased to carry on business in New Zealand, all claims against the company must be rendered not later than 30th June, 1928.

THE TE ARO HOUSE DRAPERY CO., LTD.,

By its Attorney—
ARTHUR T. CLARKE.

Care of Clarke, Menzies, Griffin, and Ross,
Public Accountants,

87 The Terrace, Wellington.

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BOROUGH OF TAKAPUNA.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that the body corporate called the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Takapuna proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the widening of Marine Terrace, a street in the Borough of Takapuna—and for the purpose of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken: And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the office of the Borough Council, situate in Lake Road in Takapuna, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during office hours.

All persons effected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such land who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said land must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Town Clerk of the said Council at the said office.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate area of parcel of land to be taken : 3.1 perches. Being part of Lot 5 of part of Allotment 10 of Section 1, Parish of Takapuna, and situate in the Borough of Takapuna. Coloured on plan : Red. Deposited plan No. 4787.

Dated at Takapuna, this 8th day of June, 1928.

J. W. WILLIAMSON,

571 Mayor of the Borough of Takapuna.

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