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Lands proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Lands.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, as amended by section ten of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1926, it is enacted that on the disposal of any national-endowment land by way of sale, or on the acquisition of the fee-simple of any such land, the Governor-General may by Proclamation declare that such land shall, as from a date to be specified in the Proclamation, cease to be national-endowment land:

And whereas the fee-simple of the lands described in the Schedule hereto (being lands heretofore held under the tenures specified in the said Schedule) has been acquired, and it is expedient that the said lands should cease to be national-endowment lands:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the aforesaid section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the dates specified in the Schedule hereto the lands described in the said Schedule which were set apart as national-endowment lands under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, ceased to be national-endowment lands.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL-ENDOWMENT LAND.
ALLOTMENT 238, Apata Parish: Area, 18 acres. Tenure: Not previously held on any tenure. Date: 27th May, 1931.
Section 28, Block XIII, Tuhua Survey District: Area, 10 acres 3 roods 9 perches. Tenure: Not previously held on any tenure. Date: 17th September, 1930.
Part Section 1, Block V, Piako Survey District: Area, 100 acres 3 roods 14 perches. (S.O. plan 25698). Tenure: Not previously held on any tenure. Date: 1st April, 1931.
Allotments 59 and 60 and part of Allotments 55, 56, 57, and 58, Karamu Parish: Area, 289 acres 0 roods 23.4 perches. Tenure: Not previously held on any tenure. Date: 13th April, 1931.

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 September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 26/25010; 7/581/3; X/92/53; 22/3724.)

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Land set apart as an Addition to a Township Reserve.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section nine of section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land comprised in the piece of closed road described in the First Schedule hereto, being an area intersecting the reserve for township purposes described in the Second Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be added to the said reserve.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 13 perches, more or less, situated in Block XV, Stonyhurst Survey District, and being part of the road closed by Proclamation dated the 17th day of July, 1931, and published in the *Gazette* of the 23rd day of that month: Bounded towards the north-east by part of Reserve Number 159, 1152.65 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 161.4 links; and again towards the south-west by part of Reserve Number 159, 415.5 links, and by a public road, 330.9 and 288.8 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/908B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 294 acres 0 roods 26 perches, being part of Reserve Number 159, Block XV, Stonyhurst Survey District, and being part of the said reserve permanently set aside for township purposes by notice published in the *Canterbury Provincial Gazette* of the 17th day of February, 1866. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/908C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, 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 September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 1/908.)

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

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, 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, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, 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 No. 67, set apart by Proclamation dated the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and gazetted on the second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, 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 gazetted hereof, cease to be provisional State forest, and shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 25, Block VII, Manganui Survey District: Area, 8 acres 2 roods 21 perches. (Bordered red on S.O. plan 205/16.)

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 14th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 6/1/493.)

Land set apart as a Permanent State Forest.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section eighteen of the Forests Act, 1921-22, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto as a permanent State forest.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

State Forest No. 95.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, being Section 19, Block III, Dart Survey District, and bounded generally as follows: Towards the north and east by Run 18, Block III aforesaid (Provisional State Forest No. 29, Gazette, 1919, page 1291); towards the south-east and south-west by a road; and towards the west by Section 7, Block III aforesaid. As the same is more particularly delineated on plan No. 172/2, deposited in the Head Office of the State Forest Service 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 8th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM,
Commissioner of State Forests.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, 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, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, 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 part of Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1622, set apart by Proclamation dated the eleventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and gazetted on the fourteenth day of that month, 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 gazetted hereof, cease to be 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 by admeasurement 69 acres, more or less, being Section 1665, Block II, Kanieri Survey District, and also being part of Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1622. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 9/2668, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered 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 14th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 9/2668.)

Land reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, 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, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, 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.

SECTION 59, Block V, Mount Fyffe Survey District: Area, 142 acres, more or less.

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 September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 505.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Worker's Dwelling in Block VII, Maungaru Survey District, Hobson County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a worker's dwelling, and shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hobson, as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 2 roods. Being Lot 165 on D.P. 9180, being portion of Omana Block.

Situated in Block VII, Maungaru Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 25767.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 78869, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 2/118.)

Additional Land taken for the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway (Rangiahua Section) and for Road-diversions in connection therewith (35 m. 35 ch. to 38 m. 6 ch.).

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the additional land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway (Rangiahua Section) and for road-diversions in connection therewith.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan.
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P.					
0 1 2-0	Road	V	Omapere ..	P.W.D. 82075	.. Green.
0 1 11-6	"	"	" ..	"	.. "
0 2 5-5	" (S.O. 25849.)	"	" ..	"	.. "
FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.					
0 0 5-1	Whakanekeneke D No. 3B ..	V	Omapere ..	P.W.D. 82075	.. Yellow.
0 3 25-6	" D No. 2 ..	"	" ..	"	.. Blue.
0 3 39-9	" " B" ..	"	" ..	"	.. Red.
3 0 28-5	" Pt. D No. 1 ..	"	" ..	"	.. Yellow.
0 0 0-9	Pt. Whakanekeneke Block ..	"	" ..	"	.. Blue.
0 0 24-2	Whakanekeneke Pt. D No. 1 ..	"	" ..	"	.. Red.
0 1 10-1	" Pt. D No. 1 ..	"	" ..	"	.. "
0 0 0-2	Whakanekeneke Pt. D No. 1 on D.P. 12128 (S.O. 25849.)	"	" ..	"	.. Yellow.
0 0 10-0	Part Section 13 (S.O. 25865.)	VIII	Mangamuka ..	P.W.D. 82076	.. Blue.
0 0 35-0	} Part Section 1	V	Omapere ..	P.W.D. 82077	.. Yellow.
0 3 30-0					
0 2 31-0	} Section 25	"	"	"	.. Red.
0 0 13-0					
1 2 26-0	} Part Section 22	"	"	"	.. Blue.
0 0 5-8					
0 0 28-0					
0 0 1-1	} Part Ngamahanga No. 1 Block ..	"	"	"	.. Yellow.
1 1 17-0					
0 0 0-5	} Part Section 13 (S.O. 25863.) (Auckland R.D.)	VIII	Mangamuka	"	.. Blue.
1 0 25-0					

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, 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 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 2/90.)

Defining the Middle-line of a Road in Block XII, Drury Survey District—viz., Portion of the Great South Road Main Highway, Franklin County Section (Wright's Deviation).

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of a road desired to be constructed over Block XII, Drury Survey District—viz., portion of the Great South Road Main Highway (Franklin County Section), shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point on the Great South Road Main Highway, about 7 chains 50 links south of the southern boundary of Allotment 47, Parish of Opaheke, Block XII, Drury Survey

District, and proceeding in a south-easterly direction generally for a distance of approximately 51 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., part Allotment 49 and parts Allotment 50, Parish of Opaheke, and terminating at a point on the said Great South Road Main Highway, approximately 13 chains north of the northern boundary of Allotment 51, Parish of Opaheke, Block XII, Drury Survey District; including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the North Auckland Land District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82569, 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 17th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/2/1/34.)

Land taken for the Purposes of, and Access to, a Substation-site in the City of Christchurch.

[L.S.] **BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.**
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a substation-site and access thereto, subject as to the area secondly described in the said Schedule to the rights-of-way in respect thereof or of parts thereof created by outstanding conveyances registered Nos. 79512, 91646, and 6847, and by applications registered Nos. 7118, 8026, 8778, 9027, and 10757, and to such other particular estates and interests (if any) to which the same is now subject, and shall vest (subject as aforesaid) in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Christchurch as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken :—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	0	2.3	Town Section 894.
0	0	13.8	Town Sections 893 and 894. (Canterbury R.D.), (City of Christchurch). (S.P. 2215.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82121, 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 26th day of August, 1931.

A. J. MURDOCH,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 26/318/3.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIV, Opuawhanga Survey District.

[L.S.] **BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.**
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken :—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	2	8	Matapouri No. 1 Block; coloured red.
0	3	26	Land below M.H.W.M., Wairoa Creek; coloured purple.
0	0	10	Matapouri No. 2 Block; coloured yellow.
0	2	34	" No. 2 " "
0	0	11	" No. 2 " "
0	0	11	Parangarahu Part B, Section 2; coloured red.
0	3	28	Part Parangarahu Block; coloured blue.

Situated in Block XIV, Opuawhanga Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 25819.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 80796, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 33/1225.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XI, Mangatu Survey District, Waikohu County.

[L.S.] **BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.**
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken :—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
8	3	0	Section 3 of Subdivision 4, Mangatu No. 1 Block; coloured pink.
0	2	28	Section 0 of Subdivision 4, Mangatu No. 1 Block; coloured violet.

Situated in Block XI, Mangatu Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1390, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82428, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 36/659.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Blocks VI and X, Mawheranui Survey District, Grey County.

[L.S.] **BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.**
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken :—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
3	1	22.2	Section 673, Block X; coloured pink.
0	0	18.9	" 107, " X; " yellow. (S.O. 2905.) (P.W.D. 82307.)
3	3	9.1	Section 3260, Block VI; coloured pink.
0	3	5.5	" 3259, " VI; " yellow. (S.O. 2906.) (P.W.D. 82308.)

Situated in Mawheranui Survey District (Westland R.D.).

In the Westland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 44/678.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XV, Mount Robinson Survey District, Horowhenua County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—
A. R. P. Being Portion of
0 0 13·0 Section 1A No. 16, Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 3 Block; coloured pink.
0 0 9·6 Section 14; coloured blue.

Situated in Block XV, Mount Robinson Survey District. (S.O. 2626.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82439, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/9/60/12.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XIII, Tengawai Survey District, Mackenzie County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Tengawai 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: 2 acres 2 roods 23 perches.
Being portion of Rural Sections 20253, 27555, and 28064; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 6 acres 2 roods 31 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Rural Sections 24927 and 27984; coloured green.

All situated in Block XIII, Tengawai Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 953/463.)

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82062, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 45/761.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XI and XII, Otahoua Survey District, Masterton County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Otahoua 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
0 0 5·6	} Lot 1, D.P. 5017, being part Section 84, Block XI; coloured red.
0 0 3·0	

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0 0 22·0	} Lot 1, D.P. 5017, being part Section 84, Block XI; coloured green.
0 0 0·03	
0 0 1·1	} Lot 1, D.P. 5017, being part Section 602, Block XII; coloured green.

All situated in Otahoua Survey District. (S.O. 2698.)

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82383, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/10/65/4.)

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XVI, Motueka Survey District, Waimea County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Motueka Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R. P.	Being Portion of
0 0 39·6	} Section 93, Moutere Original District; coloured pink.
0 0 1·0	
0 0 3·0	} Section IV, Moutere Original District; coloured yellow.
0 0 5·0	
} River-bed (C.L.); coloured purple.	

Situated in Block XVI, Motueka Survey District (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 737R.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82289, 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 9th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 42/399.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XI and XV, Motu Survey District, and Block III, Ngatapa Survey District, Waikohu County.

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Motu and Ngatapa Survey Districts 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.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 0 0 3·7 0 3 14·4	Section 7 " 1 (S.O. 1376, brown.)	XV III	Motu Ngatapa	P.W.D. 78318 "	Violet. Blue.
0 0 28·3 0 2 34·2 0 0 11·0 0 0 22·1 0 0 22·7 1 0 23·2	} Section 5 Section 11 Lot 1 of Section 6	{ XI and XV XV "	} Motu "	P.W.D. 78562 "	Yellow. Violet.
0 0 8·6 1 3 30·4 0 0 1·5						Section 4 .. .. Section 11 .. .. Section 5 .. ..	XI	" .. .. " .. .. " .. ..	" " .. .. Blue.
0 2 1·8 0 0 13·1 1 0 8·7 0 0 20·8	} Section 12 (S.O. 1379, brown.) (Gisborne R.D.)	"	"	"	Violet.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block.	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan.	Coloured on Plan.
A. B. P. 0 0 25·0	Sections 11 and 13, Rakauroa Township	XV	Motu	P.W.D. 78318	Green.
9 3 23·0 0 3 36·0 5 2 11·0 0 0 13·8 0 0 15·1 0 0 5·2	} Section 7 Section 1A (Cemetery Reserve) Section 1 (S.O. 1376, brown.)	" III	" Ngatapa "	" " "	" " "
0 1 21·6 1 3 15·0						Section 11 .. .. Sections 5 and 11 .. .. (S.O. 1379, brown.) (Gisborne R.D.)	XI "	Motu .. .. " .. ..	P.W.D. 78562 "	" .. .. " .. ..

All in the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/4/15/5.)

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block X, Hope Survey District, Murchison County.

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Hope Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 rood 16 perches.
Being portion of Section 6.

Situated in Block X, Hope Survey District (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 732B.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82024, 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 9th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 42/81/2.)

Stopping Government Roads in Block XII, Drury Survey District, and Block I, Maramarua Survey District.

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government roads described in the Schedule hereto, such roads being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Roads hereby stopped.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 4.0 0 0 1.1 0 0 18.0 0 2 15.3 0 0 3.1 0 1 20.2 0 2 32.2 0 0 0.3	Part Lot B on D.P. 6559, being part Allotment 2	XII	Drury ..	P.W.D. 79562	Green.
	Part Lot B on D.P. 6559, being part Allotment 3	"	" ..	"	Blue. Green.
	Part Lot B on D.P. 6559, being part Allotment 2	"	" ..	"	Green.
	Part Lot C on D.P. 6559, being part Allotment 3 (S.O. 25585.)	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 24.4 0 0 25.5 0 1 24.4	Part Allotment 190 (S.O. 25581.) (Parish of Mangatawhiri), (Auckland R.D.).	I	Maramarua ..	P.W.D. 79561	Green.

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and 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 Seal of that Dominion, this 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/2/1/25.)

Stopping a Government Road in Block V, Waitemata Survey District.

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government road described in the Schedule hereto, such road being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0 2 29	Lot 3, D.P. 8948, being part Ihumatao Block; coloured green.
0 0 13	Road adjoining Lot 3, D.P. 8948, being part Ihumatao Block; coloured red.

Situated in Block V, Waitemata Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 25311.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 79533, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/2/13/7.)

Stopping a Government Road in Block XI, Hukerenui Survey District.

[L.S.]

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government road described in the Schedule hereto, such road being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped:

1 acre 2 roods 27.7 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 25 and 26.

Situated in Block XI, Hukerenui Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 26373.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82240, 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 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/1/7/5.)

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a further Portion of the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway (Portion of Okoro and Rangiahua Sections), and for Road-diversions in connection therewith, and a Road-approach thereto.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the twentieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 28, of the twenty-sixth day of the same month, taking land for a further portion of the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway (portion of Okoro and Rangiahua Sections) and for road-diversions in connection therewith and a road-approach thereto as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land affected: 1 rood 7 perches.

Being part Lot 2, D.P. 14639, being portion O.L.C. 79, Tarawaua, and part of a closed road.

Situated in Block VIII, Mangamuka Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 25865.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82076, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works 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 14th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 2/90.)

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a further Portion of the Westport-Inangahua Railway (Portions of Hawk's Crag and Orikaka Sections).

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 46, of the eleventh day of the same month, taking land for a further portion of the Westport-Inangahua Railway, portions of Hawk's Crag and Orikaka Sections, as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land affected:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	1	9.8	Road, Block IV. (S.O. 255 Ry.) (P.W.D. 81426, sheet 7.)
0	0	34.0	Road, Block V. (S.O. 260 Ry.) (P.W.D. 81427, sheet 2.)

Situated in Inangahua Survey District.

In the Nelson 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 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 16/41.)

Portions of Roads closed in Block XIII, Taramarama Survey District, Wairoa County.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as closed the portions of roads in Taramarama Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	2	26	Section 6.
3	0	10.5	Kahotea West 1c 2 Block.
7	1	0	Section 3.
3	3	32	Section 4.
1	1	34	Kahotea West 2b Block.
5	2	34	Kahotea East No. 2 Block.
12	3	30.5	Section 5.

Situated in Block XIII, Taramarama Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1330, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 81082, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 36/34.)

Portion of Street closed in the City of Christchurch.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as closed the portion of street in the City of Christchurch described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of street closed: 4.02 perches. Adjoining or passing through Lot 12, D.P. 740, Town Reserve 32, part Town Reserve 133, and Lot 15, D.P. 124.

Situated in the City of Christchurch (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 2156.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82360, 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 10th day of September, 1931.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/1657.)

Land taken for Street-diversion in connection with the Auckland-Westfield Deviation Railway in the City of Auckland.

[L.S.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, 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 above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land : 3 acres 1 rood.
Portion of reclaimed land, Crown Grant 4D, 436, Block VIII,
Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland. (S.O. 26493,
blue.)

In the North Auckland Land District, as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L.O. 1534, deposited in the office of the Government Railway Board at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 10th day of September, 1931.

W. A. VEITCH, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L.O. 7236.)

Setting apart Tidal Lands for Disposal under Section 146 of the Harbours Act, 1923.

[L.s.] BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by section one hundred and forty-six of the Harbours Act, 1923, and of the regulations made thereunder, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act hereinbefore mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, Rodney County, containing approximately 50 acres, being Allotment 217, Mahurangi Parish, and being land below mean high-water mark of the Mahurangi Harbour, as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.D. 6961, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Auckland, and thereon edged red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General this 14th day of September, 1931.

JAS. B. DONALD, Minister of Marine.

Approved in Executive Council.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending the Apportionment of Representation on the Hawke's Bay Electric-power Board, and revoking previous Order in that behalf.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, and of every other power in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, revoking the Orders in Council dated the twenty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, in so far as they apportioned representation on the Hawke's Bay Electric-power Board, and amending the apportionment of representation thereon, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following provision for the apportionment of representation on the Hawke's Bay Electric-power Board :—

- (1) As from the date of the next general election of the representatives of the constituent district of Hawke's Bay County, the number of representatives of the said constituent district shall be five members.
- (2) As from the thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, the number of representatives of the constituent district of Napier Borough shall be three members.
- (3) As from the thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, the number of representatives of the constituent district of Hastings Borough shall be two members.

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- (4) As from the date of the next general election of representatives of the constituent district of Taradale Town District, the number of representatives of the said constituent district shall be one member.
- (5) The thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, is hereby appointed as the day on which one representative of the constituent district of Napier Borough and one representative of the constituent district of Hastings Borough shall retire from office.

F. D. THOMSON,

(P.W. 26/984.)

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending Rules under the Bankruptcy Act, 1908.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in this behalf enabling him, His Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and with the concurrence of the Honourable the Chief Justice and six of the other members of the Rules Committee constituted under the Judicature Amendment Act, 1930 (two of such other members being Judges of the Supreme Court), doth hereby amend the Rules under the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto and doth declare that such amendment shall take effect on and after the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

SCHEDULE.

1. RULE 6 of the rules made on the 21st day of March, 1893, and also the table of fees in the Appendix to such rules are revoked and the following rule is substituted therefor :—
6. The Registrar shall receive and take in respect of all matters or proceedings under the Act the same fees as are for the time being payable to Registrars pursuant to Rule 581 of the Code of Civil Procedure in respect of like matters or proceedings under the Judicature Act, 1908 : Provided, however, that the fee for filing a petition for adjudication, whether by debtor or creditor, shall be the sum of £6.
2. The rules made on the 31st day of July, 1922, prescribing the commission and remuneration to be paid to Assignees, are revoked, and the following rules are substituted therefor :—

RULES.

Assignee's Commission.

The commission to be paid into the Public Account out of the estate pursuant to section 171 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, shall be as follows :—

On the net value of the estate realized by the Assignee, but after deducting any sums paid to secured creditors out of the proceeds of or in respect of their securities—

On the first amount of £250 or any less sum : £12½ per cent. with a minimum of £3 3s.;

On the next £1,750 or any less sum : £6½ per cent.;

On all further sums : £3½ per cent. :

Provided that where the bankrupt's business is carried on by the Assignee, the commission shall be calculated on the gross receipts of such business.

In the case of partnerships, commission shall be payable in respect of the partnership estate computed apart from the separate estates of the bankrupts.

Deputy Assignee's Remuneration.

Remuneration pursuant to section 21 of the above-mentioned Act shall be paid out of the Assignee's commission to Deputy Assignees who are not members of the Public Service as follows :—

On the first amount of £250 or any less sum realized by the Deputy Assignee, calculated as above : £10 per cent. with a minimum of £3 3s.;

On the next £1,750 or any less sum : £5 per cent.;

On all further sums : £2½ per cent. :

Provided that the minimum remuneration of £3 3s. above mentioned shall be payable to the Deputy Assignee notwithstanding that the assets in the estate may be insufficient to produce such an amount as commission.

3. The rule made on the 5th day of September, 1893, is amended by adding thereto the following clause :—

- (3) Any resolution, certificate, or order, or any copy thereof, lodged or filed in the Court by the Assignee under Rule 34 of the rules made on the 21st day of March, 1893.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending the Regulations as to the Use of Nets for taking Fish in certain Waters.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and published in the *Gazette* of the eleventh day of the same month, at page 959, regulations were made regulating the use of nets for taking fish in certain waters :

And whereas it is expedient to amend the hereinbefore-recited regulations in the manner hereinafter prescribed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the fifth section of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke Regulation No. 9 of the hereinbefore-recited regulations, and doth hereby make the following regulation in lieu thereof.

REGULATION.

9. FOR the purposes of these regulations—

A "Danish seine net" is a net having a wing on each side of the cod-end or bag, with a warp attached to each wing, and which is operated by being drawn over the sea bottom or through the sea, the power for hauling in the net to the vessel being provided by a winch driven by an internal-combustion or steam engine. Such hauling operations shall be carried out only while the vessel is moored or anchored and not under way.

"Trawling" or "using a trawl net" means drawing a net over the sea bottom, or through the sea by means of one or more vessels under way.

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

Authorizing the Exchange of a Reserve in Town of Mangaweka, Wellington Land District, for other Land.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the First Schedule hereto is a reserve duly set apart for municipal purposes : And whereas it is expedient that the said land should be exchanged for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, which the Governor-General deems at least of equal value and more suitable for the purposes of the reserve :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section eight of the Public Reserves, Domains, and National Parks Acts, 1928, doth hereby declare that the land described in the First Schedule hereto may be exchanged for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF RESERVE AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

Wellington Land District.

SECTION 61, Town of Mangaweka : Area, 1 rood.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

Wellington Land District.

SECTION 34, Town of Mangaweka : Area, 1 rood.

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

(L. and S. 22/2582.)

By-laws relating to Picton Harbour.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by sections nine and two hundred and twenty-six of the Harbours Act, 1923, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following by-laws in respect of the Harbour of Picton ; and doth hereby order that such by-laws shall come into force on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and that they shall then supersede all by-laws theretofore existing in respect of the said harbour.

B Y - L A W S .

PILOTAGE.

1. THE following pilotage rates shall be payable by the owner, agent, or master of any vessel if any one of them shall have applied for or employed a pilot :—

(a) Steamers—			
Inward .. .. .	..	..	½d. per ton.
Outward .. .. .	..	..	½d. per ton.
(b) Sailing vessels—			
Inward .. .. .	..	..	1d. per ton.
Outward .. .. .	..	..	1d. per ton.

2. Pilotage is compulsory.

HARBOURMASTER'S FEES.

3. FOR removing vessels from one place to another within the harbour the Harbourmaster's fees shall be ½d. per ton for steamers and 1d. per ton for sailing vessels : Provided that any vessel which engages the service of a pilot and pays pilotage shall be exempt from Harbourmaster's fees.

PORT CHARGE.

4. ON every vessel over twenty tons net register, whether coming from seaward or not and whether propelled by steam or not, navigating or plying, whether for hire or not, there shall be payable a port charge of 1d. per ton on arrival : Provided that the maximum amount chargeable under this by-law shall not exceed one shilling per ton in any half-year in respect of each vessel.

GENERAL.

5. FOR the purposes of these by-laws tonnage shall be deemed to be the net registered tonnage of the ship as specified in her Certificate of Registry, with the addition of such amount of tonnage as may, pursuant to the provisions of section 63 of the Harbours Act, 1923, be added to the ship's registered tonnage.

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

Cancelling the Reservation over certain Reserves in the Auckland, Taranaki, Nelson, and Canterbury Land Districts.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by subsection one (b) of section seven of the Public Reserves, Domains, and National Parks Act, 1928, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby cancel the reservation over the lands described in the First, Second, Third, and Fourth Schedules hereto for the various public purposes set out at the end of the respective descriptions of the said lands, and doth hereby declare that the said lands, being vested in the Crown, are Crown lands available for disposal under the Land Act, 1924.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 141, Town of Alexandra East: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 24 perches (Municipal).
(L. and S. 9/2651.)

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 594, 596 to 600 (inclusive), and 626 to 632 (inclusive), Town of Stratford: Area, 3 acres 1 rood (For the use of the Department of Agriculture).
(L. and S. 6/3/373.)

THIRD SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 3, Block IV, Mawheraiti Survey District: Area, 172 acres 3 roods 25 perches (Stock).
(L. and S. 9/242.)

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 14 perches, more or less, and being part of Reserve Number 3085, situated in Block X, Alford Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by a river; towards the south-west by Crown land and Rural Section Number 36423; and towards the north-west by Chapman's Creek: save and except an intersecting road. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 28058c, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (For water-race, plantation, and internal-communication.)

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

(L and S. 28058.)

Consenting to stopping Portion of Road in Block X, Mangamuka Survey District, Hokianga County.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Hokianga County Council stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 1 acre 2 roods 38 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 31, 58, and 17A.

Situated in Block X, Mangamuka Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 26303.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82535, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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

(P.W. 33/1538.)

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of, and Access to, a Substation-site in the City of Christchurch.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 31st day of August, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting

by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes of a substation-site and access thereto, subject as to the area secondly described in the said Schedule to the rights-of-way in respect thereof or of parts thereof created by outstanding conveyances registered Nos. 79512, 91646, and 6847, and by applications registered Nos. 7118, 8026, 8778, 9027, and 10757, and to such other particular estates and interests (if any) to which the same is now subject.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	0	2.3	Town Section 894.
0	0	13.8	Town Sections 893 and 894. (Canterbury R.D.), (City of Christchurch). (S.P. 2215.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82121, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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

(P.W. 26/318/3.)

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XI, Mangatu Survey District, Waikohu County.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes of a road.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
8	3	0	Section 3 of Subdivision 4, Mangatu No. 1 Block; coloured pink.
0	2	28	Section 0 of Subdivision 4, Mangatu No. 1 Block; coloured violet.

Situated in Block XI, Mangatu Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1390, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District, as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82428, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

(P.W. 36/659.)

License authorizing the New Plymouth Borough Council to erect Electric Lines in the Borough of Waitara and Portions of the Taranaki and Inglewood Counties.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the New Plymouth Borough Council to lay, construct, put up, place, and use electric-lines within the areas of supply described in the Schedule hereto on the terms and conditions following.

CONDITIONS.

1. PURPOSES OF LINES.

The said lines may be used for lighting, power, and heating purposes.

2. LICENSES TO BE SUBJECT TO REGULATIONS.

The license hereby conferred is subject to compliance by the licensee with the regulations made under section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, on the 11th day of July, 1927, and published in the *Gazette* on the 12th day of the same month at page 2360 (hereinafter called "the said regulations"), and with all regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof.

3. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be the system described in paragraphs (a) and (e) of clause 5 of the said regulations. The voltage of transmission shall be 11,000 volts.

4. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 9d. per unit for lighting purposes, and 4d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes: Provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor-generators for lighting purposes. The wholesale charge for bulk supply shall not exceed £12 per kilowatt of maximum demand per annum. For the purposes of this license "bulk" supply shall be defined as one for which a consumer guarantees to pay not less than £120 per annum.

5. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license, unless sooner determined, whether by surrender of the license or by revocation under the provisions contained in the said regulations, shall continue in force until the 19th July, 1962, provided that in so far as it authorizes the erection of electric lines within the Borough of Waitara, this license may be revoked by the Governor-General in Council at any time after the 9th December, 1932, unless in the meantime the licensee has secured a contract to supply the freezing-works at Waitara, belonging to Messrs. Borthwick and Sons (Australasia), Ltd., with the major portion of its electrical demand for such period and within such time as the Minister may consider reasonable.

6. PURCHASE OF INSTALLATION BY ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

Subject to the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, or any Act passed in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof, and provided the licensee shall have legal power to comply with the requirements of this clause, any Electric-power Board duly constituted in terms of the aforesaid Acts, if its district or outer area shall include the area of supply hereinbefore described, shall have the right at any time during the currency of this license after the 9th December, 1942, to purchase and take over the licensee's installation in the said area of supply, at a valuation to be agreed upon between the Board and the licensee, and failing such agreement, at a valuation to be fixed by a single arbitrator to be appointed pursuant to the provisions of the Arbitration Act, 1908, and thereupon the Governor-General may by Order in Council revoke this license.

7. EFFECT OF DETERMINATION OF LICENSE.

The determination of this license, whether by expiration of time, by surrender, or by revocation as aforesaid, shall not relieve the licensee from any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

8. RAILWAY AND TELEGRAPH LINES.

The licensee shall, from time to time, rectify to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways and Minister of Telegraphs respectively any interference or disturbance caused by the erection or operation of the licensee's system that affects the satisfactory working of any telegraph-line which is under the control of or in use by the Railway Department and the Post and Telegraph Department respectively, and which was erected before the erection of the lines hereby licensed.

9. REQUIREMENTS OF WAITARA BOROUGH COUNCIL, TARANAKI ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD, AND TARANAKI AND-INGLEWOOD COUNTY COUNCILS.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not by virtue of these presents be entitled to lay, construct, put up, place, or use the electric lines hereby authorized except in conformity with the agreement dated 15th July, 1930, made between the New Plymouth Borough Council and Waitara Borough Council; and also, subject to such conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of this

license or of the said regulations, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof, as may from time to time lawfully be imposed by the Waitara Borough Council, Taranaki Electric-power Board, and Taranaki and Inglewood County Councils.

10. ROUTES RESERVED FOR GOVERNMENT LINES.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained the licensee shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government main trunk transmission-lines.

11. TIME FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF WORKS.

The licensee shall complete the lines hereby authorized before the 9th July, 1933.

SCHEDULE.

AREA OF SUPPLY.

The areas of supply shall be—

- (a) All that area of land situated in the Counties of Taranaki and Inglewood, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, bounded as follows: Commencing at the junction of the Bristol Road with York Road; thence along York Road to its junction with Roddy Road; thence along Roddy Road to its junction with Clarke Road; thence along Clarke Road to its junction with Te Arei Road; thence along Te Arei Road to Kaitawai Stream; thence along Kaitawai Stream to the Waitara River; thence along the Waitara River to the Manganui River; thence along the Manganui River to the Bristol Road; thence along the Bristol Road to the point of commencement. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 73882, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, being thereon coloured blue.
- (b) All that area of land in the Borough of Waitara which is necessary to enable an electric line to be erected by the most direct convenient route from the existing lines of the New Plymouth Borough Council at the Waitara Borough boundary along Parris and Queen Streets to the freezing-works of Messrs. Thomas Borthwick and Sons (Australasia), Limited, situated in Queen Street in the Borough of Waitara.

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

(P.W. 26/32.)

Licensing Herbert Tate and Charles Hodge to Use and Occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Miranda, in the Frith of Thames, as a Site for a Wharf, Swinging-basin, Piling, and Entrance Channel.

BLDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Herbert Tate and Charles Hodge, trading under the style or title of the Miranda Lime Works (hereinafter called "the licensees," in which term is to be construed, unless the context requires a different construction, their executors, administrators, and assigns), have applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto at Miranda, in the Frith of Thames, as shown on plan marked M.D. 6983, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf, swinging-basin, piling, and entrance channel (hereinafter referred to as "the said works"):

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the said works will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council:

And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensees on the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and

of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto, which is particularly shown and delineated on plan marked M.D. 6983, so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting, constructing, and maintaining such wharf, swinging-basin, piling, and entrance channel thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term—

“Foreshore” means such parts of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides;

“Low-water mark” means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides;

“Minister” means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any other officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection or construction of the said works as shown on the plan marked M.D. 6983, deposited as aforesaid, in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensees shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £26, in advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st March following to be paid on the licensees being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, over, and out of the said works without payment.

5. All persons shall, at all reasonable times and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom, and all vessels shall have full liberty, without charge, to navigate in that part of the channel from the entrance thereof to its junction with the channel leading to the public wharf at Miranda.

6. The licensees shall maintain the said works in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at their own cost suitable and necessary lights on the wharf, at the entrance to the channel, and at the junction of the channel with that leading to the public wharf at Miranda, for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said works, and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such works, requiring the licensees within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensees shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be carried out, as the case may be.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or with any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, or its amendments, or any regulation made thereunder and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensees and deposited above high-water mark or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen days from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority, and the licensees shall not assign,

charge, or part with any such rights, powers, or privileges without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand.

12. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which the said works may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the part of the licensees.

13. In case the licensees shall—

(1) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinafter set forth, or any of them; or

(2) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf or other works for a period of thirty days; or

(3) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions; or

(4) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy;

then, and in any of the said cases, this Order in Council and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *Gazette* of any Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council and the license, rights, and privileges thereby conferred have been revoked and determined.

14. In the event of this Order in Council being revoked for any reason whatsoever, or upon the expiry of the period for which the license is granted, the licensees shall, if required by the Minister so to do, remove the said works entirely from the site and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be, and if the licensees fail so to do, the Minister may cause the said works to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the licensees.

15. The licensees shall execute a bond in such form and for such amount as may be approved by the Minister as a guarantee of the due performance by them of the duties imposed upon them by clause 14 hereof.

16. The construction of the said works or any of them shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing Rata Murupaenga and Others, as Trustees, to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Te Hapua, Parengarenga, as a Site for a Wharf and Shed, and prescribing Dues for such Wharf.

BLDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and the twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at page 333, the eleventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, at page 1679, and the thirteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, at page 6, respectively, Glass Murray, Rapata Hotorene, Hemi Manuera, Henry Norman, and Alan Munro were licensed, as trustees for the inhabitants of the district, to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Te Hapua, Parengarenga, as a site for a wharf, to be erected in accordance with plan marked M.D. 4352, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, for a period of fourteen years from the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and dues and rates were prescribed for the use of the said wharf:

And whereas the said license has expired, and it is desirable to grant a license to Rata Murupaenga, Glass Murray, and Gordon Rust, all of Te Hapua, Kenneth Richardson, of Te Paki, and Alexander Hume Watt, of Te Kao (hereinafter

called "the licensees"), who, as trustees for the inhabitants of the district, have made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a further term of fourteen years, computed from the expiry of the term of the said last-mentioned license, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and by and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the wharf and shed in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set out in the First Schedule hereto, and doth prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be charged and taken by the licensees for the use of the said wharf and shed.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term—

"Foreshore" means such parts of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides:

"Low-water mark" means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides:

"Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the maintenance of the wharf and shed as shown on the plan marked M.D. 4352, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall pay to the Minister an annual sum of 1s., payable on demand.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf and shed and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor-General and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf and shed without payment.

6. The licensees shall maintain the said wharf and shed in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at the licensees' own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and shed and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf and shed, requiring the licensees within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensees shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulations of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf and shed shall be taken away by the licensees and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for the term of fourteen years, computed from the 19th day of January, 1929, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand.

12. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which any structure on the said premises may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the part of the licensees.

13. In case the licensees shall—

(1) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;

(2) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf and shed for a period of thirty days;

then, and in either such case, this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, right, and privileges thereby granted and conferred have been revoked and determined.

14. In the event of this Order in Council being revoked for any reason whatsoever, or upon the expiry of the period for which the license is granted, the licensees shall, if required by the Minister so to do, remove the said wharf and shed entirely from the site and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be; and if the licensees fail so to do, the Minister may cause the said wharf and shed to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the licensees.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SHIPPING WHARFAGE.

For every vessel a sum of 1d. per ton on the gross tonnage of such vessel per day for each day or part of a day a vessel shall occupy a berth at the said wharf, or alongside any vessel lying at the said wharf, or shall lie at the said wharf undergoing repairs or fitting-out only, or shall lie off the said wharf with a line attached thereto.

GOODS WHARFAGE.

1. For all goods landed on or shipped from the said wharf a rate of 2s. 6d. per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the licensees, minimum charge, 6d.

2. For every head of cattle or horses landed upon or shipped from the said wharf, 2s. 6d. per head.

3. For every yearling or calf landed upon or shipped from the said wharf, 1s. per head.

4. For every head of sheep or small cattle landed upon or shipped from the said wharf, 6d. per head.

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

Making Rules prescribing Fees to be taken under the Aged and Infirm Persons Protection Act, 1912.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Aged and Infirm Persons Protection Act, 1912 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and of every other power and authority in this behalf enabling him, His Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and with the concurrence of the Honourable the Chief Justice and six of the other members of the Rules Committee constituted under the Judicature Amendment Act, 1930 (two of such other members being Judges of the Supreme Court), doth hereby revoke the rules made under the said Act on the fifteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following rule, and doth declare that such revocation shall take effect and the rule hereby made shall come into force on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

RULE.

THE Registrar of the Supreme Court shall receive and take in respect of all matters or proceedings under the said Act the same fees as are for the time being payable pursuant to Rule 581 of the Code of Civil Procedure in respect of like matters or proceedings under the Judicature Act, 1908:

Provided that where it appears to the satisfaction of the Court that any party is unable or ought not to be called upon to pay any of such fees, or any part thereof, the Court may dispense with the payment thereof, or any part thereof, subject to such terms as it thinks fit.

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

Order in Council consenting to the Raising of a Loan of £47,000 by the Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage Board.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Dunedin Drainage and Sewerage Board (hereinafter called "the said local authority") is desirous of raising the sum of forty-seven thousand pounds by a loan to be known as "No. 1 Renewal Loan, 1932," for the purpose of redeeming the outstanding balance of a loan of fifty-two thousand pounds raised in one thousand nine hundred and seven-eight, and maturing on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two:

And whereas the said local authority has complied with the provisions of the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), and it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council under the said Act should be given to the raising of the said loan, on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, doth hereby consent to the raising by the said local authority of the said loan up to the amount of forty-seven thousand pounds for a term of ten years, at such rate or rates of interest as shall not produce to the lenders a rate exceeding the rate of five pounds per centum per annum, subject to the condition that the said local authority shall, before borrowing the said sum or any part thereof, make provision for the repayment thereof by establishing a sinking fund under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and shall thereafter make to such sinking fund payments at intervals of not more than one year, at a rate or rates which shall be not less than the rate of two pounds per centum, such payments to be made in respect of every part of the said sum for the time being so borrowed and not repaid, and the first payment to be made not later than one year after the first day from which interest to the lender is computed on any moneys so borrowed.

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

(T. 49/362/3.)

Order in Council consenting to the Raising of a Loan of £400 by the Dannevirke Hospital Board.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Dannevirke Hospital Board (hereinafter called "the said local authority") is desirous of raising the sum of four hundred pounds by a loan to be known as "Heating Loan (Additional), 1931," for the purpose of providing a forced hot-water system for the hospital:

And whereas the said local authority has complied with the provisions of the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), and it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council under the said Act should be given to the raising of the said loan on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, to the borrowing by the

said local authority of the said sum of four hundred pounds, at a rate or rates of interest being such as shall not produce to the lenders a rate exceeding the rate of six pounds per centum per annum:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act and by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby consent to the raising by the said local authority of the said loan up to the amount of four hundred pounds, at such rate or rates of interest as shall not produce to the lenders a rate exceeding the rate of six pounds per centum per annum, subject to the condition that the said sum shall be repaid by annual instalments of not less than eighty pounds during the first four years and the balance in the fifth year of the currency of the loan.

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

(T. 49/531/1.)

Prohibiting the Use of Danish-seine Nets in Aotea, Kawhia, and Raglan Harbours.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is desirable to make regulations prohibiting and taking of fish by Danish-seine nets and the using of such mentioned nets in Aotea, Kawhia, and Raglan Harbours:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section five of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes aforesaid.

REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall haul or use a Danish-seine net for the purpose of taking fish within the undermentioned waters—that is to say, within Aotea Harbour and those waters of the sea confined within the arc of a circle having a radius of one and a half nautical miles from Kahua Point, and as the said area is delineated on plan marked M.D. 6980; within Kawhia Harbour and those waters of the sea confined within the arc of a circle having a radius of one and a half nautical miles from Urawitiki Point, Southern Head, at the entrance to Kawhia Harbour, as the said area is delineated on plan marked M.D. 6980; within Raglan Harbour and those waters of the sea confined within the arc of a circle having a radius of one and a half nautical miles from Rangitoto Point, Northern Head, at the entrance to Raglan Harbour, as such area is delineated on plan marked M.D. 6981.

2. Any person committing a breach of these regulations is liable to a penalty not exceeding £20.

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

The Southern Side of Portion of the Western Hutt Road, in the County of Hutt, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following

resolution passed by the Hutt County Council on the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, viz. :—

“The Hutt County Council, being the local authority having control of the Western Hutt Road, has by resolution agreed to exempt from the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, that portion of the said road tinted pink hereon, fronting Lots 6 and 8, D.P. 9736, being part Section 178, Hutt Registration District” ;
such portion of road being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE southern side of all that portion of road, situated in the Wellington Land District, County of Hutt, known as the Western Hutt Road, fronting parts Lots 6 and 8, D.P. 9736, being part Section 178, Hutt Registration District. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82529, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

(P.W. 51/1661.)

The Southern Side of Portion of Perotti Lane, in the Borough of Greymouth, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Greymouth Borough Council on the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, viz. :—

“That the Greymouth Borough Council, being the local authority having control of Perotti Lane, Greymouth, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, shall not apply to that part of Perotti Lane, on its southern side, where the same fronts Section 34, Block I, Greymouth Native Reserve No. 31” ;
such portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE southern side of all that portion of street situated in the Westland Land District, Borough of Greymouth, known as Perotti Lane, fronting Section 34, Block I, N.R. 31, Town of Greymouth. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82145, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

(P.W. 51/1647.)

The South-eastern Side of Portion of Paroa Road, in the Borough of Greymouth, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Greymouth Borough Council on the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, viz. :—

“That the Greymouth Borough Council, being the local authority having control of Paroa Road, Greymouth, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred

and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, shall not apply to that part of Paroa Road on the south-eastern side of the Hokitika Railway line, between Marlborough and High Streets, on its south-eastern side where same fronts Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 6, and 7, of Reserve 49, Block 7, Town of Greymouth” ;
such portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-eastern side of all that portion of street, situated in the Westland Land District, Borough of Greymouth, known as Paroa Road, fronting Reserve 49, Block 7, Town of Greymouth. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 82127, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

(P.W. 51/15.)

The South-western Side of Portion of Mudie Street, in the Borough of Lower Hutt, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Lower Hutt Borough Council on the thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, viz. :—

“That the Borough of Lower Hutt, being the local authority having control of the streets in the Borough of Lower Hutt, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, shall not apply to that portion of Mudie Street, fronting Lots 192, 194, and 196, part Sections 17 and 21, D.P. 50” ;
subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the south-western side of the portion of Mudie Street (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-five feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-western side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Lower Hutt, known as Mudie Street, fronting Lots 192, 194, and 196 on D.P. 50, Hutt R.D. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 81638, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

(P.W. 51/644.)

Vesting Reserves in the Oamaru Borough Council and the Marlborough Hospital Board.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the First Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for recreation purposes :
And whereas the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto have been duly set apart for a site for a public hospital :
And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the reserve described in the First Schedule hereto in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Oamaru, and to vest the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto in the Marlborough Hospital Board :

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

and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section nine of the Public Reserves, Domains, and National Parks Act, 1928, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the First Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Oamaru, in trust, for recreation purposes, and the reserves described in the Second Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Marlborough Hospital Board, in trust, for a site for a public hospital.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 2 perches, more or less, being Reserve "B," Town of Oamaru, and bounded as follows: Towards the east by Towey Street, 1820 links; towards the south-west by a public street, 1050 links; and towards the north-west by a closed portion of Severn Street, 1480 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/397, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

(L. and S. 6/1/397.)

SECOND SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 1148, Town of Picton: Area, 7 acres 3 roods 15 perches, more or less.

Also Section 1167, Town of Picton: Area, 34.5 perches, more or less.

(L. and S. 6/8/46.)

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

Revoking Sanctuaries under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and declaring certain Areas to be Sanctuaries, Rotorua Acclimatization District.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by section six of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22 (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act"), I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Warrant made under the said section on the twentieth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and published in the *Gazette* on the twenty-first day of the same month, at page 445, declaring certain areas to be sanctuaries under the said Act in so far as that Warrant relates to the areas described under the heading "Rotorua Acclimatization District."

And in further pursuance of the said powers do hereby revoke the Warrant made under the said section on the twenty-third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and published in the *Gazette* on the twenty-sixth day of the same month, at page 716, declaring the area described in the Schedule thereto, being part of Section 5, Block IV, Waiapu Survey District, to be a sanctuary under the said Act.

And in further pursuance of the said powers do hereby notify and declare the respective areas described in the Schedule hereto to be sanctuaries for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ROTORUA ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

1. AREA at Waikaremoana: All that area of land and water in the Auckland and Hawke's Bay Land Districts, bounded towards the north-west generally by the summit of the range leading from Whakatakaa Trig. Station at the headwaters of the Whakatane River to Maungapohatu Trig. Station near the headwaters of the Waikare Stream; thence towards the east generally by the summit of the range leading to Manuaha Trig. Station; thence by the main range leading east of Lake Waikareiti round to Ngamoko Trig. Station; thence by a right line in a northerly direction to the mouth of the Aniwiwa Stream; thence by the south-western, southern, and western shores of Lakes Waikaremoana and Waiaumoana to the mouth of the Waiharuru Stream near Te Puna; thence by a right line in a north-westerly direction to Whakatakaa Trig. Station, the place of commencement.

2. Rotorua Lake Sanctuary: All that area in the Auckland Land District, bounded by a line commencing at a point (Puarenga) on the south-western shore of Lake Rotorua; thence along a right line to Te Papa-o-Reamao Spring on the south-eastern shore of Lake Rotorua; thence south-westerly and northerly generally along the shore of Lake Rotorua to the point of commencement.

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3. Nuhaka Reserve: All that area in the Nuhaka North Subdivision, Section 14, Block XV, containing about 580 acres, and described as a thermal-spring reserve.

4. Area at Hamurana: All that area comprising the Hamurana Stream and that portion of Lake Rotorua within a radius of half a mile from where such stream enters the said lake.

5. Certain areas in the Rotorua Acclimatization District: All that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section 108A, Matata Parish, in Block III, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District, containing 570 acres, more or less, including the Kohika Lagoon and all other lagoons thereon.

6. Matata Lagoon: All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 108 acres, being Section 4, Block VI, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District, known as Matata Lagoon.

7. All that area in the Gisborne Land District, being part of Section 5, Block IV, Waiapu Survey District, commencing at a point on the left bank of the Waikaretaheke River where it is intersected by the southern boundary of the Forest Reserve; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Forest Reserve to a point in line with the surge chamber of the Waikaremoana Hydro-electric Works; thence towards the south-east by a right line bearing 200 degs. to the left bank of the Waikaretaheke River; thence in a north-westerly direction by the said left bank of the Waikaretaheke River to the Forest Reserve boundary, the place of commencement.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of September, 1931.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/5/136.)

Declaring Road-lines adjoining and intersecting Land in Waikaretaheke Settlement, Auckland Land District, to be closed, and the Land comprised therein to be subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General, from which it appears that the roads described in the Schedule hereto are unformed and unused, and that the said roads are adjacent to or intersect land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1925 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and are not suitable to the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and six of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby close the roads hereinafter described; and I do hereby declare that the land comprised in the said roads shall thereupon become subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of roads to be closed:—

A. R. P.

4 0 14 Adjoining Sections 31A, 33A, 33B, 33C, 33D, and passing through Sections 35, 37, and 39, Block XII, Aroha Survey District.

3 0 3 Passing through Sections 41, 43, and part 45, Block XII, Aroha Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/149/1152, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2511, and thereon coloured green.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.
(L. and S. 21/149/1152.)

Notifying Land in Taranaki Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments, and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Fitzroy District.

LOT 5, part Section 11, Fitzroy District: Area, 24.2 perches. Upset price, £725.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 9/2604.)

Notifying Settlement Lands in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction for Cash.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, as the time at which the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Waimate County.—Town of Morven.—Waitaki Survey District. Waikakahi Settlement.

SECTION 10, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 12, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 14, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
 Section 15, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 12, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
 Section 14, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £25.
 Section 16, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
 Section 3, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 4, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 6, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
 Section 7, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 8, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
 Section 10, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
 Section 12, Block V: Area, 1 rood 12 perches. Upset price, £15.
 Section 13, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 14, Block V: Area, 38 perches. Upset price, £15.
 Section 2, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £40.
 Section 4, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £30.
 Section 5, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 7, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 9, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 11, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
 Section 12, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £25.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of September, 1931.

A. J. MURDOCH, for Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 9/56.)

Portion of Te Naumai Domain set apart as a Site for a Public Hall.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-two of the Public Reserves, Domains, and National Parks Act, 1928, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that that portion of the Te Naumai Domain, described in the Schedule hereto, shall, from and after the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, be set apart as a site for a public hall.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 18, Naumai Village: Area, 3 roods 8 perches, more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 1/788.)

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the Mount Balloon Hut Scenic Board.

BLEDISLOE, 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:—

George Charles Cecil Black, M.P.,
 Thomas Hill Easterfield,
 Jonathan Taylor Brough,
 Frederick Giles Gibbs,
 Henry Thomas Kidson,
 Leslie Walter Tiller, and
 John Reginald Grigg

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Mount Balloon Hut 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 twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, at four o'clock p.m., in the Cawthron Institute, Nelson, and thereafter the Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Monday in each quarter 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 four 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.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MOUNT BALLOON HUT SCENIC RESERVE.

SECTION 2, Block VIII, Harapaki Survey District: Area, 40 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 11th day of September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM,
 Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

(L. and S. 4/350.)

Assessors in Criminal Trials in the High Court of the Cook Islands appointed.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

PURSUANT to the authority vested in me by section two hundred and ninety-five of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the nomination of persons qualified for appointment as Assessors in criminal trials in the High Court of the Cook Islands, made by Warrant dated the twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and gazetted in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 13, of the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, at page 605, and made by Warrant dated the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and gazetted in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 52, of the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, at page 2412, and in lieu thereof I hereby nominate the persons named in the following nine Schedules hereto as persons qualified for appointment as Assessors under the said Act generally in criminal trials in the High Court of the Cook Islands wheresoever such trials may be held (except in the Island of Niue), and I declare this Warrant to take effect on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Rarotonga :—

Barron, Alexander.	Aiteina Raina.
Beaumont, Arthur Edwin.	Charles Tau Cowan.
Bennett, Samuel.	Eteke Teava.
Bonar, William Fairlie.	Eria.
Brown, David.	Enua Napa.
Campbell, John Archibald.	Freddie Marama.
Campbell, James Dobson.	Fred Rennie.
Crummer, George Robson, sen.	George Pa Karika.
Estall, Marcus.	Iopu Tumu.
Everett, Henry Bruester.	Iro Maoata.
Ford, Leslie.	John Teariki.
Forester, Richard Montague.	Kainuku Ariki.
Hosking, Rupert Vivian.	Koia.
Hopkins, Sydney.	Kavakura.
James, Henry Bond.	Kutimani.
Jones, Edward Winter.	Kiriparu.
Logan, Edward.	Makea Nui Tinirau Ariki.
Kingsbury, William George.	Moetaua Tita.
Mathews, Edward James.	Maeva Tairi te Rangi.
Mitchell, Ernest Hamilton.	Numa.
Mooney, Charles Augustine.	Potai Kao.
Mosse, Cecil Edward LeClere.	Puri.
McBirney, William.	Paaro Koropuaka.
McKegg, Robert.	Pu.
Munroe, Duncan.	Putu Turua.
O'Bryan, William.	Rereao.
Rasmussen, Viggo.	Tai Anautoa.
Sharpe, Joseph William.	Tangiia Paroro.
Shearman, Thomas.	Tiamu Aperau.
Shearman, Herbert.	Tinomana Tuoro Ariki.
Shearman, Percy Simeon.	Tanere Heather.
Stevens, Alexander Leslie Gibson.	Tioni Pirangi.
Towensend, Ewart Henry.	Toa Temarama.
Thomson, Andrew.	Teeiao.
Ward, Charles James.	Tepuretu.
Warren, George.	Tangiiau.
Watson, Thomas.	Tuaua.
Webb, John Henry.	Tuakana Tiraa.
Wicks, Harold Bulmer Priestly.	Tepa.
Wigmore, William John.	Tepou Apenera.
Wilkinson, Alfred George.	Tupa Vaitoti.
Worrall, Thomas C.	Viriamu Kare.
	Vakapora Tere.
	Vaike Rauriki.
	William Parau Browne.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Aitutaki :—

McCulloch, John.	Mana Itu.
Low, Drury.	Mose.
Smith, William R.	Paku.
Henere Teaka.	Poreti.
Itu.	Port Moresby.
John Pakoti.	Roi Auri.
Jim Crow.	Simiona Mate.
Josepha Vati.	Tama Iesse.
John Rima.	Tangihoa.
Ka Iosua.	Teina Orometua.
Kau Mapu.	Teina Mokoenga.
Maka Beritane.	Te Ui.
Manarangi.	Tiro.
Mana Taria.	Tepaki.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Mauke :—

Cowan, Peter Keith McKay.	Taimarangai.
Farmer, James.	Tararo Ariki.
Framhein, Edward.	Tamaki.
Akaete.	Tamapi.
Apo.	Teao.
Mana Tereo.	Teariki Strickland.
Matapo.	Teauai.
Maunga.	Te Au Ariki.
Moeau.	Teauata Temata.
Muri.	Tauu Tararo.
Mana Samuela.	Vero.
Metua Ariki.	Viriamu a Matapo.
Paparonga.	

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Atiu :—

Scott, Harry.	Noare.
Akaiti.	Parua Ariki.
Akeraura.	Paku Kea.
Areoka.	Pi Tukua.
Arepuni.	Pito.
Aukino.	Pourakau.
John Teati.	Purotu.
Kakaukare.	Rongomatane Ariki.
Karoia.	Strickland, Howard.
Mango.	Tamainuvai.
Matarau.	Tamaka.
matenga.	Tamore.
Marama.	Tangata Auri.
Manua.	Tanga Tou.
Matauri.	Tati.
Mare Bob.	Tia.
Mitiau.	Toki.
Mere Utakea.	Tuaira.
Moe Toru.	Toa.
Ngamāru Ariki.	Uma.
Ngarue.	Viliamu.

FIFTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Mangaia :—

Gelling, Frank Murray.	Neeti.
Gold, Edwin.	Okaoka.
Hermann, John.	Okirua.
Shepherd, Robert.	Pareinaiti.
Aerepo Pokino.	Piiti.
Aitau.	Peraua.
Akatea.	Paiti.
Aramamao.	Ringia.
Beni Kurupeupeu.	Rimamotu.
Kaokao.	Tamaine Ngariu.
Kitea.	Tangimotua.
Maki-u-ana.	Tangi Vaipo.
Maki Orometua.	Teanaune.
Mateke Ariki.	Teakaiti.
Mate Orometua.	Tioni Tokouaa.
Nangaiti.	Tua Tiaki.

SIXTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Penrhyn :—

Woonton, Phillip.	Selinga.
Bosin.	Tamangaro.
Hare.	Tangimetua.
Hiria.	Tapaitau.
Hiro.	Tapu.
Josepha.	Toka.
Joe Isaia.	Tupou.
Make.	Tekotia.
Paa.	Takiika.
Riki.	Vainemate.
Salomona.	

SEVENTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Manihiki :—

Abela Williams.	Mokoha.
Araipu Tokoa.	Munokoa Taia.
Ben Ellis.	Munokoa Timo.
Dan Ellis.	Napala.
Fafie.	Puti.
George Williams.	Taepae Boaza.
John Dean.	Taia.
Metuanguaro.	Temu Tamaroa.
Mehau Amu.	Toka Eli.
Mehau Boaza.	Toma Iti.

EIGHTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Rakahanga :—

Eustace, Thomas.	Ngaari.
Murray, Joseph.	Robati.
Atama.	Setpheno.
David Greig.	Takai Amarama.
Enota.	Takai Setphano.
Eriakima.	Tuaraki.
Hagai Iti.	Tuarau Apera.
Isaia.	Tuarau Hagai.
Kairua.	Tuatai.
Kairua Pake.	Vaetorn.
Motutara.	Vaine.

NINTH SCHEDULE.

THE following persons presently residing in the Island of Pukapuka :—

Ara.	Repohama.
Aleikonga.	Taingauru.
Aaripu.	Tamuta.
Beni.	Tapipi.
Iepini.	Tarainga.
Iti.	Toka.
Kare Orometua.	Toma.
Kuru.	Tuarae.
Otea.	Wingararo.
Papaa.	

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor General, this 10th day of September, 1931.

A. T. NGATA,
Minister for the Cook Islands.

Appointment of Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Wellington provisionally recognized.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that the appointment of

Leslie W. Johnson, Esquire,

as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Wellington, has been provisionally recognized.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 13/35/11.)

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th September, 1931.

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

Richard Francis Bale, of Motu.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/23/10.)

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th September, 1931.

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

Noel Peat, of Moana.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/23/9.)

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th September, 1931.

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

John Bryden Welsh, of Taurakawa.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 25/23/46.)

Appointment of Consul of Brazil at Wellington recognized.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that the appointment of

George Robertson, Esquire,

as Consul of Brazil at Wellington, has been recognized.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 13/35/99.)

Member of Nelson Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 15th September, 1931.

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

Arthur Rutland Edwards

to be a member of the Land Board for the Land District of Nelson, for a term of two years from the 22nd September, 1931.

E. A. RANSOM, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 22/748/6.)

Appointing Reserve Nominated Member of the Hawke's Bay Adjustment Court.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Leonard Owen Howard Tripp, Esquire, O.B.E.,

to be a reserve nominated member of the Hawke's Bay Adjustment Court constituted under the Hawke's Bay Earthquake Act, 1931.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Victor Johnson, Esquire,

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Auckland, vice G. H. Lethaby, Esquire.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Stanley Moxam Dixon, Esquire, J.P.,

of Wanganui, to be a Coroner for the Dominion of New Zealand.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigns.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by
Wilfred Thomas Slee, Esquire,
of Westport, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.
JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, 11th September, 1931.
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
Richard Francis Bale, of Gisborne,
to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the East Coast Acclimatization District.
JAS. B. DONALD, Minister of Marine.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th September, 1931.
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
Ernest William Eddy,
of Pahiatua, to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the Wellington Acclimatization District.
JAS. B. DONALD, Minister of Marine.

Producers Representatives on the New Zealand Fruit-export Control Board appointed.—(Notice No. Ag. 2995.)

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 16th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in terms of paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 5 of the Fruit Control Act, 1924,
Thomas Cuddie Brash, Esquire, and
Alexander Morris Robertson, Esquire,
to be representatives of producers on the New Zealand Fruit-export Control Board established under the said Act, each such person to hold office for a period of three years commencing on the 1st day of September, 1931.
A. J. MURDOCH, Minister of Agriculture.

Member of Mahunui Maori Council appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 11th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint :—
Martine Piki,
Te Ari Pitama,
W. Karaitiana, and
Henare Huru Pohio
to be members of the Maori Council for the Maori Council District of Mahunui, *vice* J. Tikao, William Barrett, Ihaia Tainui, and Joseph Karetai, resigned.
A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Member of Hokianga Maori Council appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 11th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint
Hori te Tai
to be a member of the Maori Council for the Maori Council District of Hokianga, *vice* Penetana te Tai, deceased.
A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 9th September, 1931.
THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service :—

Thomas Melville Sim
to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Stock Act, 1908, as from the 28th day of August, 1931.

Robert Edward Binfield
to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Orchard and Garden Diseases Act, 1928, as from the 1st day of September, 1931.

Constable Robert Audley
to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Collingwood for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1928, and Clerk and Bailiff of the Warden's Court, Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Mining Registrar at Collingwood for the Karama Mining District constituted under the Mining Act, 1926, as from the 5th day of September, 1931.

Arthur Albert Luckham
to be Resident Agent, Commissioner of the High Court, Deputy Registrar of the High Court, Postmaster and Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages at Aitutaki as from the 17th day of August, 1931.

Edward Carlyon Vellenoweth
to be Resident Agent, Postmaster and Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages at Mauke, as from the 21st day of August, 1931.

T. MARK, Secretary.

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

Navy Office,
Wellington, 14th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following promotions in the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (New Zealand Division) :—
Acting Lieutenant-Commander Frederick Fraser, confirmed in the rank of Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), to date 15th September, 1931.
Lieutenant Ralph Newman, to Acting Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), to date 9th September, 1931.
Lieutenant Phillip George Connolly, to Acting Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), to date 16th September, 1931.
Lieutenant Carl William Wilson, to Acting Lieutenant-Commander, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), to date 23rd September, 1931.
Sub-Lieutenant Jack Durant Hudson, to Lieutenant, R.N.V.R. (N.Z.D.), to date 9th September, 1931.
JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 9th September, 1931.
HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the N.Z. Military Forces :—

THE NELSON-MARLBOROUGH MOUNTED RIFLES.
2nd Lieutenant N. Taylor to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1931.

REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.
Lieutenant H. McC. Taylor has been granted leave of absence from the Dominion, and is seconded until 1st June, 1932.
2nd Lieutenant J. A. Mars ceases to be posted to the 21st Field Battery, and is posted to the 18th Medium Battery. Dated 21st August, 1931.
Leslie Percival Harker to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is posted to the 9th Field Battery. Dated 12th September, 1930.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Lieutenant R. Faville, 3rd Field Company, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 4. Dated 31st August, 1931.

Lieutenant H. B. Macdonald, from the Southland Regiment, to be Lieutenant, with seniority from the 15th November, 1929, and is posted to the 3rd Field Company. Dated 22nd May, 1931.

2nd Lieutenant N. N. Gard'ner, 3rd Field Company, to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th July, 1931.

2nd Lieutenant G. A. Phear (seconded to 3rd C Battalion, Canterbury Regiment) to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st July, 1931.

N.Z. INFANTRY.

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

Captain R. Tilsley, M.C., D.C.M., 1st Battalion, to be Major, with seniority next below Major Seaward, M.C. Dated 23rd June, 1931.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) R. S. Stacey, 5th C Battalion, is transferred to the North Auckland Regiment. Dated 27th August, 1931.

THE NORTH AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

Lieutenant H. M. McMurtrie ceases to be posted to the 3rd C Battalion, and is posted to the 1st Battalion. Dated 1st September, 1931.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) R. S. Stacey, from the Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation), with seniority from the 19th June, 1931, and is posted to the 3rd C Battalion. Dated 27th August, 1931.

The Taranaki Regiment.

Lieutenant R. R. Henderson, 2nd C Battalion, to be Captain. Dated 13th May, 1931.

The Southland Regiment.

Lieutenant H. B. Macdonald, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the Corps of N.Z. Engineers. Dated 22nd May, 1931.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Defence.

Defence Rifle Club disbanded.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 10th September, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the disbandment of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under Section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Gebbie's Valley Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Gebbie's Valley. Dated 1st September, 1931.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Defence.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registers of New Zealand 4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, maturing 20th April, 1939, will be closed from the 1st to the 20th October, 1931 (inclusive), for the purpose of the issue of half-yearly interest.

GEO. W. FORBES, Minister of Finance.

Prohibition of Issue of Money-orders and Transmission of Postal Correspondence in New Zealand for J. Byrne, Dublin.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in promoting or carrying out a lottery or scheme of chance, it is hereby ordered, under section 32 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1928, that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or addressed to the address in the Schedule hereunder without a name, shall be either registered or forwarded by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

J. BYRNE, 6 Whitworth Place, Drumcondra, Dublin.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1931.

JAS. B. DONALD, Postmaster-General.

Including additional Land in the Hokianga Development Scheme.

Office of the Native Minister,
Wellington, 7th September, 1931.

WHEREAS notice was published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti* of the 25th September, 1930, that the Native Minister has decided to apply the provisions of subsection (3) of section 23 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1929, to Te Ahikawariki and other blocks of Native land or land owned by Natives in the Tokerau Native Land Court District; And whereas the Native Minister has now decided that the Native land or land owned by Natives set out in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of the said section 23, and shall be included in and form part of the Hokianga Development Scheme. Notice of the Native Minister's intention is hereby given and published in accordance with the said subsection (3) which provides that no owner shall, except with the consent of the Native Minister, be entitled to exercise any rights of ownership in connection with the land affected so as to interfere with or obstruct the carrying-out of any works undertaken or to be undertaken under the said subsection (3).

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Mangapupu B 2	82	2	0
„ B 3	82	2	0
„ B 4	114	1	37
„ B 5B	42	0	0
Total	321	1	37

A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Including additional Land in the Tuparoa Development Scheme.

Office of the Native Minister,
Wellington, 12th September, 1931.

WHEREAS notice was published in the *Gazette* of the 26th March, 1931, that the Native Minister has decided to apply the provisions of subsection (3) of section 23 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1929, to Waikohu A1 and other blocks of Native land or land owned by Natives in the Tairāwhiti Native Land Court District: And whereas the Native Minister has now decided that the Native land or land owned by Natives set out in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of subsection (3) of the said section 23, and shall be included in and form part of the Tuparoa Development Scheme. Notice of the Native Minister's intention is hereby given and published in accordance with the said subsection (3) which provides that no owner shall, except with the consent of the Native Minister, be entitled to exercise any rights of ownership in connection with the land affected so as to interfere with or obstruct the carrying-out of any works undertaken or to be undertaken under the said subsection (3).

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Area.			Survey District.
	A.	R.	P.	
Matarau B	426	3	20	Waipiro.
Totaranui A1	438	3	20	Mata.
Waipiro A 23B	473	0	21	„
Total	1,338	3	21	

A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Wellington Education Board.

EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.

I HEREBY notify the election of Colonel Thomas William McDonald, M.P. (the only nominee), as representative of the Rural Area of the Wairarapa Ward on the Education Board of the District of Wellington, in place of Mr. T. Wade, resigned.

E. S. HYLTON, Returning Officer.

Wellington, 11th September, 1931.

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of August, 1931 :—

	Estimated Population, 30th April, 1931.	Live Births registered, August, 1931.	Proportion of Live Births to the 1,000 of Population.	Still Births registered, August, 1931.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1931.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1931.
					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	215,730	278	1.29	10	2	3	87	2	1	84	179	0.83	
Wellington	142,540	208	1.46	4	1	1	51	5	1	42	101	0.71	
Christchurch	127,070	169	1.33	5	4	2	40	2	..	42	90	0.71	
Dunedin	86,410	100	1.16	..	4	..	38	3	..	22	67	0.78	
Hamilton	18,040	34	1.88	1	1	..	6	..	..	6	13	0.72
Gisborne	15,840	28	1.77	..	1	..	4	..	1	4	10	0.63	
Napier	19,000	22	1.16	1	..	..	4	..	..	8	12	0.63
Hastings	16,580	22	1.33	1	1	..	6	..	..	3	10	0.60
New Plymouth	18,020	35	1.94	1	..	..	9	..	1	3	13	0.72
Wanganui	27,530	42	1.53	..	1	..	9	1	..	15	26	0.94	
Palmerston North	22,730	37	1.63	1	1	1	4	..	..	8	14	0.62
Nelson	12,480	18	1.44	..	1	..	11	..	..	8	20	1.60
Timaru	18,340	22	1.20	1	..	1	7	..	..	7	15	0.82
Invercargill	23,940	37	1.55	..	2	..	4	1	..	9	16	0.67	
Totals	764,250	1,052	1.38	25	19	8	280	14	4	261	586	0.77	

The equivalent annual rates per 1,000 of mean population for August, 1931, and eight months ended August, 1931, 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.	
	August, 1931.	Eight Months, 1931.	August, 1931.	Eight Months, 1931.	August, 1931.	Eight Months, 1931.	August, 1931.	Eight Months, 1931.
Auckland	15.46	14.73	9.96	8.34	1.44	2.74	3.60	2.45
Wellington	17.51	18.21	8.50	7.36	2.88	2.54	1.92	3.24
Christchurch	15.95	15.84	8.50	8.28	3.55	3.12	2.96	3.19
Dunedin	13.89	14.60	9.30	8.77	7.00	3.45	..	1.90
Hamilton	22.62	20.54	8.65	9.06	2.94	5.67	2.94	3.64
Gisborne	21.20	21.78	7.58	8.05	3.57	3.91	..	3.48
Napier	13.89	12.00	7.58	11.37	..	7.89	4.55	4.61
Hastings	15.91	17.10	7.24	15.20	4.55	5.29	4.55	2.17
New Plymouth	23.30	20.14	8.66	6.83	..	3.31	2.86	2.89
Wanganui	18.30	17.38	11.33	8.99	4.76	5.96	..	2.51
Palmerston North	19.53	17.09	7.39	7.26	2.70	0.77	2.70	3.09
Nelson	17.30	19.95	19.23	12.74	5.56	4.22	..	3.61
Timaru	14.39	17.26	9.80	8.01	..	4.74	4.55	4.27
Invercargill	18.54	19.42	8.02	7.77	8.11	6.77	..	3.23
All areas, August, and eight months, 1931 ..	16.51	16.41	9.20	8.58	3.14	3.41	2.38	2.89
All areas, August, and eight months, 1930 ..	16.69	16.48	11.33	8.80	5.47	3.91	2.97	3.18

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the urban areas during the month of August, 1931 :—

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
<i>Males.</i>															
Under 5 years	5	2	6	4	1	1	..	1	..	1	2	1	1	2	27
5 and under 10 years .. .. .	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
10 " 15 "	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	4
15 " 20 "	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
20 " 25 " .. .. .	..	3	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
25 " 30 "	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
30 " 35 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
35 " 40 "	2	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7
40 " 45 "	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	12
45 " 50 "	7	6	1	1	1	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	21
50 " 55 "	8	8	2	3	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	27
55 " 60 "	9	5	5	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	29
60 " 65 "	11	2	4	3	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	1	1	..	27
65 " 70 "	10	3	8	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	30
70 " 75 "	9	7	6	4	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	1	..	32
75 " 80 "	9	9	4	5	1	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	3	..	36
80 " 85 "	4	1	4	8	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	20
85 " 90 "	4	2	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	13
90 " 95 "	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
95 " 100 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100 years and over .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	92	53	46	42	7	5	4	7	9	10	6	12	8	6	307

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	3	6	2	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	18
5 and under 10 years .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10 " 15 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
15 " 20 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
20 " 25 "	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	8
25 " 30 "	4	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	10
30 " 35 "	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
35 " 40 "	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	6
40 " 45 "	5	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
45 " 50 "	6	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	12
50 " 55 "	2	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	11
55 " 60 "	3	5	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	17
60 " 65 "	8	5	3	1	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	1	1	3	27
65 " 70 "	14	..	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	1	26
70 " 75 "	7	7	5	2	1	1	1	1	..	3	1	..	2	1	32
75 " 80 "	14	3	5	4	1	1	1	..	1	2	2	1	..	..	35
80 " 85 "	10	6	5	5	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	31
85 " 90 "	3	1	1	3	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	13
90 " 95 "	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	7
95 " 100 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
100 years and over .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	87	48	44	25	6	5	8	3	4	16	8	8	7	10	279
Grand totals	179	101	90	67	13	10	12	10	13	26	14	20	15	16	586

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during August, 1931.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
I. INFECTIOUS AND PARASITIC DISEASES.															
9. Whooping-cough .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
10. Diphtheria	2	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7
11. Influenza .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
18. Meningococcus Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
23. Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System	16	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	26
24. Tuberculous Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
25. Tabes Mesenterica	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
26. Tuberculosis of the Spine .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
32. Miliary Tuberculosis	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
34. Syphilis .. .. .	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
43. Actinomycosis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	22	10	4	3	2	4	..	..	1	1	..	..	4	1	52
II. CANCER AND OTHER TUMOURS.															
45. Cancer of Buccal Cavity	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
46A. " Oesophagus .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
46B. " Stomach	5	4	1	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	17
46C. " Rectum	3	3	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
46D. " Liver	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
46E. " Pancreas	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
46G. " Other Organs of the Digestive Tract	3	3	1	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
47. " Lung	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
48. " Uterus	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	7
49. " Other Female Genital Organs	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	5
50. " Breast .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
51. " Urinary Organs and Male Genital Organs	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
52. " Skin	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
53. " Abdomen	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
53. " Brain .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
54A. Non-malignant Tumour of Female Genital Organs	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
54B. Other Non-malignant Tumours	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Totals	29	16	11	8	3	2	2	1	..	6	..	1	1	2	82
III. RHEUMATIC DISEASES, DISEASES OF NUTRITION, AND OF ENDOCRINE GLANDS, AND OTHER GENERAL DISEASES.															
56. Acute Rheumatism .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
59. Diabetes Mellitus	7	3	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16
66B. Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
66C. Myxœdema .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Totals	7	4	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	20

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during August, 1931—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
IV. DISEASES OF THE BLOOD AND BLOOD-FORMING ORGANS.															
71. Anæmia .. .. .	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
72. Hodgkin's Disease .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
VI. DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.															
79. Meningitis	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
81. Other Diseases of Spinal Cord .. .. .	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
82A. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	6	3	..	4	2	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	1	20
82B. Cerebral Thrombosis	2	1	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
82C. Hemiplegia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
83. General Paralysis of the Insane .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
84. Melancholia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
85. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
86. Convulsions (under 5 years of age) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
87. Cerebral Softening	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
89. Otitis Media .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	11	4	4	8	2	1	2	..	2	1	3	1	1	2	42
VII. DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.															
90. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
91. Acute Endocarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
92. Chronic Endocarditis, Valvular Diseases	12	5	9	4	..	..	2	1	..	2	4	2	1	2	44
93A. Acute Myocarditis	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
93B. Chronic Myocarditis	32	17	23	8	1	..	2	2	3	5	..	6	3	3	105
93C. Not Specified Myocardial Diseases .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
94. Diseases of the Coronary Arteries and Angina Pectoris	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	15
95. Other Diseases of the Heart	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
96. Aneurysm	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	8
97. Arterio-sclerosis	3	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
97A. Arterio-sclerosis with record of Cerebral Vascular Lesion	8	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	15
Totals	63	34	42	19	2	..	6	4	6	8	4	10	5	6	209
VIII. DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.															
106. Bronchitis	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	8
107. Broncho-pneumonia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
108. Lobar Pneumonia	7	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	14
109. Pneumonia (unspecified)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
110. Pleurisy	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
111. Congestion, (Edema of Lung) .. .. .	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	6
112. Asthma .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
114. Abscess of Lung .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Totals	13	4	6	4	1	..	1	..	1	2	3	2	..	..	37
IX.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.															
117. Ulcer of Stomach and Duodenum	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
119. Gastro-enteritis (under 2 years of age) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
120. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (2 years and over)	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
121. Appendicitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
122. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	6
123. Gangrene of Intestine .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
126. Gallstones .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
127. Cholecystitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
128. Pancreatitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
129. Peritonitis	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Totals	7	4	3	2	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	3	1	..	23
X.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM.															
130. Acute Nephritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
131. Chronic Nephritis	11	2	3	4	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	1	27
132. Nephritis (not specified)	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	5
133. Other Diseases of the Kidneys	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
134. Renal Calculi .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
137. Enlarged Prostate .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Totals	14	4	3	5	..	..	1	..	2	..	2	2	3	2	38

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during August, 1931—*continued*.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
XI.—PREGNANCY, LABOUR, AND PUERPERAL STATE.															
140. Septic Abortion .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
144. Retained Placenta .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
145. Puerperal Septicæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
146. Puerperal Pyelitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
XII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.															
152. Cellulitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XIV.—CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS.															
157c. Congenital Malformation of the Heart ..	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
157e. Congenital Atresia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7
XV.—EARLY INFANCY.															
158. Congenital Debility .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Premature Birth .. .. .	..	5	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
160. Injury at Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
161. Other Diseases peculiar to Early Infancy ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Totals .. .. .	..	5	2	6	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	18
XVI.—SENILITY.															
162. Senility	4	3	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	18
XVII.—VIOLENT OR ACCIDENTAL DEATHS.															
163. Suicide by Strychnine Poison .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
164. „ Poisonous Gas	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
165. „ Hanging .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
167. „ Firearms .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
168. „ Cutting Instrument	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
178. Accidental Gas-poisoning	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
179. Other Acute Accidental Poisoning .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
181. Accidental Scalds	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
183. „ Drowning .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
186g. „ Traumatism by Motor-vehicles .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
193. „ Electric Shock .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
194. Other External Injuries	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Totals	5	7	2	4	2	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	25
XVIII.—CAUSE OF DEATH NOT DETERMINED.															
200. Cause of Death ill-defined .. .. .	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Grand totals	179	101	90	67	13	10	12	10	13	26	14	20	15	16	586

Infant Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during August, 1931.

(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
71. Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
86. Convulsions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
108. Lobar Pneumonia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
110. Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
111. Œdema of Lung .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
119. Gastro-enteritis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
129. Peritonitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
157c. Congenital Malformation of the Heart ..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5
157e. Congenital Atresia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
158. Congenital Debility .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Premature Birth .. .. .	..	5	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
160. Injury at Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
161. Other Diseases peculiar to Early Infancy ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Totals	4	6	6	7	1	1	..	1	..	2	1	1	..	3	33

Abstract of Railway Working Account.

FOUR-WEEKLY PERIOD ENDED 15TH AUGUST, 1931, WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF PREVIOUS YEAR.

Section.	Revenue.			Expenditure.			Net Revenue.	
	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Kaihu	262	285	- 23	562	841	- 279	300	556
Gisborne	1,174	1,922	- 748	1,943	3,093	- 1,150	769	1,171
North Island main line and branches	221,286	277,610	- 56,324	243,464	283,987	- 40,523	22,178	6,377
South Island main line and branches	137,012	169,331	- 32,319	165,686	201,425	- 35,739	28,674	32,094
Westport	6,417	9,518	- 3,101	6,108	7,732	- 1,624	309	1,786
Nelson	988	1,515	- 527	2,803	3,226	- 423	1,815	1,711
Picton	1,852	2,163	- 311	2,426	3,866	- 1,440	574	1,703
Total railway operation	368,991	462,344	- 93,353	422,992	504,170	- 81,178	54,001	41,826
Miscellaneous revenue	25,581	28,123	- 2,542	..	..	..	25,581	28,123
Lake Wakatipu steamers	456	448	+ 8	840	887	- 47	384	439
Refreshment rooms, advertising, motor service, and other subsidiary services	14,048	20,430	- 6,382	15,799	21,369	- 5,570	1,751	939
Departmental dwellings	10,095	8,170	+ 1,925	11,087	13,685	- 2,598	992	5,515
Total	419,171	519,515	-100,344	450,718	540,111	- 89,393	31,547	20,596

1ST APRIL TO 15TH AUGUST 1931, WITH COMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR PERIOD 1ST APRIL TO 16TH AUGUST, 1930.

	Revenue.			Expenditure.			Net Revenue.	
	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
	1,444	1,766	- 322	2,795	3,758	- 963	1,351	1,992
	5,943	10,937	- 4,994	9,572	15,347	- 5,775	3,629	4,410
	1,222,746	1,493,991	-271,245	1,199,332	1,439,988	-240,656	23,414	54,003
	860,762	1,066,416	-205,654	844,022	1,057,775	-213,753	16,740	8,641
	32,509	51,074	- 18,565	30,428	37,846	- 7,418	2,081	13,228
	7,530	8,807	- 1,277	12,083	15,991	- 3,908	4,553	7,184
	11,071	13,583	- 2,512	12,433	18,112	- 5,679	1,362	4,529
	2,142,005	2,646,574	-504,569	2,110,665	2,588,817	-478,152	31,340	57,757
	132,753	143,071	- 10,318	..	..	..	132,753	143,071
	2,552	3,464	- 912	4,388	5,593	- 1,205	1,836	2,129
	84,062	115,598	- 31,536	85,065	111,690	- 26,625	1,003	3,908
	51,723	42,187	+ 9,536	61,004	71,615	- 10,611	9,281	29,428
	2,413,095	2,950,894	-537,799	2,261,122	2,777,715	-516,593	151,973	173,179

ANALYSIS OF RAILWAY OPERATING REVENUE AND TRAFFIC.

	Four-weekly Period.			Year to Date.		
	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Passengers	80,728	114,843	- 34,115	482,531	693,528	- 210,997
Parcels, luggage, and mails ..	23,718	25,513	- 1,795	123,948	135,173	- 11,225
Goods	255,910	309,384	- 53,474	1,492,462	1,755,240	- 262,778
Labour and demurrage	8,635	12,604	- 3,969	43,064	62,633	- 19,569
Total railway operating revenue	368,991	462,344	- 93,353	2,142,005	2,646,574	- 504,569
Passengers No.	1,123,335	1,470,717	-347,382	7,001,096	8,944,975	-1,943,879
Live-stock Tons	20,236	21,711	- 1,475	189,068	198,011	- 8,943
Timber "	19,125	34,352	- 15,227	92,768	183,862	- 91,094
Other goods "	350,849	454,262	-103,413	1,973,097	2,466,249	- 493,152
Total goods "	390,210	510,325	-120,115	2,254,933	2,848,122	- 593,189
Coad Motor Service—						
Passengers No.	163,394	248,962	- 85,568	906,059	1,262,481	- 356,422
Revenue £	5,169	7,751	- 2,582	29,500	39,832	- 10,332

ANALYSIS OF RAILWAY OPERATING EXPENDITURE.

	Four-weekly Period.			Year to Date.		
	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.	1931-32.	1930-31.	Variation.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Maintenance—						
Way and works	80,659	88,090	- 7,431	399,714	455,347	- 55,633
Signals and electrical appliances	10,293	7,630	+ 2,663	41,328	45,905	- 4,577
Rolling-stock	107,767	123,484	- 15,717	516,694	609,600	- 92,906
Transportation—						
Locomotive	97,040	124,888	- 27,848	499,986	658,302	-158,316
Traffic	110,945	140,631	- 29,686	564,527	722,036	-157,509
General charges	5,067	7,577	- 2,510	27,974	38,631	- 10,657
Superannuation subsidy	11,221	11,870	- 649	60,442	58,996	+ 1,446
Total operating expenses	422,992	604,170	- 81,178	2,110,665	2,588,817	-478,152
Net operating revenue	54,001	41,826	- 12,175	31,340	57,757	- 26,417
Total	368,991	462,344	- 93,353	2,142,005	2,646,574	-504,569

Capital cost of open lines as at 31st March, 1930 £ 57,787,671
 Capital cost of open lines as at 31st March, 1931 £ 60,545,154

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	Andrew, Henry William ..	Labourer ..	Te Kopuru ..	8/8/31	11/9/31	Intestate	Auckland.
2	Fraser, Henry ..	Retired indent agent	Auckland ..	22/8/31	11/9/31	"	"
3	Greer, Albert ..	Retired labourer	Crookston ..	21/4/31	11/9/31	Testate	Dunedin.
4	Hayes, George ..	Farm labourer ..	Mitcham ..	24/6/31	11/9/31	Intestate	Christchurch.
5	Johnston, Mary ..	Widow ..	Nelson ..	28/12/29	11/9/31	Testate	Nelson.
6	Kermode, Annie ..	Spinster ..	Spotswood ..	18/8/31	8/9/31	Intestate	Christchurch.
7	Knox, Thomas ..	Labourer ..	Abbotsford ..	1/8/31	11/9/31	"	Dunedin.
8	McGrath, Henry ..	Railway-crossing keeper	Christchurch ..	3/8/31	11/9/31	Testate	Christchurch.
9	McGuire, Samuel Maurice	Harbour Board employee	Auckland ..	14/8/31	11/9/31	Intestate	Auckland.
10	Morris, John ..	Carpenter ..	Wellington ..	21/8/31	11/9/31	Testate	Wellington.
11	Palmer, Charles Alfred ..	Labourer ..	" ..	3/8/31	8/9/31	Intestate	"
12	Porter, Catherine Clara ..	Widow ..	" ..	24/5/31	8/9/31	Testate	"
13	White, Hannah Elizabeth	Spinster ..	Wanganui, formerly Marton	3/8/31	8/9/31	"	"
14	Williams, Rose Caroline ..	Widow ..	Whangarei ..	26/7/31	8/9/31	Intestate	Auckland.
15	Worth, George ..	Postmaster ..	New Plymouth ..	11/8/31	8/9/31	"	New Plymouth.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 14th September, 1931.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Notice of Adoption under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1909.

Tokerau Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 9th September, 1931.

IT is hereby notified that the order of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder has been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909.

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ADOPTING parents: Merepaea Rai Tohu. Adopted child:
Ihapera Wiremu Mita Morunga.

*Whakaatu tangohanga Tamaiti Whangai i raro o Wahi IX
o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1909.*

Tari Kooti Whenua Maroi, Tokerau,
Akarana, 9 o Hepetema, 1931.

HE whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hangaia e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1909, tetahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o tetahi tamaiti whangai e whakaaturia nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro nei.

E. P. AARA, Kai-rehita.

KUPU APITI.

NGA matua whangai: Merepaea Rai Tohu. Tamaiti
Whangai: Ihapera Wiremu Mita Morunga.

Notice to Mariners No. 37 of 1931.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 16th September, 1931.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND.—BLUFF HARBOUR.

No. 1 Red Beacon: Alteration in Light.

Position: 167°, 1½ cables (approx.) from front beacon on Tewaewae Point.

Abridged Description: Fl. ev. 1½ sec., (U).

Alteration: On 1st October the fixed white light at present exhibited from the above beacon will be altered to flashing white every one and a half seconds, thus: Flash, 0.5 sec.; eclipse, 1.0 sec.

Remarks: The above light and the flashing white light on Channel Rocks beacon are in line, bearing 283°, and lead about 390 ft. clear of Tewaewae Rocks.

Vessels using the north channel should keep these lights in line until across the line of the first pair of white leading lights (in line 021°) when a course can be steered to round No. 1 beacon.

Charts affected: 3484—2540.

Publications: New Zealand Pilot, 1930, page 365; New Zealand Nautical Almanac and Tide-tables, pages 307 and 310 and plan of harbour.

Authority: Bluff Harbour Board, 10/9/31.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

(M. 3/3/232.)

Notice to Mariners No. 38 of 1931.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 16th September, 1931.

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—PORT NICHOLSON.

Halswell Point Beacon: Alteration in Colour.

Position: Halswell Point. Lat. 41° 17' S., long. 174° 50' E. (approx.)

Alteration: The colour of the above beacon has been altered from white, to white and black chequers.

Chart affected: 1423.

Publications: Admiralty List of Lights, Part VI, 1930, No. 3428. New Zealand Pilot, 1930, page 101; New Zealand Nautical Almanac and Tide-tables, page 235.

Authority: Wellington Harbour Board, 5/9/31.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

(M. 3/3/210.)

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

I, GEORGE HUME SEDDON, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Young Women's Christian Association of Poverty Bay (Incorporated) is no longer in operation, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Gisborne, this 10th day of September, 1931.

G. H. SEDDON,
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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

I, WILLIAM EDWARD BROWN, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Timber Royalties Protection Association (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on operations, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Hokitika, this 9th day of September, 1931.

W. E. BROWN,
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

I, WALTER HAROLD FLETCHER, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The New Zealand Restaurateurs, Pastrycooks, and Confectioners' Association (Incorporated) is defunct, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this 14th day of September, 1931.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 14th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, 21st October, 1931, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Fitzroy District.

LOT 5, part Section 11, Fitzroy District: Area, 24.2 perches. Upset price, £725.

A freehold section, situated in Lorna Street, Veale's Estate, New Plymouth, about one mile and a half from the post-office. There is a five-roomed dwelling, with concrete foundation, bathroom, washhouse, and scullery, and fitted with electric light, borough water-supply, range, open fireplace, hot and cold water, porcelain bath, sink, hot point, linen press, and cupboards.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

W. D. ARMIT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(L. and S. 9/2604.)

Settlement Lands in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 14th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned settlement lands will be offered for sale for cash by public auction at the Courthouse, Waimate, on Thursday, the 29th October, 1931, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Waimate County.—Town of Morven.—Waitaki Survey District.—Waikakahi Settlement.

- SECTION 10, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 12, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 14, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
Section 15, Block II: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 12, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
Section 14, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £25.
Section 16, Block IV: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £20.
Section 3, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 4, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 6, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
Section 7, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 8, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
Section 10, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £12.
Section 12, Block V: Area, 1 rood 12 perches. Upset price, £15.
Section 13, Block V: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 14, Block V: Area, 38 perches. Upset price, £15.
Section 2, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £40.
Section 4, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £30.
Section 5, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 7, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 9, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 11, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £15.
Section 12, Block VI: Area, 1 rood. Upset price, £25.

The sections are situated in Morven Township, on the western side of the railway-line, and comprise flat land in old pasture with fair-quality soil. Sections 2 and 4, Block VI, front on to Maclean Street, the main highway, while the remaining sections have frontage to Buckley, Harris, Beach, John, and Allan Streets, all of which are formed. All sections are adjacent to railway, school, and post-office, and are eminently suitable for building purposes.

Full particulars can be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch.

W. STEWART,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(L. and S. 9/56.)

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 14th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlement Act, 1925, and amendments, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 19th October, 1931.

Applicants should appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, 21st October, 1931, at 10 o'clock a.m., but if any applicant is unable to attend he may be examined by any other Land Board or by any Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SCHEDULE.

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

Levels County.—Claremont Settlement.—Pareora and Otaio Survey Districts.

SECTION 6B, Block XV, and Section 8, Block III: Area, 385 acres 2 roods 35 perches. Capital value, £3,140. Half-yearly rent, £78 10s.

Loaded with £418, for improvements consisting of dwelling and outbuildings, £225; fencing, £148; and plantation and dams, £45; such amount to be paid in cash.

Situated about eleven miles from Timaru by good metalled road, and consists of undulating downs of good-quality agricultural land; altitude ranging from 200 ft. to 1,100 ft. above sea-level. Watered by small creeks and dams. About 237 acres in good pasture, 72 acres in wornout pasture (affected with twitch), and balance in stubble. Under average conditions property should carry 425 breeding ewes and 12 dairy cows, and leave an area of 35 acres for growing rape, turnips, and green feed.

Form of lease may be perused and full particulars obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch.

W. STEWART,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(L. and S. 32/214.)

Land in the Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 14th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be opened for selection in terms of the Land Act, 1924; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 12th October, 1931.

The land may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or on deferred payments, or be selected on renewable lease.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, on Wednesday, 14th October, 1931, 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.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Clutha County.—Glenomaru Survey District.

(Exempt from the payment of rent or interest for four years.)

SECTIONS 42, 43, and 44, Block X: Area, 642 acres 2 roods 3 perches. Capital value, £225. Deposit on deferred payments, £15; half-yearly instalment on deferred payments, £6 16s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4 10s.

After payment of first half-year's rent (or deposit on deferred payments, as the case may be) no further rent (or such parts of the instalment on deferred payments as consist of interest) will be demanded for four years.

Weighted with the sum of £200, for improvements comprising dwelling, cow-byre, scullery, approximately 160 acres felled, burned, and grassed, and internal fencing.

This sum may be paid in cash or left on mortgage for a term of twenty years; interest in the case of a civilian to be 5½ per cent., or in the case of a soldier 5 per cent.

Situated about two miles and a half from Glenomaru Railway-station and post-office, and about nine miles from Owaka. Access by good formed road from Glenomaru. Well watered by creeks and springs. Suitable for grazing sheep and dry cattle. About 160 acres felled and grassed; balance bush. Large portion of the land steep and back-lying.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

N. C. KENSINGTON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(L. and S. 9/2689.)

Education Reserve in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 14th September, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Education Reserve is offered for lease by tender, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1928, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, and amendments,

and written tenders addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, and marked "Tender for Education Reserve Lease," must reach the above-mentioned office not later than 4 o'clock on Wednesday, 21st October, 1931.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVE.

Paparoa County.—Rolleston Survey District.

RESERVE 1164, Block XII, 34 acres.

Loaded with £15, for improvements comprising about 65 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing; such amount to be paid in cash.

Situated about three miles and a half from Templeton Railway-station by good road. Sheep-grazing land of medium quality. When cleared will grow oats, turnips, and rape. Seven acres of potatoes (fair crop) go with the property.

Form of lease may be perused and full particulars obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

W. STEWART,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(L. and S. 20/445.)

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN JOSEPH POWELL, of Kamo, Shop-manager, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Courthouse, Whangarei, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of September, 1931, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Whangarei, this 9th day of September, 1931.

A. L. TRESIDDER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ELLA MAUDE RENNIE, of Newmarket, Auckland, Draper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Law Court Building, High Street, Auckland, on Friday, the 18th day of September, 1931, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 9th day of September, 1931.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STANLEY KEMP, Farmer, of Paroa, near Whakatane, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Whakatane, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, 1931, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Auckland, this 9th day of September, 1931.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAM GOODNIGHT, of Wairoa, Native Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, 1931, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Wairoa, this 11th day of September, 1931.

N. BUTCHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that NORMAN CHAN, trading as "T. Sing and Co.," of New Plymouth, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 18th day of September, 1931, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at New Plymouth, this 9th day of September, 1931.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that KATHERINE ANGES SHACKLETON, of Hawera, Married Woman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Courthouse, on Wednesday, the 16th day of September, 1931, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Hawera, this 10th day of September, 1931.

C. O. PRATT,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD GEORGE McDUGALL, of Palmerston North, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 18th day of September, 1931, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Palmerston North, this 8th day of September, 1931.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN BOOLIERIS and DENNIS BOOLIERIS, of Piccadilly Restaurant, Lambton Quay, Wellington, carrying on business in partnership as Restaurateurs, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 24th day of September, 1931, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of September, 1931.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDDIE VALENTINE COLEMAN, of Motupiko, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 24th day of September, 1931, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

11th September, 1931.

F. MITCHELL,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Aiton, Robert Henry, of Waimea Street, Nelson, Accountant—First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.

Batchelor, Clarence Nelson, of Motueka, Farmer—First and final dividend of 4s. 11½d. in the pound.

Berryman, Henry Giles, of Kohatu, Farmer—Supplementary dividend of 1d. in the pound.
 Bruce, Alfred (sometimes wrongly called Albert) Robert Ashley, of Takaka, Labourer—First and final dividend of 3s. 7½d. in the pound.
 Jennens, Eric Leslie, of Gowan Bridge, Storekeeper—Second and final dividend of 7½d. in the pound.
 Lowe, Charles Edward, of Motueka, Orchardist—Supplementary dividend of 6½d. in the pound.
 McCubbin, Hugh James, of Gowan Bridge, Storekeeper—First dividend of 6s. 8d. in the pound.
 Shine, Jeremiah Joseph, of Nelson, Hotelkeeper—First and final dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound.
 Skjellerup, Arthur Williamson, of Nelson, Gramophone and Bicycle Dealer—Second and final dividend of 2s. 0½d. in the pound.
 Spiers, Maurice Edward Victor, of Nelson and Takaka, Motor-service Proprietor—First and final dividend of 1s. 10½d. in the pound.
 Wells, Claude George, of Wakefield, Farmer—First and final dividend of 7½d. in the pound.
 Win, Donald George, of New Street, Nelson, Labourer—First and final dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound.
 Wilson, Robert Arnold (deceased), late of Tasman, Orchardist—First and final dividend of 1s. 5d. in the pound.

F. MITCHELL,

Official Assignee.

Nelson, 11th September, 1931.

In Bankruptcy.—in the Supreme Court holden at Westport.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD OSWALD STOWELL, of Westport, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 23rd day of September, 1931, at 10 o'clock a.m.

W. T. SLEE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

15th September, 1931.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES L. CARRINGTON, of Sawyers Arms Road, Papanui, Christchurch, Barman, 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 Tuesday, the 15th day of September, 1931, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 7th day of September, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.*

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES WILLIAM HAYNES, of 42 Gloucester Street, Christchurch, Salesman, 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 Wednesday, the 16th day of September, 1931, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 8th day of September, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.*

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCIVAL GEORGE Busing, of 94 Richardson Terrace, Woolston, Christchurch, Builder, 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 17th day of September, 1931, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Christchurch, this 8th day of September, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON,
Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.*

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD JOHN PATRICK O'LOUGHLIN, of St. Andrews, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 21st day of September, 1931, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

Detad at Timaru, this 9th day of September, 1931.

W. HARTE,
Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.*

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID ROBERTSON, of Dunedin, Painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Supreme Court Buildings, Stuart Street, Dunedin, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, 1931, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.
 Dated at Dunedin, this 12th day of September, 1931.

D. C. E. WEBSTER,
Acting Official Assignee.**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 19th October, 1931:—

7708. THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PROPERTY TRUSTEES.—Part of Allotment 51, Parish of Taupiri, containing 33.8 perches, fronting Great South Road, in the Huntly Town District. Occupied by applicants. Plan 21147.

8028. THE TAUPIRI COAL-MINES, LIMITED.—Part of Allotment 51, Parish of Taupiri, containing 17.8 perches, situated in the Huntly Town District. Occupied by applicant. Plan 21147.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1931, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

W. JOHNSTON, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in favour of JOHN BROWN, of Longridge, Farmer, for Section 613, Hokonui District, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. LXIII, folio 101, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a new certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, this 10th day of September, 1931.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Tom Thumbgolf, Limited. 1930/257.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this 9th day of September, 1931.

E. S. MOLONY,
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 name of the undermentioned company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company dissolved:—

Primes Limited. 1920/5.

Given under my hand at Gisborne, this 7th day of September, 1931.

G. H. SEDDON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved:—

B. Green, Limited. 1928/1.
Dominion Supplies (N.Z.), Limited. 1928/7.

Given under my hand at Gisborne, this 10th day of September, 1931.

G. H. SEDDON,
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 dissolved:—

Alfred Chance, Limited. 1928/176.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 15th day of September, 1931.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the expiration of three months from this date, the names of the under-mentioned companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved:—

Savage Brothers, Limited. 1927/177.
Marton Bacon Company, Limited. 1927/163.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this 15th day of September, 1931.

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:—

Moonlight Limited. 1926/9.

Given under my hand at Hokitika, this 9th day of September, 1931.

W. E. BROWN,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE THAMES AND MERSEY INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that THE THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, a company duly incorporated in Great Britain, intends to cease voluntarily to carry on business in the Dominion of New Zealand after the 31st day of December, 1931.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1931.

W. H. COWPER,
Attorney for the Company in New Zealand.
Duncan, Cotterill, and Co.,
Solicitors, Christchurch. 440

CHANGE OF NAME.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned RUBY MAY TAYLOR, of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, and Dominion of New Zealand, Spinster (heretofore known as RUBY MAY BANKS), being a British subject, have by deed poll dated the 7th day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and enrolled in the Supreme Court Office at Auckland, renounced and abandoned by surname of "Banks," and assigned and adopted the surname of "Taylor" for all purposes whatsoever.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1931.

444 RUBY MAY TAYLOR.

MERCHANDISE TRADING CO., LTD., NEW PLYMOUTH.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by special resolution passed on the 9th day of September, 1931, the above-named company has resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. A. ADAM, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator.

A. ADAM, Liquidator.

Address: Egmont Street, New Plymouth. 446

T. L. HATHAWAY, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special general meeting of shareholders of T. L. HATHAWAY, LTD., held on the 25th August, 1931, it was resolved that the company go into voluntary liquidation.

It was also resolved that ROBERT KYLE, of Auckland, be appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the company.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1931.

R. KYLE, Liquidator.

G.P.O. Box 628, Auckland. 447

TROWNSON AND PALMER, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of TROWNSON AND PALMER, LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT a meeting of shareholders of the above company, held on the 8th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed:—

"That it has 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, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that THOMAS BALLINGALL, of Wanganui, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

T. BALLINGALL, Liquidator.

10th September, 1931. 448

THE PETONE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LIMITED.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand,
Wellington District,
Wellington Registry.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of THE PETONE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LIMITED.

BY an order made by the Honourable Mr. Justice Reed in the above matter, dated the 11th day of September, 1931, on the petition of E. W. Mills and Company, Limited, it was ordered that the Petone Building Construction Company, Limited, be wound up by the Supreme Court.

MEEK, KIRK, HARDING, PHILLIPS, AND FREE,
Solicitors for the Petitioning Creditor.

"Brandon House,"
Featherston Street, Wellington. 449

NELSON DIOCESAN TRUST BOARD.

In the matter of the Religious, Charitable, and Educational Trusts Act, 1908, and its amendments.

IN pursuance of section 24 of the above-mentioned Act notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of July, 1931, at the Supreme Court, at Nelson, an order was made by the Honourable Mr. Justice MacGregor approving of a scheme to divert the sum of twelve thousand eight hundred pounds (£12,800) from the bequest of Frances Charters Marsden to the Nelson Diocesan Trust Board of £10,000 and accumulated interest, upon trust, towards the cost of the erection of a spire or main spire (if there be more than one) of the new Church of England Cathedral to be erected in the City of Nelson, and to apply the said sum of £12,800 for the purpose of rendering that portion of the nave of the new cathedral now erected fit for use for worship (including the erection of a roof, the provision of seating, lighting, and heating, and the utilization of certain portions of the present building).

Dated at Nelson, this 10th day of September, 1931.

FRANK MITCHELL,
Registrar of the Supreme Court,
at Nelson.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, CHARLES FRANCIS DE MONCHAUX, M.B. (Sydney), 1922, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 8th October, 1931, 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 Dunedin.

CHARLES DE MONCHAUX,

Dunedin Hospital.

Dated at Dunedin, 8th September, 1931. 451

W. H. BAIN AND CO., LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of W. H. BAIN AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the said company, Kimbolton Road, Feilding, on the 24th day of August, 1931, the following resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened and held at the same place on Friday, the 11th day of September, 1931, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz. :—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at such last-mentioned meeting HERBERT EDWARD TREMAIN, of Feilding, Company Secretary, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1931.

T. COLLINS, Chairman.

Witness—C. W. Taylor, Solicitor, Feilding. 452

THE GOLDEN STATE HONEY COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above company, held on the 9th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed :—

“That it is proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up accordingly under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that JOHN HENRY BARTLETT, of Paeroa, Public Accountant, be and hereby is appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated at Paeroa, this 11th day of September, 1931.

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J. H. BARTLETT, Liquidator.

JOHN D. HAMMOND, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of JOHN D. HAMMOND, LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT a meeting of shareholders of the above company held on the 7th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed :—

“That it has 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, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that THOMAS BALLINGALL, of Wanganui, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

T. BALLINGALL, Liquidator.

12th September, 1931.

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THE SOUTHERN MINES DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of THE SOUTHERN MINES DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company held on 31st August, 1931, and adjourned to the 7th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed at such adjourned meeting :—

“That it has 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,

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and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that THOMAS BALLINGALL, of Wanganui, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

T. BALLINGALL, Liquidator.

12th September, 1931.

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HERCULES MINES CONSOLIDATED, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of THE HERCULES MINES CONSOLIDATED, LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of THE HERCULES MINES CONSOLIDATED, LIMITED, held on the 31st August, 1931, and adjourned to the 7th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed at such adjourned meeting :—

“That it has 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, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that THOMAS BALLINGALL, of Wanganui, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

T. BALLINGALL, Liquidator.

12th September, 1931.

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BLACKWATER OIL (N.Z.) EXPLORATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the BLACKWATER OIL (N.Z.) EXPLORATION COMPANY, LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of THE BLACKWATER OIL (N.Z.) EXPLORATION COMPANY, LIMITED, held on the 31st August, 1931, and adjourned to the 7th September, 1931, the following resolution was passed at such adjourned meeting :—

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