and which balance-sheet was submitted to the annual meeting of shareholders held in London on the 20th December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

GEO. A. DOUGALL, Attorney.

Declared at Thames this 22nd day of February, 1913, before me-Frank H. Claxton, J.P.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the 909 Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed company are required, on or before the 14th day of March, 1913, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to George Stumbles, the Liquidator of the said company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

Dated this twentieth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

GEORGE STUMBLES.

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Liquidator.

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HIKURANGI TOWN DISTRICT.

DECLARATION OF POLL ON PROPOSAL TO ADOPT SYSTEM OF RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUE.

DURSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, on the proposal that the system of rating properties in the said town district be on the basis of the unimproved value, resulted as follows:-

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 58,

the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 10.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Hikurangi this thirty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

T. R. GAGER, Chairman, Hikurangi Town Board.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

OTICE is hereby given that SEAD-GOWING AND CRAVEN CITICE is hereby given that SEAD-GOWING AND CRAVEN (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England, proposes to carry on business at the following parts of New Zealand—viz., Canterbury, Dunedin, Auckland, and Wellington; and that the offices or places of business of the company in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be addressed or delivered, are situate at the following places—viz., Australasia Chambers, Cashel Street, Christchurch, and Australasia Chambers, Customhouse Quay, Wellington.

Dated this fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

JOHN SEAD-GOWING,

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Attorney for the said Company.

AWHITU ROAD BOARD.

Awhitu Road Board, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute certain public works, to wit, to take land for the construction of roads, and for the purpose of such public works the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that copies of the plans of the said roads, and of the lands required to be taken are open for inspection at the residence of Henry Garland, Clerk to the Board. All persons affected by the taking of such lands are invited to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection to the execution of the said public works, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the clerk of the Awhitu Road Board.

Schedule.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:-

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.		Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Sheet No. of Plan	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Survey District of
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HY. GARLAND.

Clerk, Awhitu Road Board.

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