

CASTLEPOINT COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

WHEREAS the Castlepoint County Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow £900 for the purpose of rebuilding the Hangman's Bridge, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has provisionally approved the application for such loan at the rate of £3½ per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance such loan (namely, £900) at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of 4½ (four and a half) pounds per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Castlepoint County Council hereby resolves: That, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such loan (namely, £900), the said Castlepoint County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one forty-fifth part of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property comprised within the whole of the County of Castlepoint; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until such loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed by the Castlepoint County Council at a special meeting held on the 17th day of May, 1913.

H. SUTTON,
County Clerk.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Castlepoint County was hereunto affixed this 17th day of May, 1913, in the presence of—

H. H. S. RYDER, Chairman.
ALEXR. G. PILMER, Councillor.
H. SUTTON, Clerk.

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THE RIVERSIDE DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the above-named company will be held in Dr. Collins's Surgery, Hobson Street, Wellington, on Friday, the 20th day of June, 1913, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's account of the liquidation and hearing any explanation he may desire to give.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of June, 1913.

PETHERICK AND MACHELL,
Solicitors for the Liquidator.

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