

*Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,166 13s. 4d. proposed to be raised by the County of Waitomo.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-third day of June, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waitomo County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand one hundred and sixty-six pounds thirteen shillings and fourpence for metalling and culverting the Otewa Roads within the Otewa Special-rating Area, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments :

And whereas the special roll was not deposited for public inspection in accordance with the provisions in the above-mentioned Acts and the regulations thereunder, inasmuch as the special roll was not deposited prior to the obtaining of the written consent of the ratepayers :

And whereas in the public notification of the deposit the time within which the objections to the special roll would be received was erroneously stated to be within seven days from the first day of the deposit of the special roll instead of within seven days from the last day of the deposit of the special roll :

And whereas the public notification was not given on the first day of the deposit as required by number two of the aforesaid regulations, but was given on the day following such deposit :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and it is expedient to validate the said proceedings :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said proceedings shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said roll had been legally deposited and public notification thereof, and of all matters in connection therewith, given in the proper manner, and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

J. F. ANDREWS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-third day of June, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and seventy-eight of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that where the configuration of any borough is such as that within any particular area or areas thereof it is difficult or inexpedient to construct streets of a width of sixty-six feet, as required by the said Act, the Governor may, by Order in Council defining the limits of such particular area or areas, authorize the Council to permit within such area or areas the construction of streets and private streets of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty feet :

And whereas the configuration of part of the City of Dunedin is such that within the area described in the Schedule hereto it is inexpedient to construct a street of sixty-six feet in width :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor 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 Dunedin City Council to permit the laying-off of a street of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty feet, within the area described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the City of Dunedin, comprising an area of 1 acre 0 roods 19 perches, being Allotment 74 and part of Allotments 75 and 76, Township of Linden, being part of Original Section 6, Block III, Upper Kaikorai District ; as the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35622, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon bordered yellow.

J. F. ANDREWS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing the Rangiora Timber Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Hokianga Harbour as a Site for stacking Timber.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-third day of June, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, the Rangiora Timber Company (Limited), of Kohukohu (hereinafter called "the company"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license, under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Rangiora, in Hokianga Harbour, as a site for stacking timber thereon ; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3999) showing the place in the said harbour and the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose : And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work 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 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 company on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, 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 company 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 company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid as a site for stacking timber ; such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "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 shown and edged in red on the said plan marked M.D. 3999.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the company shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £5 in advance, such annual payments to date from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the company being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority ; and the company shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

5. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the company three months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall