In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of "New Zealand Greenstone (Limited)."

MICHAEL HANNAN, the Attorney for New Zealand I, MICHAEL HANNAN, the Attorney for New Zealand of New Zealand Greenstone (Limited), a duly incor-porated company registered in the State of New South Wales, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the attached paper writing marked "A" is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as and on the twenty-third day of March, 1914, being the date of the last balance-sheet of the said company; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand initialed the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

M. HANNAN

Declared at Greymouth this thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, before me-Joseph \mathbf{T}_{aylor} , a Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

"A."

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company : New Zealand Greenstone (Limited). When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand : 26th April, 1912; 17th July, 1912.

Mathew Zesisauu: zoth April, 1912; 17th July, 1912. Whether in active operation or not: In active operation. Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Greymouth and Wainihinihi; Michael Hannan. Where mine is situate: Griffen's Range, Mount Brown and McArthur's Craggs, Turawhate Survey District. Nominal capital: £60.000.

Amount of capital subscribed : £52,587.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand : £9,725.

(a) In fully-paid up shares: £32,000.
(b) In partly paid-up shares: Nil.
(c) In cash: Nil.

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 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 60,000.
 Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 33,442.
 Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register) Old issue: Paid up to £1, £47,070; 5s., £870; 12s. 6d.,

£50.

New issue: Paid up to 7s. 6d., £855; 5s., £2,667; 2s. 6d., £475.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register) : Old Amount called up per snare (New Zealand Register): Ou issue, £1; new issue, 7s. 6d. Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): £259 12s. 6d. Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register: 10.

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 98.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand : 17. Number of men employed by company's contractors: 14. Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand : Nil.

Total expenditure, since registration, on mining in New Zealand : £12,478.

Zealand: £12,276. Total expenditure since registration: £13.934. Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: Nil. Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £417 15s. 5d. Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand : £51.

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Amount of such debts considered good : Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand : £1,076.

This is the statement marked "A" referred to in the declaration of Michael Hannan sworn and declared before me this 31st day of July, 1914.

> JOSEPH TAYLOR, A Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

WESTERN TAIERI LAND DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the We tern Taieri Land Drainage Board held in the Board's office, Mosgiel, on Monday, the 27th day of July,

Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows : That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £12,000, authorized to be raised by the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of completing the scheme of drainage now being carried out—that is to say, the con-tour channel, diversion of Wyllies Creek, subsidiary drains and embankments—the said Western Taieri Land Drainage and embankments—the said Western Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of twelve, eleven, ten, nine, six, and four and one-half pence per acre on "A," "B," "C," "D," "E," and "F" classes of land respectively upon all the rateable land within the specialrespectively upon all the rateable land within the special-rating area, the said special-rating area comprising River Sections 1 to 34, both inclusive; Sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 36, 37, 38; parts Sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 34, and 35, Irregular Block; the whole of Blocks One, Two, and Six; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, parts Sections 10, 11, and 12 of Block Three; parts Sections 1, 2, and 3 of Block Four; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, and part Section 6 of Block Five; all of Taieri Survey District: the whole of Blocks Three, Four, and Five; Sections 1 of 1, 2 of 1, 1 of 2, 2 of 2, 4, 1 of 6, 2 of 16, 18, 20, and part Section 43 of Block One: 4, 1 of 16, 2 of 16, 18, 20, and part Section 43 of Block One; Sections 2, 1 of 4, 2 of 4, 1 of 6, 2 of 6, 8, 10, 12, part Sections 6, 7, and 8 and Sections 10 to 82 (both inclusive) of Block Six; all Maungatua Survey District: being all the

land within the following boundaries :---Commencing at a point on the right bank of the Taieri River on the north-western boundary of River Section 34, Taieri Survey District; thence along the right bank of the Taieri River to its junction with the main outlet of Lakes Taieri River to its junction with the main outlet of Lakes Waihola and Waipori; thence along the left bank of the main outlet from Lake Waipori, being the southern and western boundaries of Sections 31, 30, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 11, and 10, Block VI, Maungatua Survey District, to the shore of Lake Waipori; thence along the south-eastern shores of Lakes Waipori and Tatawai to the corner of Sec-tion 46, Block VI, Maungatua Survey District; thence along the north-eastern and north-western shores of Lakes Tatawai to the left bank of the contour channel in Section 8, Block VI. Maungatua Survey District; thence along the left bank of to the left bank of the contour channel in Section 8, Block VI. Maungatua Survey District; thence along the left bank of the contour channel to the south-western boundary of Sec-tion 12, Block II, Maungatua Survey District; thence in a north-westerly direction along the south-western boundary of norm-westerly direction along the sound-western boundary of the said Section 12 to the main road Berwick to Outram; thence along the said road to Woodside Road at north-east corner of Section 1, Block IV, Taieri Survey District; thence along Woodside Road to Woodside; thence by Woodside– Outram Road to the north-east boundary of Section 6, Block V, Taieri Survey District; thence in a south-easterly direction along the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Section 6 and 1. Block V. Taieri Survey District; thence of Sections 6 and 1, Block V, Taieri Survey District; thence in a north-easterly direction along the road forming the north-western boundary of Section 7, Block I, Taieri Survey District, and River Section 34, Taieri Survey District, to the point of commencement (excluding Government railways).

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 July and the first day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off. Dated at Mosgiel this 29th day of July, 1914.

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W. E. McLEAN, Clerk.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND IN BLOCK I, WYNDHAM DISTRICT, FOR THE PURPOSES OF A PUBLIC ROAD.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a public road in Block I. Wyndham District; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the offices of the Southland County Council, Clyde Street, Invercergill, and is there open for inspection ; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any wellgrounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publi-