the said town district shall not form part of the County of Whakatane, being the county within the boundaries of which it is situated:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Town Boards Amendment Act, 1908 (No. 2), and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that, on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the Whakatane Town District shall not form part of the County of Whakatane.

J. F. ANDREWS, Clerk of the Executive Council

Land temporarily reserved for Defence Purposes in the Borough of Palmerston North, Wellington Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for defence pur-

described in the Schedule hereunder written, for defence purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 12·2 perches, more or less, being part of Section 639, Borough of Palmerston North. Bounded towards the north-west by Main Street East, 30·54 links; towards the north-east by Section 637, 250·63 links; towards the south-east by Section 640, 30·54 links; and towards the south-west by the other part of Section 639, 250·63 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delined as the same was a second of the same and delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/301, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twentieth day of October, one thousand nire hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL For Minister of Lands.

Postmasters appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the persons set out in the Schedule hereto, being persons holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at the places set opposite their names in the said Schedule, are authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MUNRO, JOHN THOMPSON .. Marsden Point. . . Marshall, William .. Awatuna.

As witness my hand this fourteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Members of South Orari River Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 7th October, 1914. weinington, 7th October, 1914.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint appoint

Andrew Rollo Guild and George Ward

to be members of the South Orari River_Board, in terms of subsection (2) of section 6 of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

H. D. BELL Minister of Internal Affairs. Appointment of District Health Officer under the Public Health Act, 1908.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th October, 1914.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

SYDNEY SMITH, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.,

to be a District Health Officer, under section 8 of the Public Health Act, 1908, as from the 21st day of October, 1914.

A. J. H. BENGE, Secretary.

Appointment of Member of Oamaru Harbour Board.

Marine Department, Wellington, 15th October, 1914. T is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 18 of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, as amended by section 2 of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1913, appointed JASPER NICHOLLS

to be a member of the Oamaru Harbour Board, in place of William Gardiner, resigned. F. M. B. FISHER.

Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 15th October, 1914.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Bullia Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Bullia Commissioner. lowing appointment in the Public Service:-ALBERT VICTOR KING

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Otautau, as from the 1st November, 1914.

A. J. H. BENGE, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office. Wellington, 19th October, 1914.

T is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :-

Name. District. JOHN BARNETT Dipton. ALEXANDER DAWSON .. Takapau. ISABELLA SANDFORD ... Newman.

W. W. COOK. Deputy Registrar-General.

By-law of the Riccarton Borough Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 15th October, 1914.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by law made by the Riccarton Borough Council on the 11th September, 1914. H. D. BELL,

Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-law, and declare that the same came into force on the 14th day of September, 1914.

Dated this 15th day of October, 1914.

H. D. BELL Minister of Internal Affairs.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Solar Terrace, Holm Avenue, and District Road, in the Town of Margate Extension No. 1, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 6th October, 1914.

In pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Lord 1900 and 1900 are the Lord 1900 are the me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Solar Terrace, Holm Avenue, and District Road, in the Town of Margate Extension No. 1, Otago Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL. For Minister of Lands.