

and Solicitors under the style of "Martin, Atkinson, & Martin" has been dissolved by mutual consent as on the 31st July last. The practice will be carried on at the offices of the late firm, 162 Featherston Street, Wellington, by the two other partners under the style of "Martin and Martin," and they will receive and pay respectively all moneys owing to or by the late firm.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1915.

T. F. MARTIN.
S. A. ATKINSON.
F. M. MARTIN.

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HOKIANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £5,000.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hokianga County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Hokianga County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling roads in the Broadwood Special Area, and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, the said Hokianga County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of threepence (3d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the Broadwood Special-rating Area confined within a line commencing at boundary of Kohukohu Township on S.E. corner of Pikiparia Block, and proceeding thence northward by the Mangamuka River to the Rahurahu Creek; thence westward by that stream until it meets the northern boundary of Section 61, Karae Block; and thence generally in a N.W. and N. direction by the northern boundary of Sections 62 and 64 and the eastern boundary of Sections 65, 68, 69, 73, and 74 to the N.E. corner of that section, and thence westward by the northern boundary of Section 74 to the north-western corner of Section 51, and thence southward by the western boundary of Sections 51 and 50, all in the Karae Block, to Pahikahuri; from thence generally in a westward direction by the southern boundary of the State forest reserve until it reaches the north-west corner of Section 69, Education Reserve, Block II, Whangape S.D.; from thence southward by the western boundary of that section, Section 64 and Section 1, Pareokawa Block; from thence southward and westward by the boundaries of Block III, Whangape S.D., to the south-east corner of Section 4 of that survey district; thence by the eastern boundaries of Sections 4, 6, 7, 24, 23, 22, 21, and 20 to the north-east corner of Section 20, from thence by the southern and eastern boundaries of Section 16, all in Block III, Whangape S.D.; from thence by the southern boundaries of Sections 36, 37, and 38, Block I, Whangape S.D., and by the northern boundary of Section 38, Karae Block, to the north-east corner of that section; from thence by the eastern boundary of Sections 38, 36, 34, 33, 21, 22, and 23 to the southern corner of Section 14, from thence by the southern and south-eastern boundaries of Sections 14, 10, 9, 7, 5, and 3, all in the Karae Block, until it meets the north-western boundary of Pikiparia Block B; from thence southward by the western boundary of that block and by following the boundaries of Pikiparia Block A until it reaches the original starting-point. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1915.

F. T. BRYERS,
County Clerk.

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