

*Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment, under section 43 (1) and (2) and section 44 of the Defence Act, 1909, of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

THE PONGAROA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Pongarua, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

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THE TE KAPU DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Frasertown, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

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Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

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THE HINAKURA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Hinakura, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Acceptance of Services of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under section 43 (1) and (2) of the Defence Act, 1909, the services of—

THE REMUERA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Remuera, Auckland Military District.  
Date of acceptance, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Grant of Temporary Rank to an Officer, New Zealand Staff Corps.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the grant of temporary rank to the undermentioned officer, dated 1st April, 1916:—

*\*New Zealand Staff Corps.*

Lieutenant Douglas Bryan is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Assistant Military Secretary and Aide-de-Camp to the Commandant, New Zealand Military Forces.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Special Order made by the Waitaki County Council altering Boundaries of Ridings.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

THE following special order, made by the Waitaki County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

## COUNTY OF WAITAKI.

*Alterations of Boundaries of Ahuriri and Otekaike Ridings.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers, provisions, and authorities contained and conferred by the Counties Act, 1908, or any amendment thereof, the Council of the County of Waitaki resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That the boundaries of the Ahuriri and Otekaike Ridings be altered, and that they be as follows:—

**Ahuriri Riding.**—Bounded towards the north by the Westland County; towards the east by the Mackenzie and Waimate Counties to the junction of the Awakino River with the Waitaki River; thence by the Awakino River to the junction of the east and west branches of the same river; thence by the east branch of the Awakino River to block-line running north and south, being the western boundary of Block 9, Kurow Survey District, to the southern boundary of Block 9; thence in a line due south through Trig. 1, being the block-line between Domett and Mount Buster Survey Districts to the Maniototo County boundary; thence by the Maniototo County boundary to the point of commencement.

**Otekaike Riding.**—Bounded towards the west by the Ahuriri Riding; towards the north-east by the Waimate County; towards the south-east and east by the Maerewhenua River as far as Block 9, Maerewhenua; thence by the western boundaries of Blocks 7 and 8, Maerewhenua, and Blocks 10 and 9, Kauroo, as far as the Kakanui River; thence by the Kakanui River; thence by the south branch of the Kakanui River and northern boundary of Run 217 to Kakanui Peak; and towards the south-west and south by the Maniototo County; thence by the Maniototo County boundary to the point of commencement.

I certify that the above description is sufficient to identify the proposed boundaries on the maps of this Department.

ROBT. T. SADD, Chief Surveyor.

18th September, 1916.

The above special order was passed at a special meeting of the Council of the County of Waitaki held on the 5th day of August, 1916, and duly confirmed at a special meeting of such Council held on the 9th day of September, 1916.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waitaki was affixed to the above-written special order, in the presence of—

GEO. LIVINGSTONE, Chairman.  
G. A. TRAVIS, County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made as required by law.

GEO. LIVINGSTONE, Chairman.  
Oamaru, 9th September, 1916.

*Special Order made by the Omaka Road Board.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

THE following special order, made by the Omaka Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

## OMAKA ROAD BOARD.

*Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings at a Meeting held on the 10th Day of August, 1916, at 11 a.m.—Special Order authorizing Loan of £666.*

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 41 of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, and by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of every other power (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Omaka Road Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

1. That the Board proceed to raise a loan of six hundred and sixty-six pounds (£666) for the purpose of paying the balance due by the Board on a levy made by the Wairau Hospital and Charitable Aid Board on the 13th day of October, 1915, for the purpose of the erection of the Nurses' Home and the completion of the erection of the new hospital at Blenheim.

2. That the said loan be called "The Omaka Road Board Hospital Contribution Loan of £666, 1916."

3. That the currency of the said loan shall be for a period of thirty-six (36) years, commencing on the 1st day of August, 1916, and maturing on the 1st day of August, 1952.

4. That the interest on the said loan shall be at the rate of five pounds five shillings (£5½) per centum per annum, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st days of February and August.