

purposes not included under (b) above and unpaid on the 31st July, 1916.

- (f.) A list of the contracts for buildings and other purposes entered into but uncompleted, showing the amount of the contract-money and the amount of instalments paid in each case.
- (g.) A statement showing any arrangements made for the conveyance of children to schools, together with all particulars in each case, such as conditions, rates of payment, and amounts due.
- (h.) A list of school-sites, whether occupied by school buildings or not, showing in each case the number, block, area, tenure, and how obtained.
- (i.) A list of school buildings and residences, showing dates of erection, subsequent additions, number of rooms, areas of class-rooms, and brief description of present condition.
- (j.) A list of the scholarship-holders, showing in each case the kind of scholarship, tenure, annual amount, school at which held, and date up to which payment is made.
- (k.) Generally such further information as the Minister shall deem necessary.

8. All minute-books, account-books, correspondence, records, contracts, plans, agreements, leases, proclaimed boundaries of school districts, and all other books, papers, and documents belonging to an old Board which refer exclusively to the public and technical schools and other institutions within a new district, or to the teachers and other officers who by virtue of the said Act or these regulations become the servants of the Board of such new district, shall become the property of the latter Board, and shall be handed over by the old Board prior to the 9th August, 1916, to the person appointed by the Minister to receive them on behalf of the new Board: Provided that where the whole of an old district becomes part of a new district then all the books, records, papers, and other documents belonging to or in the possession of the old Board shall become the property of the new Board, and shall be so handed over by the date aforesaid.

9. Each old Board shall pay the salaries and wages due to the officers, teachers, and other employees in its service till the 31st July, 1916, and each new Board shall pay the salaries and wages as from the 1st August, 1916, of the officers, teachers, and other employees that in accordance with the said Act and these regulations continue to hold their appointments under such new Board.

10. Similarly each old Board shall pay the allowances for incidental expenses to each School Committee in its district till the 31st July, 1916, and each new Board shall pay such allowances as from the 1st August, 1916, according to the scale in operation in the old education district to which the school district belonged until such time as the new Board decides to alter the scale of allowances.

11. Whenever upon the constitution of the new education districts under the said Act an old education district is divided so that part is within one new district and part within another, the Boards of the new districts concerned may by an agreement executed under their common seals make such an adjustment in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and these regulations of the property or funds, including grants from the Government for maintenance and rebuilding of schools, held in trust for educational purposes within the old district, and of the liabilities, contracts, and engagements of the Board of the old district, as the Boards deem fair and expedient; but if the Boards fail to make such an agreement within three calendar months from the date of their coming into existence, then, upon the written application of either of the Boards directly affected to the Minister of Education, the matter in dispute shall be referred to the Governor, who shall make such adjustment or award as he deems just.

12. All regulations, rules, and by-laws of any old Board in force in its district immediately prior to the establishment of the new Boards shall become the regulations, rules, and by-laws of the new Board or Boards that are the successor or successors of the old Board so far as regards the district to which they previously applied, and shall continue to operate in the district previously under the control of the old Board after the coming into existence of the new Boards until the new Boards shall alter or amend or revoke such regulations, rules, and by-laws in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

13. If any question whatever arises as to the meaning or application of these regulations, or the mode of carrying the same into effect, the same shall be determined by the Minister, and his decision thereon shall be final and conclusive, and it shall be the duty of the Boards concerned to give effect thereto accordingly.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this nineteenth day of June, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto: And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue :

Now, therefore, 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 consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized

SCHEDULE.

KOPUARURU Block: Approximate area, 57 acres 0 roods 32 perches; Wellington Provincial District.

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

Consenting to a Body Corporate borrowing Money from a State Loan Department or from any Person or Body Corporate, and authorizing Payment direct to Committee of Management.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this nineteenth day of June, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and thirty-five of the Native Land Act, 1909, and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is provided that, with the precedent consent of the Governor in Council, a body corporate under Part XVII of the Native Land Act, 1909, may, on the security of a mortgage or charge of the land vested in it, borrow money from a State Loan Department, or from any person or body corporate :

And whereas the proprietors of Pakarāe 1A and adjoining blocks, being a body corporate duly constituted under the said Act, have applied under the said sections for the precedent consent of the Governor in Council to borrow money from a State Loan Department, or from any person or body corporate, on security of a mortgage of the land vested in it, for the purpose of carrying on farming and for improving and stocking the said land :

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board recommends the application: And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue :

Now, therefore, 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 consent to the proprietors of Pakarāe 1A and adjoining blocks (incorporated) borrowing money from a State Loan Department, or from any person or body corporate, on the security of the land vested in it; and doth hereby authorize the payment of any money so borrowed as provided in subsection two of section three hundred and thirty-five of the Native Land Act, 1909, to the committee of management. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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