

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the WELLINGTON AND WANGANUI STEAM PACKET COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District, dated the first day of July, 1916, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company from £24,000 to £12,000, and the minute approved by the Court showing with respect to the company the capital as altered, the several particulars required by the above-named Act, was registered by the Registrar of Companies at Wellington on the 8th day of July, 1916. The said minute is in the words and figures following:—

"The capital of the Wellington and Wanganui Steam Packet Company (Limited) and reduced is £12,000, divided into 12,000 shares of £1 each, instead of the original capital of £24,000 divided into 24,000 shares of £1 each.

"At the time of registration of this minute the whole of the said shares have been issued and have been and are to be deemed to be fully paid up."

Dated this 10th day of July, 1916.

BRANDON, HISLOP, & BRANDON,  
Solicitors for the Company.

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#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Te Kuiti Borough Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the construction of a street; and for the purpose of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council situate in Rora Street, Te Kuiti, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours. All persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such land, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said land, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice (12th July, 1916), to the Town Clerk at the Council Chambers, Rora Street, Te Kuiti.

#### SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of parcel of land required to be taken: 1 rood 28.6 perches.

Portion of Pukenui 2v, situate in Block IV, Otake Survey District.

Coloured on plan: Pink.

Dated this 8th day of July, 1916.

F. EDWARD LAMB, Town Clerk.

HINE & VERNON,  
Solicitors to the Te Kuiti Borough Council. 465

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury, a body corporate incorporated under the provisions of the Education Act, 1914, proposes to take, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments, all that piece of land situated in the St. Albans Ward of the City of Christchurch lying between Leinster Road and Aikman's Road, containing by admeasurement one acre and three perches, being Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6, and the part shown as right-of-way on deposit plan No. 537, the whole being contained in certificate of title, Volume 144, folio 71, part of Rural Section 133, subject as to part containing twenty-six perches, coloured red on said certificate of title, to right-of-way.

And notice is hereby further given that plans showing the lands required to be taken, and the names of the owner and occupiers of such lands, are deposited at the offices of the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury, Normal School Buildings, Kilmore Street, Christchurch aforesaid, respectively, where they lie open for public inspection daily (without fee) during all reasonable hours. And that all persons affected shall, if they have any objection to the taking of such lands or any of them, or to the execution of such work, set forth in writing such objection, and send such writing, within forty days from the date of the first publication of such notice, being the 22nd day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, addressed to the Chairman

of the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury at the office of the Board, Normal School Buildings, Kilmore Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1916.

C. H. OPIE,  
Chairman, North Canterbury Education Board.

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#### SLUGGISH RIVER DRAINAGE BOARD.

EXTRACT FROM MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING HELD ON THE 6TH JULY, 1916, AT 11.30 A.M.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 116 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1913, and of all other Acts (if any) it in that behalf enabling, the Sluggish River Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and annual charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Sluggish River Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of discharging its liabilities under an award dated 9th June, 1914, and an addendum to such award dated 11th September, 1914, and a further award dated 22nd September, 1914, made by Joseph William Poynton, Esq., Stipendary Magistrate at Palmerston North, as the person appointed by a Warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor and dated 4th February, 1914, to hold an inquiry and make an award, consequent on the alteration of the boundaries of the Oroua Drainage District on the constitution of the Sluggish River Drainage District as to the several matters mentioned in subsection (1) of section 15 of the Counties Act, 1908, as between the Boards of the said districts, the said Sluggish River Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth (1/6th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Sluggish River Drainage Board District, excepting however all rateable property in that area known as Special District No. 4 and Special District No. 1; and that such special rate shall be annual-recurring during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six (36) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Sluggish River Drainage Board was hereto fixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Sluggish River Drainage Board in the presence of—

S. MACAULAY, Chairman.  
R. H. SPENCER, Clerk.

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