

1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Manunui Town Board, in trust, as a reserve for the deposit of refuse.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 0 roods 29 perches, more or less, being Section 53, Manunui Village Settlement. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 589.9 links; towards the south by Waikura Terrace, 548.3 links; and towards the north-west by Section 52, Manunui Village Settlement, 455.1 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

Wanganui-Waitotara Patriotic Association incorporated under the War Funds Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-first day of August, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, incorporate a society possessing a war fund, or the trustees of such fund: And whereas application, in writing addressed to the Minister, has been made by the Wanganui-Waitotara Patriotic Association (being an association possessing a war fund), praying for the incorporation of that association:

And whereas it is considered desirable to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the association known as the Wanganui-Waitotara Patriotic Association is hereby incorporated for the purposes of the said Act as from the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and shall be known as the Wanganui-Waitotara Patriotic Association.

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

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-first day of August, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, on the recommendation of the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908:

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the Pukewhau Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

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 power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of Pukewhau Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 203 acres 0 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Section 3, Block XI, Rangaunu Survey District, part of the Pukewhau Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 22nd September, 1902, and published in *Gazette* of 25th September, 1902, page 2143. Bounded towards the north and east by part of the aforesaid Pukewhau Kauri-gum Reserve, 3771 and 6487.4 links respectively; towards the south generally by a public road, 690, 564.1, 413.4, 692.4, 549.5, 578.6, and 141.6 links; towards the west generally by Old Land Claim 31, 1256.6, 2489.1, 782.6, and 1920 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 9/347, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland Plan No. 18994.)

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

Approving the Mayor of Auckland's Serbian Relief Fund under the War Contributions Validation Act, 1914 (No. 2).

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section two of the War Contributions Validation Act, 1914 (No. 2), (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act") it is enacted as follows:—

Contributions, whether in money or kind, may be made by any local authority or body of persons, whether corporate or unincorporate, other than private trustees under a settlement or will—

- (a.) For the relief of distress occasioned by the war in which His Majesty is at present engaged, whether such distress exists in New Zealand or elsewhere in the British Dominions, or in any country allied to His Majesty;
- (b.) For any patriotic objects approved for the purposes of this Act by the Governor:

Provided that every such contribution is paid either—

- (1.) Into a public fund established by the Government, or by any local authority, for the purposes of such relief of distress, or patriotic objects; or
- (2.) Into a fund established by persons other than the Government or a local authority, where such fund and the conditions of control and expenditure thereof are approved for the purposes of this Act by the Governor:

And whereas certain persons in the Provincial District of Auckland have formed themselves into a committee known as the Mayor of Auckland's Serbian Relief Fund, for the following purposes, namely:—

To provide relief for the distress caused to Serbian subjects in Europe by the war, and for that purpose to take all steps necessary to collect moneys and goods to be forwarded to the Serbian Ambassador in London for distribution:

And whereas the said committee has established a fund for the promotion of the objects hereinbefore expressed, and has submitted the said fund and the conditions of control and the expenditure thereof for approval, as required by the hereinbefore-quoted provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby approve for the purposes of the said Act—

- (1.) The fund hereinbefore referred to, established by the Mayor of Auckland's Serbian Relief Fund; and
- (2.) The conditions of control and expenditure of the said fund, as set out in the rules adopted by the said committee on the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Opening Land in Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen; and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renew-