by high-water mark of Waihau Bay; towards the south-east by a public road, 127.3 links; towards the south-west gene-rally by other portion of Orete N Block, 218.6, 147.65, 188.54, 178.35, 263.4, 115.2, 115.2, and 246.06 links; and towards the north-west generally by Orete J Block, 222.17 and 325.11 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/9/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this nineteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 374 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. [L.S.] A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and seventy-four of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred \mathbf{V} of the Native Land Act, 1909 (nereinartic referred to as "the said Act"), and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that, on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the said Act, the Governor-General may issue a Proelamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the said Act :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and suthority conferred upon me by section three hundred and seventy-four of the said Act, and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.				Approximate Area.			
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Parihaka No. 16		••	••	• ·	101	2 12	
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W. H. HERRIES Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block IV, Elephant-Hill Survey District, taken for a Railway.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. [L.S.] A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Waimate Branch of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road :

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Public Works that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Wai-mate County, the local authority of which has consented to

the issue of this Proclamation, and appears to be the local authority most capable of conveniently and effectively con-trolling and maintaining the said road :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the New Zealand Gazette, become a road, and that the said road shall be maintained by the Waimate County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and main-tained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land dealt with: 1 perch (coloured brown) and 1 perch (coloured pink). Portion of railway land (formerly part R.S. 20508), Block IV, Elephant Hill Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38308, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this nineteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER, Minister of Public Works. GOD SAVE THE KING !

Additional Land in Drury Survey District taken for the Purposes of the Waiuku Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, W convenience, or enjoyment of the Wainku Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway, to take further and in Drury Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway: Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of

Liverpool, the Governor General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-ine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood 6.4 perches.

Portion of Lot 9 of Allotment 98, Waiuku East Parish, Block XIII, Drury Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43298, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured neutral tint.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of November, in the year of our Lord one day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER

Minister of Public Works.

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