power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

HOHOTAKA Block: Approximate area, 6,000 acres; Piopiotea Survey District.

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

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1918.

Present : HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixtythree of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventie and gazetted the eighteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, prohibiting all aliena-tion of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of Pakiri No. 1 Block situated in Block X, and lying between the road and the sea: Approximate area, 6,611 acres; Pakiri Survey District.

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

Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of September, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

O^N the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alientation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

OHOTU No. 5, Blocks 10 and 11: Approximate area, 918 acres 2 roods; Tauakira Survey District.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £500 proposed to be raised by the Bruce County Council.

> LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of September, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

W HEREAS the Bruce County Council, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, lately proposed to raise

a loan of five hundred pounds for the purpose of draining the

a loan of nye nundred pounds for the purpose of dranning the Boundary Creek Swamp: And whereas the public notices of the special order au-thorizing the raising of the loan, although four publications were made, were not given once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the day on which the special order was confirmed, inasmuch as no public notices were given in the second and fourth weeks as required by section ninetyseven of the Counties Act, 1918: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been

misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Execu-tive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that tive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the proceedings taken to raise the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the requirements of section ninety-seven of the Counties Act, 1908, as above mentioned had been strictly complied with, and that the proceedings shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Go-vernor-General 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 Dis-trict has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the Te Mata Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2 described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the opera-tions 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-General 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 the Te Mata Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2 described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 290 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Sections 13, 14, 24, and 33, Block VI, Hukerenui Survey District, and being part of the Te Mata Kauri-gum Reserve District, and being part of the Te Mata Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2, set apart by Order in Council dated the 21st day of August, 1899, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 71, of the 24th of August, 1899, page 1555. Bounded towards the north-east generally by a public road, 20, 597-5, 692-4, 281, 974, 1635, 1490, 571, 450, 316-5, 140-7, 8-9, and 573-2 links; towards the south by Section 25, Block VI aforesaid, 1996 links; towards the east by Sec-tion 25 aforesaid, by Sections 29 and 30, Block VI aforesaid, and by a nublic road, 3769-5 links: again towards the south and by a public road, 3769.5 links; again towards the south by the Te Mata Kauri gum Reserve, 2729 links; towards the west by Section 32, Block VI aforesaid, 6060 links; towards the north and again towards the west by Section 15, Block VI aforesaid, 1274 and 3725 links respectively: be all block v1 aloresaid, 1214 and 525 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: save and except a road which intersects the hereinbefore-described area. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26/2588, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 2674A.)

J. F. ANDREWS Clerk of the Executive Council.