value addressed to the United Kingdom or for places in transit through the United Kingdom. Packages containing gold, if addressed to countries beyond New Zealand, can only be posted (if not prohibited as aforesaid) at moneyorder offices, and senders must pay thereon the export duty of 2s. 3d. per ounce troy for gold mined in the North Island and of 3d per ounce troy for gold mined in the South Island. and of 3d. per ounce troy for gold mined in the South Island, in addition to the usual parcel postage. Parcels containing jewellery, watches, articles of manufactured gold or silver, and jewellery, watches, articles of manufactured gold or silver, and suchlike valuables, should be insured and specially packed as instructed in regulation 9, under the heading of "Insurance of Parcels," of the said regulations of the 26th day of December, 1907; and such parcels, if addressed to any place within New Zealand, may be insured and registered if desired, but their insurance or registration is not compulsory unless the contents are over 10s. in value. The transmission of parcels of jewellery, &c., and bullion to certain countries is prohibited. (See "Prohibitions" in the table of British, Australasian, and Foreign parcel-post charges, pages 230–289 in "Post and Telegraph Guide," March, 1918.)

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

Conferring on Wairewa County Council Powers of Borough Councils with respect to Lighting and the Supply of Electricitu.

# LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1918.

#### Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the Lake Coleridge Water-power Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), that the Governor-General may by Order in Council confer on any local authority proposing to contract with His Majesty the King for the supply of electricity from the works established at Lake Coleridge by the Minister of Public Works such of the powers of Borough Councils with respect to lighting and the supply of electricity as he thinks fit, and with such restrictions, modifications, and conditions as he thinks fit, and thereupon that local authority shall

have and may exercise the said powers accordingly pursuant to the tenor of the said Order in Council:

And whereas the Wairewa County Council proposes to contract as aforesaid with His Majesty the King, and it is expedient to confer upon the said County Council certain of the said powers of Borough Councils, subject to certain restrictions and conditions.

restrictions and conditions:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him in that behalf by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby confer on the said Wairewa County Council all the powers exercisable by a duly constituted Borough Council under sections two hundred and seventy-seven and three hundred and twenty-nine of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and twenty-line of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, section thirty-three, and subsection one as regards paragraph (a) and subsection two of section forty-five of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, and section five of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1915, subject to the restriction and condition that such powers shall be exercisable by the said Wairewa County Council only within the area described in the Schedule hereto.

# SCHEDULE.

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ALL that area situate in Blocks 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6, Akaroa Survey District; 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, and 14, Pigeon Bay Survey District; 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, and 16, Halswell Survey District; and 2, 3, 4, 7, and 8, Ellesmere Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the eastern boundary of Wairewa County being the intersection of the northern side of Mount Bossu Road with the eastern boundary of Rural Section 29331; thence generally northerly along the eastern boundary of Wairewa County to the northern corner of Rural Section 31527; thence south-westerly north-westerly of Rural Section 31527; thence south-westerly, north-westerly, and north-easterly along the southern, western, and northern boundaries of Rural Section 21799 to the northernmost corner of that section; thence generally northerly and westerly along the eastern and northern boundaries of Wairewa County to Herbert Peak; thence generally south-westerly and westerly along the south-eastern and southern boundaries of Rural Sections 21455, 21456, 21454, 21453, and 21452 to the western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of Rural Sections 21316

and 12612 to the southern side of a road intersecting the last-mentioned section; thence westerly along the southern side of the said road to the north-western corner of Rural Section 2733; thence south-westerly to the south-eastern corner of Rural Section 21396; thence generally westerly along the southern boundary of Rural Sections 21396, 12128, and 13545 to McQueen's Valley Road; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern side of that road and the south-western and south-eastern side of a road forming the north-eastern along the south-eastern side of that road and the south-western and south-eastern side of a road forming the north-eastern and north-western boundary of Rural Sections 10523 and 13560 to a point opposite the southern corner of Rural Section 21391; thence generally north-westerly along the south-western boundary of Rural Sections 21391, 18718, 18716, 35586, 21392, 35885, and 3624 to the eastern side of Gebbie's Pass Road; thence generally north-easterly along the eastern side of that road to the south-eastern corner of Rural Section 5131; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of that section and Section 12764 to the eastern boundary of that section and Section 12764 to the northern boundary of that section and section 12704 to the northern boundary of Wairewa County; thence generally westerly and southerly along the northern and western boundary of that county to Lake Ellesmere; thence south-casterly across Lake Ellesmere to the eastern side of a road casterly across Lake Eliesmers to the eastern side of a road forming the eastern boundary of Section 4, Reserve 3586; thence southerly along the eastern side of that road and a line in continuation thereof to the sea; thence easterly along the southern boundary of Wairewa County to the eastern shore of Lake Forsyth; thence northerly along the eastern shore to the westernmost corner of Rural Section 10200. 2039; thence north-easterly, south-easterly, and south-westerly along the north-western, north-eastern, and southboundaries of that section to the northern side of Mount Bossu Road, and from thence returning easterly along the northern side of the said road to the commencing-point, and edged pink on the plan.

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

Declaring Portion of Mangatoa Road, in the Awakino County, to be a County Road.

#### LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1918.

### Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, 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 order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

# SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Mangatoa Road, situated in the Auckland Land District, Awakino County, commencing at its juncture with the Waikawau Road at the Mangatoa Bridge, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 3 and 2, Block X, and Sections 3 and part 4, Block VII, Whareorino Survey District, and terminating at a point on the western boundary of the said Section 4; being a distance of 1 mile 63 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 45238, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of Road in Poolburn District to be a Government Road.

# ${\bf LIVERPOOL,\ Governor\text{-}General.}$ ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1918.

## Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

I N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the