

at a right angle, 590 links; thence again north-easterly at a right angle, 340 links, to the bride-track aforesaid. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1456, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1919.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section twenty-six, subsection one, of the Appropriation Act, 1915, it is provided that, notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, it shall not be lawful or competent for any local authority or for any Harbour Board, during the present war with Germany, to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than by way of bank overdraft within the limit of its powers, if any, in that behalf), whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any other authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council:

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the loans set out in column B therein:

And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council should issue:

Now, therefore, 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 consent to the raising of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto, provided that the rate of interest at which the loans or any of them are to be raised shall in no case produce to the lender a return exceeding five and one-quarter pounds per centum per annum; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Appropriation Act, 1915, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

	Column B.
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CHRISTCHURCH City Council	6,000
Cook County Council	1,000
.. .. .	5,000
Piako County Council	19,000
Taihape Borough Council	17,000
Featherston County Council	1,800
Otorohanga Town Board	2,960
Whangamarino Road Board	4,000
Whangaroa County Council	5,000
Waitotara County Council	1,150

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1919.

Present :

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

ON 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, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), 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 eighteen months the Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and gazetted the ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, prohibiting all alienation of the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

HURAKIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.	
	A.	R. P.
RANGITOTO-TUHUA 54A 2	914	0 0
.. 54B	531	3 0
.. 54C	41	3 18
.. 54D, Section 1	159	0 0
.. 54D .. 2	217	0 0
.. 54D .. 3	184	2 0
.. 54E	207	0 0

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

License authorizing Mr. Joseph D. Winter, of Cromwell, Hotelkeeper, to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of Cromwell.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourth day of February, 1919.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that no person shall lay, construct, place, put up, or use any electric line except under the authority of a license issued by the Governor-General in Council under that Act:

And whereas Joseph D. Winter, of Cromwell, hotelkeeper (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee"), desires to erect electric lines along the route hereinafter described, and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that 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, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto and to the regulations (except clause seventeen thereof, which is replaced by clause three of the Schedule hereto, to which all references in the regulations to clause seventeen shall apply) made under section two of the aforesaid Act, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinafter referred to as "the regulations," hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain electric lines for lighting purposes along the route hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

1. THE ROUTE OF THE ELECTRIC LINES AUTHORIZED.

THAT route commencing from a point in Section 2, Block II, Town of Cromwell, then by a line at a right angle to Melmore Street across that street to the dynamo-shed on a site immediately opposite the section aforesaid. As the said route is more particularly indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 45197, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington, and thereon shown by means of red lines.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (a) (1) of clause 2 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 110 volts between the terminals.

3. COVERING OF OVERHEAD LINES.

Electric lines at low pressure shall be covered throughout with triple braiding, thoroughly impregnated with weather-proof compound; provided that where circumstances permit the lines may, with the previous consent of the Minister obtained and before the work is commenced, be bare. Electric lines at high pressure shall be insulated with vulcanized rubber of at least 600 megohm grade; provided that where circumstances permit the lines may, with the previous