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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, JOHN MARSHALL and GEORGE JAMES ROUD, carrying on business as Sawmillers at Hororata under the style or firm of "Marshall and Roud," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. As witness our hands this 24th day of February, 1920.

JOHN MARSHALL.  
GEORGE JAMES ROUD.

Signed by the said John Marshall and George James Roud in the presence of—George T. Weston, Solicitor, Christchurch. 232

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