

Haast Street, in the City of Christchurch, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

ROBERT STOUT.

Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 26th day of July, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Christchurch City Council on the twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—viz., "The Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of Haast Street, Linwood Ward of the City of Christchurch, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said street"; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall be erected at any time on either side of the said street (which street is more particularly described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet of the centre-line of the said street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street in the Canterbury Land District, City of Christchurch, known as Haast Street, situated between Travers Street and Stanmore Road. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48999, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prohibiting the Importation of Goods manufactured or produced in or exported from Germany, Austria, or Hungary.

ROBERT STOUT

Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 26th day of July, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of section forty-six of the Customs Act, 1913, as extended by section two of the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Amendment Act, 1915, and in further pursuance of section three hundred and nine of the Customs Act, 1913, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council of the seventeenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, prohibiting the importation of goods manufactured or produced in or exported from Germany, Austria-Hungary, Bulgaria, and Turkey, and doth make the following provisions and regulations in lieu thereof:—

1. The importation of goods which, whether before or after the date of this Order, have been manufactured in or produced in or exported from Germany or Austria is hereby prohibited except with the consent of the Minister of Customs.

2. "Germany" means the territory of the State of Germany as now constituted.

3. "Austria" means any territory which on the fourth day of August, nineteen hundred and fourteen, was part of the Austro-Hungarian Empire, other than territory which is now territory of the Republic of Czecho-Slovakia, or of the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes, or of the Kingdom of Italy.

4. Goods shall be deemed to have been manufactured or produced in Germany or Austria if as much as five per centum of the value thereof, as estimated in accordance with the provisions of the Customs Act, 1913, with respect to goods subject to *ad valorem* duty, has its source in Germany or Austria.

5. If a Collector of Customs has reason to believe or suspect that any goods imported into New Zealand are goods the importation whereof is prohibited by this Order in Council without the leave of the Minister of Customs, the Collector may detain those goods, and they shall not be delivered from the control of the Customs until the Collector is

satisfied, by such evidence as he requires, that the goods are not goods the importation whereof is hereby prohibited, or the Minister of Customs consents to the importation of those goods or to the exportation thereof.

6. If the invoice for any goods imported into New Zealand from any country contains or is accompanied by a certificate signed by the exporter to the effect that less than five per centum of the fair market value in the country of export of each article in its condition as exported has its source in Germany or Austria, such certificate shall be accepted by the Collector of Customs as sufficient evidence that the goods are not goods the importation of which is prohibited within the meaning of this Order, unless the Collector has reason to believe or suspect that the certificate is false or erroneous.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Rate of Duty on "Lactagol."

ROBERT STOUT.

Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 26th day of July, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section one hundred and thirty-five of the Customs Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that "Lactagol," being an article which is not specially enumerated in the Tariff, and which is, in the opinion of the Minister of Customs, a substitute for infants' and invalids' farinaceous foods, shall be admitted into the said Dominion free of duty, except the primage duty of one per centum *ad valorem* imposed by section twenty-five of the Finance Act, 1915.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £2,000 proposed to be raised by the Elstow Drainage Board.

ROBERT STOUT.

Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 26th day of July, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Elstow Drainage Board, 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 two thousand pounds for the purpose of drainage-works within the Waihou Special Drainage Area of the Elstow Drainage District:

And whereas the special order authorizing the raising of the said loan is irregular, in so far that public notification of the time and place fixed for the confirmation of the said special order was given four times, but such notification did not comply with the provisions of section ninety-seven of the Counties Act, 1908, which provides that notification shall be given once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the day on which the subsequent meeting was held, no notice appearing within the second week immediately preceding the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by the said irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government 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 Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken to raise the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though public notifications of the special order had been given in the proper manner, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.