NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting held on Tuesday, the 1st day of March, 1921, the Tawera County Council resolved as follows: "That this Council become a registering authority for motor vehicles under the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, as from Monday, the 11th day of April, 1921."

W. K. McALPINE, Chairman, Tawera County Council. G. L. POPPLE, County Clerk.

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. In the matter of the Counties Act, 1920, the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1912, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wairoa County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-entitled Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the acquisition of land for recreation purposes at Te Reinga; and for that purpose the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And paties is likewise given that a plan of the to be taken. And notice is likewise given that a plan of the said land is deposited in the office of the said Council in Queen Street in the Borough of Wairoa, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours. All persons affected are called upon to set forth in writing

any well-grounded objections they may have to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said land, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Council at its office aforesaid.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1921.

THE SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 41 acres and 3 perches, more or less, being part of the Mangapoike 2A 2 Block, situate in Block Two of the Opoiti Survey District. and being the land coloured red in outline on plan deposited in the office at Gisborne of the Chief Surveyor of the Land District of Hawke's Bay under Number 936, brown. B. G. SIGNALL, County Clerk. 273

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the CO-OPERATIVE SERVICE (LIMITED), in

Liquidation. A<sup>T</sup> an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Sheridan's Buildings, Peel Street, Gisborne, on Friday, the 18th day of February,

1921, the following special resolution was duly passed :-"That the company be wound up voluntarily, in accord-ance with section 220 of the Companies Act, 1908."

At a subsequent meeting held on the 8th day of March, 1921, EDWARD LOWDER LEES, Manager, Rongotea Industrial Co-operative of New Zealand (Limited), and REGINALD CRAIG PIESSE, Public Accountant, Gisborne, were appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up. Dated at Gisborne this 19th day of March, 1921.

EDWARD L. LEES Liquidators. 276

## T. AND H. COOKE (LIMITED). IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

N OTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of T. and H. Cooke (Limited), in Liquidation, will be held at the registered office of the company, 12 Rows Chambers, Auckland, on Friday, 15th April, 1921, at 3 p.m.

BUSINESS .- To receive Liquidator's account of the winding-up and disposal of the company's assets, as provided for in section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908.

277 W. H. COOKE, Liquidator.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Big River Gold mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 19th August, 1907.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation. Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.

Nominal capital : £6,000. Amount of capital subscribed : £6,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £600. Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided : 24,000.
Number of shares allotted : 24,000.
Amount paid per share : 6d.
Amount called up per share : 6d.
Number and amount of calls in arcser : Nil

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil. Number of shares forfeited : Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil. Number of shareholders at time of registration of com-

pany: 7.

resent number of shareholders : 64.

Number of men employed by company: 38 (average for year 1920).

- Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: Battery-2,970 tons of quartz crushed, for 2,506 oz. 1 dwt. of melted gold, valued at £10,644 0s. 8d; cyanide-1,450
- of melted gold, valued at £10,644 0s. 8d; cyanide—1,450 tons of sands treated, for 226 oz. 15 dwt. 16 gr. of bullion, valued at £956 8s. 8d. Total quantity and value produced since registration: Battery—64,931 tons of quartz orushed, for 63,164 oz. 13 dwt. of melted gold, valued at £255,489 17s. 7d.; cyanide—46,700 tons of sands treated, for 8,953 oz. 5 dwt. 16 gr. of bullion, valued at £25,297 7s. 8d.; concentrates —714 tons 8 owt. 1 qr. 14 lb. treated, for bullion valued at £13,091 1s. 1d.
- Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £12,169 5s. 8d.

since last statement: £12,169 bs. Sd. Total expenditure since registration : £188,467 15s. 11d. Total amount of dividends declared : £103,200. Total amount of dividends paid : £103,200. Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil. Amount of gold on hand : 632 oz. 5 dwt., valued at £2,529. Amount of bullion on hand : 43 oz. 18 dwt., valued at £110.

Amount of each in bank : £201 103. 7d. Amount of each in hand (Wages Imprest Account): At mine,

£20; at office, £30. Amount of Reserve Fund: £1,500.

Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.

Amount of debts considered good : Nil. Amount of debts owing by company : £155 1s. 6d. Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Sundry accounts, £73 13s. 6d., and No. 77 dividend of 1s. 6d. per share payable 12th January, 1921, £1,800.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, the Secretary of the New Big River Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1920; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

### T. HUBERT LEE.

Declared at Reefton this 14th day of March, 1920, before me-W. B. Auld, J.P. 278

# POHANGINA COUNTY COUNCIL.

N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling, the Pohangina County Council hereby resolves as follows :-

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £400, authorized to be raised by the Pohangina County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amend-ments thereto, for the purpose of rebuilding a culvert in the Tamaki Riding, and known as the Matakiore Stream Culvert, Tamaki Riding, and known as the Matakiore Stream Culvert, the said Pohangina County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one twenty-fifth of a penny in the pound on all the capital rateable value of all the rateable property in the Matakiore Stream Culvert Special Rating Area, the same being the whole of the Tamaki Riding in the County of Pohangina; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be pay-able half-yearly on the sixteenth day of April and the sixteenth day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off. H. W. SMART, Chairman.

H. W. SMART, Chairman. HERBERT SYMES, Treasurer.

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#### RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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