and doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the New Zealand Gazette.

AMENDMENTS IN REGULATIONS.

THE GRADING OF TEACHERS.

1. CLAUSE 1 of the said regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the words "or who have previously been graded."

2. Clause 3 of the said regulations is hereby amended by the deletion in subclause (i) of all the words after "they may be graded in any subsequent year only on application to the," and by the substitution therefor of the word "Director"; and by the insertion in subclause (iii), after the word "employed," of the words "in technical schools, secondary schools, or private registered schools, or in Western Samoa or the Cook Islands, or."

3. Clause 5 of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding the following provisos to subclause (i) :---

"(g.) Certificated teachers employed on the staff of a normal school shall be placed in groups as follows :—

Salaries.					Grading Group		
220-250 240-270						3	
£260–£280 J	••	••	••	••	••	0	
$\begin{array}{c} \text{\pounds 290} \\ \text{\pounds 300} \\ \text{\pounds 320} \end{array}$						4	
£320–£340 $^{>}_{1}$		•••				-	
£340–£380 J £350–£390						5	

"(h.) Certificated teachers who are for the time being employed in secondary schools, technical schools, or private registered schools, or who have not been in the employment of an Education Board for a period of hree years preceding the date of their application for grading, may be placed in such groups as shall, on the recommendation of an Inspector of Schools, be approved by the Director, and such grading shall be deemed a provisional grading."

4. Clause 13 of the said regulations is hereby amended by the addition of the following proviso :---

"Provided that teaching service in other countries or in schools other than public schools shall be counted to an extent that shall be determined in each case by the Director."

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

Amending the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 4th day of October, 1921.

$\mathbf{Present}:$

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows:—

Clause 8 of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920, is hereby amended as from the coming into operation of that Order by adding the following words: "All persons appointed pursuant to this clause to fill any professional or clerical position shall, notwithstanding anything in the Samoa Constitution Order as to the mode of appointment of officers of the Samoan Public Service, be deemed to be officers of that service."

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

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