

in accordance with regulations or by-laws in force in the district, or, in the absence of such regulations or by-laws, then to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health.

- (b.) If the persons so employed are of different sexes, then the privy accommodation shall be separate for each sex, and shall be so constructed and situated as to ensure complete seclusion for each sex.
- (c.) If default is made in faithfully complying with any of the foregoing requirements of this section, the owner and occupier of the premises shall be severally liable to a fine of five pounds for every day on which the default occurs.

\*\* A nuisance within the meaning of section 26 of the Health Act, 1920, is deemed to be created among other things in the following cases:—

- (c.) Where any premises (including any, accumulation or deposit thereon) are in such a state as to harbour or to be likely to harbour rats or other vermin.
- (g.) Where any factory, workroom, shop, office, warehouse, or other place of trade or business—
- (i.) Is not kept in a cleanly state, and free from offensive effluvia from any drain or sanitary convenience; or
- (ii.) Is not provided with appliances so as to carry off in a harmless and inoffensive manner any fumes, gases, vapours, dust, or impurities generated therein; or
- (iii.) Is so overcrowded while work is carried on therein, or is so badly lighted or ventilated, as to be dangerous to the health of the persons employed therein.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,200 proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Matakaoa.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of April, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Matakaoa County Council, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, proposes to raise a loan of twelve hundred pounds for the purpose of purchasing and fencing land required to effect a deviation of the Tauranga-kautuku Valley Road in the Whakaangi Settlement:

And whereas the ratepayers' consent given under paragraph (e) of section sixteen aforesaid is irregular, in that a subscribing ratepayer has attested the signatures of the other subscribers thereto:

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 Governor-General 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, do hereby order and declare that the ratepayers' consent to the raising of the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the same had been properly witnessed, 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.

*Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £20,000 proposed to be raised by the Waimate Borough Council.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of April, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waimate Borough Council, acting under and in pursuance of the Local Bodies' Loans Act,

1913, proposes to raise a loan of twenty thousand pounds for the purpose of drainage extensions:

And whereas the voting-paper used at the poll of ratepayers upon the said proposal was in the form numbered six in the Second Schedule to the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, instead of in the form numbered one in the First Schedule to the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General 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, do hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken shall be valid to all intents and purposes as if the voting-paper used at the poll of ratepayers had been in the proper form, 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 or defect aforesaid.

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

*Notice of Change of the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Town of Woodville, Hawke's Bay Land District.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section six of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), the Governor-General is empowered, in the case of any public reserve vested in His Majesty or the Governor-General for any of the purposes comprised in Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, to change the purpose for which such reserve was set apart to any other purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve duly set apart for police purposes, being a purpose within Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose of such portion:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the portion of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto is hereby changed from a reserve for police purposes to a reserve for post and telegraph purposes. And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 14·2 perches, more or less, being Lot 1 of Section 43, Town of Woodville. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/7/116, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

*Setting apart Crown Land under Section 20 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 13, Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District: Area, 3 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of April, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.