

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Bay of Plenty Hospital Board in respect of a Loan of £5,000 authorized to be raised for completing the Hospital Buildings at Whakatane.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Bay of Plenty Hospital Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for completing the hospital buildings at Whakatane :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Bay of Plenty Hospital Board in respect of the said loan of five thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Bay of Plenty Hospital Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

WHAKAIHUWAKA C No. 2B Block, Omara Survey District: Approximate area, 391 acres 1 rood.

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

Revoking an Order in Council taking Land for a Native School at Te Kopua.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling

him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 56, of the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and four, taking land for the purposes of a Native school at Te Kopua (such land being described therein as Section 15A, Te Kopua Block, Block I, Karioi Survey District, Auckland Land District), the said land being no longer required for the purposes for which it was taken.

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

Recreation Reserve in Westland Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Westland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as the Harihari Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HARIHARI DOMAIN.

RESERVE 1379 (formerly part of Reserve 345), Block V, Poerua Survey District: Area, 4 acres.

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

Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £500 proposed to be raised by the Wairarapa South County Council

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Wairarapa South 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 five hundred pounds for forming and metalling the Westmere Road :

And whereas section seventeen of the said Act requires the special roll to be deposited not less than seven days before any steps are taken under section (e) :

And whereas the special roll of the ratepayers was not deposited until the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, while the written consent of the ratepayers is dated the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two :

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, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken to raise the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the provisions of section seventeen had been properly complied with, 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