

to steep spurs and faces. Both sections are ring fenced. Situated in the Wairau Valley, about seventeen miles from Blenheim by good motor road.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements which are included in the capital value of the sections are as follows: Fencing, dip and yards, valued at £91.

In addition to the wool-shed shown above there are other improvements not included in the capital value, consisting of five-roomed dwelling, with bathroom and pantry, 150 chains of fencing, and certain renewed fences, which will have to be paid for in cash, or secured by an advance on current account at the Government valuation of £610.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of September, 1923.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Lands.

Setting apart Crown Lands 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 lands described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Hohoura East Survey District.

SECTION	Block	VI	Area	A.	R.	P.
1	V	25	0	37
"	3	"	..	25	0	0
"	29	"	..	13	2	14

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of September, 1923.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Lands.

Disallowing Fish Protection Amendment Ordinance passed by the Island Council of Niue.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the authority conferred on me by section 88 of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby wholly disallow the Niue Fish Protection Amendment Ordinance, 1923 (being an ordinance passed by the Island Council of Niue on the 17th day of July, 1923).

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General this 26th day of September, 1923.

M. POMARE, Minister for the Cook Islands.

Additional Regulations for the Conduct of Legal Business.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 27th September, 1923.

THE following regulations for the conduct of legal business, additional to those of the 3rd March, 1890, 24th April, 1894, 27th May, 1903, 29th March, 1920, and 11th May, 1922, have been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council:—

1. Regulation No. 2 of the additional regulations dated the 29th March, 1920, and gazetted on the 8th April, 1920, is hereby amended by substituting the words "persons giving evidence strictly as experts" for the words "medical practitioners giving evidence strictly as experts."

2. Regulation No. 40 of the regulations for the conduct of legal business dated the 3rd March, 1890, and gazetted on the 13th March, 1890, is hereby revoked and the following regulation is made in lieu thereof:—

"40. A person required to give evidence as an expert will be paid such sum as appears to the Under-Secretary of Justice to be fair and reasonable for any analysis, preparation of maps or plans, or for otherwise necessarily preparing himself to give evidence.

"In such case, a contingency voucher (Ty. 39 and 39A) shall be prepared for such sum as the Registrar of the Supreme Court certifies to be fair and reasonable, and shall be for-

warded to the Under-Secretary of Justice, who shall finally fix the amount and pass the voucher for payment."

3. The following fees shall be paid to Interpreters:—

	£	s.	d.
To an Interpreter if engaged for any time not exceeding one hour	0	10	6
For every additional hour or fraction of an hour he may be actually employed beyond that time	0	5	0
But not exceeding per day	2	2	0

Interpreters will be paid one guinea a day, and their actual fares, when travelling to and from a Court to interpret.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Approved in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Officers of Post and Telegraph Department authorized to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by section two hundred and eighty-eight of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, and section sixteen of the Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 1923, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the persons whose names are set out in the Schedule hereto, being persons holding office in the service of the Crown as stated opposite their names in the said Schedule, are authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under section two hundred and eighty-eight of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

Francis Thomas Rayner Johnson	Assistant Controller of Savings-banks and Accounts, General Post Office, Wellington.
Lawrence Vextel Caldwell	Accountant, Chief Post Office, Wellington.
Alfred Henry Steele	Accountant, Chief Post Office, Auckland.
Charles Bush Harton	Accountant, Chief Post Office, Christchurch.
Bertram Eustace Silke Brodie	Accountant, Chief Post Office, Dunedin.

As witness my hand, this 20th day of September, 1923.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

Ranger under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1923.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District:—

Cole James Rosser, of Remuera.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Vice Consul of Argentina appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 20th September, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that he has been informed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies that the Exequatur empowering Mr. Ernest Smith Baldwin to act as Vice-Consul of Argentina at Wellington received His Majesty's signature on the sixteenth day of July.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Rangers under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 26th September, 1923.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-