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 Whangamomona County Council in respect of the said loan of three thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Whangamomona County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Kawhia Harbour Board in respect of a Loan of £650 authorized to be raised for repaying its Antecedent Liability.

JELLICOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 1st day of April, 1924.

Present :

The Right Honourable W. F. Massey, P.C., presiding in COUNCIL.

W HEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, W ADDATES by section elevel of the Finance Acc, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-standing 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 there-after 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 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, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council: And whereas the Kawhia Harbour Board has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of six hundred and fifty pounds for repaying its antecedent liability:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his pre-cedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which

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 Kawhia Harbour Board in respect of the said loan of six hundred and fifty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Kawhia Harbour Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six hundred and fifty pounds accordingly.

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

Allocating Cost of certain Proceedings under Section 131 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, Borough of Kaikoura.

JELLICOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 1st day of April, 1924

Present :

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

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and thirty-one of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of every other power and authority 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 direct that the Kaikoura County Council shall defray all the costs of the Commission appointed under the said Act by Warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the fifteenth day of February. one Governor-General dated the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, to inquire and report upon the proposal to constitute the Borough of Kaikoura.

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

Regulations under the Naval Defence Act, 1913, amended.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of March, 1924.

Present:

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

pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section twenty-five of the Naval Defence Act, 1913, and section five of the Naval Defence Amendment Act, 1922, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby amend and supplement the regulations referred to in the Schedule hereto as shown therein.

SCHEDULE.

Regulations for the Government and Payment of the New Zealand DIVISION OF THE ROYAL NAVY.

1. ADD an additional regulation No. 9B as follows, with effect as from 1st October, 1921 :-

"9B. Allowance in lieu of Servants .- Officers living on shore without the services or partial services of a servant provided at the expense of the Crown, and in receipt of the full pay of their rank and lodging and provision allowances at the ordinary rates, are eligible for servants' allowance under the conditions and at the rates shown in the King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions (Appendix V).

2. Cancel present Regulation 47A, and substitute, with effect as from 1st July, 1919,-