confluence of the Waingongoro Stream with that river to the sea; thence towards the south-east by the sea to the mouth of the Mataikona River; thence towards the southwest by the Mataikona River to the Makatote Stream; thence towards the west generally by the Makatote Stream to Section 5, Block XI, Aohanga Survey District; thence by that section to the Waingongoro Stream; and thence by the Waingongoro Stream to the Aohanga River, the place of commencement: excluding Section 145 in Block III, Castlepoint Survey District.

All that area in the Wellington Land District contained in the Survey District of Mangaone.

All that area in the Nelson Land District contained in the Survey Districts of Matakitaki, Burnett, and Rahu. All that area in the Nelson Land District contained in the

Survey Districts of Tutaki and Matiri.

All that area in the Westland Land District contained in the Survey Districts of Brunner, Waimea, Hohonu, and

All that area in the Westland Land District contained in the Survey District of Waiwhero.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District being the whole of Blocks X and XI, Grassmere Survey District, and those portions of Blocks XIV and XV of the aforesaid survey district to the northward of the Broken River; saving and

district to the northward of the Broken River; saving and excepting thereout coal lease No. 28, containing 1,000 acres. All that area in the Canterbury Land District, and Ashburton Survey District, containing by admeasurement 439 acres, more or less, being Rural Section 15838 and part of Rural Section 16213 on the map of the said survey district. Bounded towards the north-east by Rural Sections 16124 and 15839; towards the south-east by Rural Section 24788 and 24789; towards the south-west by Rural Section 24981; and towards the north-west and south-west by other parts of Rural Section 16213. of Rural Section 16213; and again towards the north-west by a railway and road-line; all as shown coloured red on map marked Mines 18/1181, deposited in the office of the Minister of Mines at Wellington.

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

(Mines N 5/4/2.)

Declaring that the Opotiki County Council shall exercise the Powers of a Harbour Board, and defining the Limits of the Port or Harbour of Ohiwa.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 10th day of October, 1925.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE J. G. COATES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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WHEREAS it is among other things provided by section eleven of the Harbours Act, 1923, that, on the request of the Council of a county bordering on any navigable river, estuary, or arm of the sea not under the control or management of any Harbour Board, or on the joint request of any two or more of such Councils, the Governor-General may, by Order in Council gazetted, declare that such Council or joint Councils shall, from a date to be fixed in such order, exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within such limits of the navigable river, estuary, or arm aforesaid as the Governor-General defines for that purpose: General defines for that purpose:
And whereas the Council of the County of Opotiki, which

borders on the port or harbour of Ohiwa, has requested that it may be declared that it shall exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within such port or harbour: And whereas it is desirable that such request should be

acceded to, and that the limits of such port or harbour should

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, from and after the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, the Opotiki County Council shall exercise the powers of a Harbour Board within the limits of the port or harbour hereinafter set forth, and which said port or harbour is called Ohiwa Harbour:

And in further pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, His Excellency, with the advice and consent aforesaid, doth hereby define the limits of the said port or harbour within which the Council of the County of Opotiki is to exercise the powers aforesaid as follows, that is to say :-

All that area of tidal land and tidal water of Ohiwa Harbour, and inside the seaward arc of a circle having a

radius of two and a half nautical miles from the eastern extreme of the western head at the entrance to the said harbour. As the same is more particularly shown and delineated on plan marked M.D. 6083, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

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

Declaring a Portion of Main Highway in Highway District No. 1, Whangarei County, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of October, 1925.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE J. G. COATES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers 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 order and declare that the portion of main highway described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of gazetting of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

WHANGAREI-DARGAVILLE: All that portion of the main highway, known as the Whangarei-Dargaville Main Highway, commencing at its junction with the Kerehunga-Waiotama Road, in Block XIV, Purua Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction, and terminating at Section 43, Block II, Tangiahua Survey District, within at Section 43, Block II, Tangiahua Survey District, within 20 chains of the junction of the main highway with Tangiahua Road, passing through the County of Whangarei; being a distance of 3½ miles, more or less; marked V-W on plan. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 45, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District and thereon coloured blue and marked as above mentioned.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Mount Somers Domain

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of October, 1925.

THE HONOURABLE J. G. COATES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, 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 appoint

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to be the Mount Somers Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, at three o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Mount Somers Library, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

MOUNT SOMERS DOMAIN.—CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT. ESERVE 1633, Block XV, Alford Survey District: Area,

30 acres 1 rood, more or less Also Reserve 2639, Block XV, Alford Survey District: Area, 91 acres 3 roods, more or less.

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