

*Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Selection by Discharged Soldiers under Special Tenures, in the Auckland Land District.*

[L.s.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made on the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in the *Gazette* of the fourth day of March then instant, setting apart settlement lands for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, in so far as it relates to the land in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

SECTION 4, Hereford Park Settlement: Area, 334 acres 3 roods 11 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 2nd day of April, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Authorizing the Minister of Public Works to construct and maintain Water-supply Works in the Hawkdun Irrigation District.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 30th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that the Governor-General may, if he thinks fit, by Order in Council, authorize the Minister of Public Works to construct, maintain, or control any water-race or water-supply works, either within or outside a mining district, which are proposed to be constructed or which have been constructed out of funds provided by Parliament:

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the said Act that before any Order in Council is issued authorizing the said Minister to construct any water-race or water-supply works the owners or occupiers of all the lands likely to be benefited thereby shall be given an opportunity to enter into contracts with His Majesty to take water from such works when completed; and such contracts shall specify the quantity of water to be so taken and the price or rate to be paid for same:

And whereas it is also provided by section five of the said Act that if at least one-half of the total number of those owners or occupiers enter into contracts to take such quantity of water as the Governor-General thinks reasonable at such a price or rate as the Governor-General may approve, an Order in Council authorizing the construction of the works may be issued:

And whereas the water-supply works mentioned in the First Schedule hereto have been partly constructed, and it is proposed to complete the construction of the said works out of the funds provided by Parliament:

And whereas at least one-half of the total number of the owners or occupiers of the lands which are likely to be benefited thereby have entered into contracts with His Majesty to take water from such works when completed, which contracts specify the quantity of water to be taken and the price to be paid for the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve and confirm the terms of the several contracts aforesaid, and doth hereby authorize the Minister of Public Works to construct, maintain, and control the water-supply works described in the First Schedule hereto, and doth hereby also define the district to be served by such water-supply works as set out in the Second Schedule hereto, and herein referred to as the Hawkdun Irrigation District.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

HAWKDUN irrigation works, for the irrigation of the Hawkdun District (described in the Second Schedule hereto) by means of water drawn from tributaries of the Manuherikia River, and from all streams which are or may be intercepted by the course of the races mentioned hereinafter in this Schedule, and from the Eweburn Reservoir, and from any dam or dams which are or may be constructed or acquired on the said tributaries of the Manuherikia River or on any of the said streams or any other river or stream, such water being conveyed into the said district by a race known as the Mount Ida Water-race and by any enlargement or extension thereof, or by any other race or races constructed or acquired by the Minister of Public Works in addition to or in lieu of the said Mount Ida Water-race and any enlargement or extension thereof; the said works, including all dams, weirs, reservoirs, tunnels, fluming, siphons, piping, measuring or regulating devices, and races, and all other works incidental to or required for the construction, maintenance, and control of the said works for the irrigation of the said Hawkdun Irrigation District.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point in Run 227B, Turnagain Survey District, at the junction of a Government water-race, Mount Ida Water-race, and Johnstone's Water-race, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction generally following the Mount Ida Water-race to the south-western corner of reservoir-site, Section 1, Block 5, Naseby Survey District; thence following the north-western, north-eastern, and south-eastern boundaries of the said reservoir-site to the said Mount Ida Water-race; thence again following the said race to the northern boundary of Naseby Township; thence following said boundary in a westerly direction; thence following the western, southern, and eastern boundaries of Naseby Township to the said Mount Ida Water-race; thence again following the said race to a point north of the eastern corner of Section 74, Block 1, Naseby Survey District; thence following the boundary between Naseby and Kyeburn Survey Districts to the Naseby-Kyeburn Road; thence following the said road to the south-eastern corner of Section 5, Block 8, Maniototo Survey District; thence in a westerly direction generally following the southern boundary of the said Section 5 to the main Kyeburn-Ranfurly Road; thence following the said road to the north-eastern corner of Section 6, Block 17, Maniototo Survey District; thence following the eastern and southern boundaries of the said Section 6, and the southern and western boundaries of Section 7, Block 17, Maniototo Survey District, to the south-eastern corner of Section 20, Block 6, Maniototo Survey District; thence along the southern boundary of the said Section 20 to the eastern boundary of the Township of Ranfurly; thence following the eastern, northern, and western boundaries of the said Township of Ranfurly to the Otago Central Railway line; thence following the said railway to the western boundary of Section 1, Block 6, Maniototo Survey District; thence following the western boundary of the said Section 1 to the southern boundary of Block 2, Maniototo Survey District; thence following the boundary of the said Block 2 to the south-eastern corner of Block 1, Maniototo Survey District; thence following the southern boundary of the said Block 1 to the eastern boundary of the Gimmerburn Survey District; thence in a northerly direction generally following the eastern boundary of the Gimmerburn Survey District to the Otago Central Railway line; thence along the eastern, northern, and western boundaries of Section 14, Block 7, Naseby Survey District, to the southern boundary of Naseby Survey District; thence in a westerly direction generally following the southern and western boundaries of Naseby Survey District to the southern corner of Run 225P, Blackstone Survey District; thence along the south-western boundary of the said Run 225P to the Otago Central Railway; thence following the Otago Central Railway to the Idaburn; thence up the bed of the Idaburn to the north-eastern corner of Section 32, Block 1, Blackstone Survey District; thence along the northern boundary of the said Section 32 to a public road; thence following public roads to the north-eastern corner of Section 13, Block 13, Blackstone Survey District; thence along the eastern boundaries of Sections 13 and 17, Block 13, Blackstone Survey District, to the Otago Central Railway; thence following the said railway to a public road at the south-western corner of Section 22, Block 13, Blackstone Survey District; thence in a northerly direction generally following the said public road to the south-eastern corner of Run 224R, Blackstone Survey District; thence along the southern and western boundaries of the said Run 224R, the western boundaries of Runs 224S, 224R, and 224Q, Blackstone Survey District, the northern boundary of the said Run 224Q, the