acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch Drainage Board may borrow the said sum of twenty-five thousand pounds shall be fifteen years, and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Christchurch Drainage Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty-five thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Declaring Land in the Otago Land District to be subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and five of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and shall hereafter form part of the Teviot Settle-

SCHEDULE.

SECTIONS 36 to 39, Block VII, Benger Survey District, containing 20 acres 3 roods 27 perches, more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 16th day of July, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in Taranaki Land District for Sale by Public Auction for Cash or on Deferred Payments.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

N pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments; and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—RURAL LAND.

Egmont County.—Cape Survey District.

SECTION 48, Block IX: Area, 97 acres 2 roods; upset price

Situated on the Newall Road, about three miles from the Warea School and dairy factory. About 82 acres is in fern and second growth, balance in bush. Soil is of fair quality, well watered

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of July, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction for Cash or on Deferred Payments.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

N pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Thursday, the ninth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments; and I do hereby fix the

prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Rodney County.-Mahurangi Parish.

Section 206: Area, 23 acres 1 rood 39.4 perches; upset price,

Situated about three miles and a half from Warkworth, but has no road access. Steep to undulating country, covered with light bush and high manuka. Soil is dark loam over clay, resting on sandstone formation. Fairly well watered by small stream. Land is well sheltered, and lies well to the sun. Altitude, 100 ft. to 150 ft. above sea-level.

Waiuku Town District.-Waiuku West Parish

Section 200: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 25 perches; upset price, £30

Allotment is a narrow piece of marshy land running back from Constable's Road and Bowen Street, Waiuku. Long narrow gully with small creek running through it. Only small portion of dry land at the junction of the two roads.

An witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of July, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in the Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Art 1994 L conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and seventy-six of the said Act, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six; and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occu-pation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the price at which the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND. Oteramika Survey District.

SECTION 8, Block XII: Area, 228 acres. Capital value, £620.

Section S, Block XII: Area, 228 acres. Capital value, £620. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £15 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £12 8s.

Situated a little over three miles from Kapuka, having a frontage to gravel road. Medium ridgy land, originally partly covered with stunted manuka. About 90 acres has been cultivated. There is a good road from Kapuka Railway-station and dairy factory, which are three and a half miles distant, while the Kapuka South School is a few chains away. Buildings consist of five-roomed dwelling, outbuildings, stables, loose-box, implement-shed, wool-shed, yards, and dip.

Part of the valuation for improvements has been added to the capital value. The remainder, £102 12s., together with

the capital value. The remainder, £102 12s., together with the half-yearly rent and the rent for the broken period and lease fee, must be paid on selection.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of July, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Appointment of Cemetery Trustees revoked.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

N pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities L vested in me by the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the