

day of July, 1926, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £500 for metalling the Te Pahu Road:—

Total number of valid votes recorded, 25; for the proposal, 21; against the proposal, 4.

As the total number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal are more than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the proposal to be carried.

Loan of £2,000 for metalling certain Portions of the Port Waikato to Tuakau Bridge Road.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that the following is the result of a poll of the ratepayers of the Port Waikato - Tuakau Bridge No. 4 Special-rating District of the County of Raglan taken on the 17th day of July, 1926, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the purpose of metalling certain portions of the Port Waikato to Tuakau Bridge Road:—

Total number of valid votes recorded, 30; for the proposal, 30; against the proposal, Nil.

As the total number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal are more than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the proposal to be carried.

CAMPBELL JOHNSTONE, Chairman.

Defence Rifle Club disbanded.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the disbandment of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club under section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

South Hokianga Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Waimamaku.

Dated 19th July, 1926.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Tenders.

Public Works Department, Wellington, 2nd August, 1926.

THE following particulars of tenders passed by the Public Works Department are published for general information:—

Work or Supply.	Price.	Tenderer.
Arapuni, Section 136: 11,000 v. metering-equipment (Takapuna)	£793 ls.	Metro-Vickers Electrical Co. (Ltd.).
Arapuni, Section 151: 11,000 v. metering-equipment (Waitemata)	£547 10s.	Metro-Vickers Electrical Co. (Ltd.).
Quote No. 1000: Hardwood for bridges on North Auckland Main Trunk Railway—		
2,000 ft. ironbark piles	2s., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
525 ft. sawn M.A.H.	30s., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
Quote No. 1, Pohue Stream Bridge: Hardwood—		
285 ft. ironbark piles	1s. 4d., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
469 ft. hewn M.A.H.	24s. 8d., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
2,635 ft. sawn M.A.H.	30s., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
3,781 ft. sawn M.A.H.	30s. 3d., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
Taumarunui public-works dwelling	£1,167	J. W. Harvey.
Quote No. 3, Cowhide Creek Bridge: Hardwood—		
180 ft. ironbark piles	1s. 3d., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
3,403 ft. hewn ironbark	38s., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
1,188 ft. sawn ironbark	38s., f.o.b. .. ..	.. .. .
612 ft. hewn M.A.H.	37s. 6d., c.f.e. .. ..	.. .. .
1,689 ft. sawn M.A.H.	37s. 6d., c.f.e. .. ..	.. .. .
Quote No. 4, North Auckland Main-trunk Railway: Ironbark piles	3s. 3d. to 5s. 6d., c. and f. .. ..	.. .. .
Gisborne-Napier Railway: Metal-supply for Mohaka Tunnel	£295 16s. 8d.	R. Haswell.
Auckland Mental Hospital: Unit for nervous affections	£3,493	Adams and Hine.
Tauranga-Rotorua (Akeake) Road	£800	E. M. Donaldson.
Gisborne-Napier Railway: Kotemaori cottages	£1,756 5s.	— Cooper.
Haydn Extension Block: Removal and renovating cottage	£209	Morgan and Smith.
Motuihi Island Road: Metalling, &c.	£1,768 14s.	A. J. Holmes.
Midland Railway: Platelayers' cottage at Gowan	£1,152 10s.	W. Bastin.
Quote No. 6: Truck ironwork	£1,000	P. and D. Duncan (Ltd.), 20 sets.
Quote No. 7: Wheels and axles	£1,068 15s.	Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Ltd.).
Charwell River Bridge: Erection only	£665 10s. 10d.	Greig Bros.
New Plymouth Girls' High School	£5,999	F. D. Payne (Ltd.).
Mangakino Stream Bridge: Erection only	£222 7s. 10s.	T. Delaney.
Hamilton-Rotorua Main Highway: Formation and metalling	£1,169 13s. 9d.	M. Morton.
Public Service Garage, Pipitea Point	£1,770	Eagles and Swanger.
Arapuni, Section 170: Penrose Substation buildings extension	£4,122	C. A. Lee.
Arapuni, Section 192: Underground cable, &c.	£107 3s.	Tolley and Son (Ltd.).
Quote No. 10, Concrete-mixers—		
“London”	£300	Hutcheson, Wilson, and Co. (Ltd.).
“Rex”	£318	John Chambers and Son (Ltd.).
“Stothert and Pitt”	£261	Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Ltd.).
Caversham Post-office: Additions, &c.	£587 17s.	A. Cuff.
Outram Post-office: Erection	£2,185	C. Bragg.
Hutt Valley Railway: Cuba Street Station	£1,585	A. F. Barnes.
Stock Inspector's residence, Kurow: Additions and alterations	£331 2s.	C. A. Sutherland.
Quote No. 12: Electric lamps	£46 8s. 3d.	J. Burns and Co. (Ltd.).
Kotuku-Bell Hill Road: Formation, &c.	£509 17s.	C. Rodgers.
Ngaruawahia Ordnance Depot: Roof-trusses and R.S.J.	£1,495	Mason Bros.
Centre Road: Bushfelling, &c.	£210	Frew and Crawford.
Waimotu Road: Drain	£292 10s.	J. Murphy.
Stratford Main-trunk Railway: Shingle	£4,083 6s. 8d.	G. McElroy.
Upper Mohaka Bridge	£387 18s. 1d.	— Peacock.