CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of

November, 1926. Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

N pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities L conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Ex-cellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Execu-tive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the additional land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for waterworks purposes.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land permitted to be taken :-

- R. A. P
- Being Part Allotment 1, Section 6; coloured red. 0 0 9.8
- 0 3·9 0 8·6 0 Part Allotment 1, Section 6; coloured purple. Part Allotment 1, Section 6; coloured blue.
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- Ō 0 23.3 Part Lots 2 and 3 of Allotment 1, Section 6;
- coloured red. 0 35.5 Lot 4 of Allotment 1, Section 6; coloured 0 blue.

(Suburbs of Auckland.)

Situated in Block XVI, Waitemata Survey District (City of

Auckland), (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23703.) In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67471, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

C. A. JEFFERY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 50/10.)

Amendments to the Regulations under the Government Railways Act, 1926.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of October, 1926.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upor L him by the Government Railways Act, 1926, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governer-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 further amend the regulations made on the twentieth day of October,

amend the regulations made on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, by adding to the Second Schedule thereto the following regulation:—
"11. With respect to members in Grades 7 and 8 of the First Division the following provisions shall apply:—
"(d.) No member in Grade 7 shall be eligible for advancement to a higher grade until he has passed an examination in subjects relating to the work of the branch in which he is employed.
"Provided that the provisions of this subpara-

"Provided that the provisions of this subpara graph shall not apply to any member whose period of service with the department on the 1st day of June, 1926, amounted to twelve years or more; nor to any member whose position or occupation is such that in the opinion of the permanent head no such examination is necessary

- "(b.) No member in Grade 8 shall be eligible for advance-ment to a higher grade until he has passed such test of efficiency as may be prescribed by the
- permanent head.
 "(c.) This regulation shall come into operation on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven."

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Additional Land being taken for Waterworks Purposes in the City of Auckland. ______ The Northern Side of Portion of Alba Road, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1926.

Present : THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the L 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Auckland City Council on the twentysecond day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-

six, viz.:--"That the Auckland City Council, having control of Alba Road, Auckland bly council, naving control of Alba Road, Auckland, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said street, fronting Lots 5A and 6 of Allotment 29, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland "; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building

shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the northern side of the portion of Alba Road (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centreline of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE northern side of all that portion of street known as Alba Road, situated in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland, abutting on Lots 5A and 6 of Allotment 29, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 66766, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council. (P.W. 51/330.)

The Eastern Side of Portion of Peter Street and the Southern Side of Portion of Macbeth Street, in the City of Dunedin, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

> CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1926.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Dunedin City Council on the sixth day of Outcher are thousand with hundred and transfer is

"(b.) Portion of the southern side of Macbeth Street

where the same abuts on part of Section 17, Block VI, Town District, Caversham;

as such portions of the said streets are more particularly shown by brown colour on the plan hereunto annexed "; such portions of streets being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the Otago Land District, City of Dunedin, known as Peter Street, abutting on part Section 20, Block VI, Town District.