THE Boroughs of-

The Town Districts of-

The Road Districts of-

Whangamarino, Waikato County

The Treasury,

do hereby appoint as the statutory closing-day for shops in the respective working days set opposite their respective names in the second column of the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

The Treasury, Wellington, 24th February, 1927. EVERY officer holding advances of public money is hereby required to pay to the Public Account, at the nearest branch of the Bank of New Zealand, the unex-pended balance of his account on or before Thursday, the 31st March proximo, and forthwith to transmit to the Treasury at Wellington the bank receipt for such repay-ment, together with an account of his expenditure to the same date, as required by clause 5 of the Treasury Regu-lations. lation

With regard to disbursements which officers may require to make immediately after the close of the financial year, requisitions for the amount required are to be made in such time as to enable them to reach Wellington not later than the 15th March, so that the requisite funds may be placed at the disposal of the officer as soon after the 1st April as possible. Imprestees are further notified that telegraphic advice of remittances will not be sent. They will therefore require to ascertain from the bank if their improve the accent have been replacided. imprest accounts have been replenished.

W. DOWNIE STEWART, Minister of Finance.

Notice respecting proposed Alteration of Boundaries, Hillside Drainage District, County of Waikato.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 22nd February, 1927. T is hereby notified that a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, under the Land This Excentioncy the Governor-General, under the Land Drainage Amendment Act, 1913, praying that the area de-scribed in the Schedule hereto may be included in the Hillside Drainage District. All person affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the proposed alteration of boundaries which they desire to lodge within one month from the first publication of this notice; such objections to be addressed to the Minister such objections or petitions to be addressed to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE INCLUDED IN HILLSIDE DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded on the north-west by a public road, on the south-east by the Hamilton-Morrinsville Railway, and on the west by the Hill-side Drainage District, and being part of the land shown on plans 3792A and 6754, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland.

R. A. WRIGHT, For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order passed by the Dannevirke County Council de-claring Foxglove to be a Noxious Weed.—Notice No. Ag. 2641.

Department of Agriculture,

Wellington, 18th February, 1927. THE following special order, passed by the Dannevirke County Council at a special meeting held on 7th January, 1927, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting on 4th February, 1927, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT foxglove (*digitalis purpurea*), as included in the Third Schedule of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, be declared by special order a noxious weed in the Dannevirke County, under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, and amendments.

Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

W HEREAS the local authorities of the respective separate districts mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have failed to decide what working-day in the week shall be the statutory closing-day for shops in their respective districts :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 18 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour,

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