

pounds (£1,500) authorized by a special order passed on the twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and confirmed on the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, pursuant to a petition of the ratepayers in the South Mangachū, Perrys, and Tauwharenikau Roads Special-rating District of the County of Stratford, for the purpose of metalling portions of the South Mangachū, Perrys, and Tauwharenikau Roads:

And whereas the proceedings are irregular in that the advertisements as required by section ninety-nine, subsection (c), of the Counties Act, 1920, and published in the *Stratford Evening Post* newspaper at Stratford on the twenty-third and thirtieth days of November and the eleventh and fourteenth days of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, respectively, were not published once in each and every of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of the meeting confirming the special order:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by the irregularity or defect aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and twenty-two of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the advertisements had been published once in each and every of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of the meeting confirming the special order, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity or defect aforesaid.

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

Deer to cease to be Imported Game within Additional State Forest Service Plantation in the Rotorua County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General

WHEREAS by a Warrant dated the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and gazetted on the twenty-fifth day of the same month, made under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), deer were declared to cease to be imported game within State forest plantations in the Rotorua County:

And whereas it is desirable that deer should cease to be imported game within an additional State forest plantation:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that on and from the date hereof deer shall cease to be included in the Second Schedule of the said Act within the area described in the Schedule hereto, being a State forest plantation in the Rotorua County.

SCHEDULE.

KAINGAROA STATE FOREST PLANTATION EXTENSION.

All that area in the Auckland Land District containing by admeasurement 55,812 acres, more or less, being Kaingaroa State Plantation Extension, situated in Blocks VIII, XI, XII, XIII, XIV, XV, and XVI, Kaingaroa Survey District, Blocks I, II, III, IV, VI, VII, and VIII, Weao Survey District, Blocks I, V, IX, and XIII, Galatea Survey District, and Block I, Akikareru Survey District, and bounded generally as follows: Commencing at the most westerly point, being the north-east corner of Kaingaroa 1A North Block, and bounded towards the north and north-west generally by Kaingaroa Plantation, *Gazette*, 1911, page 3567; towards the west generally by Kaingaroa Plantation, *Gazette*, 1926, page 1918; towards the north generally by the Ngatama-wahine Stream; towards the east generally by Rangipo No. 1, Rangipo No. 2, Section 1, Block V, Galatea Survey District, subdivisions of the Karatia Block, a public road, a post-office site, the Te Whaiti Road, Section 2, Block XVI, Kaingaroa Survey District, and by the Rangitaiki River; towards the south and south-west generally by the Rangitaiki River, Run No. 59, Kaingaroa No. 1A South, and Kaingaroa No. 1A North to the point of commencement. Excepting an area of 470 acres, being Oruatawehi Native Reserve.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of February, 1927.

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

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN 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 Friday, the eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, 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 hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

SUBURBAN LAND.

Waiapu County.—Suburbs of Te Puia.

LOT 1 of Section 134; area, 35 acres 1 rood 13 perches. Upset price, £1,125.

Area ranges from undulating to hilly country; is well situated on Main East Coast Road in the suburbs of Te Puia, which is one of the growing towns of the coast. Buildings comprise house of seven rooms, motor-shed, and shed and washhouse.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN 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 Wednesday, the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Town of Lowther.

SECTION 6, Block IX: Area, 2 roods. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 7, Block IX: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 1 perch. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 6, Block V: Area, 3 roods 3 perches. Upset price, £10.

Situated a quarter of a mile from Lowther Railway-station. Flat land. Sections are suitable for building-sites.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN 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 Wednesday, the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, 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 hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Waitomo County.—Te Kuiti Township.

SECTION 10, Block X; Area, 20·8 perches. Upset price, £2,750.