a resolution of the said Council passed on the date last hereinbefore mentioned the said by-law was ordered to come into

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Westport was affixed by order of the said Council in the presence of-

J. H. HARKNESS, Mayor. J. M. ROBERTSON, Councillor. ARTHUR TAYLOR, Town Clerk.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the above-written by-law, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of July, 1928. Dated this 31st day of July, 1928.

M. POMARE, Acting Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 19/41/25.)

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and its Amendment, fixing the Closing-hours of Butchers' Shops within the Borough of Gore.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority VV of the occupiers of all the butchers' shops within the Borough of Gore, has been forwarded to the Minister of Labour, desiring that all such shops within the said borough be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 5.30 p.m., and on Saturdays at 8 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) Should the occupier of any shop affected by this requisition observe, pursuant to section 14 (2) of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921–22, Saturday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Wednesday for any such and in such case the closing-hour on wednesday for any such shop shall be 5.30 p.m., and the closing-hour on Friday for any such shop shall be 8 p.m.; (2) on the working-day immediately preceding (a) Good Friday, Christmas Day, or New Year's Day, or (b) any period during which a majority of the shops affected by this requisition are closed for the whole of two consecutive days (including Sunday), either in accordance with custom, or Proclamation by the Governor-General, or Act, of Parliament on declaration by the Covernment. Act of Parliament, or declaration by the Government, or request of the Mayor, the closing-hour shall be 9 p.m.

And whereas the Minister of Labour is satisfied that the

And whereas the Minister of Labour is satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops within the said borough:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921–22, I, for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby direct that on and after the 27th day of August, 1928, all the butchers' shops within the Borough of Core shall be closed accordingly. Gore shall be closed accordingly.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of August, 1928

R. A. WRIGHT, for Minister of Labour.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and its Amendment, fixing the Closing-hours of Grocers' Shops within the Borough of Greytown.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops within the Borough of Greytown, has been forwarded to the Minister of Labour, desiring that all such shops within the said borough be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 5.30 p.m., and on Fridays at 8 p.m.:

And whereas the Minister of Labour is satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops within the said borough:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921–22, I, for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby direct that on and after the 27th day of August, 1928, all the grocers' shops within the Borough of Greytown shall be closed accordingly.

The notice dated the 13th October, 1905, and published in the New Zealand Gazette of the 19th October, 1905, fixing the

closing-hours of certain shops in the Borough of Greytown shall be and is hereby cancelled in so far as it relates to the shops affected by this notice as from the date of the coming into operation of this notice.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of August, 1928

R. A. WRIGHT, for Minister of Labour.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block I, Katikati Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

N OTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road—and for the purposes of such public work the land described

in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken: And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Athenree, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objec-tions to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken: 38.6 perches.

Being portion of Section 1.

Situated in Block I, Katikati Survey District (Auckland

R.D.). (S.O. 24828.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72725, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 3rd day of August, 1928.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works, (P.W. 34/2678.)

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VIII, Castlepoint Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Whakataki, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. B. P. Being Portion of 21 0 0 Whakataki 10B 6A1; coloured yellow. 41 2 0 ,, 10B 6A2; coloured red.

Situated in Block VIII, Castlepoint Survey District.

(S.O. 2321.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 72556, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 8th day of August,

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works. (P.W. 41/133.)

Disestablishment of Oamaru Technical Classes and Transfer of Control.

Education Department

Wellington, 31st July, 1928.

N accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, 1914, and with the powers thereunder, I, Robert Alexander Wright, Minister of Education, do hereby direct that from the 1st day of January, 1928, the control of the Oamaru Technical Classes, exercised previous to that date by the Otago Education Board as controlling authority of the classes and the immediate control of the Oamaru Technical Classes exercised previous to that date by the Board of Managers of such technical classes, shall pass to the Waitaki High School Board; and that from the aforesaid 1st day of January, 1928, the Board of Managers of the Oamaru Technical Classes shall be and shall be deemed to be dissolved, and that all their property, rights, and liabilities, together with the property, rights, and liabilities of the Otago Education Board in respect of the said technical classes, shall thereupon vest in and become the property, rights, and liabilities of the Said technical classes, shall thereupon vest in and become the property, rights, and liabilities of the Said technical classes. bilities of the Waitaki High School Board.

B. A. WRIGHT, Minister of Education,