Portion of Ruatoki Consolidation Scheme confirmed.

In the matter of Section 6 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1923.

OTICE is hereby given that a scheme of consolidation, in part, dated the 2nd day of June, 1930, dealing with Ruatoki No. 1 and other blocks, as set out in the said scheme, having been prepared by the Native Land Court in accordance with the above-mentioned Act, and submitted under the seal of that said Court to the Native Minister for his approval, I, Apirana Turupa Ngata, as such Native Minister, being satisfied that the scheme so submitted is just and equitable, and is in the public interest, do hereby confirm the portion of the said scheme of consolidation which was so submitted on the 2nd day of June, 1930. Dated this 21st day of June, 1930.

A. T. NGATA, Native Minister.

Mining Privilege to be struck off the Register.—Notice under the Mining Act, 1926.

Mining Registrar's Office, Hokitika, 16th June, 1930.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of the provisions of section 188 (3) of the Mining Act, 1926, that, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be shown to the Minister within three months from the date hereof, the mining privilege specified in the Schedule hereto will be struck off the Register.

C. W. CARVER, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

STAFFORD REGISTRY.

Chambers.

Land Surveyors' Examination, September, 1930, Australia and New Zealand.

> The Survey Board of New Zealand, Wellington, 16th June, 1930.

T is hereby notified, for general information, that the L Survey Board, in conjunction with the Australian Surveyors Boards, will conduct an examination of candidates for licenses to survey, commencing at 10 a.m. on Monday, 15th September, 1930, at Wellington.

Candidates are notified that their applications, on the proper form, must reach the Secretary of the Board not later than Monday, 1st September, and that the examination fee as undernoted must be paid at the same time to the Secretary, from whom application forms and other particulars may be obtained.

Candidates sitting for the first time are required to sit in Wellington, and to forward a fee of $\pounds 5$ 5s.

Candidates completing former sittings may sit in other centres, where there is a Chief Surveyor's office, on payment of an extra fee of £1 ls., in addition to the ordinary fees which are as under:-

Completing in one or two subjects, fee of £1 ls. per sub-

Completing in all subjects, fee £5 5s.

At this examination candidates sitting for the first time will be accepted, as well as those completing former sittings

> M. CROMPTON-SMITH, Secretary, Survey Board.

Government Buildings, Wellington.

Alterations to Scale of Charges upon the New Zealand Government Railways.

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under the Government Railways Act, 1926, and its amendments, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, I, William Andrew Veitch, Minister of Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of charges in force on the New Zealand Government Railways open for traffic made on the 10th day of August, 1925, and published in the Gazette of 11th August, 1925.

PART III.-GOODS.

7. SAWN TIMBER, LOGS, MOULDINGS, ETC.

By cancelling the following:-

(4) In computing the charges for timber, 50 ft. or under will be foregone; over 50 ft. will be charged as the next 100 ft.

And substituting the following:-

(4) In computing the charges for timber, superficial measurements of 5 ft. and over will be calculated to the next 10 ft. and will be charged pro rata of the prescribed rate for 100 superficial feet. Superficial measurements of 4 ft. and under will be foregone.

As witness my hand this 25th day of June, 1930.

W. A. VEITCH, Minister of Railways.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Elections to administer Estates.

OTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder

No.	Name.	Occupation.	Residence.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Banks, Charles or Horace	Fitter	Tawa Flat	21/4/30	18/6/30	Intestate	Wellington.
2	Eskdale, Elizabeth Maria	Married woman	Tapanui	27/5/30	20/6/30	Testate	Dunedin.
- 3	Higgins, Lewis Henry	Farmer	Dannevirke	14/4/30	18/6/30	Intestate	Napier.
4	Johnson, Andrew Gray	Cheese-factory manager	Rongomai, Eketa- huna		18/6/30	,,	Wellington.
5.	Jones, Evan	Locomotive-driver	Te Kumi	28/5/30	20/6/30	,,	Napier.
6	King, Leonard Walter	Undertaker	Christchurch	25/3/30	18/6/30	,,	Christchurch
. 7	Nickerson, John William	Carpenter	,,	30/5/30	18/6/30	Testate	,,
8	Orchard, George Alfred	Wharfinger and clerk	Ruawai	23/6/24	20/6/30	Intestate	Auckland.
9	Pedler, Beatrice Mary Hamerton	Spinster	Christchurch	29/4/30	18/6/30	,,	Christchurch
10	Smith, George	Labourer	Auckland	19/7/29	18/6/30	,,	Auckland.
ii	St. Clair, Joseph	,,	Wellington	6/2/30	20/6/30	,,	Wellington.
12	Stone, Henry Alexander	Surfaceman	Mangarata	25/5/30	20/6/30	,,	Nelson.
13	White, Stanley Alfred	Engineer	Mokoia	15/5/30	20/6/30	,,	N. Plymouth