Wellington, 11th November, 1930. DURSUANT to section 27 of the Forests Act, 1921-22, DURSDANT to section 27 of the Forests Aut, 1021-22, and section 6 of the Forests Amendment Act, 1925, I do hereby notify that, on the recommendation of the Director of Forestry and the Land Board of the district, the area described in the Schedule hereto is hereby declared by me to be a fire district, and I do further specify the period from the let day of November in any year to the 31st day of from the 1st day of November in any year to the 31st day of March in the following year, inclusive, as the period during which it shall not be lawful for any person within the said district, save pursuant to the written permit of a Forest Officer, to set on fire, or cause to be set on fire any timber (whether standing or not), or any undergrowth, or any debris from forest operations, or any land-clearing operations, or grass or other specially inflammable material, without taking such precautions as may be prescribed by a Forest Officer.

SCHEDULE.

-Southland Forest-Conservation OTAGO LAND DISTRICT .-REGION.

Dunedin Forest Fire District.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing approximately 31,000 acres, more or less, situated in Blocks III, and X, Silverpeak Survey District, Blocks III, VIII, II, III, and X, Silverpeak Survey District, Blocks III, VIII, and XII, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, Blocks III, IV, V, and XI, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, Wakari Survey District, and Blocks XIII and XIV, East Taieri Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at Trig. F. (Mt. Allan), Silverpeak Survey District; thence proceeding generally eastward along the southern boundary of Block V, Silverpeak Survey District, and the western and southern boundaries of Block XI, Waikouaiti Survey District; thence thence in a southerly direction along the western boundary of a road which forms the north-western boundaries of Sections 2 and 1, Block II, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, and the continuation of the said road in a westerly direction ; thence by a road which runs generally in a south-easterly direction through Sections 30, 28, 27, and 31, Block III, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District; thence along the southern boundaries of Section 13, the western and south-western boundaries of Section 7, and the western and southern boundaries of Section 10, all of Block III, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District; thence along the western boundaries of Allotments 29, 30, 31, and 32, Mount Cargill Estate, Block XII, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, and the southern boundary of Allotment 32 aforesaid; thence along a road-line and the western boundaries of Allotments 34 and 43, Mount Cargill Estate aforesaid, to and across a road-line; thence along the south-western side of the said road-line to the north-western corner of Allotment 49. Mount Cargill Estate aforesaid ; thence along the western boundary of the said Allotment 49 and the southern boundaries of the said Allotment 49 and the southern boundaries of the said Allotment 49 and Section 23, Block XII, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District; thence along the western boundaries of Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34, Block VII, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, the northern boundaries of Sections 48 and 46, Block VIII, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, and the north-eastern and north-western boundaries of Section 61 north-eastern and north-western boundaries of Section 61, Block VIII aforesaid; thence along the north-western bound-ary of Block XI, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, to and across the Water of Leith; thence in a south-westerly direction by the right bank of the Water of Leith to its intersection with the north-eastern boundary of Block VIII, Upper Kaikorai Survey District; thence generally in a westerly direction along the boundaries of Blocks VIII and XI, Upper Kaikorai Survey District; thence along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 98 and 69, Watari Survey District : thence along the southern boundaries along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 98 and 69, Wakari Survey District; thence along the southern boundaries of Wakari and North Taieri Roads to the eastern boundary of Section 4, Block IV, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; thence across the North Taieri Road and along the northern boundaries of Sections 3, 2, and 1, Block VI, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Sections 1 and 7, Block XIII, East Taieri Survey District, to and across a road which intersects Sections 7 and 8, Block XIII, East Taieri Survey District; thence along the north-eastern side of the said road to the Silver Stream: thence in a northerly direction along road to the Silver Stream; thence in a northerly direction along the left bank of the Silver Stream; thence in a north-westerly direction along the north-eastern boundary of Section 30, Block III, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, and that boundary produced to the Silver Stream; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Section 21, Block III, Dunedin and

Notice as to an Area in Otago Land District declared to be a Fire District. State Forest Service, UNIN State Forest Service, State Fo 13 and 8, Block III, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District ; thence in a northerly direction along a road-line to Trig. L (Boulder Hill); thence in a north-easterly direction along a straight line from the said Trig. L to Trig. F. (Mt. Allan), the place of commencement. As the same is more particularly delineated on plan No. 207/l, deposited in the Head Office of the State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

> E. A. RANSOM, Commissioner of State Forests.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block I, Waikouaiti Survey District for Road and Quarry Purposes, respectively.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the N provisions of the Public Works Act, 1928, to take the land described in the First Schedule hereto for the purposes of a road, and the land described in the Second Schedule further given that the plan of the land described in the second Schedule hereto for the purposes of a quarry: And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Evansdale, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections 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.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROPOSED TO BE TAKEN FOR ROAD.

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

- Being Portion of A. R. P.
- Section 40; coloured green. ,, 65; ,, violet. 0 17.0 0
- 0 0 29.6 violet.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

LAND PROPOSED TO BE TAKEN FOR QUARRY.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be

- pink.

All situated in Block I, Waikouaiti Survey District.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 79889, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

s witness my hand at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1930.

W. B. TAVERNER, Minister of Public Works. (P.W. 62/16/101/6.)

Results of Elections of Trustees of Drainage Districts.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 6th November, 1930. THE following results of the elections of trustees of drainage districts have been received from the Re-turning Officer, and are published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON, Under-Secretary.

- Kawa Drainage District— Oswald Miles Coverdale. Thomas Franklin Plewman. Francis Quinn. John Burgess Teasdale. John Ledra Wallis. (I.A. 19/78/54.) Fencourt Drainage District, County of Waikato-John Thomas Entwisle. William Craig Wallace. Frank Henry Swayne. Robert Herbert Feisst. William Cashmore Arnold.
 - (I.A. 19/78/53.)