cancel the authority of the Waikohu County Council to borrow, | Date of Election of Insurance Members of the Cambridge Fire under the loan authority hereinbefore referred to, the sum of £714 5s. 9d., being the amount of the said loan authority which has not been exercised.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1931.

G. W. FORBES, Minister of Finance.

Appointments to Cook Islands Public Service.

Cook Islands Department Wellington, 16th February, 1931.

IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand has been pleased to make the following appointments to the Cook Islands Public Service under section 13 of the Cook Islands Act, 1915:—

George Harold Davis,

to be Postmaster at Rarotonga, from 30th December, 1930.

Leicester Mitchell Cook,

to be Cadet, Rarotonga, from 27th January, 1931.

James Lonsdale,

to be Radio Operator at Niue, from 2nd July, 1929.

A. T. NGATA, Minister for the Cook Islands.

Visiting Justice appointed.

Prisons Department, Wellington, 19th February, 1931.

IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

William Herbert Sandford, Esquire, J.P., to be a Visiting Justice of His Majesty's Prison at Waikune, National Park.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 20th February, 1931.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service :-

William John Cooper

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1928, and the Noxious Weeds Act, 1928, as from the 1st March, 1931.

William Edward Behrens

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Naseby, at Naseby, as from the 17th day of February, 1931.

T. MARK, Secretary.

The Wairarapa Counties' Joint By-laws Amendment By-law, 1930, confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 13th February, 1931.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the Wairarapa Counties' Joint By-laws Amendment By-law, 1930, made by the following County Councils on the dates set opposite their names respectively:—

Akitio, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.
Pahiatua, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.
Eketahuna, on the 23rd day of January, 1930. Mauriceville, on the 23rd day of January, 1930. Castlepoint, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.
Masterton, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.
Wairarapa South, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.
Featherston, on the 23rd day of January, 1930.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE, Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-law, and declare that the same shall come into force on the 1st day of April, 1931.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1931.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 19/18/54.)

Board.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 24th February, 1931.

DURSUANT to section 24 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1926, I, Philip Aldborough de la Perrelle, Minister of Internal Affairs, charged with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1931, to be the day for the holding of an election of two members of the Cambridge Fire Board by fire-insurance companies, which, for the time being, are carrying on business within the Cambridge Fire District.

> P. A. DE LA PERRELLE, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 11/32/39.)

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, as to the Statutory Closing-day in the Combined District of Taumarunui and Manunui.

NOTICE is hereby given that in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and in terms of notice in writing duly Offices Act, 1921-22, and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the chairman of the conference of delegates of all the local authorities of the combined district of Taumarunui and Manunui, as constituted for the purpose of that Act, and comprising the Borough of Taumarunui and the Town District of Manunui, I, Sydney George Smith, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said combined district of Taumarunui and Manunui. of Taumarunui and Manunui.

Dated at Wellington, this 24th day of February, 1931.

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE, For Minister of Labour.

Justices of the Peace authorized to exercise Jurisdiction in Children's Courts.

> Department of Justice, Wellington, 18th February, 1931.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to authorize the Justices of the Peace named in the first column of the Schedule hereto to exercise jurisdiction in the Children's Courts established at the places named in the second column of the Schedule opposite the name of each such Justice of the Peace respectively.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. Second Column. Walter Francis Evans, Esquire Temuka. George Hancox, Esquire ... Temuka. George Arthur Sherwin, Esquire ... Fairlie.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Justice.

Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Department of Defence, Wellington, 17th February, 1931.

IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the covering of the to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under Section 43, Defence Act, 1909:

West Taieri Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Dated 28th January, 1931. Outram.

JOHN G. COBBE, Minister of Defence.

Plumbers' Registration Act, 1912.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION, 31ST OCTOBER AND 1ST NOVEMBER, 1930.—(H.P.B. 44.)

THE following having now completed both portions of the examination of the Plumbers' Board of New Zealand, held on the 31st October and 1st November, 1930, his name has been entered in the Register of Plumbers of New Zealand in pursuance of sections 9 and 17 (b) of the Act.

Registered No. Name. Address .. W. R. Etchells .. Hamilton. 2188

A. J. STALLWORTHY, Minister of Health.