River to the sea; along the sea-coast; up the middle of the Waitaki River and of Stony Stream to the intersection of the last-named with a right line through Trig. Station N I and Hakataramea Pass; thence along that line to Hakataramea Pass and down the Dalgety Creek and Hakataramea River to a point due west of Trig. Station K; thence southerly along the summit of a range to Trig. Station F and along a right line to Mount Nimrod, the point of commencement.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(I.A. 25/16/101.)

Open Season for the Taking or Killing of Opossums in the Wanganui Acclimatization District.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of April, 1931.

Present: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921–22, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that opossums may be taken or killed within the Wanganui Acclimatization District, described in the Schedule hereto, except in any sanctuary other than a scenic reserve, from noon on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, to noon on the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, subject to the general regulations made by Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty.

And, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby further order and declare that licenses to take or kill opossums within the said district shall be issued to any person on payment of the sum of two pounds ten shillings each; and doth hereby appoint the Chief Postmaster at Wanganui and the Postmasters at Fordell and Mangamahu to sign and issue such licenses to take or kill opossums.

SCHEDULE.

WANGANUI ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Wellington and Taranaki Land Districts bounded by a line commencing at the mouth of the Waitotara River, and proceeding thence up the middle of that river and of the Mangaone Stream to and along the southern boundary of Section 16, Block V, Nukumaru Survey District; along the eastern boundary of that section to the Mangaone Stream; up that stream, and along the eastern boundary of Lot 4 (deposited plan 659) and the western boundaries of Lots 17 and 14 (deposited plan 918) to Orangihongi Trig. Station; thence easterly to Pakira Trig. Station; along the southern and western boundaries of Manganui-o-Tahu Block and up the Manganui-o-Tahu Stream to and along Block and up the Manganui-o-lanu Stream to and along the western boundaries of Lots 3 and 1, Mangapapa No. 18 Block, along the southern boundary of Mangapapa Ic Block to Watershed Road; thence along Watershed Road, Pokeka Road, and the summit of the range passing through Mangarau, Waitu, Ratauwhiri, Taungatahi, Manaianahi, Kotikiekie, to Te Mapou Trig. Station; thence along the Whakaihuwhaka Road, and the north-eastern boundary of Section 1, Block III, Block III, Station 2, Stati Taurakawa Survey District, to Whakaihuwhaka Trig. Station (Mount Humphries); thence along a right line to the con-fluence of the Tangarakau and Wanganui Rivers; thence down the middle of the Wanganui River and up the middle of the Paparoa Stream; along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections 9 and 3, Block XI, Tauakira Survey District, the northern boundaries of Section 1, Block XII, Tauakira Survey District, the southern boundary of Section 1, Block IX, Ngamatea Survey District, the south-western boundary Ngamatea Survey District, the south-western boundary of Ohotu No. 9 Block, and its production to the Mangawhero River; down the middle of that river and up the middle of Rangitatau Stream to Field's Track; thence generally north-easterly along that track to the stream forming the north-eastern boundary of Ohotu 6a 1 Block; down the widdle of the transport up the middle of the Wongschu middle of that stream and up the middle of the Wangachu River to the point in line with the northern boundary of Section 1, Block IV, Ngamate Survey District; thence to and along that boundary and the northern boundary of Section 8 to the Owhakura Road; easterly along that road, and along the northern boundaries generally of Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block I, Maungakaretu Survey District, Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 C

Block II, and the production of the last - named boundary to the middle of the Turakina River; up that river, and along the northern boundaries of Raketapauma Nos. 3A 2, 1A 1, 1A 2, 1G, 1I 2 Blocks, to the Waiouru-Moawhango Road; north-easterly along the middle of that road to its junction with the Waiouru-Tokaanu Road; thence along a right line to Auahitotara Trig. Station ; thence southerly along a right line to Trig. Station 16 and a right line to Trig. Station 32; thence westerly along a right line to the junction of the Panemango and the Tomakomako Streams; thence up the middle of the Panemango Stream to and along the southern boundaries generally of Ruanui No. 2B 3, 2B 4, 2B 5, 2B 6, 2B 7 Blocks and the south-western boundary of Section 1, Block X, Maungakaretu Survey District, to the middle of the Turakina River; thence along a right line to the Maungakaretu Trig. Station on the summit of the astern watershed of the Wangaehu River; thence in a south-westerly direction generally along the summit of that watershed to and along a right line which runs in a north-westerly direction through Trig. Station on Okaiepe (Block XIV, Mangawhero Survey District) to a point in the middle of the Wangaehu River due west about eighteen chains from the western boundary of Block XIV, Mangawhero Survey District; thence down the middle of the said river to the sea; thence in a north-westerly direction along the sea-coast to the point of commencement.

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

Open Season for the Taking or Killing of Opossums in the Wellington Acclimatization District.

(I.A. 25/16/112.)

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of April, 1931.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

I N pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Animals Frotection and Game Act, 1921–22, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf. His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that opossums may be taken or killed within the Wellington Acclimatization District described in the Schedule hereto, except in any sanctuary other than a scenic reserve, from noon on the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, to noon on the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, subject to the general regulations made by Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty.

And, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby further order and declare that licenses to take or kill opossums within the said district shall be issued to any person on payment of the sum of two pounds ten shillings each; and doth hereby appoint the Chief Postmaster at Wellington, and the Postmasters at Petone, Lower Hutt, Upper Hutt, Featherston, Greytown, Masterton, Carterton, Martinborough, Eketahuna, Pahiatua, Paekakariki, Waikanae, Paraparaumu, Otaki, Levin, Shannon, Palmerston North, Bulls, Marton, Turakina, Hunterville, Mangaweka, and Taihape, to sign and issue such licenses to take or kill opossums.

SCHEDULE.

Wellington Acclimatization District.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at the mouth of the Wangaehu River and proceeding thence up the middle of that river to a point 18 chains due west of the western boundary of Block XIV, Mangawhero Survey District; thence south-easterly along a right line, passing through Okaiepe Trig. Station, to the summit of the eastern watershed of the Wangaehu River; north-easterly along the summit of that watershed to Trig. Station DD (Maungakaretu); along a right line to the south-western corner of Section 1, Block X, Maungakaretu Survey District; along the south-western boundary of said Section 1 and the southern boundaries generally of Ruanui Blocks Nos. 2B 7, 2B 6, 2B 5, 2B 4, and 2B 3, and along the middle of the Panemango Stream, to its junction with Tomakomako Stream; thence along a right line to Trig. Station 32; along a right line to Trig. Station 16 (Kauaekeke), a right line to Trig. Station 27 (Motumatai), and