

the said Council and the financial operations relating thereto, and shall at the same time submit a plan of operations and management for the ensuing year, which shall be effective on approval by the Commissioner of State Forests.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 142, Block I, Teviot Survey District: Area, 97 acres 3 roods 25 perches, more or less.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
(L. and S. X/100/14.)

Vesting the Control of a Reserve in the Riwaka Public Library Board.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 7th day of March, 1932.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is a reserve duly set apart for a site for a public library: And whereas it is expedient that the control of the said reserve should be vested in a special Board as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, 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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section seventeen of the Public Reserves, Domains, and National Parks Act, 1928, doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto, for the period of five years from the date hereof (unless previously amended or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely:—

Alexander John Drummond,
Bertie John Goodall,
Samuel Manson Askew, and
Claude Eustace Hart,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Riwaka Public Library Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board"), with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say:—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the last Monday in each month at eight o'clock p.m., at the Riwaka Library, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two, at half past seven o'clock p.m.

2. The members of the Board shall at their first meeting, and thereafter at the annual meeting hereinafter mentioned, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of any such meeting is given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

4. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

6. If by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise the seat of any member shall be or become vacant, or if any member absents himself without reasonable cause from three consecutive meetings of the Board, the Governor-General shall have power to appoint any other person to be a member of the Board in his stead.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

8. The Board shall have prepared and submitted at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve and the building erected thereon for the purposes of a public library, and shall also afford settlers and residents of Riwaka and the surrounding district such facilities for meeting within the said building as may from time to time be determined by the Board: Provided that the Board shall have power to fix reasonable charges for the use of the said building.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 4 and 5, Block X, Kaiteriteri Survey District: Area, 2 roods 9-4 perches.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
(L. and S. 22/3554.)

Vesting the Control of Scenic Reserves in the Taumarunui Borough Council.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the scenic reserves described in the Schedule hereto (being lands reserved under the said Act) in the Taumarunui Borough Council, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say:—

1. The period for which the control of the reserves is hereby vested shall be three years from the date hereof, unless the reservation is previously altered or revoked under the said Act.

2. The said Council shall prepare a report each year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of receipts and expenditure in connection with the said reserves. Such report and statement shall be sent to the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act as soon as possible after the close of the year.

3. The said Council shall control the said reserves in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area containing by admeasurement 24 acres 2 roods 30 perches, more or less, being Lot A, Block I, Hunua Survey District. As the same is delineated on a plan marked L. and S. 1/440, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Also all that area, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 25 perches, more or less, being Lot B, Block I, Hunua Survey District. Also all that area containing by admeasurement 1 acre 0 roods 21 perches, more or less, being Lot D, Block I, Hunua Survey District. As the same are delineated on the plan marked 270/20H, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 7th day of March, 1932.

E. A. RANSOM,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

(L. and S. 4/424.)

Notice bringing an Education Reserve within the Operation of the Mining Act, 1926.

BLEDISLOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by section twenty-five of the Mining Act, 1926, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, I, Charles, Baron Bledisloe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the Primary Education Endowment described in the Schedule hereto shall be brought within the operation of the Mining Act, 1926; and do hereby further declare that this notice shall take effect as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 35 poles, more or less, being Lot 2 of Section 1, Block XLVIII, Tokomairiro Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the east generally