Declaring Areas to be Closely Populated Localities for the Purposes of the Motor-vehicles Amendment Act, 1936,

In terms of section 3 of the Motor-vehicles Amendment Act, 1936, the Minister of Transport does hereby declare the areas described in the Schedule hereto to be closely populated localities for the purposes of the said section to the intent that a person driving any motor-vehicle on any road, street, or other place to which the public have access therein shall be subject to the maximum speed-limit of thirty miles an bour fived by the said section. of thirty miles an hour fixed by the said section.

SCHEDULE.

SITUATED within Maniototo County

All that area at Oturchua consisting of the Wedderburn— Omakau via Ida Valley Main Highway No. 227 com-mencing at a point 12 chains measured along the road in a south-westerly direction from the Oturchua Postoffice and terminating at a point 14 chains measured along the road in a south-westerly direction from its junction with the Oturehua-Hills Creek Main Highway, a distance of approximately 38 chains.

All that area at Ranfurly bounded by a line commencing at the junction of Stuart Road and Alexander Street, and proceeding there in an easterly direction along

and proceeding thence in an easterly direction along Alexander Street to its junction with Tyrone Street; Alexander Street to its junction with Tyrone Street; thence in a northerly direction along Tyrone Street to its junction with Caulfield Street; thence in a westerly direction along Caulfield Street to its junction with Northland Street; thence in a northerly direction along Northland Street; thence in a northerly direction along Northland Street to a point 5 chains north of the junction of Northland Street and Welles Street; thence returning along Northland Street to its junction with Welles Street; thence in a westerly direction along Welles Street to its junction with Stuart Road; thence in a southerly direction along Stuart Road to the commencing-point at the junction of Stuart Road and Alexander Street, the area being inclusive of the said roads and portions of roads to the extent above described. roads and portions of roads to the extent above described. Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of August, 1938.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Transport.

(TT, 9/15/39.)

Approval of Testing Officers under the Motor-drivers' Regulations, 1931.

N terms of Regulation 5 of the Motor-drivers' Regulations, 1931, the Minister of Transport does hereby approve, until further notice, of the persons named in column 2 of the Schedule hereunder being Testing Officers under the said regulations for the authority specified in column 1 of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Column 1. Council Upper Hutt Borough Council

Hastings Borough Herbert Arthur Green, of Hastings Assistant Traffic Inspector.
Charles Edward Hinson Yarnell, of
Upper Hutt, Borough Inspector. Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of August, 1938.

Column 2.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Transport.

(TT. 9/4/3.)

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed in the Borough of New Brighton.—(Notice No. Ag. 3588.)

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1938.

THE following special order made by the New Brighton
Borough Council on the 18th day of July, 1938, is
published in accordance with the provisions of the Noxious
Weeds Act, 1928.

W. LEE MARTIN, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

 $\mathbf{T}_{\mathbf{HAT}}$ whereas at a special meeting of the New Brighton Borough Council held on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1938, it was resolved :-

"That under the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1928, the New Brighton Borough Council hereby declares the plant Silver Poplar (*Populus Nivea*) a noxious weed within the boundaries of the Borough of New Brighton."

The New Brighton Borough Council hereby confirms the said resolution as a special order, and that the council's seal be affixed to the said special order, and to as many copies thereof as may be found necessary.

Kaitaia Drainage Area.—Notice of Intention to make and levy General Rates.

Department of Lands and Survey Wellington, 29th July, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended, pursuant to the Swamp Preipage Act 1917 to the Swamp Drainage Act, 1915, and its amendments, to make and levy, on the unimproved value of all land within the Kaitaia Town District Subdivision of the Kaitaia Drainage Area constituted under the said Act, the general rate described in the First Schedule hereto, and on the unimproved value of all land in the Subdivision of the Kaitaia Drainage Area outside the Kaitaia Town District the general rates described in the Second Schedule, such respective rates being for the purpose of meeting maintenance-costs for the period from the 1st April, 1938, to the 31st March, 1939.

The amount of the general rates, together with the annually recurring special rates already made and levied, will be payable in one sum on the 30th August, 1938.

The valuation roll and the rate-book of the district will be

The valuation roll and the rate-book of the district will be open for inspection at the office of the Collector of Rates, Land Drainage Engineer's Office, Room 45, First Floor, Government Buildings, Customs Street West, Auckland, and copies of same may be inspected at the office of the Land Drainage Engineer, Kaitaia, at all times at which those offices are open for the transaction of public business.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

TOWN SUBDIVISION.

On the unimproved value of all land within the Kaitaia Town District, one penny and thirteen one-hundredths of a penny (1·13d.) in the pound.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

RURAL SUBDIVISION.

Class A.—On the unimproved value of all land classified as Class A by the persons appointed to classify lands under section 3 of the Swamp Drainage Amendment Act, 1928, tenpence and three one-hundredths of a penny (10-03d.) in

the pound.
Class B.—On the unimproved value of all land so classified as Class B, threepence and fifty-one one-hundredths of a

penny (3·51d.) in the pound. Class C.—On the unimproved value of all land so classified as Class C, one penny and fifty one-hundredths of a penny (1.50d.) in the pound.

FRANK LANGSTONE, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 15/42/5.)

Unclaimed Property.

NOTICE BY THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE DECLARING HIS INTENTION OF TAKING POSSESSION OF AND ADMINISTERING PROPERTY UNDER PART III OF THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACT, 1908, AND ITS AMENDMENTS.

WHEREAS William Frederick Neary, formerly of Auckland in the Previous 1 Previous 1 land, in the Provincial District of Auckland, Zealand, Dairyman, is the owner of one undivided half-share or interest in all that piece or parcel of land containing 84 acres, be the same a little more or less, being Allotment 23 and the southern part of Allotment 11, Parish of Mata, and being all the land in certificate of title, Volume 555, folio 169 (Auckland Registry): And whereas it is not known whether the said William Frederick Neary is alive or dead: And whereas the Public Trustee has been requested to take possession of and administer the said property under the provisions of Part III of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments: And whereas the value of the said property

amendments: And whereas the value of the said property does not exceed one thousand pounds:

Now, therefore, by virtue of the powers in that behalf conferred upon him by section 87 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, the Public Trustee with the consent of the Public Trust Office Board hereby declares his intention of taking possession of the said property and of exercising in respect thereof all the powers conferred upon him in and by the provisions of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its

amendments.

Dated at Wellington, this 27th day of July, 1938.

E. O. HALES, Public Trustee.