

*Validating Proceedings in connection with the Ohakune Borough Council's Loan of £3,900.*

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of October, 1941.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Ohakune Borough Council lately proceeded by way of special order to raise a loan of three thousand nine hundred pounds (£3,900) to be known as "Workers' Dwellings Loan, 1941" (hereinafter called "the said loan"):

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular or defective in that, although the two public notifications in respect of the raising of the said loan as required by paragraph (c) of section sixty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1933, as set out in paragraph (a) of section five of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1938, were given during the period of twenty-eight days immediately preceding the date of the subsequent meeting confirming the resolution to raise the said loan, there was an interval of less than fourteen days between the two notifications:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularity or defect as aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and twenty-two of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said public notifications had been correctly given, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan, or of the security for the said loan, shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

W. O. HARVEY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

(T. 49/295/6.)

*Suspending the Operations of certain Statutes in connection with the Christchurch Metropolitan Show.*

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of October, 1941.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Exhibitions Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), 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 authorize the holding of a public exhibition of works of industry and art, to be conducted by the Canterbury Agricultural and Pastoral Association in the Addington Show Buildings, Christchurch, on the thirteenth and fourteenth days of November, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one, and to be known as the Christchurch Metropolitan Show, and doth hereby declare the said exhibition to be an exhibition within the meaning of the said Act, and doth hereby suspend, subject, however, to the conditions set out in the Schedule hereto, all the provisions of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, the Factories Act, 1921-22, and the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and of all awards and industrial agreements in force under the last-named Act, in so far as such provisions relate to the hours of commencing or ceasing work or to the issue of permits for overtime or extended hours, or to holidays or half-holidays, or to the closing of shops to any person, and so far as such provisions relate to hours of work done or business conducted or service carried out in or upon the premises aforesaid during the period aforesaid by or on behalf of the bodies conducting the said exhibition, or by or on behalf of any exhibitor of works of industry or art at the said exhibition, or by any person employed in or about the said exhibition.

SCHEDULE.

1. Eight hours shall constitute a day's work in or about the exhibition and, with the exception set out in clause 2 hereof, such hours shall be worked consecutively.

2. No person shall be employed in or about the exhibition for more than four hours without an interval of at least three-quarters of an hour for a meal.

3. Any person employed during any day in or about the exhibition who is employed on such day in excess of eight hours, or before the hour of 8 a.m., or after the hour of 10.30 p.m. (whether such excess employment is in or about the exhibition or otherwise) shall be paid for such excess employment at not less than one-half as much again as the ordinary rate for the first two hours and at not less than twice the ordinary rate thereafter, and any person employed in or about the exhibition on any day that would, but for the provisions of this Order in Council, have been a whole holiday for such person by virtue of any Act or of any award or industrial agreement, shall be paid for all work done on such day at not less than twice the ordinary rate, whether such work is performed wholly in or about the exhibition or otherwise.

4. No male under eighteen years of age and no female shall be employed in or about the exhibition after the hour of 10.30 p.m.

5. For the purposes of the enforcement of an award or industrial agreement any provision of which has been suspended by this Order in Council, any officer of the industrial union or association concerned who is authorized in writing in that behalf by such union or association shall be entitled to interview at his place of employment any person employed in or about the exhibition under that award or industrial agreement, at such time or times as may be agreed upon by and between such officer and the employer of such persons, and for this purpose any such officer shall be entitled at any reasonable time to have access to the Register of Passes issued by the Canterbury Agricultural and Pastoral Association.

6. Nothing in this Order in Council shall be deemed to affect any provisions in an award or industrial agreement requiring workers subject to such award or industrial agreement to be members of a union.

W. O. HARVEY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting the Control of Scenic Reserves in the Whangarei Borough Council.*

C. L. N. NEWALL, 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 land reserved under the said Act) in the Whangarei 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 ten years from the date hereof, unless the reservation is previously altered or revoked under the said Act.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL those areas containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 2-7 perches, 2 acres 2 roods 9-4 perches, and 3 acres 1 rood 1-2 perches, being Lots 1, 2, and 3 respectively on a plan numbered 27927, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland, and being parts Allotment 1, Whangarei Parish, Whangarei Borough.

Also all that area containing by admeasurement 11 acres 2 roods 28 perches, more or less, being part Allotment 1, Whangarei Parish, Whangarei Borough, and being all the land on a plan numbered 27619, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland.

As the same are more particularly delineated on a plan marked L. and S. 4/830A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of October, 1941.

J. G. BARCLAY,

For the Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

(L. and S. 4/830.)