eastern shore of Lake Taupo; thence northerly generally along the said shore to the Waikato River, along the right along the said shore to the Waikato River, along the right bank of that river to the control-gate structure, across the said river and along the south-east, south, and west side of the Taupo-Oruanui Road, crossing roads joining that road, to the north-east corner of Rangatira part No. 8a, in Block II, Tauhara Survey District; thence westerly along the northern boundary of Rangatira part No 8a to its north-west corner; thence north-ry generally along the western boundaries of Rangatira No. 2, Oruamuturangi Block, and part Wairakei Block, all in Block XIII, Tatua Survey District, to the west side of the Taupo-Oruanui Road; thence northerly generally along the west side of that road, crossing a road joining it, to its junction with the Waitoa-Taupo State Highway in Block IX, Tatua Survey District, and along the north-west side of that State Highway to the easternmost corner of Section 6, Block IX, Tatua Survey District; thence north-easterly along a right line to Trig. 19 Rapa Rapa; thence north-easterly again along a right line to the intersection of the boundaries of Sections 5 and 6 and part Section 4, Block X, Tatua Survey District, being the point of commencement.

District, being the point of commencement.

As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.H.D. 237, deposited in the office of the State Hydroelectric Department at Wellington, and thereon outlined in blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, and issued under the Seal of New Zealand, this 6th day of February 1953.

W. S. GOOSMAN, Minister in Charge of the State Hydro-electric Department.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

(S.H.D. 21/63/1)

Constituting the Hawksbury Rabbit District—(Notice No. Ag. 5385)

## C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 3rd day of February 1953

THE RIGHT HON. S. G. HOLLAND PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

DURSUANT to the Rabbit Nuisance Act 1928 and to section 29 of the Rabbit Nuisance Amendment Act 1947, His Excellency the Governor-General, at the request of the Minister of Agriculture, made on the recommendation of the Rabbit Destruction Council, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby constitutes and declares the area of land, the boundaries of which are described in the Schedule hereto, being an area to which subsection (1) of section 30 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act 1928, applies, a rabbit district, and appoints that the name of the said rabbit district shall be the Hawksbury Rabbit District, and orders that the basis on which the Rabbit Board to be established for the said district shall first levy its general rate shall be the acreage of land occupied by the ratepayer.

## SCHEDULE

BOUNDARIES OF THE HAWKSBURY RABBIT DISTRICT

Boundaries of the Hawksbury Rabbit District
All that area in the Otago Land District and the Counties of
Waihemo and Waikouaiti, situated in the Survey Districts of
Moeraki and Hawksbury, containing 22,600 acres, more or less,
and bounded as follows; commencing at the south-western corner
of the Borough of Waikouaiti on the seacoast; thence southwesterly along the mean high-water mark of the Pacific Ocean to
the mouth of the Waikouaiti River; thence generally northwesterly up the centre of the main stream of the Waikouaiti River
and its North Branch to a point in line with the eastern boundary
of Section 35, Block XI, Hawksbury Survey District; thence
generally northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Section
35 to the Mount Watkin Road; thence south-easterly and northeasterly along the Mount Watkin Road to the eastern boundary
of Lot 1, Deposited Plan 2193; thence north-easterly along the
eastern boundary of said Lot 1 to the Mount Pleasant Road; thence
generally north-easterly along Mount Pleasant Road to its junction
with Mount Trotter Road; thence northerly by a straight line
to the north-eastern corner of Lot 11, Deposited Plan 2449, on
Taieri Peak Road; thence generally easterly along the southern
side of Taieri Peak Road to its junction with the western boundary
of the Borough of Palmerston; thence southerly and easterly along
the western and southern boundaries of the Borough of Palmerston
to the Timaru-Dunedin State Highway; thence generally southerly
along the Western side of the Timaru-Dunedin State Highway; the western and southern boundaries of the Borough of Falmerson to the Timaru–Dunedin State Highway; thence generally southerly along the western side of the Timaru–Dunedin State Highway to the northern boundary of the Borough of Waikouaiti; thence generally south-westerly and south-easterly along the north-western and south-western boundaries of the Borough of Waikouaiti to the point of commencement.

T. J. SHERRARD, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Altering and Redefining the Boundaries of the Blackstone Rabbit District (Notice No. Ag. 5386)

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 3rd day of February 1953

THE RIGHT HON, S. G. HOLLAND PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

WHEREAS by section 31 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act 1928 it is enacted that the Governor-General, at the request of the Board of any rabbit district, may, by Order in Council, alter and redefine the boundaries of its district:

And whereas the district known as the Blackstone Rabbit District has been constituted under and for the purposes of the said Act.

And whereas the Board of the said district has, pursuant to the said section 31 of the said Act, requested that the boundaries of its district be altered and redefined by including an additional area therein and by excluding an area therefrom:

And whereas it is deemed expedient to alter and redefine the

boundaries of the said district accordingly:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, Ris Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby—

1. Alters and redefines the boundaries of the said district so constituted as aforesaid; and

2. Declares that the boundaries of the said district shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE

## BOUNDARIES OF THE BLACKSTONE RABBIT DISTRICT

Boundaries of the Blackstone Rabbit District

All that area in the Otago Land District and the counties of
Maniotote and Vincent containing 103,200 acres, more or less,
being parts of Blackstone, Lauder, Idaburn, St. Bathans, Tiger
Hill, and Turnagain Survey Districts and bounded by a line commencing at the junction of Johnstones Stream with the Manuherikia River, in St. Bathans Survey District; thence generally
south-easterly up Johnstones Stream to the north-western boundary
of Run 227c; thence north-easterly along that boundary to the
north-eastern boundary of Manietote County; thence generally
south-easterly along that boundary to Mount Ida; thence southwesterly along the south-eastern boundary of Run 227b to the
Palmersten-Alexandra State Highway; thence north-westerly
along that highway to its junction with the Wedderburn-Omakau
via Ida Valley Main Highway at Trig, B, Idaburn Survey District;
thence south-westerly along that highway to Boundary Road;
thence north-westerly along that road to the Poolburn-Auripo
Road; thence south-westerly along that-road to the eastern boundary
of Tiger Hill Survey District; thence north-westerly along the
south-eastern boundaries of Block XVII, XVI, and XV, Tiger
Hill Survey District; thence north-westerly along the southern
boundary of said Block XV to the eastern boundary of Run 220e;
thence generally south-easterly and westerly along that boundary
and the southern boundaries of Runs 220e and 220e; thence along that boundary to the north-eastern boundary of Run 220E; thence generally south-easterly and westerly along that boundary and the southern boundaries of Runs 220E and 220F; thence generally north-easterly along the eastern boundaries of Runs 220d, 220H, and 220E; thence south-easterly along the southwestern boundary of Run 244J; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of Runs 244J, 244H, and 244G; thence westerly along the northern boundary of Run 244G and its production to the centre of the Manuherikia River; thence generally porth-easterly up the centre of the main stream of the north-easterly up the centre of the main stream of the Manuherikia River to the point of commencement.

T. J. SHERRARD, Clerk of the Executive Council.

(Ag. 64/1/228)

Altering and Redefining the Boundaries of the Manuherikia Rabbit District (Notice No. Ag. 5387)

C. W. M. NORRIE, Governor-General ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 3rd day of February 1953

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. S. G. HOLLAND PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

HEREAS by section 31 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act 1928 it is enacted that the Governor-General, at the request of the Board of any rabbit district, may, by Order in Council, alter and redefine the boundaries of its district:

And whereas the district known as the Manuherikia Rabbit District has been constituted under and for the purposes of the

And whereas the Board of the said district has, pursuant to the said section 31 of the said Act, requested that the boundaries of its district be altered and redefined by including an additional

area therein:

And whereas the consent of a majority of the persons in such additional area qualified to be enrolled on the ratepayers' list for the said district has been given to the inclusion of such additional

And whereas it is deemed expedient to alter and redefine the boundaries of the said district accordingly: