

- (f) On receipt of the completed ballot papers (other than those received after the specified date) the secretary shall hand them unopened to two scrutineers appointed by the Council and receive a receipt from them for the total number of ballot papers. The scrutineers shall then in the presence of each other count the ballot and deliver to the secretary prior to the opening of the annual general meeting a certificate signed by each of them declaring the result of the ballot papers under sealed cover. The certificate of such scrutineers shall be conclusive. In the event of a tie for the last vacant seat on Council the matter shall be decided by lot. The ballot papers may be destroyed on the expiry of one month from the date of the annual general meeting.
- (g) The chairman of the meeting shall, immediately following the adoption of the annual report and balance sheet, read out the names of the members successful in the ballot and the number of votes received by each candidate and declare them elected to the Council for the prescribed period of office.
- (h) Unless at a meeting of the Council, held prior to the secretary calling for nominations in accordance with rule 9 (a) hereof, it should be resolved that this rule shall not apply to that election then each candidate shall be entitled to supply to the secretary a personal statement having reference to his candidature. Such personal statement shall be, as nearly as may be, biographical in form and shall consist of not more than 20 words in addition to the candidate's name, occupation, and address. The secretary may then take such steps as he deems necessary to promulgate such statements to members.
- (i) Subject only to provision of rule 9 (h) hereof, no canvassing or touting shall be allowed. Any breach of this rule by any candidate or with his acquiescence or consent shall be deemed to disqualify the candidate from election. Disqualification of any candidate under this rule shall not operate to invalidate the voting paper under rule 9 (c) hereof but the votes thereon for the disqualified candidate shall be disregarded.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of October 1961.

LÉON GÖTZ, Minister of Internal Affairs.

#### Scheme of Control of Papatoetoe High School

PURSUANT to section 92 of the Education Act 1914, the Minister of Education hereby revokes the approval of the scheme of control of Papatoetoe High School published in the *Gazette* on 6 September 1956, Volume III, page 1226; and approves of Papatoetoe High School being controlled in accordance with the Standard Scheme of Control for Secondary Schools 1961.\*

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of October 1961.

W. B. TENNENT, Minister of Education.

\**Gazette*, 8 June 1961, p. 820

#### Scheme of Control of Kaitaia College

PURSUANT to section 92 of the Education Act 1914, the Minister of Education hereby revokes the approval of the scheme of control of Kaitaia College published in the *Gazette* on 2 December 1954, Volume III, page 1967; and approves of Kaitaia College being controlled in accordance with the Standard Scheme of Control for Secondary Schools 1961.\*

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of October 1961.

W. B. TENNENT, Minister of Education.

\**Gazette*, 8 June 1961, p. 820

#### Establishment of Family Homes

PURSUANT to section 7 of the Child Welfare Act 1925, the Minister of Education hereby notifies that the premises situated as listed in the Schedule below are established as institutions within the meaning of the said Act and shall be known by the names shown in the Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE

| Address                     | Name                       |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Wellington Street, Pukekohe | Family Home, Pukekohe.     |
| 4 West Street, Taumarunui   | Family Home, Taumarunui.   |
| Workshop Road, Masterton    | Family Home, Masterton.    |
| Bayly Road, New Plymouth    | Family Home, New Plymouth. |

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of October 1961.

NORMAN L. SHELTON, for Minister of Education.

#### Plants Declared Noxious Weeds in the Borough of Gore (Notice No. Ag. 7403)

PURSUANT to section 3 of the Noxious Weeds Act 1950, the Director-General of Agriculture, acting under a delegation from the Minister of Agriculture for the purposes of the said section, hereby publishes the following special order made by the Gore Borough Council on the 18th day of September 1961.

#### SPECIAL ORDER

THAT, in exercise of powers conferred on it by section 3 of the Noxious Weeds Act 1950, the Gore Borough Council hereby resolves, by way of special order, that it declares all of the plants listed hereunder to be noxious weeds within the district of the Borough of Gore:

- Barberry (*Berberis vulgaris*).
- Bathurst bur (*Xanthium spinosum*).
- Bindweed (*Convolvulus arvensis*).
- Blackberry (*Rubus fruticosus* and *Rubus laciniatus*).
- Boxthorn (*Lycium ferocissimum* syn. *Lycium horridum*).
- Burdock (*Arctium*, any species).
- Californian thistle, Canadian thistle or creeping thistle (*Cirsium arvense*).
- Cape tulip (*Hemerocallis collina*).
- Charlock (*Sinapis arvensis*).
- Common broom (*Cytisus scoparius*).
- Crack willow (*Salix fragilis*).
- Cut-leaved psoralea (*Psoralea pinnata*).
- Fennel (*Foeniculum vulgare*).
- Field horsetail (*Equisetum arvense*).
- Foxglove (*Digitalis purpurea*).
- Goat's rue (*Galega officinalis*).
- Gorse (*Ulex*, any species).
- Greater bindweed (*Calystegia sepium*).
- Grey willow (*Salix cinerea*).
- Hakea (*Hakea saligna*, *Hakea suaveolens*, *Hakea pubescens*, and *Hakea acicularis*).
- Hawthorn (*Crataegus oxycantha* and *Crataegus monogyna*).
- Heath (*Erica lusitanica* and *Erica arborea*).
- Hemlock (*Conium maculatum*).
- Hoary cress (*Cardaria draba* syn. *Lepidium draba*).
- Japanese wineberry (*Rubus phoenicolasius*).
- Johnson grass (*Sorghum halepense*).
- Kangaroo acacia (*Acacia armata*).
- Knapweed (*Centaurea nigra*).
- Lantana (*Lantana camara*).
- Lupin (*Lupinus arboreus*).
- Malta thistle (*Centaurea melitensis*).
- Manchurian wild rice (*Zizania latifolia*).
- Milk thistle or variegated thistle (*Silybum marianum*).
- Mist flower or Mexican devil (*Eupatorium adenophorum*).
- Mountain hypericum (*Hypericum montanum*).
- Nassella tussock (*Nassella trichotoma*).
- Needle grass (*Stipa neesiana*).
- Nodding thistle (*Carduus nutans*).
- Oxylobium callistachys.
- Pennisetum (*Pennisetum macrourum*).
- Prickly pear (*Opuntia monacantha*).
- Pultenaea daphnoides.
- Pussy willow (*Salix discolor*).
- Ragwort (*Senecio jacobaea*).
- Russian knapweed (*Centaurea repens*).
- St. John's wort (*Hypericum perforatum*).
- Saffron thistle (*Carthamus lanatus*).
- Scotch thistle or plume thistle (*Cirsium lanceolatum*).
- Silver poplar (*Populus alba* var. *nivea*).
- Spiderwort (*Lycasteria formosa*).
- Spiny broom (*Calycotome spinosa*).
- Squirrel grass (*Hordeum jubatum*).
- Star thistle (*Centaurea calcitrapa*).
- Sweetbrier (*Rosa eglanteria* syn. *Rosa rubiginosa*).
- Tall cinquefoil (*Potentilla recta*).
- Tauhinu or New Zealand cotton-wood (*Cassinia leptophylla* or *cassinia fulvida*).
- Thorn apple or jimson weed (*Datura stramonium*).
- Tutsan (*Hypericum androsaemum*).
- Viper's bugloss (*Echium vulgare*).
- Water hyacinth (*Eichhornia crassipes*).
- Watsonia (*Watsonia bulbifera*).
- Wild turnip (*Brassica campestris*).
- Winged thistle (*Carduus tenuiflorus* and *carduus pycnocephalus*).
- Woolly nightshade (*Solanum auriculatum*).
- Yellow star thistle (*Centaurea solstitialis*).
- Dewberry (*Rubus caesius*).
- Montpelier broom (*Cytisus monspessulanus*).
- Wild teasel (*Dipsacus silvester*).
- Barberry (*Berberis darwinii*).
- Kangaroo grass (*Themeda triandra*).
- Caper spurge (*Euphorbia lathyris*).
- Chamomile (*Matricaria chamomilla*).
- Lily of the Valley vine (*Salpichroa origanifolia* (Lam.) Thell. syn. *Salpichroa rhomboidea* Miers).
- Scentless chamomile (*Matricaria inodora*).
- Stinking mayweed (*Anthemis cotula*).
- Giant buttercup (*Ranunculus acer*).

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of October 1961.

P. W. SMALLFIELD, Director-General of Agriculture.