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Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 14 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914.

[L.S.] JELlicoe, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, the Governor-General may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

NGATIRAHIRI No. 10A Block, being that part of Section 10, Block X, Waitara Survey District, west of Stockman Road: Area, 101 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 15th day of April, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Appointment of Members of Revaluation Committees.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th April, 1922.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1915, I, David Henry Guthrie, Minister of Lands for the Dominion

of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the undermentioned persons to be members of the Revaluation Committees set out hereunder respectively, for a period of one year from the 1st January, 1922:—

- Northern portion of the North Auckland Land District—
Herbert Bismark Matthews, Esq., of Kaiataia, Farmer.
- Southern portion of the North Auckland Land District—
James Allison Steen Hemphill, Esq., of Mapuna, Farmer.
- Auckland Land District—
James Boddie, Esq., of Te Kuiti, Farmer.
- Poverty Bay portion of Hawke's Bay Land District—
Owen Edwin Bartram, Esq., of Tolaga Bay, Sheep-farmer.
- Southern portion of Hawke's Bay Land District—
Patrick Patullo, Esq., of Newstead, Napier, Sheep-farmer.
- Taranaki Land District—
William Brooks Grant, Esq., of New Plymouth.
- Wellington Land District—
Richard Bowden Martin, Esq., of Wellington.
- Nelson Land District—
Thomas Hewetson, Esq., of Upper Moutere, Farmer.
- Westland Land District—
William Wilson, Esq., of Hokitika, Land and Estate Agent.
- Northern portion of Canterbury Land District—
Robert William Lockhead, Esq., of St. Albans.
- Southern portion of Canterbury Land District—
James Scott, Esq., of Wai-iti Road, Timaru.
- Otago Land District—
Patrick Kinney, Esq., of Rockvale, Hyde, Sheep-farmer.
- Southland Land District—
William James Annan McGregor, Esq., of Mount Linton, Runholder.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 19th April, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER BRODIE DONALD TRAIL

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the special licensing district of Chatham Islands, *vice* E. M. Guest, resigned.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Commissioners appointed under the Urewera Lands Act, 1921-22.

Native Department,
Wellington, 19th April, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

HAROLD HERBERT CARR and
RALEIGH JOHN KNIGHT

to be Commissioners under and for the purposes of the Urewera Lands Act, 1921-22, on and from the 11th day of February, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

Returning Officers, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service:—

ROBERT CHARLES NIXON

to be the Returning Officer for the Raglan Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 5th day of April, 1922.

FREDERICK WILLIAM MOORE

to be the Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Waikato Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 18th day of April, 1922.

JAMES MILNE ADAM

to be the Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Taranaki Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of April, 1922.

DUNCAN MALCOLM McINTOSH

to be the Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Tauranga Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 7th day of April, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Substitute Registrar of Electors appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

GEORGE HUTCHESON LANG

to be the Substitute Registrar of Electors for the Dunedin West Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of April, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, *viz.* :—

William Sewell Callick	..	Kurow.
Thomas William Taylor	..	Bay of Islands.
Arthur Robert Watson	..	Auckland (at Avondale).*
Robert Anthony Curry	..	Castlepoint.
Albert John Bennetts	..	Whangarei.
Thomas Mitchell	..	Palmerston.

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 13th April, 1922.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Matamata, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

MATAMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Proposed Waiomo-Tirau Roads Special Area Loan, £8,800.—
Notice of Result of Poll.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the above special area was taken on the 29th day of March, 1922, on the proposal to borrow (£8,800) eight thousand eight hundred pounds for metalling the Waiomo-Okoroire Road and the Okoroire-Tirau Road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 54, the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 27, and there was one informal vote.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1922.

JAS. W. ANDERSON, Chairman.

Arrangements for First Election, Maungakawa Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 19th April, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ELISHA VEALE, of Cambridge,

as Returning Officer and person to prepare the roll of electors in connection with the first election of the Board of five members of the Maungakawa Drainage District recently constituted under the Land Drainage Act, 1908; also to appoint Wednesday, the 26th day of April, 1922, as the date, and the office of Mr. E. Veale, Victoria Street, Cambridge, as the place, at which such first election shall be held, and Saturday, the 29th day of April, 1922, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as the time, and the office of the said Mr. Veale as the place, at which the first meeting of the Board of Trustees so elected shall be held.

R. HEATON RHODES,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Additional Places appointed for holding First Election of Board of Trustees for Manawatu Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th April, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Mr. D. Prouse's Shop at Longburn;
The Kairanga Hall;
The Awahuri Dairy Company's Factory at Kauwhata;
Mr. J. Linklater's House, Milson's Line, Palmerston North; and
The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Office, Rangiotu,

as additional places for holding the first election of the Board of Trustees for the Manawatu Drainage District on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1922.

R. HEATON RHODES,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Result of Land Surveyors Examination, March, 1922.

Office of the Surveyors' Board,
Government Buildings,
Wellington, 6th April, 1922.

AT the examination of candidates for a surveyor's license held in March, 1922, under the Surveyors' Institute and Board of Examiners Act, 1908, and conducted by the Federated Surveyors' Boards of Australia and New Zealand, twenty-six candidates presented themselves in New Zealand.

Nine of these candidates succeeded in obtaining passes as under:—

Davis, James Leonard, of Akaroa.
Ellis, Charles Gilmour Stead, of Wellington.
Falkner, Harold William, of Wellington.
Kerr, Horace Vivian, of Napier.
King, Basil, of Auckland.
Royds, Harold George, of Nelson.
Sharp, Henry Hey, of Wellington.
Sheppard, Thomas Barrow, of Invercargill.
Wilson, Broderick Munro, of New Plymouth.

M. CROMPTON-SMITH,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

By-laws of the Maniapoto District Maori Council, under the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and the Health Act, 1920, approved.

Native Minister's Office,
Wellington, 3rd March, 1922.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following by-laws made by the Maori Council of the Maniapoto Maori District, under the provisions of section 16 of the Maori Councils Act, 1900.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Native Affairs.

Approved.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

THE MAORI COUNCIL OF THE MANIAPOTO MAORI DISTRICT.

BY-LAWS.

The Maori Council of the Maniapoto Maori District, constituted under the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and its amendments, and the Public Health Act, 1920, hereby revokes the by-laws made on the 3rd day of September, 1902, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 72, of the 11th September, 1902, and the *Kahiti* No. 65, of the 4th September, 1902, and makes the by-laws following in lieu thereof, such by-laws to come into operation upon approval thereof by the Governor-General and the publication of the same in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*.

INTERPRETATION.

In these by-laws, except where inconsistent with the context or when otherwise expressly provided, the following expressions shall have the meanings attached thereto:—

"The said Act" means the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and its amendments, and the Public Health Act, 1920:

"The Council" means the Maori Council of the Maniapoto Maori District constituted under the said Acts:

"Committee" or "Village Committee" means the Village Committee of a Maori kainga, village, or pa appointed by the Maori Council under the provisions of the said Acts:

"District" means the Maniapoto Maori District proclaimed by the Governor-General under the provisions of the said Acts:

"Native Township" means a township constituted under the Native Townships Act, 1910:

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules or regulations made under the said Acts or by these by-laws.

(A.) GENERAL PROVISIONS.

1. All deaths shall be notified by the nearest of kin, or in his absence by the owner or occupier of the dwelling where death took place, to the nearest Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages within thirty-six hours of death. Failure to comply shall render the offender liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

2. In every case of death, where the deceased has not been attended to by a qualified medical practitioner, the Committee shall investigate the circumstances surrounding such death with regard to the nature of illness, duration, treatment, and names of persons who treated or were in attendance on deceased, and report the results of this investigation to the nearest Registrar of Maori Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

3. Human corpses shall be buried, if the death occurs between the 15th day of March and the 15th day of September (both days inclusive) in any year, within four days after death; and if the death occurs between the 16th day of September and the 14th day of March of the following year (both days inclusive), within three days after death, unless the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene shall otherwise direct.

4. Where death has occurred from an infectious disease, the corpse shall be buried within twenty-four hours after death. The corpse shall be removed from the dwelling, tent, hospital, or place where death occurred to the cemetery without being allowed to lie in state at any intermediate or village, and no tangi shall be held.

5. It shall be the duty of the nearest relatives of the deceased, or, in their absence, of the owner or occupier of the house or premises wherein deceased died, to comply with the provisions of by-laws 3 and 4; and all or any of them shall be deemed guilty of a breach thereof as the Council may deem fit, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 for each offence.

6. No human corpse shall be buried, except with the permission of the Council, in any place other than a burial-ground recognized by the inhabitants of a Maori kainga, or reserved or set apart by them or some duly constituted authority as a burial-ground.

7. No human corpse shall be permitted to lie in state in front of any meeting-house or in the courtyard (marae) thereof, but may lie in state at some other spot in the vicinity that may be indicated by the Chairman of the Committee.

(B.) BUILDINGS.

8. No person shall erect a dwellinghouse upon any site not having natural or artificial subsoil drainage sufficient to prevent such site being damp, or upon any site having matter thereon which may prove injurious to the health of the occupants of such buildings. The ground underlying every dwellinghouse shall be so formed and graded that no water can flow or lodge thereon or under any part of such building. Where the site of an erected dwellinghouse is considered injurious to the health of the occupants, the Council may order the owner or occupier to remove such building to a more healthy site.

9. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse shall construct every room intended to be used as a living-room so that the same shall be not less than 8 ft. 6 in. in height from the floor to the ceiling in every part; provided that every room intended to be used as aforesaid with a sloping or unceilinged roof shall be not less than 9 ft. in height from the floor to the roof over one-half the superficial area of such room, and no wall thereof shall have a less height than 5 ft. before any slope of the roof commences.

10. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse shall provide that for every sleeping-room therein there shall be at least 36 square feet of floor-space to each adult or every two children under ten years of age sleeping in that room, and there shall be a window-space clear of frames equal in area to at least one-tenth of the area of the floor of such room, of which window-space at least one-half shall be made to open.

11. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse must provide each sleeping-room with a boarded floor so that there shall be between the under-side of every joist, plate, stringer, and bearer on which such floor may be laid or supported and the upper surface of the ground a space of 4 in. at the least in each part, and he shall cause the area below such floor to be thoroughly ventilated by some effectual method.

12. In the case of houses already erected the Council may require the owner or occupier of any dwellinghouse which does not comply with Section B, clauses 10 and 11, to make such alterations or additions as may be deemed necessary.

13. The Council may, or shall if the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene so directs, order the removal or destruction of any building in a dirty and unwholesome state, if in its opinion it is unsuitable for human habitation, or if the owner or occupier thereof fails after due notice to clean, renovate, or himself remove or destroy the same.

14. The Chairman of the Committee, or any person duly authorized by the Committee in that behalf, may by notice in writing direct the owner or occupier of any house or other building in a dirty and unwholesome state to clean or cause the same to be cleaned within a time to be specified in such notice.

15. Any person refusing or neglecting to comply with notice for removals, alterations, or cleaning under clauses 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence and £5 for every subsequent offence, and in the case of persistent refusal or neglect to comply, the Committee may order the work to be done. Any costs incurred by the Committee in and about such removals, alterations, or cleanings shall be a debt due to the Committee, recoverable as liquidated damages by process in a Magistrate's Court.

16. The Committee may, in its discretion, ease or modify the application of the foregoing clauses 8, 12, 13, and 14 in the case of any old, ill, or feeble person occupying any such buildings as aforesaid, so that such clauses shall not press heavily on such person. The Chairman of the Committee shall report the case and all the circumstances to the Chairman of the Council, whereupon the Council shall consider such case and decide whether it shall devote part of its funds towards cleaning and otherwise improving the dwellings of such sick, old, or feeble persons.

17. The owner or occupier of a dwellinghouse shall be held responsible for preventing more persons sleeping in any room thereof than are allowed by the floor-space laid down in clause 10. Failure to comply with this shall render him liable to a penalty not exceeding 5s. for a first offence and not exceeding 10s. for every subsequent offence.

Movable and Temporary Dwellings.

18. Every person who shall own or occupy temporarily a tent, shed, whare, or similar structure shall be responsible that the same is clean, dry, weatherproof, and ventilated. Each adult and every two children under ten years of age shall be provided with 16 square feet of floor-space.

19. Every person who shall own or occupy a tent, shed, whare, or similar structure which is in such a state as to be a nuisance or injurious to health, or which is so overcrowded as to be injurious to the health of the inmates, whether or not members of the same family, shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1 for a first offence and not exceeding £5 for every subsequent offence.

Meeting-houses.

20. The provisions of clause 8 with regard to site shall apply to meeting-houses.

21. The provisions of clause 11 with regard to flooring shall apply to meeting-houses.

22. All meeting-houses, so as to secure adequate ventilation, shall be provided with sufficient window-space at either end of the building, of which window-space at least one-half shall be made to open.

23. All meeting-houses shall be provided with sufficient privy accommodation for each sex to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene.

24. No sweepings or rubbish shall be deposited under the floor of a meeting-house.

25. The Committee shall direct the carrying-out of any necessary alterations or additions under these by-laws, and in the event of the owner or persons concerned in the meeting-house refusing to carry out such alterations or additions such meeting-house may be closed down until the by-laws are complied with.

(C.) DRAINAGE.

26. The Council shall make such by-laws regarding drainage to suit the particular circumstances of their district as the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene approve.

(D.) NUISANCES.

27. No nightsoil, refuse, or offensive rubbish shall be cast or deposited or allowed to flow into any spring, stream, or watercourse that flows through or past a Maori kainga and which is used as a water-supply by the inhabitants of such kainga or other kainga on the banks of such stream or near such spring.

28. No person who is the owner or occupier of any premises within a Maori kainga shall permit or suffer any nightsoil or refuse or any offensive rubbish or matter of any kind whatever to accumulate or remain or be in or upon such premises so as to be injurious or dangerous to health or as to cause an offensive smell.

29. No horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, or other animals shall be buried within a Maori kainga.

30. No person shall throw or leave any dead animal on any property within a Maori kainga whereby any offensive smell is or is likely to be created.

31. Every person who commits a breach of any of the by-laws 27, 28, 29, and 30 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 10s.

(E.) KEEPING OF ANIMALS.

32. No person shall keep or allow any pigs to run loose within a Maori kainga, nor in any case to keep them so as to be a nuisance or injurious to health, nor in such manner as to pollute any water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes or for use in a dairy; nor shall any person, after the coming into force of this by-law, permit to remain any pigsty at a less distance than 150 ft. from any house or building used as a dwellinghouse or school, or any buildings within which food intended for human consumption is prepared or stored, or at a less distance than 50 ft. from any road or the boundary of any occupied neighbouring property.

(F.) PRIVIES.

Regulating all Privies.

33. The owner or occupier of every dwellinghouse shall provide the same with a privy.

34. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy at a distance of 10 ft. at the least from any living-room or any room where foodstuff is intended to be stored.

35. It shall be an offence for any person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building to construct such privy within the distance of 40 ft. from any well, spring, or stream of water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or otherwise in such a position as to render any such water liable to pollution.

36. Every privy shall in all respects be well and substantially erected. It shall be provided with a sufficient opening for ventilation as near the top as practicable, and communication directly with the external air. It shall be enclosed on all sides and be provided with a door.

(a.) Every person who shall construct a pan privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of

access to such privy for the purpose of cleaning such privy and of removing filth therefrom.

(b.) The seat of a pan privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat shall be of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for nightsoil of a capacity of not less than 1 cubic foot being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and such a position as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat, or elsewhere than in such receptacle, of any filth which may from time to time fall or be cast through the aperture of such seat.

(c.) The seat of such pan privy shall be so constructed that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily moved or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space, or removing therefrom or placing or fitting therein the appropriate receptacle.

(d.) The receptacle in any pan privy shall be constructed of such material and in such a manner as to prevent any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use.

37. The occupier of the premises on which any privy is situated shall keep such privy in a good state of repair and in a thoroughly clean and sanitary condition.

38. The owner or occupier of any premises in connection with which a privy has been erected shall use or cause to be used a sufficiency of dry earth or sawdust or ashes so that the excrement shall be so covered that no nuisance shall arise therefrom.

Regulating Pan Privies.

39. Where a pan privy is used, such privy shall be constructed and cleansed in the following manner:—

(a.) Every person who shall construct a pan privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such privy for the purpose of cleaning such privy and of removing filth therefrom.

(b.) The seat of a pan privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat shall be of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for nightsoil of a capacity of not less than 1 cubic foot being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and in such a position as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat, or elsewhere than in such receptacle, of any filth which may from time to time fall or be passed through the aperture of such seat.

(c.) The seat of such pan privy shall be so constructed that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space, or removing therefrom or placing or fitting therein the appropriate receptacle.

(d.) The receptacle in any pan privy shall be constructed of such material and in such a manner as to prevent any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use.

40. The occupier of every house shall cause the pans of all pan privies used in connection with such house to be emptied and properly cleaned at least once in every week, and in any case so frequently as to prevent overflow.

41. It shall not be lawful for any person to bury nightsoil otherwise than in a pit or trench in such a manner and to such a depth as to provide that it shall have a covering of earth of at least 6 in. when the pit or trench is closed.

42. No nightsoil shall be buried within 50 ft. of any dwelling or within 60 ft. of any well. A pit may be used instead of a movable receptacle, provided such pit does not communicate directly with subsoil water. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use. The seat and walls surrounding the space below the seat shall be made fly-proof. In no case shall the height of the excreta within the pit be allowed to rise to within 6 in. of the surface of the ground.

Regulating Pit Privies.

43. On the authority of the Director of Maori Hygiene or of a Medical Officer of Health, or of any Inspectors appointed by the Department of Health, a privy may be provided with a pit for the reception of faecal matter in place of a pan, but such pit shall not be so placed as to endanger the purity of any stream, spring, or well, and shall be at least 30 ft. from any dwelling or place in which food is stored.

44. The pit of every pit privy shall be covered by a seat so constructed as to prevent the access of flies to such pit, and

for this purpose the aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be in place when the privy is not in use.

45. The pit of every pit privy shall be covered in with clean earth before the faecal matter therein rises to within 12 in. of the surface of the ground, and the privy shall be thereafter moved.

(G.) INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

46. Where the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene notifies that an infectious disease exists in a village or district, no hui, gathering, or tangi shall be held until such time as the village or district is declared clean of the disease.

47. Where an infectious disease has been notified in a village or district, the Committee shall render every possible assistance to Native-school teachers, Native nurses, sanitary inspectors, medical officers, or health officers in the early tracing of cases of sickness in the village or district. The Committee shall make it as widely known as possible that such an infectious disease exists. Any person, after receiving such notice, who does not notify cases of sickness existing in a house or camp owned or occupied by him shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

48. No person suffering or suspected to be suffering from an infectious disease shall travel or be removed to other dwellinghouses or camps already occupied, unless to a hospital, without the consent of a nurse, sanitary inspector, or medical officer.

49. Where so directed by a sanitary inspector, Native nurse, or qualified medical practitioner, no person living in a house, building, or camp where infectious disease exists shall travel about to other occupied houses or districts unless he possesses a certificate from a qualified medical practitioner that he is free from infection.

50. Any person, not acting under the instructions of a qualified medical practitioner or an official of the Department of Health, who treats cases of sickness other than in his own immediate family, or allows cases of sickness to collect in a house or camp owned or occupied by him, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

51. No clothing, blankets, or domestic utensils shall be removed for further use from a house in which infectious disease exists or has existed until such material has been properly disinfected by a Native nurse, sanitary inspector, or under the orders of a qualified medical practitioner.

52. Any person infringing any of by-laws 45, 46, 48, and 50 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 for each offence, and of by-law 49 not exceeding £25.

(H.) TANGIS, HUIS, AND GATHERINGS.

53. The Committee of the village or district where a tangi, hui, or gathering is held shall be responsible for the proper regulation of such tangi, hui, or gathering from a sanitary standpoint.

54. The Committee shall take steps to ensure that proper precautions are carried out with regard to cleanliness, ventilation, and overcrowding of meeting-houses, cleanliness of the marae and cooking-houses, and the proper disposal of refuse and rubbish.

55. The Committee shall take steps to ensure that sufficient privy accommodation to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene is provided separate for each sex, and that such privies are kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

56. The Committee shall take steps to prevent the fouling of water-supplies.

57. The Committee shall take steps to prevent any tangi, hui, or gathering being so unduly prolonged as to be a menace to public health.

58. The Committee shall prevent any acute cases of sickness remaining in a meeting-house, and shall insist on their being removed to a detached dwellinghouse, tent, or to their own homes.

59. Any person depositing excreta or urine within a Maori kainga at other than places appointed shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 10s. for each offence.

60. The Committee may appoint a sanitary squad to carry out the provisions of this section. Where any expense is incurred, it shall be a charge upon the funds of the tangi, hui, or gathering, or may be raised as a levy or contribution, as the Committee may deem fit.

61. Where there is no duly constituted Health Committee in a village where the tangi, hui, or gathering is held, the relatives of the deceased or the promoters of the hui or gathering shall be held responsible for the carrying-out of the clauses of this section.

(L.) WATER-SUPPLIES.

62. The Council shall make such by-laws regarding water-supplies to suit the particular circumstances of their district as the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene approve.

(J.) DRUNKENNESS.

63. (1.) No alcoholic liquor shall at any time be supplied, drunk, or brought to any Maori kainga.

(2.) Where a public meeting is held by invitation, the person or persons issuing such invitation shall be jointly and severally liable, if he or they supply or cause to be supplied any alcoholic liquor to the visitors, or any of them, or to any person whatsoever attending such a meeting, to a fine not exceeding £5.

(3.) Any person found drunk at any kainga or Maori meeting shall be liable to a fine of not less than 5s. and not exceeding £1.

(4.) Any person shall be guilty of an offence who—

(1.) Being drunk or under the influence of liquor, enters a meeting-house or a church or some other public building within a Maori kainga;

(2.) Takes any alcoholic liquor into a Maori kainga;

(3.) Drinks or causes any one else to drink any alcoholic liquor in any meeting-house, church, or public building.

And such person shall be liable to a fine of not less than 5s. and not exceeding £1 for a first offence, and not exceeding £2 for every subsequent offence.

(K.) HAWKERS.

64. The following by-laws shall apply to Indian, Assyrian, and other hawkers selling their goods in the Maori kaingas within the district, that is to say:—

(1.) Such persons shall have a license from the Council before he may sell his goods within the kaingas of the district.

(2.) The license in the Form B in the Schedule hereto shall have force throughout the whole of the district, and the fee therefor shall be £2.

(3.) The Chairman or Clerk of the Council, or a member of the Council duly authorized by the Council in that behalf, is empowered to issue such licenses.

(4.) All fees paid for licenses shall be forwarded to the office of the Council.

(5.) Any person hawking goods without a license within any Maori kainga in the district shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

A special license may be issued by the Chairman or Clerk or any member of the Council, or by the Chairman of the Village Committee of a kainga where any hui or gathering is held, to any person desirous of hawking and selling goods at such hui or gathering on payment of 10s., or for any other kind of sale 5s. Such license shall be in force only while such hui or gathering lasts, and no longer. Any person hawking or selling goods at such hui or gathering without a special license, or without a license as provided in the foregoing by-laws, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

(L.) SMOKING.

65. Every person, whether European or Maori, who sells, gives, or supplies any cigarette, tobacco, or torori to any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

Every Maori youth under the age of fifteen years who smokes tobacco, torori, or cigarettes, or any part of a cigarette, shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable for the first offence to a fine not exceeding 5s., for the second offence to a fine not exceeding 10s., and for a third or subsequent offence to a fine of £1.

(M.) GAMBLING.

66. Any person, whether Maori or otherwise, desirous of establishing a billiard-room in any kainga, village, or pa, and any Maori desirous of establishing a billiard-room at any other place within the district, except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, shall first obtain a license from the Council, which may be granted subject to the following terms and conditions:—

(1.) Such license shall be in Form C in the Schedule hereto.

(2.) The fee for such license shall be £10.

(3.) Such license shall remain in force for twelve months from the date thereof, unless sooner revoked by the Council as hereinafter provided.

(4.) All billiard-rooms shall be properly ventilated, and shall at all times be kept clean and in good order.

(5.) All billiard-rooms shall remain open on week-days only, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 10 p.m. Any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence, not exceeding £2 for the second offence, and for a subsequent offence shall be liable to have his license revoked.

(6.) No Maori youth under the age of fifteen shall be permitted to play billiards on such licensed premises,

and if discovered playing therein the licensee or the person for the time in charge of the premises shall be liable to a fine of £5 for the first offence, and for a second offence the Council may revoke the license.

- (7.) Renewal of license must be applied for before the expiry of the term for which a license has been granted.
- (8.) Any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years found playing billiards in any place whatsoever shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 5s. for the first offence, not exceeding 10s. for the second offence, and not exceeding £1 for the third offence or for every subsequent offence.
- (9.) Any person keeping a billiard-room or a billiard-table in any Maori kainga, and any Maori keeping such a room or table at any other place within the district, except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, without license from the Council, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £25.
- (10.) Any person found playing for money, whether by cards or any other game (except by billiards on licensed premises), within the precincts of any kainga shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 10s. for the first offence, not exceeding £1 for the second offence, and not exceeding £2 for every subsequent offence.
- (11.) Any person, the owner or occupier of any house or premises situate in any Maori kainga, who shall permit or allow gambling or playing for money (except by billiards on licensed premises) in such house or upon such premises shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence, not exceeding £2 for the second offence, and not exceeding £5 for every subsequent offence.

(N.) VILLAGE COMMITTEES.

67. The Council may delegate wholly or in part its powers under the prescribed rules or regulations to any Village Committee, and such Committee shall thereupon be enabled to exercise such powers within its own kainga.

The Village Committee shall have power to impose a penalty or a fine for any breach of regulation, and if such fine be not paid within the prescribed period the Chairman of the Committee shall forward a report on and evidence of such breach of regulation and of the non-payment of such fine to the Chairman of the Council.

68. The Council shall prescribe fines for by-laws for which no provision has been made.

SCHEDULE.

Form A.

To [Name and address].

GREETING: You are requested to cleanse or cause your house to be cleansed within _____ days after service of this notice upon you, and you are warned that if after such service you refuse or neglect within the time specified to comply with this notice you will be liable to a fine not exceeding £1.

Dated the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of Maniapoto Council [or Village Committee].

Form B.

HAWKER'S LICENSE.

KNOW all men that _____, a hawker, is duly licensed to sell goods in the kaingas of the Maniapoto District for one year from the date hereof.

(Given under the seal of the Maori Council for the Maniapoto Maori District, the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.)

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of the Council.

Form C.

BILLIARD LICENSE.

KNOW all men that _____, of _____, is duly licensed to keep a billiard-room at _____ for twelve months from the date hereof, subject to the provisions of the by-laws of the Council.

(Given under the seal of the Maori Council for the Maniapoto Maori District, the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.)

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of the Council.

The above by-laws were passed at a meeting of the Maori Council for the Maniapoto Maori District held at Otorohanga

on the 10th day of February, 1922, and are given under the seal of the said Council.

(L.S.) MOERUA NATANAHIRA, Chairman.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 3rd day of March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Native Affairs.

Shooting Season for Imported Game and Native Game, License Fee, &c., Otago Acclimatization District.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, William Downie Stewart, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the following imported game and native game—viz., mallard duck, Californian quail, grey duck, spoonbill duck (or widgeon), and black swan—may be taken or killed within the Otago Acclimatization District, comprising all that area in the Otago and Southland Districts comprising the Counties of Vincent, Maniototo, Waihero, Waikouaiti, Taieri, Peninsula, Tuapeka, Bruce, Clutha, and part of the County of Southland, bounded on the east and south by the ocean from Shag Point to the mouth of the Mataura River, on the west by the Mataura River and the County of Lake, on the north-west by the County of Westland, and on the north-east by the County of Waitaki; including the City of Dunedin and the boroughs within the above-described area; (except in the areas mentioned in the Schedule hereto) from the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, to the fifteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two (both days inclusive). And I do further notify that licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each; and the Chief Postmaster at Dunedin, and the Postmasters at Alexandra, Balclutha, Beaumont, Clinton, Clyde, Cromwell, Dunback, Fortrose, Green Island, Henley, Hyde, Hawea Flat, Heriot, Kaitangata, Kelson, Lawrence, Lovell's Flat, Matakau, Middlemarch, Miller's Flat, Mosgiel, Milton, Naseby, Omakau, Outram, Owaka, Port Chalmers, Portobello, Pukerua, Palmerston, Roxburgh, Ranfurly, Romahapa, St. Bathans, Stirling, Tapanui, Waitaha, Waikouaiti, Wyndham, Waipahi, Waipiata, Waipori, and Waitahuna, are hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

And I do further notify that licenses to kill grey duck, spoonbill duck (or widgeon), and black swan within the said district will be issued to any person by the said Chief Postmaster and Postmasters on payment of the sum of ten shillings each.

And I do hereby restrict the number of such imported game and native game that may be taken or killed by any one person in any one day to not more than twelve mallard duck, twenty Californian quail, and twenty-five head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck (widgeon), and black swan.

Nothing in any license to take or kill imported game and native game shall authorize the holder thereof to take or kill imported game and native game on lands actually and exclusively used by any registered acclimatization society for acclimatization purposes, or on any sanctuary or public domain, or any land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ADDITIONAL AREAS WHEREIN IMPORTED GAME MAY NOT BE TAKEN OR KILLED.

- 1. THE Lagoon known as the Tomahawk Lagoon (Otago Peninsula).
- 2. All that area in the Otago Land District being Section 9, Block 22, Strath-Taieri Survey District.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 19th day of April, 1922.

R. HEATON RHODES, For Minister of Internal Affairs.

[NOTE.—The above warrant is published in substitution for the one published on page 1015 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 26, of 6th April, 1922.]

Officiating Ministers for 1922.—Notice No. 11.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Church of Christ.

Mr. Hugh Urquhart Rodger.

J. L. PALETHORPE, Acting Registrar-General.

Appointment, Promotions, Transfers, &c., in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 30th March, 1922.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 60 of the Public Service Act, 1912, the Public Service Commissioner notifies that he has made the following appointment, promotions, transfers, &c., in the Public Service.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENT.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
STATE FOREST SERVICE DEPARTMENT.			
Uren, Rupert Norman	Forest Ranger, "B" Class	Wellington	15 Feb., 1922.

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Gwillim, William Edward	Dairy Instructor and Grader (P. Div.)	Wellington	Assistant Director (P. Div.)	Dairy Division, Wellington	1 April, 1922.
Harris, William	Inspector of Stock (4th Grade)	Stratford	Inspector of Stock (3rd grade)	Wellington	25 Feb., "
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Vine, Henry Grafton	Head Teacher	Native School, Hapua	Head Teacher	Native School, Ruatoki	27 Feb., 1922.
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.					
Sturtevant, Arthur Vickers	District Land Registrar, &c.	Christchurch	District Land Registrar, &c.	Auckland	31 Jan., 1922.
Cuttance, Warren Joseph	Clerk (C, VII)	Wellington	Clerk (C, VI)	Wellington	31 " "
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Arnold, Richard William	Acting Principal Warder	New Plymouth	Principal Warder	New Plymouth	1 Mar., 1922.
Glynn, Hawtrey Warren	"	Waikeria Reformatory	"	Auckland	1 " "
Lowe, Thomas Eli	"	Invercargill	"	Invercargill	1 " "
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.					
Shaw, Kay Errol	Clerk (C, VII)	Wellington	Clerk (C, VI)	Wellington	6 Dec., 1921.

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Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Barnes, Edward Arthur	Clerk	Live-stock Division, Wellington	Clerk	Dairy Division, Invercargill ..	13 Mar., 1922.
Hoffmann, John Michael	Cadet	Bluff	Cadet	Invercargill	1 Feb., "
Hoffmann, John Michael	"	Invercargill	"	Wellington	20 Mar., "
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Blathwayt, Mary de Visme Wynter	Sole Teacher	Native School, Waiotapu	Sole Teacher	Native School, Otukou	6 Mar., 1922.
Lock, John	Juvenile Probation Officer	Napier	Juvenile Probation Officer	Dunedin	14 " "
Woodhead, Ambler	Head Teacher	Native School, Tanoa	Head Teacher	Native School, Waiotapu	13 " "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Humphrey, Leonard Saxby	Cadet	Head Office, Wellington	Cadet	Nelson	21 Mar., 1922.
McIntosh, Eric John	Clerk	"	Clerk	Napier	22 " "
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
York, Frederick Owen	Inspector of Health	Gisborne	Inspector of Health	Blenheim	6 Mar., 1922.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Morris, Arthur John	Cleaner	Garrison Hall, Wellington	Messenger	Government Buildings, Wellington	1 Mar., 1922.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
Morgan, Thomas	Clerk of Magistrate's and Warden's Courts	Reefton	Clerk of Magistrate's and Warden's Courts	Waihi	13 Mar., 1922.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.					
Butland, Harry Frank	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	6 Mar., 1922.
McCarthy, Eunice Mary Joan	Shorthand-typist	Housing Branch, Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Palmerston North	20 " "
Neill, John Craig	Clerk	Christchurch	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	27 Feb., "
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.					
Murray, Eoin Bruce Chisholm	Clerk	Dunedin	Clerk	Auckland	17 Mar., 1922.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Dickson, Benjamin	Clerk	North Auckland Office, Auckland	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	17 Mar., 1922.
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.					
Smith, James Kemp	Clerk	Christchurch	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	24 Feb., 1922.

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Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
MINES DEPARTMENT.					
Nalder, Francis Arthur	Manager	State Coal Depot, Christchurch	Manager	State Coal Depot, Wellington..	3 Mar., 1922.
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.					
Harris, Herbert	Section Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Registrar of Pensions	Timaru	8 Mar., 1922.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Stewart, William Edward ..	Principal Warder	Wellington	Principal Warder	Borstal Institution, Invercargill	19 Feb., 1922.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Keeble, Francis Harold	Accounts Clerk	Nelson	Accounts Clerk	District Office, Wellington ..	1 Mar., 1922.
Kitching, William David Poynton ..	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	Clerk	Nelson	23 " " "
Miller, George	District Accountant	Gisborne	"	"	28 Feb., "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.					
Tuck, Leonard Gray	Valuator	Head Office, Wellington ..	Chief Clerk and Valuator	Head Office, Wellington ..	27 Feb., 1922.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Evans, Druscilla	Typist	Headquarters, Defence Department, Wellington	Typist	State Advances Department, Wellington	1 April, 1922.
Hammond, Maud	Shorthand-typist	Ditto	Shorthand-typist	Public Works Department, Wellington	15 Feb., "
Hardman, Sydney Smith	Cadet	Land and Deeds Department, Auckland	Cadet	Stamp Duties Department, Auckland	18 Mar., "
Rollett, Claude Frontin	Messenger	Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	Laboratory Attendant	Bacteriological Laboratory, Health Department, Wellington	1 Jan., "
Tuckwell, Edith Elsie	Office Assistant	Public Trust Department, Wellington	Folder, &c.	Printing and Stationery Department, Wellington	1 Mar., "
Wadsworth, Catherine	Shorthand-typist	Defence Department, Dunedin	Shorthand-typist	Relieving Staff, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	8 " "

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Read, Leigh Hector Rewi	.. | Clerk	Ruakura	15 Mar., 1922.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Bedingfield, Rosa Maria ..	.. | Dressmaker and Buyer	Central Store, Wellington ..	28 Mar., 1922.
Gravestock, Vivian Roy ..	.. | Motor-car Driver	Probation Home, Wellington	28 Feb., "
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Powell, Charlotte Christina	.. | Shorthand-typist	Wellington	12 Mar., 1922.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Jeffrey, Minnie .. .. .	.. | School Nurse	Dunedin	26 Feb., 1922.
Rogerson, Elizabeth .. ..	.. | Bacteriological Trainee	Auckland	28 " "
Stubbs, Florence Julia .. ..	.. | School Nurse	Dunedin	3 Mar., "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Youngman, Margarette Hellen	.. | Charwoman	Hokitika	31 Mar., 1922.
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Lloyd, Clifford Verniew .. ..	.. | Clerk	Wellington	12 Feb., 1922.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Boyd, Leslie Bernard .. .. .	.. | Clerk	Auckland	31 Mar., 1922.
Burdett, George Bruce .. ..	.. | " .. .. .	North Auckland Office, Auckland	31 " "
Junker, Francis Arnold .. ..	.. | " .. .. .	District Office, Wellington	31 " "
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Kellas, Annie Christian .. ..	.. | Nurse	Seacliff	20 Mar., 1922.
McKay, Annie .. .. .	.. | " .. .. .	Christchurch	22 " "
McLeod, Murdoch .. .. .	.. | Deputy Charge Attendant	Tokanui	12 " "
Naylor, Marjorie .. .. .	.. | Charge Nurse	Auckland	15 " "
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.			
Wimsett, Myra Lee .. .. .	.. | Folder, &c.	Wellington	25 Mar., 1922.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Barrs, Herbert Harold .. .. .	.. | 4th Station Operator	Lake Coleridge	31 Mar., 1922.
Watchman, Robert .. .. .	.. | Storekeeper's Assistant	Wellington	28 Feb., "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.			
Tebbs, Elsie Mary * .. .. .	.. | Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Mar., 1922.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.				
Carr, Arthur	Inspector of Stock	Wellington	12 Mar., 1922	Retired on superannuation.
Hughes, James Abdy Best	"	Rangiora	17 " "	Ditto.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.				
*Hobbs, Mary Veronica	Clerk Attendant	Nelson	14 Feb., 1922	Services terminated.
Mahoney, Harriet Isabella (Mrs.)	1st Assistant Teacher	Native School, Ruatoki	31 Mar., "	Retired on superannuation.
Hickey, Gladise Harriet Annie	Sub-Matron	Special School, Otekaieke	31 " "	¶
Spiers, Robert Burrell	Probation and Visiting Officer	Wanganui	31 " "	¶
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.				
Purchase, Walter Yarwood	Clerk of Magistrate's Court	Temuka	14 Dec., 1921	Forfeited office under section 57 (1) of the P.S. Act, 1921.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.				
Way, Annie (Mrs.)	Inspector of Factories	Christchurch	31 Mar., 1922	Retired on superannuation.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.				
Richardson, Mary Ethel	Draughtswoman	Wellington	31 Mar., 1922	Retired on superannuation.
Wheeler, William John	Land Officer and Inspector of Surveys	Gisborne	31 " "	Ditto.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Wilson, Edna May Clarice	Nurse	Tokanui	25 Feb., 1922	Services terminated.
MINES DEPARTMENT.				
Henham, Ethelbert	Gauger	Water-races, Kumara ..	31 Mar., 1922	¶
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Stace, Albert	Clerk in Charge	Issuing Office, Wellington	31 Mar., 1922	Retired on superannuation.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Goldsmith, Charles Albert	Estates Administration Clerk	Nelson	21 Mar., 1922	¶
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Kibblewhite, James Thomas	Foreman Carpenter	Napier	31 Mar., 1922	¶
Wicks, Herbert Joseph	Plumbers' Labourer	Christchurch	31 " "	¶
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.				
Poata, Tupu	Guide	Waimangu	18 Mar., 1922	Appointment annulled.
Wallace, Annie	Laundress	Te Aroha	31 " "	Retired on superannuation.

* Amending entry on page 597 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 16, of the 2nd March, 1922.

¶ Services terminated under section 51 of the Public Service Act, 1921.

RETURN OF THE NUMBER, TONNAGE, AND CREWS OF VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS AND CLEARED OUTWARDS AT THE SEVERAL PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1922.

Ports.	ENTERED.										CLEARED.									
	Whence.					British.					Foreign.					Total.				
	United King- dom.		British Posses- sions.		Foreign Conn- tries.	Vessels.		Tons.		Crews.	Vessels.		Tons.		Crews.	Vessels.		Tons.		Crews.
	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.		
Auckland	7	1	50	5	6	2	70	241,325	5,304	1	3,311	63	71	244,636	5,307	149,674	3,836	52	149,674	3,836
Kaipara	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	653	24	..	..	..	2	653	24	1,519	32	1	1,519	32
Tauranga	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,797	169	..	..	..	..	9,797	169	5,914	69	1	5,914	69
Gisborne	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,887	219	..	..	..	3	10,887	219	11,142	189	4	11,142	189
New Plymouth	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,306	47	..	..	..	..	1,306	47	653	22	1	653	22
Wanganui	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	123,842	3,637	..	..	..	36	123,842	3,637	246,445	5,391	55	246,445	5,391
Wellington	5	3	24	1	3	1	36	10,750	162	2	7,139	83	4	17,889	245	8,125	126	3	8,125	126
Napier	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wairau	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Picton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,775	63	..	..	..	..	3,775	63	4,873	76	1	4,873	76
Nelson	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,450	85	..	..	..	2	5,450	85	..	..	..	..	..
Westport	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	337	11	..	..	..	1	337	11	6,274	165	6	6,274	165
Hokitika	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33,815	575	..	..	..	12	33,815	575	21,109	352	8	21,109	352
Lytelton	2	..	5	2	3	..	12	4,698	126	..	..	..	1	4,698	126	2,719	42	1	2,719	42
Timaru	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,308	201	..	..	..	3	14,308	201	28,624	431	7	28,624	431
Oamaru	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18,959	358	..	..	..	5	18,959	358	10,233	349	5	10,233	349
Dunedin	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bluff Harbour	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Sailing)	..	..	9	..	..	..	9	2,810	103	..	..	..	9	2,810	103	962	34	3	962	34
(Cargo)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Ballast (a))	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Steam(b))	16	5	86	13	13	3	114	377,624	8,700	1	4,280	49	115	381,904	8,749	372,057	8,530	100	372,057	8,530
(Ballast (a))	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	99,468	2,178	2	6,170	97	23	105,638	2,275	123,899	2,505	41	123,899	2,505
Grand total	16	5	95	15	13	3	144	479,902	10,981	3	10,450	146	147	490,352	11,127	497,304	11,080	4	497,304	11,080
Corresponding Quarter, 1921	16	2	129	12	37	1	177	484,809	10,938	20	46,812	679	197	531,621	11,617	416,131	9,252	25	416,131	9,252

(a) "Ballast" means—(1) Inwards, "having no cargo for discharge in New Zealand"; (2) Outwards, "having no cargo loaded in New Zealand."

(b) "Steam" includes "motor."

Customs Department, Wellington, 18th April, 1922. W. B. MONTGOMERY, Comptroller of Customs.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and Sections 18 and 19 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £400 in each case.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Bell, Eliza Mary Elizabeth	New York, U.S.A.	Married woman..	11/2/22	12/4/22	Testate	Hokitika.
2	Hill, John	Melbourne, Victoria	Carrier.. ..	18/4/21	12/4/22	„	Dunedin.
3	Humes, Thomas	Mangawhare ..	Old-age pensioner	29/8/21	12/4/22	Intestate	Auckland.
4	Nicol, Andrew	Dunedin	Shoemaker ..	22/10/92	12/4/22	„	Dunedin.
5	Nicol, Margaret	„	Widow	4/3/22	12/4/22	„	„
6	Nissen, Florence	Moerewa	Married woman..	5/11/15	12/4/22	„	Auckland.
7	Petersen, Johanna Antoinette Frederikka; also known as Petersen, Johanna Antionette Frederikke	Carterton	Widow	11/10/21	10/4/22	Testate	Wellington.
8	Taylor, Frederick	Dunedin	Seaman	30/12/21	10/4/22	Intestate	Dunedin.
9	Thompson or Scott, Janet	Sumner, Christchurch	Married woman..	4/1/22	12/4/22	„	Christchurch.
10	Thomson, Samuel	Port Chalmers ..	Blacksmith ..	7/12/21	10/4/22	Testate	Dunedin.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Offices opened and closed, &c.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 12th April, 1922.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed, &c., are published for general information.

J. G. COATES, Postmaster-General.

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Kainga	Wellington	15 February, 1922.
Mangere Bridge*	Auckland	6 „ „
Whakahoro	Hamilton	18 „ „
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Orangimea	Wanganui	24 February, 1922.
Reotahi	Auckland	31 January, „
Tawera	Christchurch.. ..	31 December, 1921.
Whakoau	Gisborne	31 „ „
MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK CLOSED.		
Reotahi	Auckland	31 January, 1922.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICE OPENED.		
Wainui Waterworks	Wellington	19 January, 1922.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICES CLOSED.		
Fairburn's	Auckland	15 October, 1921.
Waiharakeke	Hamilton	27 January, 1922.
TELEPHONE OFFICES AND BUREAUX OPENED.		
Conway†	Christchurch.. ..	3 January, 1922.
Howard Junction	Nelson	24 February, „
Mangere Bridge*	Auckland	6 „ „
Motatau	„	22 „ „
Woodstock*	Greymouth	11 March, „
TELEPHONE OFFICES AND BUREAUX CLOSED.		
East Cape	Gisborne	30 December, 1918.
Gentle Annie Bridge	Dunedin	14 February, 1922.
Herepo	Greymouth	7 March, „
Hopelands	Wellington	2 February, „
Rira	Hamilton	27 „ „
Waikowhai	Greymouth	1 August, 1921.
CONVERTED FROM TELEPHONE-OFFICE TO TELEGRAPH-OFFICE.		
Karamea	Greymouth	23 September, 1919.
CONVERTED FROM TELEPHONE (R.O.) AND BUREAU TO TELEPHONE OFFICE (ORDINARY) AND BUREAU.		
Wadestown.. ..	Wellington	31 January, 1922.

* Reopened.

† Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 16, of 2nd March, 1922.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 12th April, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post and Telegraph Department.

J. G. COATES, Postmaster-General.

NON-PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Richardson, Leonard Edward ..	Stillwater	Greymouth	1 Feb., 1922.
Stanley, Boyd Thompson ..	Kirwee	Christchurch	22 April, 1920.
POSTMASTER AND TELEPHONIST.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Plato, John Philip	Lauder	Dunedin	6 Oct., 1921.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Cheeseman, Freda	Te Hapua	Auckland	14 Feb., 1922.
Crawford, Mary	Whenuakura	Wanganui	1 Mar., ..
Dellavedova, Frances Catherine* ..	Three-Channel Flat	Westport	27 Dec., 1920.
Ebbett, Thomas Reeve	Makomako	Wellington	8 Mar., 1922.
Fowler, Nita Florrie	Matariki	Nelson	2 " "
Humphreys, Gladys	Tangowahine	Auckland	1 " "
McNamara, Emma Elizabeth	Tuparoa	Gisborne	1 " "
Morton, Helen Marjory	Islington	Christchurch	1 " "
Richardson, John Henry	Ngaroma	Hamilton	9 Feb., ..
Shearer, Thomas Alexander Mac-Donald	Drummond	Invercargill	1 Mar., ..
Tarrant, Frances Elizabeth	Ngaere	New Plymouth	1 " "
Tucker, Caloola	Streamlands	Auckland	5 " "
Weatherell, Frederick Joseph† ..	Te Akau	Hamilton	1 Dec., 1921.
Whitehead, Mabel Amy	Fairburn's	Auckland	1 Jan., 1922.
Whittington, Margaret Mary	Motunau	Christchurch	16 Mar., ..
POSTMASTERS.			
Bruce, Ellen Catherine	Porootara	Hamilton	1 Mar., 1922.
Forbes, Winifred Fanny	Belfield	Timaru	1 " "
Hansen, Jens Carl	Hoanga	Auckland	12 Feb., ..
Johnston, Agnes	Merino Downs	Invercargill	1 Jan., ..
Lamb, Christina Margaret	Otubi	Auckland	28 " "
Macauley, Donald	Pakatoa	"	1 Feb., ..
Miller, Agnes	Wendon Valley	Invercargill	20 " "
Morrow, William David Rae† ..	Tokoroa	Hamilton	22 " "
Reid, John	Ponga	Auckland	12 " "
Wilson, Harry William Emanuel ..	Whakahoro	Hamilton	18 " "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Anderson, Emma	Parikino	Wanganui	1 Mar., 1922.
Coogan, John Abraham	Carswell's	Wellington	18 Feb., ..
Galvin, Margaret	Waikirikiri	Dunedin	15 May, 1921.
Gibbs, Cora Hilda	Baton	Nelson	6 Mar., 1922.
Henare, Bella|| .. .. .	Motatau	Auckland	22 Feb., ..
Kelly, Margaret	South Hillend	Invercargill	24 " "
Laird, Archibald Charles	Orangimea	Wanganui	1 Mar., ..
Lane, Thomas	Conway	Christchurch	3 Jan., ..
McKenzie, Aby Josephine	Wendon Valley	Invercargill	20 Feb., ..
Mallitte, Constance Portlock ..	Poito	Blenheim	9 " "
Morland, Thomas	Glenlee	"	1 " "
Morrow, William David Rae ..	Tokoroa	Hamilton	10 Jan., ..
Parks, Edward Maurice	Nuggets	Dunedin	13 Feb., ..
Plummer, Horace Howell	Wadestown	Wellington	31 Jan., ..
Savage, Robert	Reotahi	Auckland	1 Feb., ..
Springer, Ernest	Howard Junction	Nelson	24 " "
Watson, Timothy	Onauku	Blenheim	13 " "
Wilson, Harry William Emanuel||..	Whakahoro	Hamilton	28 " "
Wyatt, Samuel	Wellington Lambton	Wellington	11 Jan., ..

* Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 89, of 6th October, 1921. † Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 16, of 2nd March, 1922. ‡ Also Telephonist. || Also Postmaster.

New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917. — Closing of Registers.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the register of New Zealand 4½ per cent. inscribed stock maturing 15th November, 1938, and the register of New Zealand 5 per cent. inscribed stock maturing 15th November, 1927, will be closed from the 1st May to the 15th May, 1922, inclusive, for the purpose of the issue of the half-yearly interest.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for Miss L. Bennett, North Hobart.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and address are shown in the

Schedule hereunder is engaged in promoting or carrying out a lottery or scheme of chance, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by her own or by any fictitious or assumed name), or addressed to the address in the Schedule hereunder without a name, shall be either registered or forwarded by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

MISS L. BENNETT, 41 Letitia Street, North Hobart, Tasmania.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Postmaster-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Education Reserves in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 8th June, 1922, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

The section in the First Schedule is offered for a term of five years without right of renewal.

The sections in the Second Schedule are offered for the terms stated, with a perpetual right of renewal.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Palmerston North Borough Council.—Town of Palmerston North.

SECTION 201: Area, 4 acres 2 roods; upset annual rental, £21 6s. 4d.

Situated half a mile from Palmerston North Post-office; access by metalled road and formed footpath. Land is all level and in grass. Part of the area is wet during winter. Section is well watered by town water-supply laid on to water-trough. Section is ring fenced, but fencing needs repairing in places. Valuation for fencing included in capital value.

Term of lease, five years.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE IN FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and lease and registration fee (£2 2s.), to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Term and lease as stated on Schedule.
3. Land Board to approve of improvements proposed.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
5. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
6. Buildings on land to be insured to their full insurable value.
7. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
9. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.
10. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.
11. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.
12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waitotara County.—Omahine Survey District.

SECTION 11, Block V: Area, 193 acres; upset annual rental, £20.

Weighted with £72, valuation for improvements.

Situated several miles from Momahaki by formed dray-road, in bad state at present. Section has been felled and grassed in the past, and has been fenced. The section comprises steep broken country of poor quality, suitable only to be worked in conjunction with adjoining land.

The improvements consist of forty-eight chains fencing, which will have to be paid for in cash.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Rangitikei County.—Ohinewairua Survey District.

Section 1, Block XV: Area, 283 acres; upset annual rental, £276.

Weighted with £1,230, valuation for improvements.

Situated on the left bank of the Mangapapa Stream. Access is from Taihape and Ohutu Railway-stations by metalled dray-road. Distance five miles from Taihape and two miles and a half from Ohutu. Soil is of a loam quality, resting on papa formation. All felled and in grass. Well watered by streams and springs.

The improvements consist of sheep-yards, cow-shed and yards, and two-roomed outhouse; total value, £1,230, which will have to be paid for in cash.

Term of lease, fourteen years, with perpetual right of renewal.

Kairanga County.—Town of Palmerston North.

Section part 411: Area, 61 acres 3 roods 14 perches; upset annual rental, £141 18s.

Weighted with £160, valuation for improvements.

Situated on the Palmerston and Ashhurst Road, about four miles from Palmerston North by good metalled road. Land is level and in grass, a few acres are wet. Soil is of a good loam quality, resting on papa formation.

Improvements consist of 135 chains fencing and road metalting, £160, to be paid for in cash.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Akitio County.—Pongaroa Township.

Sections 1, 2, and 11, Block VI: Area, 7 acres; upset annual rental, £8.

Weighted with £25, valuation for improvements.

Situated in Pongaroa Township; access by Makomako Street. The section is within easy distance of the Pongaroa Post-office and store. Easy undulating land, all in grass, and fenced. Watered by a small stream, which is liable to run dry in summer.

The improvements consist of twenty-five chains fencing, valued at £25, to be paid for in cash.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Raetihi Borough Council.—Raetihi Township.

Sections 191 and 192: Area, 2 acres; upset annual rental, £12 10s.

Weighted with £9 15s., valuation for improvements.

Situated in the Raetihi Borough, with a frontage to Duncan Street. Distant about sixty chains from Raetihi Railway-station by good metalled road. Undulating land, all in grass.

The improvements consist of eighteen chains fencing, valued at £9 15s.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Hutt County.—Rimutaka Survey District.

Sections 241, 242, and 243, Block V: Area, 293 acres 2 roods 13 perches; upset annual rental, £40.

Weighted with £210, valuation for improvements.

Situated at the head of the Mungaroa Swamp, about three miles from Silverstream Railway-station by good metalled road to within three-quarters of a mile from the property. Well watered by stream. About 25 acres in bush, 25 acres in swamp, balance has been felled. Is now in fern and second growth.

The improvements consist of 140 chains fencing, valued at £210, which will have to be paid for in cash.

Term of lease, fourteen years, with perpetual right of renewal.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE IN SECOND SCHEDULE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and lease and registration fee (£2 2s.), to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Term of lease as stated, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms.
3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value (to be handed over to the outgoing lessee) of the improvements effected with the consent of the Land Board. Failing disposal, the land and improvements to revert to the Crown without compensation.
4. Land Board to approve of improvements proposed.
5. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
6. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
7. Buildings on land to be insured to their full insurable value.
8. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
9. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
10. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.
11. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.
12. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.
13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 18th April, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 8th day of June, 1922, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.
Makara County.—Belmont Survey District.—Hawtrey Settlement.

SECTION 12, Block V: Area, 3 roods 29 perches; upset price, £80.

Lot 1, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 24 perches; upset price, £180.

Lot 2, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 23 perches; upset price, £175.

Lot 3, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 23 perches; upset price, £165.

Lot 4, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 24 perches; upset price, £175.

Lot 5, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 26 perches; upset price, £180.

Lot 6, Block VII: Area, 1 rood 29 perches; upset price, £125.

Hawtrey Settlement is situated about twelve chains from the Johnsonville Railway-station, and adjoins the northern boundary of the town. The sections are suitable for building-sites.

Hutt County.—Belmont Survey District.—Epuni Hamlet.

Section 121 and part 89: Area, 2 roods 13 perches; upset price, £210.

Situated at Lower Hutt, about one mile and three-quarters from the railway-station by good motor-road. The soil is of first-class quality, being rich alluvial deposit on gravel and clay formation. The section is all flat and in grass; good building-site.

Hutt County.—Belmont Survey District.—Paparangi Settlement.

Sections 2A, 6, and 8, Block XII: Area, 16 acres 3 roods 33 perches; upset price, £700.

These sections are situated between the main road and the Wellington-Manawatu Railway line, about three-quarters of a mile from Johnsonville. Sections are all in grass, except a little scrub in the gullies, and ring fenced.

The improvements comprise boundary fences, and are included in the capital value.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments extending over a period of nineteen years. The terms are—

(1) *Cash.*—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.

(2) *Deferred Payments.*—5 per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

In either case, if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Purchasers will be required to make a declaration in terms of subsection (1) of section 60 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

Titles will be subject to section 60 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 18th April, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land, with building thereon, will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Tuesday, the 23rd May, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF ALEXANDRA
SECTIONS 32 and 33: Area, 30.3 perches; upset price, £350.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) are to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends:—

Dolphin, D. E., of Tuhikaramea, School-teacher: Second dividend of 4s. in the pound.

Rowe, O. E. H., of Taotaoroa, Cambridge, Farmer: First dividend of 3s. 4d. in the pound.

Kemp and Robison, of Te Rapa, Farmers: First dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound.

Collins, Arthur, of Hairini, Farmer: Second dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound.

Aylward, V. P. J., of Taneatua, Farmer: First dividend of 3s. in the pound.

Aylward, A. H., of Taneatua, Farmer: First dividend of 1s. in the pound.

Tong, J. R., of Ohaupo, Taxi-driver: First dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound.

V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hamilton, 12th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS SHERLOCK, of New Plymouth, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be

holden at my office on Friday, the 21st day of April, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

10th April, 1922. J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In the matter of the Administration Act, 1908, Part IV. Estate of WILLIAM LEWIS BART, late of Napier, Dairy-farmer (deceased).

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 5s. 7d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Dickens Street, Napier.

12th April, 1922. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Napier.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS CHARLES YOUNG, of Napier, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 24th day of April, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

11th April, 1922. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Napier.

NOTICE is hereby given that J. AND D. MITCHELL, of Napier, Tailors and Mercers, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to

be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 26th day of April, 1922, at 3 o'clock p.m.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

11th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wanganui.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARUNDEL LEWIS, of Waitotara, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waverley, on Friday, the 28th day of April, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

11th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that HILDA AMELIA MCKENZIE, of Masterton, Wife of Vincent John McKenzie, Drover, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

12th March, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that FITZGERALD CLARK, of 154 Cuba Street, Wellington, Restaurant-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 21st day of April, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

12th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of WILLIAM MURRAY ANGUS, of Nelson (formerly of Christchurch and Wellington), Newspaper Proprietor.

THE meeting called for Tuesday, 18th April, 1922, at 3.30 p.m. will be adjourned to Friday, 28th April, 1922, at 3.30 p.m.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

13th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of THOMAS ARTHUR WILLIAMS, of Nelson, Bus Proprietor.

THE meeting called for Tuesday, 18th April, 1922, at 2.30 p.m. will be adjourned to Thursday, 27th April, 1922, at 3.30 p.m.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

13th April, 1922.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Greymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY NICHOLAS, of Reefton, Stationer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Reefton, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1922, at 3 o'clock.

HENRY COOPER,
Deputy Official Assignee.

13th April, 1922.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of loss of Lease No. 4238, affecting Lot 65 on deposited plan No. 4529, of a subdivision of part of Allotment 24 of Section 6, Suburbs of Auckland, contained in Vol. 136, folio 55, in favour of ETHEL ROSAMOND MARY CATO, of Auckland, Widow, having been lodged with me, together with application for a provisional lease, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional lease on the expiration of fourteen days from the 20th day of April, 1922.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 13th day of April, 1922.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 22nd May, 1922.

6498. THE REMUERA PANMURE LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).—Allotment 1 and part Allotment 6, Section 2, of Small Lots near Panmure, containing 7 acres 0 roods 14.1 perches, fronting the Panmure-Howick Road. Unoccupied. Plan 12992.

6627. ERNEST VALENTINE MILLER.—Allotment 161 and part Allotments 154 and 162, Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 7 acres 1 rood 10.3 perches, fronting Upland Road, Remuera. Occupied by applicant. Plan 12963.

6781. MARY RUFINA BELL.—Allotment 15, Town of Hamilton West, containing 1 acre 0 roods 1 perch, situated at the corner of Hardley Street and Liverpool Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15238.

6784. CHARLES OSCAR ANDREA.—Lot 15 of Allotment 8, Section 41, City of Auckland, containing 7.8 perches, fronting Sale Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15179.

6806. HUMPHREY EWING SHARP.—Part Allotments 6 and 251, Parish of Waikomiti, containing 71 acres 2 roods 22 perches. Occupied by Leonard Bray and Thomas Whitaker. Plan 15295.

6807. ROBERT GILMOUR and CHARLES GILMOUR.—Lots 1, 4, 5, and 6, Section 8, Town of Raglan East, being part of Allotment 35, Parish of Whaingaroa, containing together 5 acres 0 roods 22.3 perches. Occupied by applicants. Plan 15337.

6823. LUCY STEWART.—Part Allotment 30, Tamaki West Farms, containing 1 rood 6.6 perches, situated at Kohimarama. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15433.

6890. ARTHUR FLETCHER FRATER and WILLIAM JAMES O'HARA.—Allotment 136 and parts Allotments 9, 11, and 13, Parish of Manurewa, containing together 159 acres 3 roods 14.5 perches. Occupied by Helen Baird, Arthur William Hall, Charles Edward Crowhurst, William H. Haslip, William James O'Hara, and the Trustees of St. Mary's Home, Otahuhu. Plan 15832.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

4937 (plan 3229, provisional). ALEXANDER MCKENZIE and DAVID REID.—154 acres 0 roods 3 perches, parts Sections 37 and 38, Manaia Block, Block V, Otahoua Survey District. Unoccupied.

5097 (plan 5532). EDWARD WILLIAM CAPPER.—19.28 perches, parts Section 750, City of Wellington. Occupied by tenants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th day of May, 1922.

13005. HERBERT THOMPSON HENDERSON.—Rural Sections 7207 and 7980, Block XIV, Rangiora District, Lot 1, deposit plan No. 6178. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

TAKE notice that the name of the undermentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved:—

W. A. Edwards and Company (Limited). 1918/3.

Dated at Napier this 18th day of April, 1922.

W. JOHNSTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

TAKE notice that on the expiration of three months from date hereof the name of the undermentioned company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved:—

G. H. Lyster and Company (Limited). 17/86.

Dated at Wellington this 12th day of April, 1922.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NOTICE is hereby given that the names of the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved:—

- D. R. Walker and Co. (Limited). 15/62.
- Ohuia Flax-mills (Limited). 15/66.
- Petrotite (Limited). 17/69.
- The British Paint Company (Limited). 17/68.
- Taihape Motors (Limited). 17/76.
- The Champion Company (Limited). 11/58.
- The New Zealand Flax Machines Experimental Company (Limited). 12/7.
- Leiber and Fauvel (Limited). 13/23.
- Brice, Broad, and Company (Limited). 06/57.
- The Makerua Estate Company (Limited). 02/23.
- Gammans Tauranga (Limited). 10/54.
- The New Zealand Imperial Cash Register Company (Limited). 08/49.

Dated at Wellington this 12th day of April, 1922.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the undermentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved:—

The McKay Artificial Limb Company (Limited). 17/30.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of April, 1922.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

TAKE notice that on the expiration of three months from date hereof the names of the undermentioned companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

- Bacon's Aerated Water Company (Limited). 20/34.
- Bagley's Reward Gold-mining Company (Limited). 18/8.
- Mountain Camp Scheelite Company (Limited). 18/35.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of April, 1922.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

OPUNAKE TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of all other powers, if any, it thereunto enabling, the Opunake Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Opunake Town Board Worker's Dwelling Loan of £1,000 (1922), authorized to be raised by the said Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of erecting a dwellinghouse, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-seventh of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Opunake Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Opunake this 3rd day of April, 1922.

326 CHAS. A. TROTTER, Chairman.
A. O'BRIEN, Town Clerk.

INGLEWOOD COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Inglewood County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £105, authorized to be raised by the consent of the ratepayers interested, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of re-erecting the Makara Bridge in ferro-concrete, and metalling Coppers Hill, on the Rimutauteka Road, the said Inglewood County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven one-hundredths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Makara Bridge and Coppers Hill Special Rating District, comprising Subs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Rimutauteka; and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Block 14, Waitara Survey District; and part Section 3 (containing 87 acres) and Section 4, Block 2, Huiroa Survey District. And that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

327 S. NIELSON, County Clerk.

WAIUKU TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Waiuku Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £1,700, being a supplementary loan to one of £17,000 authorized to be raised by the Waiuku Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for forming and metalling Kitchener Road and Queen Road, the said Waiuku Town Board makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the Waiuku Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

328 R. T. REID, Chairman,
HUBERT C. HAY, Clerk.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of H. STOCKBRIDGE AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

BY an order made by the Honourable John Henry Hosking, Esquire, a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in the above matter, dated the 11th day of April, 1922, on the petition of the Commercial Agency (Limited), of Wellington, a duly incorporated company, Trade Debt Collectors, as assignee of Roberts (New Zealand) Limited, of Wellington, Manufacturers, it was ordered that the above-named H. Stockbridge and Company (Limited) be wound up under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and it was further ordered that all the proceedings, including the proceedings between the time of presentation of the said petition (the 31st day of January, 1922) and the date of the said order, taken in the course of the voluntary winding-up pursuant to the resolution to wind up voluntarily passed by the said H. Stockbridge and Company (Limited) on the 3rd day of December, 1921, be and the same are hereby adopted; and it was further ordered that James McIntosh, the Liquidator appointed in such voluntary winding-up, be at liberty to collect for the benefit of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), as mortgagee, the uncalled capital payable by David Alexander Prentice in respect of one thousand shares held by him in the capital of the said company; and it was further ordered that a claim to a lien by the said James McIntosh over the books of the said company for the sum of £104 for accountancy work done before the voluntary liquidation of the said H. Stockbridge and Company (Limited) is not to be prejudiced by the said order.

329 MEEK AND VON HAAST,
Solicitors, Wellington,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908; and in the matter of parts of Suburban Sections 45, 46, 54, and 55, Meeanee District, as shown on plans deposited as directed by the Chairman, Commissioners, and Ratepayers of the Town District of Taradale in the office of the Clerk to the Town Board of Taradale, in pursuance of provisions of section 18, subsection (1B), of the said Act.

WHEREAS the lands described in the first and second columns of the Schedule hereto, coloured as appears in the third column of the said Schedule, and owned by the persons whose names are set out in the fourth column of the

said Schedule, are required by the Chairman, Commissioners, and Ratepayers of the Town District of Taradale (hereinafter called "the local authority") for the purposes of widening the Napier-Taradale Road, road-widening being a public work within the meaning of the Public Works Act, 1908: And whereas the local authority has caused a survey to be made and plans to be prepared showing the lands required to be taken for the said road-widening, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as they can be ascertained: And whereas the said lands are not situate within a road district: And whereas, in pursuance of the said section 18, subsection (1B), the local authority has directed that copies of the said plans shall be deposited at the office of the Clerk to the local authority:

Now, notice is hereby given that copies of the said plans have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the local authority at Taradale, and are open for public inspection on each working-day of the week except Saturday between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and on Saturdays between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning and 12 noon: and the local authority hereby calls upon all persons affected by the widening of the said road or by the taking of the said lands to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the widening of the said road or to the taking of the said lands, and to send such writing, within forty days from the 15th day of April, 1922 (being the day of the first publication of this notice), to the local authority addressed to the Clerk, Town Board, Taradale.

THE SCHEDULE HEREINBEFORE REFERRED TO.

Area.	Description.	Coloured on Plan	Owner.
A. R. P.			
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 27, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee	Pink..	Alfred John Williamson.
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 23, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. land in certificate of title, Vol. 7, folio 196	Green	John Morris
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 29, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, part land in certificate of title, Vol. 37, folio 57	Indigo	Elizabeth Leitch.
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 30, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee	Brown	Ellen Lord.
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 31, ditto ..	Blue..	James Porter.
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 32, ..	Pink..	John Drummond
0 0 1-2	Pt. Lot 33, ..	Brown	Francis Forward.
0 0 0 1/2	Pt. Lot 33, ..	Pink..	William Clegg.
0 0 3-6	Pt. Lots 34, 35, and 36, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee	Blue..	Elizabeth Brown.
0 0 3-4	Pt. Lots 37, 38, and 39, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee	Orange	Laura Parker.
0 0 0-1	Pt. Lot 39, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee	Red..	John Richard Martin.
0 0 3-9	Pt. Lot 2 D.P. 515, pt. Lots 40 and 41 D.P. 516, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. of land in C/T 63/248	Neutral	John Richard Martin.
0 0 1-3	Pt. Lot 1, D.P. 1678, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. of land in C/T 71/158	Green	Robert Edward Brooke.
0 0 1-3	Pt. Lot 1, D.P. 1678, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. of land in C/T 62/252	Brown	Charles Herbert Williams.
0 0 2-6	Pt. Lot 2, D.P. 1678, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. of land in C/T 46/131	Blue..	Peter Robert Leslie Young.
0 0 3	Pt. Lot 1, D.P. 1557, pt. S.S. 54, Meeanee, pt. of land in C/T 44/168	Red..	H.M. the King.
0 2 37-6	Pts. S.S. 46 and 55, Meeanee	Red..	Mary Jane Beatson.
0 1 11-4	Pt. S.S. 45, Meeanee	Purple	Charles Edward Twist.
0 0 1-25	" "	Purple	Charles Edward Twist.
0 0 38-6	" "	Blue..	William George White.

Dated at Taradale this 11th day of April, 1922.

GEO. DAWSON,
Clerk to Taradale Town Board.

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THE HELVETIA OSTRICH COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that extraordinary general meetings of the above company were held at the registered office of the company, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, on the twenty-third day of March, 1922, and the thirteenth day of April, 1922, at which the following resolutions were unanimously passed and confirmed as special resolutions:—

1. "That the company be wound up voluntarily within the meaning of the Companies Act, 1908.
2. "That Messrs. HENRY JOHN CLIFFORD and FREDERICK WILLIAM MATTHEWS be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the company."

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of April, 1922.

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H. J. CLIFFORD, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between DONALD MCLEAN, of Wellington, WILLIAM GARDINER, of Wellington, and WALTER CHARLES RHODES, of Auckland, Contractors, under the style of "Donald McLean and Co.," has been dissolved as on the 12th day of April, 1922.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF SURNAME.

I, ALLAN VINCENT GALLOWAY, heretofore sometime called and known by the name of Allan Vincent Monk, of Maharaha West, Farm Labourer, hereby give public notice that on the 5th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the use of my said surname of Monk, and then assumed and adopted and determined thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of Galloway instead of the said name of Monk.

And I give further notice that by a deed-poll dated the 5th day of April, 1922, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District, at Palmerston North, on the 10th day of April, 1922, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the said surname of Monk, and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of Galloway instead of Monk, and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known, and described by my proper name of GALLOWAY exclusively.

Dated the 10th day of April, 1922.

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ALLAN VINCENT GALLOWAY.
(Formerly known as ALLAN VINCENT MONK.)

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

UNITED ARTISTS (AUSTRALASIA) LIMITED.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the office or place of business of United Artists (Australasia) Limited is situate at Barnett Chambers, 94 Willis Street, Wellington.

A. C. DAVIS, Attorney.
Bell, Gully, Myers, and O'Leary, Solicitors.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, LLOYD RANKIN and JAMES HOULAHAN, in the business of Farmers at Daisyburn Dairy, North-east Valley, near Dunedin, Otago, under the style or firm of "Rankin and Houlahan," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

L. RANKIN.

Witness to the signature of Lloyd Rankin—Norman D. Anderson, Clerk to Aspinall and Sim, Solicitors, Dunedin.

J. HOULAHAN.

Witness to the signature of James Houlahan—Norman D. Anderson, Clerk to Aspinall and Sim, Solicitors, Dunedin.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ARTHUR TOOMAN AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 223 of the said Companies Act, Arthur Tooman and Company (Limited), by a special resolution adopted and signed in accordance with section 168 (6) of the said Companies Act, resolved—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that ERNEST HAWKINS LITTLE, of Auckland, Merchant, be appointed Liquidator."

Auckland, 6th April, 1922.
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E. H. LITTLE, Chairman.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ARTHUR TOOMAN AND COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 230 of the said Companies Act, a general meeting of the company will be held at the office of E. H. Little, Wright's Buildings, Fort Street, Auckland, on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving from the Liquidator of the company an account showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of.

Dated at Auckland this 7th day of April, 1922.
337 E. H. LITTLE, Liquidator.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: North Big River Gold-mines (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 29th October, 1919.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Herman Bicknell, Civic Chambers, 213 Manchester Street, Christchurch.

Nominal capital: £75,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £17,311.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,232 5s. 3d.; and £473 6s., ten calls paid on shares forfeited.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £34,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 75,000.

Number of shares allotted: 51,211.

Amount paid per share: 14,560 to 7s. 3d., 2,117 to 6s. 9d., and 834 to 5s. 9d.

Amount called up per share: 7s. 3d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 6th call, £20 17s.; 7th call, £20 17s.; 8th call, £92 2s. 6d.

Number of shares forfeited: 2,811.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: £100 8s. 4d.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.

Present number of shareholders: 72.

Number of men employed by company: 6.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,735 19s. 4d.

Total expenditure since registration: £4,453 5s. 1d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at bankers: £322 8s. 4d.

Amount of cash in hand: £45 17s.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £184 17s. 8d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Herman Bicknell, of Christchurch, the Secretary of the North Big River Gold-mines (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 1921; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

H. BICKNELL.

Declared at Christchurch this 12th day of April, 1922,
before me—J. W. Baty, J.P. 338

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Boatman's Consolidated Gold-mines (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 10th August, 1915.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Christchurch; Patrick Francis Peoples.

Nominal capital: £66,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £40,250 4s.

Amount of capital subscribed: £64,304.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been received: £22,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 66,000 of £1 each, of which 22,000 are deemed to be fully paid up.

Number of shares allotted: 42,304 contributing, and 22,000 vendors.

Amount called up per share: Varies according to issue, from £1 to 18s. per share.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: £778 15s.

Number of shares forfeited: 3,961.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 280; £11 17s.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: Contributing, 163.

Present number of shareholders: 383.

Number of men employed by company: Average 15.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.

Total expenditure since registration: £49,277 3s. 11d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: £220 11s. 2d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company (including unpaid calls): £2,278 15s.

Amount of debts owing by company: £800 9s. 6d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £4,000 (to vendors).

Amount of subsidy received from Government: £10,000.

I, Patrick Francis Peoples, of Christchurch, the Acting-Secretary of the Boatman's Consolidated Gold-mines (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1921; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

P. F. PEOPLES.

Declared at Christchurch this 12th day of April, 1922,
before me—Alfred Marshall, J.P. 339

TAKE notice that the Partnership heretofore carried on by DAVID BOWER and WILLIAM BOYLE as Butchers, Nuhaka, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, has been dissolved as from the 10th day of April, 1922.

DAVID BOWER.
WILLIAM BOYLE.

Dated 10th April, 1922.

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