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Land and Easements over Land taken and Crown Land set apart for Public Works

[L.S.]

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the First Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a public work, and that easements are hereby taken for a public work over the land described in the Second Schedule hereto vesting in His Majesty the King the full and free liberty, right, license, and authority in perpetuity to take water from a spring on the said land, and to construct, use, and maintain a reservoir on or under the said land for the storage of such water, and also the full and free liberty, right, license, and authority in perpetuity to lay, place, and maintain water-pipes along, under, and over the said land, and to convey water from the said reservoir through the said pipes to the boundary of the said land, and that easements are also hereby taken for the said public work over the land described in the Third Schedule hereto vesting in His Majesty the King the full and free liberty, right, license and authority in perpetuity to lay, place, and maintain water-pipes along, under, or over the said land, and to convey water from the said reservoir through the said pipes, such easements over the land described in the First and Second Schedules hereto to be held appurtenant to the land taken by Proclamations numbered 6436 and 10909, Auckland Registry, for the said public work, and that the Crown land described in the Fourth Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for a public work; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

FIRST SCHEDULE

No.	Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
471	A. R. P. 1 3 27-8	Part Lot 4, D.P. 4108, being part Section 39, Whenuakura District (Taranaki Land District.)	VII	Carlyle ..	P.W.D. 119695/8037	Sepia.
472	0 0 10-93	Lot 1, D.P. 21434, being part Fairburn's Claim 269A	VI	Otahuhu ..	P.W.D. 119788/33293	Yellow.
	0 0 8-81	Lot 2, D.P. 21434, being part Fairburn's Claim 269A	VI	" ..	" ..	" ..
	0 0 9-2	Lot 3, D.P. 21434, being part Fairburn's Claim 269A	VI	" ..	" ..	" ..
	0 0 8-74	Lot 4, D.P. 21434, being part Fairburn's Claim 269A	VI	" ..	" ..	" ..
	0 0 26-82	Lot 10, D.P. 21434, being part Fairburn's Claim 269A (North Auckland Land District.)	VI	" ..	" ..	" ..
473	0 0 29-85	Part Section 491, Town of Wellington (City of Wellington)	..	..	P.W.D. 119880/21156	Orange.
474	0 2 1-5	Part Suburban Section 1506, Township of Bunnythorpe (Wellington Land District.)	VII	Kairanga ..	P.W.D. 119723/21112	" ..
475	0 3 0	Part Lot 2, D.P. 9697, being part Rotoma No. 1 Block	XI	Rotoma ..	P.W.D. 119240/32290	Yellow.
476	13 0 3	Part Lot 1, D.P. 9697, being part Rotoma No. 1 Block (Auckland Land District.)	X	" ..	P.W.D. 119241/32292	" ..

SECOND SCHEDULE

No.	Approximate Area of the Piece of Land over which Easements are taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
477	A. R. P. 0 0 4.8	Part Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block (Auckland Land District.)	XII	Orahiri ..	P.W.D. 118424/32072	Yellow, edged yellow.

THIRD SCHEDULE

No.	Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land over which Easements are taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
478	A. R. P. 0 0 1.8	Part Lot 21, D.P. 7569, being part Puke- roa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block	XII	Orahiri ..	P.W.D. 118424/32072	Yellow.
	0 0 5.5	Part Lots 22, 23, and 24, D.P. 7569, being part Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block	XII	" ..	" ..	Sepia.
	0 0 6.3	Part Lots 56, 57, 58, and 59, D.P. 7569, being part Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block	XII	" ..	" ..	" ..
	0 0 1.8	Part Lot 87, D.P. 7569, being part Puke- roa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block	XII	" ..	" ..	" ..
	0 0 9.5	Part Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 1c Block .. (Auckland Land District.)	XII	" ..	" ..	Yellow.

FOURTH SCHEDULE

No.	Approximate Area of the Piece of Crown Land set apart.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
479	A. R. P. 0 3 38.6	Part Lot 1, D.P. 5572, being part Section 39, Whenuakura District (Taranaki Land District.)	VII	Carlyle ..	P.W.D. 119695/8037	Blue.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 22nd day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 28/31/4.)

Land proclaimed as Road, and Road closed, in Block XV, Burnett Survey District, and Block III, Rahu Survey District, Inangahua County

[L.S.]

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as road the land described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE

LAND PROCLAIMED AS ROAD

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as Road.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 9 1 22	Part Section 2 (S.O. 9351.) (Nelson R.D.)	XV	Burnett ..	P.W.D. 119190 ..	Yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE

ROAD CLOSED

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 3 8	{ Section 2 Section 2 (S.O. 9351.) (Nelson R.D.)	XV III	Burnett Rahu	P.W.D. 119190 ..	Green.

All in the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 42/478.)

Land proclaimed as Street, and Street closed, in the City of Lower Hutt

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General
A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as street the land described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the street described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE

LAND PROCLAIMED AS STREET

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as street :-

A. R. P.	Being
0 0 0.32	Lot 3, D.P. 12750, being part of Section 2s, Waddington Settlement; coloured blue.
0 2 32.97	Parts of Sections 3s and 6s, Waddington Settlement; coloured yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE

STREET CLOSED

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of street closed : 2 roods 17.9 perches. Adjoining or passing through Sections 3s, 4s, and 7s, Waddington Settlement; coloured green.

All situated in Block XIV, Belmont Survey District. (S.O. 21128.)

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119808, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of his Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 41/345/1.)

Road closed in Blocks XI and XV, Waihou Survey District, Hawkei Plains County

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General
A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as closed the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining	Situated in Block
A. R. P. 0 3 5	Awaiti 1D 2 Block	XI
2 0 13	Section 37	XI
2 3 6	Part Lot 1, D.P. 7833, being part Awaiti 1J 2B 3 Block	XI
1 2 32	Awaiti (part) 1J 2A 1 Block and Section 19	{ XI XV

Situated in Waihou Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 28810.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119406, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 22nd day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/3898.)

Road closed in Block III, Waimea Survey District, Waimea County

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General
A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as closed the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed :-

A. R. P.	Adjoining
1 3 7	Section 5, Section 34, Square 1, and Section 86 (Suburban South).
4 1 30	Section 5 and parts Sections 85 and 86 (Suburban South).

Situated in Block III, Waimea Survey District (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 8931.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 105748, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 23/381/19/1.)

Allocating Railway Land to the Purposes of a Road in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General
A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto (and which was taken for the Kawakawa-Grahamtown Railway and is not now required for such purpose) shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that such road shall be maintained by the Main Highways Board in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Board.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land dealt with : 4 acres 1 rood 31.8 perches. Being part Railway land in Proclamation 3176.

Situated in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 30737.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119316, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 70/1/1/0.)

Land taken for Boys Hostel in the Borough of Mount Albert

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General
A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for boys hostel; and I do also declare that this proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 2 roods 15.8 perches. Being Lot 2, D.P. 16899, being part Allotment 56, Titirangi Parish.

Situated in Block IV, Titirangi Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 33277.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119759, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 31/439/1.)

Land taken for Road in Block XII, Oero Survey District, and Block IV, Waimarama Survey District, Patangata County

[L.S.]

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

SCHEDULE

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan				
A. R. P. 0 0 12	Part Kairakau 1F 3 Block	XII	Oero ..	P.W.D. 118307 ..	Red.				
0 0 0.6									
0 0 8.5	Parts Kairakau 1F 4 Block	XII	" ..	" ..	Yellow.				
1 0 37									
0 1 18.5	Part Kairakau 1E 7 Block	XII	" ..	" ..	Red.				
0 1 21.5									
0 1 14	Part Kairakau 1E 5 Block	XII	" ..	" ..	"				
0 0 1.4									
0 0 13	Parts Kairakau 1E 4 Block	XII	" ..	" ..	Yellow.				
0 0 1.1									
0 0 21.1	Part Lot 1, D.P. 3604, part closed road, and part Block 1A, Mangakuri Crown Grant District	XII	" ..	" ..	Red.				
0 0 5.5									
0 0 0.1	Parts Lot 1, D.P. 3604, part Block 1A, Mangakuri Crown Grant District	XII	" ..	" ..	"				
0 2 37.6									
0 0 0.01									
0 0 1.4									
0 0 0.9									
0 0 1.1									
0 0 0.02									
0 0 24.7									
0 0 5.5									
0 0 25.5									
0 0 7.8									
0 0 16.6									
0 0 0.3									
0 0 0.2									
0 0 4.3									
0 0 1.5									
0 0 28.7	Parts Lot 2, D.P. 3604, part Blocks 97 and 99, Mangakuri Crown Grant District	XII	" ..	" ..	Yellow.				
0 0 0.01									
0 1 30.9									
0 0 3.4									
0 0 5.6									
0 0 0.1									
0 0 0.2									
0 0 0.5									
0 0 1.2									
0 0 4.7									
0 0 0.002									
0 0 3.3									
0 0 3.7									
0 0 2.1									
0 0 1.4									
0 0 5.5									
12 2 1	(S.O. 1147.) Part Lot 2, D.P. 3604, part Blocks 5 and 97, Mangakuri Crown Grant District, and part closed road	XII IV	Oero Waimarama	P.W.D. 118308 ..	"				
1 3 36	Part Kairakau 1B Block					IV	Waimarama	Red.
0 0 5	Part road-line, part Kairakau Block					IV	"	Yellow.
0 0 10.6	Part Kairakau 1A Block	IV	" ..	" ..	"				
0 2 22.5									
0 0 5.7	(S.O. 1148.) (Hawke's Bay R.D.)								

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 22nd day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 40/553.)

Proclaiming Road-lines laid out through Mangahauini No. 7 Block, Blocks IV and VIII, Tokomaru Survey District, Gisborne Land District, to be Public Roads

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto were, by an order of the Native Land Court made on the twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, duly laid out as road-lines in pursuance of section forty-eight of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that it is in the public interest that the said road-lines should be proclaimed as

public roads and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands, in terms of section fifty-one of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

And whereas one month's notice in writing of the intention to proclaim the said road-lines as public roads has been given by the Surveyor-General to the local authority of the district concerned, in terms of subsection two of section four hundred and eighty-seven of the Native Land Act, 1931:

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road-lines should be proclaimed as public roads:

Now, therefore, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four hundred and eighty-seven of the Native Land Act, 1931, do hereby proclaim as public roads the road-lines described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as roads :—

A. R. P. Being portion of
 1 3 23 } Mangahauini No. 7 Block.
 1 3 38 }

Situated in Blocks IV and VIII, Tokomaru Survey District. (S.O. plan 4268.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/2837A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2932, and thereon coloured orange.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of August, 1944.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 16/2837.)

Proclaiming a Road-line laid out through Ahikouka 1c Block, Block IX, Waiapu Survey District, Gisborne Land District, to be a Public Road

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was, by an order of the Native Land Court made on the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, duly laid out as a road-line in pursuance of section seven of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1923 :

And whereas the said court is of the opinion that it is in the public interest that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road, and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands in terms of section four hundred and eighty-six of the Native Land Act, 1931 :

And whereas one month's notice in writing of the intention to proclaim the said road-line as a public road has been given by the Surveyor-General to the local authority of the district concerned in terms of subsection two of section four hundred and eighty-seven of the Native Land Act, 1931 :

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road :

Now, therefore, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four hundred and eighty-seven of the Native Land Act, 1931, do hereby proclaim as a public road the road-line described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road : 6 acres 3 roods 9.7 perches.

Being portion of Ahikouka 1c Block.

Situated in Block IX, Waiapu Survey District. (S.O. plan 4289.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/2913, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2930, and thereon coloured orange.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of August, 1944.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 16/2913.)

Road traversing Native Land proclaimed as a Public Road in Blocks XI and XIV, Nukumaruru Survey District, Wellington Land District

[L.S.] C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the road described in the Schedule hereto traverses Native land and has been used by the public as a public road, and has been formed, improved, and maintained out of public funds :

And whereas the Native Land Court, by an order made on the eleventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, and issued pursuant to section four hundred and eighty-four of the Native Land Act, 1931, ordered and declared the said road to be a public road :

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that it is in the public interest that the said road should be proclaimed as a public road, and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands in terms of section four hundred and eighty-six of the Native Land Act, 1931 :

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road should be proclaimed as a public road :

Now, therefore, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four hundred and eighty-seven of the Native Land Act, 1931, do hereby proclaim as a public road the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road :—

A. R. P. Being portion of
 5 0 11 Kai-iwi Block; coloured blue.

Situated in Block XI, Nukumaruru Survey District.

A. R. P.
 2 0 17 Tukituki Block; coloured orange.

Situated in Block XIV, Nukumaruru Survey District. (W.D. plan 4394.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/2933, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2931, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of August, 1944.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(L. and S. 16/2933.)

Amending the Foreshore License vesting the Management of certain Wharves in the Akaroa Borough Council

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of August, 1944

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Harbours Act, 1923, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby amend the Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one, and published in the *Gazette* of the eighth day of the following month at page 10, vesting the management of certain wharves in the Akaroa Borough Council, by revoking clause one in the First Schedule to the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council and substituting the following clause :—

“ 1. The vesting of the management of the wharves is subject to the Foreshore License Regulations 1940, with the exception of clause 21 of the said regulations, which for the purpose of this Order in Council is hereby excluded, and the provisions of the said regulations shall, so far as applicable, apply hereto.”

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking a License held by Robert John Ellis, of Woodstock, Labourer, authorizing the Use of Water for the Purpose of generating Electricity and the erection of certain Electric Lines

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of August, 1944

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Public Works Act, 1928, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 82 of the eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty, authorizing Robert John Ellis, of Woodstock, Labourer, to use water for the purpose of generating electricity and to erect certain electric lines.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council. (P.W. 26/3154.)

Extending the Open Season for the taking or killing of Opossums, Otago Acclimatization District

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of August, 1944

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on him by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby amend the Order in Council made under the said Act, dated the eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, and appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* number nineteen of the ninth *idem*, at page 237, by deleting the words “ 1st September ” appearing under the heading “ Otago Acclimatization District ” in the Schedule to such Order in Council, and contained in Condition Number One under the said heading, and by inserting in lieu thereof the words “ 16th September ” :

And all licenses issued to take or kill opossums in the Otago Acclimatization District under the authority of the said Order in Council are hereby extended until noon on the said sixteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council. (I.A. 49/2/2.)

Consenting to Land being taken for Boys Hostel in the Borough of Mount Albert

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of August, 1944

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto taken for boys hostel.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land permitted to be taken: 2 roods 15.8 perches.
Being Lot 2, D.P. 16899, being part Allotment 56, Titirangi Parish.

Situated in Block IV, Titirangi Survey District (Borough of Mount Albert) (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 33277.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119759, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 31/439/1.)

Portion of Roads, in the County of Clutha, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of August, 1944

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Clutha County Council on the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, viz. :—

“The Clutha County Council, being the local authority having control of the roads in the Clutha County, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, shall not apply to the eastern side of portion of Swamp Road fronting Sections 12 and Part 10, Block XVI, Sections 2 and Part 4, Block XVII, and part of closed road, to the northern side of portion of the road fronting part Section 2, Block XII, to the northern side of portion of the road, fronting Sections 1, 3, and Part 6, Block XI, and Sections 5, 6, 13, and Part 4, Block VII, and to portion of the road fronting Sections 8, 10, 13, and Part 12, Block VII, and Sections 1 and Parts 5, 7, 8, and 9, Block XI, Clutha District, such land being comprised in C's/T. 6/300, 80/43, and Parts 169/258, 235/49 Ltd., and 252/45 Ltd.”;

subject to the conditions that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the eastern side of portion of Swamp Road, the northern sides of portion of public roads, or the eastern or western side of portion of public road (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-lines of the said portions of roads.

SCHEDULE

THE eastern side of all that portion of Swamp Road situated in the Otago Land District, County of Clutha, fronting Section 12 and part Section 10, Block XVI, Section 2 and part Section 4, Block XVII, and part closed road, Clutha Survey District.

Also the northern side of all that portion of road situated in the said land district and county fronting part Section 2, Block XII, Clutha Survey District.

Also the northern side of all that portion of road situated in the said land district and county fronting Sections 1 and 3, and part Section 6, Block XI, and Sections 5, 6, 13, and part Section 4, Block VII, Clutha Survey District.

Also all that portion of road situated in the said land district and county fronting Sections 8, 10, 13, and part Section 12, Block VII, and Sections 1 and parts of Sections 5, 7, 8, and 9, Block XI, Clutha Survey District.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119834, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/2145.)

The Western Side of Portion of Ebdentown Road, in the Borough of Upper Hutt, exempted from the Provisions of Section 128 of the Public Works Act, 1928, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of August, 1944

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1928, and of every other power in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Upper Hutt Borough Council on the sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, the side and portion of street affected being described in the Schedule hereto, viz. :—

“That the Upper Hutt Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the Borough of Upper Hutt, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1928, shall not apply to the western side of portion of Ebdentown Street adjoining part Section 121, Hutt District, being Lot 4 on a plan attached to a Deed of Grant, number 23830 (29/141), registered in the Deeds Registry Office at Wellington, and being part of the land comprised in Certificate of Title, Volume 348, folio 296”;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the western side of the portion of Ebdentown Road (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE

THE western side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Upper Hutt, known as Ebdentown Road, fronting Lot 4 on plan attached to Grant 23830 (39/141) registered in the Deeds Registry Office at Wellington, and being the balance of the land comprised and described in Certificate of Title, Volume 348, folio 296 (Wellington Registry). As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119513, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 51/916.)

Vesting the Management of certain Wharves and other Structures in the Otamatea County Council, making Regulations in connection therewith, and prescribing the Dues to be charged and taken for the Use of such Wharves

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of August, 1944

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Harbours Act, 1923, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby vest in the Otamatea County Council (hereinafter called “the Council,” which term shall include its successors or assigns unless the context requires a different construction), the management of the wharves, road-metal hopper, and ferry-slips at Papanoa, Raupo, Pahi, Tokatoka, Whakapirau, Maungaturoto, Batley, Ruawai, Matiotitawa, Matakoho (Sterling's), and Tinopai, the road-metal hopper at Hukateru, and the ferry-slips at Raupo and Ruawai in Kaipara harbour, as shown on approved plans marked M.D. 2378; 2161, 2489, and 5203; 1940, 5708, and 5758; 425 and 4072; 5709 and 5774; 2374 and 2489; 4058; 2918 and 4723; 6554; 5901; 6923; 4298; 2991, 4485, 4497, and 6552; 3086 respectively, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, for the purpose of maintaining thereon the wharves, road-metal hopper, and ferry-slips as shown on the said plans, such vesting to be subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and doth hereby make the regulations set forth in the Second Schedule hereto for the management of the said wharves, road-metal hopper, and ferry-slips, and doth hereby further prescribe that the dues and rates specified in the Third Schedule hereto shall be charged and taken by the Council for the use of the said wharves, road-metal hopper, and ferry-slips.

FIRST SCHEDULE

CONDITIONS OF MANAGEMENT

1. THE vesting of the management of the said wharves, road-metal hopper, and ferry-slips is subject to the Foreshore License Regulations 1940, and the provisions of the said regulations shall, so far as applicable, apply hereto.

2. The term of the vesting shall be fourteen years from the 28th day of August, 1944.

3. The annual sum payable by the Council shall be one shilling (1s.) payable on demand.

4. The master of every vessel discharging ballast at the said wharves shall have all such ballast taken away and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

SECOND SCHEDULE

REGULATIONS

1. IN these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—

“Council” means the Otamatea County Council, its successors and assigns:

“Boat” means any open, decked, or half-decked boat, punt, or barge attached to or used in connection with any ship or other vessel lying in or belonging to or visiting the Kaipara Harbour, and also any such boat, punt, or barge used for the purposes of business or pleasure by residents of the district of Kaipara, in which the means of propulsion is either exclusively by oars or partly by oars and partly by sails:

“Master” means and includes the person actually in charge of any vessel, whether or not he is certificated:

“Vessel” means and includes every description of launch or ship whether used in navigation or in any way kept or used as a hulk or storeship, or for any other purpose whatsoever, whether business or pleasure, and not coming within the above definition of “boat”:

“Wharf” has the same meaning as in the Harbours Act, 1923; and includes for the purpose of these regulations a road-metal hopper or ferry-slip:

“Wharfinger” includes every person actually in charge of any wharf for the time being.

2. The master of any vessel loading or discharging at any wharf shall be deemed responsible for the proper slinging and landing of all goods, and responsible for all damage that may occur either from the breakage of slings or from the goods being improperly slung or improperly handled.

3. It shall be the duty of the master to cause proper tarpaulins to be stretched from the wharf to the vessel loading or discharging as aforesaid, and to be there maintained while cargo or ballast is being handled or shipped.

4. In case any vessel does or causes any damage to any wharf or any part thereof, or to any machinery or building thereon or appertaining thereto, then, and in any such case, the master of such vessel shall forthwith report the occurrence to the wharfinger by telegraph, or by at once reporting to the wharfinger in person, or should there be no wharfinger, then shall he report to the Council in like manner.

5. Any damage done or caused as aforesaid may be repaired by the Council, and the cost thereof shall be recoverable by the Council from the master and owner of any such vessel, or either of them, in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

6. The owner of all goods landed on any wharf, or brought thereon for shipment, shall place such goods as the wharfinger or other authorized person directs, and so as to keep all mooring posts or rings free and all rails or tramways clear.

7. Before any vessel or boat is removed from any wharf, the master or other person in charge of the said vessel or boat shall cause all dirt or rubbish to be thoroughly cleared from the portion of the said wharf occupied by such vessel or boat, and shall deposit such dirt or rubbish at such places as may be appointed by the wharfinger or other person in charge.

8. No person shall make fast any boat to any steps or landing-place or so near thereto as to obstruct the approach of other vessels, nor shall any person permit any boat to lie longer alongside any steps or landing-place than is required for landing passengers.

9. (a) No person shall take, drive, or work, or cause to be driven, taken, or worked, any cart, vehicle, or horse on any wharf on which carts, vehicles, or horses are permitted by the wharfinger or person in charge to be taken at other than a walking pace.

(b) If such cart or vehicle is drawn by one horse, the person in charge shall walk at the head of and lead the horse, and no person shall ride on any wharf, but shall dismount and lead his horse.

(c) Every person driving or taking any vehicle on any such wharf shall remain in attendance thereon, so as to have control of his horse or horses.

10. All watermen, stevedores, carters, and other persons employed on any wharf or any public landing-place shall be under the control of the wharfinger or other person in charge, and shall obey all orders given by such person in charge.

11. No person shall in any way obstruct or impede traffic on any wharf, nor make use of any provoking, abusive, obscene, or other improper language thereon.

12. (a) No person shall, otherwise than as specifically permitted by these regulations, obstruct or impede ingress to or egress from any wharf by any vessel, boat, or cable, or in any other way.

(b) If in breach of this clause any person obstruct or impede ingress or egress as aforesaid, and does not, upon being ordered so to do by the wharfinger or other person in charge, remove such obstruction, then, irrespective of the penalty to which such person is liable for such obstruction, the officer in charge may remove, cast off, or cut any such obstruction, and may recover the cost of so doing from such person.

13. The wharfinger shall have power, on authority of the Chairman of the Council, to close the wharves, or any of them or any portion thereof whenever in his opinion it is advisable so to do, and no person shall enter upon any wharf or portion of the wharf so closed without the consent of the wharfinger.

14. The master of every vessel lying at a wharf shall give way to any mail steamer, whether discharging cargo or passengers, and shall either vacate his berth or assist the master of the mail steamer to moor alongside his vessel, and allow the cargo and

passengers to be shipped or unshipped over and across the deck of his vessel, as the case may require, under such conditions as the wharfinger may impose.

15. The master of every vessel, whether carrying passengers or not, when lying alongside any wharf shall fix, and at all times keep fixed, a safe and proper gangway from such vessel to the wharf. Such gangway shall have side rails and stanchions, with ropes rove taut through same, the top rail or rope being not less than 2 ft. 9 in. high; and he shall also keep a gangway net properly secured beneath the gangway, and shall at all times throughout the night—that is to say, from sunset to sunrise—show and exhibit a proper light fixed at each gangway, and shall conform to and obey all orders the wharfinger may give regarding the position, size, and kind of such gangways and lights.

16. The master, owner, or agent of every vessel shall produce the certificate of registry of his vessel, and shall give to the wharfinger or other person in charge a copy of the bill of lading, freight list, or manifest of the cargo, or other proper accounts of the weights and measurements of all goods according as freight is payable, intended to be unshipped from the vessel on to a wharf, and also of all goods shipped from the wharf on to his vessel.

THIRD SCHEDULE

DUES AND RATES

1. EVERY person, firm, or company who uses any wharf under the control of the Council, and any other wharf that may hereafter come under the control of the Council, for landing or shipping any goods, shall pay to the Council dues as follows:—

	s.	d.
Bricks, per 100 bricks	0	3
Butter, up to 3 boxes, per box	0	1
Butter, over 3 boxes, per box	0	0½
Cattle, over 10 months old, each	1	0
Cattle, under 10 months old, each	0	3
Cement, per sack	0	1
Chaff, per sack	0	0½
Coal, per ton	1	0
Cream, per cwt. (up to 15 cwt.)	0	0½
Cream, over 15 cwt. and not exceeding 1 ton	1	0
Grass-seed, per sack	0	1
Hides, each	0	1
Horses, each	1	0
Kauri-gum, per sack	0	2
Kauri-gum, per case	0	3
Kerosene and benzine, per case of 2 tins	0	1
Lime, per sack	0	1
Manure, per sack	0	1
Oats and grain, per sack	0	1½
Oysters, per sack	0	1½
Paint, oil, and varnish, keg or drum, each	0	2
Parcels, packages, boxes, jars, up to 12 lb., placed on board by consignee or taken off by consignee	Free.	
Parcels, packages, boxes, jars up to 12 lb., when left in charge of wharfinger, each	0	1
Personal luggage, up to half a ton	Free.	
Personal luggage, over half a ton, per ton	1	0
Pigs (dead or alive), each	0	1
Pipes (iron and galvanized), per 100 lineal feet	0	3
Pipes (earthenware), each	0	1
Ploughs, each	0	6
Harrows, each	0	3
Poultry, per dozen	0	3
Saddles, with or without bridles, each	0	3
Sheep, each	0	1
Sheepskins, each	0	0½
Tanks, empty, each	0	6
Timber, per 100 superficial feet	0	2
Vegetables, per sack	0	1½
Vehicles, two wheels, each	0	9
Vehicles, four wheels, each	1	3
Wool, per bale	0	6
Wool, per half-bale	0	3
Wool, per bag	0	1

The owner of any goods sent for repairs shall pay wharfage once only.

For all goods and merchandise, not specially provided for in the foregoing Schedule, landed on or shipped from any wharf, a rate of one shilling and sixpence (1s. 6d.) per ton weight or measurement, at the option of the Council.

Per ton weight means 20 cwt.

Per ton measurement means 40 cubic feet.

Weight shall be gross weight (i.e., including covering).

Measurement shall be outside measurement of all packages.

For smaller quantities according to the following scale:—

Weight.—For every fractional part of a ton as follows:—	s.	d.
200 lb. and under	0	3
Over 200 lb. and not exceeding 500 lb.	0	6
Over 500 lb. and not exceeding 1,000 lb.	0	9
Over 1,000 lb. and not exceeding 1,500 lb.	1	2
1,500 lb. to one ton	1	6

Measurement.—For every fractional part of a ton as follows:—

4 cubic feet and under	0	3
Over 4 cubic feet and under 9 cubic feet	0	6
Over 9 cubic feet and under 18 cubic feet	0	9
Over 18 cubic feet and under 27 cubic feet	1	2
27 cubic feet to one ton (40 cubic feet)	1	6

Half the above rates shall be paid to the Council when delivery taken in boats from vessel discharging alongside the wharf.

All charges on goods shall be paid by the owner thereof to the Council before the goods are delivered.

STORAGE

2. Every person, firm, or company whose goods are stored in any shed upon any wharf shall pay to the Council before receipt of such goods, and when called on by the Council or wharfinger so to do, storage for such goods as hereinafter mentioned, that is to say,—

For the first twelve hours, free.

After the first twelve hours the rates as set out in the foregoing schedule of wharfage charges shall be payable to the Council for every week or part of a week that goods remain in the sheds.

3. No person shall remove goods from any wharf without having previously paid the dues payable thereon.

4. In the absence of the consignee the wharfinger may take delivery of all goods landed on the wharf, and place such goods in the wharf-shed, and keep same until payment to the Council of the expenses of such removal, wharfage, and storage dues herein provided for, together with any other charges due to the Council thereupon, and in default of payment may, in the manner and in the time provided in section 195 of the Harbours Act, 1923, sell the same, and may exercise on behalf of the Council all the powers contained in the said section 195: Provided, however, that goods as mentioned in clauses 9 and 11 hereafter shall not be stored in any wharf-shed.

5. If any goods, which in the opinion of the wharfinger it is not expedient to put in the wharf-shed, are stored on the wharf, then the owner of such goods shall pay storage to the Council for same at the same rate as mentioned in clause No. 2.

6. If any cargo remains on any wharf for a longer period than forty-eight hours, or where such cargo in any way hinders the loading or unloading of any vessel, or is an impediment to the approaches, the wharfinger may have such cargo removed at the expense of the shipper, and in the case of inward cargo at the expense of the consignee or owner: Provided that if any timber remains on any wharf for a longer period than twelve hours the wharfinger or other person in charge may have such timber removed at the expense of the shipper, consignee, or owner, as the case may be.

7. No person shall ship or unship any timber, coal, produce, or cargo of any description except at such time and places, and in such order or mode as may be directed and deemed expedient by the wharfinger for the proper working of any boat.

8. No person shall deposit any ballast, coal, coke, patent or other fuel on any wharf or in any shed without special permission of the wharfinger.

9. No owner of any goods or articles of any description which, in the opinion of the wharfinger, are likely to occasion damage to any wharf or shed, or anything for the time being on such wharf or in any such shed, shall discharge or land such goods on any such wharf or place same in any such shed.

10. No person shall place or leave upon any wharf or in any shed any vegetable or animal matter or goods which are in a state of decay or putrefaction. Any goods which are, in the opinion of the wharfinger, unfit to remain on wharf, or harmful to other goods stored on the wharf, or in any shed, may be removed from the wharf or any shed by the wharfinger, and the consignee or owner shall, upon demand, repay to the Council the cost of such removal, and also in addition the amount of any damage done by such goods to any other goods on such wharf or in such shed.

11. All explosives, kerosene, and all goods of a dangerous or inflammable character shall be removed by the owner, agent, or consignee immediately on being landed, and such owner, agent, or consignee failing so to do will be held responsible for any damage or loss that may accrue from any accident arising therefrom, in addition to the penalty provided for breach of these regulations, and the Council shall not be responsible for any damage or loss which may accrue to such goods.

SHIP'S WHARF DUES

12. The following dues, tolls, and charges shall be paid by the master of every vessel to the Council for the use of each and every wharf that now is or may hereafter come under the jurisdiction of the Otamatea County Council, viz. :—

On every vessel under 20 tons register lying along-side a wharf, for each day or part of a day	s. d.
.. .. .	1 0
On every vessel under 20 tons register, for every day or part of a day that such vessel lies alongside a vessel lying at a wharf	.. .. .
.. .. .	0 6
On every vessel under 20 tons register undergoing repairs or fitting-out alongside a wharf, or lying off a wharf with a line attached thereto, per day or part of a day	.. .. .
.. .. .	6 0
On every vessel of 20 tons register and upwards lying at a wharf, per ton per day or part of a day	.. .. .
.. .. .	0 0 $\frac{1}{4}$
Minimum charge on every sailing-vessel of 20 tons register and upwards lying alongside a wharf, per day or part of a day	.. .. .
.. .. .	1 0
Minimum charge on every steamer of 20 tons register and upwards lying alongside a wharf, per day or part of a day	.. .. .
.. .. .	1 6
On every vessel of 20 tons register and upwards lying alongside a vessel at a wharf, or lying off a wharf with a line attached thereto, or undergoing repairs, per ton per day or part of a day	.. .. .
.. .. .	0 0 $\frac{1}{2}$
Minimum charge for vessel last mentioned	.. .. .
.. .. .	0 6

PENALTIES

13. If any person, firm, or company fails or refuses, or neglects to do anything by these regulations required to be done, observed, or performed, or in any manner obstructs, impedes, or interferes with the doing of anything enjoined, required, or authorized to be done, or does anything prohibited by these regulations, shall in each and every case so offending be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

C. A. JEFFERY, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointment of Members of Board of Health under the Health Act, 1920

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Health Act, 1920, I, Cyril Louis Norton Newall, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

Sir James Sands Elliott, Kt. M.D. (Edin.),
Professor Charles Ernest Hercus, O.B.E., D.S.O., M.D., Ch.B.,
University of New Zealand,
Honourable William James Rogers, M.L.C.,
Muriel Emma Bell, M.D., University of New Zealand, and
Henry Featherston Toogood, Esquire,

to be members of the Board of Health under the aforesaid Act for a period of three years as from the 1st day of August, 1944.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General,
this 16th day of August, 1944.

A. H. NORDMEYER, Minister of Health.

Appointments, Promotions, and Relinquishments of Temporary Rank of Officers on Active Service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East)

Army Department,
Wellington, 19th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to confirm the following appointments, promotions, and relinquishments of temporary rank of officers on active service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East), *vide* List No. 150, dated 7th July, 1944:—

PROMOTIONS

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Captain (*temp.* Major) R. A. Bay to be Major. Dated 10th June, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains) to be Captains:—

C. O. D. Roberts.

G. B. Nelson.

Dated 10th June, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

Captain R. J. Moor to be Major. Dated 28th March, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

L. H. V. Longmore J. M. Tyler. J. R. J. Moore

L. C. McCarthy, M.C. A. M. T. Dickie.

Dated 29th June, 1944.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

T. I. McCluggage.

P. H. McGrath.

W. A. Baylis.

T. H. Moore.

Dated 4th July, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (Acting-Lieutenant) (Quartermaster) R. A. Holt to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1944.

N.Z. Chaplains Department

W. J. Thompson, Chaplain, 4th Class (Salvation Army), to be Chaplain, 3rd Class. Dated 2nd July, 1944.

N.Z. Army Nursing Service

The undermentioned Sisters to be Charge Sisters:—

Miss M. E. White.

Miss A. J. Sinclair.

Dated 1st March, 1944.

GRANTS OF TEMPORARY RANK

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Lieutenant D. MacIntyre to be *temp.* Captain. Dated 9th June, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be *temp.* Captains:—

M. J. Rodgers. Dated 26th May, 1944.

R. K. Hatch. Dated 13th June, 1944.

N.Z. Forestry Group

Captain K. O. Tunnicliffe, M.B.E., to be *temp.* Major. Dated 30th June, 1944.

N.Z. Signals

Captain (*temp.* Major) N. R. Ingle to be *temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th May, 1944.

Captain K. Douglas to be *temp.* Major. Dated 28th May 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Captains to be *temp.* Majors:—

D. J. Ashley. Dated 5th June, 1944.

R. M. Harding. Dated 7th June, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be *temp.* Captains:—

M. Raureti. Dated 14th May, 1944.

J. H. Sheild. Dated 9th June, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant J. S. Baxter to be *temp.* Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1944.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Artillery

Captain (*temp.* Major) E. G. Lewis relinquishes the temporary rank of Major and assumes the acting rank of Major. Dated 5th July, 1944.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) M. J. Rodgers relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 13th June, 1944.

N.Z. Engineers

Captain (*temp.* Major) P. H. G. Hamilton relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 1st July, 1944.

N.Z. Signals

Captain (*temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel) N. R. Ingle relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and assumes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 28th June, 1944.

Captain (*temp.* Major) K. Douglas relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 27th June 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

Major (*temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel) P. R. Pike, M.C., relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and assumes the acting rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd July, 1944.

The undermentioned Captains (*temp.* Majors) relinquish the temporary rank of Major:—

J. Matehaere, M.C. Dated 27th June, 1944.

V. J. Tanner, D.S.O. Dated 1st July, 1944.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) J. C. Hepburn relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 3rd July, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) (Quartermaster) J. J. L. Searing relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain and assumes the acting rank of Captain. Dated 26th June, 1944.

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

150643	Allen Kenneth Britten, N.Z.A.C.
564088	Robert William Wayne, N.Z.A.C.
517738	Alvin Harry Woolven, N.Z.A.C.
273544	Colin Graham MacDiarmid, N.Z.A.C.
505246	Grenville William Richard Hinton Purchase, N.Z.A.C.
618585	Herbert Charles Hiatt, N.Z.A.C.
1311	James Edwin Hubert Hodson, N.Z.A.C.
473972	Raymond Richard Russell, N.Z.A.C.
162693	Edward Alexander McKay, N.Z.A.C.
102108	John Grant Ross, N.Z.A.C.
616089	Charles Robert Wadman, N.Z.A.C.
440912	Laurence Clayton Browne, N.Z.A.
407322	James Bickerton Fisher, N.Z.A.
281672	Thomas Goodhue Moorcraft, N.Z.A.
633616	Norman Alfred Stephenson, N.Z.A.
398599	Ernest Mervyn Hall Kemp, N.Z.A.
456192	Norman Thomas Wyles Inder, N.Z.A.
230224	Graham David Speight, N.Z.A.
484484	Herbert Philip Whyman, N.Z. Inf.
465668	William Bosworth Tisch, N.Z. Inf.
237889	Nesbitt Poynton Scott, N.Z. Inf.
470860	Edgar Alfred Bastings, N.Z. Inf.
442122	John Walter Dempsey, N.Z. Inf.
47055	Wilford Abley Potter, N.Z. Inf.
490857	Arthur Grenville Ward, N.Z. Inf.
489476	Guthrie Edward Wilson, N.Z. Inf.
45422	Francis Alexander Avery, N.Z. Inf.
531124	Arthur Francis Aldridge, N.Z. Inf.
600711	Harold Norman Hannah, N.Z. Inf.
553926	Charles Verna Spragg, N.Z. Inf.
564082	John Lawrence Thomson, N.Z. Inf.
273694	Donald McLean, N.Z. Inf.
516463	Sydney Graham Cottam, N.Z. Inf.
619831	Anthony Hamilton Brent, N.Z. Inf.
285437	William Houston Stewart, N.Z. Inf.
124979	Kenneth Hamilton Munroe, N.Z. Inf.
467996	Andrew Hector Eddie, N.Z. Inf.
489632	John Longhurst Neale, N.Z. Inf.
632170	Arthur John Griffiths, N.Z. Inf.
493455	George Charles Powell, N.Z. Inf.
455444	Gerald Keith Chapman, N.Z. Inf.
618311	John Walter Rogers, N.Z. Inf.
231054	James Pryde Gordon, N.Z. Inf.
67540	Roki Maika, N.Z. Inf.
801866	Richard Kake, N.Z. Inf.
800710	Robert Rollo, N.Z. Inf.
67531	James Hubbard, N.Z. Inf.
483920	Walter James Tattersfield, N.Z.E.
497141	Gordon Keith Jackson, N.Z.E.
060280	Sydney McGregor Reynolds, N.Z. Sigs.
44696	George Dalgleish, N.Z.E.M.E.
516670	William Ball, N.Z.E.M.E.

Dated 25th June, 1944.

CORRIGENDA

N.Z. Infantry

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, dated 3rd August, 1944 (*vide* List No. 148), relative to the promotion of Lieutenants to Captains, for "M. Miller", substitute "L. M. Miller".

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, dated 3rd August, 1944 (*vide* List No. 148), relative to the promotion of Lieutenants to *temp.* Captains, for "W. B. Thomas", substitute "B. W. Thomas".

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 58, dated 13th July, 1944 (*vide* List No. 146), relative to Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains) relinquishing the temporary rank of Captain and assuming the acting rank of Captain, delete the name of K. F. Hoy and substitute the following:—

"Lieutenant (*temp.* Major) K. F. Hoy relinquishes the temporary rank of Major and assumes the acting rank of Major. Dated 18th May, 1944."

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, and Relinquishments of Temporary Rank of Officers on Active Service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East)

Army Department,
Wellington, 16th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to confirm the following appointments, promotions, and relinquishments of temporary rank of officers on active service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East), *vide* List No. 151, dated 14th July, 1944:—

PROMOTIONS

N.Z. Armoured Corps

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

2nd Lieutenant (Acting-Lieutenant) J. T. K. Bradley.
Dated 23rd May, 1944.

J. R. Marra. W. C. McIver.
Dated 3rd July, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. F. Phillips. Dated 12th June, 1944.

E. W. Hunt. R. K. Jamieson.
J. Mowbray. E. T. A. Scott.
B. L. Officer. A. B. Stewart, D.C.M.
Dated 10th July, 1944.

N.Z. Signals

Captain (*temp.* Major) E. J. Horwood to be Major. Dated 1st June, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Captain (*temp.* Major) H. R. C. Wild,
W. A. Whitlock.
Captain (*temp.* Major) P. W. Robertshaw, M.C.
Captain (*temp.* Major) R. R. Knox, M.C.
Captain (*temp.* Major) N. K. Sanders.
Dated 20th June, 1944.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Major) J. Findlay to be Captain (*temp.* Major). Dated 20th June, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) R. A. Marshall-Inman.
Dated 22nd April, 1944.

D. W. Hodge (prisoner of war).
R. B. Robertson (prisoner of war).
S. M. McLernon (prisoner of war).
R. E. Johnston.
W. L. Ferry (prisoner of war).
W. E. Perks (prisoner of war).
F. H. Greer (prisoner of war).
Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) B. W. Thomas.
Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) P. B. Were.
D. C. Latham (prisoner of war).
J. L. Williams, M.C.
A. L. Herdman (prisoner of war).
T. N. Bright.
Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) J. C. Fraser.
Dated 20th June, 1944.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

P. D. Young. Dated 14th May, 1944.
M. K. Hanan. L. C. Macartney.
Dated 12th June, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

Major A. G. Clark, M.C., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th June, 1944.

GRANTS OF TEMPORARY RANK

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Major J. I. Thodey, D.S.O., to be *temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th July, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be *temp.* Captains:—

I. W. Tourell. Dated 11th June, 1944.
R. A. Tinker, M.C., M.M. Dated 22nd June, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

Major D. B. Patterson to be temp. Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th June, 1944.

Captain J. P. Arthurs to be temp. Major. Dated 21st May, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant E. M. Morrison to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1944.

N.Z. Signals

Captain C. R. Ambury to be temp. Major. Dated 18th April, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be temp. Captains :—

J. H. Newcombe. Dated 1st June, 1944.

R. E. O'Hara. Dated 21st June, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant P. B. Armitage to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Captains to be temp. Majors :—

A. W. F. O'Reilly. Dated 21st June, 1944.

J. H. W. Dymock. Dated 27th June, 1944.

K. R. Hutcheson. Dated 2nd July, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be temp. Captains :—

B. R. Grant. Dated 19th June, 1944.

R. B. Sinclair. Dated 2nd July, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant A. L. Haslam to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

Major J. M. Coutts to be temp. Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th June, 1944.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Armoured Corps

The undermentioned Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains) relinquish the temporary rank of Captain :—

J. A. Johnston, M.M. Dated 6th July, 1944.

T. G. S. Morrin. D. J. Sumpter.
Dated 8th July, 1944.

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

236530 Duncan George Ross, N.Z. Inf.

518190 John de Leunie Lorimer, N.Z. Inf.
Dated 25th June, 1944.

223979 Albert Thomas Gilmour Ross, N.Z. Inf.
Dated 8th July, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Promotions and Relinquishment of Temporary Rank of Officers on Active Service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force in Pacific

Army Department,
Wellington, 16th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to confirm the following promotions and relinquishment of temporary rank of officers of the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force in Pacific, *vide* List No. 29, dated 1st August, 1944 :—

PROMOTIONS

N.Z. Infantry

2nd Lieutenant L. A. Edwards to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

The undermentioned to be Captains :—

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) I. M. Cairney. Dated 17th July, 1944.

Lieutenant N. D. M. Harvey. Dated 15th July, 1944.

N.Z. Ordnance Corps

2nd Lieutenant K. V. Paul to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th July, 1944.

N.Z. Army Pay Corps

2nd Lieutenant L. Watson to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1944.

N.Z. Women's Army Auxiliary Corps

2nd Subaltern A. M. Shannon to be Subaltern. Dated 7th July, 1944.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Dental Corps

Captain (*temp.* Major) S. N. Jolly relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 2nd July, 1944.

2ND N.Z. EXPEDITIONARY FORCE IN PACIFIC

GRANT OF TEMPORARY RANK

N.Z. Infantry

Lieutenant K. J. D. McCorkindale to be temp. Captain. Dated 1st August, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, Relinquishments of Commissions, and Retirements of Officers of the New Zealand Military Forces

Army Department,
Wellington, 16th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, promotions, relinquishments of commissions, and retirements of officers of the New Zealand Military Forces :—

STAFF

Honorary Colonel E. Casey relinquishes the appointment of Director of Railways and the Honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 6th April, 1944.

James Savers, Esquire, is appointed Director of Railways, and is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 7th April, 1944.

N.Z. PERMANENT STAFF

Temp. Lieutenant and Quartermaster W. R. C. Whyte to be temp. Captain and Quartermaster whilst employed as Adjutant of a district school. Dated 5th July, 1944.

Temp. Lieutenant and Quartermaster J. Finlayson to be temp. Captain and Quartermaster whilst employed as Adjutant of a military camp. Dated 1st August, 1944.

REGIMENT OF ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY

Temp. Lieutenant and Quartermaster A. W. N. Heyward to be temp. Captain and Quartermaster whilst employed as an Instructor, Fire Control, of a regiment. Dated 28th June, 1944.

Sergeant George Gerrard Wreford Blandford to be temp. Lieutenant and Quartermaster. Dated 10th May, 1944.

N.Z. TEMPORARY STAFF

Temp. Lieutenant-Colonel S. W. B. Brooker, M.C., V.D., is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th August, 1944.

Temp. Captain W. F. Strouts to be temp. Major. Dated 15th August, 1944.

The undermentioned temp. Lieutenants to be temp. Captains :—

E. R. Percy. Dated 26th July, 1944.

J. R. Shorter. Dated 15th August, 1944.

Frank Ream Admore to be temp. 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 15th August, 1944.

TERRITORIAL FORCE

N.Z. ARMOURD CORPS

1st N.Z. Armoured Regiment

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on appointment to commissions in the Royal N.Z. Air Force :—

Temp. Lieutenant R. M. Webb.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant H. R. Spanhake.

Dated 9th July, 1944.

2nd N.Z. Armoured Regiment

Temp. Lieutenant O. M. Terry relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

3rd N.Z. Armoured Regiment

Temp. Lieutenant H. Bowe relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

N.Z. ARTILLERY

Temp. Captain R. McGregor is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Temp. Lieutenant P. Leonard relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

Temp. Lieutenant D. S. L. Sharpe is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant C. T. Pugh, B.E., resigns his commission. Dated 14th May, 1940.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant R. W. Steele relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS

Temp. Lieutenant H. H. K. Purdie is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 5th August, 1944.

N.Z. CORPS OF SIGNALS

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant I. D. O. McIntosh relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

N.Z. INFANTRY

The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own)

Temp. Captain S. C. Schofield is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 29th July, 1944.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, dated 9th January, 1941, relative to the promotion of Lieutenant W. R. H. Martin, for "Dated 1st November, 1940", substitute "Dated 30th September, 1940".

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on appointment to commissions in the Royal N.Z. Air Force :—

Temp. Lieutenant D. Munro.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenants—

G. H. Twigden.

R. W. A. Yorke.

Dated 9th July, 1944.

The Hauraki Regiment

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lieutenants relinquish their commissions on appointment to commissions in the Royal N.Z. Air Force :—

G. D. Beal. A. H. Neno.
Dated 9th July, 1944.

The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own)

Temp. Lieutenant-Colonel C. D. A. George is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th August, 1944.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lieutenants to be temp. Lieutenants :—

E. A. Latham. E. A. Hogg.
Dated 1st July, 1944.

The Wellington West Coast Regiment

Temp. Lieutenant J. A. Forsythe to be temp. Captain, and remains seconded. Dated 1st June, 1944.

The Hawke's Bay Regiment

Lieutenant H. A. Henderson to be temp. Captain. Dated 1st May, 1944.

The Canterbury Regiment

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant P. W. Nicholls relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

The Otago Regiment

Temp. Captain J. A. Morris to be temp. Major, and remains seconded. Dated 1st May, 1944.

The Southland Regiment

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant J. T. Wilson relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 9th July, 1944.

The New Zealand Scottish Regiment

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on appointment to commissions in the Royal N.Z. Air Force :—

Temp. Lieutenant N. V. Farrell.
Temp. 2nd Lieutenant A. G. D. Hutton.
Dated 9th July, 1944.

N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS

Major J. R. Morris, from the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, to be temp. Captain, with seniority from 2nd December, 1940. Dated 1st August, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant A. G. Radford to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 27th January, 1944.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant A. G. Roberts, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd July, 1944.

N.Z. DENTAL CORPS

Temp. Captain J. S. H. Kinnear, B.D.S., is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 5th August, 1944.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE

Temp. Charge Sister D. J. Bull is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Charge Sister. Dated 8th July, 1944.

Sister N. McK. Richardson is posted to the Retired List. Dated 3rd June, 1944.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 57, dated 6th July, 1944, relative to Sister E. J. Rodger, for "Dated 24th June, 1944", substitute "Dated 3rd August, 1944".

RESERVE OF OFFICERS

The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment

Temp. Colonel W. T. Churchward, E.D., relinquishes his appointment in the N.Z. Temporary Staff, and is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Colonel. Dated 7th July, 1944.

OFFICERS CEASING TO BE SECONDED TO THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Lieutenant-Colonel C. D. A. George, and is reposted to The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own) with the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, with seniority from 7th February, 1942. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Major J. R. Morris, and is reposted to the Reserve of Officers, Territorial Force. Dated 30th June, 1944.

Temp. Major J. A. S. Coppard, and is reposted to the N.Z. Temporary Staff with the temporary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1944.

Captain D. Lawford, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 11th February, 1944. Dated 15th July, 1944.

Captain S. C. Schofield, and is reposted to The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own) with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 22nd December, 1941. Dated 29th July, 1944.

Captain F. M. Stewart, M.C., and is reposted to The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own) with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 9th April, 1942. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Captain J. S. H. Kinnear, B.D.S., N.Z. Dental Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 16th October, 1940. Dated 5th August, 1944.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 70, dated 26th August, 1943, relative to the posting to the Retired List of Lieutenant H. A. Henderson, is hereby cancelled and the following substituted :—

"Lieutenant H. A. Henderson, and is reposted to The Ruahine Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 4th April, 1942. Dated 31st July, 1943."

Lieutenant D. S. L. Sharpe, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st December, 1941. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant J. T. Wickham, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 12th May, 1943. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant H. K. Webb, A.C.S.E., Corps of N.Z. Engineers, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 27th January, 1943. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant H. H. K. Purdie, Corps of N.Z. Engineers, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 27th January, 1944. Dated 5th August, 1944.

The Rev. D. I. Francis, Chaplain, 4th Class (Church of England), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 20th March, 1941. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

Charge Sister D. J. Bull, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Charge Sister, with seniority from 1st March, 1943. Dated 8th July, 1944.

Sister N. McK. Richardson, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 12th January, 1943. Dated 3rd June, 1944.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 57, dated 6th July, 1944, relative to Sister E. J. Rodger, for "Dated 24th June, 1944", substitute "Dated 3rd August, 1944".

OFFICERS STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH OF THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 35, dated 4th May, 1944, relative to Major (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) K. A. Keiha, M.C., after Supplementary List add "with the rank of Major".

Captain I. J. Simpson, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 29th July, 1944.

Captain F. F. E. Polhill, M.C., and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant H. Waugh, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

Lieutenant J. E. Crisp, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant W. H. Sargent, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 5th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant G. G. W. Blandford, and is reposted to the Regiment of Royal N.Z. Artillery. Dated 9th May, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, Relinquishments of Temporary Rank, Relinquishments of Commissions, and Retirements of Officers of the New Zealand Military Forces

Army Department,
Wellington, 21st August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, promotions, relinquishments of temporary rank, relinquishments of commissions, and retirements of officers of the New Zealand Military Forces :—

N.Z. PERMANENT STAFF

Staff Sergeant Claude Ernest Burgess to be temp. Captain and Quartermaster whilst employed as an Area Quartermaster. Dated 16th July, 1944.

REGIMENT OF ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY

W.O. I (temp. Major and Quartermaster) J. F. Callagher relinquishes the temporary rank of Major and Quartermaster on relinquishing command of a battery, and assumes the temporary rank of Captain and Quartermaster. Dated 5th August, 1944.

N.Z. TEMPORARY STAFF

Temp. Major G. Crossley relinquishes the appointment of A.D.C. to the General Officer Commanding the N.Z. Military Forces, and the temporary rank of Major, and is reposted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, with the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 1st August, 1944.

Temp. Captain N. P. Pitcaithly, from the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant N. E. Cashmore to be temp. Lieutenant whilst employed as a Claims Officer. Dated 1st July, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant D. M. Soppet to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 10th August, 1944.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lieutenants :—

William Henderson Smail. Sidney Geoffrey Longuet.
Dated 1st August, 1944.

Edward John Lynch. Dated 21st August, 1944.

TERRITORIAL FORCE

N.Z. ARMoured CORPS

1st N.Z. Armoured Regiment

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant N. A. Wyatt relinquishes his commission on appointment to the Royal N.Z. Navy. Dated 13th January, 1944.

N.Z. ARTILLERY

The undermentioned temp. Lieutenants relinquish their commissions on appointment to commissions in the Royal N.Z. Air Force:—

A. J. C. Runciman. J. B. Mirams.
Dated 10th June, 1944.

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on appointment to the Royal N.Z. Navy:—

Temp. Lieutenants—
H. B. McKenzie. I. W. Gallaway.
Dated 25th November, 1943.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenants—
J. R. C. Thompson. Dated 10th August, 1943.
R. O. McKissock. Dated 19th August, 1943.
K. W. McBurney. Dated 23rd September, 1943.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant H. R. Cashmore relinquishes his commission. Dated 23rd September, 1942.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS

Temp. Lieutenant S. R. Mann is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 5th August, 1944.

N.Z. CORPS OF SIGNALS

Temp. Lieutenant A. A. Taylor to be temp. Captain. Dated 2nd April, 1944.

N.Z. INFANTRY

The Waikato Regiment

Temp. Captain O. J. Howarth to be temp. Major. Dated 28th June, 1944.

The Wellington West Coast Regiment

Captain P. O. S. Skoglund to be temp. Major. Dated 1st January, 1944.

The Hawke's Bay Regiment

Captain G. Burns to be temp. Major. Dated 12th October, 1943.

The Ruahine Regiment

Temp. Lieutenant-Colonel C. N. Devery, D.C.M., E.D., is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th August, 1944.

The Taranaki Regiment

Temp. Lieutenant L. V. Cosbrook is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 12th August, 1944.

The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment

Lieutenant C. L. Harper to be temp. Captain, and remains seconded. Dated 1st July, 1944.

The Southland Regiment

Captain W. I. Shrimpton to be temp. Major. Dated 25th July, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant S. J. Dawson relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 20th April, 1944.

Maori Battalion

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant K. T. Hetet is posted to the Retired List with the rank of 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 12th August, 1944.

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT

The Rev. M. H. Feist, Chaplain, 4th Class (Presbyterian), relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 15th April, 1944.

The Rev. Frank Ouseley Blake Lane to be Chaplain, 4th Class (Church of England). Dated 1st August, 1944.

N.Z. ARMY CORPS

Temp. Lieutenant B. C. Campbell relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 10th June, 1944.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS

Murray Alexander Falconer, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. (late Major, R.A.M.C.), to be Lieutenant, and is granted the temporary rank of Major. Dated 11th August, 1944.

Temp. Lieutenant R. H. Hill (Stretcher-bearer Officer), is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1944.

N.Z. DENTAL CORPS

Temp. Captain A. A. Lockett, B.D.S., is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 12th August, 1944.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE

Sister M. K. Lewis (née Wills) is posted to the Retired List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

OFFICERS CEASING TO BE SECONDED TO THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Murray, M.N.Z.I.S., M.Inst.H.E. (Lond.), Corps of N.Z. Engineers, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, with seniority from 4th November, 1942. Dated 14th July, 1944.

Major W. V. R. Fletcher, and is reposted to The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment with the rank of Major, with seniority from 12th May, 1936. Dated 6th August, 1944.

Major J. B. W. Robertson, D.S.O., M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S. (Eng.), M.R.C.P. (Lond.), N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 2nd March, 1942. Dated 10th August, 1944.

Major L. A. S. Ross, and is reposted to The Waikato Regiment with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 9th April, 1943. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Captain W. H. Simpson, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, and is retired. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Captain A. A. Lockett, B.D.S., N.Z. Dental Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 31st May, 1941. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) B. F. Welch, and is reposted to the 3rd N.Z. Armoured Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 11th December, 1942. Dated 24th October, 1943.

Lieutenant R. H. Hill (Stretcher-bearer Officer), N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 21st August, 1943. Dated 29th July, 1944.

Lieutenant S. R. Mann, Corps of N.Z. Engineers, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st July, 1943. Dated 6th August, 1944.

Lieutenant R. D. Dick, and is reposted to The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 27th January, 1944. Dated 9th August, 1944.

Lieutenant L. V. Cosbrook, and is reposted to The Taranaki Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 12th January, 1942. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Lieutenant A. R. Kirkham, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 27th January, 1944. Dated 14th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant A. M. R. Bliss, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 5th July, 1943. Dated 18th April, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant K. T. Hetet, and is reposted to the Maori Battalion with the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority from 4th April, 1942. Dated 12th August, 1944.

The Rev. A. D. Robertson, Chaplain, 4th Class (Presbyterian), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 27th June, 1942. Dated 16th July, 1944.

Sister M. K. Lewis (née Wills), N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 21st April, 1941. Dated 12th August, 1944.

OFFICERS STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH OF THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Captain E. Proctor, and is posted to The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own) with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 1st December, 1943. Dated 25th June, 1944.

Captain C. E. Burgess, and is reposted to the N.Z. Permanent Staff. Dated 15th July, 1944.

Captain J. H. R. Semple, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 5th August, 1944.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, dated 27th July, 1944, relative to Officers struck off the Strength of the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force, for "Lieutenant E. L. Prebble", substitute "Lieutenant F. L. Prebble".

Lieutenant K. O. Stewart, and is posted to the N.Z. Corps of Signals with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 16th February, 1943. Dated 28th July, 1944.

Lieutenant D. G. Coldwell, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 5th August, 1944.

Lieutenant E. V. R. Wyllie, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Lieutenant I. S. Robertson, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Lieutenant L. M. Atkinson, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

Lieutenant O. L. Roscoe, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 14th August, 1944.

Hon. Lieutenant W. G. Hill, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant H. L. Barrack, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 15th July, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (Acting-Lieutenant) J. E. Arbury, and is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant A. G. Pickering, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (Acting-Lieutenant) R. L. McIntyre, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, with the rank of 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 12th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant F. V. N. Beasley, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 12th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant C. W. Carter, D.C.M., and is posted to The Waikato Regiment with the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority from 9th January, 1943. Dated 12th August, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, Reduction, Transfers, and Relinquishment of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

Air Department,
Wellington, 17th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, reduction, transfers, and relinquishment of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH
Appointments

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Pilot Officer:—

As Pilots—

- Dated 12th April, 1944—
NZ 416493 Flight Sergeant Christopher Damer HOLT.
- Dated 7th May, 1944—
NZ 417060 Flight Sergeant Maurice Leslie HOLLAND.
- Dated 15th May, 1944—
NZ 42465 Flight Sergeant Sydney John SHORT.
NZ 421783 Flight Sergeant John Harry STAFFORD.
- Dated 16th May, 1944—
NZ 413472 Flight Sergeant Edwin Walter John POWE.
- Dated 17th May, 1944—
NZ 422410 Flight Sergeant Thomas Chamney JONES.
- Dated 1st June, 1944—
NZ 413891 Flight Sergeant John Robert PRYDE.
NZ 421053 Flight Sergeant Donald Fraser HOLDER.
NZ 413053 Warrant Officer Alan Vernon FREWER.
- Dated 9th June, 1944—
NZ 39589 Warrant Officer Henare Whakatau URU.
NZ 42393 Warrant Officer Douglas Hamilton GRAHAM.
- Dated 17th June, 1944—
NZ 413008 Warrant Officer Eric Sydney ARKINSTALL.
- Dated 22nd June, 1944—
NZ 424413 Flight Sergeant Robert George Ivan BLACKETT.
NZ 421399 Flight Sergeant Noel Varley SPANHAKE.
- Dated 24th June, 1944—
NZ 415303 Flight Sergeant Lionel Oscar EDWARDS.
- Dated 28th June, 1944—
NZ 424524 Flight Sergeant Alfred Gordon RUSSELL.
- Dated 30th June, 1944—
NZ 415283 Warrant Officer William Reginald BIRDLING.
NZC 427073 Flight Sergeant Wallace Vernon BUXTON.
- Dated 3rd July, 1944—
NZ 421790 Warrant Officer John Philip TARBUCK.
- Dated 13th July, 1944—
NZ 417081 Warrant Officer Patrick John McVERRY.

As Navigators—

- Dated 2nd June, 1944—
NZ 39982 Warrant Officer James Trevor AYTON.
- Dated 2nd July, 1944—
NZ 405348 Warrant Officer Maurice Newton WALKER.
- Dated 4th July, 1944—
NZ 427183 Flight Sergeant Lionel Basil BRIGGS.
- Dated 12th July, 1944—
NZ 413299 Flight Sergeant Ronald Callender McMILLAN.
- Dated 14th July, 1944—
NZC 437314 Sergeant Douglas John McCALL.
NZ 436710 Sergeant David Allan THOM.
NZC 433257 Sergeant Thomas Noel ELLERY.
NZC 433215 Sergeant David Allen ANDERSON.
NZ 4215084 Sergeant Ralph Arnold BRAY.
NZ 4210236 Sergeant Charles Andrew MORONEY.
NZ 431199 Sergeant John OSBORNE.
NZ 4215246 Sergeant Stephen Jack HILLS.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

- Dated 20th June, 1944—
NZ 403011 Warrant Officer Jack JONES.
- Dated 12th July, 1944—
NZ 413760 Warrant Officer Ronald Robert KERSEY.
- Dated 14th July, 1944—
NZ 436272 Sergeant Ronald Maddox Hector WEBBER.
NZ 431445 Sergeant Arthur Edward JENVEY.
NZC 433259 Sergeant John Barry FORD.
NZ 424779 Sergeant John Anthony Mason HASTINGS.
NZ 4213779 Sergeant Bryan Edward BELTON.

As Air Bombers—

- Dated 16th June, 1944—
NZ 427210 Flight Sergeant Mervyn Charles HOLLARD.
- Dated 14th July, 1944—
NZ 4214045 Sergeant David Vincent BARRY.
NZ 4211825 Sergeant Maurice Ian BISHOP.
NZ 439367 Sergeant Eric Morrison JONES.

As Air Gunner—

- Dated 14th July, 1944—
NZ 425220 Sergeant Jack BUTTERWORTH.

Promotions

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to be Squadron Leaders (*temp.*):—

- Dated 1st January, 1944—
John Noble MACKENZIE, D.F.C. Alan Antill GAWITH, D.F.C.
Ian Ronald Gow.
- Dated 6th June, 1944: Reginald William BAKER, D.F.C.
- Dated 1st July, 1944—
Basil Llewellyn WATKIN. Peter Sidley ANDERSON.
- Dated 2nd July, 1944: Stephen Delancy WATTS, D.S.O., D.F.C.
Flying Officer (Acting Flight Lieutenant) Douglas Walter Cocks to be Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) and to be Acting Squadron Leader (paid). Dated 1st July, 1944.
- The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Flight Lieutenants (*temp.*):—
- Dated 10th June, 1944: William Lister MILLER.
Dated 13th June, 1944: Bruce Gibb JOHNSTON (NZ 403150).
- Dated 19th June, 1944—
William Paul Nevill CLARKE. John Colin VOWLES.
- Dated 22nd June, 1944—
Brian Mark Livingstone TAPLEY. James Menzies SMITH, D.F.C.
- Dated 26th June, 1944—
Frank Desmond WIN. Harold Grey DOHERTY.
- Dated 28th June, 1944: Richard Stansfield Derek KEARNS, D.F.C., D.F.M.

- Dated 30th June, 1944—
John Donald RAE, D.F.C. Edward Haines BEABLE.
Graham Henry FISH.
- Dated 2nd July, 1944—
Arthur Gibson OSBORNE. Noel Ainsley CRESSWELL, D.F.C.
- Dated 3rd July, 1944—
Richard Maitland SINGER. Frederick James Malcolm PALMER.
James Roy CULLEN. Roland John CAMMOCK.
John Loftus SHANAHAN.
- Dated 4th July, 1944: Thomas Gilbert SULLIVAN.
- Dated 7th July, 1944—
Warren Edward SCHRADER, D.F.C. Hugh Colin KIMPTON.
- Dated 17th July, 1944: Thomas Erskine NEAVE.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers to be Flying Officers (*temp.*):—

- Dated 20th May, 1943: Alastair Grant CLEARY.
Dated 28th November, 1943: Luke BARNES.
Dated 23rd March, 1944: George Saunders McDONALD.
Dated 6th April, 1944: George Archibald GREGORY.
Dated 17th April, 1944: George Douglas LISTER.
- Dated 19th April, 1944—
Ernest Harry ANDREWS. James BAYLY.
- Dated 1st May, 1944: Adam Park CHISHOLM.
Dated 12th May, 1944: Robert Ranui BRADSHAW.
Dated 16th May, 1944: Maxwell Roy HARWOOD.
Dated 26th May, 1944: Francis Hamilton TIPPING.
Dated 29th May, 1944: Cedric Roland HOGAN.
Dated 7th June, 1944: Graham Thomas GOLLINS.
Dated 8th June, 1944: William Walter D'Arcy BRAIN.
Dated 9th June, 1944: Albert George CHATFIELD.
Dated 10th June, 1944: Peter GRANT.
Dated 13th June, 1944: Joseph Ronald VERITY.
Dated 14th June, 1944: Maurice JOHNSTON.
- Dated 16th June, 1944—
John Eustace JOHNSTON. Raymond Jack DANZEY.
Thomas Dennison ALTY. Kevin MCCARTHY.
Robert James WALLACE. George Richard McLAREN.
- Dated 17th June, 1944: Edward William Francis CLARKE.
- Dated 19th June, 1944—
Lawrence Edward DOVEY. Richard Colin FLOWER.
- Dated 20th June, 1944—
Claude Leslie GARNER. Hugh WYLLIE.
- Dated 21st June, 1944—
Francis Harold TURNER. Jack EMANUEL.
- Dated 23rd June, 1944—
Trevor Ernest WOODFIELD. Russell James SCOTT.
John Joseph LEECH. Herbert Patrick CREAN.
Reginald John SLY. Daniel Benjamin KENNEDY.
Royden Matthews JARRETT. Irvine Gordon MARTIN.
Joseph Ian JOLLEY. Walter Raymond Riggall NEAVE.
Jack Wilfrid PEAKE. Christopher James VALLANCE.
Allan Atholstan GERBIE. Noel Philip FIELDING.
Charles Laurence BROOMFIELD. Donald GORDON.
John Kendall MORRISON. Robert Ernest KENNEDY.
Edward Ralph PLOWMAN. Alexander Caithness MITCHELL.
Maurice James CRUTHERS. Owen Dallas PRATT.
Robert William HODGSON. William Francis GARLICK.
Bruce Fredric SCOTT. Neville Ernest FRESHNER.
Frederick Sinclair WILKINSON.
- Dated 24th June, 1944—
Gordon Morris COLDICOTT. John Plumer WALKER.
Edward Francis FENNESSY. John Douglas McPHAIL.
- Dated 27th June, 1944—
Brian Bartholomew GASCOIGNE. Thomas Frederick COLLETON.
- Dated 28th June, 1944—
Robert Ellis ROBINSON. Reginald Edward SKEN.

Dated 30th June, 1944—
 Mervyn James SPARKS. Charles Edwin WEINBERG.
 Malcolm Cyprian BRIDGE. John William RAMSDEN.
 Percy Charles BURROWS.

Dated 1st July, 1944—
 Alexander KANE. William Bagley SMAILL.
 Eric Thomas SCHMIDT.

Dated 2nd July, 1944—
 Charles Harold LUMSDEN. Kenneth George EDGINGTON.

Dated 3rd July, 1944 : Ronald Wright ALLAN.

Dated 5th July, 1944—
 Alister Keith SAUNDERS, D.F.C. Alfred John REDMAN.
 Wilfred John MYGIND.

Dated 6th July, 1944 : Frank Brewster LAWLESS.

Dated 8th July, 1944—
 Leo Alexander Charles RUSSELL. Frank Maurice SPEDDING.

Dated 9th July, 1944 : Herbert William Bernard PATTERSON.

Dated 10th July, 1944—
 Cyril William McCARDLE. William Harcourt JONES.

Transfers

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Administrative and Special Duties Branch to the General Duties Branch in their present rank. Dated 14th July, 1944 :—

- As Navigators—
 Pilot Officer Eric Charles Russell PENNALLIGEN.
 Pilot Officer Frank Lloyd CHAPMAN.
- As Wireless Operator/Air Gunner—
 Pilot Officer Harold Jack PRIOR.
- As Air Bomber—
 Pilot Officer John Duncan WHITE.
- As Air Gunner—
 Pilot Officer Loftus Bernard REA.

Reduction in Seniority

Pilot Officer John Stanley GILLAM was dealt with summarily under section 47 of the Air Force Act, and was sentenced to take rank and precedence as if his appointment as Pilot Officer bore date the 7th July, 1944. Dated 10th July, 1944.

Amendments

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 44, dated 1st June, 1944, page 633, under the heading "General Duties Branch, Appointments—As Navigator", relating to "NZ 2215 Flight Lieutenant Ian Ronald Gow", is amended to read "As Pilot".

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, dated 27th July, 1944, page 921, under the heading "General Duties Branch, Transfers—As Pilot", relating to "Pilot Officer Archibald Gerrard McLAUCHLAN", is amended to read "As Navigator".

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION I: EQUIPMENT OFFICERS

Relinquishment

Flying Officer Norman Raymond GUNN is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission. Dated 8th August, 1944.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION II: TECHNICAL OFFICERS

Promotions

The undermentioned Pilot Officers to be Flying Officers (temp.) :—

- Radar Duties—
 Dated 6th July, 1944—
 James Ferguson FRIS. David McWHA.
 Charles Douglas GEORGE. Weston Woods MAHOOD.
 Albert Edgar LARCOMBE. Owen James MORGAN.
 Lawrence Montague LAYZELL. Roger Allen STEWART.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment

NZ 2295 John Herbert KEMNITZ, on relinquishing his commission in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, is granted a temporary commission in the rank of Flying Officer with seniority as from 2nd July, 1942. Dated 1st January, 1944.

Promotion

Pilot Officer Hewton Oswald AMESS to be Flying Officer (temp.). Dated 8th June, 1944.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Appointments

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Flying Officer :—

- Dated 10th July, 1944.
 NZ 2272 Alan SMITH, M.B., Ch.B.
- Dated 17th July, 1944—
 NZ 2294 Anthony Crowley SANDSTON, M.B., Ch.B.
 NZ 2292 Sidney Caslake HAWES, M.B., Ch.B.
 NZ 2293 Robert Flaxley MULLIGAN, M.B., Ch.B.
- Dated 19th July, 1944—
 NZ 2296 Sholto Grant FARIS, M.B., Ch.B.

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant (Acting Squadron Leader) Gavin Hannay FORREST, M.B., Ch.B., to be Squadron Leader (temp.) and to be Acting Wing Commander (paid). Dated 10th July, 1944.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

Transfers

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class A, Section I :—

- Dated 5th August, 1944 : Flying Officer Gilbert Mackay HAASE.
- Dated 9th August, 1944 : Pilot Officer Lionel Grace MORAN.
- Dated 12th August, 1944—
 Flight Lieutenant Thomas Riddiford Martin WILLIS.
 Flying Officer Harry O'Brian LIVER, D.F.C.

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class B, Section I :—

- Dated 3rd August, 1944 : Flight Lieutenant Harold OWERS.
- Dated 7th August, 1944 : Flying Officer David BARNES.
- Dated 5th August, 1944 : Flying Officer Peter Gale HENRY.
- Dated 12th August, 1944 : Flying Officer Leonard Barrington FRANTICH.

Corrigenda

In the notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 57, dated 6th July, 1944, page 858, under the heading "Administrative and Special Duties Branch, Section II (A.T.C.)—Appointments", for "George Alexander MILLS", read "Gilbert Alexander MILLS".

In the notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, dated 13th April, 1944, page 361, under the heading "General Duties Branch, Appointments—As Pilot", relating to "NZ 416178 Flight Sergeant William Archibald STREEL", for "Dated 9th February, 1944", read "Dated 19th February, 1944".

In the notices appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 92, dated 15th October, 1942, page 2484, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Appointments", and the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 37, dated 20th July, 1943, page 549, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Promotions", relating to "Leonard Arthur KILGOUR", read "Leonard Alfred Arthur KILGOUR".

In the notices appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, dated 27th July, 1944, page 921, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Appointments", relating to the undermentioned officers—

- For "NZ 2186 Alexander Stewart BALLINGALL" read "NZ 2286 Alexander Stewart BALLINGALL".
- For "NZ 2185 Donald Fraser WILSON" read "NZ 2285 Donald Fraser WILSON".

In the notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, dated 27th July, 1944, page 921, under the heading "Administrative and Special Duties Branch—Appointment", relating to "NZ 2189 Claude Maurice Hoare BENNETT", read "NZ 2289 Claude Maurice Hoare BENNETT".

In the notices appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, dated 27th July, 1944, page 922, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Appointments", relating to the undermentioned officers—

- For "NZ 2187 Robert William STEELE" read "NZ 2287 Robert William STEELE".
- For "NZ 2188 Ronald William Arthur YORKE" read "NZ 2288 Ronald William Arthur YORKE".

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Honours and Awards approved by His Majesty the King

Office of the Minister of Defence,
 Wellington, 26th July, 1944.

HIS Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the following immediate appointment and award in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in operations against the enemy :—

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order

Wing Commander Charles William Kelvin Nicholls (RAF 34224), of England.

On the 9th February, 1944, Wing Commander Nicholls was appointed Officer Commanding, Royal New Zealand Air Force Fighter Wing, and Officer in Charge, Fighter Operations, Torokina. During the Japanese shelling of the Bougainville bridgehead between 8th March and 15th April, Wing Commander Nicholls earned unstinted praise from the United States Commanders for his masterly handling of the many squadrons, both Royal New Zealand Air Force and American, based on his airfield. Although constantly subjected to enemy fire, he showed complete disregard for his personal safety, and was always on the airfield when flying was in progress. It was due primarily to his untiring efforts that continued air operations against the enemy were possible from this base. Besides most efficiently carrying out his arduous duties as Controller of the Airfield, Wing Commander Nicholls took part in twenty-one operational missions against the enemy, most of them as leader of a fighter wing. Towards the latter part of his tour of duty, when enemy opposition had decreased, he was asked by the American authorities to fit bomb-racks to the Warhawk aircraft, and to train the Wing as fighter-bombers. The care and thought which he devoted to this task were shown in the high standard of bombing achieved. Wing Commander Nicholls himself led the first fighter-bomber mission against Rabaul and, although subjected to accurate and intense anti-aircraft fire, the attack was pressed home with conspicuous success. By his unyielding devotion to duty, cheerful demeanour, and complete disregard for his own personal safety Wing Commander Nicholls set a fine example which was a constant source of inspiration to the squadrons under his command, and by his efforts he organized, trained, and led a fighter-bomber wing of exceptionally high standard.

Distinguished Flying Cross

Flying Officer Albert Hart Robertson Zillwood (NZ 4310159), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Auckland.

This officer was the navigator of an aircraft detailed to attack a target at Nantes. Shortly after making the attack the aircraft sustained damage. The pilot was seriously injured and was unable to execute his duties. Despite his lack of experience the air bomber took over the controls, and with the assistance of Flying Officer Zillwood succeeded in flying the damaged aircraft to base. These members of the aircraft crew displayed exceptional coolness, great determination, and devotion to duty in most difficult circumstances. They have completed very many sorties against heavily defended targets in Germany.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in operations against the enemy:—

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order

Acting Wing Commander Roy Douglas Max. D.F.C. (NZ 2076), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Nelson.

Bar to Distinguished Flying Cross

Flight Lieutenant Arthur Ernest Umbers, D.F.C. (NZ 404003), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Dunedin.

Flying Officer Francis Emslie Hogg, D.F.C. (NZ 391383), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Masterton.

Distinguished Flying Cross

Acting Flight Lieutenant Eric Francis Witting (NZ 415212), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Invercargill.

Flying Officer James Gibson Gow (NZ 405053), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Levin.

Pilot Officer Alister Keith Saunders (NZ 403992), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Owaka.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Honours and Awards approved by His Majesty the King

Office of the Minister of Defence,
Wellington, 26th July, 1944.

HIS Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments, and to approve the following award:—

To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire

Acting Wing Commander John Joseph Busch (NZ 1132), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Palmerston North.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire

Acting Flight Lieutenant Frederick de Mulford Hyde, A.F.C. (NZ 1331), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Hamilton.

Flying Officer Ronald Robert Smith (NZ 30127), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Chatham Islands.

British Empire Medal

NZ 437053 Sergeant Ian William Walther, Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Wellington.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Award of a Foreign Decoration

Office of the Minister of Defence,
Wellington, 13th July, 1944.

HIS Majesty the King has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decoration conferred on the officer indicated in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with the war:—

CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Air Medal

Wing Commander George Henry Fisher (NZ 1116), Royal New Zealand Air Force, of Auckland.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Visiting Justice appointed

Prisons Department,
Wellington, 17th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

John Wright Durward, Esquire, J.P.,

to be a Visiting Justice to the Hautu and Rangipo Prisons.

H. G. R. MASON, Minister of Justice.

Coroner appointed

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Herbert Jeatt Highan, Esquire, J.P.,
of Marton, to be a Coroner for the Dominion of New Zealand.

H. G. R. MASON, Minister of Justice.

Officer of Police Force appointed

Police Department,
Wellington, 17th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Sub-Inspector Henry John Joyce
to be an Inspector in the New Zealand Police Force, the appointment to take effect on and from 1st July, 1944.

P. C. WEBB,
Minister in Charge of Police Department.

Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 8th August, 1944.

BY virtue of the powers conferred on me by the Maori Births and Deaths Registration Regulations 1935, I hereby appoint

John Isbister

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Opotiki, on and from the 19th day of July, 1944.

P. H. WYLDE, Deputy Registrar-General.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th August, 1944.

IT is hereby notified that the following appointments have been made:—

Elva Jean Linklater (Miss)

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Gore at Riversdale, on and from the 25th day of July, 1944.

Samuel Eoin Percy

to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Dargaville, on and from the 18th day of August, 1944.

William Marsh

to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Dargaville, on and from the 26th day of August, 1944.

John Thomas Harraway

to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Whangaroa, on and from the 20th day of July, 1944.

Albert Errol Crimp

to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Invercargill, on and from the 10th day of August, 1944.

P. H. WYLDE, Deputy Registrar-General.

Appointments in the Public Service

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 21st August, 1944.

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

Albert Murray Kennedy

to be Crier at Wellington of the Supreme Court of New Zealand for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, on and from the 21st day of July, 1944.

John Thomas Harraway

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Kaeo, on and from the 20th day of July, 1944.

Allan Bruce

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Murchison, on and from the 22nd day of July, 1944.

Willie James Millner

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Kaikoura, on and from the 27th day of July, 1944.

Samuel Eoin Percy

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Dargaville, on and from the 18th day of August, 1944.

William Marsh

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Dargaville, on and from the 26th day of August, 1944.

L. A. ATKINSON, Secretary.

Requisitioning Two Drums of Motor-spirit in Possession of the Police at Auckland

PURSUANT to Regulation 4 of the Supply Control Emergency Regulations 1939, Amendment No. 1,* the Minister of Supply and Munitions hereby requisitions the motor-spirit, and the two 44-gallon drums in which it is contained, at present in the possession of the Police Department, Auckland, in connection with the recent prosecution of Rufus Rehu and Paul Rauhu, and directs that the motor-spirit be used in motor-vehicles controlled by the Police Department.

Dated at Wellington, this 14th day of August, 1944.

D. G. SULLIVAN, Minister of Supply and Munitions.

* Statutory Regulations 1940, Serial number 1940/121, page 430.

Notice of Intention to take Land for a Public Work

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1928, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for a public work: And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Tikitiki and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the 29th day of August, 1944, to the Minister of Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken: 32 perches.

Being Tikitiki C 2 Block.

Situated in Block VI, Waiapu Survey District.

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 119824, deposited in the office of the Minister of Works at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1944.

R. SEMPLE, Minister of Works.

(P.W. 28/31/4.)

Constituting a Recognized Aviation Authority

Office of the Minister of Defence,
Wellington, 17th August, 1944.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by section 3 of the Local Authorities Empowering (Aviation Encouragement) Act, 1929, I, Frederick Jones, Minister of Defence for the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby recognize, for the purposes of that Act, the undermentioned Aviation Authority:—

The Timaru Borough Council.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

The Balclutha Milk Delivery Notice 1944

PURSUANT to Regulation 4 of the Delivery Emergency Regulations 1942,* the Minister of Transport doth hereby give notice as follows:—

1. This notice may be cited as the Balclutha Milk Delivery Notice 1944.

2. This notice shall come into force on the day after the date of publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

3. The scheme set out in the Schedule hereto is hereby provided for the district described in the said Schedule.

4. The Balclutha Milk Delivery Notice 1943† is hereby consequentially revoked.

SCHEDULE

THE BALCLOUTHA MILK DELIVERY SCHEME, 1944

(1) FOR the purposes of this scheme, unless the context otherwise requires,—

“The district” means all that area forming the Borough of Balclutha as at present constituted (including the Balclutha Hospital), the adjacent area to the south of the borough known as Rosebank, and the Township of Benhar.

(2) The names of the vendors who are parties to this scheme and the areas in which they may deliver milk are as follows:—

Name.	Area.
R. E. B. Johnstone, Balclutha ..	The whole of the district.
F. W. Sell, Balclutha ..	The whole of the district.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1944.

JAS. O'BRIEN, Minister of Transport.

(TT. 33/53.)

* Statutory Regulations 1942, Serial number 1942/191, page 465.
† *Gazette*, 13th January, 1944, page 12.

The Invercargill Milk Delivery Scheme, 1941, Amendment No. 3

PURSUANT to the Delivery Emergency Regulations 1942,* the Minister of Transport doth hereby give notice as follows:—

1. This notice may be cited as the Invercargill Milk Delivery Scheme, 1941, Amendment No. 3, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Invercargill Milk Delivery Scheme, 1941† (hereinafter referred to as “the principal scheme”).

2. Clause 3 of the principal scheme, as substituted by the Invercargill Milk Delivery Scheme, 1941, Amendment No. 2, is hereby amended by revoking the name “F. J. Woodfield” (relating to deliveries in the zone numbered 1), and substituting therefor the name “R. J. Logan.”

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1944.

JAS. O'BRIEN, Minister of Transport.

(TT. 33/43.)

* Statutory Regulations 1942, Serial number 1942/191, page 465.
† *Gazette*, 1st May, 1941, page 1089.
Amendment No. 1: *Gazette*, 18th May, 1944, page 583.
Amendment No. 2: *Gazette*, 6th July, 1944, page 359.

The Stratford Milk Delivery Notice 1942, Amendment No. 1

PURSUANT to the Delivery Emergency Regulations 1942,* the Minister of Transport doth hereby give notice as follows:—

1. This notice may be cited as the Stratford Milk Delivery Notice 1942, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Stratford Milk Delivery Notice 1942† (hereinafter referred to as “the principal scheme”).

2. Clause 6 of the principal scheme is hereby amended by revoking the words “G. Henry, Stratford,” and substituting the words “N. C. Meuli, Stratford.”

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1944.

JAS. O'BRIEN, Minister of Transport.

(TT. 33/50.)

* Statutory Regulations 1942, Serial number 1942/191, page 465.
† *Gazette*, 12th November, 1942, page 2741.

Exemption Order under the Transport Legislation Emergency Regulations 1940

PURSUANT to the Transport Legislation Emergency Regulations 1940, the Minister of Transport doth hereby order and declare that the provisions of clause (1) of Regulation 7 of the Motor-drivers Regulations 1940, so far as they relate to the driving of heavy trade motors, shall not apply to the person hereinafter mentioned, but in lieu thereof the following provision shall apply:—

A motor-driver's license issued under the Motor-drivers Regulations 1940 to the person described in Column 1 of the Schedule hereunder may authorize him to drive a heavy trade motor for the purpose of the business of the respective employer described in Column 2 of the said Schedule, but shall not authorize him, while he is under the age of eighteen years, to drive a heavy trade motor for any other purpose.

SCHEDULE

Column 1 (Driver).	Column 2 (Employer).
Henry Kelvin Garth Copland, Ashburton	H. M. Copland (Father).

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1944.

JAS. O'BRIEN, Minister of Transport.

Exemption Order under the Transport Legislation Emergency Regulations 1940

PURSUANT to the Transport Legislation Emergency Regulations 1940, the Minister of Transport doth hereby order and declare that the provisions of clause (1) of Regulation 7 of the Motor-drivers Regulations 1940, so far as they relate to the driving of heavy trade motors, shall not apply to the persons hereinafter mentioned, but in lieu thereof the following provision shall apply:—

A motor-driver's license issued under the Motor-drivers Regulations 1940 to any one of the persons described in Column 1 of the Schedule hereunder may authorize him to drive a heavy trade motor for the purpose of the business of the respective employer described in Column 2 of the said Schedule, but shall not authorize him, while he is under the age of eighteen years, to drive a heavy trade motor for any other purpose.

SCHEDULE

Column 1 (Driver).	Column 2 (Employer).
John Maxwell Mehrrens, Waitoa ..	.. .. Father.
John Hugh Moffatt, Otaki Railway ..	.. .. Father.

Dated at Wellington, this 11th day of August, 1944.

JAS. O'BRIEN, Minister of Transport.

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of a Discharged Serviceman

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable or adaptable for the settlement of a discharged serviceman:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 20th day of July, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land:

And whereas an appeal from the said Order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act:

And whereas the said appeal was subsequently withdrawn:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Roberts, for the Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of a discharged serviceman, and I hereby specify the 25th day of August, 1944, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT

ALL that parcel of land containing forty-nine (49) acres three (3) roods and thirty-seven and two-tenths (37.2) perches, more or less, being part of Horowhenua 14, and being also Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9) on Deposited Plan No. 2463, Block V, Waiopahu Survey District, and being all of the land comprised and described in certificate of title, Vol. 238, folio 191 (Wellington Registry).

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

B. ROBERTS,
For the Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/39.)

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of Discharged Servicemen

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable or adaptable for the settlement of discharged servicemen:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 3rd day of August, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land and no appeal from the said order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act or within any further time allowed by the Court:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

Now, therefore, I, Clarence Farringdon Skinner, Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of discharged servicemen, and I hereby specify the 18th day of August, 1944, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT

ALL those parcels of land containing together one thousand five hundred and thirty-six (1,536) acres two (2) roods twenty (20) perches, more or less, being parts of Sections Four (4), Seventy-three (73), Seventy-four (74), Block III, Sections Seven (7), Twelve (12), parts of Sections Six (6), Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Block IV, Sections One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Nine (9), Block XI, parts of Sections One (1), Three (3), One Thousand Two Hundred and Twelve R (1212R), Block XII, and Section One Thousand Two Hundred and Thirteen R (1213R), Blocks IV and XII, Hillend Survey District, and being all of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 242, folio 289 (Otago Registry).

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/26.)

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of a Discharged Serviceman

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable for the settlement of a discharged serviceman:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 3rd day of August, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land and no appeal from the said order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act or within any further time allowed by the Court:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

Now, therefore, I, Clarence Farringdon Skinner, Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of a discharged serviceman, and I hereby specify the 11th day of September, 1944, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT

ALL that parcel of land containing seventy-eight (78) acres, more or less, being Lot Six (6) on Deposited Plan No. 15740, portion of Allotment Sixty (60) of the Parish of Karaka, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title Vol. 616, folio 77 (Auckland Registry).

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/70.)

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of a Discharged Serviceman

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable for the settlement of a discharged serviceman:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 10th day of July, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land:

And whereas an appeal from the said Order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act:

And whereas the said appeal was subsequently withdrawn:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Roberts, for the Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of a discharged serviceman, and I hereby specify the 1st day of February, 1945, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT

ALL those parcels of land containing two hundred and fifty-two (252) acres three (3) roods and five and seven-tenths (5.7) perches, more or less, being Sections Eight (8), Block IV, Takapau Survey District, and One (1), Block IV, Takapau Survey District (Hatuma Settlement), and being all the land comprised in certificates of title, Vol. 104, folio 110, and Vol. 105, folio 51 (Hawke's Bay Registry).

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

B. ROBERTS,
For the Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/49.)

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of a Discharged Serviceman

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable for the settlement of a discharged serviceman:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 12th day of July, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land and no appeal from the said order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act or within any further time allowed by the Court:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

And whereas the said land is subject to a lease dated the 26th day of August, 1942, from Martin Leo O'Neill, of Hastings, Farmer, to William James Hirst, of Hastings, Farmer, and Noel Herbert Wilson, of Hastings, Printer, for a term of three (3) years from 1st September, 1942:

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Roberts, for the Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of a discharged serviceman, and I hereby specify the 15th day of September, 1944, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT

ALL that parcel of land containing thirteen (13) acres one (1) rood twenty-two (22) perches, more or less, being Lot Thirteen (13) on Deposited Plan No. 4158, part of Heretaunga Block, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 18, folio 256 (Hawke's Bay Registry), subject to the fencing covenant contained in Transfer No. 45104, and also subject to the aforementioned lease dated 26th day of August, 1942, from Martin Leo O'Neill, of Hastings, Farmer, to William James Hirst, of Hastings, Farmer, and Noel Herbert Wilson, of Hastings, Printer.

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

B. ROBERTS,
For the Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/50.)

The Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943.—Notice declaring Land taken for the Settlement of a Discharged Serviceman

WHEREAS an application has been made for the consent of the Land Sales Court to a transaction which relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto and to which Part III of the Servicemen's Settlement and Land Sales Act, 1943, applies:

And whereas the Land Sales Committee to which the application has been referred is of opinion that the land to which the application relates is farm land suitable for the settlement of a discharged serviceman:

And whereas the said committee, not being satisfied that the Crown had decided not to acquire or arrange for the acquisition of the land, did on the 10th day of July, 1944, make an order determining the basic value of the land:

And whereas an appeal from the said Order was made within the time prescribed by the said Act:

And whereas the said appeal was subsequently withdrawn:

And whereas the said land is not the land of any serviceman who is for the time being serving outside New Zealand in any of His Majesty's Forces or in any British ship:

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Roberts, for the Minister of Lands, acting in pursuance of section 51 of the said Act, do hereby declare that the said land is taken for the settlement of a discharged serviceman, and I hereby specify the 1st day of February, 1945, as the date on which the said land shall be deemed to be vested in His Majesty the King.

SCHEDULE

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT

ALL those parcels of land containing three hundred and seventy-eight (378) acres and twenty-four and two-tenths (24.2) perches, more or less, being Sections Nine (9), Block IV, Takapau Survey District, and Fifteen (15), Block I, Motuotaraia Survey District (Hatuma Settlement), and being all the land comprised in certificates of title, Vol. 104, folio 86, and Vol. 104, folio 164 (Hawke's Bay Registry).

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of August, 1944.

B. ROBERTS,
For the Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 36/1444/48.)

Notice of Adoption under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1931

Tokerau Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 31st July, 1944.

IT is hereby notified that the order of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder has been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE

ADOPTING parents: Ahitapi Ngaika and Iritana Ngaika.
Adopted child: Tawhaki Ngaika.

Whakaatu tangohanga Tamaiti Whangai i raro o Wahi IX o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori, Tokerau,
Akarana, 31 o Hurae, 1944.

HE whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hangaia e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931, etahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o tetahi tamaiti whangai e whakaaturia nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro nei.

TE RAPIHANA, Kai-rehita.

KUPU APITI

NGA matua whangai: Ahitapi Ngaika me Iritana Ngaika.
Tamaiti whangai: Tawhaki Ngaika.

Notice of Adoptions under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1931

Tokerau Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 8th August, 1944.

IT is hereby notified that the orders of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder have been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON, Registrar.

Whakaatu tangohanga Tamariki Whangai i raro o Wahi IX o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori, Tokerau,
Akarana, 8 o Akuhata, 1944.

HE whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hangaia e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931, etahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o etahi tamariki whangai, e whakaaturia nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro nei.

TE RAPIHANA, Kai-rehita.

SCHEDULE (KUPU APITI)

Nama. (No.)	Nga matua Whangai (Adopting Parents).	Tamariki Whangai (Adopted Children).
1292/BI	Frank Bennett and Birdie Bennett	Wallace Johnson, <i>alias</i> Warahi Johnson.
1255/BI	Hori Heke and Ani Hori Heke	Whakapuawaitanga Tama Heke, <i>alias</i> Puawai Tama Heke.

Notice of Adoption under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1931

Waikato-Maniapoto Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 8th August, 1944.

IT is hereby notified that the order of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder has been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1931.

J. H. ROBERTSON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE

ADOPTING parents: Wiremu Tauariki and Makehu Tauariki.
Adopted child: Rangituturu Patena.

Whakaatu tangohanga Tamaiti Whangai i raro o Wahi IX o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori, Waikato-Maniapoto,
Akarana, 8 o Akuhata, 1944.

HE whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hangaia e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931, etahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o tetahi tamaiti whangai e whakaaturia nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro nei.

TE RAPIHANA, Kai-rehita.

KUPU APITI

NGA matua whangai: Wiremu Tauariki me Makehu Tauariki.
Tamaiti whangai: Rangituturu Patena.

Notice of Adoptions under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1931

Wairariki Native Land Court Office,
Rotorua, 24th July, 1944.

IT is hereby notified that the orders of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder have been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1931.

J. J. DILLON, Deputy Registrar.

Whakaatu tangohanga Tamariki Whangai i raro o Wahi IX o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori, Wairariki,
Rotorua, 24 o nga ra o Hurae, 1944.

HE whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hanga e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931, etahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o etahi tamariki whangai e whakaaturia nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro nei.

HONE TIRONA, Kai-rehita Riiwhi.

SCHEDULE (KUPU APITI)

Adopting Parents (Nga matua Whangai).	Adopted Children (Tamariki Whangai).
Tai Paul and (raua ko) Lena Mavis Paul	Makereti Henriette Harman, hereafter to be called (a muri nei ingoatia) Makereti Henriette Paul.
Patrick Barlow and (raua ko) Kura Barlow	Edward Pitiroi Barlow.
Te Rire Whititera and (raua ko) Paretaihinu Whititera	Wharerakau Rangi Haa, hereafter to be called (a muri nei ingoatia) Wharerakau Whiti-tera.
Watene Puketoki Ruha and (raua ko) Kararaina Takimoana Ruha	John Muturangi, hereafter to be called (a muri nei ingoatia) John Ruha.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Election to administer Estates

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth:—

No.	Name.	Occupation.	Residence.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Penney, George Leslie	Storekeeper	Mangonui	29/9/16	7/8/44	Intestate <i>de bonis non</i>	Auckland.
2	Arlidge, Frederick Joseph	Labourer	Waipukurau	15/7/44	11/8/44	Testate	Napier.
3	Auckram, Edward Henry	"	Blockhouse Bay	15/3/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
4	Bell, Elizabeth Johnstone	Married woman	Rangiwaea	9/6/44	11/8/44	Testate	Wellington.
5	Bell, Ellen	Widow	Kiritihere	23/7/44	11/8/44	"	Auckland.
6	Casey, Margaret	"	Invercargill	4/7/44	11/8/44	"	Invercargill.
7	Clark, Fraser Dudley	Clerk (airman)	Wanganui	22/8/43	11/8/44	"	Wellington.
8	Delaney, John Joseph	Retired miner	Frankton Junction	20/6/44	11/8/44	"	Auckland.
9	Ellis, Raymond Arthur	Factory hand (soldier)	Auckland	15/10/42	11/8/44	"	"
10	Fowler, Joseph Llewellyn	Hotelkeeper	Hokitika	28/6/42	11/8/44	"	Hokitika.
11	Gardner, Blanche Amelia	Married woman	Trentham	9/7/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Wellington.
12	Gidney, Olive Barbara	Widow	Auckland	30/6/44	11/8/44	Testate	Auckland.
13	Harder, Robert	Carpenter (airman)	Westport	3/10/43	11/8/44	"	Hokitika.
14	Hardie, Edith Jean	Married woman	Christchurch	8/6/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Christchurch.
15	Holden, Frederick Augustus	Gardener	Auckland	9/5/44	11/8/44	Testate	Auckland.
16	Lightband, Charles Davis	Retired merchant	Tahunanui	21/7/44	11/8/44	"	Nelson.
17	Logie, James Munro	Gardener	Hamilton	8/5/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
18	Mahoney, Hanna Mary	Widow	Wanganui	10/6/44	11/8/44	Testate	New Plymouth.
19	McKenzie, Mary Isabella	"	Devonport	20/5/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
20	McLeod, Mary Agnes	"	Onehunga	26/6/44	11/8/44	Testate	"
21	Nelson, Arthur Henry	Farmer (formerly butcher)	Korakonui (formerly Stratford)	12/6/44	11/8/44	"	"
22	Nelson, John	Labourer	Greymouth	21/6/44	11/8/44	"	Hokitika.
23	Newburn, Ann	Spinster	Kaitangata	25/5/44	11/8/44	Intestate	Dunedin.
24	Sampson, Douglas John	Implement-manufacturer (airman)	Ngaruawahia	11/4/44	11/8/44	Testate	Auckland.
25	Scott, Catherine	Married woman	Auckland	1/7/44	11/8/44	"	"
26	Thompson, Mary Eleanor (sometimes known as Mary Ellenor Thompson)	Widow	Dunedin	11/7/44	11/8/44	"	Dunedin.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 14th August, 1944.

W. G. BAIRD, Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Election to administer Estates

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth:—

No.	Name.	Occupation.	Residence.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Agar, Keith Trevor	Civil servant (soldier)	Lyttelton	17/3/44	18/8/44	Testate	Christchurch.
2	Braid, John Verdun	A minor	Invercargill	27/7/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Invercargill.
3	Brennan, Phillip Godfrey	Retired clerk	Wanganui	9/7/44	18/8/44	"	Wellington.
4	Brown, John Atkinson	School-teacher (sailor)	Carterton	10/8/43	18/8/44	Testate	"
5	Conway, Francis James	Labourer	Auckland	18/7/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
6	Davis, George Richard Adam	"	Hamilton	24/7/44	18/8/44	Testate	"
7	Derrick, Allan James	Joiner-linesman (soldier)	Gore	19/3/44	18/8/44	"	Invercargill.
8	Flahavin, John Ambrose	Retired clerk	Taihape	20/5/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Wellington.
9	Fleet, Sarah Wilson	Widow	Christchurch	15/6/44	18/8/44	"	Christchurch.
10	Helean, Huia Cecil	Labourer (soldier)	Dunedin	9/7/44	18/8/44	"	Dunedin.
11	Hickey, Thomas	Labourer	Wairoa	6/4/44	18/8/44	"	Gisborne.
12	Le Masurier, Clement	Retired stonemason	Waimate (formerly Geraldine)	11/7/44	18/8/44	Testate	Christchurch.
13	Lewis, Charles Robert	Waterside worker	Auckland	23/10/35	18/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
14	Orme, Selwyn Charles	Grocer (airman)	Woodville	7/11/42	18/8/44	"	Napier.
15	Parker, Wilfrid Athol Rolf	Farmer (soldier)	Waharoa	15/10/42	18/8/44	Testate	Auckland.
16	Parr, Celia	Spinster	Napier	27/6/44	18/8/44	"	Napier.
17	Phillips, Edward Llewellyn	Retired waiter	Auckland	27/4/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Auckland.
18	Phillips, Lawrence Edward	Paper storeman (soldier)	Wellington	17/3/44	18/8/44	Testate	Wellington.
19	Purcivall, John William	Lorry-driver (airman)	New Plymouth	22/9/42	18/8/44	Intestate	New Plymouth.
20	Reynolds, Catherine Virginia	Married woman	Whangarei	24/7/44	18/8/44	Testate	Auckland.
21	Ross, Stanley David	Plumber (airman)	Wellington	26/7/42	18/8/44	"	Wellington.
22	Smith, Charles Bradlaugh	Retired coal-miner	Pukemiro	2/7/44	18/8/44	"	Auckland.
23	Thompson, Isaac	Retired miner	Cromwell	1/5/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Dunedin.
24	Wallace, John David	Civil servant (sailor)	Wellington	1/12/43	18/8/44	"	Wellington.
25	Welsh, Peter	Sheep-drover	Albury	22/7/44	18/8/44	Testate	Christchurch
26	Williams, Charles	Labourer	Auckland	18/6/44	18/8/44	Intestate	Auckland

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 21st August, 1944.

W. G. BAIRD, Public Trustee.

Notices under the Regulations Act, 1936

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NEW ZEALAND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE

Summary of the Records of Temperature, Rainfall, and Sunshine for July, 1944

Station.	Height of Station above M.S.L.	Air Temperatures in Degrees (Fahrenheit).							Rainfall in inches.					Bright Sunshine (Hours).	
		Means of		Mean of A and B.	Difference from Normal.	Absolute Maximum and Minimum.			Total Fall.	No. of Wet Days.	Difference from Normal.	Most in a Day.			
		A Max.	B Min.			Maximum.	Date.	Minimum.				Date.	Amount.		Date.
	Ft.	°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	In.	In.						
Te Pahi, Te Hapua ..	200	59.8	45.2	52.5	(+0.1)	63.0	14,15, 18	33.0	7	6.41	18	..	2.06	15	140.7
Waipapakauri ..	6	60.0	44.0	52.0	..	62.8	16	30.2	4	3.42	17	..	1.05	15	..
Waipoua State Forest ..	225	58.6	42.7	50.6	+1.3	63.6	16	30.4	5	7.20	17	(-0.28)	2.38	15	118.2
Dargaville ..	3	59.2	41.6	50.4	..	64.0	17	27.7	5	3.28	20	..	0.74	15	134.5
Riverhead ..	105	57.8	38.8	48.3	+0.1	65.0	16	25.2	6	3.03	18	..	0.65	15	..
Auckland ..	160	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maioro ..	172	57.1	41.7	49.4	..	60.8	16	29.7	7	5.48	15	..	1.75	15	..
Waihi ..	404	56.0	40.1	48.0	+0.6	64.0	31	26.0	7	9.60	19	-0.30	2.10	15	128.0
Wharekawa Nursery, Whangamata	50	57.9	39.7	48.8	(-0.4)	65.0	31	29.0	26	7.40	18	..	1.83	30	..
Te Aroha ..	46	57.7	38.2	48.0	-0.6	67.5	16	23.0	26	4.22	16	-2.48	0.85	15	..
Tauranga ..	10	57.1	39.8	48.4	-0.1	63.5	17	30.4	3	5.08	18	+0.06	0.97	30	144.4
Ruakura Farm, Hamilton	131	56.4	37.0	46.7	-0.2	63.9	31	23.0	7	4.42	16	-0.54	1.22	15	108.4
Rotoehu Plantation ..	235	56.0	35.7	45.8	(+0.4)	61.2	17	24.8	2	7.24	19	..	1.84	15	..
Rotorua ..	931	54.4	37.2	45.8	+0.1	60.4	17	27.0	2, 7	7.28	17	+2.35	2.25	15	114.1
Whakarewarewa ..	1,000	53.6	35.7	44.6	-0.3	59.8	17	25.0	2	6.64	14	+2.09	2.07	15	..
Gisborne ..	12	57.2	39.9	48.6	(+1.3)	65.0	15	30.8	13	3.45	17	(-0.91)	1.34	23	131.9
Onepoto, Lake Waikaremoana	2,110	47.9	38.1	43.0	(+1.1)	56.1	31	28.8	2	7.99	18	(-1.41)	2.49	23	..
New Plymouth (Marsland Hill)	160	54.8	43.3	49.0	+0.2	59.9	17	31.0	2	6.42	15	+0.11	1.46	15	121.7
Chateau Tongariro ..	3,670	44.0	30.7	37.4	(+2.3)	53.0	12	19.0	2	7.61	19	..	1.64	15	..
Karioi ..	2,125	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2.66	15	(-1.80)	0.48	1	..
Napier ..	5	55.7	38.8	47.2	+0.5	63.0	19	30.1	13	2.58	11	-1.08	0.60	15	138.7
Hastings ..	45	58.1	36.1	47.1	+2.2	66.0	29, 30	24.0	2	2.35	10	(-1.29)	0.60	15	..
Taihape ..	2,157	48.6	36.8	42.7	+1.3	59.2	12	26.8	2	2.47	20	-0.49	0.54	21	..
Wanganui ..	72	54.4	41.2	47.8	(+0.6)	65.7	31	30.2	6	2.79	15	-0.46	0.63	16	110.8
Tangimoana ..	8	54.6	39.4	47.0	+0.8	64.0	31	29.5	7	2.68	16	-0.22	0.67	16	..
Ohakea ..	167	54.4	40.4	47.4	..	63.7	31	30.3	2	3.00	17	..	0.69	16	..
Plant Research Bureau, Palmerston North	110	53.5	38.7	46.1	+0.7	61.0	11	27.5	2	1.67	14	(-1.59)	0.46	15	99.9
Pahiatua ..	384	53.3	37.6	45.4	+1.2	62.4	14	26.1	7	3.11	15	-1.79	0.97	15	..
Kapiti Island ..	44	52.6	44.2	48.4	+0.6	59.0	15, 30, 31	37.0	25	4.34	13	+0.52	1.58	15	..
Waingawa, Masterton	350	53.2	36.8	45.0	+0.7	63.0	30	27.0	26, 27	4.23	12	-0.06	1.18	15	100.6
Wallaceville ..	195	53.4	38.4	45.9	..	62.5	15	26.0	7, 25	4.93	18	(-0.23)	1.69	15	87.4
Wellington ..	415	51.4	42.4	46.9	+0.5	59.6	15	34.0	25	5.50	18	+0.63	1.77	15	83.8
Nelson ..	24	54.7	39.2	47.0	+1.7	60.0	15, 21	26.6	2	5.27	13	+1.87	1.66	15	143.4
Appleby, Nelson ..	57	53.5	37.8	45.6	(+0.7)	58.8	21	27.6	2	4.52	13	(+1.26)	1.49	15	..
Blenheim ..	60	54.4	33.7	44.0	(+0.2)	61.8	12	21.3	2	2.67	11	+0.00	1.18	15	134.3
Woodbourne Aerodrome	89	55.0	35.9	45.4	..	62.1	11	27.3	5	3.36	9	..	1.53	15	..
Golden Downs ..	900	51.5	32.2	41.8	+0.9	57.0	12	19.0	6	5.41	11	..	1.97	15	..
Waihopai ..	860	53.5	34.2	43.8	+1.7	62.2	11	23.8	7	4.34	11	(+1.64)	2.03	15	..
Westport ..	23	52.4	41.9	47.2	(+0.1)	57.0	18	34.0	6	9.06	19	+2.55	1.75	29	111.2
Molesworth Station ..	2,930	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hanmer Springs ..	1,225	48.4	30.6	39.5	+0.9	60.0	14	16.2	6	3.48	12	-0.87	1.40	15	90.3
Balmoral ..	743	50.0	32.3	41.2	+1.0	62.5	14	16.0	6	2.11	14	(+0.03)	0.79	15	..
Hokitika ..	12	53.6	38.3	46.0	+1.3	59.6	31	30.0	2, 3	16.34	15	+7.75	3.76	14	115.7
Lake Coleridge ..	1,220	48.3	30.9	39.6	+0.5	58.8	14	17.8	6	5.12	10	+2.19	1.60	7	..
Darfield ..	640	49.1	32.9	41.0	(+0.0)	64.0	11	23.8	6	2.25	9	+0.06	0.90	15	..
Christchurch ..	22	50.3	34.8	42.6	+0.3	61.2	11	25.2	1	1.51	11	-1.35	0.36	15	..
Wigram Aerodrome, Sockburn	74	51.0	34.5	42.8	(+0.3)	62.0	11	23.9	6	1.49	11	..	0.45	15	87.1
Rudstone, Methven ..	1,217	48.2	35.8	42.0	+1.0	60.8	14	27.1	6	3.62	9	+0.73	1.70	15	114.0
Lincoln ..	36	50.4	33.8	42.1	-0.6	59.0	11, 14	21.2	6	1.83	12	-0.95	0.70	15	89.8
Akaroa (Onawe, Duvau-chelle's Bay)	150	50.6	39.9	45.2	(+0.2)	59.8	9	31.0	6	4.20	14	..	1.16	2	67.2
Hermitage, Mount Cook	2,510	43.6	28.1	35.8	(+2.3)	59.0	12	18.0	24	9.93	8	+1.64	3.00	8	80.5
Ashburton ..	323	50.7	32.6	41.6	+1.2	64.3	11	20.0	6	2.21	10	-0.56	1.15	15	98.2
Lake Tekapo ..	2,350	42.1	26.0	34.0	+0.2	56.5	8	16.5	6	1.09	4	..	0.67	14	119.4
Jacksons Bay ..	22	52.1	40.2	46.2	(+1.0)	55.5	30	31.9	1	17.54	17	..	4.11	14	..
Fairlie ..	1,000	46.6	25.9	36.2	-1.1	60.0	11	14.0	6, 7	1.94	9	(-0.75)	0.70	14	122.5
Timaru ..	56	48.9	34.1	41.5	+0.1	61.2	11	25.6	6	1.74	9	-0.04	0.87	15	112.2
Waimate ..	200	51.2	35.4	43.3	+1.3	65.5	11	26.0	6	1.60	10	-0.39	0.65	17	109.5
Milford Sound ..	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queenstown ..	1,110	47.3	32.9	40.1	+2.6	56.8	11	25.8	6	1.84	9	-0.14	0.64	6, 9	82.1
Ophir ..	1,000	46.7	28.5	37.6	+3.4	57.5	10, 11	14.5	6	0.89	7	+0.11	0.54	14	..
Waipiata ..	1,550	44.7	30.4	37.6	+1.7	54.8	9	19.6	6	0.78	8	(-0.31)	0.52	14	122.4
Alexandra ..	520	46.7	30.0	38.4	+1.8	60.8	11	21.2	6	0.49	11	-0.16	0.20	14	101.1
Manorburn Dam ..	2,448	39.6	23.8	31.7	+1.4	47.2	11	8.0	6	0.82	8	-0.18	0.30	14	..
Dunedin (Beta Street Reservoir)	690	48.0	36.6	42.3	+0.1	59.3	10	27.8	1	2.51	14	-0.55	1.12	14	84.9
Taieri ..	80	49.8	33.0	41.4	..	62.0	10	22.8	6	2.04	11	..	0.85	14	..
East Gore ..	245	49.3	33.2	41.2	+2.1	59.0	9, 31	24.0	5, 6	1.68	15	-0.40	0.79	14	..
Gore ..	240	49.1	34.0	41.6	..	59.0	9	25.0	6	1.45	8	..	0.74	14	112.1
Invercargill ..	32	49.7	33.3	41.5	+0.2	58.0	12	25.0	5, 6	2.03	15	-1.22	0.55	14	94.1
Invercargill (City Engineer)	8	50.1	34.8	42.4	..	58.5	12	27.0	5	2.04	15	..	0.59	14	..

LATE RETURNS

Appleby, Nelson, June, 1944	57	54.0	36.2	45.1	(-0.9)	63.8	3	28.9	30	2.47	12	(-0.92)	0.52	20	..
Milford Sound, May, 1944	20	52.7	38.2	45.4	(-0.3)	59.5	2	31.2	23	9.84	14	..	2.10	9	..
Milford Sound, June, 1944	20	47.4	34.9	41.2	(-1.0)	55.6	22	28.3	29	26.47	23	..	3.87	17	..
East Gore, May, 1944 ..	245	53.0	35.5	44.2	-0.6	66.0	2	29.0	4 times	1.72	14	-1.07	0.50	15	..
East Gore, June, 1944	245	49.0	33.3	41.2	+0.9	59.0	4	26.0	10, 11	4.32	21	+1.35	0.95	4	..

NOTE.—At stations where departure from normal are in parentheses the record has been maintained for less than ten years in the case of temperatures and for less than twenty years in the case of rainfall and the normals are partly interpolated.

NOTES ON THE WEATHER FOR JULY, 1944

General.—Apart from its dullness July was not an unfavourable winter month. Rain, on the whole, was not excessive, and mild spells compensated for the cold ones. Stock continue to fare very well and are in good condition. The new season is promising well for the main dairy districts.

Rainfall.—Moderate surpluses occurred in the Taupo - Bay of Plenty region, over most of Taranaki, and locally near Wellington City, Nelson, Westland, and the Southern Alps received totals considerably above average. Elsewhere totals were deficient and most noticeably so near Whangarei, in central Hawke's Bay, and between Kaikoura and Christchurch; but only in isolated cases did the values fall below half the average.

Temperature.—With few exceptions, mean temperatures were above average, the largest departures occurring east of the North Island ranges and in Central Otago. Frosts have been sharp and widespread at times, but there have been also several cloudy and comparatively mild nights. There was less snow than usual, although it was experienced at several low levels for a short period on the 1st.

Sunshine.—The total duration for the month was better than usual for the eastern and northern portions of the Auckland Province, but elsewhere it was deficient. It was a record dull July for Christchurch, but Wellington, Nelson, and Westport also had totals below their respective averages by more than twenty-four hours.

Weather Sequence.—A trough passed on the 1st bringing a change to southerlies, with wintry showers and some snow in eastern districts. Conditions slowly improved from the west and became settled generally on the 5th and 6th, when an anticyclone covered New Zealand. During the first week there were widespread frosts.

North-westerlies freshened ahead of a cold front which moved on to the South Island on the 7th. This gave a period of general rain in the western portion and on the 8th in Taranaki. Elsewhere this disturbance caused little rain, and was followed by a good improvement as a high-pressure wedge passed across the North Island.

Another trough affected the country on the 10th and 11th; north-westerlies became fresh ahead with considerable rain in and west of the Alps. Other districts received rain which, however, was negligible in amount east of the ranges. A rapid clearance with numerous frosts followed as an anti-cyclone covered New Zealand on the 12th. The next day it was moving away to the north-east, and the weather deteriorated in Westland and later more generally with the approach of an extensive depression from the north Tasman Sea to west of Auckland on the 15th. This did not move eastward off the North Island until the 19th, by which time it had become very shallow. Cold southerlies advanced from the south on the 15th, and in the north there were strong north-easterlies which backed north-westerly. Heavy rain fell for a period in the western and southern portions of the South Island, but it soon improved there, while substantial falls occurred in many parts of the North Island about the 16th. By the 19th the clearance over the South Island was fairly complete, but in the north it remained cloudy with scattered rain. Another depression crossed the centre of the North Island on the 21st, with some rain extending to Nelson and Marlborough.

By the 22nd a moderate south-westerly gradient prevailed with rather cloudy weather and isolated showers chiefly near the extremities. A depression developed near Auckland the next day and scattered moderate falls resulted. On the 23rd an anticyclone was advancing on to southern New Zealand, bringing fine weather generally as it extended north-eastward. A rather weak trough crossed the South Island on the 26th giving some brief rain in Westland and Southland, but a new anticyclone followed and merged with the earlier one. The whole high-pressure system moved eastward on the 29th, when skies became overcast. Under the influence of a depression, which moved southwards over the Tasman Sea and crossed Otago on the 31st, most districts experienced some drizzle and rain. For several days temperatures had been very mild, but dropped along the east coast of the South Island.

M. A. F. BARNETT, Director.

Decisions of the Bureau of Industry under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936

Bureau of Industry, G.P.O. Box 3025, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority conferred on the Bureau of Industry under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936, the following decisions have been made in respect of applications for licenses.

G. L. O'HALLORAN, Secretary.

Applicant and Location.	Nature of Application.	Decision.	Date.
Taking of Fish for Sale			
E. F. Williams, 115 St. Asaph Street, Christchurch	For a license to permit him to operate his 40 ft. 12 h.p. engined vessel "Karitane" (not yet registered), using trawl-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Akaroa	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.
C. F. Baker, Russell	For a license to permit him to operate his 29 ft. fishing-launch "Idolon" (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Russell	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.
W. P. Baker, Russell	For a license to permit him to operate his 26 ft. fishing-launch "It" (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Russell	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.
E. Steele, Russell	For a license to permit him to operate his 25 ft. fishing-launch "Captain Cook" (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Russell	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.
J. E. Rivers, Russell	For a license to permit him to operate his 15 ft. fishing-launch "Murray R" (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Russell	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.
Manufacture of Rope and Twine			
Frank and Bryce, Ltd., 86 Wakefield Street, Wellington	For a license to engage in New Zealand in the spinning of flax, hemp, and jute yarns, and the manufacture therefrom of threads and twines, also in the manufacture of threads and twines from cotton yarn	Granted	14 Aug., 1944.

Notice to Persons affected by Applications for Licenses under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936

Taking of Fish for Sale

F. E. Dent, Opua, Bay of Islands, has applied for a variation of his existing license so as to permit him to operate also the fishing-launch "Chips" (not yet registered), using set-nets and long lines, catches to be landed at Opua.

J. Pere, Matauri Bay, Kaeo, has applied for a license to permit him to operate his fishing-vessel "O.K." (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Matauri Bay.

E. G. Murray, Bonnetts Road, Kaitaia, has applied for a license to permit him to operate his fishing-vessel "Arawa" (not yet registered), using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, and hand-lines, catches to be landed at Awanui.

L. A. Dike, Seddon Street, Waihi, has applied for a variation of his existing license so as to permit him to operate his 20 ft. 24 h.p. engined vessel "Bluebird" (not yet registered), using drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Waihi.

G. Chapman, Wairoa, has applied for a variation of his existing license so as to permit him to operate the fishing-launch "Kiwi," GS. 57, using set-nets, drag-nets, long lines, hand-lines, and crayfish-pots, catches to be landed at Wairoa.

Fish Retailing

H. Dormer, 17 Seacombe Avenue, Point Chevalier, Auckland, has applied for a fish-retailer's license to permit him to hawk his catches between Cornwallis and Titirangi, via Parau and Woodlands.

W. Criglington, Matangi, via Hamilton, has applied for a fish-retailer's license to permit him to hawk fish for sale between Tamahere and Tauwhare and as far as Bruntwood on the Cambridge Highway.

E. Pook, licensed fisherman, Whakapirau, has applied for a fish-retailer's license to permit him to hawk a portion of his catches for sale from boatside at Whakapirau and Pahi.

Persons considering themselves materially affected by the decision of the Bureau of Industry on these applications should make any desired representations in writing not later than the 7th September, 1944, to G. L. O'Halloran, Secretary, Bureau of Industry, G.P.O. Box 3025, Wellington.

G. L. O'HALLORAN, Secretary.

Abstract of Railways Working Account

FOUR-WEEKLY PERIOD ENDED 22ND JULY, 1944				1ST APRIL, 1944, TO 22ND JULY, 1944		
Section.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Net Revenue.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Net Revenue.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
North Island main line and branches ..	607,216	528,621	78,595	2,347,538	2,105,829	241,709
South Island main line and branches ..	309,684	308,954	730	1,242,557	1,227,050	15,507
Nelson	986	2,849	-1,863	4,699	9,586	-4,887
Pictou	5,873	6,532	-659	26,373	26,307	66
Total railway operation ..	923,759	846,956	76,803	3,621,167	3,368,772	252,395
Miscellaneous and subsidiary services ..	139,115	109,946	29,169	562,254	436,386	125,868
Total	1,062,874	956,902	105,972	4,183,421	3,805,158	378,263

ANALYSIS OF RAILWAY OPERATING REVENUE AND TRAFFIC

—	Four-weekly Period.	Year to Date.
	£	£
Passenger	275,918	876,876
Parcels, luggage, and mails	31,093	121,666
Goods	592,877	2,529,786
Labour and demurrage	23,871	92,839
Total railway operating revenue ..	923,759	3,621,167
Passengers No.	2,417,448	9,897,537
Live-stock Tons	32,892	251,211
Timber	49,115	188,185
Other goods	577,737	2,332,723
Total goods	659,744	2,772,119
Road Motor Services—		
Passengers No.	994,431	3,908,253
Revenue £	55,295	227,766

ANALYSIS OF RAILWAY OPERATING EXPENDITURE

—	Four-weekly Period.	Year to Date
	£	£
Maintenance—		
Way and works	159,148	634,562
Signals and electrical appliances ..	24,777	96,492
Rolling-stock	221,904	845,253
Transportation—		
Locomotive	180,978	727,337
Traffic	239,425	978,030
General charges	7,896	35,592
Superannuation subsidy	12,828	51,506
Total operating expenditure ..	846,956	3,368,772
Net operating revenue ..	76,803	252,395
Total railway operating revenue ..	923,759	3,621,167
Capital cost of open lines as at 31st March, 1944 ..		£ 70,999,125

RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MONDAY, 14th AUGUST, 1944

Liabilities		Assets	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000 0 0	7. Reserve—	
2. Bank-notes	37,689,693 10 0	(a) Gold	2,801,877 10 0
3. Demand liabilities—		(b) Sterling exchange*	32,075,192 7 11
(a) State	10,164,321 6 6	(c) Gold exchange .. .. .	.. .. .
(b) Banks	37,166,447 3 6	8. Subsidiary coin	47,523 12 8
(c) Other	1,317,925 16 2	9. Discounts—	
4. Time deposits .. .. .	.. .. .	(a) Commercial and agricultural bills .. .. .	.. .. .
5. Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency	8,935 12 4	(b) Treasury and local-body bills .. .. .	.. .. .
6. Other liabilities	1,890,811 8 8	10. Advances—	
		(a) To the State or State undertakings—	
		(1) Marketing Department	4,473,987 5 9
		(2) For other purposes	35,885,000 0 0
		(b) To other public authorities .. .. .	.. .. .
		(c) Other .. .. .	.. .. .
		11. Investments	11,736,055 8 6
		12. Bank buildings .. .. .	.. .. .
		13. Other assets	2,718,498 12 4
	£(N.Z.)89,738,134 17 2		£(N.Z.)89,738,134 17 2

* Expressed in New Zealand currency.

Proportion of reserve (No. 7 less No. 5) to notes and other demand liabilities, 40.385 per cent.

W. R. EGGERS, Chief Accountant.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tauranga on the 22nd August, 1944

Office of the Native Land Court, Rotorua, 21st July, 1944.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 22nd August, 1944, at 10.30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

J. J. DILLON, Deputy Registrar.

[Waiariki, 1944/5-11.]

SCHEDULE

No.	Applicant.	Block.	Nature of Application.
33	Under Secretary, Public Works Department	Ngapeke No. 5A; Papamoa No. 2E ..	Assessment of compensation for land taken for road.
34	Ditto	Otawa	Assessment of compensation for land taken for scenic reserve.
35	„	Papamoa No. 2, 6B 1	Assessment of compensation for land taken for school-site.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaikohe on the 19th September, 1944

Office of the Native Land Court, Auckland, 16th August, 1944.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kaikohe on Tuesday, the 19th September, 1944, at 10.30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

J. H. ROBERTSON, Registrar.

[Tokerau, 1944/45-7.]

SCHEDULE

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
25	The Under-Secretary, Public Works Department	Otuhi 1c 1 and other blocks	Application for assessment of compensation for land taken for public works.
26	Ditto	Part Motatau 1c 7g	Ditto.
27	.. ..	Taraire 2r	Assessment of compensation for land taken for Kaikohe Substation site.
28	Kaikohe Town Board	Part Marino 2b No. 7, part Marino 2b No. 6, part Marino 2b No. 5, part Lot 20, D.P. 10045, being part Raihara Block	Application for assessment of compensation for land taken for the purposes of a road.
29	Hokianga County Council	Tautehere No. 2b 3	Ditto.

Price Order No. 272 (New Potatoes)

PURSUANT to the powers conferred on it by the Control of Prices Emergency Regulations 1939,* the Price Tribunal, acting with the authority of the Minister of Industries and Commerce, doth hereby make the following Price Order:—

PRELIMINARY

1. This Order may be cited as Price Order No. 272, and shall come into force on the 1st day of September, 1944.

2. (1) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

“The said regulations” means the Control of Prices Emergency Regulations 1939*:

“Distributor”, in relation to any lot of potatoes, means a wholesaler, as defined in the said regulations, who sells those potatoes otherwise than to a retailer for purposes of retail sale:

“Grower”, in relation to potatoes, means a person engaged in the business of growing potatoes for sale:

The expression “f.o.r.s.i.” means “free on rail, sacks or other containers included.”

(2) Terms and expressions defined in the said regulations, when used in this Order, have the meanings severally assigned thereto by those regulations.

3. Subject to any general or specific directions that may be given by or on behalf of the Tribunal, any expenses that are reasonably incurred by a wholesaler or retailer in undertaking the transport of any potatoes at his own expense may be regarded for the purposes of this Order as if they were transport charges paid by him, and the maximum price of the potatoes shall be determined accordingly.

4. The provisions of this Order shall apply notwithstanding that any potatoes to which the Order is applicable are sold otherwise than by weight.

5. The several prices fixed by this Order apply with respect to sales by auction as well as to other sales.

APPLICATION OF THIS ORDER

6. (1) This Order applies with respect to all potatoes grown in New Zealand that, being the produce of seed potatoes planted after the 31st day of March, 1944, are sold for delivery after the coming into force of this Order and on or before the 28th day of February, 1945, by any grower, distributor, wholesaler, or retailer.

(2) In any proceedings for a breach of this Order in respect of the sale of any potatoes, those potatoes shall, unless the defendant proves the contrary, be deemed to have been within the application of this Order at the time of sale if they were sold as or were represented by the vendor to be new potatoes.

FIXING PRICES OF POTATOES THAT ARE SUBJECT TO THIS ORDER

Growers' Prices

7. (1) The growers' prices fixed by this Order are fixed by reference to—

(a) The place where the potatoes were grown; and

(b) The period (including in any period both the first and the last of the appropriate specified dates) within which, in accordance with the contract of sale, the potatoes are to be delivered by the grower to the purchaser.

(2) The growers' prices fixed by this Order are the actual prices to be charged by the grower—

(a) For first-grade potatoes grown in the North Island and sold for delivery at any time during the period commencing on the 1st day of December, 1944, and ending on the 28th day of February, 1945; or

(b) For first-grade potatoes grown in the provincial district of Nelson and sold for delivery in that district or in the North Island at any time during the said period.

(3) Except as provided in the last preceding subclause, the growers' prices fixed by this Order are the maximum prices that may be lawfully charged by a grower for any potatoes to which this Order applies.

(4) The growers' prices fixed as aforesaid are fixed in respect of sales f.o.r.s.i.—

(a) The railway-station at Christchurch, in the case of potatoes grown in the Nelson Provincial District and sold for delivery elsewhere than in that district or in the North Island; or

(b) The grower's railway-station (being the railway-station nearest or most convenient of access to the grower's premises) in the case of any potatoes to which the last preceding paragraph does not apply.

(5) Where any potatoes to which this Order applies are delivered by a grower otherwise than f.o.r.s.i. the appropriate railway-station (as determined in accordance with the last preceding subclause) the price that may be charged by the grower shall be the appropriate price in terms of the foregoing provisions of this clause, increased by the amount of the charges (if any) incurred by him in effecting delivery, and then reduced by the amount of the charges that would have been incurred by him if he had delivered the potatoes f.o.r.s.i. the appropriate railway-station determined as aforesaid.

8. (1) The actual price to be charged by any grower for first-grade potatoes referred to in paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of subclause (2) of the last preceding clause shall be determined as follows:—

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Delivery to be made.	Actual Price per Ton.		
	£	s.	d.
1st December, 1944, to 31st December, 1944 ..	14	0	0
1st January, 1945, to 31st January, 1945 ..	12	0	0
1st February, 1945, to 28th February, 1945 ..	11	0	0

(2) For the purposes of this clause potatoes shall be deemed to be first-grade or undergrade, as the case may be, in accordance with the following rules:—

(a) Rules as to Size—

(i) If in any sample of one hundred potatoes taken at random from any lot sold for delivery during the period 1st December, 1944, to 31st December, 1944 (both days inclusive), more than 15 per cent. by number of the sample can be passed through a square of which the sides have an inside measurement of 1½ in., all the potatoes in the lot from which the sample is taken shall be deemed to be undergrade:

(ii) If in any sample of one hundred potatoes taken at random from any lot sold for delivery during the period 1st January, 1945, to 28th February, 1945, more than 15 per cent. by number of the sample can be passed through a square of which the sides have an inside measurement of 1½ in., all the potatoes in the lot from which the sample is taken shall be deemed to be undergrade:

(b) Rule as to Quality.—If in any lot of potatoes more than 3 per cent. by weight of the lot is affected by disease, damage, or other defect, or if the lot is not reasonably free from earth, all the potatoes in the lot shall be deemed to be undergrade:

(c) Potatoes that are not undergrade in accordance with paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) hereof, shall be deemed to be first-grade potatoes.

* Statutory Regulations 1939, Serial number 1939/275, page 1075.

9. The maximum price that may be charged or received by any grower for any potatoes referred to in subclause (3) of clause 7 hereof shall be determined as follows:—

(a) For potatoes grown in the North Island or for potatoes grown in the Nelson Provincial District and sold for delivery in that district or in the North Island:—

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Delivery to be made.	Maximum Price per Ton.		
	£	s.	d.
1st September, 1944, to 30th September, 1944	..	42	10 0
1st October, 1944, to 15th October, 1944	..	35	0 0
16th October, 1944, to 31st October, 1944	..	30	0 0
1st November, 1944, to 15th November, 1944	..	25	0 0
16th November, 1944, to 30th November, 1944	..	20	0 0
1st December, 1944, to 31st December, 1944	..	14	0 0
1st January, 1945, to 31st January, 1945	..	12	0 0
1st February, 1945, to 28th February, 1945	..	11	0 0

(b) For any other potatoes to which this clause applies:—

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Delivery to be made.	Maximum Price per Ton.		
	£	s.	d.
1st September, 1944, to 30th November, 1944	..	42	10 0
1st December, 1944, to 31st December, 1944	..	35	0 0
1st January, 1945, to 31st January, 1945	..	25	0 0
1st February, 1945, to 28th February, 1945	..	18	0 0

Distributors' Prices

10. The maximum price that may be charged or received by any distributor for any potatoes to which this Order applies shall be the sum of the following amounts:—

- The price actually paid or payable to the grower by the same or any other distributor:
- Any disbursements (other than brokerage) actually incurred and paid by the same or any other distributor by way of grading, transport, or other charges:
- An amount computed at the rate of 30s. a ton when the price paid to the grower is £20 a ton or more, or computed at the rate of 20s. a ton when the price paid to the grower is less than £20 a ton.

Wholesalers' Prices

11. The maximum price that may be charged or received by any wholesaler for any potatoes to which this Order applies shall be the sum of the following amounts:—

- The price actually paid or payable by the wholesaler to the grower or any other person:
- An amount (not exceeding 2s. 6d. a ton) in respect of any potatoes actually received into and delivered from the wholesaler's store, together with any transport or other charges actually paid by the wholesaler:
- An amount equal to 2½ per cent. of the sum of the amounts specified in paragraphs (a) and (b) hereof (to cover the estimated loss due to shrinkage and other natural causes):
- Whichever of the following amounts is appropriate in the circumstances of the case, namely:—
 - When the sum of the amounts specified in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this clause is less than an average of £19 a ton, an amount computed at the rate of 20s. a ton for lots of ½ ton or more, and computed at the rate of 30s. a ton for lots of less than ½ ton; or
 - When the sum of the amounts specified in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this clause is an average of £19 a ton or more, an amount computed at the rate of 30s. a ton for lots of ½ ton or more, and computed at the rate of 40s. a ton for lots of less than ½ ton.

Computation of Distributors' and Wholesalers' Prices by Reference to Average Prices

12. In computing the maximum price that may be charged by any distributor or by any wholesaler for potatoes that have been acquired by him in different lots at different prices, the appropriate maximum price may, with the general or special approval of the Tribunal, and subject to any conditions that may be imposed by the Tribunal, be computed by reference to the average of the several prices paid for such potatoes.

Retailers' Prices

13. (1) Subject to the provisions of subclauses (3) and (4) hereof, the maximum price that may be charged or received by any retailer for any potatoes to which this Order applies shall be the sum of the following amounts:—

- The price actually paid or payable by the retailer for the potatoes:
- Any transport or other charges actually paid or payable by the retailer:
- An amount equal to 33½ per cent. of the sum of the amounts specified in paragraphs (a) and (b) hereof.

(2) The retail price of any potatoes, computed in accordance with the last preceding subclause, shall be calculated by reference to the prices and weights disclosed in the appropriate invoices.

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(3) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing provisions of this clause, the retail price of potatoes shall not in any case exceed—

For Potatoes sold (by Retail) in the North Island (exclusive of the Provincial District of Auckland)

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Retail Sale is made	Maximum Retail Price per Pound.
1st September, 1944, to 6th October, 1944	.. 7d.
7th October, 1944, to 21st October, 1944	.. 6d.
22nd October, 1944, to 6th November, 1944	.. 5½d.
7th November, 1944, to 21st November, 1944	.. 4½d.
22nd November, 1944, to 6th December, 1944	.. 4d.
7th December, 1944, to 6th January, 1945	.. 3d.
7th January, 1945, to 28th February, 1945	.. 2½d.

For Potatoes sold (by Retail) in the Provincial Districts of Auckland and Nelson

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Retail Sale is made.	Maximum Retail Price per Pound.
1st September, 1944, to 3rd October, 1944	.. 7d.
4th October, 1944, to 18th October, 1944	.. 6d.
19th October, 1944, to 3rd November, 1944	.. 5½d.
4th November, 1944, to 18th November, 1944	.. 4½d.
19th November, 1944, to 3rd December, 1944	.. 4d.
4th December, 1944, to 3rd January, 1945	.. 3d.
4th January, 1945, to 28th February, 1945	.. 2½d.

For Potatoes sold (by Retail) elsewhere in New Zealand

Period (both Dates inclusive) within which Retail Sale is made.	Maximum Retail Price per Pound.
1st September, 1944, to 3rd December, 1944	.. 7d.
4th December, 1944, to 3rd January, 1945	.. 6d.
4th January, 1945, to 3rd February, 1945	.. 4½d.
4th February, 1945, to 28th February, 1945	.. 3½d.

(4) If in respect of any lot of potatoes sold by a retailer the maximum price, calculated in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this clause, is not an exact number of half-pence (in the case of a lot of less than 5 lb.) or is not an exact number of pence (in the case of a lot of 5 lb. or more), the maximum price of the lot shall be the next highest halfpenny or the next highest penny, as the case may be. The provisions of this subclause shall apply notwithstanding that in any case the retailer purports to sell any potatoes otherwise than by weight.

(5) For the purposes of this clause the price paid or payable by a retailer for any lot of potatoes and the transport and other charges paid or payable by him in respect of the same lot shall be apportioned evenly over the whole lot, and the price and charges paid or payable by the retailer for each pound of potatoes included in the lot shall be determined accordingly.

Dated at Wellington, this 22nd day of August, 1944.

The Seal of the Price Tribunal was affixed hereto in the presence of—

[L.S.]

W. J. HUNTER (Judge), President.
H. L. WISE, Member.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925.—Cancellation of Registration

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 22nd August, 1944.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the New Zealand Federated Shipwrights' and Boatbuilders' Industrial Association of Workers, registered No. 1495, situated at Auckland, is hereby cancelled as from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

E. B. TAYLOR,
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Officiating Ministers for 1944.—Notice No. 20

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 18th August, 1944.

PURSUANT to the Provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908 the following names of officiating ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

The Presbyterian Church of New Zealand

The Reverend George Densem.

The Methodist Church of New Zealand

Mr. Te Urunga Wetere.

P. H. WYLDE, Deputy Registrar-General.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender

State Forest Service,
Rotorua, 18th August, 1944.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Rotorua, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, 8th September, 1944.

SCHEDULE

ROTORUA CONSERVANCY.—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT

All the milling-timber specified in that area containing 489 acres, situated in State Forest No. 14, Block II and IV, Opoutihi Survey District, about seventeen miles from Tauranga.

The total estimated quantity of timber in cubic feet is 307,200, or in board feet 2,124,000, made up as follows:—

Species.	Cubic Feet.	Board Feet.
Rimu	280,800	1,950,000
Miro	20,700	138,000
Tanekaha	3,300	21,000
Mangeao	1,000	6,000
Totara	1,400	9,000
	<u>307,200</u>	<u>2,124,000</u>

Upset price: £3,380.

Time for removal of timber: Two years.

Terms of Payment

A marked cheque for £680, together with £1 ls. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance of the purchase-money must be paid in fifteen equal monthly instalments, the first of which shall be paid on the 20th of the month after date of sale.

Terms and Conditions

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum in excess of current bank overdraft rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

2. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.

3. The aforementioned qualities, quantities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. A return giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents must be made quarterly by the licensee on the last days of March, June, September, and December, respectively, in each year. A return must also be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species. These returns may be ascertained and verified by inspection of the books of the mill, or by such other means as the Conservator may require, and for this purpose the accounts and books shall be open to the inspection of the Conservator, a Forest Ranger, or other duly authorized officer.

5. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

6. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

7. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for the timber. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

8. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.

9. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned it will remain open for application for three months from the closing-date of tenders.

10. Tenders should be on the special form obtainable from any office of the State Forest Service, and should be enclosed in envelopes addressed "Conservator of Forests, Rotorua," and endorsed "Tender for Timber."

The conditions, which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser, and further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

F. J. PERHAM, Acting Conservator of Forests.

(S.F. 23/2/14/3.)

BANKRUPTCY NOTICE

In Bankruptcy

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the undermentioned estates have been declared on all proved and accepted claims:—

Paul Piacan—First and final dividend of 12s. 6d. in the pound.
Johann Karl Litschi—First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.

John William Thompson—Fourth dividend of 3s. 3d., making a total dividend of 20s. in the pound plus interest.

V. R. CROWHURST, Official Assignee.

Hamilton, 22nd August, 1944.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional renewable lease in the name of JOHN WILLIAM GRANT McINTYRE, of Tuatapere, Sawmiller, for Section 15, Block III, Longwood District, being the land contained in Register-book, Vol 93, folio 77, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional lease as requested upon the expiration of fourteen days from 24th August, 1944.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1944, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. L. HARNEY, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of Outstanding Deed of Mortgage No. 34637, from DORCAS GOLDSMITH to JAMES JOSEPH SHEEHAN, HAROLD WILLIAM ROYDS, and JOHN LACHLAN MCGILLIVRAY WATSON, all late of Invercargill and now deceased, affecting part of Lot 37, Macmaster Estate, being part of Section 1, Block I, Invercargill Hundred, and being all the land comprised in limited certificate of title, Vol. 126, folio 108 (Southland Registry), having been lodged with me together with applications to register transmissions, partial discharge, and transfer in exercise of power of sale affecting said mortgage, dispensing with the production of the said mortgage, notice is hereby given of my intention to register such dealings as requested upon the expiration of fourteen days from the 24th August, 1944.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1944, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. L. HARNEY, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in the name of JOHN HARRISON, of Bluff, Contractor, for Lot 5, Plan 117A, being part of Section 6, Block I, Campbelltown Hundred, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 91, folio 217 (Southland Registry), and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the new certificate of title as requested upon the expiration of fourteen days from 24th August, 1944.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1944, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. L. HARNEY, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1933, SECTION 282 (6)

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

Clifton Limited. 1916/22.

Ralph R. Parnham, Limited. 1926/7.

Silica Bricks (Canterbury), Limited. 1938/50.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this 16th day of August, 1944.

J. MORRISON, Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1933, SECTION 282 (3)

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

Realty Bonds, Limited. 1929/82.

Cookson Bros., Limited. 1938/79.

Given under my hand at Christchurch, this 16th day of August, 1944.

J. MORRISON, Assistant Registrar of Companies.

RAGLAN COUNTY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE

Workers' Dwellings Loan, 1943

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Raglan County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

"That, for the purpose of providing the half-yearly instalments of principal and interest and other loan charges on a loan of £15,000, authorized to be raised by the Raglan County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of providing dwellings for Council employees, the said Raglan County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 0.145d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property, comprising the whole of the County of Raglan; such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan and be payable yearly on the 1st day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years or until the loan is fully paid off."

The foregoing resolution was passed at a special meeting of the Raglan County Council held on the 14th July, 1944.

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G. BROWNLEE-SMITH, County Clerk.

THAMES COUNTY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE

Hikutaiia Drainage Subdivision Loan, 1942, £2,200

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and any amendments thereto, the Thames County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

“That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of two thousand two hundred pounds (£2,200), authorized to be raised by Thames County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of reconstructing Wharepoa and Central Drains, the stop-banking of the Waihou River within the Hikutaia Subdivision of the Thames Drainage District, and the taking of land where necessary for such works, the said Thames County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny halfpenny (1½d.) per pound (£1) upon the rateable value of all rateable property (on the basis of the unimproved value) within the said Hikutaia Subdivision of the Thames Drainage District bounded as follows: Starting at the intersection of the Thames to Paeroa Road with the Hikutaia Stream; thence north-westerly along the south-western side generally of the said road to its intersection with the Omahu Stream; thence by the centre-line of the Omahu Stream to its confluence with the Waihou River; thence along the right bank of the Waihou River and the right bank of the Hikutaia Stream to the point of commencement; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of the said loan and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-two years or until the loan is fully paid off.”

Dated at Thames, this 14th day of August 1944.

226 J. F. EAMES, County Clerk.

THE NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED

TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR, AND AGENCY BRANCH

In the matter of the New Zealand Insurance Company Trust Act, 1916.

Annual Statement

I, ROBERT KING, Trust Manager, do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £1,500,000, divided into 1,500,000 shares of £1 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 1,500,000.
4. That calls to the amount of £1 per share have been made, under which the sum of £1,500,000 has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates is £20,439,062 14s. 11d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates is £20,361,471 18s. 6d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration is £77,590 16s. 5d.
8. That the liabilities of the company at the close of its financial year (to wit, the 31st day of May, 1944) were:—

Debts owing to sundry persons by the company, viz.:

	£	s.	d.
On judgment	Nil.		
On specialty	Nil.		
On notes or bills	Nil.		
On simple contracts	£315,987	0s.	0d.
On estimated liabilities	£1,214,706	0s.	0d.

9. That the assets of the company on that date were:—

	£	s.	d.
Government securities, New Zealand ..	858,094	1	2
Government securities, British and British Dependencies ..	2,191,860	15	3
Bills of exchange and promissory notes	Nil		
Cash at bankers	421,924	11	6
Other securities	3,120,588	11	0

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1927.

R. KING.

Declared at Auckland, this 11th day of August, 1944, before me—Thos. H. Kirkman, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand. 227

MEDICAL REGISTRATION

I, WALTER VINCENT TOTHILL, L.M.S.S.A., London, now residing in Russell, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 13th August, 1944, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Wellington.

Dated at Russell, this 13th day of July, 1944.

WALTER VINCENT TOTHILL.

P.O. Box 62, Russell.

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ARAWA DAIRY COMPANY, LIMITED

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 232 of the Companies Act, 1933, that a general meeting of Arawa Dairy Company, Limited, will be held on the 25th day of September, 1944, at 2.30 p.m., at the office of the liquidator, Strand, Whakatane, for the purpose of having laid before it an account showing how the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the property of the company has been disposed of.

Dated at Whakatane, this 18th day of August, 1944.

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C. F. THOMAS, Liquidator.

CHANGE OF NAME OF COMPANY

NOTICE is hereby given that Inder & Hill, Limited, has changed its name to The Blenheim Laundry Company, Limited, and that the new name was this day entered on my Register of Companies in place of the former name.

Dated at Blenheim, this 14th day of August, 1944.

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J. LAURIE, Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE CAWTHRON INSTITUTE TRUST BOARD

ACCOUNTS AS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1943

Balance-sheet as to Capital

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Estate Accounts—							
Cawthron Estate	227,746	17	1				
Marsden Bequest	23,631	5	6				
Atkinson Bequest	738	10	3				
Bartel Bequest	7,935	4	5				
Graham Bequest	1,997	10	0				
				262,049	7	3	
Suspense Account					313	15	0
Bank of New Zealand (offset by credit balance in Income Account)				2,188	16	3	
				£264,551	18	6	

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Land and buildings	22,771	10	3			
Furniture, fittings, fixtures, plant, &c.	4,004	12	8			
Library, museum, pictures, and china	10,287	11	9			
Sundry debtors, investments, and properties resumed	227,488	3	10			
				£264,551	18	6

Balance-sheet as to Income as at 31st December, 1943

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Interest and rent due	801	16	8			
Mortgagors credit balances	510	10	5			
Sundry research accounts	3,860	13	10			
Income and Expenditure Account	319	5	11			
				£5,492	6	10
Sundry debtors for interest, rent, &c.	801	16	8			
Sundry persons under budget	421	3	5			
Stock on hand on resumed property	427	16	4			
Cash in Bank of New Zealand (offset against overdraft in Capital Account)	3,841	10	5			
				£5,492	6	10

HARRY ATMORE, Chairman.

ALAN C. ROUT, Managing Secretary.

I certify that I have examined the books of account and vouchers of the Cawthron Institute Trust Board for the year ended 31st December, 1943, and that the above balance-sheet is, in my opinion, properly drawn up and sets out the true position of the Trust, as shown by the books.

W. B. GRIFFIN, Public Accountant, Auditor.

Income and Expenditure Account for Year ended 31st December, 1943

	£	s.	d.
To Annuity	108	0	0
Transfer to Capital Conservation Account	398	4	6
Administration expenses	1,603	8	10
Research expenses	10,434	14	10
Balance, being surplus for the year	319	5	11
	£12,863	14	1

	£	s.	d.
By Cawthron investment revenue	9,212	18	6
Marsden investment revenue	782	4	0
Sales of fruit, &c.	1,809	5	7
Fees and grants	1,057	6	0
Subscriptions	2	0	0
	£12,863	14	1

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

THE partnership business of farming heretofore carried on at Maungaturoto by the undersigned under the name of "Bull Bros." has been dissolved as from the 1st day of August, 1944.

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M. L. A. BULL.
R. F. BULL.

SCOTLAND'S LEAD, LIMITED

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION

Final Meeting of Members

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 241 (2) of the Companies Act, 1933, that a general meeting of members of Scotland's Lead, Limited (in liquidation), will be held at the liquidator's office, 83 High Street, Dunedin, at 10.45 a.m. on Monday, 11th September, 1944, for the purpose of receiving the liquidator's account of the winding-up and any explanation thereof.

Dated at Dunedin, this 19th day of August, 1944.

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C. S. D. AITCHISON, Liquidator.

SCOTLAND'S LEAD, LIMITED

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION

Final Meeting of Creditors

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 241 (3) of the Companies Act, 1933, that a meeting of creditors of Scotland's Lead, Limited (in liquidation), will be held at the liquidator's office, 83 High Street, Dunedin, at 10.30 a.m. on Monday, 11th September, 1944, for the purpose of receiving the liquidator's account of the winding-up and any explanation thereof, and obtaining the direction of the creditors as to the disposal of the books and papers of the company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 19th day of August, 1944.

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C. S. D. AITCHISON, Liquidator.

THE G. J. WHEELER COMPANY, LIMITED

IN LIQUIDATION

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of the Companies Act, 1933, that a meeting of the above company will be held at 135 Breezes Road, Christchurch, on Monday, 11th September, 1944, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of receiving winding-up accounts and completing the liquidation.

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A. W. McCLELLAND, Liquidator.

MORRISON BROS., LIMITED

NOTICE OF REDUCTION OF CAPITAL

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1933, and in the matter of MORRISON BROS., LIMITED, a company having its registered office at Geraldine.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the Supreme Court of New Zealand dated the 31st day of July, 1944, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company from £27,000 to £20,250, and the minute (approved by the Court) showing with respect to the capital of the company as altered the several particulars required by the above-mentioned Act, were registered by the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Christchurch on the 10th day of August, 1944: And notice is also given that the said minute is in the words and figures following:—

"The capital of Morrison Bros., Limited, is henceforth £20,250, divided into 27,000 shares of 15s. each, instead of the original capital of £27,000, divided into 27,000 of £1 each. At the time of the registration of this minute the sum of 15s. has been and is deemed to be paid up on each of the said shares."

Dated the 22nd day of August, 1944.

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SCOTT AND STEVEN,
Solicitors for the Company.

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