

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st March, 1913.

| Postal District. | Discount-stamps sold. | | Discount-stamps redeemed. | | Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 31st March, 1913. | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|---|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Auckland | 3 | 15 0 | 3 | 8 0 | 21 | 15 0 |
| Blenheim | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10 | 15 0 |
| Christchurch | 6 | 0 0 | 6 | 14 0 | 32 | 0 0 |
| Dunedin | .. | .. | .. | .. | 30 | 0 0 |
| Gisborne | .. | .. | .. | .. | 7 | 0 0 |
| Greymouth | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 0 0 |
| Hokitika | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 10 0 |
| Invercargill | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 10 0 |
| Napier | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 10 0 |
| Neison | .. | .. | .. | .. | 11 | 15 0 |
| New Plymouth | .. | .. | .. | .. | 12 | 15 0 |
| Oamaru | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 0 0 |
| Thames | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 0 0 |
| Timaru | .. | .. | .. | .. | 25 | 15 0 |
| Wanganui | .. | .. | .. | .. | 5 | 0 0 |
| Wellington | 211 | 5 0 | 207 | 10 0 | 174 | 0 0 |
| Westport | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 0 0 |
| Totals 1st quarter, 1913 | 221 | 0 0 | 217 | 12 0 | 365 | 5 0 |
| Totals 1st quarter, 1912 | 248 | 15 0 | 256 | 13 0 | 393 | 0 0 |

General Post Office.
Wellington, 22nd April, 1913.

W. R. MORRIS,
Secretary.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Department of Internal Affairs.
Wellington, 11th April, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization under the Aliens Act, 1908, in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

| Name. | Occupation. | Residence. |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|
| Hansen, Haakon Nikolai | Seaman | .. Auckland. |
| Herbert, Joseph Earl | Labourer | .. Masterton. |
| Nausbaum, Simons | Tailor | .. Wanganui. |
| Smith, John Frank | Builder | .. Mount Albert. Auckland. |
| Thorstensen, Thomas | Seaman | .. Auckland. |

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Lee Street, in the Town of Barmoor, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 17th April, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Lee Street, in the Town of Barmoor, Otago Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the laying-off of Glenross, Crossby, and Plassy Streets, in the Town of Havelock North Extension No. 14, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th April, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Glenross, Crossby, and Plassy Streets, in the Town of Havelock North Extension No. 14, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the laying-off of Terrace, White, Kerei, Raumati, Kirk, Kura, and Arthur Streets, in the Town of Matawai, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th April, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Terrace, White, Kerei, Raumati, Kirk, Kura, and Arthur Streets, in the Town of Matawai, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notice to the Public Trustee.—The Industrial Schools Act, 1908.

Education Department,
Wellington, 4th April, 1913.

WHEREAS Agnes Hannah Osborne, Linda Lissie Elfreda Osborne, James Leonard Osborne, Frederick Arthur Osborne, Eleanor Osborne, Violet Ann Osborne, George Henry Osborne, and Martha Osborne are at present inmates of the Christchurch Receiving Home:

And whereas such inmates are entitled to certain property: And whereas it appears expedient to issue the directions hereinafter set forth:

Now, I, Francis Henry Dillon Bell, a Member of the Executive Council of New Zealand (being a Responsible Minister of the Crown), acting for the Minister of Education of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 38 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908, do hereby direct the Public Trustee to take possession of all such property and apply the same for the benefit of such inmates, in accordance with the provisions of the last-mentioned Act.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Education.

Notice to Mariners.

LIGHT ON MARO TIRI (CHICKENS).

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the light on the Eastern Island of the Chickens (Maro Tiri) will be exhibited on 28th April, 1913, and not on 24th April as previously gazetted in Notice No. 45.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2543, 3565, and 1212; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 32; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1913, page 224.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.