

packages are true, and this nursery stock was inspected by [Name of Inspector], and certified by him to be free from injurious plant diseases and insect pests. This shipment is offered under Permit No. , issued by the Secretary of Agriculture [Month, day, year].

I, , Consul of the United States of America at , certify that the above declaration was produced before me on , 191 .  
Given under my hand and seal of this consulate the day and year above written.

American Consul.

If the declaration be not at hand at the time of the arrival of the nursery stock at the port of entry, the stock may be delivered to the importer, consignee, or agent for the proper care thereof on the same conditions as are set forth in Regulation 4 for the delivery of the stock in case the permit is not at hand at the time of the arrival of the same at the port of entry.

*Regulation 11.—Marking of Packages.*

Packages containing nursery stock which arrive not marked according to the law will not be delivered until they shall have been so marked under Customs supervision and at the expense of the importers.

*Appointing Wednesday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Separate District of the Borough of Feilding.*

WHEREAS by section 17 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, it is enacted that the result of every poll taken in any separate or combined district under the authority of that section shall be notified to the Minister of Labour in the manner therein provided, and the Minister shall thereupon appoint the day determined by the result of such poll as the statutory closing-day for that district:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Feilding has notified to me that the result of the poll taken in the separate district of the Borough of Feilding is in favour of Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in that separate district:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred on me by the said section 17, I, William Ferguson Massey, the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in the separate district of the Borough of Feilding.

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of May, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Labour.

This notice takes effect from the 1st day of June, 1913, and continues in force until another day is appointed by a similar poll. (Section 17 (11).)

*Permits to import Opium.*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 21st May, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for public information that permits to import opium in forms which though not suitable for smoking may be made suitable have been granted to the undermentioned persons, subject to the provisions of the Opium Act, 1908, the Opium Amendment Act, 1910, and the regulations made thereunder:—

Name.	District.
Clark, J. D. .. ..	Auckland.
Drs. Gibbs and Barr .. ..	Nelson.
Hall, J. W... ..	Auckland.
Shaw, C. F. .. ..	"

F. M. B. FISHER,  
Minister of Customs.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 22nd May, 1913.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

ERECTION OF POST-OFFICE AT TUAKAU.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Rhodes, George, and Sons, Auckland	..	1,100	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
McPherson and Harvey, Pukekohe .. ..	..	1,199	6	8
Frankham, J., Devonport .. ..	..	1,226	18	0
Wright, F., Ellerslie .. ..	..	1,288	13	11
McKinstry, L., Ponsonby .. ..	..	1,337	0	0
Rowe, J., Onehunga .. ..	..	1,359	0	0

ERECTION OF POLICE-STATION AT PAPAKURA.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
McIntosh, W. N., Papakura .. ..	..	771	14	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Frankham, J., Devonport .. ..	..	820	8	7
Rhodes, George, and Sons, Auckland .. ..	..	870	13	6
Mackay, A. M., Auckland .. ..	..	974	4	0
McKinstry, L., Auckland .. ..	..	974	15	0

ERECTION OF POLICE-STATION AT HUNTLY.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Frankham, C. H., Auckland .. ..	..	1,390	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Moody, A., Hamilton .. ..	..	1,499	0	0
Snell Brothers, Hamilton .. ..	..	1,579	5	8
Murtagh and Bellve, Frankton .. ..	..	1,629	6	10

*Tenders.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 24th May, 1913.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

ERECTION OF POLICE-STATION AT MASTERTON.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Taylor and Hodges, Masterton .. ..	..	2,678	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Rose and Mason, Masterton .. ..	..	2,800	0	0
Coradine and Whitaker, Masterton .. ..	..	2,856	0	0
Bacon, F., Masterton .. ..	..	3,083	0	0
King, F., and Son, Masterton .. ..	..	3,548	0	0

*Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks VI and VII, Kawhia North Survey District, Kawhia County, for Scenic Purposes.*

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for scenic purposes.

And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Kawhia, 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 first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 10 3 38	Pirongia West No. 3B, Section 2E No. 2D (17140, blue)	VI & VII	Kawhia North	P.W.D. 33514	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 27th day of May, 1913.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.