

If the nomination paper does not bear the written consent of the candidate nominated, such consent may be given by him to the Returning Officer before the nominations are closed, and any nomination paper shall be void if the consent of the candidate nominated therein is not duly given as aforesaid.

F. K. DE CASTRO,
Returning Officer.

Officiating Ministers for 1916. — Notice No. 3.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd February, 1916.

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:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

Mr. ROBERT FERGUSON FISH.

Baptists.

The Reverend HAROLD GLADSTONE HERCUS.
" H. KNOWLES KEMPTON.
" W. R. WOOLLEY.

Lutheran Church.

The Reverend DITLEF GOTTFRED MOURAD BACH.
" MAD S CHRISTENSEN.
" JOHANNES JOHANSEN LEGARTH.
" HANS MADSEN RIES.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Nelson Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 31st January, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease and license of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section 9, Block III, Totaranui Survey District.

TENURE: R.L. Lease No. 293. Formerly held by Roland Alfred Hopwood.

Section 5, Block XIV, Reefston Survey District.

Tenure: P.L. License No. 271. Formerly held by Patrick Simon Moore.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands

Land in Otago Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 31st January, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the license of the undermentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Otago Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section 12, Block VII, Catlins District.

TENURE: O.R.P. License No. 470. Formerly held by Sarah Jones. Reason of forfeiture: Non-payment of rent.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Pastoral Run in Otago Land District liable to Forfeiture.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 31st January, 1916.

PURSUANT to section 251 of the Land Act, 1908, notice is hereby given to the occupier of the undermentioned pastoral run that the license thereof is liable to forfeiture; and that if the rent overdue thereon, together with the full amount of the penalty, be not paid within three months from the date of the insertion of this notice in the *Gazette*, the license will be declared forfeited.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

LICENSE No. 1423. Run No. 503. County of Tuapeka.
Licensee: David Ireland.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Southland Land District classified.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 1st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed under section 225 of the Land Act, 1908, to classify and report on rural lands in Southland Land District have classified the pastoral runs enumerated in the Schedule hereto as therein noted.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Class A.—Pastoral Lands.

Being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than 5,000 Sheep.

Run No. 512: Area, 1,510 acres.
Antipodes Islands.

Run No. 515: Area, 1,000 acres.
Situated in Block 1, Anglem District, Stewart Island County. Bounded towards the north-east by Foveaux Strait; towards the east and south-east generally by the aforesaid Foveaux Strait, Town of Rakiura, Sections 3, 4, and 5, and Port William; towards the south by the south boundary of Anglem District; towards the west by a line due north and 110 chains west of Trig. A: all in Anglem District.

Run No. 143: Area, 5,710 acres.
Situated in Wairio District, Wallace County. Bounded towards the north and west generally by Sections 16, 92, 33, 88, 32, 238; towards the east by Sections 84, 87, 15, and the north-western boundary of said Section 15 continued south-west to the edge of Woodlaw Forest; towards the south-west by the Woodlaw Forest: all in Wairio District.

Run No. 133: Area, 3,285 acres.
Situated in Wairio District, Wallace County. Bounded towards the west generally by Run 143 and Section 15; towards the north-east generally by Sections 171, 170, and 192; towards the south-east generally by Sections 36, 86, 35, and 29; towards the south-west generally by the Woodlaw Forest: all in Wairio District.

Run No. 119A: Area, 2,400 acres.
Situated in Hokonui District, Southland County, being five detached areas bounded generally towards the north by freehold land, towards the east by freehold land, towards the south by the Otamita Stream and freehold land, and towards the west by freehold land.

Run No. 119A(1): Area, 430 acres.
Situated in Hokonui District, Southland County. Bounded towards the north generally by Sections 545 and 106, towards the east and south generally by the Otamita Stream, and towards the west by Section 300: all in Hokonui District.

Run No. 119B: Area, 2,560 acres.
Situated in Hokonui District, Southland County, being three detached areas bounded towards the north and east generally by freehold land; towards the south generally by freehold land and Forest Hill Hundred; and towards the west generally by Section 798, the Lora Stream, and Sections 845 and 844, Hokonui District.

Run No. 119c: Area, 3,170 acres.
Situated in Hokonui District, Southland County, being two detached areas bounded towards the north and west generally by freehold land; and towards the south and west generally by freehold land, Section 750, the Gore Domain, and State Forest: all in Hokonui District.