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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWIN CUTHBERT KIRK, trading as "Kirk and Mark," of Hastings, Pastrycook, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hastings, on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

SOMERSET SMITH,

1st March, 1917

Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy

Estate of Charles Wise, of Castlecliff, Carrier.

OTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 4s. in the pound is now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims.

28th February, 1917.

T. R. SAYWELL Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of Thomas Devaney, of Marton, Baker.

FIRST and final dividend of 6s. in the pound is now A payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate.

3rd March, 1917.

T. R. SAYWELL, Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.-In the Supreme Court holden at Dunedin.

NOTICE is hereby given that VERA ELIZABETH BROWN, of South Dunedin, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 1st day of March, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

24th February, 1917.

K. N. H. BROWNE, Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EASE No. 6390. of the Section 27, Block IX. of the Manguorongo Survey District, from the WAIKATO-MANIAPOTO DISTRICT MAORI LAND BOARD to JAMES McCOLL. Jun.:

The lessor having re-entered and recovered possession of the above land for non-payment of rent, it is my intention to one month from the 8th day of March. 1917.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland this 2nd day of March. 1917.

THOS. HALL, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the rovisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 9th April, 1917.

6108. THE NATIONAL TRADING COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (LIMITED).—Part Allotments 17 and 18, Section 3, City of Auckland, containing 15.9 perches, fronting Emily Place. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 11042.

Diagram may be inspected at this office. Dated this 6th day of March, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

T having been reported to me that the SWASTIKA NORTH GOLD-MINES (LIMITED) has ceased to carry on business, I hereby give notice that, at the expiration of three months from date hereof, the name of such company will, unless

cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of March, 1917.

P. G. WITHERS, Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the GOODYEAR TYRE AND RUBBER COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 307 of the Companies Act, 1908, that the Goodyear Tyre and Rubber Company of Australasia (Limited), a company incorporated in Australia, and for some time past carrying on business in New Zealand, will voluntarily cease to carry on business in any part of New Zealand from and after the ex-piration of three (3) months from this date.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of February, 1917.

THE GOODYEAR TYRE AND RUBBER COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED),

By its Attorney.

HENRY BLACKMAN.

Ernest C. Levvey, Solicitor to the Company, 27A Panama Street, Wellington.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

company: Cinnabar Mines of New Zealand Name of

(Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 19th December, 1913. Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation. Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 302 Victoria Arcade, Auckland; Walter Jacques Carter.

Nominal capital: £15,000. Amount of capital subscribed: £6,500.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £881 5s.

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

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £4,062 10s., being 13,000 shares to holders in old company at 6s. 3d. paid up.

Number of shares into which the capital is divided: 30,000.

Number of shares allotted: 13,000.

Amount paid per share: 8,300, 1s. 6d.; 1,000, 1s.; 2,900, 1s. 3d.; 600, 9d.; 200, 3d.

Amount called up per share: 1s. 6d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 4,700; £93 15s.

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Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

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

Present number of shareholders: 23.

Number of men employed by company: None. Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last

statement: Nil.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £143 1s. 4d.

Total expenditure since registration: £595 13s. 9d.
Total amount of dividends declared; Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: £1 13s. 7d. Amount of cash in hand: 2s. 1d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £93 15s.

Amount of debts considered good: £93 15s. Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

Amount of debts owing by the company: £1,084 6s. 7d.

I, Walter Jaques Carter, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Cinnabar Mines of New Zealand Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and com-plete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1916; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at Auckland this 27th day of February, 1917, before me-George J. Garland, J.P.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: United M. and E. Water-race Com-

pany (Registered). When formed, and date of registration: 8th April, 1872; 23rd April, 1872.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.