Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and Sections 18 and 19 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913.

N OTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £400 in each case.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.		Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Brakenrig, William	Auckland		Missionary	9/9/18	29/11/18	Wills 2.
2	Buckman, Ann Maria	Napier		Widow	6/5/18	15/11/18	Testate.
3	Clark, James Aitken	Dunedin		Railway employee	24/12/17	15/11/18	,,
4	Considine, Peter	Rakaia		Farmer	6/5/18	25/11/18	,,
5	Cunningham, Frederick Joseph	Westland		Miner	21/9/18	6/11/18	Intestate.
6	Douthwaite, Henry Alfred	Wellington	٠	Storeman	31/7/17	29/11/18	,,
7	Edwards, Richard Henry	,,		Retired builder	7/9/18	7/11/18	,,
8	Ericksen, Eric Carl Johannes (or Eric Axel Carl Johanes)	Meanee	. • •	Farmer	31/3/18	25/11/18	Testate.
9	Gall, Robert	Dunedin		Carpenter	2/9/18	27/11/18	,,
10	Gibbs, Walter Leslie	Christehurch		Farm hand	9/1/17	7/11/18	,,
11	Hutchins, Caroline Jane	Invercargill		Married woman	4/9/18	15/11/18	,,
12	Mathew, Leather	Auckland		Gum-digger	6/8/18	6/11/18	,,
13	Maddock, Richard James	Eltham		Engineer	14/5/18	27/11/18	Testate.
14	Maynard, Arthur Edwin (or May- nard, Arthur)	Whakaronga	••	Cheesemaker	23/10/17	15/11/18	,,
15	Miles, Osborne Henry Ernest	Christchurch		Cabinetmaker	5/4/18	27/11/18	,,
16	Milne, James	Te Wharahu		Farm hand	8/8/15	29/11/18	Intestate.
17	McBride, Charles	Auckland		Motorman	26/7/18	29/11/18	Wills 1.
18	McCorkindale, Adam	Manuka Creek		Farmer	24/8/18	27/11/18	,, 2.
19	McDonnell, Randolph (or McDon- nell, Randle)	Bald Hill Flat	• •	Miner	22/8/18	15/11/18	Testate.
20	McKee, Thomas	Tokomaru Bay		Labourer	9/6/17	29/11/18	Intestate.
21	O'Brien, John	Waipori		Goldminer	23/1/18	15/11/18	Testate.
22	Peters, Isaac	Otago		Bootmaker	9/10/18	6/11/18	Intestate.
23	Phillips, Joseph Henry	Rahotu		Farm labourer	1/9/18	25/11/18	Testate.
24	Pittick, Alfred	Wellington		Seaman	5/12/17	27/9/18	,,
25	Prew, Stephen John	Hamilton		Grocer's assistant	15/9/15	29/11/18	Intestate.
26	Richards, Godfrey Bainforth (or Richards, Godfrey)	Christehurch	••	Farm labourer	4/2/17	15/11/18	Testate.
27	Rainer, Henery	Auckland		Gardener	22/8/18	6/11/18	Intestate.
28	Richards, Henry	Roseville		Master mariner	22/8/18	15/11/18	Wills 1.
29	Reid, Samuel Patrick	Waimate		Plumber	26/8/18	25/11/18	Testate.
30	Robinson, Archibald James	Wellington		Civil servant	15/6/17	29/11/18	,,
31	Rossiter, Albert Arthur	Dannevirke	• •	Telegraph lineman	23/3/18	15/11/18	Wills 1.
32	Scanlon, James	Rangataua		Labourer	8/5/17	29/11/18	Intestate.
33	Taylor, Emma Hobbs	Wellington		Widow	10/5/18	15/11/18	Wills 2.
34	Tennent, Robert	Greymouth		Ironmonger's assistant	26/6/17	29/11/18	Intestate.
35	Thomasen, Bertie Vernon	Wai-iti		Labourer	29/9/16	27/11/18	Testate.
36	Townsend, Frederick Charles	Dunedin		Moulder	17/11/17	27/11/18	,,
37	Wood, Charles_Edgar	Taranaki		Farm-manager	24/5/18		,,

Wellington, 3rd December, 1918.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

Notice to Mariners .- No. 72 of 1918.

Marine Department.

Wellington, N.Z., 2nd December, 1918.

THE following notice, which has been received from the Naval Adviser, is published for the information of shipowners and others concerned.

GEORGE ALLPORT.

Naval Adviser's Office, H.M.S. "Philomel,"
Wellington, 30th November, 1918.
In view of the recently established facilities for wireless

communication between shipowners in New Zealand and ships at sea, the Naval Adviser desires to notify to all concerned that shipowners should take any steps considered necessary by them to be informed of any maritime disaster happening to their vessels in the waters surrounding New Zealand, and should no longer rely upon being acquainted with such matters by the local Naval authorities, who have necessarily been the channel of such communications until now.

It is further notified that the Naval Adviser's Office and the Naval Intelligence Office will, in the near future, observe ordinary Government working hours, and that neither office will be open continuously as hitherto.

P. H. HALL-THOMPSON, Captain, R.N., Naval Adviser.

Notice to Mariners.-No. 73 of 1918.

HOKIANGA RIVER EXTENSION .- BAR CHANGES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd December, 1918.

NOTICE No. 71, of November, 1918, should read: The channel on the bar at the Hokianga River entrance has altered to the northward, and now carries a depth on the bar of 18 ft. with the flagstaff bearing 91° (N. 76° E. magnetic).

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 1091 and 2525; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vii,

page 201; "New Zealand Nautical Almanae," 1918, page 451, and page 453 of 1919 Almanac.

GEORGE ALLPORT,

Secretary.

Soldiers' Property Boards of Trustees appointed.

National Efficiency Board, Wellington, 25th November, 1918.

Wellington, 25th November, 1918.

I T is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the regulations relating to the management of soldiers' properties made on the 2nd April, 1917, under the War Regulations Act, 1914, and its amendments, the Minister of Defence has constituted and appointed the following Soldiers' Property Boards of Trustees, namely:—

1. The HAROLD ARTHUR HOPKINS SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of George Elliot, of Auckland, District Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur William Gillies, of Auckland, Expert Adviser to the Auckland Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur Edwards Manning, of Hamilton, Business Man; Henry Valder, of Hamilton, Business Man; and Campbell Larnach MacDiarmid, of Hamilton, Solicitor.

2. THE RICHARD JOHN STEVENSON GRAY SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of George Elliot, of Auckland, District Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur William Gillies, of Auckland, Expert Adviser to the Auckland Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur Edwards Manning, of Hamilton, Business

Board; Arthur Edwards Manning, of Hamilton, Business Man; and Harold Grocott, of Hamilton, Chemist.

3. The William Hicks Soldiers' Property Board of Trustees.—Consisting of George Elliot, of Auckland, District Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur William Gillies, of Auckland, Expert Adviser to the Auckland Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Dawson Donaldson, of Waihi, Boot-retailer; and John Blennerhassett, of Waihi, Law Clerk.

WILLIAM FERCUSON

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Chairman.