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. | Residence. | Occupation. | Date of Death. | Date Election filed. | Testate or Intestate. | Office administering. |
|-----|--|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Brace, Joseph Dicer | Auckland | Bushman | 19/10/18 | 30/10/19 | Testate | Auckland. |
| 2 | Butler, Joseph Taylor | Wangaehu, Masterton | Farm labourer | 4/10/17 | 29/10/19 | ,, | Wellington. |
| 3 | Campbell, Kenneth Neil | Kononi, Otago | ,, | | 31/10/19 | Intestate | Dunedin. |
| 4 | Carswell, George Alexander | Bridge Creek, Master- ton | Farmer | 16/5/18 | 30/10/19 | ,, | Wellington. |
| 5 | Cook, Joseph | Eltham | Contractor | | 30/10/19 | ,, | ,, |
| 6 | Cooper, Mary Jewell | Wellington | Married woman | | 29/10/19 | Testate | ,, |
| [7 | Green, Robert | Westport and Gis- borne | Labourer | 9/10/18 | 30/10/19 | ,, | ,, |
| 8 | Hooper, Robert Gray | Dunedin | Clerk | | 1/11/19 | Intestate | Dunedin. |
| 9 | King, Alexander Hamilton | Reefton | Contractor | | 30/10/19 | Testate | Wellington. |
| 10 | King, Janet | ,, | Widow | | 30/10/19 | ,, | ,, |
| 11 | Lee, James | Kawakawa | Telegraph lineman | 30/9/18 | 1/11/19 | ,, | Auckland. |
| 12 | MacLachlan, Alexander | Mangatawhiri Valley | Farmer | | 29/10/19 | ,, | ,,, |
| 13 | McAlister, George or George Benjamin | Kaiapoi | Labourer | | 31/10/19 | ,, | Christehurch |
| 14 | McCullough, Sarah | Christchurch | Widow | | 30/10/19 | ,, | ,, |
| 15 | Nicol, Alexander; or Robert- son, Alexander | • | Labourer | 1 ' ' | 30/10/19 | ,, | Dunedin. |
| 16 | Norris, Patrick | Wanganui | Shipbuilder | 14/12/18 | | . ,, | Wellington. |
| 17 | Panter, George Iles | Onehunga | Pensioner | 19/2/19 | 1/11/19 | ,, | Auckland. |
| 18 | Renall, Richard Percy | Pehiakura, Waiuku | Farmer | | 30/10/19 | Intestate | ,, |
| 19 | Schaumann, William Ander- son | Dunedin | Marine engineer | | 29/10/19 | Testate | Dunedin. |
| 20 | Scott, Edward Askew | Dobson and Hamner Springs | Inspector of Schools | 27/8/19 | 29/10/19 | ,, • | Christchurch |
| 21 | Sloan, David | Ngatea, Hauraki Plains | Farm labourer | 25/6/17 | 29/10/19 | ,, | Wellington. |
| 22 | Smith, Frederick | Rotorua | | 21/11/18 | 30/10/19 | Intestate | Auckland. |
| 23 | Talbot, Richard McIntosh | Opotiki and Bull's | | | 30/10/19 | Testate | ,, |
| 24 | Trowern, Harold Clarence | Wha ng a m o m o n a, Taranaki | Farmer | 8/11/18 | 29/10/19 | ,, | New Ply mouth. |
| 25 | Wareham, William Henry | Waimea or Waimiha | Railway surface- man | 29/9/18 | 30/10/19 | ,, | Auckland. |
| 26 | Watkins, George William | Te Mata, Auckland | Farmer | 27/11/18 | 30/10/19 | Intestate | ,, |
| 27 | Watts, Cyril | Napier | Law clerk | 9/11/18 | 1/11/19 | ,, | Wellington. |
| 28 | Wood, Edgar Alfred | Lowburn Ferry, Otago | Farmer | 26/8/18 | 30/10/19 | Testate | Dunedin. |
| 29 | Woodhouse, Alice Mabel Emma | Roxburgh | Housewife | 27/12/18 | 1/11/19 | Intestate | ** |

Wellington, 3rd November, 1919.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 4th November, 1919.

To is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—"Not otherwise enumerated" appears as n.o.e.; "other kinds" as ok.; "articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion" as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

| | | | Rate of Duty. | |
|----------|--|---|--------------------|--|
| Record. | Goods. | Classification under Tariff, and Item No. | General Tariff. | Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods |
| | A. and m.s., viz. :— | | | |
| 8/41 | Silk of the same quality as is used for | 7 | | |
| -, | flour-dressing, when cut up in New | | | |
| | Zealand under supervision into sizes | | | |
| | not exceeding 8 in. by 13 in. for use in | As a. and m.s. (482) | Free. | |
| | making typewriter-stencils | | | |
| 3/15/2 | Tin necks and capsules for making | | | |
| 3/262/2 | Buckles, leather-covered, for the manu- | As manufactured articles of metal | 20 per cent | 10 per cent. |
| 5/202/2 | facture of rain-coats, ladies' belts, &c. | n.o.e. (183) | 20 per cent | To per cent. |
| | Educational apparatus, viz. : | moioi (100) | | - |
| 3/170/7 | Balances, viz., Salter's and similar spring | lη · | · | · · · |
| | balances, marked to weigh in grammes | | | |
| | only | | | |
| 6/112 | Pictures illustrating Biblical incidents | As educational apparatus, &c. (441) | Free. | |
| | and bearing a label permanently affixed | | , | |
| | descriptive of such incidents, not ex- ceeding in invoice price 1s. per dozen | | | |
| 13/4/2 | Labels, adhesive, embossed, composed of | As printed labels (142) | 3d. per pound | ≩d. per pound. |
| -0, -, - | cardboard with thin metal facing | princes acces (112) | oar per poura | 5 an Post Pousses |
| 13/4/2 | Letters, initial, composed of cardboard | As n.o.e. (483) | Free. | |
| | with thin metal facing, for hatters' use | | , | |
| | Motor-vehicles, accessories for, viz.:- | <u>, </u> | | |
| 11/32/31 | Hubs for motor-car wheels | As parts of motor-vehicles (194A) | 10 per cent. | 10 per cent. |