

Situated in Mohaka Block (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 666, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51887, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 11th day of July, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

Change of Headquarters of a Regimental District.

Defence Department,
Wellington, 4th July, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to amend the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated 9th June, 1921, relative to the constitution of military districts, by deleting the word "Napier" as the headquarters of No. 7 Regimental District, and substituting therefor the word "Dannevirke."

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Election of Member of Board of Appeal under Public Service Act, 1912.

Office of Returning Officer,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 8th July, 1921.

I HEREBY give notice that an extraordinary election for a member of the Board of Appeal under the Public Service Act, 1912, was held on the 27th day of June, 1921, when the following votes were recorded:—

Hawthorne, Edmund Frank	2,533
Irvine, James Hanna	959
Kelly, James Michael	390
Informal	707

Mr. EDMUND FRANK HAWTHORNE having received the highest number of votes, I declare him to be duly elected as a member of the Public Service Board of Appeal.

WM. J. GOW, Returning Officer.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Alexandra Hall Society is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of July, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Invercargill Municipal Band is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of July, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Bank Statements.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1921.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	4,694,390	7	8
Bills in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	95,416	12	4
Balances due to other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	487,379	5	10
Government deposits .. .. .	.. .. .	8,188,534	15	8
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	13,753,391	7	3
Bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	7,991,507	9	2
Total average liabilities		£35,210,619	17	11

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals				
.. .. .	.. .. .	3,434,339	18	2
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. .. .	.. .. .	1,853	2	0
Legal tender notes of other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	150,357	9	3
Notes and bills of other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	211,223	13	8
Balances due from other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	21,879	11	3
Landed property .. .. .	.. .. .	204,857	18	8
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. .. .	.. .. .	2,041,914	14	7
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. .. .	.. .. .	3,236,847	15	0
3. Other funded securities .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. .. .	.. .. .	23,876,047	7	10
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. .. .	.. .. .	409,123	11	8
Total average assets		£33,588,445	2	1

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June 1921:—

4 per-cent. guaranteed stock, £529,988.
Preference "A" shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920, £500,000.
Preference "B" shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920, £625,000.
Ordinary shares, £2,250,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on—
Preference "A" shares, 10 per cent. per annum.
Preference "B" shares, equal to 10 per cent. per annum.
Ordinary shares, equal to 13½ per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared on—
Preference "A" shares, £50,000.
Preference "B" shares, £62,500.
Ordinary shares, £300,000.

(On the Guaranteed Stock £10,599, interest for six months, was paid on 1st May, 1921.)

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,886,275.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of July, 1921.

H. BUCKLETON, General Manager.
A. H. BATH, Accountant.

[NOTE.—The above are the figures for New Zealand only.]

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1921.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	924,157	7	0
Bills in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	20,274	13	1
Balances due to other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Government deposits .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	3,005,730	12	4
Bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	1,131,573	2	9
Total average liabilities		£5,081,735	15	2

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals				
.. .. .	.. .. .	954,890	9	11
Legal tender notes of other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	9,116	2	6
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. .. .	.. .. .	776	3	1
Notes and bills of other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	62,655	14	8
Balances due from other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Landed property .. .. .	.. .. .	123,768	6	4
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. .. .	.. .. .	197,817	15	0
2. Colonial Government securities .. .. .	.. .. .	154,763	1	11
3. Other funded securities .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. .. .	.. .. .	5,732,322	4	1
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. .. .	.. .. .	11,469	2	9
Total average assets		£7,247,579	0	3

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £3,500,000.
Rate of the last dividend and bonus declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum and bonus 3 per cent. per annum, equal to 13 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend and bonus declared, £455,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £3,220,874.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of July, 1921.

PERCY H. COX, Inspector.
W. ROSS, Accountant.