

Members of the Foxton Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 24th June, 1922.

THE undermentioned persons have been appointed or elected to be members of the Foxton Fire Board, constituted under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908:—

Appointed by the Governor-General—
John K. Hornblow.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
F. G. Cray.
E. C. Rowe.

Elected by the Foxton Borough Council—
John Chrystall.
Robert Bryant.
Arthur Nalder Smith.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

First Meeting of the Foxton Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 28th June, 1922.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, I, William Downie Stewart, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, hereby appoint the Foxton Hall, Foxton, at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, the 5th July, 1922, to be the place, time, and date for holding the first meeting of the Foxton Fire Board.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Regulations for Deer-shooting, Rotorua Acclimatization District (Rotorua Red Deer Area).

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, William Downie Stewart, Minister of Internal Affairs, do hereby notify that the following imported game—viz., red deer—may be destroyed in that part of the Rotorua Acclimatization District known as the Rotoiti Red Deer Area, which comprises all that land commencing at the Kaituna River at Lake Rotoiti; thence by the river to its intersection with the Tauranga County boundary, by that boundary and a right line in an easterly direction to the Tarawera River; thence by the Tarawera River to the bridge at the intersection of the Te Teko-Rotorua Road; thence by that road to the shore of Lake Rotoiti, and by the northerly shore of that lake to the place of commencement at the Kaituna River; excepting therefrom an area of one mile radius from the Okere Power-station, which is a sanctuary for all native and imported game.

REGULATIONS.

1. NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained in the regulations made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, dated 20th January, 1922, the General Manager of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, or any person or persons duly authorized in writing by such General Manager, may, during the period hereinafter mentioned, destroy red deer of either sex and of any age which, in the opinion of the said General Manager or of the said authorized persons, should be destroyed either by reason of age, deformity, or any other reason.

2. Such deer may be destroyed as aforesaid from the date hereof to the 30th September, 1922 (both days inclusive).

3. A return shall be furnished to the Minister of Internal Affairs by the said General Manager within one calendar month after the expiry of the aforesaid period, and such return shall state the number and sexes of all red deer so destroyed as aforesaid, the dates, and name of person by whom and the locality in which the deer were destroyed.

4. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorizing any person to sell any deer or any portion thereof.

5. Any person who commits a breach of any of the provisions of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 26th day of June, 1922.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 23rd June, 1922.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Hamilton, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Hamilton taken on the 16th day of June, 1922, on the proposal of the Hamilton Borough Council to borrow the sum of £12,000 for the following purpose—for the purchase, construction, erection, and fitting of electric lines, machinery, lamps, meters, fittings, and appliances for distributing and measuring electricity, and for supplying electricity to consumers, and for the purpose of the Council and for lighting streets—the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 134, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 69; total number of voters, 203.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1922.

JOHN R. FOW, Mayor.

Cancellation of Notice fixing the Closing-hours of all the Shops in the Borough of Morrinsville, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops within the Borough of Morrinsville, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 5th July, 1917, fixing the closing-hours of all the shops in the Borough of Morrinsville be cancelled:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops within the Borough of Morrinsville:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I do hereby direct that the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 5th July, 1917, fixing the closing-hours of all the shops in the Borough of Morrinsville shall be and is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of June, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing the Closing-hours of all the Grocers' Shops in the City of Nelson, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops in the City of Nelson, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the city be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, at 5.30 p.m., Fridays at 6 p.m. with the following exception—should the occupier of any shop affected by this requisition observe, pursuant to section 14 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, Saturday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Wednesdays shall be 5.30 p.m.:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops within the City of Nelson:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I do hereby direct that on and after the 6th day of July, 1922, all the grocers' shops within the City of Nelson shall be closed accordingly.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 28th July, 1921, fixing the closing-hours of grocers' shops in the City of Nelson is hereby cancelled as from the date of coming into operation of this notice.

Dated at Wellington this 21st day of June, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing the Closing-hours of all the Grocers' Shops in the Borough of Hamilton, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops in the Borough of Hamilton, has been forwarded to me, desiring