

that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 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 Borough of Hamilton:

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 Borough of Hamilton shall be closed accordingly. The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 10th March, 1921, fixing the closing-hours of (1) grocers' and (2) general storekeepers' shops in the Borough of Hamilton is hereby cancelled as from the date of the coming into operation of this notice.

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

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Notice prohibiting the Sale in the Borough of Masterton of certain Goods comprised in the Trade of a Tobacconist, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.*

WHEREAS a petition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the Borough of Masterton, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of certain goods comprised in the trade of a tobacconist—namely, tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes—be prohibited during such times as the said shops are required to be closed in pursuance of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the sale of the said goods is comprised in the trade of a tobacconist in the said district, and that the signatures to such petition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops in the said district:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 33 of the said Act, I do hereby direct that on and after the 6th day of July, 1922, the sale of the said goods in the Borough of Masterton shall be and is hereby prohibited as follows: On Mondays and Wednesdays after the hour of 8 p.m., on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays after the hour of 6 p.m., and on Fridays after the hour of 9.30 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) on the working-day that first precedes any of the special days (other than Christmas Day and New Year's Day) mentioned in or coming within the meaning of section 19 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, after the hour of 9.30 p.m.; (2) on the working-day that first precedes Christmas Day and on the working-day that first precedes New Year's Day, after the hour of 10 p.m.

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

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Notice prohibiting the Sale in the Borough of Westport of certain Goods comprised in the Trade of a Tobacconist, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.*

WHEREAS a petition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the Borough of Westport, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of certain goods comprised in the trade of a tobacconist—namely, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, cigarette papers and holders, tobacco-pouches, smoking-pipes, walking-sticks, and smokers' requisites—be prohibited during such times as the said shops are required to be closed in pursuance of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the sale of the said goods is comprised in the trade of a tobacconist in the said district, and that the signatures to such petition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops in the said district:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 33 of the said Act, I do hereby direct that on and after the 6th day of July, 1922, the sale of the said goods in the Borough of Westport shall be and is hereby prohibited as follows: On Mondays and Wednesdays after the hour of 8 p.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays after the hour of 6 p.m., and on Saturdays after the hour of 10 p.m.

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

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, prohibiting the Sale in the City of Nelson of certain Goods comprised in the Trade of a Tobacconist.*

WHEREAS a petition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the City of Nelson, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of certain goods comprised in the trade of a tobacconist—namely, cigarettes, cigars, tobaccos, pipes, and walking-sticks—be prohibited during such times as the said shops are

required to be closed in pursuance of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the sale of the said goods is comprised in the trade of a tobacconist in the said district, and that the signatures to such petition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops in the said district:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 33 of the said Act, I do hereby direct that on and after the 6th day of July, 1922, the sale of the said goods in the City of Nelson shall be and is hereby prohibited as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after the hour of 6 p.m., and on Fridays and Saturdays after the hour of 9 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) on the working-day that first precedes Good Friday, after the hour of 9 p.m.; (2) on the working-day that first precedes Christmas Day and on the working-day that first precedes New Year's Day the sale of the said goods is not prohibited.

Dated at Wellington this 28th day of June, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Notice prohibiting the Sale in the Borough of Napier of certain Goods comprised in the Trade of a Tobacconist, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.*

WHEREAS a petition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the Borough of Napier, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of certain goods comprised in the trade of a tobacconist—namely, cigarettes, tobaccos, and smokers' requisites—be prohibited during such times as the said shops are required to be closed in pursuance of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the sale of the said goods is comprised in the trade of a tobacconist in the said district, and that the signatures to such petition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops in the said district:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 33 of the said Act, I do hereby direct that on and after the 6th day of July, 1922, the sale of the said goods in the Borough of Napier shall be and is hereby prohibited as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays after the hour of 6 p.m., on Wednesdays after the hour of 8 p.m., and on Fridays and Saturdays after the hour of 9 p.m., with the following exception—on the working-day that first precedes the People's Day at each of the Shows held under the auspices of the Hawke's Bay Agricultural and Pastoral Society, on the working-days in the period from the 20th December to the 31st December, both days inclusive, and on the working-day that first precedes each of the special days mentioned in or coming within the meaning of section 19 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, the sale of the said goods is not prohibited.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of June, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Conscience-money received.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1922.

I AM directed to acknowledge receipt of the sum of £1, forwarded to the Treasury by a person unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

J. J. ESSON, Secretary to the Treasury.

*The Arms Act, 1920.—Appointment of Authorized Officer.*

Police Department,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1922.

PURSUANT to the regulations under the Arms Act, 1920, I, Arthur Hobbins Wright, the Commissioner of Police, do hereby appoint the senior member of the Force for the time being in charge of Chatham Islands Police-station to be an authorized officer for the purposes of the said Act.

A. H. WRIGHT, Commissioner of Police.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

NOTICE.—HENRY ALFRED MILLER BROMFIELD, Esq., of Daylesford, in the State of Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, has this day been appointed by the Right Honourable Sir Robert Stout, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

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

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Registrar, Supreme Court, Wellington.