

for payment at earlier dates if it is found that more than a due proportion of the timber has been cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Conservator the interests of the Crown are being jeopardized.

5. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

6. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents, must be made quarterly by the licensee each quarter ending on the last day of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species.

7. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

8. The licensee shall take all reasonable precautions by way of providing such safeguards as may be required by the Conservator for the prevention of damage to the adjacent bush by fires whether caused by sparks from locomotives, log-haulers, or otherwise, and shall be liable for any damage thereto in consequence of any negligence or disregard of these conditions on the part of the licensee or his workman, such damage to be assessed by the Conservator of Forests, whose decision shall be final.

9. All timber must be cut to the best advantage, and milling must be carried on regularly and generally in a manner approved of by the Conservator. The Crown reserves the right to withdraw from the license such areas as from time to time are cleared of merchantable timber, and as areas are withdrawn, ground rent will be reduced *pro rata*.

10. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of any lot or in these conditions.

11. The settlement of any disputes shall be effected by the Conservator of Forests, and there will be a right of appeal to the Commissioner of State Forests, whose decision in all cases shall be final. Should the licensee fail to fulfil any and every obligation incumbent upon him the license will be subject to cancellation.

12. The Commissioner of State Forests may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through the land by other persons than the licensee.

13. The successful tenderer will be granted a license to cut the timber for the period of two years and a half; and such license will not be extended. The license will not be transferable, except with the consent of the Commissioner of State Forests. Cutting operations must commence within nine months of the date of the license.

14. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.

15. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application at the upset price until further notice.

16. The successful tenderer shall only be permitted to cut timber on private lands and Warden's licenses simultaneously with the lot mentioned herein by obtaining permission from the Commissioner of State Forests.

17. The successful tenderer shall have the right to cut, use, sell, or otherwise dispose of any species of timber not included in the Schedule herein on terms and conditions to be agreed upon, and provided the written consent of the Conservator be first had and obtained.

18. Tenders should be addressed "Conservator of Forests, Invercargill," and envelopes endorsed "Tender for Timber."

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the Director, Head Office, State Forest Service, Wellington, or the undersigned.

D. MACPHERSON, Conservator of Forests.

#### BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Auckland.*

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM KENTISH McLEAN, of Paeroa, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 12th day of October, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

6th October, 1922.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims; promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends:—

Skipper, J. F. (deceased), late of Matata: First dividend of 2s. in the pound.

Mataia Limited (in liquidation), of Glorit, Kaipara: First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.

Wither, A. J., of Walton. Farmer: Supplementary dividend of 1s. in the pound (making 19s. 2d. in the pound).

W. S. FISHER, Official Assignee.  
Auckland, 18th September, 1922.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Hamilton District.*

In the matter of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908; and in the matter of JOHN ALLEN, of Matamata, Engineer, a bankrupt.

TAKE notice that on the application of the above-named bankrupt, and upon reading the affidavit of the bankrupt sworn and filed herein, and upon hearing Mr. Fleming of counsel for the above-named bankrupt, it is ordered that the order of adjudication dated the 26th day of April, 1922, against JOHN ALLEN, of Matamata, Engineer, be and the same is hereby annulled.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1922.

W. S. FISHER, Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Hamilton.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR GEORGE TIBBY, ST. CLAIR MACDONALD, and FREDERICK C. MACDONALD, trading as "Tibby and MacDonald," Motor-garage Proprietors, Hamilton, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Tuesday, the 24th day of October, 1922, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

10th October, 1922.

V. H. SANSON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT ST. CLAIR, of Gisborne, Confectioner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1922, at 2 o'clock p.m.

3rd October, 1922.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.*

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES EMIL HINDRUP, of Ormond, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1922, at 3 o'clock p.m.

3rd October, 1922.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.*

NOTICE is hereby given that HAUA KATIPA, of Puha, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1922, at 2 o'clock p.m.

6th October, 1922.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.