

*Open Season for Deer-shooting, Rotorua Acclimatization District
(Galatea Red-deer Herd Area), Whakatane County.*

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 of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the period from the 26th day of March, 1923, to the 26th day of April, 1923 (both days inclusive), to be an open season in the Rotorua Acclimatization District for the taking or killing of the following imported game—viz., red-deer stags—within that part of the said acclimatization district described in the First Schedule hereto, subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. LICENSES to take or kill red-deer stags may be issued by the Government Tourist Agent at Rotorua, on payment of a license fee of £3, in the form prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Act and regulations thereunder and this notification. The number of such licenses shall not exceed fourteen. Provided that not more than one such license shall be issued to the same person.

2. No licensee shall take or kill more than two stags, and no stag shall be killed carrying antlers with less than ten points.

3. Each licensee must give notice to the said Government Tourist Agent of the date on which it is his intention to stalk; such notice to be given, in writing or by telegraph, two clear days before commencing to stalk.

4. No hind or fawn shall be taken or killed on any pretext whatever; and no licensee shall allow any dog to accompany either himself or any attendant he may have with him.

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

6. Regulations as to deer "tags," contained in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 20th May, 1909, page 1408, shall be strictly adhered to by each licensee, who, in addition thereto, shall return all unused "tags" to the Government Tourist Agent at Rotorua immediately he has finished stalking for the season for which such "tags" have been issued, together with the number of deer shot.

7. Nothing in any license to take or kill red-deer stags shall authorize the holder thereof to take or kill red-deer stags on lands actually and exclusively used by any registered acclimatization society for acclimatization purposes, or on any sanctuary or public domain, or on any land excepted from the operation of the notification declaring an open season for the district.

8. Any person committing a breach of any of these conditions is liable, on conviction, to a fine of £20.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

All that area of land in Whakatane County within a radius of fifteen miles from the homestead of H. E. Troutbeck, Esq., Galatea.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

No.

License to take or kill Imported Game (Deer).

of , having this day paid the sum of £3, is hereby authorized to take or kill two red-deer stags, of not less than ten points, within that part of the Rotorua Acclimatization District as described in the endorsement hereon, from the day of , 1923, to the day of , 1923 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and all regulations and notifications affecting red-deer stags made thereunder and in force within the said district.

This license does not authorize the holder thereof to take or kill red-deer stags on lands actually and exclusively used by any registered acclimatization society for acclimatization purposes, or on any sanctuary or public domain, or on any land excepted from the operation of the notification declaring an open season for the district.

Dated at Rotorua this day of , 1923.

Government Tourist Agent.

ENDORSEMENT.

• • District to which License relates.

All that area of land in Whakatane County within a radius of fifteen miles from the homestead of H. E. Troutbeck, Esq., Galatea.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 28th day of February, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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*Open Season for Deer-shooting, Rotorua Acclimatization District
(Waikaremoana).*

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 of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the period from the 26th day of March, 1923, to the 26th day of April, 1923 (both days inclusive), to be an open season in the Rotorua Acclimatization District for the taking or killing of the following imported game—viz., red-deer stags—within that part of the said acclimatization district described in the First Schedule hereto, subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. LICENSES to take or kill red-deer stags may be issued by the Postmistress at Waikaremoana, on payment of a license fee of £3, in the form prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Act and regulations thereunder and this notification; provided that not more than one such license shall be issued to the same person.

2. No licensee shall take or kill more than three stags, and no stag shall be killed carrying antlers with less than ten points.

3. Each licensee must give notice to the said Postmistress of the date on which it is his intention to stalk, such notice to be given, in writing or by telegraph, two clear days before commencing to stalk.

4. No hind or fawn shall be taken or killed on any pretext whatever; and no licensee shall allow any dog to accompany either himself or any attendant he may have with him.

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

6. Regulations as to deer "tags," contained in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 20th May, 1909, page 1408, shall be strictly adhered to by each licensee, who, in addition thereto, shall return all unused "tags" to the Postmistress at Waikaremoana immediately he has finished stalking for the season for which such "tags" have been issued, together with the advice of number of deer shot.

8. Any person committing a breach of any of these conditions is liable, on conviction, to a fine of £20.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

All that area in the Rotorua Acclimatization District, being the land situated within an area or radius of ten miles from the shores of Lake Waikaremoana, excluding the Mahia Peninsula.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

No.

License to take or kill Imported Game (Deer).

of , having this day paid the sum of £3, is hereby authorized to take or kill three red-deer stags, of not less than ten points, within that part of the Rotorua Acclimatization District being the land situated within an area or radius of ten miles from the shores of Lake Waikaremoana, excluding the Mahia Peninsula, from the day of , 1923, to the day of , 1923 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and all regulations and notifications affecting red-deer stags made thereunder and in force within the said district.

Dated at Waikaremoana this day of , 1923.

..... Postmistress.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 28th day of February, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Open Season for Deer-shooting, South Canterbury Acclimatization District.

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 of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the period from the 2nd day of April, 1923, to the 20th day of May, 1923 (both days inclusive), to be an open season in the South Canterbury Acclimatization District, described in the First Schedule hereto, for the taking or killing of the following imported game—viz., fallow-deer bucks—subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. LICENSES to take or kill fallow-deer bucks may be issued by the Postmaster at Temuka, upon the recommendation of the secretary of the South Canterbury Acclimatization