

RETIREMENTS, ETC.—*continued.*

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Elstob, Esther Evelyn ..	Nurse ..	Christchurch ..	14 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
MINES DEPARTMENT.				
Kane, James ..	Yardman ..	State Coal Depot, Christchurch	31 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
Weavers, George William	„ ..	Ditto ..	31 „ „	„
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Roberts, Kate ..	Sub-overseer, Girls' Room..	Wellington ..	21 April, 1923	Retired on superannuation.
Woollven, Richard Thomas	Compositor ..	„ ..	7 „ „	Deceased.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.				
Bathgate, Herbert James	Acting Deputy Superintendent	Borstal Institute, Invercargill	16 April, 1923	Deceased.
McLean, James Winchmore	Probationary Warden ..	Paparua Prison, Templeton	31 Mar., „	Appointment annulled.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Dufaur, Frederick Walter	Estates Administration Clerk	Auckland ..	17 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Houldsworth, Frederick ..	Storekeeper's Assistant ..	Wellington ..	14 April, 1923	Services terminated.
Snodgrass, William ..	Draughtsman ..	Hamilton ..	28 Feb., „	Retired, medically unfit.
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.				
Dickey, Samuel Francis ..	Stamper ..	Auckland ..	10 May, 1923	Retired, medically unfit.

*Appointing Thursday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Combined District of Whangarei and Kamo.*

WHEREAS a poll to determine the statutory closing-day in the combined district of Whangarei and Kamo was duly taken under the authority of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, on the 26th day of April, 1923:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Whangarei has notified me that the majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the appointment of Thursday as the statutory closing-day in the said combined district:

Now, therefore, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, do hereby appoint Thursday as the statutory closing-day in the said combined district as from the 21st day of May, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Appointing Wednesday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Borough of Opotiki.*

WHEREAS a poll to determine the statutory closing-day in the Borough of Opotiki was duly taken under the authority of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, on the 26th day of April, 1923:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Opotiki has notified me that the majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the appointment of Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough:

Now, therefore, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, do hereby appoint Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough as from the 21st day of May, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Appointing Wednesday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Borough of Marton.*

WHEREAS a poll to determine the statutory closing-day in the Borough of Marton was duly taken under the authority of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, on the 26th day of April, 1923:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Marton has notified me that the majority of the votes given at such poll

were in favour of the appointment of Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough:

Now, therefore, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, do hereby appoint Wednesday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough as from the 21st day of May, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Appointing Saturday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Borough of Greytown.*

WHEREAS a poll to determine the statutory closing-day in the Borough of Greytown was duly taken under the authority of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, on the 26th day of April, 1923:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Greytown has notified me that the majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the appointment of Saturday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough:

Now, therefore, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, do hereby appoint Saturday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough as from the 21st day of May, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Appointing Saturday as the Statutory Closing-day in the Borough of Kaiapoi.*

WHEREAS a poll to determine the statutory closing-day in the Borough of Kaiapoi was duly taken under the authority of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, on the 26th day of April, 1923:

And whereas the Town Clerk of the Borough of Kaiapoi has notified me that the majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the appointment of Saturday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough:

Now, therefore, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 20 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, do hereby appoint Saturday as the statutory closing-day in the said borough as from the 21st day of May, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 14th day of May, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.