

- (c.) Clear of bush or scrub any portion of the run and sow same in grass ;
 (d.) Surface-sow in grass any portion of the run.
 On expiry of license the value of licensee's improvements will be protected in accordance with the law.
 12. License is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.
 Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Invercargill.

N. C. KENSINGTON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.

State Forest Service,
 Invercargill, 2nd August, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Invercargill, at 4 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the 27th August, 1926.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on Sawmill Area 3B, containing approximately 277½ acres (part State Forest No. 10, Blocks XX and XXI, Jacobs River Hundred), situated close to Fairfax Railway-station.

The total estimated quantity in cubic feet is 243,137, or in board feet 1,506,100, made up as follows:—

| Species, | Cubic Feet, | Board Feet, |
|----------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Rimu | 2,885 | 19,600 |
| Miro | 3,320 | 19,600 |
| Kahikatea | 27,764 | 173,900 |
| Totara | 667 | 4,300 |
| Beech | 208,501 | 1,288,700 |
| Total | 243,137 | 1,506,100 |

Upset price, £1,160.

Ground rent, £13 17s. 6d. per annum.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for £160, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance of the purchase-money be paid by eight equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid four months after the date of sale.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum in excess of current bank overdraft rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

2. In addition the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

3. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.

4. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

5. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

6. 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.

7. 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.

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

9. Tenders should be on the special form obtainable from any office of the State Forest Service, and should be enclosed in envelopes addressed "Conservator of Forests, Invercargill," and endorsed "Tender for Timber."

The conditions which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser, and further particulars, may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

S. A. C. DARBY, Conservator of Forests.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN BOWDEN ROOSE, of 4 Boyle Crescent, Auckland, Insurance Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

29th July, 1926. W. S. FISHER,
 Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS SINCLAIR YATES, of 50 Lillington Road, Remuera, Auckland, Farmer, 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 August, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

2nd August 1926. W. S. FISHER,
 Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ARCHIBALD COCHRANE, of Hamilton, Coachbuilder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

30th July, 1926. V. H. SANSON,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WILLIAM THOMPSON, of Harepepe, Rabbiter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Tuesday, the 10th day of August, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

30th July, 1926. V. H. SANSON,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN LEONARD HAIR, of Whatatutu, Farm Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

28th July, 1926. C. BLACKBURN,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Napier.

NOTICE is hereby given that NGARO WHARE, of Pakipaki, Native Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Thursday, the 5th day of August, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

26th July, 1926. ROBERT BISHOP,
 Deputy Official Assignee.