

West, Ulic Robert Lockhart, Hardy Street, Nelson.
Wharton, Beatrice Ann, Hardy Street, Nelson.
Wharton, George Edwin, Hardy Street, Nelson.
Williams, D. J., and Co., Denniston.

FRANK MITCHELL, Registrar of Poisons.
Magistrate's Court, Nelson, 6th January, 1927.

The Poisons Act, 1908.—Register of Vendors of Poisons for the Marlborough District as on 31st December, 1926.

Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce Department, Dominion Farmers' Institute Building, corner Featherston and Ballance Streets, Wellington.
Ball, Mrs. R., Canvastown.
Bastings, O. P., Blenheim.
Berry, E. G., Picton.
Bunt, A., Picton.
Carr, William, Blenheim.
Clouston, W. E., and Co. (Limited), Blenheim.
Cloughley, T. A., care of Canvastown Co-operative Dairy Factory Company (Limited), Canvastown.
Calder, J., care of Rai Valley Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited), Rai Valley.
Elson, George Edward, Picton.
Findlay, Hugh Osborne, Blenheim.
Foubister, R. A., care of N.Z. Farmers Co-operative Association of Canterbury, Blenheim.
Hazelwood, Ernest J., Picton.
Levin and Co. (Limited), Blenheim.
Leech, G. J., care of N.Z. Farmers Co-operative Association of Canterbury, Blenheim.
Lucas, W. C., care of N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), Blenheim.
Nosworthy, J. A., care of G. J. Penney, Blenheim.
Penney, G. J., Blenheim.
Peek Charles, care of Miller, McKay, and Co., Picton.
Peek, Lawrence, care of Miller, McKay, and Co., Picton.
Perano, Gladys Vera, care of Miller, McKay, and Co., Picton.
Rodley, A., Picton.
Scott, J. G., Agriculture Department, Blenheim.
Smith, E. H., Havelock.
Whiteford, Charles Frederick Alex., Blenheim.
Whiteford, Charles G., United Friendly Societies' Dispensary, Maxwell Road, Blenheim.
Watson, R. E., Renwicktown.
Wilson, W. B., care of N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), Blenheim.

A. F. BENT, Registrar of Poisons.
Magistrates' Court, Blenheim.

Results of Elections of Trustees of Drainage Districts.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th January, 1927.

THE following result of the election of trustees of a drainage district has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON, Under-Secretary.

Hungahunga Drainage District, County of Matamata—
F. E. Hughes, Manawaru Subdivision.
James Orr, Wairere Subdivision.
George T. Newsome, Central Waiheka Subdivision.
Samuel Harvey, Waiwero Subdivision.
William Hallett, North Waiheka Subdivision.
Thomas Thompson, South Waiheka Subdivision.
W. H. Mathers, Piraunui Subdivision.

Notice to Mariners No. 1 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—HAURAKI GULF.—TAMAKI STRAIT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th January, 1927.

Shingle-dredger operating.

INFORMATION is hereby given that a shingle-dredger is operating on the shingle deposits at the southern side of Karamuramu Island in the south-eastern part of Tamaki Strait.

Vessels are warned to keep well clear of the dredger and her moorings.

Publications affected: Admiralty Plan No. 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 207.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 2 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND.—COOK STRAIT.—CLOUDY BAY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 6th January, 1927.

Temporary Existence of Telegraph-cable-repairing Buoy.

INFORMATION is hereby given that a telegraph-cable-repairing buoy exists in the northern portion of Cloudy Bay at a position 217°, distant 4 miles from Robertson Point. It is intended the cable-repairing work shall be completed and the buoy removed before the 15th February, 1927. No further notice will be given.

Publications affected: Admiralty Chart No. 695.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 3 of 1927.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th January, 1927.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.—SAMOA OR NAVIGATOR ISLANDS.—UPOLO ISLAND.—EAST COAST.

Fanuatapu.—Light established.

Position.—On the highest part of the island. Lat. 13° 59' S., long. 171° 22' W. (approx.), on Chart No. 1730.

Abridged Description.—(U) Fl.W. ev. 10 sec., 187 ft., 12 M. *Character.*—Flashing white every 10 seconds, thus: Flash 1.0 sec., eclipse 9.0 sec.

Elevation.—187 ft. (57 m).

Visibility.—12 miles.

Structure.—White structure with red lantern.

Remarks.—This light is unwatched; and its arc of visibility has not yet been concisely prescribed.

Charts affected.—Nos. 1730-1829.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part 6, 1924; Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 5th edition, 1918, page 545.

Authority.—New Zealand Department of External Affairs, 6/1/27.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 4 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND.—EAST COAST.—OTAGO HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th January, 1927.

Depths in Lower Harbour.

Position.—In the channel between Taiaroa Heads and Port Chalmers. Lat. 45° 48½' S., long. 170° 40½' E. on Chart No. 2411.

Details.—Resulting from dredging operations off Hamilton Bay the minimum depth of water at M.L.W.S. in the main channel between Taiaroa Heads and Port Chalmers is now 30 ft.

Chart affected.—No. 2411.

Publications.—"New Zealand Pilot," 1919, page 361; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1927, page 300.

Authority.—Otago Harbour Board, 8/1/27.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 5 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND, NORTH ISLAND.—NORTHERN COAST.—AUCKLAND HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th January, 1927.

Dredging Operations.

ATTENTION of mariners is drawn to dredging operations which from time to time are carried out within the limits of Auckland Harbour, and of the importance that care should be exercised to avoid any dredger and its moorings.

Dredgers will show on the side on which vessels should pass—during daylight a red spherical shape, and during darkness a red light.

Latest information from the Auckland Harbour Board shows that existing dredging-operations are confined to the locality immediately north-westward of Princes Wharf, and that the dredger "Hapai" is moored cardinally at a position (approx.) 304° 600 ft. from its north-western corner, and is working in a south-westerly direction.

Chart affected.—No. 1970.

Publications.—"New Zealand Pilot," 1919, page 192; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1927, page 222.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.