

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—*  
*Notice No. Ag. 2671.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 12th September, 1927.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

James Walter Blyde

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the New Plymouth Borough, the appointment to date as from the 8th September, 1927.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

*Chairman of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd September, 1927.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Ernest Cargill Cutten, Esquire, S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Kaipara, *vice* F. H. Levien, Esquire, S.M., on leave.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Members of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 6th September, 1927.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Josphiah Wedgewood Boon, Esquire,

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Stratford, *vice* C. D. Sole, Esquire, deceased, and

William Dickson Harkness, Esquire,

to be a Member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Nelson.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 13th September, 1927.

**I**T is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

William Kenneth Howell	..	..	Taupo.
George Eric Kay	..	..	Brunner.
James Lockhart	..	..	Tuakau.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Appointments in the Public Service.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1927.

**T**HE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service :—

William James Kerr Taylor, Esquire,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Tokaanu, as from the 3rd September, 1927.

Francis Albert Dale, Esquire,

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Bethlehem, as from the 7th April, 1927.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Appointment of Deputy District Public Trustee.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by section 3 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1921-22, I, the Public Trustee of the Dominion of New Zealand, have appointed James Pearson White of the Public Trust Office, Whangarei, to be deputy of the District Public Trustee, Whangarei, during the absence of such District Public Trustee from his headquarters, and all previous appointments in this behalf are hereby revoked.

Dated at Wellington, this 9th day of September, 1927.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

*Extradition Treaty with Albania.*

Police Department,  
Wellington, 8th September, 1927.

**T**HE following despatch and enclosure received from His Majesty's Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs are published for general information.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

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NEW ZEALAND.  
Dominions No. 401.

Downing Street, 19th July, 1927.

**S**IR,—With reference to my despatch Dominions No. 303 of the 20th May, I have the honour to transmit, for the information of His Majesty's Government in New Zealand, copies of the Albania (Extradition) Order in Council, 1927, dated the 27th June.

I have, &c.,  
L. S. AMERY.

Governor-General His Excellency  
General Sir C. Fergusson, Bart.,  
LL.D., G.C.M.G., K.C.B., D.S.O., M.V.O., &c.

[Extract from the *London Gazette* of Friday, 1st July, 1927.]

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 27th day of June, 1927.

Present :

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.  
Lord President.  
Lord Chamberlain.  
Lord Colebrooke.  
Lt. Col. Hon. G. F. Stanley.  
Major G. C. Tryon.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 (a) to 1906 (b), it was amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that His Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of His Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient :

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the 22nd day of July, 1926, between His Majesty and the President of the Albanian Republic for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following :—

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India; and His Excellency the President of the Albanian Republic; having determined, by common consent, to conclude a treaty for the extradition of criminals, have accordingly named as their plenipotentiaries :

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India :—

William Edmund O'Reilly, Esq., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Albanian Republic ;

And His Excellency the President of the Albanian Republic :  
Monsieur Hussein Vrioni, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Minister of Justice *ad interim* ;

Who, after having exhibited to each other their respective full powers, and found them in good and due form, have agreed upon the following articles :—

ARTICLE 1.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other, under certain circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty, those persons who, being accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences enumerated in Article 2, committed within the jurisdiction of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party.

ARTICLE 2.

Extradition shall be reciprocally granted for the following crimes or offences :—

1. Murder (including assassination, parricide, infanticide, poisoning), or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
4. Rape.

(a) 33 & 34 V. c. 52.

(b) 6 E. 7. c. 15.