

*Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Assistant Registrar dissolving a Society.*

I, WALTER HAROLD FLETCHER, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Palmerston North Metal Carters Association (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on its operations and has become defunct, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this 29th day of October, 1928.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

*Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Acting Assistant Registrar dissolving a Society.*

I, JOHN HENRY MCKAY, Acting Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Premier Club (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on its operations and has become defunct, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this 31st day of October, 1928.

JOHN H. MCKAY,  
Acting Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

*Population of the Dominion.*

**R**ETURN of the Estimated Population of the Dominion of New Zealand, Dependencies, and Mandated Territory.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (including Maoris) of New Zealand proper, 30th September, 1928 ..	743,830	712,893	1,456,713
Estimated population of Cook Islands, Niue, &c., 30th September, 1928 ..	7,302	7,050	14,352
Population of Tokelau Islands, census of 1926 ..	523	510	1,033
Estimated population of the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa, 30th June, 1928 ..	22,581	20,588	43,169
<b>Estimated total population of the Dominion of New Zealand, Dependencies, and Mandated Territory</b>	<b>774,236</b>	<b>741,031</b>	<b>1,515,267</b>
<b>New Zealand proper, 30th September, 1928:—</b>			
(a) Estimated population (excluding Maoris) ..	709,785	681,716	1,391,501
(b) Estimated Maori population ..	34,045	31,167	65,212
<b>North Island,—</b>			
(a) Estimated population (including Maoris) ..	481,174	452,309	933,483
(b) " (excluding Maoris) ..	448,648	422,505	871,153
<b>South Island,—</b>			
(a) Estimated population (including Maoris) ..	262,656	260,574	523,230
(b) " (excluding Maoris) ..	261,137	259,211	520,348

Census and Statistics Office,  
Wellington, 7th November, 1928.

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Government Statistician.

*Tenders.*

**T**HE following schedule of tenders passed by the Public Works Department is published for general information:—

Work or Supply.	Price.	Tenderer.
	£ s. d.	
Quote 317: Testing-equipment (items 1, 2 only) ..	76 1 0	A. S. Paterson and Co., Ltd.
Stoke Mental Hospital: Villas ..	33,891 0 0	W. Williamson.
Gisborne-Wairoa via Hangaroa M.H.—		
Carting metal ..	2,520 16 8	R. Skeet.
Procuring and crushing metal ..	5,225 0 0	C. Moffat.
Milton Post-office: Alterations, &c. ..	258 0 0	G. M. Tombs.
Whangarei-Kawakawa M.H.: Formation ..	1,823 0 0	McLean and Matheson.
Waimate High School: Erection ..	7,937 0 0	Munro and Prosser.
Sockburn-Templeton concrete-paving ..	25,366 0 0	P. Graham and Son.
Quote 357: Cable and boxes ..	132 6 3	British General Electric Co., Ltd.
Quote 369: Air-compressors—Two ..	£460 each	J. Burns and Co., Ltd.
Two ..	£547 each	Richardson, McCabe, and Co., Ltd.
Featherston Cemetery: Cross of Sacrifice ..	1,240 0 0	W. Parkinson and Co., Ltd.
Lees Valley Road: Metalling, &c. ..	593 15 0	E. R. Greig.
Paeroa Native School: Alterations ..	250 0 0	F. Parnwell.
Central Miramar water-mains ..	551 4 0	A. C. Fry.
Tomblesons-Rakauoa Deviation No. 2 ..	1,139 6 0	H. S. Nicholas.
Quote 372: Electric-driven winch ..	127 10 0	Collett and Son, Ltd.
Quote 374: Wiring-material ..	121 6 6	Turnbull and Jones, Ltd.
Rakauoa-Matawai: Regrading ..	1,863 14 1	J. King.
Mercer Post-office Building ..	868 0 0	A. Moody.
Cambridge-Rotorua M.H.: Metal ..	1,591 6 8	M. Henderson and Son.
Tokanui Mental Hospital: Quarters ..	2,365 0 0	Morgan and Smith.
Waimate Courthouse: Repairs ..	297 10 0	A. W. Good.
Te Arai Bridge: Erection ..	4,883 19 6	F. Goodman.
Hastings Police-station ..	1,955 6 6	Stanley Bros.
Quote 375: Slate panels ..	30 0 0	National Electrical and Engineering Co., Ltd.
Quote 380: Truck-wheels (cast) ..	540 0 0	N.Z. Electric Steelworks, Ltd.
Sunnyside Hospital: Laying drain ..	554 0 0	Reid Bros.
Quote 382: Portable winch ..	480 14 0	Andersons Ltd.
Quote 384: Transformer ..	177 5 0	Tolley and Son, Ltd.
Te Hana-Topuni M.H.: Formation ..	1,163 0 3	D. Sands.
Ashhurst Post-office: Renovations ..	228 0 0	H. E. Townshend.
N.Z.A.F. Base, Auckland: Roofing ..	433 0 0	Briscoe and Co., Ltd.

Public Works Department, Wellington, 3rd November, 1928.

F. W. FURKERT,  
Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary.