

Motor-vehicles Insurance (Third-party Risks) Act, 1928.

PURSUANT to subsection (6) of section 4 of the Motor-vehicles Insurance (Third-party Risks) Act, 1928, notice is hereby given that the undermentioned companies have notified me of their willingness to undertake, as from the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, insurance business in terms of the above-mentioned Act:—

NAME OF OFFICE.

Alliance Assurance Co., Ltd.
A.P.A. Union.
Atlas Assurance Co., Ltd.
Australian Alliance Assurance Co.
British Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.
Cohen, Bennie S., and Son (N.Z.), Ltd.
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd.
Dental Indemnity Society (for members only of the New Zealand Dental Association).
Eagle, Star, and British Dominions Insurance Co., Ltd.
Farmers' Co-operative Insurance Association of N.Z., Ltd.
General Accident, Fire, and Life Assurance Corporation, Ltd.
Guardian Assurance Co., Ltd.
Hartford Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Insurance Office of Australia, Ltd.
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co., Ltd.
London Assurance.
London and Lancashire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Mercantile and General Insurance Co., Ltd.
National Insurance Co. of N.Z., Ltd.
New Zealand Insurance Co., Ltd.
N.Z. Medical Assurance Society (for members only of the British Medical Association).
N.I.M.U. Mutual Insurance Co. (for members only of Automobile Clubs or Associations affiliated with the North Island Motor Union).
North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., Ltd.
Northern Assurance Co., Ltd.
Norwich and London Accident Insurance Association.
Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, Ltd.
Phoenix Assurance Co., Ltd.
Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd.
Queensland Insurance Co., Ltd.
Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation of London.
Royal Insurance Co., Ltd.
S.I.M.U. Mutual Insurance Association (for members only of motor clubs or associations affiliated with the South Island Motor Union).
South British Insurance Co., Ltd.
Southern Union General Insurance Company of Australasia, Ltd.
Standard Insurance Co., Ltd.
State Fire Insurance Office (Accident Branch).
Sun Insurance Office, Ltd.
Union Assurance Society, Ltd.
United Insurance Co., Ltd.
Victoria Insurance Co., Ltd.
Wairarapa Automobile Association, Mutual Insurance Co. (for members only of the Wairarapa Automobile Association).
Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd.

J. ROBERTSON,

Acting Registrar of Motor-vehicles.

Office of the Registrar of Motor-vehicles,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1929.

Officiating Ministers for 1929.—Notice No. 8.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1929.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

The Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
The Reverend Samuel Fowler Hunter, D.D.

The Ratana Church of New Zealand.

Tawhairoa Eruera.
Aperahama Paenganui.
Te Whitu Piripi.
Rangikapo Ratahi.
Te Kani Tamatea.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE.*Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.*

State Forest Service,
Hokitika, 20th March, 1929.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the

office of the State Forest Service, Hokitika, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 24th day of April, 1929.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND CONSERVATION-REGION.—WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on that piece of land containing 43 acres situated in Block IX, Mawheraiti Survey District, portion of Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1594, about one mile and a half from Totara Flat Railway-station.

The total estimated quantity of timber in cubic feet is 70,520, or in broad feet, 455,300; made up as follows:—

Species.	Cubic Feet.	Board Feet.
Kahikatea	63,641	411,600
Matai	4,329	27,200
Totara	1,786	11,900
Miro	764	4,600
Totals	70,520	455,300

Upset price: £502.

Ground rent: £2 3s. per annum.

Time for removal: Twelve months.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-fourth of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. (license fee) must accompany tender, and the balance be paid by three equal quarterly instalments, the first payment to be made three months after the date of sale.

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

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by an "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. 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.

3. 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.

4. The above-mentioned qualities, quantities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

5. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents must be made quarterly by the licensee on the last days of March, June, September, and December, respectively, in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species. These returns may be ascertained and verified by inspection of the books of the mill, or by such other means as the Conservator may require, and for this purpose the accounts and books shall be open to the inspection of the Conservator, a Forest Ranger, or other duly authorized officer.

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

7. 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.

8. 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.

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

10. 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, Hokitika," 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.

A. D. McGAVOCK, Conservator of Forests.