Department of Industries and Commerce.—Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon us by clause 26 of the Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924, we, the undersigned Gas Referees, duly appointed under the said regulations, do hereby determine that on and from the 15th day of January, 1929, until further notice, the fees which shall be payable by gas companies for the examination and testing, with or without stamping, of meters, shall be as stated hereunder:—

		Each Dry Meter.		Each Wet Meter.		
(a) For meters with a measuring capacity	y of	s.	d.	s.	d.	
not more than 50 cubic feet per he	our	1	0	1	3	
(b) For meters with a measuring capacity	y of					
more than 50 cubic feet per hour l	but .					
not more than 100 cubic feet per he	our	1	6	2	0	
(c) For meters with a measuring capacity	y of					
more than 100 cubic feet per hour	r—					
For the first 100 cubic feet		1	6	2	0	
For each additional 100 cubic f	eet					
or part thereof		0	ą	1	0	

Provided that, for the purpose of computing the foregoing fees, the measuring capacity shall be taken as being that indicated on the meter by the maker:

Provided also, that where a company's meter-testing room is more than three miles from the headquarters of a Gas Examiner or an Inspector of Meters, the following additional fees shall be payable by the company—

- (a) Where a company's meter-testing room is within ten miles of the headquarters of a Gas Examiner or an Inspector of Meters, ten shillings per day or portion of a day that is spent by the Examiner or Inspector in testing the company's meters.
- (b) Where a company's meter-testing room is not within ten miles from the headquarters of a Gas Examiner or an Inspector of Meters, twenty-five shillings per day or portion of a day that is spent by the Examiner or Inspector in testing the company's meters.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of January, 1929.

ALBERT FORD
R. W. HOLMES
J. S. MACLAURIN
Gas Referees.

Notice to Mariners No. 4 of 1929.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 21st January, 1929.

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—PORT NICHOLSON.— LAMBTON HARBOUR.

Jerningham Point: Light-buoy to be replaced by Light-beacon; and Light to be altered from fixed to flashing.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Position: $600 \, \text{ft}$. 000° from Jerningham Point extremity, and $110 \, \text{ft}$. 225° from existing light-buoy. Lat. 41° 17' S., long. 174° 48' E. (approx.).

Details: A concrete cylindrical beacon, the top of which is now about 3 ft. above high-water, is in course of erection in a depth of 28 ft. at M.L.W.S. It is expected the beacon will be completed during March, 1929, upon which a flashing red light, 3 seconds, height 17 ft., will be installed, and the existing light-buoy removed. Further notice will be given.

Charts affected: 803-1423.

Publications: New Zealand Nautical Almanac and Tidetables, 1929, page 161 (No. 69), and page 218; New Zealand Pilot, 1919, page 119.

Authority: Wellington Harbour Board, 15/1/29.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

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Sale of Unclaimed Property.

Police Department, Wellington, 11th January, 1929.

I T is hereby notified that unclaimed property in the hands of the Police at the various police-stations will, if not claimed before Thursday, the 28th February, 1929, be sold thereafter by public auction.

Particulars as to the time and place of sale may be obtained from the Superintendent or Inspector of Police in charge of the district.

W. B. McILVENEY, Commissioner of Police.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Election to Administer Estates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth.

No.	Name.	Occupation.	Residence.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$	Blackman, Philip Etheridge Cheyne, Sarah Jane Empson, George Gordon	Farmer Married woman Warder (formerly bank clerk)	New Plymouth Onehunga, Aukland (formerly Hamilton)	$\begin{array}{c} 20/11/28 \\ 19/1/28 \\ 13/10/28 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c c} 19/1/29 \\ 19/1/29 \\ 15/1/29 \end{array}$	Intestate Testate	N. Plymouth, Wellington. Auckland.
4 5 6	Erceg, Andrew Ivan Fitzgerald, Mary Kinnaird, Mary, or Kinniard,	Gumdigger Domestic servant Spinster	Houhora Wellington Arch Hill	17/9/28 $19/12/28$ $16/12/28$	$\begin{array}{c} 15/1/29 \\ 15/1/29 \\ 19/1/29 \end{array}$	Intestate Testate	Wellington. Auckland.
7 8 9 10 11 12	Mary Mason, John McBeth, Muriel Rowena Sheldon, Charles Treweek, Emma Whitelaw, Archibald Wood, Annie Muir	Labourer		$\begin{array}{c} 2/1/29 \\ 15/12/28 \\ 12/12/28 \\ 17/12/28 \\ 29/12/28 \\ 15/12/28 \\ \end{array}$	19/1/29 15/1/29 19/1/29 15/1/29 19/1/29 19/1/29	Intestate Testate Intestate Testate	Christchurch, Auckland. Wellington. Christchurch, Auckland. Dunedin.