

Hutt By-Election.

18TH DECEMBER, 1929.

RETURN showing the number of votes recorded for each candidate at the Hutt By-election on Wednesday, 18th December, 1929; the number of informal votes; the number of electors who did not vote; the number of electors on the roll; the percentage of votes recorded for candidate elected—(a) To the total number of electors on the roll; and (b) to the total valid votes recorded.

Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Number of Electors on Roll.	Percentage of Votes recorded for Elected Candidate	
	For each Candidate.	Informal.	Total.			(a) To Total Number of Electors on Roll.	(b) To Total Valid Votes recorded.
Johnston ..	2,570	105	12,558	3,740	16,298	30.97	40.53
Kerr ..	4,835						
Nash ..	5,048						
Men on roll ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,204
Women on roll ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,094
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,298
Proportion per cent. of men and women on roll ..	..	..	..	..	..	{ Men .. 50.34 Women .. 49.66	..
Men who voted ..	..	..	..	..	..		6,693
Women who voted ..	..	..	..	..	..	5,865	
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12,558
Proportion per cent. of votes by men and women respectively to total number of votes recorded ..	..	..	..	..	..	{ Men .. 53.3 Women .. 46.7	..
Percentage of votes recorded by men and women respectively to total number of men and women on the roll ..	..	..	..	..	..		81.58
Percentage of the total number of votes recorded to the total number of electors on the roll ..	..	..	..	..	..	77.05	
Percentage of informal votes recorded ..	..	..	..	..	..	0.83	

Chief Electoral Office, Wellington, 12th February, 1930.

G. G. HODGKINS, Chief Electoral Officer.

Amending Notifications under Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, in respect of Auckland, Hawke's Bay, North Canterbury, Otago, South Canterbury, Waimarino, Waitaki, and Westland Acclimatization Districts.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend in the manner hereinafter provided the notifications made under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, more particularly set forth in the Schedule hereto, declaring open seasons for deer in the Auckland, Hawke's Bay, North Canterbury, Otago, South Canterbury, Waimarino, Waitaki, and Westland Acclimatization Districts:

Now, therefore, I, Philip Aldborough de la Perrelle, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby amend the said notifications in the manner set forth in the appropriate column in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Acclimatization District.	Date of Notice.	Number, Date, and Page of Gazette.	How amended.
Auckland ..	28th November, 1929 ..	No. 81 of 5th December, 1929, page 3105..	By deleting paragraph six of conditions.
Hawke's Bay ..	6th November, 1929 ..	No. 77 of 14th November, 1929, page 2884	By deleting paragraph four of conditions.
North Canterbury	22nd November, 1929 ..	No. 80 of 28th November, 1929, page 3074	By deleting paragraph five of conditions.
Otago ..	6th November, 1929 ..	No. 77 of 14th November, 1929, page 2886	By deleting paragraph four of conditions.
South Canterbury	21st November, 1929 ..	No. 80 of 28th November, 1929, page 3075	By deleting paragraph four of conditions.
Waimarino ..	28th November, 1929 ..	No. 81 of 5th December, 1929, page 3106..	By deleting paragraph five of conditions.
Waitaki ..	6th November, 1929 ..	No. 77 of 14th November, 1929, page 2885	By deleting paragraph four of conditions.
Westland ..	28th November, 1929 ..	No. 83 of 12th November, 1929, page 3246	By deleting paragraph five of conditions.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 25th day of February, 1930.

(I.A. 25/28/16.)

P. A. DE LA PERRELLE,
Minister of Internal Affairs.