

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.

WILFRED GILLMAN HALL, Esquire, of Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, has this day been appointed by the Right Honourable Sir Michael Myers, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in the State of Victoria under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of November, 1936.

W. W. SAMSON,
Registrar, Supreme Court, Wellington.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioners,
Wellington, 13th November, 1936.

THE Public Service Commissioners have made the following appointments in the Public Service:—

James Edward Biggar,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Hunterville, as from the 5th day of November, 1936.

Frederick Donald Armour,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Huntly, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Huntly, as from the 30th day of October, 1936.

Frank Auld,

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Otahuhu, Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Otahuhu, and Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Hauraki for the purposes of the Electoral Act, 1927, as from the 2nd day of November, 1936.

G. T. BOLT, Secretary.

The Sharebrokers Act, 1908.—Amendment to the Rules of the Auckland Stock Exchange.

Head Office, Stamp Duties Office,
Wellington, 5th November, 1936.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to approve of the following amendment to the rules of the Auckland Stock Exchange.

M. J. SAVAGE,
For Minister of Stamp Duties.

AUCKLAND STOCK EXCHANGE.

Amendment No. 1 to Rule 34.

RULE 34 is hereby amended by deleting from the second line the sign and figures £10, and substituting therefor the sign and figures £20.

JOHN W. FRATER, Chairman.
W. M. BARTON, Secretary.

Approved in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 17th November, 1936.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman, Makerua Drainage Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

M. J. SAVAGE,
Acting Minister of Finance.

MAKERUA DRAINAGE BOARD.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to Raise a Loan of £1,200.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Makerua Drainage District taken on the 11th day of November, 1936, on the proposal of the Makerua Drainage Board to borrow the sum of one thousand two hundred pounds for the purpose of widening and deepening Akers' Drain, Lynch's Drain, and Old Main Drain—

Votes.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was . . . 113
The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 51

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1936.

HERMAN SEIFERT, Chairman.

Regulations as to Drainage and Plumbing under the Health Act, 1920, applied to the Warkworth Town District.

Department of Health,
Wellington, 10th November, 1936.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the 3rd day of September, 1923, and gazetted on the 6th day of the same month, regulations (to be cited as "the Drainage and Plumbing Regulations") were made under the Health Act, 1920, prescribing the conditions to be observed in the construction of approved drains, septic tanks, sanitary conveniences, and sanitary appliances:

And whereas by the said regulations it was provided that the same were suspended as provided in the said Act:

And whereas by section 133 of the said Act it is enacted that the operation of any such regulation may, if so provided therein, be wholly suspended until they are applied by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette* to any part of New Zealand:

Now, therefore, I, Peter Fraser, Minister of Health, in exercise of the power and authority given by the said regulations and by section 133 of the said Act, do hereby apply the said regulations to

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and do hereby declare that this notice shall take effect on the 1st January, 1937.

P. FRASER, Minister of Health.

(H.H. 36/9.)

The above notice is also published under the Regulations Act, 1936: Serial No. 62/1936. Copies can be purchased at the Government Printing and Stationery Office, Lambton Quay, Wellington. Price for cash with order 1d., plus postage 1d. extra. Prices for quantities supplied on application. Copies may be ordered by quoting above serial number.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and its Amendments, fixing the Closing-hours of Tobacconists' Shops within the Borough of New Plymouth.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing has been forwarded to me from the occupiers of tobacconists' shops within the Borough of New Plymouth pursuant to section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the said section 32, I, Hubert Thomas Armstrong, Minister of Labour, do hereby direct that on and after the 7th day of December, 1936, all tobacconists' shops within the said borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays at 5.30 p.m., on Wednesdays at 8 p.m., and on Fridays at 9.30 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) On the working-day that first precedes any of the special days mentioned in or coming within the meaning of section 26 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, there shall be no fixed closing-hour; (2) from the 18th December to the 7th January, and from the Monday preceding Good Friday and up to the end of the week following Good Friday, there shall be no fixed closing-hour; (3) should the occupier of any shop affected by this notice observe, pursuant to the said Act, Monday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday shall be 5.30 p.m., on Friday 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday 8 p.m.; (4) should the occupier of any shop affected by this notice observe, pursuant to the said Act, Tuesday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday shall be 5.30 p.m., on Friday 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday 8 p.m.; (5) should the occupier of any shop affected by this notice observe, pursuant to the said Act, Wednesday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday shall be 5.30 p.m., on Friday 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday 8 p.m.; (6) should the occupier of any shop affected by this notice observe, pursuant to the said Act, Thursday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday shall be 5.30 p.m., on Friday 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday 8 p.m.; (7) should the occupier of any shop affected by this notice observe, pursuant to the said Act, Friday as the statutory closing-day, then and in such case the closing-hour on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday shall be 5.30 p.m., on Wednesday 9.30 p.m., and on Saturday 8 p.m.:

The notice dated the 5th March, 1928, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 8th March, 1928, fixing the closing-hours of all the tobacconists' shops in the said borough shall be and is hereby cancelled as from the date of the coming into operation of this notice:

And whereas the said requisition is signed by not less than two-thirds of the occupiers of tobacconists' shops within the said borough, notice is hereby given that, pursuant to section 25 of the Shops and Offices Amendment Act, 1927, all other shops within the said borough in which smoking requisites are sold shall be closed at the same hours as are set out herein for tobacconists' shops.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of November, 1936.

H. T. ARMSTRONG, Minister of Labour.