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.
1	Ambrose, James ..	Salesman ..	Wanganui ..	26/12/37	11/2/38	Intestate	Wellington.
2	Butler, Alfred Osborne (commonly known as John Butler)	Accountant ..	Wellington ..	5/1/38	11/2/38	Testate	,,
3	Fraser, Peter	Retired seaman	Auckland ..	29/9/36	11/2/38	,,	Auckland.
4	Gilroy, Elizabeth ..	Married woman	Owen River ..	24/12/37	11/2/38	,,	Nelson.
5	Hazard, Edith Florence ..	,,	Dunedin ..	11/1/38	11/2/38	,,	Dunedin.
6	Johns, Edward Benjamin	Labourer ..	Christchurch ..	17/1/38	11/2/38	Intestate	Christchurch.
7	Jones, Evan William ..	Miner	Blackball ..	16/1/38	11/2/38	Testate	Hokitika.
8	Saul, William	Seaman ..	Auckland ..	23/1/38	11/2/38	Intestate	Auckland.
9	Waite, George	Miner	Waihi	14/1/38	11/2/38	Testate	,,
10	Walker, George	Retired farm labourer	Henley ..	10/9/37	11/2/38	,,	Dunedin.
11	Walsh, Clara Ann ..	Married woman	Mercer ..	4/1/38	11/2/38	Intestate	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 14th February, 1938. E. O. HALES, Public Trustee.

RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MONDAY, 14TH FEBRUARY, 1938.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
1. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000	0	0
2. Bank-notes	13,967,392	10	0
3. Demand liabilities—			
(a) State	4,375,297	17	9
(b) Banks	9,562,718	4	1
(c) Other	242,658	10	1
4. Time deposits	..		
5. Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency	..		
6. Other liabilities	193,000	0	0
	£29,841,067	1	11

Assets.	£	s.	d.
7. Reserve—			
(a) Gold	2,801,791	0	0
(b) Sterling exchange	16,462,188	12	4
(c) Gold exchange	..		
8. Subsidiary coin	217,805	0	11
9. Discounts—			
(a) Commercial and agricultural bills	..		
(b) Treasury and local-body bills	..		
10. Advances—			
(a) To the State or State undertakings—			
(1) Primary Products Marketing Department	6,236,741	13	2
(2) For other purposes ..	1,100,000	0	0
(b) To other public authorities ..	..		
(c) Other	..		
11. Investments	2,949,931	17	0
12. Bank buildings	..		
13. Other assets	72,608	18	6
	£29,841,067	1	11

Proportion of reserve (No. 7 less No. 5) to notes and other demand liabilities, 68·438 per cent.

W. H. WELSH, Chief Accountant.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington, on the 23rd February, 1938.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 27th January, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wellington on the 23rd day of February, 1938, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Ikaroa, 1937/38–20.]

C. V. FORDHAM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
10	Minister of Public Works ..	Te Rimurapa N.R., Sinclair Head, Block XIII, Port Nicholson Survey District (P.W. 23/419). (Plan P.W.D. 92886.)	Application to ascertain the amount of compensation payable to the owners of this land taken under the Public Works Act, 1928, for defence purposes.
11	,, ..	Te Moutere Hanganoaiho 1, Moutere 8B 2, Pareomatangae, Block IX, Waitohu Survey District. (Plan P.W.D. 93563.)	Application to ascertain the amount of compensation payable to the owners of this land taken under the Public Works Act, 1928, for purposes of a road.
12	,, ..	Te Momi Section 20, Subsection 2, Sections 1A, 1B, 1C, and 2	Application to ascertain the amount of compensation payable to the owners of this land taken under the Public Works Act, 1928, for school purposes.
13	,, ..	Part Section 8, Block XI, Belmont Survey District ..	Application to ascertain the amount of compensation payable to the owners of this land taken under the Public Works Act, 1928, for State housing purposes.