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	Bell, Esther	Married woman ..	Halswell ..	24/7/35	30/9/38	Intestate	Wellington.
2	Backholm, Benjamin ..	Retired miner ..	Alexandra ..	5/9/38	30/9/38	Testate	Dunedin.
3	Brown, Christina ..	Married woman ..	Napier ..	19/7/38	30/9/38	Intestate	Wellington.
4	Duggan, Isabella ..	Widow.. ..	Runanga ..	16/8/38	30/9/38	Testate	Hokitika.
5	Ellen, George Edward Carter	Blacksmith ..	Greenstreet ..	31/5/18	30/9/38	Intestate	Christchurch.
6	Farr, Alice Daisy ..	Married woman ..	Auckland ..	15/5/38	30/9/38	,,	Auckland.
7	Flaherty, Joseph ..	Farmer ..	Greenpark (formerly Rotherham)	10/9/38	30/9/38	Testate	Christchurch.
8	Fletcher, Sarah Jane ..	Married woman ..	Christchurch ..	23/6/32	30/9/38	,,	,,
9	Keegan, Louisa Elizabeth	Widow.. ..	Auckland ..	30/8/38	30/9/38	,,	Auckland.
10	Menzie, Harriet	,, ...	Te Kuiti ..	11/9/38	30/9/38	,,	,,
11	Owler, Ernest Victor ..	Painter ..	Wellington ..	1/8/38	30/9/38	Intestate	Wellington.
12	Ross, Alexander.. ..	Labourer ..	Te Kuiti ..	21/8/38	30/9/38	,,	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 3rd October, 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, 3RD OCTOBER, 1938.

Liabilities.

	£	s.	d.
1. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000	0	0
2. Bank-notes	13,798,628	10	0
3. Demand liabilities—			
(a) State	3,367,177	12	1
(b) Banks	5,904,387	11	1
(c) Other	298,103	6	7
4. Time deposits	..		
5. Liabilities in currencies other than New Zealand currency	16,090	19	3
6. Other liabilities	149,671	6	8
	£(N.Z.)25,034,059	5	8

Assets.

	£	s.	d.
7. Reserve—			
(a) Gold	2,801,791	0	0
(b) Sterling exchange*	10,594,978	9	4
(c) Gold exchange	..		
8. Subsidiary coin	226,112	8	5
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 ..	3,981,076	17	7
(2) For other purposes ..	4,575,000	0	0
(b) To other public authorities ..	..		
(c) Other	..		
11. Investments	2,732,064	16	6
12. Bank buildings	..		
13. Other assets	123,035	13	10
	£(N.Z.)25,034,059	5	8

* Expressed in New Zealand Currency.

Proportion of reserve (No. 7 less No. 5) to notes and other demand liabilities, 57·259 per cent.

W. H. WELSH, Chief Accountant.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 3rd October, 1938.

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Auckland Tile Layers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 1757, situated at Auckland, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 22 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

G. M. F. JACKSON,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 4th October, 1938.

I HEREBY acknowledge receipt of the following amounts forwarded by persons unknown as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government :—

£5 to the Land and Income Tax Department.
8s. 6d. to the Customs Department.
£1 to the Public Works Department.
2s. 6d. to the Post and Telegraph Department.
£2, 15s., 10s., and two amounts of £1 each to the Railways Department.
5s. to the Treasury Department.

G. C. RODDA, Secretary to the Treasury.