Notice respecting Native and Imported Game.

Department of Internal Affairs.

The attention of sportsmen and others is called to the following provisions of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and of the regulations thereunder, also of section 4 (1), Stock Amendment Act, 1927.

W. E. PARBY, Minister of Internal Affairs.

THE ANIMALS PROTECTION AND GAME ACT, 1921-22.

Section 6 (3). Every reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, shall be deemed to be a sanctuary under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22.

(4) Every person who unlawfully takes or kills any animal within a sanctuary is liable to a fine of ten pounds for every such offence, and to a further fine of one pound for each animal so taken or killed.

Section 11 (1). No imported or native game shall be trapped or taken by means of traps or by any other means than by hunting or shooting, nor shall any trap, net, or snare be erected or set for the purpose of such trapping or taking at any time whatever, except by any person duly authorized under section thirty-one of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22.

Section 12 (1). No person shall kill or destroy any imported game or native game, or shoot at, or attempt to shoot at, any imported game or native game, with any swivel gun or pump gun, or use any gun other than a shoulder gun.

(2) No person shall use or cause to be used any aeroplane in connection with the taking or killing of imported game or native game: Provided that this clause shall not be so construed as to prohibit the use of any aeroplane for the purpose of travelling either to or from a rendezvous.

(5) No person shall use or cause to be used on any lake, pond, lagoon, mere, estuary, or other dead water, any power-boat for the purpose of taking or killing, whether by himself or by any other person or persons at his direction, by driving, chasing, frightening, or stalking any imported game or native game. For the purposes of this clause "power-boat" means and includes any launch, boat, canoe, or other similar craft propelled either wholly or partly by mechanical power: Provided that this clause shall not be so construed as to prohibit the use of any power-boat for camping purposes, or for the purpose of travelling either to or from a rendezvous, or generally or to prohibit shooting from a moored power-boat.

THE ANIMALS PROTECTION AND GAME ACT, 1921-22.

Section 13 (1). No person shall use any cylinder for the purpose of taking or killing imported or native game in any lake or river; nor shall the apparatus known as a silencer be used on any gun in the taking or killing of imported game or native game.

Section 14 (1). No person shall take or kill any imported game or native game during an open season in any district unless he is the holder of a license under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, to take or kill imported game or native game in such district during that season: Provided, however, that the occupier of property, and any one son or daughter of such occupier, may take or kill without license on such property during an open season imported or native game which may be taken in the acclimatization district in which such property is situated, or the occupier may in writing appoint one other person to shoot in his stead.
Section 16. Nothing in any license to take or kill imported game or native game shall authorize the holder thereof to take or kill imported game or native game on lands actually and exclusively used by any registered acclimatization society for acclimatization purposes, or on any sanctuary or public domain, or on any land excepted from the operation of the notification declaring an open season for the district.

Section 20. Except as otherwise expressly provided, nothing in any license or other authority under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, shall entitle the holder thereof to enter upon any private land without the consent of the owner or occupier thereof, or upon any State forest or provisional State forest.

Attention is drawn to section 33, Reserves and Other Lands Disposal Act, 1938, relative to Crown lands at Farewell Spit, and appearing in the New Zealand Gazette of the 21st December, 1938, and issued under that section on the 13th day of December, 1938, and appearing in the New Zealand Gazette of the 21st December, 1938.

Every person commits an offence and is liable to a fine of five pounds who, without the authority of the occupier, goes upon any private land with dog or gun and disturbs any stock deposited thereon.

**STATEMENT SHOWING THE KINDS OF IMPORTED GAME AND NATIVE GAME WHICH MAY BE KILLED IN EACH DISTRICT.**

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**SHOOTING MAY BEGIN NOT EARLIER THAN ONE HOUR BEFORE SUNRISE AND MUST CEASE NOT LATER THAN ONE HOUR AFTER SUNSET.**

The open season for waterfowl this year has been restricted to the period 4th to 18th May (both days inclusive) and there will be a close season for these birds in 1941.

A short open season for paradise duck has been declared from 4th to 18th May in certain acclimatization districts. A short open season for pukeko from 4th to 18th May has been declared in certain acclimatization districts.

Native pigeon is absolutely protected.

**GODWITS.**

Goddwits may be taken or killed in the following districts during the period set opposite the name of each district respectively:

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The license fee for taking or killing these birds only is ten shillings (10s.): Provided that a license to take or kill imported and native game also authorizes the holder to take or kill godwits in the districts where these birds may be taken or killed.

Knots are absolutely protected.

**SALE OF NATIVE AND IMPORTED GAME.**

No sale this season.

(L.A. 40/1933(33).)
THE public are earnestly requested to assist in preserving for posterity the native birds of New Zealand.

Under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921–22, it is illegal for any person to take or kill any protected birds, or have in possession the skins, feathers, or eggs of any such birds, without the consent of the Minister of Internal Affairs. It is also illegal for any person to rob or destroy the nest of any bird to which the Act applies.

Everyone who offends against such provisions is liable to a fine of £25 for every such offence.

NATIVE GAME.

NATIVE game can only be shot during the open season, and then only such kinds of native game as are specified in the annual shooting-season warrants.

The following is a list of the absolutely protected birds—

ABSOLUTELY PROTECTED BIRDS.

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Albatross—

Black-browed mollymawk (Thalassarche melanophrys).
Bounty Island mollymawk (Thalassarche cauta).
Campbell Island mollymawk (Thalassarche grygorius). Royal albatross (Diomedes epomophorus).
Snares Island mollymawk (Thalassarche bulleri). Scotty albatross (Phoebetria palpebrata, P. Pusca). Wandering albatross (tora) (Diomedes exulans).

Yellow-nosed mollymawk (Thalassarche chlororhyncus).
New Zealand tree-swallow (Petrochelidon nigricans).

Beech- or short-tailed bee-eater (Nyctoria noceta or nezoleana).

Little bittern (little) (Ixobrychus minutus).

Canary—

Bush canary (mohua) (Moho ochrocephalus).
White-browed canary (popocotua) (Corhпуска albilabris).
Creeper (South Island) (pipipi, toitoi) (Fimachaus novae-zealandiae).

Crow—

North Island crow (kakapo) (Callaeas elegans).
South Island crow (kakapo) (Callaeas cineris).

Cuckoo—

Family Cuculidae.

Long-tailed cuckoo (kouiu) (Urodynamis taitei).

Shining cuckoo (pipirirawaroa) (Urodynamis taitei).

Dotted—

Bandotted (tiri) (Urodynamis bicaudata).

New Zealand dotted (Urodynamis obscura).

Duck—

Auckland Island duck (Aucklandis novae-zealandiae).

Blue or mountain duck (whio) (Hymenolous malacorhynchos).

Brown duck (blakawaka) (Chlamerodris melanolophus).

Black teal (Paligopus novae-zealandiae).

Grey teal (Neydon castanuus).

Eastern golden plover (Charadrius dominicus).

Fairy-tail—

Black fairy-tail (iwakawaka) (Rhipidura fusiginea).

Chatham Island pied fairy-tail (Rhipidura flavigularis penita).

Pied fairy-tail (iwakawaka) (Rhipidura flavigularis).

Fern-bird (matata)—

Chatham Island fern-bird (Bowdleria novae-zealandiae).

Snares Island fern-bird (Bowdleria pandalina).

Gannet—

Gannet (takapau) (Sula fuscata).

Masked gannet (Sula dactylatra).

Grebe—

Great crested grebe (Podiceps cristatus).

Little grebe, or dabchick (tobolipio) (Podiceps rufigularis).

Guinean—

Black-backed guinean (Larus baecharii).

Red-backed guinean (Larus seguaguinae).

Heron—

Blue heron (matukau) (Dermoptus azurea).

Nankeen night-heron (Nycterochus caledonicus).

White-fronted heron (matukau-moa) (Nokopha nova-zealandiae).

White heron (kotuku) (Ergobius alba).

Huia (Heterorhauca australis).

Kaka—

Brown kaka (Nestor occidentalis).

Kaka (Nestor meridionalis).

Kakapo (ground-parrot) (Strigops habroptila).

Kingfisher (kotare) (Halcyon cayan).

Kiwi—

Brown kiwi (Apteryx mantelli).

Great spotted kiwi (rauroua) (Apteryx haastii).

Grey kiwi (Apteryx oweni).

Spotted kiwi (Apteryx occidentalis).

Stewart Island kiwi (Apteryx australis laureyi).

Knot (Tingou cuneata).

Magpie (Australian)—

Black-backed magpie (Gymnorhina tibicen).

White-backed magpie (Gymnorhina leucocephala).

Martin (Chelidon urbica).

Owl—

Lion—

(Scalops albus).

Morepork (ruru, kouku) (Mino nova-zealandiae).

Rufous-faced owl (North Island) (Scalops albus).

Oyster-catcher, or redbill—

Black oyster-catcher, or redbill (tora) (Haematopus niger).

Penguin—

Big crested penguin (Eudyptes chrysocephalus).

Blue penguin (korora) (Eudyptula minor).

Campbell Island crested penguin (Eudyptes chrysocephalus).

Crested penguin (tawakii) (Eudyptes chrysocephalus).

Cook's petrel (titi)

Diving petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Grey-faced petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Grey-capped petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Grey-headed petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Grey-backed petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Hutton's petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Kermadec Island petrel (Pterodroma albatrosa).

New Zealand petrel (Pterodroma hochstetteri).

Novel Island petrel (Pterodroma nova-zealandiae).

Parakeet—

Antipodes Island parakeet (Antipodes serrata).

Auckland Island parakeet (Antipodes nova-zealandiae).

Chatham Island parakeet (Antipodes nova-zealandiae).

Kermadec Island parakeet (Antipodes nova-zealandiae).

Penguin—

Black-crested penguin (Pygoscelis papua).

Crested penguin (tawakii) (Eudyptes chrysocephalus).

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Grey-faced petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Grey-necked penguin (Strigops habroptila).

Yellow-eyed penguin (hoiho or holhiho) (Megadyptes antipodius).

Petrel—

Black petrel (tora) (Pseudobulweria nova-zealandiae).

Black-bellied storm petrel (Pseudobulweria nova-zealandiae).

Black-winged petrel (Cookharia nigripennis).

Blue petrel (Halobaena caeculae).

Brown petrel (Pterodroma inexpectata).

Cape pigeon (Daption copepeus).

Chatham Island petrel (Cookharia alexandri).

Cook's petrel (titi) (Cookharia cooki).

Diving petrel (Pelecandus uniradiatus).

Grey-banded storm petrel (Garrodia merrei).

Grey-faced petrel (Pterodroma macroptera).

Giant petrel, or mollymawk (Macronectes giganteus).

Kermadec Island mutton-bird (Pterodroma neglecta).

Rainbird (Pterodroma inexpectata).

Silver-grey petrel (Ptesocele antarcticus).

Whale-bird (Prion nasicollus).

White-bellied storm petrel (Pterodroma insignis).

White-chinned petrel (Pterodroma conspicillata).

White-faced storm petrel (Pterodroma marinus).

White-headed petrel (Pterodroma lessonii).

Wilson's storm petrel (Oceanites insignis).

Pigeon—

Pigeon (kereru) (Pezopora nova-zealandiae).

Rainbird (Pterodroma inexpectata).

Takahe (Anhima nova-zealandiae).

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Chatham Island pigeon (Anhima nova-zealandiae).

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Sanctuaries.

It is illegal, without the authority of the Minister of Internal Affairs, to take any dog or firearm on or from any sanctuary, or to discharge any firearm or explosive thereon, or to do anything likely to cause any bird or animal to leave a sanctuary.

Every person who unlawfully takes or kills any bird or animal on a sanctuary is liable to a fine of £10 for such offence, and to a further fine of £1 for each animal or bird so taken or killed.

W. E. PARRY, Minister of Internal Affairs.

L. A. 46/16/32.

Open Seasons for Imported Game and/or Native Game in certain Acclimatization Districts.

In exercise of the powers vested in him by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth thereby declare open seasons for imported game and/or native game, of the kinds hereinafter specified, in the acclimatization districts specified hereunder, except in the areas shown under the heading "Exempted Areas," during the periods set forth in connection with each district, subject in all cases to the following general conditions and subject to the special conditions specified in connection with each district. Any person taking or killing any imported game or native game otherwise than in terms of this notification (including the general conditions hereinafter set out and the special conditions specified in connection with any acclimatization district), is liable on conviction to a fine of £20.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

1. No person shall commence shooting earlier than one hour before sunrise or continue shooting later than one hour after sunset on any day during the open season concerned.

2. (a) No person shall use live birds of any species as decoys nor shall use more than fifteen artificial decoys at any one time (except in the Auckland Acclimatization District, where the number of artificial decoys shall be not more than ten), and no such artificial decoys shall be spread over a greater area than thirty yards square.

(b) No person shall place any artificial decoys within 100 yards of the nearest of any other artificial decoys set out by any other person.

(c) No person shall in any place during the period in that place of the open season, hereby declared, use in connection with the taking or killing of imported and/or native game, any form of decoying game by the aid of corn, wheat, oats, barley, maize, or any other grain or any products of grain or any other food placed by any person in or near the margin of any river, stream, lagoon, pond, swamp, estuary, or other water.

3. No person shall use or cause to be used for the purpose of taking or killing any imported or native game any unmoored floating stand, pontoon, hide, maiai, or lio, or any boat artificially dressed or covered in any way.

3. No person shall use or cause to be used by any other person.

4. No person shall use or cause to be used by any other person.

5. No person engaged in shooting from any shelter, maiai, maihole, boat, lio, or other contrivance shall use more than one gun: Provided that this provision shall not be so construed as to prohibit the use of any motor-vehicle for the purpose of travelling either generally or to or from a rendezvous.

4. No person shall place any artificial decoys within 100 yards of the nearest of any other artificial decoys set out by any other person.

ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICTS.

Ashburton Acclimatization District.

As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 68 of 28th September, 1933, at page 2463.)

1. Season for California quail and chukor: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, mallard duck, spoonbill duck, parakeet duck, pukeko, Canadian goose, and black swan: 4th May to 15th May, 1940, (inclusive).

3. Licenses to take or kill the above imported game and native game within the Ashburton Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each, and licenses to take or kill the above native game only within the said district will be issued to any
person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Auckland Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
(a) Twenty head of Californian quail;
(b) Ten head of chukor;
(c) Ten head of mallard duck;
(d) Twenty-five head in all of grey duck, paradise duck, spoonbill duck, and black swan;
(e) Ten head in all of grey duck and spoonbill duck;
(f) Eight head of paradise duck; and
(g) Ten head of Canadian goose.

5. Excepted area wherein imported game and/or native game, if any, may be taken or killed during the open season:

All that area of land in the Canterbury Land District, intersected by the Wakanui Creek, being Rural Sections 17411, and 16973, the property of the late Mr. G. W. Leedley.

AUCKLAND ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(After the publication of New Zealand Gazette No. 4 of 23rd January, 1930, at page 158.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australiad quail: 4th May to 20th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, mallard duck, spoonbill duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (inclusive).

3. Season for godwits: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godwits, within the Auckland Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any persons receiving an ace of benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill the following native game only—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Auckland Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
(a) Nine head of cock pheasants;
(b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, and mallard duck;
(c) Fifteen head of black swan;
(d) Eight head of pukeko; and
(e) Twenty head of Californian quail.

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(As described in Section 311 and 31A, Parish of Manukau, being R. J. Self's Beachlands Downs property.)

(As described in Section 78, part 79, W. S. 95, and 94, Waierera Survey District, containing 334 acres, the property of D. S. McCarthy, Waitara.

(As described in Section 60, Block II, Aroha Survey District, containing 192 acres, the property of A. H. Bowell-Borelli.

(As described in Section 13, Block X, Whakarawa Survey District, containing 200 acres, the property of A. H. Torr.

(As described in Section 13, Block X, Whakarawa Survey District, containing 188 acres, the property of W. Mackay.

(As described in Section 61, Pesukana, containing 174 acres, the property of J. M. Richards.

(As described in Section 26, 269, and 271, Pukenataua, containing 428 acres, the property of A. B. Cameron.

(As described in Section 4, and 8, Pakoio Survey District, containing 477 acres, the property of J. W. Woodward.

(As described in Section 14, and 18, Pakoio Parish, containing 526 acres, the property of R. E. Mackenzie.

(As described in Section 1, Block XI, Pukemiro, containing 547 acres, the property of J. A. Williams.

(As described in Section 16, and 85, Whanganui Parish, containing 500 acres, the property of Alex Glass.

(As described in Section 23, and 23A, Waitara Parish, containing 256 acres, the property of S. Phillips.

(As described in Section 40, Block II, Aroha Survey District, containing 194 acres, the property of Mrs. M. D. Sladden.

(As described in Section 465, 4 of 465, Sections 331, 324, 331, 332, 349, 341, 345, 407, and part 333, Taupiri Parish, Block X, Hapukahoke Survey District, containing 1,140 acres, the property of W. S. Carter.

(As described in Section 470, part Sections 172, 174, 179, 179A, 240/1 and 260/2, Pepepe Parish; Blocks XV and XVI, Awaroa Survey District; Blocks III and IV, Whangaroua Survey District, containing 1,249 acres, the property of H. W. Upton.

(As described in Section 105, 100, NP 99, 1/16, 23, 24, and part 27, Briggs Island, Waitapo Parish, containing 550 acres, the property of S. Phillips.

(As described in Section 83, Waitoa Survey District, containing 790 acres, the property of J. E. Scott.

(As described in Section 82, Waitoa Survey District, containing 500 acres, the property of Miss H. Torry, Waitakaruru.

(As described in Section 14, 16, and 17, Block VI, Aria Survey District, containing 735 acres, the property of R. H. Cooman.

(As described in Section 22, 23, 24, Opokaha Parish, containing 15 acres, the property of V. H. McKenzie.

(As described in Section 12, Block X, Whakarawa Survey District, the property of Miss H. Torry, Waitakaruru.

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(As described in Section 6, Block V, Hastings Survey District, containing 660 acres, the property of J. E. Scott.

(As described in Section 1, and 2, Block I, D. P. 2260, of parts Waiti No. 1 and Arrowtown Blocks, Blocks VII and VIII, Otama Survey District, containing 411 acres 1 rod 55½ perches.

(As described in Section 9, and 10, of parts Weiti No. 1 and Arrowtown Blocks, Blocks VII and VIII, Otama Survey District, containing 1,061 acres.
Bay of Islands Acclimatization District.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 749.)

1. Season for fowling, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 1st July, 1940 (inclusive).
3. Season for godwit: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game (including godwits) within the Bay of Islands Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each; provided that licenses to take or kill the following native game only—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Bay of Islands Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of cock pheasants, grey duck, and black swan;
   (b) Eight head of cock pheasants;
   (c) Two head of black swan;
   (d) Fifteen head of grey duck;
   (e) Sixteen head of Californian and/or Australian quail;
   (f) Eight head of pukeko;
   (g) Twenty head of godwit.

6. No person shall take or kill native or imported game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, or position, as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as "a stand") which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 31st day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.
   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand.
   (c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant within half an hour after sunrise on any of the said days or may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

7. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:
   — All those areas comprising the Town Districts of Kawakawa, Kaikohe, Kohukohu, Rawene, and Russell.
   — All that area in the North Auckland Land District, being To Moku Block, containing 302 acres, and part of Takapara Block, containing 71 acres 3 roods, situated in Block XII, Kawakawa Survey District.
   — All that area, being Lots 188, 189, and 170, Parish of Kawakawa, being 247 acres, the property of Richard Augustus Hall.
   — All those areas situated in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District, comprising part Section 149, Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District, containing 167 acres 1 rood 24 perches, part Waiapua Block, containing 673 acres 2 roods 17 perches, Taumatamuakau No. 1, 196 acres 2 roods 30 perches, Section 45, Kawakawa Parish, 40 acres, Sections 47, 48, 49, and 50, Kawakawa Parish, 27 acres, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and part of D.P. 12773 of 140 of Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District, and part Waiapua Block, containing 699 acres 3 roods 9 perches, the property of the Auckland Farmers' Freezing Co., Ltd.
   — The property of Messrs. Walker and Lightbody, comprising 325 acres, being Sections 6 and 7 of the Pakaraka Estate in the Kawakawa Survey District.

The properties of Messrs. Scott and Martin, Wellington, as follows:
   (a) Waiapua Blocks A and D, Block II, Hokianga Survey District, containing 4,333 acres 3 roods 33 perches.
   (b) Lower Waitoki Block A, Section 3, Block II, Hokianga Survey District, containing 37 acres 1 rood 3 perches.
   (c) Ngatukau Block, Section 1, Karetu, Block II, Hokianga Survey District, containing 249 acres 1 rood.

The property of Mr. C. H. Forriss, of Tutukohua, as under—
   — Sections 71 and 73, Te Karoa Block No. 2, Mangamuku Survey District, containing 756 acres, being the whole of the land in certificates of title, Vol. 388, folio 241, and Vol. 388, folio 242.

Buller Acclimatization District.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 749.)

1. Season for hares: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck and pukeko: 4th May to 1st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Season for godwit: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).
4. Licenses to take or kill hares only within the Buller Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; provided that licenses to take or kill such native game only—viz., grey duck, and pukeko—within the said district will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Buller Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of hares and grey duck;
   (b) Ten head of grey duck;
   (c) Eight head of pukeko;
   (d) Twenty head of godwit.

6. No person shall take or kill native game during the period commencing on 4th May and terminating on 31st May, 1940 (inclusive), while occupying any stand, hide, or position, as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as "a stand") which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 27th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant.
   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand.
   (c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant within half an hour after sunrise on any of the said days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

7. Excepted area wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:
   — All that area in the Nelson Land District, bounded by a line commencing at the north-eastern corner of Section 60, Block II, Steeples Survey District; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Sections 60 and 16 to the railway; thence southwesterly along the railway to its junction with the Westport-Cape Foulwind Railway; thence southerly along the Westport-Cape Foulwind Railway to the western boundary of Section 222, Block II, Steeples Survey District; thence along the western boundary of said Section 222 to high-water mark; thence easterly, westerly, and north-easterly along high-water mark to a point in line with the north-eastern corner of Section 60 aforesaid; thence by a right line to the north-eastern corner of said Section 60, the point of commencement.

East Coast Acclimatization District.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 749.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, Australian quail, and Virginian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, shoveller duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the East Coast Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to persons receiving an age benefit or a miner’s benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the East Coast Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of cock pheasants, Californian quail, grey duck, shoveller duck, and black swan;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck and shoveller duck;
   (c) Nine head of cock pheasants; and
   (d) Eight head of pukeko.

5. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season—
   (1) Haunatuku Block 40: 63.a. and Mangonui Block 113 and C 1a and 1b, being the property of William Morris.
   (2) Gisborne Borough Council’s Waterswrocks Reserve. All that area comprising parts 4, 6 and 8 of Marshall’s No. 2, Nuhaka Survey District, containing 2,561 acres.

6. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Ten head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck and black swan;
   (c) Ten head of grey duck; and
   (d) Eight head of pukeko.

HAWERA ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 756.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Californian quail : 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, black swan, and pukeko : 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Hawera Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to persons receiving an age benefit or a miner’s benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Hawera Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Ten head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck and black swan;
   (c) Ten head of grey duck; and
   (d) Eight head of pukeko.

HOBSON ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 756.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Austral­

2. Season for grey duck, black swan, and pukeko : 4th May to 31st June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for godwits : 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godwits, within the Hobson Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.): Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the Hobson Acclimatization District will be issued to persons receiving an age benefit or a miner’s benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill the following native game only—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Hobson Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of cock pheasants, grey duck, and black swan;
   (b) Eight head of cock pheasants;
   (c) Two head of black swan;
   (d) Fifteen head of grey duck;
   (e) Twenty-five head of Californian and/or Australian quail;
   (f) Eight head of pukeko; and
   (g) Twenty head of godwit.

6. No person shall take or kill native or imported game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, booz, or position, as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as “a stand”) which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 28th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.

(b) No person shall claim more than one stand.

(c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person:

Provided however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant within half an hour after sunrise on any of the aforesaid days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.
LAKES DISTRICT ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 62 of 9th August, 1934, at page 2451.)

1. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, paradise duck, pukeko, black swan, and Canadian goose: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licences to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Lakes District Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each, and the Secretary of the Lakes District Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licences.
4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head of Californian quail;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, black swan, and paradise duck;
   (c) Ten head of grey duck;
   (d) Five head of pukeko;
   (e) Five head of paradise duck;
   (f) Eight head of black swan; and
   (g) Ten head of grey duck and/or spoonbill duck.
5. Excepted area wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season—All that area in the Otaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 230 acres, more or less, being part of the Town of Kinloch, and bounded as follows:—Towards the north by the northern side of Loch Carron Street; towards the east by the eastern side of Nevis Street; towards the south by the southern side of Skyce Street; and towards the west by the eastern side of Ardmore Street; towards the south by the southern side of Barra Street; towards the west by the western side of Islay Street; and excepted from the said parcel of land Sections 1 to 5, Block I, Sections 3, 4, and 27, Block XVII, Section 6, Block XVIII, Sections 3 to 7, 10 to 13, Block XX, Sections 8 to 15, Block XXI, Town of Kinloch. As the same is more particularly shown on plan marked L. and S. 23/807, and deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington and thereon edged red.

MANGONUI - WHANGAROA ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17, of 12th March, 1925, at page 751.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Austral-rian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Season for godwits: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).
4. Licences to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godsdi, within the Mangonui-Whangaroa Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each, and the Secretary of the Mangonui-Whangaroa Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licences.
5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of cock pheasants, grey duck, and black swan;
   (b) Eight head of cock pheasants;
   (c) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, and black swan;
   (d) Five head of grey duck;
   (e) Twenty-five head of Californian and/or Australian quail;
   (f) Eight head of pukeko; and
   (g) Five head of paradise duck.
6. No person shall claim more than one stand; and
7. No person shall claim more than one stand of such imported game and native game, including godsdi, within the Mangonui-Whangaroa Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum

MARLBOROUGH ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 751.)

1. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Season for choker: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive): Provided that not more than six birds may be taken or killed by any one person during this period.
4. Licences to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Marlborough Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Marlborough Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licences.
5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head of Californian quail;
   (b) Twenty-five head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, and black swan;
   (c) Ten head of grey duck and/or spoonbill duck;
   (d) Ten head of black swan; and
   (e) Eight head of pukeko.
6. No person shall take or kill imported or native game on the 4th day of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, loo, or position as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as "a stand") which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 22nd day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.
   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand;
   (c) No person shall claim more than one stand of such imported game and native game, including godsdi, within the Marlborough Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum

NELSON ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 751.)

1. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Season for black swan (only in County of Collingwood): 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
4. Season for paradise duck (only in those portions of the Counties of Murchison and Inangahua included within the boundaries of the Nelson Acclimatization District): 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
5. Season for godwits: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).
6. Licences to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godsdi, within the Nelson Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum
of twenty shillings (20s.) each, and licenses to take or kill such native game only—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Nelson Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

7. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty head of Californian quail;
   (b) Five head of grey duck;
   (c) Five head of black duck;
   (d) Five head of paradise duck; and
   (e) Twenty head of godwit.

8. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season—
   (1) Lake Rototiu.
   (2) Waipa River Electric Co.'s two dams on the Waikato River at Brightwater.

NORTH CANTERBURY ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.
(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 68 of 28th September, 1933, at page 2463.)

1. Season for cock pheasants: 4th May to 10th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for mallard duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, cooks, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 31st May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

4. Season for godwits: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

5. License to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godwits, within the North Canterbury Acclimatisation District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each, and licenses to take or kill the following native game—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the North Canterbury Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

6. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Ten head of Californian quail;
   (b) Three head of paradise duck;
   (c) Ten head in all of grey duck, paradise duck, spoonbill duck, and mallard duck;
   (d) Ten head of black swan;
   (e) Three head of cock pheasants;
   (f) Five head of pukeko; and
   (g) Twenty head of godwit.

7. No person shall take or kill native or imported game during the period 4th to 18th May, 1940 (inclusive), while occupying any stand, hide, loo, or position as commonly aforesaid days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

8. All that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line commencing at the south-western corner of Rural Section 17571; thence north-easterly generally along Fairweather Road, Harper's Road, and Dixon's Road to the northern boundary of Reserve 3415; thence along that boundary to a point due west of the easternmost corner of Rural Section 14341; thence along a right line to that point; thence westerly generally along the road forming the southern boundary of that section and of Rural Section 5785, to Heyward's Road; thence north-easterly along Heyward's Road to its intersection with the south-eastern boundary of Reserve 3415; thence south-westernly generally along that boundary to a point in line with the southern boundary of Rural Section 17571; thence to and along that boundary to the south-western corner of the said Section 17571, the point of commencement.

9. No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of the last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant within two hours after sunrise on any of the aforesaid days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder.

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

10. A mudhole shall be constructed solely by means of the excavation of the soil, and no timber, metal, or other materials shall be used in the construction thereof; and the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

11. Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 8 to 10 hereof, a boat concealed among the vegetation growing along the margin of Lake Ellesmere may be used for the purpose of taking or killing native game on or near such lake, or such boat may be used for the purpose of recovering native game which has been shot: Provided that no boat so used shall be artificially dressed or covered in any way.

12. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:

(1) All that area in the County of Akaroa, situated in the Akaroa and Ellesmore Survey Districts, Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,046 acres, more or less, being the lake known as Lake Forsyth, including all roads fronting or otherwise abutting the shores of the said lake; and all those reserves in the said county and survey districts numbered 3186, 3187, 3185, 2903, 890, and 157, excluding those portions of R.S. 1462, 1496, and 22176, being the flat land adjoining Okine and Little River Streams and Lake Forsyth.

(2) Ahuriri Lagoon.
(3) Horse-shoe Lake.
(4) Glenmark Lagoon.
(5) Cheviot Lagoon.
(6) R.S. 1352, 1269, part 1439, Block X, Rangiora Survey District, comprising 71 acres, and part R.S. 1462, Block X, Rangiora Survey District, comprising 77 acres 1 rod 17 perches, the property of the Andrews Twine Company.

(7) All that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line commencing at the south-western corner of Rural Section 17571; thence north-easterly generally along Fairweather Road, Harper's Road, and Dixon's Road to the northern boundary of Reserve 3415; thence along that boundary to a point due west of the easternmost corner of Rural Section 14341; thence along a right line to that point; thence westerly generally along the road forming the southern boundary of that section and of Rural Section 5785, to Heyward's Road; thence north-easterly along Heyward's Road to its intersection with the south-eastern boundary of Reserve 3415; thence south-westernly generally along that boundary to a point in line with the southern boundary of Rural Section 17571; thence to and along that boundary to the south-western corner of the said Section 17571, the point of commencement.

(8) Thence by a right line in a northerly direction to the summit of Mount Longfellow; thence by a right line in a north-westerly direction to the join point of the said Lake Marion; thence by a line parallel to and one mile north of Lake Sumner and the Hurunui River to the summit of the southern Alps; thence south along the aforesaid Southern Alps to a point one mile on the north side of Lake Sumner and the Hurunui River to the summit of the Southern Alps; thence south along the aforesaid Southern Alps to a point one mile on the north side of Harper Pass; thence by a line parallel to and one mile south of the Hurunui River, Lake Sumner, the Canal, Locoh Katrine, the Dray Road, Lake Taylor, to a point one mile due south of Trig Station T. in Noble Survey District; thence from the last-named point in an easterly direction to Dog Hill; thence by a right line to the point of commencement; and excepting from the above-described area Rural Section 33978, Lake Sheppard, and a strip of land eleven chains wide surrounding the said Lake Sheppard.

(11) The property of Mr. Douglas Deans, of Darfield, being Rural Sections 4309, 4357, 4591, 4592, and 5235, situated in Block XV, Waipara Survey District.

(10) All that area in the Canterbury Land District, situated in Myothin, Lake Sumner, Marion, Saddle, Minchin, Katrine, and Noble Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the junction of the north branch of the Hurunui River and the Sisters Stream; thence by the left bank of the aforesaid north branch of the Hurunui River in a north-westerly direction to Lake Sumner; thence by a right line in a northerly direction to the summit of Mount Longfellow; thence by a right line in a north-western direction to the most northern point of Lake Marion; thence by a line parallel to and one mile on the north side of Lake Sumner and the Hurunui River to the summit of the Southern Alps; thence south along the aforesaid Southern Alps to a point one mile on the south side of Harper Pass; thence by a line parallel to and one mile south of the Hurunui River, Lake Sumner, the Canal, Locoh Katrine, the Dray Road, Lake Taylor, to a point one mile due south of Trig Station T. in Noble Survey District; thence from the last-named point in an easterly direction to Dog Hill; thence by a right line to the point of commencement; save and excepting from the above-described area Rural Section 33978, Lake Sheppard, and a strip of land eleven chains wide surrounding the said Lake Sheppard.

I. V. H. and V. H. Khan's Survey District, containing by admeasurement 905 acres 3 rods 27 perches, and being or near the margin of Lake Ellesmere may be used for the purpose of taking or killing native game on or near such
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(12) The property of the New Zealand Refrigerating Co., Ltd., near Templeton, Inalona, and Hornby, containing by admeasurement 285 acres 1 rood 22 perches, and being Rural Sections 2999, 3077, 4305, part 4382, 9199, 13501, 1863, 3213, and 330, as the same is delineated more particularly on a plan numbered I.A. 2340, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, being thereon outlined in red.

(13) All that area of land at Plaxton, 1 chain in width, including the roadway on either side of the main drain, extending in a westerly direction from the Skew Bridge to Smith's Road, a distance of two miles, comprising part Rural Sections 1783, 1446, 1621, 1613, 1629, 1646, 1650, 1525, 2010, 1593, 1685, 1683, 1616, 1221, 1058, 1188, and 404, Rangiora Survey District.

OTAGO ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1929, at page 751.)

1. Season for Californian quail : 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive) : Provided that these birds may not be taken or killed in the Counties of Taieri, Waikouaiti, Waipaoa, and Clutha.

2. Season for mardall duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, pukeko, and Canadian geese, 4th May to 15th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for black swan : 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive) : Provided that these birds may not be shot on Lake Hawea, or on that portion of Lake Wanaka which is within the district, or on any area within 5 chains of such lake and portion of a lake.

4. Season for chukor : 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

5. Season for cock pheasants : 4th May to 31st May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

6. Season for paradise duck (except in Counties of Waipaoa, Waikouaiti, Taieri, Brue, Clutha, and Tuapeka) : 4th May to 15th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

7. Season for goodwits : 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

8. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game, including goodwits, within the Otago Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each, and licenses to take or kill such native game only—viz., goodwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Otago Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

9. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than:
   (a) Twenty head in all of mardall duck, chukor, cock pheasants, grey duck, spoonbill duck, and paradise duck;
   (b) Thirty head of Californian quail;
   (c) Twelve head of mardall duck;
   (d) Two head of cock pheasants;
   (e) Five head of paradise duck provided that the total head of paradise duck which may be taken or killed by any one person during the open season shall not exceed twenty-five head in all;
   (f) Fifteen head in all of mardall duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, and paradise duck;
   (g) Eight head of pukeko;
   (h) Ten head of Canadian geese; and
   (i) Twenty head of goodwit.

10. No person shall use or cause to be used on any water within the district for the taking or killing of imported game and native game any fixed stand, pontoon, hide, main-o-loom or loo except within a distance of half a chain from the edge of such water in non-tidal waters, or half a chain from low water mark in tidal waters; or, where raupo abounds, half a chain from the outside edge of such raupo.

11. No person shall take or kill imported game or native game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, loo, or position as commonly used by duck-shooters, hereafter referred to as a "stand" which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 4th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license;
   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand;
   (c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person except with the consent of such last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by a claimant within four days after it has been so claimed may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder.

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

12. A license issued pursuant to this notification to take or kill imported game and native game shall entitle the holder thereof to take or kill imported game and native game in the Southland Acclimatization District during the period and subject, mutatis mutandis, to the conditions prescribed in the notification fixing an open season for imported game and native game in that district.

13. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:
   — The lagoon known as Tomahawk Lagoon (Otago Peninsula).
   — Section 22, Block IV, Sutton District, being the property of Mr. E. J. Docherty.
   — Section 121C, Block IX, Dunbar and Hummoooke Districts, the property of Mr. John Philp, Palmerston.
   — Run 238s., Wakefield Survey District, known as Northburn Station, being the property of Mr. D. S. Middleton.
   — The Brighton River (known as Boat Harbour Creek) from Duff's Bridge on the top of Lobb's boundary to the sea.
   — The lake on Section 1, Wiltson Settlement, Wart Hill Survey District, and all the land included in an area of three-quarters of a mile surrounding the said lake (the property of Mr. Geo. R. Young).
   — Finagoo Lagoon, on the property of Mr. M. McAllister, of Balolutha, being Section part 11, Block XVII, and Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, Block XXII, Clutha Survey District.
   — The property of G. S. Bennett and W. A. Bennett as under:
      - Part Section 3A, Duncan Settlement, Block VIII, Dunedin and East Taieri District, Lots 32 and 33, Township of Brighton View (Plan 2643), and being part of Section 52 and closed road, Block VIII, Dunedin and East Taieri District and including that portion of the stream known as Taylor's Creek between the bridge and the sea.

ROTORUA ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 46 of 30th June, 1929, at page 1721.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail : 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for mardall duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, pukeko, and black swan : 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for goodwits : 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game, including goodwits, within the Rotorua Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each; Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to persons receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill the following native game only—viz., goodwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Under-Secretary of the Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, or any person authorized by the said Under-Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than:
   (a) Six head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Twenty head in all of mardall duck, spoonbill duck, grey duck, and black swan;
   (c) Fifteen head in all of mardall duck, grey duck, and spoonbill duck;
   (d) Ten head of grey duck;
   (e) Six head of pukeko;
   (f) Five head of pukeko; and
   (g) Twelve head of goodwits.
6. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:—

Lake Rotokawau (or bitter lake, near Ruapo), and the land within one mile of the shores of these lakes.

Lake Rotoliti.

Section 12, Block XV, Horahora Survey District, containing 158 acres 3 rods 14 perches, more or less, being the property of Mr. C. J. Jessop, jun.

Section 13, Block XV, Horahora Survey District, containing 205 acres 1 rod 37 perches, more or less, being the property of Mrs. Follin.

Section 2, Block XV, Horahora Survey District, containing 174 acres 3 rods 20 perches, more or less, being the property of Mr. C. J. Jessop, jun.

Section 12, Block XV, Horahora Survey District, containing 509 acres, the property of Dr. Bertram.

Sections 195, 197, 351, Block IV, Waioeka Parish, containing 205 acres 1 rod 37 perches, more or less, being the property of Mr. E. J. Parkinson.

Sections 185, 197, 351, Block IV, Waioeka Parish, containing 67 acres, the property of Mr. R. Walker.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, being Lake Rerewhakaitu, road, and foreshore reserve, situated in Blocks XIII and XIV, Ruwhaiwa Survey District, and I and II, Kaingaroa Survey District, bounded as follows:—

Towards the east generally by Section 2, Block XIII, and Section 1, Block XIV, Ruwhia Survey District; towards the south generally by Section 1, Block II, Lot 2 of Section 1, Block I, Kaingaroa Survey District, and the crossing of a public road; towards the west generally by Lot 1 of Section 1, Kaingaroa Survey District, Section 1, Block XIII, Ruwhia Survey District, and the crossing of a public road, again Section 1, aforesaid, the crossing of a public road, and again Section 1, aforesaid (as delineated on plan No. 2310 deposited in the Office of the Lands and Survey Department at Auckland) as the same is more particularly delineated on the photostat numbered 46/10/12, lodged in the Head Office of the Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, being thereon outlined in white.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 205 acres 3 rods 14 perches, more or less, being the blocks called Kuhawa No. 2a, Kuhawa No. 2b, and Haumamako No. 1, situated in Blocks IX, XIII, XIV, Galatea Survey District, and Blocks I and II, Alhikereru Survey District, and Kuhawa No. 1, situated in the Galatea Survey District, known as the Galatea Settlement, and bounded on the north generally by the Waitarakao Lagoon, and on the south generally by the Waitarakao Lagoon, and on the south by the Taitarakihi Creek.

SOUTH CANTERBURY ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(Ass described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 782.)

1. Season for grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, pukeko, and black swan: 5th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Licenses to take or kill such native game within the South Canterbury Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each, and the Secretary of the South Canterbury Acclimatization Society or the person designated by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

3. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Ten head of all in grey duck, paradise duck, and spoonbill duck; or
   (b) Five head of paradise duck; or
   (c) Fifteen head of black swan; or
   (d) Right head of pukeko.

4. Excepted areas wherein native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:—

Miflford lagoon.

Makomokio County Council's hydro-electric dam at Fairlie.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being Runs 71, and known as Richmond Station; bounded on the east by the summit of the Two Thumb Range; on the south by Boundary Creek from its source to Lake Tekapo; on the west by Lake Tekapo to the mouth of Oai River; thence by that river to its source; and thence by a right line to the summit of the Two Thumb Range, the place of commencement.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being S.G.R. 94, and known as Mount Hay Station; bounded on the east by the summit of the Two Thumb Range; on the south by Runs 209 and 76; on the west by Lake Tekapo; and on the north generally by Boundary Creek from its source to Lake Tekapo; thence by a right line to the summit of the said range, the place of commencement.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being Mount Peal Survey District, and blocks IV, VI, VII, VIII, X, XI, and XII, Fox Survey District, and bounded on the north-west by Forest Creek; on the north-east by the Rangitata River; on the east by S.G. Run No. 98; on the south-east by the Hohonui River; and the land within one mile of the Godley Glacier to the Mackenzie County Council's hydro-electric dam at Fairlie; thence by the Godley Glacier to McClure Peak; the place of commencement.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being Run No. 241, situated in Blocks I, II, IV, V, and VIII, Mount Peel Survey District, and Blocks IV, VI, VII, VIII, X, XI, and XII, Fox Survey District, and bounded on the north-west by Forest Creek; on the north-east by the Rangitata River; on the east by S.G. Run No. 98; on the south-east by the Hohonui River; and the land within one mile of the Godley Glacier to the Mackenzie County Council's hydro-electric dam at Fairlie; thence by the Godley Glacier to McClure Peak; the place of commencement.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being the property of the N.Z. Refrigerating Co., Ltd., at Smithfield, containing 59 acres 3 rods 13 perches, being Lot 37 on plan F78, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Christchurch, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 103, folio 262, Canterbury Registry, bounded on the west generally by the Galatea Settlement, on the north generally by Waitsarako Lagoon, and on the south by the Taitarakihi Creek.

SOUTHLAND ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 62 of 9th August, 1934, at page 2451, excepting therefrom all that country to the north of a line starting at Lake Monowai, and thence down the south side of the Monowai River to the Waiau River, up the east side of the Waiau River to the Mana­pouri Accommodation-house; thence along the main road to the hatchery at Te Anau; thence along the main Te Anau—Mosburn Road to the Whitestone River; thence along the eastern bank of the Whitestone River to the northern corner of Lywood cultivated land and thence along the Lywood fence to the Lywood—Mararoa boundary fence; and thence along the said boundary fence to the north of Mararoa cultivated land and down the fence on the eastern side of the cultivated land to the Prospect—Mararoa Road; and thence down the said road to the Mararoa River; thence up the western bank of the said river to the junction of the old Mararoa—Te Anau Road; thence along the road to the Ostel River; thence down the western side of the Ostel River to the Port Chalmers—Te Anau—Mosburn Road; and thence down the said road to the Mana­pouri Accommodation-house in the Township of Centre Hill; thence in a straight line to the Township of Atol; thence in a straight line in a northerly direction to the junction of the Mataura River and Robert Creek.)

1. Season for mallard duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, pukeko, and black swan: 5th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for paradise duck (except in the area west and south of the railway line from Bluff to Riverton): 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 31st May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
4. Season for godsiva: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).
5. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game (including godsiva), within the Southland Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill such native game (including godsiva) within the said district will be issued to any person on payment of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Southland Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.
6. No person shall on any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Fifteen head in all of mallard duck, grey duck, spoom; bill duck, black swan, and paradise duck;
   (b) Fourteen head of godwit;
   (c) Six head of pukeko;
   (d) Ten head of Californian quail;
   (e) Twenty head of godwit.
7. A license issued pursuant to this notification to take or kill imported game and native game shall entitle the holder thereof to take or kill mallard ducks and native game in the Otago Acclimatization District during the period and subject, mutatis mutandis, to the conditions prescribed in the notification fixing an open season for imported game and native game in that district.
8. Excepted areas wherein imported game and native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:—
   (1) Stewart Is. red.
   (2) Lot 10, D.P. 99, being part of Sections 18, 201, and 239, Hokianga Survey District, containing 218 acres 2 roods 37 perches, and part of Lot 11, D.P. 99, being part of Sections 117, 118, and 201, containing 243 acres 1 rood 22 acres, being the property of Mr. John Stewart of Pyramid.
   (3) Part of Lot 9, D.P. 99, being part of Section 261, Hokianga Survey District, containing 1 acre, more or less, adjoining the boundary of Lot 10, D.P. 99, being part of Section 201, Block LI, Hokianga Survey District, at a point where a lagoo intersects that boundary and as defined on the section by four posts painted white, and being the property of Mr. John Stewart of Pyramid.
   (4) Lots 2 and 3 on D.P. 1291, part Section 11, Oreti Hundred, containing 283 acres 20 perches, and being all the land contained and described in certificate of title, Vol. 95, folio 25 (Southland Registry), the property of Mr. Mabin Smith.
   (5) All that area in the Southland Land District, containing 13 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, being part of Section 215, Block XLV, Hokonui Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north-east by Wadworth-Lora Road, 1158 links; towards the south-east by a line parallel to Otapiri Gorge Road, containing 1158 links; towards the south-west by a line parallel to the Wadworth-Lora Road, 1158 links; towards the north-west by the Otapiri Gorge Road; Be all the linkages a little more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked I.A. Stewart Is. red.
   (6) Two lagoons containing in an all of an area of approximately 14 acres, situated in Sections 52, 53, 68, and 69, Block VI, Jacobs River Hundred, being the property of the Riverton Athenaeum Committee and leased to Mr. A. J. Templeton, Otaitai Bush.

STRAWFORD ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 753.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Stratford Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Stratford Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.
4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of grey duck and black swan;
   (b) Six head of grey duck;
   (c) Eight head of pukeko.

TARANAKI ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 753.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Taranaki Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Taranaki Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.
4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Six head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Six head of grey duck;
   (c) Seventeen head of black swan; and
   (d) Eight head of pukeko.
5. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:—
   (1) Allotment 1 on D.P. 4414, part of Sections 12 and 13, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 71 acres 3 roods 23 perches, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 170 (C, Southcombe, lessee).
   (2) Allotment 2 on D.P. 4414, part of Sections 12 and 13, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 58 acres 3 roods 3 perches, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 171 (H. Ogbue, lessee).
   (3) Allotment 3 on D.P. 4414, part of Sections 12 and 13, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 50 acres 3 roods 20 perches, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 172 (C. R. Stewart, lessee).
   (4) Part Allotment 4 on D.P. 4414, part of Sections 54, 55, and 161, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 206 acres 8 roods 20 perches, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 173 (E. C. and E. Walsley, lessees).
   (5) All the land shown on D.P. 3516, being part Allotment 3 on D.P. 4885, part Section 4, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 21 acres 2 roods 30 perches, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 129, folio 80 (E. C. and E. Walsley, lessees).
   (6) Allotment 1 on D.P. 5297, part Allotment 4 on D.P. 4414, parts Sections 53, 54, and 161, Hua and Waiwakaiho, containing 16 acres 3 roods 7 perches, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 173 (New Plymouth Borough Council, owner).
   (7) All those areas comprised in the County of Clifton, being part Sections 10 and 11, Allotment 2, D.P. 3794, Pakuranga Survey District, and part Section 73, Block X, containing 54 acres 1 rood 11 perches, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 108, folio 173 (Waiiti Sections 54n 2 (17 acres 0 roods 9 perches), 54n 2 (16 acres 1 rood 11 perches), and 54c (34 acres 2 roods 20 perches), part Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Blocks V1 and X, Mimi Survey District, containing 18 acres 1 rood 30 perches, being the property of Mr. C. A. Williamson, M.P.

TAURANGA ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 753.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).
2. Season for grey duck, spoomill duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Tauranga Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each; Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Tauranga Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.
to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner’s benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill the following native game only—viz., godwits—will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Tauranga Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Nine head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Twenty-five head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, and black swan;
   (c) Fifteen head in all of grey duck and/or spoonbill duck;
   (d) Eight head of pukeko; and
   (e) Twenty head of godwit.

6. No person shall take or kill imported or native game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, lee, or position as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as “a stand”) which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:

   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time prior to the 28th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.

   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand.

   (c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has not been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person:

   Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant within half an hour after sunrise on any of the aforesaid days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

   Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

WAIMARINO ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 753.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, shoveller duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Waimarino Acclimatisation District will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner’s benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each; and licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Waimarino Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Six head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Six head of mallard duck; and
   (c) Six head of grey duck.

WAIMEAC ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 754.)

1. Season for grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Licenses to take or kill such native game within the Waitaki Acclimatisation District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Waitaki Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

3. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, and black swan;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, and paradise duck;
   (c) Five head of paradise duck;
   (d) Ten head of black swan; and
   (e) Eight head of pukeko.

WAITAKI ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 754.)

1. Season for Californian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, spoonbill duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for paradise duck (only in that portion of district lying to the Westward of Otematata Creek): 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Waitaki Acclimatisation District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and licenses to take or kill such native game only will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Waitaki Acclimatisation Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty head of Californian quail;
   (b) Twenty head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, and black swan;
   (c) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, spoonbill duck, paradise duck, and black swan;
   (d) Five head of paradise duck; and
   (e) Eight head of pukeko.

6. Excepted areas wherein imported game and native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:

   (a) Block 7, Otepopo District, Parts 4, 5, and 8;
   (b) Block 8, Oamaru District, Parts 7 and 53;
   (c) Block 1, Kauroo District, Part 49.

   Being the property of Mr. A. C. Nichols.

A strip of land to a depth of 30 chains from the main road running parallel with the main road from the Elderslie Lane to Elderslie No. 2 Road, being contained in part Sections 46 and 47, Block IX, Awakomo Survey District, part Section 2, Block XVI, Oamaru Survey District, and part of Section 3, Block XVII, Oamaru Survey District, being the property of the Elderslie Stud, Ltd.

WANGANUI ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 60 of 15th September, 1932, at page 998.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for mallard duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck (or shoveller), pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).
3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Wanganui Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Wanganui Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Three head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of mallard duck, grey duck, spoonbill duck, and black swan; and
   (c) Eight head of pukeko.

WELLINGTON ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 54 of 19th August, 1937, at page 1947.)

1. Season for hares, cock pheasants, Californian quail, and Australian quail: 4th May to 31st July, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, mallard duck, shoveller duck, pukeko, and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game within the Wellington Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Wellington Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Two head of cock pheasants;
   (b) Three head of black swan;
   (c) Fifteen head in all of grey duck, mallard duck, and/or spoonbill duck; and
   (d) Five head of pukeko.

5. Nothing herein shall apply to hares in the counties of Akaroa, Castlemote, Masterton, Hatiatesa, Featherston, and Wairarapa South, or in the area formerly included in the Feilding and District Acclimatization District, as described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 13th March, 1925, at page 760, wherein these animals are not protected.

6. No person shall take or kill native or imported game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, loo, or position as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as "a stand") which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 27th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.
   (b) No person shall claim more than one stand.
   (c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that any stand which is not occupied by the claimant by seven a.m. on any of the aforesaid days may be occupied on that day by any other license-holder:

Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

7. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:
   (a) The Awapuni Lagoon situated on the property of the game and native game within the Wanganui Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Wanganui Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

WESTLAND ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 1947.)

1. Season for grey duck and black swan: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for paradise duck (only in that part of district known as Westarea, Cooks, and Karangarua River Flats, South Westland): 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Licenses to take or kill such native game within the Westland Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of ten shillings (10s.) each; and the Secretary of the Westland Acclimatization Society or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

4. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty head in all of grey duck, black swan, and paradise duck;
   (b) Fifteen head in all of grey duck and paradise duck;
   (c) Five head of paradise duck.

5. Excepted area wherein native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:
   (a) Okarito Township Reserve No. 654, Block XI, Okarito Survey District.

WHANGAREI ACCLIMATIZATION DISTRICT.

(As described in New Zealand Gazette No. 17 of 12th March, 1925, at page 1947.)

1. Season for cock pheasants, Californian quail, Australian quail: 4th May to 30th June, 1940 (both days inclusive).

2. Season for grey duck, black swan, and pukeko: 4th May to 18th May, 1940 (both days inclusive).

3. Season for godwits: 1st February to 14th February, 1941 (both days inclusive).

4. Licenses to take or kill such imported game and native game, including godwits, within the Whangarei Acclimatization District will be issued to any person on payment of the sum of thirty shillings (30s.) each: Provided that licenses to take or kill imported game and native game within the said district will be issued to any person receiving an age benefit or a miner's benefit under the Social Security Act, 1938, on payment of the sum of twenty shillings (20s.) each; and the Secretary of the Whangarei Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by such Secretary in that behalf, is hereby authorized to sign and issue the said licenses.

5. No person shall in any one day take or kill more than—
   (a) Twenty-five head in all of cock pheasants, grey duck, and black swan;
   (b) Eight head of cock pheasants;
   (c) Two head of black swan;
   (d) Fifteen head of grey duck;
   (e) Twenty-five head of Californian and/or Australian quail.

6. No person shall take or kill native or imported game on the 4th, 5th, or 6th days of May, 1940, while occupying any stand, hide, loo, or position, as commonly used by duck-shooters (hereinafter referred to as "a stand") which has been duly claimed by any other license-holder in accordance with the following provisions:
   (a) A stand may be claimed by the planting thereon at any time after noon on the 27th day of April, 1940, of a stake with a board attached having plainly marked thereon the name and address of the claimant and the number of his license.

(b) No person shall claim more than one stand.

(c) No stand shall be claimed on or within 100 yards of a stand which has already been duly claimed by any other person, except with the consent of such last-mentioned person.

Provided, however, that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

(d) All the land contained in Proclamation No. 1561, being Block IV, Belmont Survey District, and being part of a stand which is hereby claimed and retained in certificate of title, Volume 358, folio 34, Wellington Registry, being the property of the Hutt River Board.
Provided further that nothing in this clause contained shall be deemed to affect in any way whatsoever the rights of owners or occupiers of any lands in respect of shooting on such lands.

7. Excepted areas wherein imported game and/or native game shall not be taken or killed during the open season:

- Swamp on Messrs. McLean and Antonovich's property on the Whangarei-Waipu Road, about six miles from Waipu, together with an area of 200 yards from the edge of the said swamp.
- An area extending for five miles along the Waipu-Mangaturoro Road from the boundary of the Whangarei County towards Waipu and being bounded on either side of the road by lines 100 yards from and parallel to both sides of the said road.
- Allotments 45, 46, 49, and 50, Kaitara Parish, Purua Survey District, containing 1,580 acres, more or less.
- The Otaika Creek from Otaika School down the creek to a line drawn from Onemana Point to Port Whangarei and embracing all areas therein covered at high spring tides.
- The Borough of Whangarei.
- Mount Denby Golf Links, part Section 2, Mairs Grant.
- The properties of:
  - D. W. Bodle, being Sections part 14 and 4 of Block IV, Purua Survey District, containing 157 acres.
  - J. A. Clarke, being Sections 1, 2, 3 of part Paramatai-Mokau Blocks, Block I, Opuawhanga Survey District, Block XVI, Russell Survey District, Block III, Whangaruru Survey District, containing 1,467 acres.
  - J. P. Poote, being Section 4, Block I, Opuawhanga Survey District, Sections 8, 9, and 10, Block II, Opuawhanga Survey District, Paparahi (2481) Block II, Opuawhanga Survey District, containing 280 acres 3 roods 8 perches.
  - Joseph Gomez, being Section 1, No. 1 Block, Whangarei Survey District.
  - Thomas J. Griffin, being Lots 6, 7, 12, and 13 of Section 51, Block VIII, Purua Survey District, containing 158 acres 1 rood 13 perches.
  - J. B. Hunter, being part Lots 14 and 16, Whangarei Parish, Block V, Whangarei Survey District, Block VIII, Purua Survey District, and Lot 124, Block V, Whangarei Survey District.
  - D. Jones, being Section 3, Block VI, and Section 11, Block VIII, Whangarei Survey District, containing 470 acres.
  - J. Morrison, being part Sections 1 and 2, Block X, Opuawhanga Survey District, bounded on the west by the Main Road and on the east by the sea.
  - D. J. McClellan, being Section 26, Block X, Purua Survey District, containing 238 acres.
  - W. R. Perry, being part 7 Maungakaramea Parish (Valuation Roll No. 5).
  - R. G. Phylin, being part of Section 7, all Section 23, Block XIV, Hukerenui Survey District.
  - Cliff Smith, being Section E 73, Block VI, Sections 4 and 5, Block VII, Whangarei Survey District, and Allotment N.E. and S.E. 101, Parahaki Parish.
  - W. H. Thomas, being part Lots 6, 7, and 51, Section 98, and part 100-103, Whangarei Parish, containing 133 acres 3 roods 34 perches.
  - W. Wakelin, being part Horahora No. 2, S. 77, 73, and N. 77, containing 226 acres, and Block XXVI, Sections 8 to 10a, 11, 7, and 14, Riponui, containing 2,197 acres, more or less.

Dated at Wellington, this 2nd day of April, 1940.

W. E. PARRY, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 46/16/33.)