Notice to Persons affected by an Application for a License under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936.

Manufacture of Paper-Pulp and Paper Products.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been received from P. Cropper, Auckland (on behalf of a company to be formed) for a license to engage in the industry of "the manufacture of paper-pulp or paper products" to the extent of manufacturing corrugated board, common tissues, and fibre-containing board with plant designed primarily for the use of waste paper. Any person who considers he will be materially affected by the decision of the Bureau in respect of this application and who wishes to make representations accordingly. must

and who wishes to make representations accordingly, must furnish such representations in writing so as to reach the undersigned not later than the 22nd May, 1940.

G. L. O'HALLORAN, Secretary.

Bureau of Industry, P.O. Box 1679, Wellington.

Notice to Persons affected by an Application for a License under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936.

Fish Canning.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application for a fish canner's license has been received from E. Barnes, Bluff.

Any person who considers he will be materially affected by the decision of the Bureau in respect of this application, and who wishes to make epresentations accordingly, must furnish such representations in writing so as to reach the undersigned not later than the 30th May, 1940.

G. L. O'HALLORAN, Secretary.

Bureau of Industry, P.O. Box 1679, Wellington.

Officiating Ministers for 1940.-Notice No. 13.

Registrar-General's Office,

Wellington, 14th May, 1940. **P**URSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of officiating ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information :-

> Baptists. Pastor John William Beck.

The Salvation Army.

Captain Donald Hoten.

G. G. HODGKINS, Deputy Registrar-General.

Notice to Mariners No. 12 of 1940.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 14th May, 1940.

NEW ZEALAND .- SOUTH ISLAND .- OAMARU HARBOUR.

Dredging Operations.

MARINERS are hereby advised that the dredger "Otakou" is carrying out dredging operations in the basin. Masters are warned to exercise care in entering and leaving the port.

Chart affected : No. 2532 (Inset). Publications : New Zealand Pilot, 1930, page 287; New Zealand Nautical Almanac and Tide-tables, page 291 and plan.

Authority : Oamaru Harbour Board.

L. B. CAMPBELI, Secretary.

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RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON Monday, 13th May, 1940.

Liabilitie	8.		Assets.	
	£	s. d.	7. Reserve— \pounds s. d.	
1. General Reserve Fund	1,500,000	0 0	(a) Gold \dots \dots $2,801,839$ 0 0	
2. Bank-notes	17,859,173	10 0	(b) Sterling exchange* 13,328,634 12 9	
3. Demand liabilities—	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		(c) Gold exchange	
(a) State \ldots \ldots	6,374,150	09	8. Subsidiary coin 158,541 16 1	
(b) Banks	15,212,014		9. Discounts—	
(c) Other	115,324	13 7	(a) Commercial and agricultural	
4. Time deposits			bills	
5. Liabilities in currencies othe			(b) Treasury and local-body bills	
New Zealand currency	8,672		10. Advances—	
6. Other liabilities	978,600	62	(a) To the State or State undertakings—	
			(1) Marketing Department 3,439,969 18	
			(2) For other purposes \dots 19,460,000 0	
			(b) To other public authorities	
			(c) Other	
			11. Investments 2,535,502 10	
			12. Bank buildings	
			13. Other assets 323,448 4 11	
	£(N.Z.)42,047,936	29	£(N.Z.)42,047,936 2 9	

* Expressed in New Zealand currency.

Proportion of reserve (No. 7 less No. 5) to notes and other demand liabilities, 40.752 per cent.

W. R. EGGERS, Chief Accountant.