The Strike and Lockout Emergency Regulations 1939 .--Appointment of Emergency Disputes Committee.

IN pursuance of the powers in that behalf conferred upon me by the Strike and Lockout Emergency Regulations 1939, I, Patrick Charles Webb, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint the following persons to be an Emergency Disputes Committee for the purposes of the said regulations, and do refer to that Committee a dispute which has arisen between the Canterbury Freezing-works and Related Trades Employees' Industrial Union of Workers and Thos. Borthwick and Sons, Ltd., Belfast :-

Representatives of the Employers.

C. G. Wilkin. O. A. Keith. A. C. Wells.

Representatives of the Union of Workers.

John Roberts.

S. Arnst. R. Bushell.

Chairman.

J. A. Gilmour, S.M.

Dated at Palmerston North, this 21st day of May, 1941. P. C. WEBB, Minister of Labour.

Member of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act, 1926, reappointed.

Mines Department, Wellington, 19th May, 1941.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

Samuel Chapman, Esquire,

to be a member of the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act, 1926, for a further term of three years as from the 1st May, 1941.

P. C. WEBB, Minister of Mines. (Mines, N. 17/31.)

Appointment of Issuing Officers for the Purpose of issuing Licenses to take or kill Opossums in the Rotorua Acclimatization District.

PURSUANT to the provisions of Condition No. 3 included under the heading "Rotorua Acclimatization District" in the Order in Council dated the 30th day of April, 1941, made under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, and published in New Zealand Gazette No. 37 of the 1st day and published in New Zeuland Guzele No. 57 of the 1st day of May, 1941, at page 1081, declaring open seasons for the taking or killing of opossums in the acclimatization districts specified in such Order in Council, I, Joseph William Allen Heenan, Under-Secretary of the Department of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint—

The Conservator of Fish and Game, Rotorua,

Ranger G. G. Potts, Taupo. Ranger H. Frame, Tuai, Hawke's Bay, The Manager, Lake House, Waikaremoana, The Postmaster, Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, The Postmaster, Tuai,

to be issuing officers for the purpose of issuing licenses to take or kill opossums in the Rotorua Acclimatization District under or an opposition in the proton and subject to the said Order in Council and the special conditions set forth in the said Order in Council and the special conditions set forth under the heading "Botorua Acclimatization District." the heading "Rotorua Acclimatization District." Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of May, 1941.

J. W. A. HEENAN, Under-Secretary.

(I.A. 49/2/11.)

Members of Gisborne Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 20th May, 1941. NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has purcement to active the devernor-General has, pursuant to section 49 of the Land Act, 1924, been pleased to reappoint

Patrick Joseph O'Kane

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Gisborne for a further term of two years from 29th April, 1941; and

Ivan Francis Watt, and John William Gordon

to be members of the Land Board of the Land District of Gisborne, each for a further term of two years from the 31st May, 1941.

THOS. POUND, Assistant Under-Secretary. (L. and S. 22/748/13.)

Member of the Taranaki Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 20th May, 1941.

General has, pursuant to section 49 of the Land Act, 1924, been pleased to reappoint

Albert John Milton Orchard

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Taranaki for a further term of two years from the 10th day

of May, 1941. THOS. POUND, Assistant Under-Secretary.

(L. and S. 22/748/3.)

Member of the Marlborough Land Bourd appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,

Wellington, 19th May, 1941. NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has, pursuant to section 47 of the Land Act, 1924, been pleased to appoint

Arthur John Murray

to be a member of the Land Board of the Marlborough Land District for a term of two years as from 14th May, 1941.

THOS. POUND, Assistant Under-Secretary. (L. and S. 22/748/5.)

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 16th May, 1941.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service appointments in the Public Service :-

Johnston, Mary Elizabeth (Mrs.)

be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Waima, on and from the 21st day of April, 1941.

Joseph Banks

to be Acting Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Mangamuka, on and from the 18th day of April, 1941. Cornelius Edward Sweeney

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Mangapehi, on and from the 1st day of May, 1941.

Victor John Hayman to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Motiti Island, on and from the 1st day of May, 1941.

G. T. BOLT, Secretary.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 12th May, 1941.

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

W. NASH, Minister of Finance.

THE ELLESMERE LANDS DRAINAGE BOARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 19th day of April, 1941, the Ellesmere Lands Drainage Board submitted to a poll of the ratepayers in the River Area of the Board's district a proposal to raise a special loan of six thousand pounds (£6,000), known as the "Halswell Dredging Loan, 1940," for the following purposes :—

The purchasing of a drag-line dredge and pontoon for dredging the Halswell River and drains in the Board's district and the cost of carrying out such work.

At the poll the votes were recorded as follows :----

			Votes.
For the proposal	•••	••	288
Against the proposal	• • •	••	48
Majority for the proposal	••		$\frac{1}{240}$
I declare the said proposal carr Dated this 2nd day of May, 19			

H. J. MACARTNEY,

Chairman of the Ellesmere Lands Drainage Board. Harper, Pascoe, Buchanan, and Upham, Solicitors for the Board, 118 Hereford Street, Christehurch.