

Garney, Spooner, and Son, Ltd., at Wanganui.
 Grosvenor Laundry, Ltd., at Grey Lynn.
 Hallam's Dry Cleaning Service, at Huntly.
 J. K. Hawkins and Co., at New Plymouth.
 Hawke's Bay Steam Laundry, at Napier.
 Henry's Dyers and Dry Cleaners, Ltd., at Newmarket.
 Home Laundry Service (Taylor's Bagwash), at Christchurch.
 Ideal Dry Cleaners, at Palmerston North.
 Ideal Bag Wash Laundry, at Petone.
 I.X.L. Dyers and Cleaners, at Nelson.
 Modern Way Dry Cleaners, at Hamilton.
 Moody's Dye Works, Ltd., at Newmarket.
 Nelson Steam Laundry Co., Ltd., at Nelson.
 Newmestic Laundry Co., Ltd., at Grey Lynn.
 Northern Laundry, Ltd., at Devonport.
 N.Z. Dry Cleaning Co., Ltd., at Auckland.
 Onehunga Dry Cleaners, at Onehunga.
 Otahuhu Dry Cleaning Co., at Otahuhu.
 Palmerston North Steam Laundry, Co., Ltd., at Palmerston North.
 Petone Steam Laundry Co., Ltd., at Petone.
 Porter's Dye Works, Ltd., at Epsom.
 Preens Ltd., at Dunedin.
 Preens Ltd., at Timaru.
 Pure White Bagwash, at Christchurch.
 Rotorua Electric Laundry, at Rotorua.
 Southland Laundry and Dye Works Co., Ltd., at Invercargill.
 Supply Laundry and "Tri" Cleaners, Ltd., at Auckland.
 Taylor's Dyers and Cleaners, Ltd., at Christchurch.
 Taylor Bros., Ltd., at Wellington.
 The Economic Laundry, Ltd., at Palmerston North.
 The New Plymouth Steam Laundry Co., Ltd., at New Plymouth.
 The Valet Service, at Blenheim.
 The Valet Service, at New Plymouth.
 The Victoria Laundry Co., Ltd., at Wellington.
 Union Steam Ship Company of New Zealand, Ltd. (Laundry), at Wellington.
 United Dry Cleaners, Ltd., at Auckland.
 United Dry Cleaners, Ltd., at Grey Lynn.
 Valet Dry Cleaners, Ltd., at Masterton.
 Waikato Laundry and Bagwash Co., Ltd., at Frankton Junction.
 Wairarapa Steam Laundry, at Masterton.
 Wanganui Steam Laundry Co., Ltd., at Wanganui.
 Wellington Dry Cleaning Co., Ltd., at Wellington, and
 Westland Laundry, at Greymouth.
 Dated this 17th day of January, 1945.
 A. McLAGAN, Minister of Industrial Man-power.

Western Maori Electoral District.—Notice of Polling-day

I, PAUL HUETT DUDSON, Returning Officer for the Western Maori Electoral District, do hereby give notice that, more than one candidate having been duly nominated for election as member of Parliament for the said district, the poll will be taken at the several polling-places of the said district on the 10th day of February, 1945, being the date fixed by the writ.

Hours of polling are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Dated this 24th day of January, 1945.

P. H. DUDSON, Returning Officer.

Western Maori By-election, 1945.—Nominations of Candidates for Maori Representation

Chief Electoral Office,
 Wellington, 24th January, 1945.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Electoral Act, 1927, that the following nominations of candidates for the Western Maori Electoral District have been received, viz. :—

Kaponga Erueti.
 Maharaia Winiata Piahana.
 Matiu Ratana.
 Pehiriri Reweti.
 Pei te Hurinui Jones.
 Reha Kau Hou.
 Rehe Paraone Rewi Maniapoto Amohanga.
 Tukumarū Roretana Tupaea (Richard Rolleston).

L. IRWIN, Chief Electoral Officer.

Sale of Unclaimed Property

Police Department,
 Wellington, 4th January, 1945.

IT is hereby notified that unclaimed property in the hands of the police at the various police-stations will, if not claimed before Saturday, the 10th February, 1945, be sold thereafter by public auction.

Particulars as to the time and place of sale may be obtained from the Superintendent or Inspector of Police in charge of the District.

J. CUMMINGS, Commissioner of Police.

Notice of Adoptions under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1931

Native Land Court Office, Wanganui, 10th January, 1945.

IT is hereby notified that the orders of adoption as set out in the Schedule hereunder have been made by the Native Land Court under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1931.

L. J. BROOKER, Registrar.

Whakaatu tangohanga Tamariki Whangai i raro o Wahi IX o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori, Whanganui, 10 o Hanuere, 1945.

He whakaaturanga tenei kia mohiotia ai kua hangaia e te Kooti Whenua Maori i raro i nga tikanga o te Ture Whenua Maori, 1931, etahi ota whakamana i te tangohanga o etahi tamariki whangai e whakaaturia e te Kupu Apti i raro iho nei.

TE PURUKA, Kai-Rehita.

SCHEDULE (KUPU APTI)

Nama (No.).	Tamariki Whangai (Adopted Children).	Nga tau (Age).	Te Ra i hangaia te Ota (Date of Order).	Matua Whangai (Adopting Parents).	Matua Tipu (Natural Parents).
18/358	Marata Herangi ..	Male (taane), nine years ..	20/4/44	Karu te Tupe	Puti Downs (deceased) and Tare Herangi.
18/370	Joseph Tamakehu ..	Male (taane), eight years	13/6/44	Tau Tamakehu and Te Wai Tamakehu	Matthew Hill and Alice Hill.
18/372	Ngahina Paul Tihema ..	Male (taane), four years ..	21/6/44	Matenga Tanupo and Tanupo Takara Wiremu	Oscar Tihema and Matenga Tanupo.
18/376	Louis Rowe	Male (taane), thirteen years	13/6/44	Pura Kiore	Joe Rowe and Erina Paurini.
18/377	Waina Juliana te Rio ..	Female (wahine), seven years and nine months	13/6/44	Pura Kiore	Joseph Rio and Ngamano Honeri.
18/378	Amy Mihi Taylor ..	Female (wahine), four years	15/5/44	Mihi Taylor and Newton Arthur Taylor	Henare Apatari Johnson and Makarini Te Uira Johnson.
18/379	Jenny Whitirautea Mana ..	Female (wahine), one year	16/5/44	Tini Mana	Bib Mana and Esthar Wipiti (Mana).
18/380	Pikiraukura Wanihi ..	Female (wahine), seven months	13/6/44	Taitoko Rangiwahakateka and Ngati Rangiwahakateka	Tame Wanihi and Weheora Hori.
18/385	Hiriti Ruke	Female (wahine), six years	23/8/44	Peti te Tua	Aperahama Ruke and Hiki Hunia.
18/386	Nohotu Paratau Reweti, alias Paihana Paora	Male (taane), twelve years	23/8/44	Peti te Tua	Wainuiarua Reweti and Parata Reweti (deceased).
18/387	Huirua Koroheke ..	Male (taane), one year and six months	26/6/44	Koroheke Huirua and Peti Koroheke Huirua	Roka Te Katinga Wi Tamehana and Te Katinga Wi Tamehana.
18/388	Werahiko Te Whata Karauti	Male (taane), five years ..	13/6/44	Te Whata Karauti and Ria Te Whata Karauti	Katarina Pouaka and Ngatorua Pouaka.