

Rangitaiki Land Drainage.—Notice of Making and Levying General Rates

I, CLARENCE FARRINGTON SKINNER, Minister of Lands, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, and its amendments, do hereby make and levy, on the unimproved value of all land within the district constituted under the said Act, the general rates to meet maintenance-costs for the period 1st April, 1948, to 31st March, 1949, as described in the Schedule hereto.

The amount of such rates will be payable in one sum on 30th day of August, 1948, together with the special rates already made and levied.

The rate-book of the district is open for inspection at the office of the Collector of Rates, Chief Drainage Engineer's Office, Room 15, First Floor, Government Buildings, Customs Street West, Auckland, and a copy of same may be inspected at the office of the Land Drainage Engineer, at Thornton, near Whakatane, at all times at which those offices are open for the transaction of public business.

SCHEDULE

CLASS A.—On the unimproved value of all lands classified as Class A by the arbitrators appointed under section 6 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, fivepence and thirty-one one-hundredths of a penny (5-31d.) in the pound.

CLASS B.—On the unimproved value of all lands so classified as Class B, threepence and fifty-four one-hundredths of a penny (3-54d.) in the pound.

CLASS C.—On the unimproved value of all lands so classified as Class C, one penny and seventy-seven one-hundredths of a penny (1-77d.) in the pound.

CLASS D.—On the unimproved value of all lands so classified as Class D, fifty-nine one-hundredths of a penny (0-59d.) in the pound.

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of August, 1948.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 15/11/108.)

Poukawa Drainage Area.—Notice of Making and Levying General Rates

I, CLARENCE FARRINGTON SKINNER, Minister of Lands, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Swamp Drainage Act, 1915, and its amendments, do hereby make and levy, on the unimproved value of all lands within the Poukawa Drainage Area constituted under the said Act, the general rates described in the Schedule hereto, such rates being for the purpose of covering for the period from 1st day of April, 1948, to 31st day of March, 1949, the cost of administration of the said Act, including the maintenance of works constructed under that Act in the said area, and I direct that the said rates (together with the annually recurring special rates already made and levied) will be payable in one sum on 30th day of August, 1948, to the Collector of Rates, Chief Drainage Engineer's Office, Government Buildings, Customs Street West, Auckland.

The rate-book is open for inspection at the office of the Collector of Rates, and a copy of the same is available for inspection at the office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Post Office Building, Napier, at all times at which those offices are open for the transaction of public business.

SCHEDULE

CLASS A.—On the unimproved value of all land classified as Class A by the person appointed to classify lands under section 3 of the Swamp Drainage Amendment Act, 1928, ninepence and ninety-four one-hundredths of a penny (9-94d.) in the pound.

CLASS B.—On the unimproved value of all land so classified as Class B, one penny and sixty-six one-hundredths of a penny (1-66d.) in the pound.

CLASS C.—On the unimproved value of all land so classified as Class C, thirty-three one-hundredths of a penny (0-33d.) in the pound.

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of August, 1948.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 15/86/1.)

Notice to Persons Affected by Applications for Licences under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936

Manufacture for Sale of Footwear

N. Doubroff, 318 Dominion Road, Mount Eden, Auckland, has applied for a licence to manufacture children's footwear, sizes 3-6, 7-10, and 11-1.

Paget Shoes, Ltd., P.O. Box 1717, Auckland, has applied for an extension of its existing licence so as to permit the manufacture of women's shoes by the cemented process.

R. D. Swinton and E. R. Roberts, Victoria Street, Hawera, have applied for an extension of their existing licence so as to permit the manufacture of children's "back-in" sandals, sizes 3-9, by the riveted process.

Fruit-canning Industry

Brown Barrett (Picton), Ltd., P.O. Box 55, Picton, has applied for an extension of its existing licence so as to permit the canning of crayfish.

Retail Sale and Distribution of Motor-spirit

Messrs. H. R. and A. H. Hunt, Bridge Street, Bulls, has applied for a licence to resell motor-spirit from two pumps to be installed on proposed garage premises at High Street, Bulls.

R. R. Moore (trading as Moore Motors), Kopu, Thames Valley, has applied for a licence to resell motor-spirit from one pump to be installed outside garage premises at Kopu, Thames Valley.

Applicants and other persons considering themselves to be materially affected by the decisions of the Bureau of Industry on these applications should, not later than 2nd September, 1948, submit any written evidence and representations they may desire to tender. All communications should be addressed to Acting-Secretary, Bureau of Industry, C.P.O. Box 3025, Wellington.

J. R. CUTTANCE, Acting-Secretary.

The Standards Act, 1941.—Specifications Declared to be Standard Specifications

NOTICE is hereby given that on 10th August, 1948, the under-mentioned specifications were declared to be standard specifications by the Minister of Industries and Commerce pursuant to section 8 of the Standards Act, 1941:—

Number and Title of Specification.	Price of Copy (Post Free).
N.Z.S.S. 536: Manila Ropes for General Purposes (Excluding Manila Ropes Used for Lifeboat Falls and for Working Cargo), being B.S. 431-1946 with amended title	s. d. 3 3
N.Z.S.S. 495: Profiles of Weatherboards, Flooring, and Matchlining	3 0
N.Z.S.S. 496: Profiles of Mouldings and Joinery	3 0

Copies may be obtained from the New Zealand Standards Institute, Hamilton Chambers, 201 Lambton Quay, Wellington C. 1, at the prices indicated above.

L. J. McDONALD, Executive Officer.

Branch of Friendly Society Registered

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 29th July, 1948.

THE St. Mary's Branch, No. 955, with registered office at Hokitika, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand District of the Hibernian-Australasian Catholic Benefit Society Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 29th day of July, 1948.

S. BECKINGSALE, Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Public Trust Office.—Termination of Part-time Office at Alexandra and Appointment of District Manager

IT is notified for public information that the part-time office of the Public Trust Office at Alexandra has been terminated, and that a permanent branch has been established as from the 5th August, 1948, under the control of Mr. A. W. Roberts.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of August, 1948.

W. G. BAIRD, Public Trustee.

Decisions of the Bureau of Industry under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936

Bureau of Industry, C.P.O. Box 3025, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority conferred on the Bureau of Industry under Part III of the Industrial Efficiency Act, 1936, the following decisions have been made, in respect of applications for licences.

J. R. CUTTANCE, Acting-Secretary.

Applicant and Location.	Nature of Application.	Decision.	Date.
Pharmacy Industry			
E. L. Plunkett, 2 Fairholme Avenue, Epsom	For a licence to operate a new pharmacy in Waitangi Road, Oranga State Settlement, Onehunga	Declined	16th Aug., 1948.
Retail Sale and Distribution of Motor-spirit			
I. A. Patterson (by Harkness and Henry, Barristers and Solicitors, P.O. Box 121, Hamilton)	For a licence to resell motor-spirit from one pump to be installed outside store premises at Ngahinepouri	Declined	16th Aug., 1948.