

*Notice of Adoptions Under Part IX of the Maori Land Act, 1931*

Maori Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 13th January, 1949.

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

P. H. DUDSON, Registrar.

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

Tari Kooti Whenua Maori,  
Poneke, 13 o Hanuere, 1949.

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 nei e te Kupu Apiti i raro iho nei.

TATIHANANA, Kai-rehita.

SCHEDULE (KUPU APITI)

Adopting Parents (Nga Matua Whangai).	Adopted Children (Tamariki Whangai).
Hemi Campbell and Heni Campbell	Arohanui Pourewa Morgan, now known as Arohanui Pourewa Campbell.
Te Waari Huatahi and Hemoturu Huatahi	Te Waari Kereama or Graham, now known as Te Waari Kereama Huatahi. Norah Huatahi.
Te Waari Huatahi and Hemoturu Huatahi Joseph Thompson Hapi and Amelia Violet Hapi	Emele Lois Treacy, now known as Emele Lois Hapi.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan*

Wellington, 27th January, 1949.

THE following notice, received by the Minister of Finance from the Chairman of the Murchison County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

B. C. ASHWIN, Secretary to the Treasury.

MURCHISON COUNTY COUNCIL

*Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to Raise a Loan*

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the special rating area, known as the "Electric-supply Area" of the County of Murchison, taken on the 19th day of January, 1949, on the proposal of the Murchison County Council to borrow the sum of fifteen thousand six hundred pounds (£15,600), for the purpose of developing a hydro-electric plant on the Marua River and the construction of an 11,000 volt transmission-line from the proposed power-house to Murchison Township—

	Votes.
The number of votes recorded for the proposal was	98
The number of votes recorded against the proposal was	11
Informal	3

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1949.

E. M. BROWN,  
Chairman, Murchison County Council.

*Clerk of Works Act, 1944.—List of Persons Who Have Passed the Examination for a Certificate of Competency as Clerk of Works*

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with Regulation 43 of the Clerks of Works Regulations 1945, that on 26th and 27th November, 1948, the undermentioned persons passed the written and oral examinations for a certificate of competency as Clerk of Works:—

Name.	Address.
Baldwin, Leicester Roald	Christchurch.
Chapman, John Talbot	Auckland.
Cornish, Charles Blackwood	Christchurch.
Grocott, Wesley Horace	Invercargill.
Haigh, John Henry Norman	Hokitika.
Hilton, James Herbert	Wellington.
Kelly, John Francis	Wellington.
Leitch, George	Wellington.
Scott, Walter Herbert	Auckland.
Simmons, George Oliver	Lower Hutt.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of December, 1948.

F. DEWHURST, Secretary,  
Clerks of Works Registration Board.

*Officiating Ministers for 1949.—Notice No. 2*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1949.

PURSUANT 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:—

*The Church of the Province of New Zealand, Commonly Called the Church of England*

The Reverend John Lawley Brown, B.A., L.Th.  
The Reverend Arthur Elliott Elliott-Cannon.  
The Reverend Jack Winston Smith.

*The Presbyterian Church of New Zealand*

Sister Jessie Shaw Arthur.  
The Reverend Josh Stanley Clark.  
Sister Mamie Gardiner.  
Sister Nessie Morgan.  
Sister Jane Annie Spence.

*The Roman Catholic Church*

The Reverend James Dominic Clenaghan.  
The Reverend Gerard Maurice Kane.  
The Reverend Michael McCann.  
The Reverend James McCormack.  
The Reverend Michael Gerard O'Sullivan.

*Brethren*

Mr. Kenneth Rees-Thomas.

P. H. WYLDE, Deputy Registrar-General.

*Notice to Mariners No. 5 of 1949*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 26th January, 1949.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND.—GREYMOUTH

*Leading Mark Established*

Details: A white leading mark, 24 ft. high surmounted by a white inverted equilateral triangle top mark, has been placed 400 ft. in front of the leading beacons in the Railway Yard. This lead is in transit with the orange and white beacons on a bearing of 129°.

Chart affected: No. 2591.

Publications: New Zealand Nautical Almanac and Tide-tables, page 295; New Zealand Pilot, 1946, page 325.

Authority: Greymouth Harbour Board.

W. C. SMITH, Secretary.

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*School Colours*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1949.

THE following school colours, &c., have been registered in accordance with the regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the 12th August, 1915, and amendments thereto:—

DILWORTH SCHOOL

*Colours*

Cap: Crimson stripe between Celtic green stripes on a mid-grey background; each stripe  $\frac{3}{16}$  in. wide, at intervals of  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in.

Stockings: On turnover, one crimson band between two Celtic green bands each  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. wide.

Badge: On a green base a double-towered castle on an azure background; the castle surmounted by three stars. Beneath the whole, the words "Firmiter et Fideliter."

A. F. McMURTRIE, Acting Registration Officer.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES

*Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Selection on Optional Tenures*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 1st February, 1949.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned section is open for selection on optional tenures; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 7th March, 1949.

Applicants should appear personally for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, on Thursday, 10th March, 1949, at 10 o'clock a.m., but if any applicant is unable to attend he may be examined by any other Land Board or by any Commissioner of Crown Lands.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants, and the successful applicant is required to pay immediately at conclusion of ballot a deposit comprising the first half-year's rent or deposit on deferred payments, broken-period rent, and lease fee. Possession of the property will be given on 1st April, 1949.