

*Inquiry Into Fire at the Premises of Arthur Barnett Ltd.,  
Dunedin*

To Judge ERIC FRANCIS ROTHWELL, on furlough from the High Court of Western Samoa.

WHEREAS on the 9th day of December 1959, a serious fire occurred at the premises of Arthur Barnett Ltd., situated in George Street, Dunedin:

And whereas extensive damage to property occurred by reason of the said fire:

And whereas it is expedient that a full inquiry be made into all the circumstances concerning the said fire:

Now, therefore, pursuant to section 82 of the Fire Services Act 1949 as enacted by section 4 of the Fire Services Amendment Act 1952, I, William Theophilus Anderton, Minister of Internal Affairs, hereby appoint you, the said

ERIC FRANCIS ROTHWELL

to hold an inquiry into, and report upon, the following matters:

1. The cause and origin of the fire.
2. Whether any special circumstances contributed to the origin or spread of the fire:
3. The effectiveness or otherwise of the measures taken to origin or spread of the fire.
4. The adequacy of the water supply available to the fire brigade for the purposes of fighting the fire.
5. And generally upon such matters arising therefrom as may come to your notice in the course of your inquiries which you consider should be investigated in connection therewith and upon any matters affecting the premises which you consider should be brought to the attention of the Government.

And you are hereby strictly charged and directed that you shall not at any time publish or otherwise disclose, save to me in pursuance of these presents or by my direction, the contents of any report so made or to be made by you or any evidence or information obtained by you in exercise of the powers hereby conferred upon you except such evidence or information as is received in the course of a sitting open to the public:

And further, I do require you to report to me in writing within 60 days of the date hereof your findings and opinions on the matters aforesaid together with such recommendations as you think fit to make in respect thereof.

Given under my hand at Wellington this 28th day of January 1960.

W. T. ANDERTON, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 191/19)

*Chairman of Fire Service Council Appointed*

PURSUANT to section 4 of the Fire Services Act 1949, the Minister of Internal Affairs hereby appoints

Stanley Sydney McPherson Dean, O.B.E., of Wellington,

to be a member and to be the chairman of the Fire Service Council for a term of three years commencing on the 1st day of February 1960.

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of February 1960.

W. T. ANDERTON, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 76/34/11)

*Officiating Ministers for 1959—Notice No. 48*

PURSUANT to the Marriage Act 1955, 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 Piripi Tutangiara Kapa  
The Reverend William Brian Scott  
The Reverend Errol Gordon Stewart Smith

*The Presbyterian Church of New Zealand*

The Reverend Alastair Kimball Thomas Bathgate

*Baptists*

Pastor Trevor Maurice Chandler

*Brethren*

Mr Stanley John Lamble

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1960.

J. G. A' COURT, Registrar-General.

*Officiating Ministers for 1959—Notice No. 49*

It is hereby notified that the names of the under-mentioned officiating ministers have been removed from the list of officiating ministers under the Marriage Act 1955:

*Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints*

Elder Dean H. Burton

*Church of the Nazarene*

The Reverend Jervis Thomas Davis

*Newton East Mission*

Mr David Boath

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1960.

J. G. A' COURT, Registrar-General.

*Revocation of the Reservation Over a Reserve*

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby revokes the reservation as a reserve for the purposes of general education over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

SOUTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT

PART Section 68, Block XVI, Ohinemuri Survey District: Area, 4 acres 1 rood 0.29 perches, more or less. As shown on the plan marked L. and S. 51548F deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (S.O. Plan 13848II and M.L. 16630.)

Dated at Wellington this 29th day of January 1960.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 51548; D.O. G.P. 16)

*Revocation of the Reservation Over a Reserve*

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby revokes the reservation as a reserve for railway afforestation purposes over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

SOUTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT

SECTION 18, Block I, Katikati Survey District: Area, 115 acres, more or less. (S.O. Plan 29934.)

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1960.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 22/5015; D.O. 3/1151 and R.L. 766)

*Revocation of the Reservation Over a Reserve*

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby revokes the reservation as a public reserve over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT

LOT 49, Deeds Plan 914, being part Clive Suburban Sections 103 and 104, situated in Block III, Clive Survey District: Area, 1 rood 29.8 perches, more or less.

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1960.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 6/1/1075; D.O. M. 299)

*Revocation of the Reservation Over a Reserve*

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby revokes the reservation as a reserve for the purposes of travelling stock over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

NELSON LAND DISTRICT

SECTION 5, Block VII, Kongahu Survey District: Area, 5 acres, more or less. (S.O. Plan 6344.)

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1960.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 6/5/56; D.O. R. 16)