

Weather Sequence—During the first 2 days of September a deep depression was moving away to the south-east and pressures were also low far to the south, while an anticyclone was centred to the north. Westerly to south-westerly conditions prevailed, with rain on the West Coast and Southland, besides parts of Canterbury and the whole of the North Island. Snow was reported on the South Island ranges. For the next 2 days pressures were still very low to the south and another trough of low pressure reached Cook Strait. Rain was reported in the North Island mainly west of the main ranges but it affected the whole of the South Island, with some considerable falls in south Westland.

A depression developed on the trough over the North Tasman Sea and moved south-eastward across Northland and Bay of Plenty to a position off the East Coast. From the 5th to the 7th rain affected mainly the North Island, with some heavy falls in Auckland, Waikato, Waitomo, Bay of Plenty, Taupo, Gisborne, and Hawke's Bay. Flooding was reported in the lower parts of the Waikato. During the next 2 days the depression moved away and a ridge of high pressure extended over the country from the north, bringing mainly fine weather.

On the 10th and 11th a very deep depression passed far to the south-west and two troughs of low pressure crossed the country. In the very strong north-westerly flow violent gales were reported in Otago, Canterbury, and Wellington, causing considerable damage. More heavy rain fell on the West Coast with lighter falls elsewhere. During the next 2 days a depression developed on the second trough and crossed northern districts of the North Island. Some rain fell over most of the North Island, with considerable falls in Hawke's Bay in the easterlies.

On the 14th the depression moved away and a ridge of high pressure brought improved conditions. However, some rain was still reported in eastern and northern districts of the North Island. On the following day a weak trough of low pressure brought

some rain to the West Coast and Southland. From the 16th to the 18th an anticyclone over and later to the east of the North Island brought settled weather to the whole country, except the West Coast.

During the 19th and 20th a complex depression from the North Tasman Sea crossed northern districts of the North Island. Considerable rain was reported in Northland and Bay of Plenty with some rain also over the remainder of the North Island, while showers affected the West Coast and the Otago and Canterbury coasts. For the next 2 days a deep depression over the South Tasman Sea crossed Southland and Otago, while the associated trough of low pressure brought fairly general rain. In the westerlies there were some considerable falls on the West Coast, and parts of Otago were also affected in this way. Owing to the development of a small depression off the Buller coast, light rain persisted on the 23rd over the North Island and on the east coast of the South Island.

During the 24th and 25th a depression passed eastward close to Southland with an associated trough of low pressure. In the westerlies rain was fairly general, except for most of Otago and Canterbury. On the 2 following days a second depression followed a very similar track, with rain again general, except in Otago and Canterbury, besides parts of Hawke's Bay. Some considerable falls were reported on the West Coast and in some northern districts. On the 28th and 29th this depression moved away to the east of the South Island but a second centre formed off the Westland coast and moved north-eastward. The rain persisted on both days over the North Island but cleared over most of the South Island on the 29th. On the last day of the month a ridge of high pressure extended southward from an anticyclone to the north, bringing mainly fine weather.

J. F. GABITES, Director.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

NOTICE is hereby given that BETTY SUSANNAH MARGARET TAGG, formerly of 179 Jervois Road, Herne Bay, now of Flat 16, 10 Brighton Road, Parnell, clerk, was on 27 October 1971 adjudged bankrupt. Notice of the first meeting of creditors will be given later.

Dated at Auckland this 27th day of October 1971.

P. R. LOMAS, Official Assignee.

Fourth Floor, Dilworth Building, Customs Street East, Auckland 1.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

IN the matter of BETTY SUSANNAH MARGARET TAGG, a bankrupt. I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be held at my office on the 5th day of November 1971, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

All proofs of debt must be filed with me as soon as possible and preferably before the first meeting of creditors.

Dated at Auckland this 1st day of November 1971.

P. R. LOMAS, Official Assignee.

Fourth Floor, Dilworth Building, Customs Street East, Auckland 1.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HAMIL TAMIHERE, of 118 St. George's Road, Avondale, steelworker, was on 29 October 1971 adjudged bankrupt. Notice of the first meeting of creditors will be given later.

Dated at Auckland this 1st day of November 1971.

P. R. LOMAS, Official Assignee.

Fourth Floor, Dilworth Building, Customs Street East, Auckland 1.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER PATRICK VELLA, trading as Peter's Handy Hardware, formerly of 154 Greenlane Road, Greenlane, now of 115 South Titirangi Road, Titirangi, storeman, was on 28 October 1971 adjudged bankrupt. Notice of the first meeting of creditors will be given later.

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of October 1971.

P. R. LOMAS, Official Assignee.

Fourth Floor, Dilworth Building, Customs Street East, Auckland 1.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court—Notice of Order Annuling an Adjudication (Section 119, Insolvency Act 1967)

TAKE notice that the order of adjudication, dated 26 March 1971, against LIONEL NEALE CURD, of Sandspit Road, Warkworth, motor mechanic, was annulled by order of the Supreme Court at Auckland, dated Wednesday, the 27th day of October 1971.

Dated at Auckland this 28th day of October 1971.

P. R. LOMAS, Official Assignee.

Fourth Floor, Dilworth Building, Customs Street East, Auckland 1.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

IN the matter of NOEL KEITH ELLIOTT, bankrupt. Creditors' meeting will be held at my office on Tuesday, 9 November 1971, at 11 a.m.

T. W. PAIN, Official Assignee.

State Insurance Building, 136 Victoria Street, Hamilton.

In Bankruptcy—Supreme Court

JOHN STEVEN WILLIAMS, of 70 Queen Street, Cambridge, salesman, was adjudged bankrupt on 26 October 1971.

T. W. PAIN, Official Assignee.

Hamilton.

In Bankruptcy

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are payable in my office on all proved claims in the under-mentioned estates:

Anderson, William John, of Shakespeare Street, Leamington, labourer. Second and final dividend of 22.60c in the dollar.

Eccles, Eldon Hudson, of Rotorua, company director. First and final dividend of 100c in the dollar.

Gibbs, Robert Allan, of 1 Tuhoe Street, Whakatane, car valet service cleaner. First and final dividend of 4.34c in the dollar.

McKechie, Kevin Hugh, of Hukanui Road, R.D. 1, Hamilton, electrician. First and final dividend of 100c in the dollar.

MacLeod, William Thomas, of 23 Gordon Road, Rotorua, mechanic. First and final dividend of 100c in the dollar.

Mahon, Peggy Viola, of Te Ngae Road, Rotorua, poultry farmer. First and final dividend of 5.91c in the dollar.

Matson, Iva Pakete, of 42 Billah Street, Tokoroa, housewife. First and final dividend of 25.21c in the dollar.