4. Title: Oracle of the Thousand Hands. Author: Barry N. Malzberg. Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

5. Title: The Pleasure Principle.
Author: Jesse Taylor.
Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

6. Title: Pretty Thing.Author: Robert Turner.Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

7. Title: Screen.
Author: Barry N. Malzberg.

Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

8. Title: Soho Whore (The Making of a London Prostitute).

Author: Sheila Foster.

Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

9. Title: The Whip Angels.
Author: Selena Warfield.

Publisher: Olympia Press Inc., New York.

10. Title: The Exquisite Corpse. Author: Alfred Chester.

Publisher: Sphere Books Ltd., London WC1X8JL.

Tariff and Development Board Notice No. 250—Cancellation of Public Hearing Concerning Dental Chairs Determined in Tariff Item No. 94.02.01 (Now 94.02.001)

Notice is hereby given that the public hearing set down to commence on Thursday, 10 February 1972, at 10.30 a.m. (New Zealand Gazette dated 14 October 1971) has been cancelled.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of January 1972.

J. E. CRANSHAW, for Secretary, Tariff and Development Board.

P.O. Box 5070, Wellington.

## Protection of Industry

NOTICE is hereby given, in compliance with the requirements of the Tariff and Development Board Act 1961 and its amendments, that the Minister of Customs has received the final report of the Tariff and Development Board on the following goods:

Goods

Date of Receipt

Wooden tool handles of Tariff items 44.25.02, 44.25.03, 44.25.06, and 44.25.07 17 December 1971 Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of December 1971.

J. A. KEAN, Comptroller of Customs.

The Standards Act 1965—Draft New Zealand Standard Specification Available for Comment

Pursuant to subsection (3) of section 23 of the Standards Act 1965, notice is hereby given that the following draft New Zealand standard specification is being circulated:

Number and Title of Specification

DZ 5121/249 Code of practice for the installation of milking machines and milk pumping equipment.

All persons who may be affected by this specification and who desire to comment thereon may, upon application, obtain a copy on loan from the Standards Association of New Zealand, New Zealand Display Centre Building, Sturdee Street (or Private Bag), Wellington. Additional copies are obtainable at 50c a copy from the same address.

The closing date for the receipt of comment is 6 March 1972.

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of December 1971.

G. H. EDWARDS, Director, Standards Association of New Zealand.

(S.A. 114/2/8)

New Zealand Government Railways—Schedule of Civil Engineering and Building Contracts of \$20,000 or More in Value

Name of Works		Successful Tenderer	Tender ccepted \$
Renewal of bridge No. 103, Main South Line	••	Rope Construction Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 29	92,794.00
Wellington Rail Ferry Terminal: construction of amenity and office	• •		37,510.00
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I. THOMAS, General Manager.

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## RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND AS AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, 15 DECEMBER 1971

	Liabilities	\$	Assets \$
Notes in circulation	••	255,674,408	Gold 704,807
Demand deposits—	\$		Overseas assets—
(a) State	42,344,6		(a) Current accounts and short-term \$
(b) Banks	21,223,8		bills107,103,640
(c) Marketing account	nts 3,678,4		(b) Investments 82,174,906
(d) Other	19,590,4		(c) Holdings of special drawing rights 24,569,151
		<b>—</b> 86,837,470	213,847,697
Time deposits		••	New Zealand coin 2,679,330
Liabilities in currencie	es other than New Zealar	nd	Discounts 2,900,000
currency—	\$		Advances—
(a) Demand	284,1		(a) To the State 8,810,185
(b) Time	2,750,0		(b) To marketing accounts106,910,201
		<b>—</b> 3,034,189	(c) Export credits 9,589,063
Allocation of special di		42,848,214	(d) Other advances 1,865,000
Other liabilities (includ	ing accumulated profits)	7,537,121	127,174,449
Capital accounts—	<b>S</b>		Investments in New Zealand—
(a) General Reserve			(a) N.Z. Government securities 56,012,940
(b) Other reserves	19,826,9		(b) Other 438,750
		- 22,826,907	56,451,690
			Other assets 15,000,336
		\$418,758,309	\$418,758,309
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