

## Maniototo County Council BA-BL 2/2

### Miscellaneous Correspondence

- Letter to Maniototo County Council re E W Wards enclosing order by Mr Wards to pay all monies due to him to G T Baylee, Barrister & Solicitor. G T Baylee, 12<sup>th</sup> October, 1932
- Letter to G T Baylee confirming the Order would be acted upon in accordance with his wishes. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 14<sup>th</sup> October, 1932
- Letter to the Chairman of the County Council inquiring where to apply to go on a gold prospecting scheme. Fredrick Blanchard, 24<sup>th</sup> February, 1933
- Letter to Fredrick Blanchard acknowledging his request for information re the conditions governing Gold Prospectors engaged under the Employment Board's Gold Prospecting Scheme and a brief list of those conditions. Further information necessary was to be addressed to the Certifying Officer, Cromwell. County Clerk, 16<sup>th</sup> March, 1933
- Letter to the Chairman Maniototo County Council asking that they approach their respective Members of Parliament with the request that, irrespective of party politics, they will give a guarantee to press for the complete derating of farm lands for road purposes. Bay of Islands County Council, 10 May 1933
- Letter to D J Bennetto, Gold Prospector, Kokonga confirming application to be classified as a married man under the provisions of the Unemployment Board's Gold Prospecting Scheme and request to complete a Declaration in the presence of a JP before the matter would be considered by firstly the Mining Executive Committee. County Clerk J A Whitcombe, 14<sup>th</sup> July, 1933
- Letter inquiring whether a remission of rates was entitled due to the house being empty from January – September 1933. George Black, 14 November, 1933
- Reply to Mr George Black re rates rebate. Informed that no rebate was due and confirmation of rates and sanitation charges owed. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 15<sup>th</sup> November, 1933
- Letter to Mr Donald Baxter enclosing cheque together with Voucher being payment of Accident Compensation plus allowance for medical expenses. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 7<sup>th</sup> October, 1935
- Letter to the County Clerk re unattended stock creating a public nuisance in the streets of Ranfurly and questioning the apparent powerlessness of the Ranger. W L Bell, Ranfurly, 25<sup>th</sup> March, 1936
- Reply to W L Bell, Ranfurly stating the legal position re stock on any unfenced land in Otago. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 27<sup>th</sup> March 1936
- Letter to the Town Clerk Naseby County Council tendering quotes for linoleums and underlay's for the new County Offices. Arthur Barnetts Limited, 20 May 1936

- Reply to the Manager, Arthur Barnett Ltd acknowledging receipt of quotations and advising timing of next meeting when they would be considered. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 25<sup>th</sup> May 1936
- Letter to the Maniototo County Council in response to an account received by the writer for sanitary pan. He informed the Council that he did not have a pan and did not require one at that point. R Bennie, Ranfurly, 28 May 1936
- Letter to the County Clerk for confirmation that rates payments are up to date to satisfy the Adjustment Commission in connection with an application by Mr Felix McCarthy of Wedderburn for an adjustment of his liabilities. Brash & Thompson Barristers & Solicitors, 16 February 1938
- Reply to Messrs Brash & Thompson re rates payments by Mr Felix McCarthy of Wedderburn. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 18 February 1938
- Letter to the County Clerk requesting Heavy Traffic Disc for remainder of present quarter be forwarded. L K Ball, Naseby, April 1938
- Letter to L K Ball advising of the license fees payable to the end of the present quarter. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 20 April 1938
- Letter to Mr A Blanchard advising of rates due. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 27<sup>th</sup> February 1939
- Petition to the Maniototo county Council applying to have some improvements effected to Old Dunstan road from a point near the Styx Hotel to a camping reserve 2 miles up the range. Central Otago Ski Club, Patearoa, March 1939
- Reply to Central Otago Ski Club informing them of Council's decision to an expenditure of approximately £12 has been authorized for improvements to be effected to Old Dunstan Road. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1939
- Letter to , M R Black, Engineer for the Maniototo County Council advising a request from the Vincent County Council to organize a Tree Planting Campaign amongst the pupils of the various schools within its boundaries. Trees to be planted on school grounds, waste lands and certain sports areas to commemorate the Centenary of New Zealand. F B Belcher, Alexandra, 27<sup>th</sup> May 1939
- In furtherance to the communication to Mr Black Engineer for Maniototo County Council by Mr F B Belcher concerning suggestions for Centennial Commemoration in the form of tree planting, Mr Belcher forwards for consideration of the Council at its next meeting, these suggestions in detail and approximate costs. F B Belcher, Agriculture Instructor, Otago Board of Education, 20<sup>th</sup> June 1939
- Letter to Mr F B Belcher responding to both previous correspondences that the Council regrets that under existing circumstances it is not able to favour the proposal. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 27<sup>th</sup> June 1939

- Letter assuring responsibility for a groyne to be placed in the Taieri River up to cost not exceeding £40. Patterson(?), Aitchenson, Spence, Patearoa, 31<sup>st</sup> December 1938
- Letter to the Maniototo County Council requesting assistance in conveying material to enable the replacement of a stock bridge over Rock & Pillar creek that was washed away in floods on the late W E Beattie's run. R G Beattie, Patearoa, 17<sup>th</sup> February 1941
- Letter to Mrs V Blakely, Gimmerburn re irrigation culverts. The difference between the price quoted and the actual cost of work is explained in the letter. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 17<sup>th</sup> February 1941
- Letter to the County Clerk requesting further clarification to the information supplied re irrigation culvert pipes. Mrs V Blakely, Gimmerburn, 24<sup>th</sup> February 1941
- Letter to the Chairman Maniototo County Council requesting permission to place an irrigation culvert under the Patearoa Styx Highway. R I Beattie, 23 March 1942
- Letter to R I Beattie granting permission to place a culvert under the Patearoa Styx Highway carried out to the satisfaction of the Council or its appointee. County Clerk J A Whitcombe, 15<sup>th</sup> April 1942
- Letter to Council with rate payment enclosed. D Cachwell(?), June 1942
- Letter of complaint to the County Clerk re the state of the road leading to Mrs Shands property. D P Bayne, 12<sup>th</sup> August 1943
- Letter to the Maniototo County Council for permission to insert a culvert in the Waipiata – Gimmerburn Road. Mrs V Blakely, 16<sup>th</sup> September 1943
- Reply to Mrs V Blakely granting permission to place an irrigation culvert on the Waipiata – Gimmerburn road carried out to the approval of the Council. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 28<sup>th</sup> September 1943
- Letter to the Maniototo County Council requesting permission to dispose of drainage from a new residence into the adjacent creek. R Bennie, Ranfurly, 18 November 1943
- Letter to Mr R Bennie informing him that in the meantime the drainage refuse from his new residence must be confined to the limits of his own property by means of filter beds. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 1<sup>st</sup> December 1943
- Letter to the Chairman Maniototo County Council applying to have the culvert that was removed by grading, replaced urgently. Mrs H Baker, Ranfurly, 15<sup>th</sup> March 1944
- Letter to County Clerk re dog registration. D P Bayne, Kokonga, 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1944
- Letter to Mrs H Baker advising that her application for a culvert giving access to her property had been granted and that work would be put in hand at the earliest opportunity. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 28<sup>th</sup> March 1944
- Payment of wages to Mr D Baxter, Hyde. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 19<sup>th</sup> June 1944

- Letter to the Maniototo County Council re the assurance that drainage was now prohibited from polluting creeks and that in future no person would be allowed to drain into any creek. The writer conveys his surprise and disgust that the Railway houses were allowed to drain to the adjacent creek and one other household whose drain had been giving trouble was now permitted to drain into another creek. Council's refusal to allow the writer to do likewise had put him to some expense. R Bennie, Ranfurly, 26<sup>th</sup> June 1944
- Letter to Mr R Bennie in response to his prior correspondence. Council had referred the matter to the District Health Inspector for comments and report. Mr Bennie would be advised in due course. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 8<sup>th</sup> August 1944
- Letter to the Chairman Maniototo County Council re County's dozer which was engaged stripping at the Oturehua Coal Mine and a dispute re payment of actual work time and the driver's claim for lost time due to ground condition. Q Brown, Palmerston, 19<sup>th</sup> February 1945
- Letter to County Clerk re Estate J H Reid rates demand not being delivered to the new property owner and enclosing a cheque for the rates to the same level as previous couple of years. Mrs A H Brough, Owaka, 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1945
- Reply to Mrs A H Brough re Estate J H Reid and thanking and informing her that the rates had already been paid by Messrs Donald, Reid & Co Ltd and returned her cheque. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 26<sup>th</sup> February 1945
- Letter to Mr A H Chapman requesting that he take steps to have the growth of broom etc removed from his road frontage due to poor visibility for road users. County Clerk, J A Whitcombe, 26<sup>th</sup> March 1945