

SHOPS AND OFFICES BILL, 1913: SUMMARY OF REPRESENTATIONS MADE BY CORRESPONDENCE.

Date of Letter.	No. of Letter.	Name of Writer.	Description and Address of Writer.	Representations made.	Section of Bill affected.	Remarks.
Re Inclusion of Private Boardinghouses and (Private?) Hotels in Bill, Sections 26-32.						
26/8/13	1 (a)	William Grau and nine others	Proprietors of boardinghouses and private hotels at Hamilton and Frankton Junction	Protesting against their inclusion in the Bill	Sections 2 and 26 to 32.	
4/8/13	5	Innes	Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Rotorua	Chamber of Commerce protests against the inclusion of hotels and boardinghouses in the Bill	Ditto.	
Re Whole Holiday for Hotels and Restaurants, Section 27 (5).						
26/8/13	1 (b)	William Grau and nine others	Proprietors of boardinghouses and private hotels at Hamilton and Frankton Junction	Protesting against a full holiday weekly	Section 27 (5).	
3/9/13	2	R. Galbraith	Proprietor, Somerset Private Hotel, Ashburton	"	"	
12/8/13	3	Smith and four others	Boardinghouse proprietors, Taumarunui	"	"	
13/8/13	4	F. Casey	President, Gisborne Branch Auckland Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Industrial Union of Workers	Union urges that every hotel irrespective of the number of hands employed be made to observe a full day's holiday per week	Section 27 (4) and (5).	
Re Constitution of Combined Districts, for Purpose of Half-holiday for Shops, Section 12 (2); Re Firing of the Half-holiday, Sections 13 to 16; and re Exemptions from same, Section 17.						
26/7/13	24 (a)	R. S. Badger	Secretary, Christchurch Retailers' Association	Association suggests that a ten-miles radius from the General Post-office should be made the boundary, and that subsection (2) should be deleted	Section 12 (1) and (2).	
25/8/13	7 (a)	Charles B. King	Secretary, Auckland Grocers' Industrial Union of Employers	Suggestion by the union that Road Boards be included in "combined districts" in the sections mentioned	Sections 12 (2), 14 (2), and 16 (2).	
30/7/13	21 (b)	R. French ..	Auckland	Suggesting that annual conference of members of contiguous local bodies fix the statutory closing-day in all cases	Sections 14 and 15.	
29/7/13	12 (b)	J. A. Thompson	Bookseller and stationer, Auckland ..	Suggesting that the statutory half-holiday be made optional (evidently meaning the day of the half-holiday)	Section 13.	
..	13	Anonymous	Auckland	Suggesting that the statutory half-holiday be made optional for small shopkeepers	"	
30/7/13	14	Alfred Moore	Men's outfitter, Auckland	Suggesting that shopkeepers be given the option of closing on Wednesday or Saturday	"	
29/7/13	25	H. E. Bullen	Bootmaker, Auckland	Ditto	"	
29/7/13	15	F. A. Fenton	Chemist, Auckland	Protesting against the compulsory Saturday half-holiday	"	
18/7/13	28	J. H. Hannan	Draper, Auckland	Protesting against compulsory closing on Saturday	"	
"	16	J. Livesly ..	Secretary, Devonport Association	Association suggests that shopkeepers be given the option of closing on Saturday or Wednesday	"	
30/7/13	21 (a)	R. French ..	Auckland	Suggesting that Saturday should be fixed as the statutory closing-day, with tradesmen having the option of substituting Wednesday by giving previous notice	"	
..	21 (c)		"	Suggesting that, as in cases where the holiday is held on any day but Saturday tradesmen have the option of observing Saturday, then where Saturday is compulsory tradesmen should have the option of observing any other day	Section 13 (2).	