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"to me, to you" 1<sup>st</sup> May 2004



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Kure ndokusina, kwachiri unofa wasvika Where there is a will there is a way Kaua mā te waewae tūtuki, engari mā te ūpoko pakaru

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## **INTRODUCTION**

This information sheet was set up for the benefit of Zimbabweans who are either resident in New Zealand, or to use as a resource to help themselves either when considering New Zealand as a new home.

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- Feel free to pass on to friends but do not send it on to anyone you do not trust
- · When contacting people listed, let them know you got the details from Kamina Kawena
- Remember to contact KK to update/remove your advertisements, details, etc.

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NEW ZEALAND IMMIGRATION – all updates available on <a href="http://www.immigration.govt.nz/">http://www.immigration.govt.nz/</a>

#### **Visitor's Visas**

Visitor visas are issued to people visiting New Zealand & <u>intending to return to their country of origin</u>. As with immigration authorities world wide, all applicants should ensure that there is adequate information about employment, assets (house/business) or similar available to the authorities in order to support any application for a Visitors Visa.

#### Family Quota 23/03/2004

No places are available under the Family Quota this year. This means that no registrations will be accepted this year. The immigration service will advise next year whether places will be available in 2005.

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Americo dos Santos would like to get in touch with anyone who was involved in the design and/or installation of farm irrigation systems in Zimbabwe. He was Technical director at Fort Concrete in Harare & is the Technical Services Manager, Hynds Pipe Systems Ltd. e-mail: americods@softhome.net

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Berry, Dave The late, (KIA 1982). Anyone who knew him please contact his daughter Louise Berry who is seeking people who knew him e-mail <a href="mailto:lberry@rbps.co.za">lberry@rbps.co.za</a>

Beverley Reid (previously Dawson Delia Adams who was in the same class at school with Beverley's daughter Dalrae is interested in making contact. Email: cirluk@optushome.com.au

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**Cruger** Piet (Bushpig) who was in Rusape in Zimbabwe & moved to Mozambique. His mother was teaching at Hill Crest Mutare & lived at Nyanga. He had a sister

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DuPreez – Jack, formerly Harare & former Rhodesian/Springbok Cricketer. May be living in the lower half of North Island. Roy Goodyear who played cricket with Jack at Glendale in the Winter League would like to get in touch & is interested if Jack would assist him at his Cricket Academy situated at Saint Kentigern College in Auckland. E-mail: UpanUp@xtra.co.nz

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Gower née Sprague – Michaela She has a daughter Ayla-Starr (approx 7 years old) as well a sister (Nicky - Sprague?), mother (surname Sprague) who are all somewhere in the U.K. Her exhusband Rob Gower is somewhere in Ireland. I have lost touch with this very dear friend. We were neighbours in Avondale, Harare some 4 years ago. I am now in New Zealand. Please if anyone knows her whereabouts contact me. Gail Kotze 12 Meadowbrook Drive, Palmerston North, New Zealand. Ph: (06) 357 5665 e-mail gailheather@hotmail.com

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McKinley – John, married Sharon Robinson from Bulawayo. Last heard from was working for O Conolly Enginéering in Bulawayo, & he emigrated (I think) to South Africa in about 1976. If anyone knows of his whereabouts, please contact me, Ian Robinson on 263 11 212774, 260 96 922156, or e-mail surtec@mweb.co.zw

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Plenderleith – Tubby ex GFS, his older brother of Richard who died in the early 70's. If you know where he is please contact Dereck Wetherall e-mail: dereckw@bigpond.com

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Summers Jimmey – Cheryl Carl (née' Foster) is looking for her biological father named Jimmey Summers from the RLI 1968/9, Harare, Zimbabwe, anyone knows/knew of him please would you contact her on <a href="mailto:carliwe@clear.net.nz">carliwe@clear.net.nz</a> or Ph: 07/3572233

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Dairy Farm A position has become available for an honest & enthusiastic person to help us run our 330 cow dairy unit 28 kms south east of Te Awamutu. We offer a comfortable 3 bedroom home & 30 a-side Herringbone farm dairy. Wages are negotiable. Partner able to relief milk & help rear calves an advantage. If you are interested we'd love to hear from you. Please phone Ray & Bev Harris 078722821 for further information.

**Hairstylist** Senior hair stylist wanted in busy, friendly salon in Rothsay Bay. Ph: Julia (09)478 7997 (8 am onwards)

Jack of All Trades: Our company operates in the property development field on the North Shore & require the services of a jack of all trades to do smaller jobs such as landscaping, cleaning, fencing etc. Team approach welcome. Immediate start preferable. Flexitime available but typical 8-9 hour/ day initially required. Remuneration negotiable for the right person.

Mechanic required for a small Wellington suburban garage that has been in business for over 18 years. While qualifications might be a help Craig is prepared to employ an unqualified person. Good references & the right attitude required from someone who is prepared to work & is capable to become one of the team. Contact Craig Fair Ph: (04) 476 6547 (Work) or (04) 476 2572 (Home) e-mail karoriauto@xtra.co.nz

**Mechanic** wanted for growing North Shore workshop. - a great fun team, excellent sea views. Send your CV to - Mechanic Position, Torbay Service Station, 961 Beach Road, Torbay Symone Sutherland-MacLeod, macleodz@xtra.co.nz

**Nelson area** – Garth Lawson may be able to assist with seasonal apple orchard work from Nov – March – packing, tractor driving, forklift driving etc. Check www.seasonalwork.co.nz and/or contact Garth (03) 526 8267 e-mail: <a href="mailto:garbel@xtra.co.nz">garbel@xtra.co.nz</a>

Nurses – Contact the New Zealand Nursing

**Professional Property & Cleaning Services** have vacancies. They are a cleaning company in Auckland that is growing very fast. Contact Hilton Boshard who is their contracts manager on Ph: (09) 579 4321 or Mob: 025 249 4454.

Pse contact Henk Kamffer on 027 414 1402 or office 479 8752.

Refrigeration Technicians - we are looking for refrigeration technicians/engineers to work in the industrial field, must have knowledge with ammonia, please contact Andre van Dyk for further enquiries Ph: (03) 384 9210 Cell: 021765323 e-mail atvandyk@clear,net.nz

Road Marker – wanted for small, well established company primarily engaged in the road marking of car parks. This is an exciting opportunity if you have the skills or willing to be trained & want to be part of a progressive team. Must be able to speak & read English, Full drivers license essential, good customer skills, able to work unsupervised with initiative & pride in their work. Training will be provided for the right person ,Good hourly rate. Please e-mail CV to Wendy at pikwe@ihug.co.nz or phone 09 4834019.

**Tow Truck Driver** we are in great need of a full time & part time tow truck driver. Must have class 2 licence, V endorsement, Hd licence contact Ian Bennett on <a href="mailto:ian.bennett@xtra.co.nz">ian.bennett@xtra.co.nz</a>

We are looking for a qualified Mechanic who can offer -

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Gas Distribution Trainer Pressure Control & Distribution: Our client is in need of the abovementioned person. Your role will be to provide a professional customer focused auditing service for customers, in particular to provide compliance and system audits of those working on VECTORs network and networks owned by others. You will need to have knowledge of the following:- - Construction and operation of gas distribution networks, specifically including pressure control equipment. - Legislation relating to worker competency and health and safety. -Workplace assessment process. - ISO 9000 based quality management systems and quality improvement tools. - Project management processes. - Design, develop, plan, deliver and evaluate training and assessment. - Technical skills in gas distribution (<2000kPa), polyethylene and steel mains and services. Together with specific expertise in the construction and maintenance of pressure control equipment. - Organization and planning. - Minimum requirements:- - Gas distribution (Pressure Control) qualification - Train the Trainer course. - National Certificate in Adult Education (Level 4) or equivalent. -International Auditor to AS/NZS ISO 10011.1 -Implementing QMS to ISO 9000. - Health and Safety Auditing to AS/NZS 4801 Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz

Vegetation Operations Manager Our client is looking for an individual to lead our Vegetation Department reporting to the Project Manager of the Transit Maintenance Contract. Your role will be:- Coordination of operations within the department. Liaison with internal suppliers and subcontractors. Implementation of Fulton Hogan systems, including

health and safety, quality, training and environmental. Customer liaison. Staff management. If this sounds like you please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz

Estimator/Quantity Surveyor - Auckland Our client is in need of an Estimator/Quantity Surveyor, based in Papakura. Your role will encompass:- Actively participating in day to day Contract Management Procedures ensuring financial aspects of Contracts are managed to achieve optimal earnings and satisfactory client outcomes.1) You will be proactively involved in the tendering process, carry out takeoffs for jobs to be priced and ensure contracts are costed diligently and accurately. 2) You will carry out general contract administration, i.e. variations, claims and payment processing for Auckland. 3) You will assist with job budget development for allocated projects. 4) You will identify, cost and process contract variations. 5) You will assist with stock takes, chasing overdue payments, general customer enquiries regarding products, costs and delivery times. Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz

## Project Surveyor - Rangitoto Shipping Lane.

Our client is in need of a Project Surveyor. The Rangitoto Shipping Lanes Deepening Project is being carried out to both allow larger ships to use the port and to extend the area available for the Ferguson container terminal. The Project consists of two main areas. You would be responsible for setting out of project works associated with the reclamation, recording of fill placement and as built records and providing technical support to the Reclamation Manager to ensure the construction of fill and associated works meets specifications and quality requirements. Preconstruction hydrographic survey of the reclamation area and all survey for the harbour dredging works and underbund dredging will be carried out by the Dredging Subcontractor - Heron Construction. An engineer with survey skills would be considered. Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz.

## Civil Engineers - Sealing Operations Manager

The Auckland Surfacing Division is looking for an individual to lead our Chip Sealing Department. The department turns over \$5M pa, (approx. 2000t of binder). This turn over is generated from reseal contracts held with North Shore City Council. Auckland City Council, first coats from our Construction division and membrane seals for the Asphalt laying Department. Other work comes from the private sector in the form of first coats and the providing of support to our neighbouring regions. The department has a strong management team with very capable operational staff. The focus of this role is: Co-ordination of operations within the department and across the region; Liaison with internal suppliers and subcontractors; Implementation of FH systems including health and safety, quality, training and environmental; Customer liaison; Staff management; Technical support; Tendering for major contracts; Increasing the use of emulsion and polymer products as an alternative to bitumen within the market. We are looking for a person with a minimum of NZCE qualifications, or significant experience in the surfacing industry. Please contact

Crown Recruitment in confidence on 09 476 4036 or e mail theteam@crown.co.nz

Construction Engineering Surveyor - Auckland

Our client in the Auckland Region is looking for an Engineering Surveyor. Your role will be as follows:- To join the Survey Department within the Construction Division involved in road construction and rehabilitation, drainage, and land development. He/she will also be part of the GPR support team. The key focus of this role is to work with the Project Managers of the division and external clients to carry out setting out for roads, drainage, bridges and buildings. There will also be asbuilt surveys, quarry surveys and the calculation of volumes, topographic surveys and submission of detailed contour drawings to the clients' specifications We are therefore looking for an individual who has completed studying or studying towards a Diploma in Surveying or Civil Engineering with at least 2 years "on site" experience and familiar with the use of Total Station and GPS equipment. Please contact Jan at Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz

Maintenance Department Manager - Auckland An opportunity has arisen for a suitably experienced person to join our Maintenance Division in our Auckland Branch Office. The appointee will be responsible for job programming, labour and plant resource management and claiming of planned maintenance work for our existing maintenance contract with Transit New Zealand. The desirable candidate will have the following attributes: Proven contract management experience in construction or maintenance. Strong staff management skills. A methodical approach to job planning and implementation. Excellent relationship building skills. Ability to contribute to the Divisional Management Team. NZCE qualified or similar qualifications. A desire to be part of a successful team project. Please apply in confidence to Crown Recruitment.

Heating and Ventilation Fitters Dunedin/Christchurch/Central Otago Our client
urgently needs Heating and Ventilation fitters who have
a trade certificate in Heating and Ventilation or
Plumbing and Heating. You will be involved in on site
installation of systems including low and medium
temperature heating, chilled water, steam/condensate,
domestic water services, ductwork and associated
plant. Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476
4036 or email theteam@crown.co.nz

Metal Fabricators and Fitters - Dunedin/Christchurch/Central Otago Our client is looking to recruit Metal Fabricators and Fitters in Dunedin/Christchurch and Central Otago. You will be trade certified in metal fabrication and will manufacture ductwork and will work on site installing the ductwork and plant. You will also fabricate architectural metalwork to a high quality finish. Lifestyle in the South Island with excellent rates of pay and good working conditions Please contact Crown on 09 476 4036 or email jan@crown.co.nz

Forman/Supervisor – Central Otago Our client is urgently requiring trade certified Plumbers who would like to enjoy the lifestyle of Central Otago (Cromwell, Wanaka, Queenstown). You will have supervisory experience and will be installing commercial waste,

drainage, hot and cold water systems for hotels, apartment buildings and offices. Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email theteam@crown.co.nz

Refrigeration Engineer/Fitter – South Island You will be trade certified and capable of working unsupervised mainly on heat pumps and VRV systems. You will have experience in the installation and maintenance of split system heat pumps, variable refrigerant volume systems, chillers, condensers and other systems used in the HVAC industry

Lifestyle beckons and a great company to work for really needs your skills.Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email theteam@crown.co.nz

Contracts Manager - Heating and Ventilation - South IslandOur client has contracts in Dunedin, Christchurch and Central Otago. They are in need of a Contracts Manager who will manage contracts from acceptance to commission to hand over stage. The contracts involve Heating/Ventilation/Plumbing and Refrigeration. You will have a minimum technical level of technician in HVAC. Are you looking for lifestyle as well as a great company and working conditions? Please contact Crown Recruitment on 09 476 4036 or email theteam@crown.co.nz

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Residential and commercial construction
General Forman/Site manager with experience in both
Residential and commercial construction.

To take responsibility for the day-to-day management of Styled Concrete

#### **Product Co-ordinator – Concrete Division**

Reporting To: Technical Sales Engineer - Concrete Division Primary Objective: To take responsibility for the day-to-day management of Styled Concrete Responsibilities Develop and maintain positive relationships with all staff, and customers Establish the Styled Concrete brand as the product of choice within the decorative concrete market.; Achieve [profitable and sustainable increase in the sales volume and market share for the product range. Achieve and maintain minimum targets on margins; Work closely with the Technical Sales Engineer and the sales teams to ensure a consistent and compatible approach to the market is provided: Develop (in conjunction with management) appropriate sales and marketing strategies and promotional plans; Research and arrange to attend appropriate industry lectures. trade shows and exhibitions in line with the strategies developed above; Ensure that appropriate standards of customer service are understood and exceeded; sure that timely and appropriate action is taken on customer service problems; Work with key customers to achieve strong brand loyalty; Call on key trade customers of competitors and promote the Concrete products and brand; Provide appropriate training to staff, contractors and customers, via product training activities (with assistance from team members, if appropriate) and interactive demonstrations of product types and usage; Achieve strong brand awareness in the industry; Develop and maintain good communication channels with industry contacts, develop and maintain relationships with internal and external suppliers and customers: Monitor and report on market trends. competitor activity and product/brand acceptance. Provide regular information on potential opportunities that may arise: Prepare regular reports on financial/market performance; Be innovative and open minded to suggestions and must be able to supply

<u>Reporting Relationships</u> Reports to the Technical Sales Engineer - Concrete Division. In addition there is a requirement to maintain a working relationship with the Sales team members.

Qualifications, Experience and Knowledge
The position would ideally require: A high degree of
communication skills both verbal and written; Technical
and product knowledge of concrete technology;
Computer literacy; Good knowledge of the industry and
the issues that are associated with it; Must be able to
prepare marketing and sales plans; Flexible working

hours relevant to the industry

Senior quantity surveyor Our client based on the South Island with emphasis on Christchurch and Queenstown is looking for a Senior Quantity Surveyor that can Specialize in Independent Professional Construction Cost Advice, Estimating, Budgeting, Tendering, Tender Procurement, Negotiation, Evaluations, Contract Preparation and Management, Project Cost Management, Payments, Variations, Final Accounts, Insurance Valuations, Arbitrators, Professional advice for building construction, Evidence and witness work in Court or Arbitration, independent arbitration and mediation service, Dispute resolution negotiations, Building construction work inspections and reports.

If you have Experience in working with Hotels, Tourist Accommodation, Lodges, Commercial Investments, Houses etc.. We would dearly love to talk to you. An excellent offer is just waiting for the right candidate. Please contact Kathy in confidence at Crown Recruitment Ltd Tel (09) 476 4036 or Kathy@crown.co.nz

Civil Engineer – Head Of Engineering – CONCRETE – North Shore AUCKLAND We are looking for an experienced and motivated civil engineer who has been involved in the management, design and supervision of a wide range of industrial and commercial projects from conception to completion for our large family owned business based on the North Shore of Auckland, excellent package on offer with the back up and support from management. You will lead a team of testers and be responsible for the Quality control of the mix plant and the day to day running of the Civil Engineering Department as your own. Crown Recruitment Ltd Tel (09) 476 4036 or on Kathy@crown.co.nz

## **Situations Vacant in Australia**

Please visit the following web site for more details <a href="http://www.outbackinternational.com/jobs/jobs.htm">http://www.outbackinternational.com/jobs/jobs.htm</a>

All Rounder A large cattle breeding and fattening operation in the Cloncurry district require an experienced stockman/stationhand. Must be able to muster on horses and motorbikes. Must be competent in all aspects of stationwork:- shoeing, yard work, fencing, welding, bore and windmill maintenance and yard building. Need to be reliable,motivated, energetic and willing to take responsibility.

Assistant Manager ASSISTANT MANAGER; Required in the Dalby area for a mixed farming enterprise combining both Irrigation and Dryland farming. Cotton, row cropping and Irrigation experience essential. A Degree or Diploma in Agricultural Science is desired. This is a great oppurtunity for someone wanting to start in Management. A 4 bedroom A/C house is provided and a school bus runs into Dalby. Good Salary Package. PLEASE ENQUIRE TO SARAH

Bookkeeper NEAR KATHERINE. NT-Bookkeeper required to start May 2004. Bookkeeping experience preferred, however willing to train the right applicant. Some kind of previous experience with MYOB, Excel & Word essential. Single accommodation available. Car and licence is essential. Please apply.

Bore Mechanic WINDORAH, QLD - The Australian Agricultural Company's requires a bore mechanic to service and repair all bores on one of their channel properties. The successful applicant will have some mechanical knowledge and some experience with bores and windmills. New single male accom with full board and keep.

**Bore Mechanic** ALICE SPRINGS, NT. Boreman for cattle station 2 and a half hours N/W of Alice Springs. Would involve water maintenance and other mechanical maintenance. ACCOM 3 bedroom cottage. Good Salary.

Carpenter Building and Construction company require a qualified carpenter to work in the Cloncurry district. Prefer if they had own tools and vehicle. Possibility of later gaining work on future projects in Gladstone.

Construction Worker GRONG GRONG, NSW - Enthusiastic construction worker required to construct very large, state-of-the-art piggery sheds used for superior genetic production. Construction duties will consist of concreting, welding, building, plumbing (PVC piping, trough installation). Must have experience in any of the following fields - welding, plumbing, concreting, roofing, general building. Possibility of long term career opportunity. Accommodation available for either couple or single person Wages dependant upon experience and qualifications.

Cook required in the Central Queensland area for a large Pastoral Company. Need to be a competent cook and able to cook for up to 10 - 20 staff members. Would be required to work a 5 & a half day week. Very good cooking facilities available. Would be required to cook breakfast smoko lunch and dinner however they take a cut lunch every day. Need to be very hygienic and have good communication skills. Own transport would be desirable. Very good accommodation available fully air - conditioned. Paid an hourly rate.

Cook - Camp Nth W QLD. Station located between Nomanton and Mt Isa. 2 1/2 hours to either town. Prepare and serve 3 meals daily in a timely manner for approximatley 6-7 people in accordance with station requirements and procedures. The job requires that you be responsible for: Due care, preparation and economical use of food stores, maintaining the cleanliness of the kitchen in a hygienic and orderly manner, complete all tasks in a safe and hygienic manner. Cook would be responsible for cooking for the outstation as required. Basic yet civilised donga accom, fairly isolated, shared bathroom. Wage includes board and keep. Days worked will be subject to requirements. This is a seasonal position with a probationary period of 3 month. Please contact Jen.

**Cook - Station** required ASAP for cattle station in the Cloncurry area. Working in the station kitchen cooking for about 10 people six days a week. Excellent employer. Experience in cooking required. Board and keep included in wage. Must be able to work unsupervised.

**Cotton Farmhand** required for the Theodore district. Duties will include tractor driving, row cropping and cotton. Must have experience and knowledge of all aspects of cotton production. Comfortable 3 bedroom air-conditioned house is provided. Close to schooling and facilities.

Cotton Farmhand MUNGINDI, QLD Cotton farmhand required to operate farm machinery, farm equipment, harvesting equipment, irrigation pumps and perform farm maintenance duties. Accommodation on farm is provided (house located in nice surroundings). Farm is located 5km from Mungindi where all essential services are available. Salary package

Cotton Farmhand Couple required for property in CQ - between Duaringa and Baralaba. 9,000 acre cotton and broadacre (Sorghum, Wheat) property. Must have experience with cotton, flood irrigation, row cropping irrigation, setting up spray rigs, spraying, tractor driving (John Deere). Must be mechanically minded, chemical accreditation and truck licence would be an advantage. Must be able to take on responsibility. Accommodation is a new 3 bedroom air-conditioned house. Primary school facilities at Duaringa, school bus 22km away.

**Diesel Mechanic** required for a large scale horticultural enterprise located on the north New South Wales Coast. Applicants must have high level of skills in the areas of hydraulics, air conditioning and electronics and be familiar with farming equipment. A well equipped workshop provided. Salary negotiable subject to skills and experience. Recommended employers.

Domestic/Station hand couple - Clermont CQ - Cooking, housekeeping, washing, ironing, cleaning, little bit of gardening etc. Horse handling skills desirable as the opportunity to assist with mustering and exercising of horses exists. Very comfortable 4 bedroom home. Own transport necessary. Five day working week.

Domestic MOTHERS HELPER - Initially for a 4 month period, however it could possibly be ongoing. Cattle property located 55km south of Rolleston towards the Canarvon Gorge. Help is required to look after three young children aged 5,4 & 2 and there is a baby on the way. Must be willing and able to help with child minding, washing, ironing, cooking and some light gardening may be required. Wants someone who is friendly, and will fit in with the family and preferably someone from a rural background. New separate a/c accom is available with own shower and toilet. Meals are provided. Wage is to be negotiated. For further info please CONTACT JEN

**Dozer Driver** TALWOOD, QLD Dozer Driver required for a permanent position. Duties will

include cotton development and general agricultural work. Ability to push levy banks would be an advantage. Able to operate an excavator/ grader & scraper would also be an advantage. Single or couple accommodation available. Salary negotiable.

Farm Manager Energetic, motivated and capable person wanted to manage farm operations on a progressive family owned mixed cropping enterprise in the Goondiwindi district. Excellent practical skills with irrigated crops, especially cotton,machinery, record keeping and budgets are essential. Good communication, attention to detail, initiative, problem solving, planning, organization, quality assurance and teamwork are necessary. Tertiary qualifications would be an advantage. A comfortable 3 BRM A/C House is available with good acces to schools, sporting teams and other facilities. Salary will be negotiable and will reflect the candidates experience.

Farmhand ROLLESTON, QLD Farmhand required for irrigated cotton and dryland broadacre cropping property located 42 km south of Rolleston. Must be able to operate and maintain laser buckets and earthmoving equipment. Position will include general farming duties, fencing and irrigation. Prefer applicants with cotton irrigation experience. Chemical certificate would be an advantage.

**Farmhand** Burren Junction. Temporary position available from Mid March to Jun-Jul. Large dryland farming operation. Applicants must have previous tractor driving and spraying experience. Suit a keen, energetic person looking for a position that offers excellent skills progression. Accommodation Provided.

Farmhand GUNDAGAI, NSW Permanent Farmhand required for a mixed farming and grazing enterprise. Duties will include cropping winter and summer cereals, stock work with both cattle and sheep and general farming maintenance. Experience with cropping, machinery operation and stock handling is required. Applicants will also need to have experience with working dogs and preferrably have their own dogs. Above Award Rates Paid.

Farmhand needed for Naracoorte SA area for 6 months. Must have a drivers licence, NO EXPERIENCE required. Looking for a young energetic person. Duties include driving the work ute, sheep, cropping and vineyards. This is a great oppurtunity for someone wanting to get into the Agricultural Industry. Accommodation provided and Fully kept. PLEASE ENQUIRE TO SARAH

Farmhand NYNGAN NSW - Temporary
Farmhand required for a dryland, cattle and sheep
property. Skills required include good machinery
operating including dozers and general
maintenance. Must have some experience.
Accommodation provided - 2 Bedroom cottage
and meat supplied.

Farmhand OAKLANDS NSW - Farmhand - a self motivated and reliable person to assist in the running of a 2100 ha no till winter cropping farm in the Riverina. Duties include seeding, spraying, top dressing, flood and spray irrigation and assisting contractors with harvest. The ability to weld and good mechanical knowledge is highly desirable. Chemical handlers certificate and a rigid truck licence would be an advantage. A 2 bedroom fully furnished cottage is provided and a school bus available. If required assistance will be offered in finding partner a job locally. A Salary package will be negotiated for the right person who can manage the farm in the owner's absence. This package will include more that 4 weeks paid leave per year.

**Farmhand** 2 Machinery Operators - Wee Waa NSW required. Exp required in Tractor and Harvester Driving. Duties will include Cotton harvest and wheat sowing. Single Accommodation provided. Ideal for traveller. PLEASE APPLY TO SARAH

**Farmhand** required near Goondiwindi for a cotton farm. Experience required with row cropping, all machinery associated with row cropping and welding. To start ASAP.

**Farmhand** TALWOOD, QLD Farmhand required for progressive farming enterprise in the Talwood district. Previous cotton, row cropping and irrigation experience required. Any heavy earthmoving experience would be an advantage. An attractive hourly rate paid.

Farmhand ST GEORGE, QLD Cotton Farmhand required for property close to Nindigully. Irrigated cotton experience essential. Must have driving licence. Accommodation is provided. Property is a mixture of dryland and irrigation crops as well as cattle.

**Farmhand** Couple Farmhand Couple required for property near Clermont. Must have at least 5 years broadacre experience, must be able to weld and have good mechanical knowledge. Modern br'acre plant and equipment. Spray Rig, Header operating experience is essential and MC licence a definite advantage. Accom: 3 B/R, aircon house with fenced yard.

**Farmhands** BOURKE NSW, Several vacancies exist for farmhands on various cotton farms in the Bourke district in Western NSW. The work will

involve row crop tractor operations and furrow irrigation. The role will also include basic machinery and infrastructure maintenance and repairs as well as irrigating. Some nightshift work will also be required. Good communication skills are essential and there will be administrative requirements such as completion of accurate vehicle & chemical logs. A current drivers licence is desirable as is a current chemical handling accreditation. People with experience are preferred however if you have a willingness to learn the company is committed to employee training. Excellent opportunity.

Farming All Rounder MOURA, QLD All Rounder required for a large mixed farming enterprise consisting of cropping, cattle and horses. Duties will include horse riding, mustering, yard work, checking waters, fencing, welding, machinery operation and maintenance. The successful applicant will have sound horse riding and stock handling ability and experience with operating both small and large farming machinery. Single or couple accommodation avail.

Farming Foreman WEE WAA, NSW A Farming Foreman is required for a progressive cotton and dry-land property. Duties consisting of tractor driving, spraying, flood irrigating, machinery and building maintenance and the supervision of seasonal staff and contractors. Mechanical knowledge and previous experience essential. Comfortable 3-bedroom house, including elec provided. Attractive salary package and conditions. Commence May 2004.

Feedlot Assistant Manager Our client, a large scale broadacre farming and grazing operation in North Western NSW, requier an assistant manager for 2000 head feedlot operation. The 10,000 acre property has 6000 acres under cultivation and 4000 acres used for grazing of fat lambs and backgrounding for the feedlot. The succesful applicant will be involved with all feedlot duties from induction to exiting including pen maintenance, feeding and animal husbandry. You must be highly motivated, reliable, competent, and be willing to take a proactive role in the management of the feedlot. A three bedroom house with established gardens is available for a couple or a one bedroom cottage available for a single. Work is available for partner. School bus stops at the front gate. An attractive salary is being offered for the right applicant.

http://www.outbackinternational.com/jobs/jobs.htm

## **Farming**

### **Farming Business**

Farm Equipment – for all your farm equipment requirements, new or used, contact Peter Mienie sales rep for Dan Cosgrove Ltd, specialising in Kuhn machinery & Same tractors. Pete will travel anywhere in the Waikato or Bay of Plenty to discuss your needs. Call 027 227 9439 or 07 838 3055 or e-mail hamilton@dancosgrove.co.nz

#### For Sale

## Lost & Found

Lost – green diesel Kingfisher water pump. Due to a mix up by our agent Russell Hardie, a green diesel Kingfisher water pump was packed into the wrong container & sent to destinations unknown, but, in spite of repeated requests, there is no co–operation by the sender to indicate where in the world this pump has been sent. There is a high chance it has come to New Zealand. If anyone has this pump in his or her possession, please contact Jane Abel on jalana@xtra.co.nz

**Found** – GSM for 4792 Tpr W S Hurley. E-mail: kamina.kawena@slingshot.co.nz

#### Miscellaneous

Farm Irrigation Systems Americo dos Santos would like to get in touch with anyone who was involved in the design and/or installation of farm irrigation systems in Zimbabwe. He was Technical director at Fort Concrete in Harare. Contact: Americo dos Santos, Technical services Manager, Hynds Pipe Systems Ltd e-mail: americods@softhome.net

**Ironing Services Auckland** Tired of doing your own ironing Call Jenny Ph: (09) 442 0974 (pick-up & delivery included).

## **Property**

## **Property for Sale**

North Wairarapa (near Palmerston North), New Zealand. 24 acres of flat, fertile land with extensive river boundary & rights. Main house has 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, a new 18' kitchen & 2 internal garages. Second house is brand new, has 4 bedrooms & has never been occupied. It is fully fitted but needs a veranda & porch. There is also a 2 bay workshop, 4 stables, electrical workroom, renewable energy supply (windmill & solar panels) etc. Would suit 2 tier family or farmstay business. NZ\$420,000 plus GST if applicable. Contact Lorraine King Ph/Fax: (06) 376 6345

## Wanted

Wanted to buy Rhodesian/Zimbabwe Stamps, postal history, military badges & medals. Odd items or large collections purchased. Contact Clare Turner icms@bigpond.com

**Household Items Wanted –** household items in Auckland area for new arrivals – fridges, dryers, washing machines, clothing, linen, baby items

etc. Contact Michelle Gratwicke 09 533 4570 or Marcia Pine 09 533 5425

#### **IMMIGRATION**

However difficult it may be, it is always advisable to go through the proper channels, apply for a visa & wait for your approval before travelling to New Zealand.

### **Changes to Immigration Policy**

There have been changes announced to the NZ immigration policy that can be viewed at <a href="http://www.immigration.govt.nz/">http://www.immigration.govt.nz/</a>

#### General

New Zealand Immigration Service can be found at <a href="http://www.immigration.govt.nz/">http://www.immigration.govt.nz/</a> where all relevant visa information is posted & application forms can be downloaded. Free Ph in NZ: 0508 558 855.

New Zealand Immigration Service (UK) – NZ House, 80 Haymarket, London, SW1Y 4TE, UK. Ph: 09069 100 100 National (calls charged at 1.00 pound per minute.) +44 13 44 71 61 99 International. Fax: (207) 973 0370. Office Hours: Hours open to the public: 10am – 3:45pm Monday to Friday.

New Zealand High Commission (RSA) – Hatfield Gardens, (Block C), 1110 Arcadia St, Hatfield 0083, Private Bag X17, Hatfield 0028, Pretoria, RSA. Ph: (0 12) 342 8656. Fax: (0 12) 342 8640. Office Hours: Hours open to the public: 9:00am to 12:30pm Monday to Friday. International Visa Information Line 00 44 1344 712 61 22.

Visitors Visa – Zimbabwean Nationals are now required to get a Visitors Visa before travelling to New Zealand. In Africa the visa can only be obtained from The New Zealand High Commission in Pretoria. Currently there are 2385 Zimbabweans in New Zealand on temporary permits.

When applying for a Visa the following is required

- Completed Application Form Payment of Fee
- Passport
- Evidence of financial support in NZ
- Evidence of funds, or sponsorship by NZ resident or citizen.
- Evidence of onward travel from NZ, return ticket or funds to purchase a return ticket.

The New Zealand High Commission is very strict. The service requires evidence that the applicant is able to return to a country where he/she lawfully resides.

### **Fees**

There is a suspension of visa free entry for one year expiring 20th February 2004.

Residence Visa – (22/01/03) Applications are taking as long as 8 months to process.

## **New Zealand Qualification Authority**

125 The Terrace PO Box 160 Wellington Ph: (04) 802 3000 Fax: (04) 802 3112 Web: www.nzqa.govt.nz

**Appeals** – the web site for the Appeal Authority showing their decisions is now available. If you are considering appealing a declined application visit www.residenceappealauthority.govt.nz

**Expired Zimbabwe Passport.** 

Legal NZ residents only. It is possible to apply for a New Zealand Certificate of Identity or Refugee Travel Document travel document (Application form PAS 5) which will give the applicant a temporary travel document until he/she qualifies for NZ Citizenship & a NZ passport. The applicant has to have to surrender the expired Zimbabwe passport with the application & supply two photos, & NZ\$120.

## **Immigration Consultants**

## **New Zealand Immigration Advisers**

Box 2134, Rotor Ph/Fax (07) 348 6401 Contact Trevor Booth e-mail: <a href="mailto:nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz">nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz</a>

#### **Protea Pacific**

PO Box 99606, Newmarket, Auckland e-mail: info@proteapacific.co.nz website: www.proteapacific.co.nz or PO Box 22098, Glenashley, Durban e-mail: helen@proteapacific.co.za or P Bag 16491, Vlaeburg, Cape Town e-mail: james@proteapacific.co.za

## **Savannah Immigration Services**

"New Life, New Future, New Zealand" – Bernard Walsh, B.Proc LLB ACIS (ex–Bulawayo) provides professional immigration & settlement solutions second to none. Visit our website at <a href="www.migrationz.com">www.migrationz.com</a> & subscribe to our <a href="mailto:free">free</a>, <a href="mailto:informative newsletter">informative newsletter</a>. E-mail: <a href="mailto:bernard@migrationz.com">bernard@migrationz.com</a> PO Box 39 333, Howick, Auckland Ph: (09) 534 0973 Fax: (09) 534 0923

### **Immigration Lawyers**

### **Trevor Booth**

35 Carlton St, Rotorua Ph/Fax (07) 348 6401 e-mail T.Booth@clear.net.nz

### **George Deeb**

Barrister, Solicitor & Notary Public (ex Johannesburg) – for Property, Commercial, Immigration & Trust Law. George Deeb is a Notary Public & able to authenticate documents for use in South Africa. 2 Northcroft St, Takapuna, North Shore City, Auckland Ph: (09) 486–1415 Fax: (09) 486 0301 e-mail: <a href="mailto:deebgad@xtra.co.nz">deebgad@xtra.co.nz</a>.

## Marshall Bird & Curtis Barristers & Solicitors

4th Floor Campbells Building, 16 High St, Auckland Ph: (09) 377 5543 Fax: (09) 377 5544 contact either info@legaleagle.co.nz or ann—maree@legaleagle.co.nz. We offer clients an assessment of your case from a questionnaire that you complete. See our website <a href="https://www.legaleagle.co.nz">www.legaleagle.co.nz</a>. We specialise in Business applications in particular & refugee law.

## Other Useful Immigration Information

#### Zimbabwe Passports

If you have been told that you cannot renew your Zimbabwe passport until it has expired, or just before it expires, contact Trevor Booth with the details <a href="mailto:nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz">nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz</a>. If you are unable to renew your Zimbabwe passport because of perceived alternate citizenship, Trevor has researched the situation & he will happily e-mail a copy of his informative letter to anybody interested.

#### **Botswana**

Emigrating from Botswana, or have lived in Botswana at any time. Police Clearance. Go to any of the larger police stations for fingerprinting (explain it is for clearance from Criminal Records Bureau) this will take half an hour or so depending on the queue. Take your passports. We went to Central Police Station first & were told they were too busy & to try another station instead. We had success at Broadhurst. Once this has been done take the completed forms to Police Headquarters, which are behind Bank of Botswana. Ask to see someone from Criminal Records Bureau. Tell them you néed clearance for emigration to New Zealand. Bring: copies of passports, copies of work & residence permits, & obviously original of fingerprint forms. Clearance should take about three to four days & doesn't cost anything. The police we dealt with were very helpful. *Medical Clearance*. For the Medical you néed to see Dr Lambat who is in Broadhurst. Bring passports, the NZ medical forms & any immunisation cards. Bring cash & or credit card as cheques are not accepted.

First off they take blood & urine samples & you will then be sent to the Gaborone Private Hospital for the chest X rays. The Private Hospital will néed to be paid directly. Once X rays are done it is back to Dr Lambats for the medical.

Container shipments – choose carefully. Kamina Kawena is unable to give any accurate information.

#### **Customs & Quarantine**

Acquaint yourself with the customs & quarantine requirements if you are moving to New Zealand. These will be provided to you when you are granted residence.

## **English Language Requirement**

With the new rules introduced in November 2002 by NZIS regarding the English requirement for applications, all Zimbabweans must now have letters from their schools saying that they were at school for at least 5 years & the language they were taught in was English. School certificates are not sufficient any more. The schools are very co-operative as they have been doing a lot of these letters. If the letters are not provided the applications will not be accepted.

## **New Zealand Inland Revenue**

Apply for a tax number (the first thing you should do on arrival) & essential info www.ird.govt.nz

#### **Police Clearance**

If you are having problems & it is not forthcoming or that if it appears that the Police Certificate is unavailable then a Statutory Declaration may be néeded to be made through a lawyer outlining what has been done in attempting to obtain police clearance – so keep notes. If you are having trouble then contact your local NZ MPs office.

- Get fingerprint forms 3 each (2 required). In New Zealand the NZ Police can supply fingerprint forms (POL 605 12/99). An administrative fee may be charged.
- 2. Phone CID to see which police stations are able to take fingerprints.
- Go to police station early with soap, towel & the current fee.
- 4. Make an appointment at the police station to have your finger prints taken.

- 5. Obtain an official receipt when you pay.
- Ask the policeman who took the fingerprints to sign the forms.
- Take the fingerprint forms to CID. Do NOT go between 10:00 10:30 (teatime) & 1:00 2:00 (lunchtime). YOU WILL NOT BE SERVED. Don't bother to get an agent to do this for you CID are efficient & helpful.
- Complete a Form 137.
- 9. The Form 137 will be stapled to the fingerprint forms. Check that the receipt number is written at the tope of the Form 137.
- 10. Police Clearance fees are as follows:
  - \$3500 same day clearance
  - \$2500 clearance within 2 working days
  - \$2000 clearance within 7 working days
- You may send anyone to collect your police clearance or you may opt to have CID post the documentation to you.
- 12. Make sure the CID have spelt everything correctly names, birth dates, etc. mistakes that will hold up your application.
- 13. Criminal Records Dept phone: Harare 700171 ext. 3121 is very helpful

#### **Police Clearance Other Countries**

If you have lived for periods of 12 months or more in any other countries during the last 10 years, you must obtain additional police clearances from these countries, & also your country of citizenship." Available information also indicates that if you hold a passport other than a Zimbabwean passport, you may néed to apply for police clearance from that country, even if you have never lived there – this information is unsubstantiated.

United Kingdom Request a 'Person Record: Prosecution/Criminal History' form from the National Identification Service Room 1229 Metro Police Service London SW1 HOBG. Ph: (020) 7230 4028. Complete the form & sent it together with £10 (GB Pounds) per person; original ID (e.g. Zimbabwean National Registration); proof of present NZ physical address, e.g. a utility bill addressed to the applicant at NZ address. Reply takes +/– 40 days.

**Scotland** Request a "Scottish Criminal Record Office Subject Access Request" from the National Identity Service.

Botswana Go to any of the larger police stations for fingerprinting (explain it is for clearance from Criminal Records Bureau) this will take half an hour or so depending on the queue. Take your passports. We went to Central Police Station first & were told they were too busy & to try another station instead. We had success at Broadhurst. Once this has been done take the completed forms to Police Headquarters, which are behind Bank of Botswana. Ask to see someone from Criminal Records Bureau. Tell them you néed clearance for emigration to New Zealand. Bring: copies of passports, copies of work & residence permits, & obviously original of fingerprint forms. Clearance should take about three to four days & doesn't cost anything. The police are helpful.

## Police Clearance Applying from Outside Zimbabwe

The Zimbabwean authorities state that the procedure is the same for people applying from overseas though payment & revenue stamps could prove a problem. Ph: Harare (04) 700171, PO Box CY683 Causeway Harare. Zimbabweans already in NZ who have sent the forms to friends in Zimbabwe have obtained police clearance. The process has been efficient & simple. If you apply from NZ – go to your local Police Station & request that they take your prints on a Form POL 605 12/99 & send with your application. If you go to have your fingerprints taken here in New Zealand – you have to have them done on a NZ form. You can then have certified copies taken in case your original gets lost in the post. Ensure the picture in your passport really does look like you & that your signature is the same. Take as many forms of identity as possible.

If that doesn't work then get hold of NZ Immigration & explain your problem to them.

#### **Police Clearance Services**

Sheryl Duncanson <a href="mailto:demos-bev@zimweb.co.zw">demos-bev@zimweb.co.zw</a> has kindly volunteered to get/send forms to NZ please ensure that you refund her any expenses. Zimbabwe fingerprint forms are available in NZ – send a SAE & stamped envelope with your request to PO Box 13003, Tauranga.

Annette du Plooy has offered her services to obtain Police Clearance on behalf of those applicants for Permanent Residency in New Zealand & Australia, she offers a three week lead time, & will send all documents via DHL. She will handle the applications personally & charge a small fee for the client who must pay her in Australia or New Zealand. E-mail: annetteyeatman@zol.co.zw

## **New Zealand Refugee Law**

Website can be found at <a href="http://www.refugee.org.nz/">http://www.refugee.org.nz/</a>

## Travelling out of Zimbabwe

Find out what the visa requirements are (if any) to get back in before you leave.

## **Zimbabwe High Commission**

The nearest Zimbabwe representative is in Canberra, Australia Ph: +61 2 6286 2700 e-mail zimbabwe1@austarmetro.com.au

## **BEFORE YOU LEAVE ZIMBABWE**

#### **Certificates**

Obtain **original** copies of all certificates before you leave Zimbabwe, including Birth, Death, Marriage, Divorce Order, Adoption Papers etc.

## **Driving Licence**

Obtain an International Drivers Licence from the AA. (Useful if you are on a LSD visit)

### **Glasses/Contact Lenses**

Get a document from your optician outlining your current prescription.

#### **Medical Aid**

If you belong to a medical aid society in Zimbabwe arrange for an "International Transfer Certificate" (include all members). This will facilitate obtaining medical insurance in NZ & you will not have the three month stand down period before you are able to claim.

#### **Medical & Dental Records**

Bring your dental records if you can & a covering letter from your doctor if necessary for any medical condition/medication. This will save you the costs of having all the investigations/tests done again.

## **Mobile Phones**

GSM mobile phones from Zimbabwe will work in NZ with a NZ SIM card. You will need to buy a new charger, or an adapter for your charger.

## **Motor Vehicle Insurance**

Obtain written confirmation of your no-claim bonus history, this can be used for your motor vehicle insurance in New Zealand & can save you as much as 60%.

#### **Plugs**

None of the 3-pin plugs on your electrical appliances will work in NZ – cut them off before you leave (save space) & replace when you arrive in NZ. Alternative is to purchase adapters in NZ. 2-pin plugs on shavers etc. bathroom type fitting are fine.

## References

Obtain references before you leave, & make sure that they are people you will keep in touch with so that prospective employers are able to contact them once you start interviewing for jobs.

#### Tax Clearance

Recommended.

## **Zimbabwe Passports**

Make sure that you have <u>more</u> than 3 years left before renewal is required from the time you arrive/intend to arrive in NZ.

## Moving

These sites offer handy tips, advice & handy checklists for moving house

www.helpiammoving.com

www.2c.com/wb\_hrpages/hr\_gen\_moving.html www.bbc.co.uk/homes/property/moving/packing\_tips.sh tml\_www.escapeartist.com/moving/moving.htm

### **GETTING STARTED IN NEW ZEALAND**

#### New, New Zealanders

A settlement program is now available for new New Zealanders. It is NZQA accredited & offered FREE of charge to Permanent Residents. Learn ALL about New Zealand & life in New Zealand. FREE information on Finance, Accommodation, Transport, Health, Employment Legal system, Government, Media, Parenting, Education & much more. For more information contact Kiwi Ora between 8 am & 5 p.m. Mon to Fri Call Free from anywhere in NZ 0508 600 600 or e-mail: Rob.Pickstock@ora-limited.com or visit the website www.kiwi-ora.com

## **New Zealand Inland Revenue**

It is essential that you apply for a tax number on arrival – you will need it to open a bank account amongst other things. <a href="www.ird.govt.nz">www.ird.govt.nz</a> To complete the IRD number application – individual (IR 595) the applicant will be required to send a photocopy of one of the following documents as identification:

- Birth Certificate
- 18+ card
- Overseas passport
- Photo–ID driver's licence.

#### Education

Schooling is compulsory in New Zealand from the age of 6, although most children start at 5. The school year commences in January & there are 4 school terms. A list of all schools is available at

http://www.tki.org.nz/e/schools/. State schools are zoned & some new residents choose accommodation accordingly. Information on independent/private schools can be obtained from

www.independent.school.nz/. Tertiary education is well catered for & useful information is available at <a href="https://www.newzealandsites.com/education/tertiary/">www.newzealandsites.com/education/tertiary/</a>. A full list of all tertiary centres may be found at <a href="https://www.malcolmpacific.co.nz/nzeducation.html">https://www.malcolmpacific.co.nz/nzeducation.html</a>.

Everything you need to know about education in NZ is available at

www.immigration.govt.nz/NR/rdonlyres/CF33D2BC-44E5-49C3-B124-8ABD8B24C12B/0/IMM272803education.pdf

## **Education Review Office**

www.ero.govt.nz. This service allows information about the decile school rating, which gives you that extra piece of information to allow you to make an informed decision on the suburb you may wish to live in when you first arrive in NZ.

## Free Tertiary Education

Is only offered in Southland Ph: 0800 478 839 for more info

### Accommodation

Sources of information for accommodation include the Houses to Rent section of the local newspaper, including papers such as the Trade & Exchange. Real Estate agents are plentiful; choose an agent who is a registered member of the Real Estate Institute of New Zealand (MREINZ). Accommodation brokers work by advertising in the paper & charging a fee for contact details, clients are charged whether or not a suitable property is found.

Everything you need to know about accommodation in NZ is available at www.immigration.govt.nz/NR/rdonlyres/0D68D18B-1BE6-4162-A3FD-F9C945559F1E/0/IMM272801housing.pdf

## **Driving licence**

In terms of the Geneva Convention on Road Traffic drivers from certain countries may drive on a domestic licence for a year before having to sit the same licence tests in New Zealand.

Zimbabweans – if you have a current overseas driver licence or a current international driving permit, you can drive for <u>one year</u> after you first arrive in New Zealand.

Check the LTSA website <a href="www.ltsa.govt.nz">www.ltsa.govt.nz</a> (road rules are under the 'Code Red 50kmph' sign at the bottom of the homepage)

- You may wish to obtain an International Drivers Licence from the AA before leaving Zimbabwe.
- Holders of a Zimbabwean Drivers Licence are required to obtain a New Zealand licence within a year of arriving in NZ. This involves both a theory & practical test.
- If the applicant holds a South African or British licence only the theory test is required to convert to a NZ licence.
- The applicant requires two forms of ID i.e. passport & either a bank statement, phone / electric bill to prove residential address, or New Zealand AA membership card.
- Fees (information available from LTSA)

## **Bank Account**

It is possible to open a bank account in New Zealand up to six months before you arrive in the country. Information about the various banks & banking services available is published with assistance Ministry of Consumer affairs at <a href="www.consumer.org.nz">www.consumer.org.nz</a> including comparative figures on interest fees, rates etc.

## **Estate Agents**

Visit www.realestatelinks.co.nz www.hotrentals.co.nz. www.newzealandsites.com/business/real–estate

#### **Mobile Phones**

(GSM) mobile phones brought from Zimbabwe can be used in New Zealand by obtaining a SIM card from any Vodafone outlet <a href="https://www.vodafone.co.nz">www.vodafone.co.nz</a> Telecom New Zealand <a href="https://www.telecom.co.nz">www.telecom.co.nz</a> provide the CDMA mobile phone service & both suppliers have pre–paid & monthly plan options.

### **Electricity**

You can compare the rates offered by the various power providers in New Zealand at

www.consumer.org.nz & choose the plan best suited for your needs.

## **Special Needs Children**

Parent to Parent is an organisation that offers a wide range of services to families of children with special needs such as ADHD. Ph: (toll free) 0508 236 236 or visit the website at www.parent2parent.org.nz

## **Telephones**

There are two key landline service providers in NZ. TelstraClear (Phone: 0508 888 800) & Telecom New Zealand (Phone: 123). Both companies offer a number of services ranging from voice mail on your home phone & internet services all the way through to package deals including satellite television.

## **Phone Cards**

Kia ora. Available at any post shop, very good rates to Zim etc. See also <a href="www.telecom.co.nz">www.telecom.co.nz</a> for a wide range on phone card options for sale at most dairies, post shops etc.

#### **TV Licence**

There are no television licence required in NZ.

## **Power of Attorney**

Because of the privacy laws, you may find that trying to arrange things for your husband/wife in New Zealand may prove difficult. You can get an Enduring Power of Attorney done at the same time as you draw up your will – both at no cost at certain financial institutions.

#### Medical

The medical system is different in NZ. The ACC take care of all accidents. Further information is available at <a href="https://www.acc.org.nz">www.acc.org.nz</a>

Medical Insurance Under the SANZ group medical scheme premium wholesale rates are offered to all expatriate southern Africans. For a quote please contact Gwyn Gray (BA) Ph: (09) 520 1308 Fax: (09) 520 1357 e-mail: <a href="mailto:gwyn.gray@libertylife.co.nz">gwyn.gray@libertylife.co.nz</a> 121 Victoria Ave, Remuera, Auckland.

**Everything you need to know about health** in New Zealand is available at

www.immigration.govt.nz/NR/rdonlyres/03EEF6D5\_ C06D\_45C6\_8FDC\_ 7DF41798F834/0/IMM272802health.pdf

## **Moving House**

Your first accommodation will probably be temporary. When you move, take the time to visit <a href="https://www.changemyaddress.co.nz">www.changemyaddress.co.nz</a> A fantastic free online address changing service which automatically change your address with your service providers (electricity, phone etc) if you sign up for this service. Use the list online to find resources to help you move out of your old home, & set up your new home.

## **Removal Companies**

When you finally find your permanent home a comprehensive list of reliable NZ removal companies is available at http://www.on-line.co.nz/april2003.htm#3

#### **HELP GROUPS & INDIVIDUALS**

ASSISTANCE REQUIRED HAMILTON A new family has arrived in New Zealand in the Hamilton area &

requires help. Phone Pieter van Zyl (co-ordinator) 07 858 4452 027 489 4651

Palmerston North area contact Jenny Collett who has some donated goods for distribution Ph: 06 357 0987 e-mail emjay@inspirenet.co.nz

**Plunket Assn** for help for families expecting or who have pre–schoolers – look in the ph book for the nearest office to you or ring 0800 933 922 24hrs. If you live on the North Shore of Auckland contact Nikki 09 428 0336 who can give advice & share her experience with you.

Southern Africans in New Zealand Charitable Trust Inc. (SANZ) – a network & support organisation in New Zealand for all people with any Southern African interest. SANZ publishes a bi–monthly magazine – "Connections" full of interesting & informative articles – contact Colin Kennedy on 09 418 5205 for enquiries & advertising. Functions include coffee mornings, meetings for mothers, seniors, sports, social evenings, networking breakfasts & luncheons for business & professional people. Visit our website at <a href="www.sanztrust.org.nz">www.sanztrust.org.nz</a> for further information. The Zimbabwean branch now has it's own website at <a href="http://www.new2nz.com/zimbabwe/index.html">http://www.new2nz.com/zimbabwe/index.html</a>

**Baby Goods Tauranga Area** – If any new comers need baby clothes, a baby cot or bassinette with sheets & pillow please contact Tracey MacLeod on: 07 – 542 1122 or 0210348972

Psychotherapy, Family Therapy & Counselling by reputable, professional, experienced therapists. We work with individuals, couples & families experiencing difficulties in: - personal & relationship issues \* life crises \* depression, anxiety, phobias, panic attacks \* stress management \* new immigrant difficulties \* grief & loss \* abuse: - physical, emotional, sexual, drug, alcohol. Sally Tasker Ph: (09) 473 3720 or Margie Bowman Ph: (09) 473 9316.

The Afrikaans Club – help for new arrivals & networking for those here – weekly newsletter. Contact Erika Langenhoven Ph: 09 479 4779 e-mail: Die.Afrikaanse.klub@clear.net.nz

**The Zimbabweans Support Charitable Trust** – for assistance, jobs, accommodation & household goods. 4 depots in Auckland. Contact Jenny McGladdery Ph/fax: (09) 434 6084 web: www.new2nz.com/zimbabwe

Zimbabwean Informal Networking If you are a New Arrival or live in NZ & have an interest in Rhodesia/Zimbabwe you are welcome to join us. We are an informal networking group who support each other by providing social contact & sharing information. Keith Kietzmann Kiwi-Keith@xtra.co.nz Clare Turner icms@clear.net.nz Paul Nes paulnes@xtra.co.nz

Zimbabwe Public Service Pensioners – recently some pensioners cheques bounced! If you have any queries you could try contacting John Redfern, Honorary National Secretary, Flame Lily Foundation, PO Box 95474 0145 Watercloof, South Africa Ph & Fax: +27 12 4602066 E-mail: <a href="mailto:rasa@iafrica.com">rasa@iafrica.com</a> for some advice

ZimCare offer immigration advice specifically in relation to Zimbabweans. Co-ordinators in a number of centres around NZ are able to assist with lending items such as kitchenware, furniture, linen, etc. They offer a sympathetic ear, contact with other Zimbos, information on accommodation, schooling & medical facilities, 2nd

hand shops, & NZ specific finance advice e-mail: <a href="mailto:debbieh@ihug.co.nz">debbieh@ihug.co.nz</a> In Auckland contact Michelle Gratwicke 09 533 4570 or Marcia Pine 09 533 5425 or Steve 09 428 1010 who have donations of clothes, crockery & household items for distribution. Robyn Johnstone H (09) 533 6323 M 021 451 436 Email: <a href="mailto:ipm@xtra.co.nz">ipm@xtra.co.nz</a>

## ZIMBABWE CURRENT EVENTS

**Daily News Digests** – subscribe to **ZimNews** through the news section at <a href="https://www.zwnews.com">www.zwnews.com</a>

Ex Zimbabwean Farmers – The Valuation Consortium (Pvt) Ltd is preparing a database of immovable & movable agriculture property in Zimbabwe. Ex Zimbabwean Farmers now living in New Zealand & Australia are advised to take part at what is a relatively small cost. Those who view it as just another checklist should reconsider – the record will be important for many reasons, including compensation. The consortium is made up of leading valuers in Zimbabwe, internationally qualified & independent of any farm organisation or association. For more information, please e-mail Cath

Bonsor <u>valuationconsortium@yahoo.co.nz</u> or Graham Mullett <u>valuers@zol.co.zw</u>

**Justice For Agriculture** in Zimbabwe send out politically related info relating to farmers. To subscribe – write to <a href="mailto:jag-list-admin@mango.zw">jag-list-admin@mango.zw</a>

**Zimbabwe Conservation Task Force** are trying to save the wild life from the animals <u>www.zctf.mweb.co.zw</u>

**The Zimbabwe Situation** is compiled by Karen Collins in the form of regular updates from news sources, the CFU & more as well as contact & help for expatriates in NZ & Australia. <a href="http://www.zimbabwesituation.com">http://www.zimbabwesituation.com</a>

## **ZIMBABWEAN NETWORKS & SOCIAL**

**Africa Down Under** www.africadownunder.com A community for Southern Africans living in Australia & New Zealand.

New Plymouth & surrounding areas are trying to for a Zimbabwean network of people. Any one who is interested in helping fellow Zimbabweans, still looking for work etc Please get hold of Kym Raubenheimer, 50 Sanders Avenue, Westown, New Plymouth. Email: <a href="mailto:robies@xtra.co.nz">robies@xtra.co.nz</a> Tel: (06) 753 7991 Cell: 021 2102956

Rhodesia Security Force Veterans – if you are not already on the mailing list please contact Paul Nes <a href="mailto:paulnes@xtra.co.nz">paulnes@xtra.co.nz</a> or Ph: 09 537 4302 or Mob: 0274 417 235 or Hugh Bomford <a href="mailto:hbomford@clear.net.nz">hbomford@clear.net.nz</a> Please also visit this

website <a href="http://home.clear.net.nz/pages/hbomford">http://home.clear.net.nz/pages/hbomford</a>. The aim is to keep former servicemen & women from all branches of the forces as well as the nurses who served for Rhodesia informed regarding events & get togethers.

**Tauranga & District** – if you were a member of the Rhodesian Security Forces you are welcome to socialise with us at the Garrison Club at the Hauraki Regiment Hall on Friday

evenings. Contact <a href="mailto:hbomford@clear.net.nz">hbomford@clear.net.nz</a> or 07 571 8401 (wk) for info.

Tauranga & Bay of Plenty Southern Africans Club – Immigrant club for Ex–Southern Africans. Welcoming

new arrivals; encouraging & maintaining business & community links. Regular social gatherings & some cultural events. Contact Kevin Olivier Ph: 07 578 0150 or email Marietta Wood marietta@yellowribbon.org.nz

**Need a laugh or to relieve some stress?** – visit this site <a href="http://mugabe.netfirms.com">http://mugabe.netfirms.com</a>

## ZIMBABWEAN WEBSITES, NEWS & INFORMATION

**Cathy Buckle** — Renown Zimbabwean author Cathy Buckle writes a weekly newsletter from Marondera which is published on her web page www.africantears.netfirms.com



Homesick Africans - www.chirundu.com

**Photographs** Great photographs of Hwange National Park are available at www.Bulawayo-Creations.com

**SW Radio Africa**: – 4880 short wave (6pm to 9pm daily) or www.swradioafrica.com

**VOA** – Studio7 Radio 13600 or 17895 short wave or 909AM (7pm-8pm Monday to Friday) or www.voanews.com

**Zimnews** – an online & email news service www.zwnews.com

Daily News Online www.dailynews.co.zw.

Top Rhodesian website list -

http://www.hits4me.com/topsite2.asp?MID=166965andvotenm=-161811226

Top Zimbabwean website list -

http://www.hits4me.com/topsite2.asp?MID=121453andvotenm=-161245177

## **AROUND THE WORLD**

Kamina Kawena has been asked many times for information outside of NZ. No responsibility can be taken for reliability of this information.

**Australia** – 1. <u>www.1freespace.com/beetee/index.html</u> 2. <u>www.ozza.com.au</u> publishes a quality publication. Email <u>clive@uq.net.au</u>

3. "The Zimbabwe Connection"

http://www.zimbabweconnection.com/links.htm Joy Brook. e-mail: joyrick21@hotmail.com

**Canada –** www.sadc.com e-mail azibarras@shaw.ca Canadian immigration policy June 2002 welcomes Zimbabwean farmers.

Middle East - www.sagroupdubai.com

Rhodesian Association of Western Australia – http://www.rhodesia-west-au.com

## FREE SOURCES OF INFORMATION RELATING TO NEW ZEALAND

#### **Banks**

National Bank <u>www.nationalbank.co.nz</u>
Auckland Savings Bank – <u>www.asbbank.co.nz</u>
Bank of New Zealand – <u>www.bnz.co.nz</u>
ANZ Bank <u>- www.anz.co.nz</u>

Westpac <u>www.westpac.co.nz</u> HSBC <u>www.hsbc.co.nz</u>

## Farming related information & jobs

www.fencepost.com

www.farmpoint.co.nz/hm.asp

## Getting started in NZ

www.startinnz.com

## New Zealand Business & Management Directory

www.mkiwi.com

#### **New Zealand Herald**

For news, information, jobs, housing etc – covers the top half of the North Island & is recommended as a top source of useful information:— www.nzherald.co.nz

## **New Zealand Maps**

www.wises.co.nz

## **New Zealand Search Engines & Databases**

NZ residential phone listings <a href="www.whitepages.co.nz">www.whitepages.co.nz</a>
NZ business phone listings <a href="www.yellowpages.co.nz">www.yellowpages.co.nz</a>
Access New Zealand <a href="www.accessnz.co.nz">www.accessnz.co.nz</a>
Search New Zealand <a href="www.searchnz.co.nz">www.searchnz.co.nz</a>
Search Now <a href="www.searchnow.co.nz">www.searchnow.co.nz</a>
Piper NZ <a href="www.piperpat.co.nz/nz/index.html">www.piperpat.co.nz/nz/index.html</a>
What's On <a href="www.whatsonnz.com">www.whatsonnz.com</a>

#### New, New Zealanders

Absolute MUST. A settlement program is now available for new New Zealanders. It is NZQA accredited & offered FREE of charge to Permanent Residents. Learn ALL about New Zealand & life in New Zealand. FREE information on Finance, Accommodation, Transport, Health, Employment Legal system, Government, Media, Parenting, Education & much more. For more information contact Kiwi Ora between 8 am & 5 p.m. Mon to Fri Call Free from anywhere in NZ 0508 600 600 or e-mail:

Rob.Pickstock@ora-limited.com or visit the website www.kiwi-ora.com

#### Nukiwi

Information & Resources for investing in, living in, or moving to New Zealand <a href="http://www.nukiwi.com">http://www.nukiwi.com</a>

## **North Shore Residents**

Liz Kinchin has lived on the North Shore for the past 9 years & knows what it is like to start again. She knows all the best areas, schools, Kindys, properties & will gladly give you a one hour tour of the North Shore to show you around & to help you get your bearings. She also runs a fun social group for New Immigrants, from Book clubs, to Paint Ceramics, come along get to know people, its a great fun way of meeting people. Come Rain or Shine. When you have a down day, she will also be a shoulder to cry on. Contact Liz Kinchin

Professionals Jigsaw Realty Ltd, M.R.E.I.N.Z Ph: (09) 489 2156 Mobile 021 746 873 or a/h 476 1332.

## **SANZIM**

Website at <a href="www.sanzim.co.nz">www.sanzim.co.nz</a> contains a directory of Africans in business in NZ as well as other information of use to migrants.

## **Tauranga**

Tauranga & the surrounding area in the Bay of Plenty is a popular destination for Africans – climate is good & the area is the centre for growth in NZ – check out these sites for more info:— <a href="https://www.tauranga.com">www.tauranga.com</a> <a href="https://www.tauranga.net.nz">www.tauranga.net.nz</a> <a href="https://www.tauranga.net.n

## **EMPLOYMENT**

When contacting anyone below don't forget to tell them you found them in Kamina Kawena.

#### **Tips**

- Don't expect to be able to organise a position from outside NZ.
- Don't ask agencies to line up interviews before you arrive – there are too many variables involved with immigration & your plans may change.
- Take every opportunity to become computer literate.
- Research the market thoroughly using websites for information companies, culture, towns etc.
- Help yourself by finding out from your recruitment consultant how to write your CV for the NZ environment.
- Improve your chances of employment by doing courses & getting additional licensed driving categories i.e.: heavy duty.
- Fewer than 30% of all vacant positions are advertised; the vast majority of jobs are filled by one or another form of networking.
- Be prepared to take on part time employment before you find that perfect job. This will tide you over, & give you the added benefit of 'Kiwi Experience' on your CV.
- Network

**Salaries** The average index for Salaries in NZ is published at

http://www.proteapacific.co.nz/new zealand/nz detail.a sp?id=9

**Everything you need to know about employment** in New Zealand is available at

www.immigration.govt.nz/NR/rdonlyres/CDF2ACB2-BE92-4EE6-8E21-

9F419FD183CD/0/IMM272804work.pdf

## **Recruitment Agencies & Resources**

## **Crown Recruitment**

33c Constellation Drive, Mairangi Bay, Auckland Ph: 09 476 4036 Fax: 09 476 4039 website <a href="www.crown.co.nz">www.crown.co.nz</a> Contact Kathy or Jan or e-mail <a href="jobs@crown.co.nz">jobs@crown.co.nz</a>. Crown Recruitment always have a wide variety of job vacancies around the country for Trade & Technical from Diesel Mechanics to Engineers & Civil Engineers. We will communicate with overseas candidates & will assist with all your enquiries. We are South Africans who understand the immigration process.

## **EVP Recruitment Central Region**

Includes: Hamilton, Tauranga, Napier, Hastings, Taranaki, Palmerston North & Wellington – Trevor Foley is a Personnel Recruitment Specialist & Immigration Advisor. He specialises in recruiting in both the Trades & Professional categories with an emphasis in the Engineering trade. EVP Recruitment has a Consultant's network throughout New Zealand & overseas who are ready to assist candidates in finding the "right" position with top companies in all regions of NZ. People are welcome to forward their CV's. EVP can also assist with immigration issues in regards to Work Permits & Residency. Please feel free to contact **Trevor Foley** Ph: 07 855 5023 Fax: 07 855 5026 Cell:

021 423 903 Toll Free (within New Zealand) 0800 800 387 anytime. E-mail: <a href="mailto:tfoley@evp.cc">tfoley@evp.cc</a> Postal: PO Box 9150, Hamilton, <a href="mailto:Mark Poulopoulos">Mark Poulopoulos</a> in Palmerston North Ph: 06 356 7933 Fax: 06 356 7923 Cell: 021 157 3134 e-mail: <a href="markp@evp.cc">markp@evp.cc</a> Lesley Potts in Tauranga Ph: 07 576 9881 Fax: 07 576 9861 Cell: 021 039 9424 email: <a href="mailto:mpotts@evp.cc">mpotts@evp.cc</a> EVP Web site: <a href="mailto:www.evprecruit.com">www.evprecruit.com</a>

All applicants to have traceable references & valid certification with several years post apprenticeship experience

## **Key Recruitment**

Recruitment Consultants with most of their clients being in the engineering and/or trades area. E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@keyrecruit.co.nz">info@keyrecruit.co.nz</a> or PO Box 15334, Dinsdale, Hamilton, New Zealand. Ph: 07 847 6007 Fax: 07 847 6250 web site: <a href="www.keyrecruit.co.nz">www.keyrecruit.co.nz</a> Trevor & Maureen Crosbie have contacts throughout New Zealand, so it really doesn't matter where people want to work they are ready to assist them in finding

New Zealand, so it really doesn't matter where people want to work they are ready to assist them in finding positions. People are welcome to send their CV's or to e-mail for advice on employment in New Zealand, however it is very near impossible to get job offers for people who are not in the country.

## The Right Staff

Hannelore Kemme is your Recruitment Consultant. Recruiting for all levels & all industries, with a lot of clients in the engineering & trades areas.

- Looking for a job? I can place people throughout New Zealand, & will be happy to assist you finding a position in the area where you want to live & work. Please feel free to send your CV, or email me for advice on immigration & employment in New Zealand.
- Looking for The Right Staff for your company?
   Please feel free to contact me if you would like assistance in finding the right staff for your vacancies.
   References are available. E-mail:

hannelore@therightstaff.co.nz or PO Box 13 287, Tauranga, New Zealand. Ph: 07 552 6756 Fax: 07 552 6758.

#### **Online Resources**

Comprehensive List www.url.co.nz/employ.html

Netcheck www.netcheck.co.nz
NZ & UK Jobs www.job.co.nz
NZ Jobs www.nzjobs.co.nz
Monster www.monster.co.nz
Tradestaff www.tradestaff.co.nz

Wheeler Campbell Consulting www.wheelercampbell.co.nz

Online resources often have handy information about CV's, presentation, & career development.

### Additional information for job seekers

Cash for your opinion Market Research is a great way for new arrivals to earn a bit of cash. Attending a discussion group, tasting (of beer, cashew nuts, coffee, biscuits etc), or getting takeaways delivered to your home, can earn you anything between \$20 for 20 minutes of your time to \$80 for a two hour discussion. All the companies want is your opinion & they pay cash for it! Market Research is the process of providing information to the companies that provide products or services, so that they can understand the needs of their customers better, & make improvements & changes based on this. Check out your local Yellow pages for a full listing, under MARKET RESEARCH. Call up the

company & register for their focus groups / tasting panels or as a mystery shopper. Just don't admit to joining all the companies or doing market research very often.

Dairy Farming There is plenty of work available on the farms & in the associated industries – electricians engineers drivers etc. For information on what jobs are available in the NZ check Fonterra's website <a href="https://www.fencepost.com">www.fencepost.com</a> Farming in NZ is hands on. It is hard work & different from farming in Africa but if you feel you can cope – go dairy farming its boom time here – pick your employer with care & ensure that you have a written contract containing ALL aspects of the job & conditions – some employers will be out to exploit you.

**Deltarg Distribution Systems Ltd** is always looking for distributors of catalogues, newspapers & the like to deliver to household letter boxes. Free phone in NZ Ph: 0508 335 827 to be put in contact with the local administrator.

**Farm Helpers in NZ** This is a useful way for people to see different areas at very little cost. One can stay with people for free board & lodging in return for 4 hours work a day. It is run by Warwick & Heather Grady, FHiNZ, 65 Fairs Road, Palmerston North. Ph/fax 06 355 0448 e-mail: <a href="mailto:fhinz@xtra.co.nz">fhinz@xtra.co.nz</a>

**Kiwifruit** During the picking & packing season keep an eye on the local papers and/or get around to some of the pack sheds & get your name down. This is a useful entry into getting a job as well it is a good earner for housewives & kids (must be over 16)

**New Kiwis** An employment project by the Auckland Chamber of Commerce & funded by the NZ Immigration Service. Web site listing employers & job seekers as well as providing networking opportunities with other business professionals, training resources & information to help you with life in NZ www.newkiwis.co.nz

Nursing Nurses need to get registered first before they do anything else. All the information for overseas registration is on <a href="https://www.nursingcouncil.org.nz">www.nursingcouncil.org.nz</a>. Other sites to help you find work & info are:— NZ Nursing Council <a href="https://www.nursingcouncil.org.nz">www.nursingcouncil.org.nz</a>. College of Nurses <a href="https://www.moh.gov.nz">www.nurse.org.nz</a>. Ministry of Health <a href="https://www.moh.gov.nz">www.moh.gov.nz</a>. Careers where quite a few nursing jobs get placed is <a href="https://www.moh.gov.nz">Kiwi Careers <a href="https://www.moh.gov.nz">www.careers.co.nz</a>. Starship Hospital <a href="https://www.starship.org.nz">www.starship.org.nz</a>. Nurses Organisation <a href="https://www.nzno.org.nz">www.nzno.org.nz</a>

Pacific Health (Bay of Plenty District Health Board) www.pacifichealth.co.nz has all the info & vacant positions listed (not only nursing). Contact Joanne Worsley (recruitment officer) at Pacific Health Ltd, Private Bag 12024, Tauranga. Phone: 07 579 8812 Fax: 07 579 8050 (direct dial phone) 07 579 8361 or e-mail joannew@pacifichealth.co.nz

Pork Industry of New Zealand is in need of experienced pig farmers. For more details contact Craig Parsons, 233 Settlement Road, RD 1, Morrinsville. Ph: 07 887 3575, e-mail: cat parsons@wave.co.nz

**Seasonal Work** Use this site to find jobs www.seasonalwork.co.nz

**Southland** (bottom end of the South Island) is very short of labour (right across the board from Accountants to Waitresses), while it is further from the Equator than

most of us would prefer, many Zimbabweans are finding it to their liking. The area is the only part of NZ that offers free tertiary education Ph: 0800 478 839 for more info . For jobs free Ph: 0800 869 675 or Fax: (03) 218 9460 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@venturesouthland.co.nz">info@venturesouthland.co.nz</a> Check this site for info <a href="mailto:www.venturesouthland.co.nz">www.venturesouthland.co.nz</a>

**Student Job Search** Offers part time work for all students in New Zealand. www.sjs.co.nz

**Telecom NZ** advertises all positions online. The online recruiting site is a great place to find out what the company has to offer. <a href="http://telecomnz.snaphire.com">http://telecomnz.snaphire.com</a>

**TrustPower** in Tauranga are always looking for staff, mainly for their call centre. Call free Ph: 0800 87 87 87

Waikato Health Board – info & jobs – website: www.waikatodhb.govt.nz

## **HOUSING & PROPERTY**

Whether renting or buying you should shop around estate agents.

When buying you may approach or be approached by Mortgage Reduction Companies. A number of institutions make promises about how they can save you money on your home loan. In reality, there are only two ways that you can reduce your interest charges over the term of your loan; either you pay a lower interest rate, or you can increase your monthly repayments. There are facilities available with banks that allow you to repay your loan more quickly. This can be achieved without the assistance of Mortgage Reduction Companies, & the cost that comes with it (usually \$3,500), to obtain this facility. Professional Mortgage Broker/Advisors do not charge the client to obtain this facility. The financial institution pays the Broker/Advisor. Please take care when choosing Financial Broker/Advisor, they should not be charging vou direct. (Info supplied by Marion Herbert at Moneyworkz Ph: (09) 419 9399)

**Eves Realty Tauranga** Cnr Sixth Ave & Cameron Road, Tauranga. Phone 07 578 2159 web: <a href="https://www.realenz.co.nz">www.realenz.co.nz</a> For rental information in Tauranga e-mail <a href="mailto:ginny.trevor@clear.net.nz">ginny.trevor@clear.net.nz</a>

Harveys Real Estate Buying or selling property from Orewa to Mangawhai Heads (halfway to Whangarei)? Then Ben & Nola Kloppers are the people to contact. They cover this area coast to coast that includes Warkworth, Omaha, Pakiri, Wellsford, Kaipara flats etc. Ben is a very successful auctioneer in his own right, achieving great results with farms, houses & farm equipment. Since arriving in NZ he has developed an impressive reputation in the highly charged arena of car auctioneering before being targeted to join the very successful Harveys Real Estate team at Warkworth. Contact Ben by Ph: 09 425 8589 (Work) Mob: 027 4922 266 A/H Ph: (09) 425 5518 e-mail: nobly@xtra.co.nz

#### **Online Resources**

Century 21 Real Estate, www.century21nz.co.nz

Online resources
<a href="https://www.realestatelinks.co.nz">www.realestatelinks.co.nz</a>
<a href="https://www.newzealandsites.com/business/real-estate">www.newzealandsites.com/business/real-estate</a>

## **FINANCE & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

Home Loans A bank mortgage or a New Zealand Home Loan? Forever in debt or on the pathway to financial freedom? You choose. At New Zealand Home Loans, our focus is on helping our clients to get debt–free a lot sooner than they would otherwise with a traditional bank mortgage. Whilst our rates are generally lower than the banks, we maintain that the rate that you pay on your mortgage is not as important as the rate at which you pay it off. If you have a bank mortgage, or are looking to buy, you need to see me now. Phone Mark Lynch on 07 571 1128 or 021 237 9037, or per email markl@nzhomeloans.co.nz

**Insurance** For ALL your insurance requirements. For professional advice & service covering all aspects of insurance & investment, contact Neville Cumins (ex Bulawayo, Zimbabwe). 23 years insurance experience. Freephone: 0800 213113 e-mail <a href="mailto:cumins@ihug.co.nz">cumins@ihug.co.nz</a>

**Kerstin Bain Insurance Advisors Ltd** A Christchurch based company established in 1998 focusing on personal & family risk protection plans which include some of the following products:—

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- \* Income Protection
- \* Trauma/Critical or Living Insurance
- \* Superannuation & Retirement Planning
- \* Travel Insurance for leisure & business travel
- \* Disability Insurance

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Medical Insurance you CAN afford. Marianne Maslin is the specialist medical insurance adviser for KSL Financial. She has helped a number of new immigrants & understands the frustration of patients who are forced to languish on waiting lists because they are unable to fund private hospital treatment. Policies & premiums can be made to suit your individual needs. Contact Brian Seque Ph: 03 365 4460 e-mail: brian@ksl.co.nz or visit the website at www.ksl.co.nz

Mortgages – it pays to use an expert. Owning our own home is the cornerstone of building wealth & financial freedom. For most of us, our choice of mortgage is the most important financial decision we will make. At Moneyworkz, our goal is to help our clients achieve financial security & independence through professional advice & leading-edge mortgage, insurance, investment, savings & Superannuation products. Our expertise in the mortgage market ensures our clients' mortgages are best suited to their needs. Our buying power & negotiation skills allow us to negotiate you a better deal at no extra cost. Contact Marion Herbert at Moneyworkz Ph: 09 419 9399 Fax: 09 480 3199 Mob: 025 234 7118 PO Box 40573, Glenfield, Auckland email: marion@moneyworkz.co.nz Web site: www.moneyworkz.co.nz

Mortgage Essentials - Essentials of life? After food, you need a roof over your head. For this you may need a mortgage, or to refinance your current home loan. For these, you need Mortgage Essential Ltd. I have opened my new business on the Shore with you in mind. I specialise in helping my fellow immigrants to get the best deals possible. I am Zimbabwe born & New Zealand trained......and I have the advantage of employing two highly experienced & qualified Kiwi mortgage brokers to look after your needs. I will take a personal interest in your circumstances & see that you get the right mortgage terms to suit your lifestyle & your goals. It can be a little tough when you are starting out in a new country, so let me share my experience with you & give you the advantage of our expertise. For your peace of mind we use only the major banks as lenders. Call me anytime – Eleanor Alfred Ph: (09) 444 1536 or 027 514 9447 or e-mail: EleanorA@mortgageessentials.co.nz

**Old Mutual, Liberty, Momentum, Sanlam &** other S.A Policies. For service on these & all types NZ based insurance, contact Insurance Broker Fritz Swart who has nearly 20 years in the insurance industry. For a fresh perspective & humble, friendly service, please contact Fritz on 09 475 5250 or e-mail:

fswart@xtra.co.nz Fritz is expanding into the Tauranga area so area is not a problem.

Psychotherapy, Family Therapy & Counselling by reputable, professional, experienced therapists. We work with individuals, couples & families experiencing difficulties in :- personal & relationship issues \* life crises \* depression, anxiety, phobias, panic attacks \* stress management \* new immigrant difficulties \* grief & loss \* abuse :- physical, emotional, sexual, drug, alcohol. Sally Tasker Ph: (09) 473 3720 or Margie Bowman Ph: (09) 473 9316.

Web site Development <a href="www.themarket.co.nz">www.themarket.co.nz</a> is offering free website for small & medium sized retailers to take the leap into online marketing. Contact Richard Wyles <a href="Richard@themarket.co.nz">Richard@themarket.co.nz</a> for more information. (New Zealand Retail, June 20003)

## **TRAVEL**

South African Airways in conjunction with Qantas will fly you from Auckland, Wellington & Christchurch to Johannesburg with same day connections to Harare every Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday. We will also fly you from Harare via Johannesburg to Auckland, Wellington & Christchurch also on Sunday, Monday Wednesday, Thursday & Friday. If you are a Qantas frequent flyer member you can earn & redeem your points on SAA & remember our own Voyager frequent flyer points programme have benefits to suit you. For information on fares, schedules or making a booking, call us on Auckland 09 977 2237 or check out our website www.flysaa.com. For information & queries on our Voyager frequent flyer programme call us on our toll free number 0800 442 707\* \* Voyager Centre is contactable from 11:00am to 7:00pm Mon-Fri.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Accommodation – renting jargon is slightly different in New Zealand. The bond is the one off payment to the landlord, which is lodged with the Bond Centre & will potentially offset any damage to the property, discovered when the premises are vacated. Rent can be weekly, fortnightly or monthly, & landlords may require that you set up a direct debit from your bank account rather than accepting a cheque.

**Alarms** – you will need a smoke alarm in your home in NZ. Most people change the batteries in their smoke alarms on the same days as they change the time on their clocks at the beginning & end of daylight savings time

Auckland Regional Council – find out general information about the Auckland Public Transport system – buses, trains, or ferries www.rideline.co.nz/home.cfm

**Budgeting** advice is available free in most areas – look under Budget Advice Services in your local phone book. For financial planning advice & calculators visit <a href="https://www.sorted.org.nz">www.sorted.org.nz</a>

Cheap electrical goods in Auckland – the Appliance Bazaar at No. 5 Trading Place, Henderson, Auckland is a factory seconds shop for Breville & Kambrook appliances – vacuum cleaners, toasters, kettles, irons, mixers blenders, juicers, food processors, sandwich makers, slow cookers, rice makers & much, much more. The prices are approximately half the normal retail price & you still get a 3 month warranty.

**Citizens Advice Bureau** for free legal advice if required – check your local phone directory.

**Consumers Institute** www.consumer.org.nz has great information & advice

**Credit Cards** Information about credit card services, interest rates & fees is available at www.consumer.org.nz

**Credit Card Payments** to any e-mail address – economic, simple & secure. If you have American Express, Visa, MasterCard or Discover, use this link to get info & register <a href="https://www.paypal.com">https://www.paypal.com</a>

Emergency Welfare Benefits, Accommodation Supplements & Community Services Cards are available to residents in New Zealand who have applied for Permanent Residency (proof required) & are awaiting the outcome of it. Contact WINZ on Free Ph: 0800 559 009 for advice or website: <a href="https://www.winz.govt.nz">www.winz.govt.nz</a>

Family Assistance from IRD (Inland Revenue Department) for families who have children 18 years or under who are not financially independent & living at home. These payments are income tested. Contact your local Inland Revenue Department & request a Family Assistance Information Pack. Residency requirements state that you should have been resident in New Zealand for at least 12 months, a tax resident when applying for fortnightly payments, & the child you are applying for be resident here also.

**Firearms** importation is fairly easy – see the NZ Police website at

www.police.govt.nz/service/firearms/infosheet02.php for details. Some items may be of value in NZ such as old double barrel hunting rifles of good quality. Certain modern arms are also sought after by collectors. If you have a query contact Hugh Bomford, hbomford@clear.net.nz

Inexpensive housing for low income earners is available to Permanent Residents who meet certain criteria i.e. low income threshold, etc. Rents are income related & do not exceed market rents i.e. are approx. 25% of one's income. Web site www.hnz.govt.nz

Internet Access – There are numerous options available in New Zealand, including cheaper internet access for light users. Comparative information is available at http://www.netguide.co.nz/isp\_directory

**Mortgages** Basic information about mortgages in New Zealand is available at <a href="https://www.consumer.org.nz">www.consumer.org.nz</a>

Overseas Phone Calls - cheap tolls

- DigiPlus very cheap rates in NZ for cell & international calls PLUS benefit from introducing others, call free 0800 800 168 & use 075491082 as your referrer's number.
- 2. **Z-talk** call free 0500 6968 6968 for more info.
- YABBA (TM) Calling Card can be purchased at any Telecom "Cards to GO" outlet or visit www.yabba.co.nz. It has a unique ID you can use it from any touchphone in NZ & most other parts of the world. Can be recharged from a credit card. Reasonable rates.
- It is cheaper to phone overseas from a telephone booth with a 'card' than it is from your telephone at home.

**TradeMe.co.nz –** New Zealand's largest online auction site <a href="https://www.trademe.co.nz">www.trademe.co.nz</a>

Vehicle Purchasing in NZ If you are purchasing a vehicle privately, (i.e.; not from a Licensed Motor Vehicle Dealer) then you must ensure that there are no registered interests on that vehicle. If you purchase a vehicle that has money owing on it, you could end up having that vehicle repossessed. To ensure that this does not happen to you we can carry out the necessary checks & for a small fee (\$15 plus GST) you can have peace of mind. Contact Credit Management International Ph 07 571 8401 Fax 07 571 8412 e-mail admin@cmidebtcollection.co.nz or visit this link <a href="http://www.cmidebtcollection.co.nz/Debt Products Service/vehicle\_ownership.htm">http://www.cmidebtcollection.co.nz/Debt Products Service/vehicle\_ownership.htm</a>

Zimbabwe Passports & Citizenship Issues back in Zimbabwe e-mail: <a href="mailto:bnb@ecoweb.co.zw">bnb@ecoweb.co.zw</a> for more information.

Zimbabwe Passports If you have been told that you cannot renew your Zimbabwe passport until it has expired, or just before it expires, contact Trevor Booth with the details <a href="mailto:nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz">nzimmigrationadviser@clear.net.nz</a> If you are unable to renew your Zimbabwe passport because of perceived alternate citizenship, Trevor has researched the situation & he will happily e-mail a copy of his informative letter to anybody interested.

## MISCELLANEOUS USEFUL TIPS & ADVICE

Anyone who wishes to comment or contribute to this section, please do not hesitate to write to Kamina.kawena@slingshot.co.nz

- If you are not used to life in a large city Auckland may be a bit daunting. Head to a smaller centre Hamilton & Tauranga areas are great.
- Life in NZ is very different be prepared to adapt you don't have to loose your identity, just mould with your new environment.
- In NZ schooling starts the day a child turns 5 & is compulsory.
- If you are invited to "tea" it means that you go for dinner & if you are asked to bring a plate it means that you bring some food. If it is your birthday you "shout" your workmates cakes, beer, whatever i.e.; you bring a plate to work (good idea to let them know in advance & some may shout you).
- Situations vacant sections in the NZ papers are best checked on Saturdays & Wednesdays.
- If you smoke give up it is a very expensive habit in NZ & is unsociable.
- Zim passport holders currently do NOT have to pay for work permits nor for visas for children to attend school. (All other nationalities do have to pay)
- There are a lot of hurdles to cross when immigrating to NZ & finding work – one door closes, but another always opens.
- Immigrating to NZ is not a closed shop most things are possible as long as you are prepared to be persistent but it does make life a LOT easier if you have qualifications in the required areas. The current government <u>are</u> showing sympathy towards migrants from Zimbabwe.
- Do not apply for refugee status to gain access to NZ

   currently Zimbabwe is not recognised by the U.N.
   as having a refugee problem so the NZ govt will not grant you refugee status. If your application is refused you will be sent back to Zim & will not be allowed to apply for residency.
- You will pine for home & family left behind. This is normal. Best advice if you are serious about staying in New Zealand is do not regret what "might have been", don't look over your shoulder, look forward to your new future. & THINK POSITIVE!
- Take a proactive approach to seeking employment

   place adverts in the local papers tell them where
   you are from I have heard of some good
   responses.
- Do NOT bring biltong or foodstuffs.
- On arrival if you need a fridge/freezer you may be best off to rent for \$35/month than to buy a 2nd hand one. By renting you get repairs for free as against a 2nd hand one which may pack up with no come back.
- Best bargains are to be found at Salvation Army shops & "Garage Sales". "Garage Sales" = cheepie sales from peoples homes at the weekend & are advertised in the local papers, get there early to beat the rush.
- Always haggle in NZ for whatever you are trying to get.
- Getting a job may be your biggest hurdle & you will probably have to come down a number of rungs from what you are used to – that's life just get on with it.

- You will find that Kiwis sometimes need urging to get things done especially in Govt Departments – the wheels of bureaucracy move slowly at times – be patient but make sure that you don't get forgotten.
- Stones might be bones but gold can be sold.
- Do not get involved in property transactions without consulting a lawyer *before* you sign the offer. The contract/property laws are different & complicated & the terminology is confusing, e.g. *settlement* & *bond* mean different things here than in Zim/SA. Unless you are an expert in English law you will not know what you are buying when it is leasehold or freehold or a cross–lease & there are pitfalls.
- Get credit for your no claim bonus by producing some proof of your claims history. You can reduce premiums by 60%.
- Check if your car will be allowed on the road before shipping it here. This also applies to fancy cars like Mercedes Benz.
- To open a bank account or borrow money you
  will usually need to prove your credit history so bring
  your last 3–6 months worth of bank statements with
  you as well as any proof if you had a loan or
  mortgage that you were making frequent payments
  to or had paid off. These 2 things will help to show a
  NZ bank that you are a good payer who has meet
  financial commitments in the past.
- Zim 'winter clothing' is generally not good enough in NZ. Remember to wear layers of clothes, keep your head & feet warm, & get polypropylene underwear – usually not very expensive.
- Oil column heaters are expensive to run check with your power supply company for advice on power saving information. TrustPower give out good advice Free ph: 0800 87 87 87. Firewood is the cheapest heating & if you have a "wetback" (heat exchanger) fitted to your fire you cut your power costs to heat your water as well.
- Avoid getting involved in scam businesses –
  pyramid sales & the like, check it out if it's too
  good to be true then it's most likely a scam.
  Check the Ministry of Consumer Affairs
  www.consumer-ministry.govt.nz or the Consumer
  Institute www.consumer.org.nz/
- Do not expect handouts in NZ you will be competing on the open job market.
- Electrical goods from Zim will work fine in NZ, but the plugs are different & you will need to change them.
- Do NOT just rely on interaction & friendship with other Zimbabweans when you get to NZ. If you cut yourself off you will not be happy – your objective is citizenship so mould into the NZ ways. You don't have to loose your heritage or identity but you will not recreate what you wanted or had in Africa here in NZ. Set a good example – make it easy on yourself & for others following – don't mess up by giving us a bad name.
- No banking history Westpac Trust will open a Save & Win account with no history required.
- Smith City will give credit for furniture items up to about \$2500 with a small deposit – also creates credit history for you.
- \$2 Shops are a cheap place to pick up basic kitchen items when cash trapped & starting out.
- 'RD' in addresses means Rural Delivery
- You may be allowed to bring certain seeds into NZ.
   You must declare it & you must have the species

- specific name, i.e.; the Latin or specific name & be certified seed.
- Insist on a written contract when obtaining a job setting out all conditions of employment.
- It is vital to thoroughly review your CV & re-vamp & improve where necessary. Nikki Herley says "I applied for dozens of positions as Secretary/PA, but didn't get a single interview. I finally accepted that my CV needed some serious revision even though I had been told this before arriving in NZ. Someone within the recruitment industry offered to critique my CV & offer advice on job-hunting strategy etc. Based on her advice, I thoroughly revamped my CV & could not believe the response. Within a week of launching my new & improved CV, I was called for four interviews & offered two positions! I would be very pleased to pass on what I've learnt (pretty basic stuff!)." Nikki Herley can be contacted by e-mail at <a href="mailto:changamire@xtra.co.nz">changamire@xtra.co.nz</a>
- When buying a business insist on **thoroughly** checking it out yourself (do not be fobbed off with inadequate answers) a number of people are being burned in Australia & New Zealand from inadequate investigation of what they are purchasing/leasing. Spend money with a professionals who can help you engage a lawyer as well as Credit Management International people who can help you to reduce the risk see Africans in Business above
- Ensure that you have the sufficient funds required to enter NZ – (NZ\$3000 per person) or you may be denied entry.
- Do not bring your Cadac gas cylinders to NZ they will have to be tested before they can be refilled & the cost is more than buying a new locally made one. Parts & adapters for Cadac fittings are available.
- There are always problems with free e-mail accounts like Hotmail. Useful for a short time but when you can get a NZ ISP account.
- There are inaccuracies in some information regarding immigration prospects to NZ being circulated in Zimbabwe by some 'migration specialists'. Nothing is a 'dead cert' – you have to satisfy the criteria set down by NZIS. Carefully consider what you are doing & who you are spending your money with. Take full advantage of the good information & links offered to you above.
- Never be fooled that moving countries is easy if you are not going to be tough & resilient – forget it
- Make sure that you find out, with accuracy, any visas that you may require while in transit to NZ – Australia for instance. Some travel agents seem to be making errors, so check with embassy of any countries that you intend to travel through
- There are an increasing number of accounts coming to me from people who have been 'done' by agencies offering migration services. Be careful who you use – only use reputable firms or one that a trusted friend has recommended to you.
- Medals & militaria & other items of historical value don't leave them behind.
- Don't switch off when in NZ we do have crime here, so keep it locked & use common sense
- There are not many bugs here but watch out for the white tailed spider, a migrant from Australia, it is up to 15mm long & can pack a nasty bite that can be very slow to heal. If you get bitten you may get blistering & ulceration – see a doctor.

## **HISTORY & HERITAGE**

The Zimbabwean history & heritage is important that a true record of our history is recorded for future generations to understand & learn from. Please give your support to those recording it & distributing it.

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Chris Cocks bestsellers FireForce & Survival Course being re-printed as one. There are two kinds of wars: those fought on battlefields with guns & bombs, waged by elders against their enemies; & those fought within a man's soul with conscience & remorse. The one is external, a public war for all the world to witness; the other intensely private, glimpsed at by only a few.

Innocent young men are molded into soldiers by ingenious craftsmen, through a process of "dehumanize & reconstruct" into professional killing machines. But in times of peace that process is never reversed, i.e. "deconstruct & re-humanize" into functioning members of society.

Chris Cocks' journey begins with Fireforce in which he catalogues his three years' combat experience in 3 Commando, The Rhodesian Light Infantry. His naiveté destroyed by basic training he enters a unit often compared to the French Foreign Legion. This compelling account tells of the combat method developed by the Rhodesians, & perfected by the RLI, involving airborne troops parachuted into action against the never-ending tide of the guerrilla enemy. The mental & physical strain on a Fireforce soldier was almost unbearable – with ground troops always in desperately short supply, the same men were at times dropped into as many as three contacts a day.

Although Fireforce has been written with an unforgettable pathos & humour, it tells of face-to-face combat in the bush & death at point-blank range. It is a book, which does nothing to glamorize or glorify war.

Survival Course explores the brutal reality faced by a soldier when he realizes he's now just an ordinary man – no longer the hero, misunderstood by most & alone in his quest for the "normality" of civilian life. It is a downward spiral into self-recrimination & guilt, the nightmares eased only by the escapism of drug & alcohol abuse. But ultimately the battle is a story of hope & re-awakening.

Although these two books are completely juxtaposed their essence is so intertwined that one should not be perceived in isolation of the other, for no war leaves a soldier unscarred & no self-destruction is without source

Chris is in the process of re-writing both titles which will include new stories, a final chapter & pictures. It's being printed in Canada under Rhodesiawassuper.

www.Rhodesiawassuper.com Release Date July 2004, Price \$39.95

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Armoured Vehicles Can anyone help Paul Els author of We Fear Naught But God. The info he am looking for is what type of armoured vehicles were used in Rhodesia; those received from SA; who were the SA instructors involved to help training. He is researching a book & must put in the story behind the Eland vehicles that were in Rhodesia & the tanks that were Hi–jacked in Durban. In other words he needs every thing where SA personnel were involved. Please contact Paul J Els email: paul@who–els.co.za

A Century of Community – a book covering the history of the Trelawney/Darwendale district. For more info & orders e-mail <a href="mailto:hal@zol.co.zw">hal@zol.co.zw</a>

Art from Africa – Steph Walton has been producing exceptional wildlife art for 23 years & now she is at her best visit http://homepages.ihug.co.nz/~cie & see for yourself, there are high quality Giclee prints available for some of the paintings at an affordable price, email for a Quote to: <a href="walton@zol.co.zw">walton@zol.co.zw</a> or <a href="mailto:africwildart@ihug.co.nz">africwildart@ihug.co.nz</a> Ph: Garth NZ (09) 441 9951 or Steph: 00 263 11 412 480

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**Books of Zimbabwe** (formerly Books of Rhodesia) www.booksofzimbabwe.com

Clem Tholet has released a new CD comprising a digitally remastered selection of tracks from his original two LP's ("Songs of Love & War" & "Two Sides to Every Story") & also from "What a Time" & "Tsanga". He has been prompted to do this by the callous actions of the Zimbabwe government which have left thousands of Rhodesians/Zimbos, both black & white, destitute. Half the profits are going to the Flame Lily Association in South Africa, whose mission is to look after Rhodesian Pensioners & Refugees & who are building homes for the aged & disabled in South Africa. Please visit www.mazoe.com/clem.html where more is explained.

Whispers In The Grass (Jane Flowers' latest book) is due release in the USA & is available now at www.amazon.com <a href="https://www.booksamillion.com">www.booksamillion.com</a> & <a href="https://www.bn.com">www.bn.com</a> online. Jane is an ex-Rhodesian living in NZ. She writes under the name of Woryn Jay. This book is fiction & set in South Africa in the early 1990s. It is an exciting work set in the wilds of Africa.

**Marula Junior School** – if you attended or can help with any information please e-mail Roland Mauseth at marula school@lineone.net

Mazoe.com <a href="www.mazoe.com">www.mazoe.com</a> is a co-operative website through which the various members market their southern African oriented products. Specifically, we have books, videos & CDs with a Rhodesian / Zimbabwean connection. Chas Lotter, John Edmond, Clem Tholet & Msasa Videos are the main merchants involved.

Out of Africa – expatriate e-magazine contains mainly of stories about people out of Africa & getting on with their lives, but who still have strong memories of 'home' www.outofafricai.com

Museum Display A Rhodesian Military History museum display has been formed & is housed at the Hauraki Regiment Hall in Tauranga. It is a great honour that this display has been allowed. The display was opened by Lt Gen Peter Walls in April 2003. This display is unique & is intended to incorporate our history from the 1890's to 1980. All items in the display are on loan & can be returned to the owner or family on demand. Anyone wanting further information can contact Hugh Bomford 07 571 8401 wk 07 577 9865 hm PO Box 13003, Tauranga <a href="mailto:hbmford@clear.net.nz">hbmford@clear.net.nz</a>

**Paintings** – Water colours of historic Zimbabwean buildings. Originals of buildings, houses & places of interest done to order by retired Bulawayo Architect. Contact Glenda at <a href="mailto:davenorman@xtra.co.nz">davenorman@xtra.co.nz</a> for further details.

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Pictures of Africa www.chirundu.com

Political prisoners in Zimbabwe – http://homepages.tesco.net/~l.hutchby/index.htm

BSAP History Zimbabwe Prisoner 146/88 Kevin Wood's Latest eBay Auction - 06/10/2003

Monday, October 06, 2003 Zimbabwe Prisoner 146/88 Kevin Wood's Latest eBay Auction - 06/10/2003. Mike Smith's 50th birthday will be celebrated in Chikurubi Maximum Security Prison in 2 weeks time, followed by Kevin Woods' 51st birthday a fortnight later. If you would like to send them some birthday cards & don't know the address, please contact Liam Hillman. All of Kevin's drawings are authenticated by the Chikurubi Maximum Security Prison Censors' Office stamp on the reverse. Liam has established a fixed hyperlink which will take you to whichever is the current auction. The auctions will all be viewable from now on at http://makeashorterlink.com/?J50222255. Liam Hillman, Coordinator (UK), Harare 3 Campaign, "Free the Harare 3" http://free-harare3.org e-mail: harare3@hotmail.com

Prince Edward Centenary Cherith Roberts at the Centenary office at Prince Edward has asked that this appeal be distributed. Apparently the database of "Old Boys" collected for, during & after the Centenary celebrations has been lost/corrupted. She is keen to get your details back on file so that she can keep you up to date with developments at the school. Please could you send an email message with your details to: "Prince Edward School" on pe100yrs@mweb.co.zw. Please make the subject: "Old Boy Info" & include these details First name, Surname, Year Left, House, Email, Location, Should you have any other queries please contact Cherith directly on the email address supplied. The Centenary office has its own small web page with news & contact details at: http://www.peschool.co.zw/centenary/index.htm

#### Rhodesian On-Line Store

www.Rhodesiawassuper.com for clothing & flags

Rhodesian General Service Medals – The Zimbabwe National Army advertised in the Sunday Mail of 20 Jan 2002 that they have over 9000 RGSM's unclaimed, which they state are mainly named to whites who have left the country. The Zimbabwe Medal Society Secretary, Ian Barham, is making slow but steady progress with going through the medals. In order to find if you have a medal you should e-mail him <a href="mailto:ibarham@mweb.co.zw">ibarham@mweb.co.zw</a> with your name number & rank, or write to PO Box A 86, Avondale, Harare Tel: 796 373. Please bear in mind that Ian is giving his own time for this & he is the only person that the Zim Army will allow to conduct this research – have patience.

Rhodesian Music – well worth a look www.bedrockband.com/rhodiemusic/home.htm

**Rhodesia Study Circle** may be of interest if you collect stamps or postal history of the Rhodesias & Nyasaland & the modern states. Visit

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## **BOOK RESEARCH IN PROGRESS**

Jack Malloch Alan Brough has the Malloch family's permission to record the life of one of Rhodesia's more remarkable characters. Alan needs any information that you may have on Jack Malloch or his company Air

Trans Africa/Affretair etc. Any ex CSC employees may have some helpful info as well. If you can help, please contact Alan at <a href="mailto:dbrough@mweb.co.za">dbrough@mweb.co.za</a>

**Sunny Days in Africa** Ken Caithness is looking for anecdotes - humorous, exciting, dangerous, human interest etc. or interesting life stories. Older people have much to tell & he would love to hear from them. e-mail: caithnessken@zol.co.zw

The Monitoring Force & 1980 elections Diana Bomford is currently researching this very emotional period of our history. She would welcome any material & recollections. Where were you & what were you doing during the later part of 1979 & early 1980? <a href="Don't let this piece">Don't let this piece of history be forgotten & we need to know what really did happen</a>. As well as Rhodesians, information is required from & about the soldiers of the Monitoring Force — New Zealand, Australia, Fiji, Kenya & Britain. Were you in Rhodesia at this time? Civilian or military your recollections of events is all valuable & if you can assist contact Diana by post PO Box 13003, Tauranga or (07) 571 8401 (Work) 07 577 9865 (Home) fax (07) 571 8412 e-mail: dbomford@clear.net.nz

Rhodesians in the Special Air Service Craig Fourie & Jonathon Pittaway are looking for any information, recollections & pictures that relate to Rhodesians who served with the SAS. They are looking for any material dating back to the start of the SAS in 1941 in order to write a book on the history of Rhodesians in the SAS. This research has the blessing of the Rhodesian SAS Assn. If you have any information please contact them – Craig <a href="mailto:agencies@iafrica.com">agencies@iafrica.com</a> or Jon <a href="mailto:pittaway@iafrica.com">pittaway@iafrica.com</a>

Tuli area People who may have been stationed (or visited) the Tuli area – probably BSAP, National Parks, Water Department, Internal Affairs etc. may be able to help Rob Burrett who is looking for details (and photographs if possible) of the various old cemeteries in the area. There were at least 3 & many are unmarked, while those with markers have been confused. If any one has anything to offer can they contact Rob e-mail: <a href="mailto:rburrett@mweb.co.zw">rburrett@mweb.co.zw</a> or you can write to 14 Sims Road, Mount Pleasant, Harare, Zimbabwe but post may not be a reliable method of contact.

The Struggle in Southern Africa lan Graves has begun to chronicle in "book form" a history of the Rhodesian/ Southern Africa struggle from a white Africans perspective based on your stories & events that have impacted on your lives. If you are interested in participating in this actual recording of events, e-mail carol.graves@ntlworld.com with there story together with a heading of there choice, dates in the heading & separate headings with dates for important events, there full name & brief details i.e.name DOB job in Rhodesia, unit served in & service number plus any other important details. Should they require to remain anonymous then a verification of there story by a friend or relative & a nom de plume of there choice (clean please). As I write the book & try & set it down in some sort of order I will be in contact with them by e-mail at that time.