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## PROCLAMATION.

*By His Excellency WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND, Esq., Colonial Secretary of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, the Officer administering the Government of the same.*

**W**HEREAS, by Her Majesty's Royal "Charter for erecting the Colony of New Zealand, and for creating and establishing a Legislative Council and an Executive Council, and for granting certain powers and authorities to the Governor, for the time being, of the said Colony," bearing date the 16th day of November, 1840: it is provided, That in the event of the death, or absence out of the said Colony of New Zealand, of such person as may be appointed to be Governor thereof, all and every the powers and authorities therein granted to the Governor of New Zealand, shall be vested in the Lieutenant Governor of the said Colony; or in the event of there being no Lieutenant Governor, the said powers and authorities are, by the said Charter, granted to the Colonial Secretary, for the time being, of the said Colony; and it is provided, that such Colonial Secretary shall have all such powers and authorities until Her Majesty's further pleasure shall be signified therein.

And whereas, His Excellency Captain HOBSON, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the said Colony, hath this day departed this life. Now, therefore, I, the Colonial Secretary of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare, that I have this day assumed all such powers and authorities as are granted to the Governor of New Zealand by the said Charter, and I hereby

call upon all persons to be aiding and assisting me in the exercise thereof.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Auckland, this tenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND,

Colonial Secretary,

The Officer administering the Government.

By His Excellency's Command,

For the Colonial Secretary,

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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## PROCLAMATION.

*By His Excellency WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND, Esq., the Officer administering the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its Dependencies, and Vice Admiral of the same, &c., &c.*

**W**HEREAS by letters patent, under the Great Seal of the High Court of Admiralty of England, bearing date the thirteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, Her Majesty was graciously pleased, to ordain, constitute, and depute WILLIAM HOBSON, Esq., Captain in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, and in the event of his absence, the Officer administering the Government of the said Colony, for the time being Her Majesty's Vice Admiral, Commissary, and Deputy in the Office of Vice Admiralty in her Colony of

New Zealand, and the Territories thereon depending.

Now, I, WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND, Esq., the Officer administering the Government of the Colony of New Zealand ~~aforsaid~~, do proclaim and declare this Her Majesty's pleasure, and that I have this day assumed the powers and authority vested in me thereby.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Auckland, this fourteenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND,

The Officer administering the Government.

By His Excellency's Command,

For the Colonial Secretary,

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND, Esq., the Officer administering the Government of Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its Dependencies, and Vice Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance enacted by the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, Session 2, No. 2, entitled "An Ordinance for establishing County Courts of Civil and Criminal Jurisdiction, and for repealing an Ordinance for instituting Courts of Requests, Session 1, No 6, and for repealing part of an Ordinance for establishing Courts of Quarter Sessions, Session 1, No. 4. "It is enacted that His Excellency the GOVERNOR, with the advice of the Executive Council, shall from time to time appoint a place or places, within each County or District, as the case may be, whereat County Courts of Civil and Criminal Jurisdiction shall be holden. Now, I, the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby direct and appoint, that for the purposes of the said in part recited Ordinance, the Islands of "New Munster" and "New Leinster," with the Islands adjacent, shall form a District, to be called the District of Nelson. And I do hereby, with the like advice, direct and appoint that a County Court of Civil and

Criminal Jurisdiction shall be holden monthly at Nelson, in the said District of Nelson. And that the first sitting of the said Court, shall be holden on the third Tuesday in the month of January, 1843.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Auckland, this fourteenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND,

The Officer administering the Government.

By His Excellency's Command,

For the Colonial Secretary,

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 20th September, 1842.

HIS Excellency the OFFICER administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CONNELL, Esq.,  
Postmaster General,

to be a Commissioner of Audit for examining the Public Accounts of the Colony.

By His Excellency's Command,

(For the Colonial Secretary),

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 20th September, 1842.

THE POUND in Auckland having on the night of the 7th instant been broken into by some person or persons unknown, and a number of goats impounded under the Provisions of the Ordinance of Council, 5th Vic., Sess. II, No. 16, liberated therefrom; His Excellency the Officer administering the Government has been pleased to direct that the above reward should be given to any person who may afford such information, as may lead to the conviction of the party or parties so offending.

By His Excellency's Command,

(For the Colonial Secretary.)

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

SALE OF LAND.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 13th September, 1842.

AT Eleven o'clock on Thursday the 24th day of November next, the Colonial Treasurer will put up to Auction, at the Treasury, the undermentioned porcions of land, on tue terms authorized by Government.

Further information respecting the Land may be obtained by the Surveyor General, and respecting the conditions of Sale, from the Colonial Treasurer.

Upset price—£1 per Acre.

DESCRIPTION

OF

FARMS ON THE RIVER TAMAKI,

COUNTY OF EDEN, PARISH OF WAITEMATA.

Section No. 5, containing 124a. 3r. 8p., one hundred and twenty-four acres, three roods, eight perches.

Section No. 6, containing 82a. 2r. 15p.. eighty-two acres, two roods, fifteen perches.

Section No. 10, containing 67a. 1r. 35p., sixty-seven acres, one rood, thirty-five perches.

Section No. 11, containing 78a. 1r. 38p., seventy-eight acres, one rood, thlirty-eight perches.

Section No. 12, containing 103a. 2r. 16p., one hundred and three acres, two roods, sixteen perches.

Section No. 13, containing 103a. 2r. 24p., one hundred and three acres, two roods, twenty-four perches.

Section No. 14, containing 92a. 1r. 5p., ninety-two acres, one rood, five perches.

Section No. 15, containing 102a. 1r. 30p., one hundred and two acres, one rood, thirty perches.

Section No. 17, containing 115a. 3r. 18p., one hundred and fifteen acres, three roods, eighteen perches.

Section No. 18, containing 115a. 0r. 4p., one hundred and fifteen acres, four perches.

Section No. 19, containing 124a. 0r. 4p., one hundred and twenty-four acres, four perches.

Section No. 20, containing 91a. 2r. 24p., nine'y-one acres, two roods, twenty-four perches.

Section No. 21, containing 129a. 3r. 19p., one hundred and twenty-nine acres, three roods, nineteen perches.

Section No. 27, containing 112a. 1r. 4p., one hundred and twelve acres, one rood, four perches.

Section No. 37, containing 132a. 0r. 19p., one hundred and thirty-two acres, nineteen perches.

Section No. 38, containing 10 a. 0r. 0p., one hundred acres.

Section No. 40, containing 103a. 2r. 6p., one hundred and three acres, two roods, six perches.

Section No. 41, containing 117a. 2r. 4p., one hundred and seventeen acres, two roods, and four perches.

Section No. 43, containing 80a. 0r. 0p., eighty acres.

Section No. 44, containing 80a. 0r. 0p., eighty acres.

By Command of His Excellency,

For the Colonial Secretary,

JAMES STUART FREEMAN.

REPORT of a Deserter from the 80th Regt. of Foot, at Auckland, New Zealand.

Name—HENRY FILDES, Private.

Age—23 years.

Size—5 feet 6½ inches.

Description of Person—Make or form, rather stout and smart; head, oval; face, thin; eyes, grey; neck, short; hair, light brown; shoulders, square; and active appearance.

Town or Parish where born—Manchester, county Lancashire.

Former Trade or Occupation—Labourer; and employed lately by the Military, as one of the Boat's Crew.

Date of Desertion—7th September, 1842.

Place of Desertion—Auckland, New Zealand.

Dress at the Time of Desertion—Supposed a large pea jacket and regimental black trousers.

Bears the marks of corporeal punishment received in New Zealand.

Remarks—Supposed to be endeavouring to get to America.

THOMAS BUNBURY,

Major 80th Regt., Com. Detach.

**R**EPORT of a Deserter from the 80th Regt.  
of Foot, at Auckland, New Zealand.

Name—JOHN BENSON, Private.

Age—24 years.

Size—5 feet 7 inches.

Description of Person—Make or form, stout;  
head, oval; face, round; eyes, dark; eyebrows,  
dark; nose, common; neck, short; hair, black;  
shoulders, broad and square.

Town—Dublin, Ireland.

Former Trade or Occupation—Labourer; and  
employed lately by the Military, as one of the  
Boat's Crew.

Date of Desertion—7th September, 1842.

Place of Desertion—Auckland, New Zealand.

Dress at the Time of Desertion—Fatigue  
jacket and black trowsers.

Bears the marks of corporeal punishment re-  
ceived in New Zealand.

Remarks—Supposed to be endeavouring to  
get to America.

THOMAS BUNBURY,

Major 80th Regt., Com. Detach.

**M**R. PERCIVAL BERREY, of this Town,  
has been duly sworn a Notary Public  
under the requisition from the Commissary of  
Faculties of Great Britain and Ireland.

September 3, 1842.

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