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PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency WILLOUGHBY  
SHORTLAND, Esquire, the Officer  
Administering the Government in and  
over Her Majesty's Colony of New  
Zealand and its Dependencies, and  
Vice Admiral of the same, &c. &c. &c.  
Issued under the Public Seal of the  
Colony.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance, enacted by the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, Session I, No. 2., reciting, that Her Majesty had been pleased to declare her gracious intention to recognize Claims to Land which may have been obtained on equitable terms, from the Chiefs, or other individuals of the Aboriginal Tribes inhabiting New Zealand, the Governor of New Zealand is empowered to appoint Commissioners to hear and examine, and report upon such claims. And whereas it is enacted by the said Ordinance, that the Commissioners so to be appointed shall, in examining such claims, inquire into and set forth the consideration paid for Land so claimed, and the date and other circumstances attending the purchase thereof; and that on being satisfied, that the person making such Claim is entitled to any Grant of Land, according to the said declaration of Her Gracious Majesty, the said commissioners shall report the same, and the

grounds thereof to the said Governor accordingly.

And whereas, by an Ordinance enacted by the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, Session II, No. 14, it is enacted, That whenever it shall be so reported that any person is entitled to a Grant of Land in respect of his alleged purchase, such person shall, on the Report being confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, be entitled to a Grant from the Crown.

And whereas, the Commissioners appointed to investigate Claims to Land have reported that the following persons have made purchases of Land, and that such persons are entitled to a Grant of Land in respect thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, I, the Officer Administering the Government, do hereby proclaim and declare that I have confirmed the Reports of the Commissioners, in the following cases, in which Grants of Land are recommended to be made.

Given under my hand, at Government House, Auckland, this eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

WILLOUGHBY SHORTLAND,

THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT,

By His Excellency's Command,  
(For the Colonial Secretary),

WILLIAM CONNELL,

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

## LIST OF CLAIMS

*On which Grants of Land have been recommended to be made.*

No. of Case.	Name of Claimant.	Consideration	Quantity Claimed.	Quantity to be granted if the Land claimed shall contain so much.	Grant recommended in favor of
		£ s. d.	ACRES.	ACRES.	
39	Representatives of Francis Atherton, deceased.	} 130 8 6	320	320	} Representatives of Fran. Atherton, dec.
42	Thomas Bateman.....		26 0 0	22	
42 (a)	Do. ....	31 17 6	100	100	Do.
42 (c)	Do. ....	140 0 0	1500	560 with certain exceptions	Do.
44	John Bedggood .....	92 18 0	250	250	John Bedggood
65 (o)	Geo. Thos. Clayton....	10 0 0	3	3	Geo. Thos. Clayton
65 (l)	Do. ....	4 14 0	8	8	Do.
65 (m)	Do. ....	10 0 0	5	5 with certain exceptions	Do.
65 (n)	Do. ....	8 0 0	2	2	Do.
69 (a)	William Cooke and the Representatives of Robert Day, deceased ..	} 95 0 0	200	200	} William Cooke and the Representatives of Robert Day, decd.
71	George Cooper .....		231 4 6	1000	
78 (a)	James Davis.....	37 10 0	15	15	James Davis
85	John Edmonds.....	399 5 0	2112	1597	John Edmonds
98 (b)	George Greenway .....	102 15 0	200	200 with certain exceptions	George Greenway
110	George Hemmings .....	10 0 0	1 of an acre.	1 of an acre.	George Hemmings
123	James Johnson.....	29 10 0	100	100	James Johnson
123 (a)	Do. ....	13 0 0	10	10	Do. & Wm. Jackson
128	Thomas Joyce .....	83 12 0	3000	334	Thomas Joyce
128 (a)	Do. ....	4 8 6	4	4	Do.
134	James Leitch .....	140 10 0	550	550 with certain exceptions	James Leitch
166	Samuel May, on behalf of John Macquarie Palmer .....	} 15 10 0	20	20	} John Macquarie Palmer
180	Benjamin Nisbet .....		42 10 0	500	
200	John Reid .....	19 0 3	30	30	John Reid
201	Frances Richards, as Representative of Thos. Richards .....	} 157 16 0	Not stated.	631	} The Representatives of Thomas Richards.
218 (b)	James Stuart .....		6 5 0	10	
244	Mathew Whytlaw ....	155 5 0	3000	621 with certain exceptions	Mathew Whytlaw
248	Rev. William Williams .	169 17 6	300	300	William Williams
248 (a)	Do. ....	258 19 6	400	400 with certain exceptions	Do.
248 (b)	Do. ....	16 12 0	20	20	Do.
248 (d)	Do. ....	68 15 6	100	100	Do.
248 (e)	Do. ....	35 0 0	50	50	Do.
249	Thomas Wing .....	58 13 6	120	120	Thomas Wing
262 (b)	Manheim Brown .....	70 0 0	7	7 with certain exceptions	Manheim Brown
262 (c)	Do. ....	6 0 0	8	8	Do.
273 (f)	James Kemp.....	2 13 0	6	6	James Kemp
278	Representatives of John .....	} 17 0 0	20	20	} Representatives of John .....
286	George Clarke.....		1063 1 6	1500	
288	Joel Samuel Polack ....	54 9 0	100	100 with certain exceptions	J. S. Polack
290	James Jones, for William Jeffray & John Whytlaw .....	} 25 12 0	22	22	} William Jeffray and John Whytlaw

No. of Case.	Name of Claimant.	Consideration	Quantity Claimed.	Quantity to be granted if the Land claimed shall contain so much.	Grant recommended in favor of
291	Edmund Powell .....	Grant	ACRES. recommended in 337 (a)	ACRES. 50	Sam. Hayward Ford
300 (b)	Samuel Hayward Ford .	20 0 0	50	50	
300 (c)	Do. ....	50 0 0	50	50	Do.
329	D. N. Joubert .....	Included in	Claim 331 (d)	114	D. N. Joubert
331 (d)	Edouard Eugene Cafiers.	102 6 6	490	409	Ed. Eugene Cafiers
337	Representatives of J. M'Leod, deceased ...	5 0 0	2½	2½	Representatives of John M'Leod
337 (a)	Do. ....	182 5 0	300	300 with certain exceptions	Do.
337 (b) & 291					
339	Samuel Harvey .....	90 10 6	400	362	Samuel Harvey
340	Cornthwaite Hector, on behalf of the Kororareka Land Company .	110 18 0	160	160 with certain exceptions	Kororareka Land Company
340 (a)	Do. ....				
340 (d)	Do. ....	65 6 6	20	20 with certain exceptions	Do.
355	Joseph Aberline .....	210 0 0	200	200	Joseph Aberline
358	Edward Bolger .....	400 0 0	150	150	Edward Bolger
358 (a)	Do. ....	131 7 0	300	300	Do.
362	Charles Berry Waitford	97 15 0	600	391	Chs. Berry Waitford
421	Donald M'Kay .....	22 8 0	40	40	Donald M'Kay

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 18th April, 1843,*

**H**IS EXCELLENCY the Officer administering the Government, has been pleased to direct the re-publication of the following Claims, on which Grants have been confirmed, for the information of the Parties in whose favor the Grants have been recommended.

No. of Case.	Name of Claimant.	Consideration	Quantity Claimed.	Quantity to be granted if the Land claimed shall contain so much.	Grant recommended in favor of
65 (b)	George T. Clayton ....	£ s. d. 5 12 6	1 acre.	1 acre.	Joseph Aberline
65 (c)	Do. ....	3 0 0		Quantity claimed.	Edw. Eugene Cafiers
254	Atherton, Kelly, and Whitaker .....	5 0 0	2 acres.	2 acres.	John Kelly
327	G. Jules Augustus Duvanchelle .....				

By His Excellency's Command,  
(For the Colonial Secretary),  
**WILLIAM CONNELL.**

#### CLAIMS TO LAND WITHDRAWN.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 18th April, 1843.*

**H**IS EXCELLENCY the OFFICER administering the Government directs it to be notified, that the Commissioners for investigating Claims to Grants of Land in this Colony, have reported that the undermentioned Claims have been withdrawn by the Claimants.

Case No. 214 (k)—Thomas Spicer, the claimant having received compensation from Mr. J. S. Polack.

Case No. 214, (o) Thomas Spicer, claimant.  
Case No. 256, (c) William Baker do.  
Case No. 299, (p) Church Missionary Society.  
Case No. 382, Robert Milne  
Case No. 414, (a) 414, (c) and 414 (d)—George Russell, the Claims having been examined in the Claims of the Kororareka Land Company.

Case 414 (b)—George Russell, the claim having been examined in claim 255, (a) C. Baker, claimant.

By His Excellency's command,  
(For the Colonial Secretary),  
**WILLIAM CONNELL.**

*Land Commissioners' Office,  
Auckland, 15th April, 1843.*

**T**HE following claim having been previously advertised for hearing by William Spain, Esq., at Port Nicholson, in the *Gazette* of the 1st March, 1843, will not be investigated at Akaroa, as erroneously advertised in the *Gazette* of the 29th March, 1843.

Case No. 421—ARCHIBARD WILSON, of Sydney, claimant.

2,002, Two thousand and two acres, at Otaki.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chief Watenati, on the 2d October, 1839, by Hay and Wright.

Consideration—not stated.

Nature of conveyance—deed to Mr. Hay, dated 2d October, 1839.

E. L. GODFREY,  
Commissioner.

**NOTICE OF HEARING.**

*Land Commissioners' Office,  
15th April, 1843.*

**I**, MATHEW RICHMOND, a Commissioner appointed to examine and report upon Claims to Grants of Land in New Zealand, do hereby give notice, that I shall proceed to Investigate the following Claims, at Hauraki, River Thames, the residence of Mr. Preece, of the Church Missionary Society, on the 8th of June, 1843, and following days at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

The hearing of the above claim will be continued at the aforesaid place until the 8th of July, 1843.

All parties interested are hereby summoned to be in attendance, with their witnesses and original deeds and documents, and copies thereof,

(with translations if in Maori), the latter to remain with the Commissioner; and Claimants are reminded, that the fee of five pounds may be paid to the Commissioner before the investigation of any Claim, or of any opposition thereto.

Case No. 236.—WILLIAM WALSH, and D. WALSH, of the River Thames, claimants.

All that piece or parcel of land comprising about one half of the Island or Peninsula of Wanganui. (Contents not stated.)

Alleged to have been purchased in December, 1836, from certain native chiefs not named, by Mr. William M'Leod, who sold and conveyed to claimants.

Consideration—Merchandise to the amount of £150 sterling.

Nature of original conveyance—Deed in favor of M'Leod, dated 8th December, 1836.

Case No. 345—J. COMMINS, and W. MACKENZIE, of Waite, claimants.

A portion of land situated about fifteen miles up the river Waite, and is about twenty-five miles above Kouronga, extending about three miles along the banks of the said River, and one and a half miles back.

Alleged to have been purchased from the native chiefs Rangannu, Hori, Tikiore, and others, on the 7th December, 1839, by William Smith and George Crawford, who sold to claimants.

Consideration given to the natives—not stated.

Nature of conveyance—A deed witnessed by William Johnson and Wm. Cunningham.

M. RICHMOND,  
Commissioner.