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NOTICE.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 14th November, 1843.*

WHEREAS by an Ordinance, enacted by the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, Session I, No. 2, the Governor of New Zealand is empowered to appoint Commissioners to hear, examine, and report upon Claims to Land alleged to have been purchased from the Chiefs or other Individuals of the Aboriginal Tribes inhabiting New Zealand.

And whereas, it is enacted by the said Ordinance, that the Commissioners to be appointed shall, in examining such Claims, enquire into and set forth the consideration paid for Land so claimed, and the date and other circumstances attending the purchase thereof; and shall also enquire into and set forth the number of acres which such payment would have been equivalent to, according to the rates fixed in the Schedule marked B, to the said Ordinance annexed; and that if they shall be satisfied that the persons

claiming such Lands are entitled to a Grant of the same, or of any part thereof, the said Commissioners shall report the same to the said Governor, and after making the reservation for public purposes required by the said Ordinance, shall set forth the situation, measurement and boundaries by which the said Land so recommended to be granted may be described in such Grant, with the name of the party to whom it should issue. But it is also provided, that nothing in the said Ordinance contained shall be held to oblige the said Governor to make and deliver any such Grants as aforesaid, unless he shall deem it proper so to do.

Now, notice is hereby given, that the Commissioners have made their Reports on the Claims in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and that His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to approve and confirm the same accordingly.

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

CLAIMS

On which Reports have been made.

No. of Case.	Claimant.	Consideration	Quantity Claimed.	Quantity recommended to be granted, if the land claimed shall contain so much.	Grantee.
33 (a)	} Rev. Thomas Aitkin and James Aitkin			None	} No Grant recommended.
70 (b)				} D. Copper, J. Holt, and W. B. Rhodes	
239 (a)	Edward Weller	None			
239 (b)	Edward Weller	None			
240 (a)	George Weller	None			
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331	E. E. Caffers	None			
346	J. Ratau & E. E. Caffers	None			
383	William Mayhew	None			
398 (e)	William Stewart	None			
282	} W. C. Symonds, as Agent for the Manukau & Waitemata Land Company			None	

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 14th November, 1843.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government directs it to be notified, that the Commissioners for investigating Claims to Land in this Colony, have reported that the under-mentioned Claims have been withdrawn by the Claimants.

Case No. 10—Patrick Byrne, of Sydney, claimant.

Case No. 57—Edward Cathin and Thomas Ware Smart, of Sydney, claimants.

By His Excellency's Command,

(For the Colonial Secretary),

WILLIAM CONNELL,

NOTICE.

Land Commissioners Office,
Otako, 15th September, 1843.

THE following Claims, advertised in the Government Gazette of the 29th March, 1843, for examination at Akaroa and Otako, being situated in Cook's Straits, their investigation is postponed for the present.

They will again be advertised when the examination of the Claims in that District takes place.

Claim No. 99 (a)—J. Guard, claimant.

Claim No. 107—Wm. Hebblewhite, do.

EDWARD L. GODFREY,

Commissioner.

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