



# NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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By His Excellency's Command,

ANDREW SINCLAIR, Colonial Secretary.

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AUCKLAND, FRIDAY, JAN. 25, 1856.

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
15th January, 1856.

IN conformity with the directions of His Excellency the Governor, it is hereby notified, for general information, that Writs for the election of Members of the House of Representatives for the undermentioned Districts in the Islands of New Zealand having been issued, in accordance with the provisions of an Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand, the Returning Officers for the said several Districts have returned the said Writs, with certificates, to the effect that the undermentioned gentlemen have been duly elected to serve as Members of the said House of Representatives for the said several Districts.

WELLINGTON.

*For the City of Wellington.*

Charles Clifford, Esq.,  
Isaac Earl Featherstone, Esq.  
William Fitzherbert, Esq.

*For the Wellington Country District.*

Charles Dudley Robert Ward, Esq.

*For the Hutt District.*

Francis Dillon Bell, Esq.  
Alfred Ludlam, Esq.

*For the Wairarapa and Hawkes' Bay District.*

Valentine J. Smith, Esq.

NELSON.

*For the Wairau District.*

William Wells, Esq.  
By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
15th January, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information that the undermentioned Gentleman has resigned his seat in the Legislative Council of the General Assembly.

The Honourable FRANCIS DILLON BELL, Esq.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 19th January, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman,

BENJAMIN OLIVER HODGSON.

to be a Deputy-Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Nelson under the Registration Ordinance (Session viii, No. 9).

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 19th Jan., 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be Registrar under the Marriage Act, 1854, for the district set opposite his name, in the room of A. C. PICARD, Esq., deceased.

ALEXANDER LE GRAND CAMPBELL,  
Registrar for District of Motueka.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 19th Jan., 1856.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following officers:—

The REGISTRAR OF MARRIAGES in the Motueka District—ALEXANDER LE GRAND CAMPBELL,

The REGISTRAR OF MARRIAGES in the Waitau District—FRANCIS LONGBOURNE VICKFRMAN,

The REGISTRAR OF MARRIAGES in the Amuri Districts—EDWARD JOLLIE,

to be Deputy-Registrars of Births and Deaths, under the Registration Ordinance, (Session 8, No. 9,) for such Districts respectively.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
15th January, 1856.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following appointments should take effect from the 1st instant.

Mr. JOHN ELISHA SMITH,

to be Registrar of Deeds for the Province of Wellington, vice Robert Rodger Strang, Esq.

Mr. JOHN ELISHA SMITH,

to be Registrar of Marriages for the District of Wellington, vice Robert Rodger Strang, Esq.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### CONTRACTS FOR SERVICE OF GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
23rd January, 1856.

**TENDERS** will be received at this Office, until noon on Monday, the 18th February, for furnishing the General Government with the undermentioned supplies, in such quantities as may be required, during the six months commencing on the 1st April next.

#### FIREWOOD;

At per ton, for the usual size, and also for such as may be required to be cut and split to a size to suit the fire-places in the Public Offices; to be delivered at the several Public Offices.

#### PROVISIONS.

Biscuit, ..... at per 100 lbs.

Flour, ..... "

Fresh Pork, .... at per lb.

Salt do., .... "

Fresh Beef, ..... "

Salt do., .... "

Suet ..... "

Sugar ..... "

Tea ..... "

Raisins ..... "

Potatoes ..... "

Rice ..... "

Coffee ..... "

Pease ..... at per bushel

Vinegar ..... at per gallon

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### PRINTING.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
January 23rd, 1856.

**TENDERS** will be received at this Office until noon on Monday, the 8th Feb., for printing the "Government Gazette," and for such other Printing as may be required for the service of the General Government, during the twelve calendar months commencing on the 1st April next.

The Printing will be divided into two portions—first, the "Government Gazette," Bills, Acts, and Estimates; second, Blank Forms, and all other work not included in the first portion, either or both of which may be tendered for by one person.

Security will be required for the due performance of the contract.

Tenders to be in duplicate, sealed and endorsed "Tenders for Printing."

Specifications of the work may be seen, and further particulars obtained, by application at this office.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### NOTICE.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a portion of a wooden Building, situated in Queen-street, being No. 2, Macfarlane's Buildings, occupied by Messrs. Bain, Pierce, & Co., has been approved under the 34th section of the Customs Amendment Ordinance, 4th Victoria, No. 3, for the reception of dry goods under Bond, at this Port.

WILLIAM YOUNG,  
Collector.

Customs House, Auckland,  
January 4, 1856

#### NOTICE.

**I** HEREBY give notice that the License granted for the storing of dry Goods under Bond, in a portion of the Building known as Messrs. Bain & Co.'s in Lower Queen-street, has been cancelled.

WILLIAM YOUNG,  
Collector.

Custom House, Auckland,  
January 4, 1856.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
23rd January, 1856.

**HIS** Excellency the Governor, in Council, directs it to be notified that a Signal Station has been erected at the mouth of the river Whanganui, Province of Wellington, and a Signal Man appointed whose duty it will be to give information necessary to masters of vessels on entering and leaving the Port.

His Excellency further directs it to be notified that under the Harbour Regulations Ordinance, Session 2 No. 15, from and after the 15th February, 1856, all masters of vessels (except coasters) will be required to pay a pilotage or due of sixpence per ton on entering and leaving the river.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

## MARRIAGE ACT, 1854.

OFFICIATING MINISTERS FOR 1856.

Registrar General's Office,  
Auckland Jan. 22nd, 1856.

**P**URSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and entitled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following List of OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of the said Act, is published for general information.

### *United Church of England and Ireland.*

The Venerable Archdeacon C. J. Abraham

The Reverend B. Y. Ashwell  
" William Aylmer  
" John Charles Bagshaw  
" Arthur Baker  
" C. Baker  
" George Bayley  
" J. Bradley

The Venerable Archdeacon A. N. Brown

The Reverend R. Burrows  
" H. E. Butt  
" Robert Carter  
" T. Chapman  
" R. Cole  
" G. Cotterill  
" C. P. Davies  
" Richard Davis  
" B. W. Dudley  
" John A. Fenton  
" Frank Gould  
" Henry Govett  
" T. S. Grace

The Venerable Archdeacon O. Hadfield

The Reverend J. Hamlin  
" Thomas B. Hutton  
" Henry Jacobs  
" J. Kinder  
" G. T. B. Kingdon  
" G. A. Kisling  
" T. Lanfear  
" J. F. Lloyd  
" V. Lush  
" Charles Mackie

The Venerable Archdeacon O. Mathias

The Reverend Joseph Matthews  
" R. Maunsell  
" John Morgan  
" C. H. Nicholls  
" J. C. Patteson

The Venerable Archdeacon R. B. Paul

The Reverend Samuel Poole  
" Arthur G. Purchas  
" John Raven  
" C. Ronaldson

The Right Reverend George Augustus Selwyn,  
Bishop of New Zealand

The Reverend S. M. Spencer  
" H. W. Sr. Hill  
" Arthur Stock  
" R. Taylor  
" L. Te Ahu  
" Frederick Thatcher  
" T. L. Tudor  
" Rota Waitoa  
" Edwin Wheeler

The Venerable Archdeacon Henry Williams

The Reverend S. Williams  
The Venerable Archdeacon William Williams

The Reverend W. L. Williams  
" W. W. Willock  
" James Wilson  
" J. A. Wilson

### *Roman Catholic Church.*

The Reverend Mr. Alletag

" Mr. Clery  
" John Forest  
" Mr. Fynes  
" Mr. Garavel  
" Anthony Garin  
" Mr. Halam  
" Joseph Lampila

The Very Reverend James McDonald, V.G.

The Reverend D. Moreau

The Very Reverend J. J. P. O'Reilly

The Reverend J. B. Petit Jean

" Stephen Pozant  
The Right Reverend Bishop Pompallier  
The Reverend E. Regnier  
" Mr. Segala  
" Joseph Sein

The Right Reverend Bishop Viard

### *Free Church of Scotland.*

The Reverend David Bruce

" John Macky  
" Norman McLeod  
" Thomas Norrie

### *Wesleyan Methodist Society.*

The Reverend John Aldred

" Thomas Buddle  
" James Buller  
" George Battle  
" Charles Creed  
" Joseph H. Fletcher  
" John Hobbs  
" Samuel Ironside  
" William Kirk  
" Henry H. Lawry  
" Richard B. Lyth  
" Alexander Reid  
" C. H. Schnackenberg  
" Gideon Smales  
" George Stannard  
" Henry H. Turton  
" James Wallis  
" John Warren  
" John Whiteley  
" William Woon

### *Congregational Independents.*

The Reverend Horatio Groube

" Thomas Hamer  
" Alexander Macdonald

### *Primitive Methodist Society.*

The Reverend Henry Green

" Joseph Long  
" Robert Ward

### *Lutheran Church*

The Reverend J. F. H. Wohlers

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births Deaths and Marriages for New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and true copy of the List of Officiating Ministers for 1856, in which I have entered all the Names which, up to this date, have been sent in to me in conformity with the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1854."

Given under my hand this 22nd day of January, 1856.

JOHN B. BENNETT,  
Registrar-General.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
29th December, 1855.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following Return of Customs Receipts at this Port for the year ending 31st December, 1854, should be published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

A RETURN showing the amount of Revenue collected at the Port of Auckland, on the different Articles, and under the Rates and Duties herein mentioned, for the Year ending 31st December, 1854.

Articles.	Rate of Duty.	Quantity.	For the Year ending 31st Dec, 1854.		
			£	s.	d.
Spirits ... ..	6s. per gal.	52,059 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> gals.	15,617	15	5
Tobacco ... ..	1s per lb.	84,670 lbs.	4,233	10	0
Do., Cigars, and Snuff .. ..	2s. "	7,260 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	726	0	5
Wine, in cask .. ..	1s. 6d. per gal.	11,297 gals.	847	5	6
Do., in bottle .. ..	5s. per doz.	1,44 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> doz.	261	2	6
Ale and Beer, in cask .. ..	4d. per gal.	43,423 gals.	723	14	4
Do., in bottle .. ..	1s. per doz.	9,489 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> doz.	474	9	7
Tea .. ..	2d. per lb.	124,735 lbs.	1,039	9	2
Coffee, Cocoa, and Chocolate .. ..	½d. & 1d. per lb.	579c 3q. 25	138	3	6
Sugar, raw .. ..	2s. 4d. per cwt.	12,119c. 3q. 11	1,413	19	9
Do., refined .. ..	4s. 8d. "	1,217c. 2q. 20	284	2	7
Blankets .. ..	2s. per pair	16,005 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> prs.	1,600	11	0
Cottons, Prints, and Calicoes, narrow and wide .. ..	½d. & ¾d. per yd.	727,612 yds.	1,579	12	7
Boot and Shoes, long .. ..	8s. per doz.	130 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> doz.	52	0	8
Do., half .. ..	4s. "	553 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	111	12	4
Do., women's and men's .. ..	3s. "	1,487 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	223	3	6
Do., children's .. ..	2s. "	1,231 "	123	2	0
Apparel, Drapery, and Haberdashery, not described .. ..			6,896	0	10
Articles not above enumerated .. ..			7,668	13	11
<b>Total Amount received during the year</b>			<b>44,014</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>
* Amount of Tonnage of Goods from Foreign and Colonial Ports .. ..					
Amount of Tonnage of Vessels arriving in Ballast .. ..					1,388 tons.

WM. YOUNG,  
Collector.

\* This may be ascertained from Masters of Vessels on their reporting Inwards.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,  
15th January, 1856.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct that the following despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, with its enclosure, relative to the conveyance of Mails to Australia from England, be published for general information.

By His Excellency's command,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
Colonial Secretary.

(Copy.)

General Post Office,  
5th June, 1855.

SIR,—I am directed by the Post Master General to acquaint you for the information of Lord John Russell, that in addition to the

contract concluded with Messrs. Baines & Co., of Liverpool, for the conveyance of the Mails to Australia on the 5th of each month, he has entered into a contract with Messrs. Pelkington and Wilson also of Liverpool, for a like service on the 20th of every month, during the remainder of the present year.

Both contracts provide that Return Mails shall be brought from Australia to Liverpool, and that the dates for the packets to leave Melbourne on the homeward voyage shall be fixed by the Colonial Government at Sydney. Viscount Canning desires me to request that the Governor of New South Wales may be informed of this provision.

I have, &c.,

(Signed)  
HERMAN MERIVALE Esq.,  
&c., &c., &c.

F HILL.



THOMAS OUTHWAITE, ESQUIRE, RECEIVER of INTESTATE ESTATES for the Northern Division of the Colony of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of ALEXANDER GLENNIE, deceased, intestate.

1855.	£	s.	d.	1855.	£	s.	d.
Sept. 11. By Cash, sale of effects	10	7	6	June 26. Paid Supreme Court, Letters of Administration	1	10	0
				" " " Adverting Notice to Creditors	0	4	6
				" " " Adverting Balance Sheet	0	5	0
				Oct. 31. " Mrs. Coates	4	16	0
				" " " Administrator's commission	0	10	4
				" " " Balance	3	1	8
	10	7	6		10	7	6

I, THOMAS OUTHWAITE, do swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above is a just and true Account of the Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Estate of Alexander Glennie, deceased, intestate.

Sworn at Auckland this thirty-first day of October, 1855, before me,

WM. MARTIN, C.J.

I do hereby certify that I have examined and allowed this account of the Official Administrator of the Estate of Alexander Glennie, deceased, intestate. Dated the thirty-first day of October, 1855.

WM. MARTIN, C. J.

THOMAS OUTHWAITE, ESQUIRE, RECEIVER of INTESTATE ESTATES for the Northern Division of the Colony of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of TIMOTHY DUNN deceased, intestate.

1855.	£	s.	d.	1855.	£	s.	d.
Sept. 11. By cash, sale of effects	100	14	2	August 15. Paid Supreme Court letters of administration	3	0	0
Oct. 8. " " from Johnson	0	3	0	" 20. " O'Hara, washing, &c.	1	4	2
Nov. 2. " " " Beeson	0	2	6	" 25. " Geo. Crawford, funeral expenses	3	4	0
" 2. " " " Sauerbier	0	2	0	Sept. 1. " Halyday, funeral expenses	26	10	0
" 8. " " " Asher	0	1	6	Oct. 4. " Adverting notice to creditors	0	4	6
" 12. " " " Shepherd	0	3	0	" " " balance sheet	0	7	6
" 13. " " " Reynolds	0	1	6	Nov. 9. " W. Harris	2	6	8
" 14. " " " Simms	0	18	6	" 21. " L. B. Laurie	3	0	0
" 15. " " " Coleman	1	7	6	Dec. 15. " J. Kelly	20	17	8
" 20. " " " Pollock	0	2	6	" " " A. McPherson	6	3	0
" 23. " " " Fletcher	0	3	0	" 17. " R. Scarl	15	5	0
" 24. " " " T. Gibson	11	13	4	" " " Williamson & Wilson	6	2	9
Dec. 6. " " " Hardington	8	17	0	" " " T. Poynton	3	5	6
" 8. " " " Rev. V. Lush	0	1	6	" " " Gibson & Mitchell	9	12	6
" 13. " " " C. Partington	0	14	0	" " " Brown & Campbell	2	14	6
" 14. " " " Kennedy	1	15	6	" " " J. Halyday	3	18	6
" 17. " " " Murphy	0	18	6	" " " J. Harp	0	17	0
	127	19	0	" " " D. Callaghan	1	1	6
				" " " A. Barchard	2	8	0
				" " " Southern Cross	0	2	3
				" " " J. Stokes	7	1	0
				" " " Dr. Andrews	0	17	0
				" 18. " Dr. Lee	1	9	0
				" " " Administrators Commission	6	7	0
	127	19	0		127	19	0

I, THOMAS OUTHWAITE, do swear that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above is a just and true account of the Receipts and Disbursements on account of the Estate of Timothy Dunn, deceased, intestate.

Sworn at Auckland this twentieth day of December, 1855, before me,

SIDNEY STEPHEN,  
Acting Chief Justice.

I do hereby certify that I have examined and allowed this account of the Official Administrator of the Estate of Timothy Dunn, deceased, intestate. Dated this twentieth day of December, 1855.

SIDNEY STEPHEN,  
Acting Chief Justice.