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

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,
28th April, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

PETER PROUDFOOT, Esq., J. P.,
to be a Commissioner of Crown Lands under the Crown Lands Ordinance Session 10 No. 1, and the Crown Lands Amendment and Extension Ordinance Session 11 No. 10.

This appointment is to bear date from the 1st instant.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,
28th April, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, and Vice-Admiral of the same, has been pleased to appoint

LAUGHLIN Q'BRIEN, Esq., and
ROBERT ROGER STRANG, Esq.,

to be Registrars of the Vice-Admiralty Court, and

EDWARD MAYNE, Esq., and
HENRY ST. HILL, Esq.,
to be Marshalls of the same Court.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,
28th April, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information that

E. H. E. BLACKMORE, Esq.,
has been suspended from his offices of Collector of Customs and Sub-Treasurer at Nelson.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,
24th April, 1856.

NOTICE is hereby given that his Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the

PORT OF AKAROA,

in the Province of Canterbury, to be a Warehousing Port of the Colony.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland,
28th April, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following Returns should be published for general information.

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

A Return of the Value of Goods Imported, and the Number and Tonnage of Shipping entered Inwards at each of the Ports in the Province of Auckland for the year 1855.

| Ports. | Estimated Value in Sterling of Goods Imported from | | | | | Shipping Inwards. | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|--|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|-------|-------------------|--------|----------------|--------|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|------|
| | Great Britain. | British Colonies. | United States. | Foreign States. | Total. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | Total. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| Auckland | 124,701 2 8 | 231,534 17 3 | 2204 12 0 | 0 0 0 | 358,540 11 11 | 14 | 8659 | 115 | 20,366 | 2 | 547 | 1 | 41 | 132 | 29,613 | 1617 |
| Russell | 903 15 0 | 1785 7 0 | 3286 18 2 | 0 0 0 | 5976 0 2 | 2 | 566 | 8 | 1276 | 34 | 11,629 | 2 | 1144 | 46 | 14,615 | 1195 |
| Hokianga | 0 0 0 | 584 12 6 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 584 12 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 353 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 353 | 16 |
| Mongonui | 449 7 9 | 394 7 0 | 2654 4 6 | 0 0 0 | 3497 19 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1396 | 20 | 7219 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 8615 | 694 |
| Kaipara | 0 0 0 | 1151 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 1151 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 383 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 383 | 13 |
| Kawhia | 126 0 0 | 2276 3 0 | 41 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 2443 3 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 126,180 5 5 | 237,826 6 9 | 8186 14 8 | 0 0 0 | 372,193 6 10 | 16 | 9225 | 132 | 23,774 | 56 | 19,395 | 3 | 1185 | 207 | 53,579 | 5355 |

*H. M. Customs, Auckland,
23rd April, 1856.*

*WILLIAM YOUNG,
Collector.*

A Return of the Value of Goods Exported, and the Number and Tonnage of Shipping cleared Outwards at each of the Ports in the Province of Auckland, for the Year 1855.

| Ports. | Estimated Value in Sterling of Goods Exported to | | | | | Shipping Outwards. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|--|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|-------------------|--------|----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|------------------|--------|--------|--------|------|
| | Great Britain. | British Colonies. | United States. | Foreign States. | Total. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | Whaling Voyages. | | Total. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| Auckland | 1720 2 0 | 143,112 15 6 | 5 0 0 | 1756 2 0 | 146,593 19 6 | 2 | 254 | 82 | 16,650 | 2 | 781 | 18 | 5243 | 1 | 297 | 105 | 23,225 | 1248 |
| Russell | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 43 0 0 | 43 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 483 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 10,401 | 34 | 10,884 | 793 |
| Hokianga | 0 0 0 | 1970 15 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 1970 15 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 574 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 574 | 25 |
| Mongonui | 0 0 0 | 595 10 0 | 1335 15 4 | 0 0 0 | 1931 5 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1090 | 18 | 6534 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 7624 | 585 |
| Kaipara | 1340 0 0 | 3300 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 5240 0 0 | 1 | 383 | 3 | 925 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1308 | 52 |
| Kawhia | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 3660 2 0 | 148,979 0 6 | 1340 15 4 | 1799 2 0 | 155,778 19 10 | 3 | 637 | 93 | 19,722 | 20 | 7315 | 18 | 5243 | 34 | 10,698 | 168 | 43,615 | 2703 |

*H. M. Customs, Auckland,
23rd April, 1856.*

*WILLIAM YOUNG,
Collector.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

F. D. FENTON, Esq.,

to act temporarily as Native Secretary.

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

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel the appointment of

F. D. FENTON, Esq.,

to be Acting Commissioner of Crown Lands, Resident Magistrate, and Registrar of Marriages at Ahuriri, as notified in the "Gazette" of the 19th instant, No. 13, fol. 80.

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

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that the names of the undermentioned Gentlemen should be added to the Commission of the Peace, for the Province of Auckland.

WILLIAM REALLIE LOGAN, Esq.,

JAMES BURNETT, Esq.,

JOSEPH MAY, Esq.,

JOHN HOGARTH, Esq.,

ALEXANDER GRANGE, Esq.,

J. C. JOHNSTONE, Esq.,

THOMAS BATEMAN, Esq.,

SAMUEL STEPHENSON, Esq.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 24th April, 1856.

In pursuance of the 20th clause of the Resident Magistrate's Court Ordinance, Session 7, No 16, I hereby select and appoint the undermentioned Aboriginal Natives to be Assessors for settling disputes, along with the Resident Magistrate for the Bay of Islands District, that is to say, —

MITAI PENE TANI, of Hohaiawai.

MAIHI PARAONE KAWITI, of Orauta.

TE HIRA TE NGANOPO, of Waihou, Hokianga.

T. GORE BROWNE,
Governor.

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

A TRUE and PERFECT SCHEDULE of all UNCLAIMED BALANCES of DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES, administered by LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esquire, Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, from the 1st day of Jan., to the 31st day of March, 1856.

| Names of Intestates. | Colonial Residence. | Supposed British Residence of Family. | Moneys Received. | | | Payments made. | | | Balance in the hands of the Registrar. | | | Balance in Treasury. | | | Remarks. |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|----|----|----------------|----|----|--|----|----|----------------------|----|----|----------|
| | | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| Nil. | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

I, Laughlin O'Brien, Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the above is a true and faithful Return of all Unclaimed Balances belonging to Deceased Persons' Estates, administered from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of March, 1856.
Made and declared at Auckland, this tenth day of April, 1856, before me SIDNEY STEPHEN, Acting C.J.

L. O'BRIEN.

I certify the above return to be correct.

A. SHEPHERD, Colonial Treasurer.

Registrar General's Office, Auckland,
April 17th, 1856.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, entitled "the Marriage Act, 1854," the following additional list of OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The Reverend Walter McDonald.

WESLEYAN METHODIST SOCIETY.

The Reverend Jonathan Innes.

CONGREGATIONAL INDEPENDENTS.

The Reverend Jonas Woodward.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar General, of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full and correct list of all Names of Officiating Ministers for 1856, which have been duly sent in to me, in addition to the Names in the Lists published respectively on the 25th of January and the 19th of March last, in the New "Zealand Government Gazette."

Given under my hand at Auckland this 17th day of April, 1856.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

CORRECTION.—In the list of Officiating Ministers of the United Church of England and Ireland which appeared in the *Government Gazette*, on the 25th of January last, for "the Reverend J. Bradley" read the Reverend R. R. Bradley.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar General.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

IN the Estates of John Commons, of Auckland, John Kingdon, of Papakura, Horatio John Saxby, and George Curtis, of Waiheke, Malcolm Brown, of Wangarei and George Bates, of Auckland, deceased intestates.

Pursuant to the Rule of this Honorable Court, the creditors of the above named Intestates are, on before the twenty-seventh day of June next, to come in and prove their debts before Laughlin O'Brien, Esq., at his Office in the Court House, Queen-street, Auckland, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from all benefit arising from the said Estates.

L. O'BRIEN,
Receiver of Intestate Estates.

Supreme Court Office, Auckland,
27th March, 1856.