

# NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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## SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1857.

#### PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, &c., &c.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of New Zealand has been and now stands prorogued to Wednesday the First day of July, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and it is deemed expedient further to prorogue the said Assembly.

Now, therefore, *I*, the Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested, do further prorogue the said General Assembly of New Zealand, and it is hereby prorogued accordingly.

> Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, at Government House, at Auckland, this second day of May, in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

> > THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Governor.

By his Excellency's command,

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office, Auckland, May 2nd, 1857.

THE following copy of Instructions issued to the Superintendents of the respective Provinces of New Zealand, is published for general information.

E. W. STAFFORD.

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THOMAS GORE BROWNE, GOVERNOR

INSTRUCTIONS TO

ESQUIRE, SUPERIN-TENDENT OF THE PROVINCE OF

OR TO THE SUPERIN-TENDENT FOR THE TIME BEING OF THE SAID PROVINCE.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Imperial Parliament, passed in the session held in the fifteenth and sixteenth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of each Province established in New Zealand by the said Act, with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, to make and ordain all such Laws and Ordinances (except and subject as therein mentioned), as may be required for the peace, order, and good government of repugnant to the Law of England : and it is by the said Act further enacted that every Bill

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passed by the Provincial Council shall be pre- signification sented to the Superintendent for the Governor's assent, and that the Superintendent shall declare, according to his discretion (but subject nevertheless to the provisions of the said Act contained, and to such instructions as may from time to time be given him by the Governor) that he assents to such Bill on behalf of the Governor, or that he withholds the assent of the Governor, or that he reserves such Bill for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon: and it is by the said Act further enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to transmit to the Superintendent of any Province, for his guidance in assenting to or withholding assent from Bills, or reserving the same for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon, such instructions as to the Governor shall seem fit, and that it shall be the duty of the Superintendent to act in obedience to such instructions.

Now, therefore, I, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers thereby vested in me, do hereby direct and enjoin you that you do not assent, on behalf of the Governor, to any Bill passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of for the purpose of raising money by the way of loan, but that you do reserve every such Bill for the

the Governor's pleasure

Given under my hand, at Government House, at Auckland, this second day of May, in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

THOMAS GORE BROWNE,

Governor.

#### SUPREME COURT.

OTICE is hereby given that a Sitting of the Supreme Court, for the despatch of Criminal business, will be holden at the Court House, Auckland, on Wednesday, the Third day of June next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon ; and that a Sitting for despatch of Civil business will be holden at the Court House on Monday, the Eighth day of June next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which times and place all persons under Recognizance to appear as Prosecutors, Defendants, or Witnesses, are required to give their attendance,

L. O'BRIEN,

Registrar. Supreme Court Office, Auckland, 30th April, 1857.

### ACCEPTED TENDER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Auckland, March , 1857.

OTICE is hereby given that Mr. W. C. Wilson's tender to perform the printing required by the General Government, for the twelve months commencing 1st April, 1857, has been accepted at the following rates.

By his Excellency's command,

E. W. STAFFORD.

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