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AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE, AT AUCKLAND, THE TWELFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1858.

Present.—

His Excellency the Governor,

Colonel Gold, | Mr. Whitaker.

WHEREAS, by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Militia Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to constitute throughout the Colony, or in any part thereof, Militia Districts, and such Districts from time to time to abolish, and the boundaries thereof to vary.

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, in exercise of the above recited power, doth by this present order constitute a Militia District to be called and known by the name of the District of Auckland, and doth define the limits of the said District to be as follows, that is to say,—All that District situate within the Province of Auckland, and comprised within the limits of the Electoral Districts of the City of Auckland and the Suburbs of Auckland, as defined by the "Electoral Districts Act, 1858," and doth designate the Militia within such District by the name of a Battalion.

F. G. STEWARD,
Clerk of Executive Council.

AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE, AT AUCKLAND, THE TWELFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1858.

Present:—

His Excellency the Governor,

Colonel Gold, | Mr. Whitaker.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly, intituled "The Militia Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to make, vary, and abolish Regulations under which the services of Volunteers shall be accepted in any Militia District. Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in him by the said recited Act, doth hereby make and ordain the following Regulations, under which the services of Volunteers shall be accepted in the District of Auckland.

1. The term of service for each Volunteer to be one year from the day he is sworn in; provided always that if any Volunteer shall go to reside out of the District, he shall, if he desires, be discharged from further service as a Volunteer.

2. Every Volunteer shall attend to be trained and exercised at such times as shall be appointed by the Governor, or by such person or persons as he may from time to time authorise in that behalf; provided always that no Volunteer shall be compelled to attend more than one

hundred and sixty-eight hours in any one year.

3. Every Volunteer who shall absent himself during any part of the time appointed for training or exercise, and shall not account for such absence to the satisfaction of the Adjutant and the Captain of his Company, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding one pound for every day on which he shall be so absent, to be recovered in a summary way.

4. All Officers of Companies will be appointed by the Governor, and names for that purpose are to be submitted to him for his approval by the Company to which they are proposed to be appointed.

5. The Adjutant and Staff Serjeant of the Auckland Militia, will act as Adjutant and Serjeant Major, respectively, to the Volunteers of the District, and all Serjeants and Corporals must be examined and passed as competent by the Adjutant before they will be appointed.

6. All rolls, documents, and correspondence shall be kept at the office of the Adjutant, and shall be open at all times during office hours for the inspection and information of the Officers of the Company to which they relate.

7. All orders and communications from the Governor, or Government of the Colony, shall be transmitted through, and be given out by the Adjutant.

8. If any arms, accoutrements, or other Government property shall be injured or destroyed by being used except on service, a fine not exceeding the value of the arms, accoutrements, or other property, shall be paid by the Volunteer in whose charge they were; such fine to be fixed by the Adjutant and the Captain of the Company, upon consideration of the circumstances, and if not paid to the Adjutant on demand, may be recovered by him on behalf of the Government in any Resident Magistrate's Court in the Colony.

9. Volunteers enrolled under these Regulations shall be subject to the provisions contained in the following sections of the "Militia Act, 1858," namely, sections 1, 3, 6, 7, 9, 18, 19, 20, 21, (except the Proviso thereto) 22, 23, and 24.

F. G. STEWARD,
Clerk of Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 30th November, 1858.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that the President of the United States of America has, by a Commission bearing date the 28th day of August, 1856, constituted

GEORGE R. WEST, Esq.,
to be Consul at the Bay of Islands, and for such other parts as shall be nearer thereto than

to the residence of any other Consul, or Vice-Consul of the United States, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of such appointment, and to grant Her Royal Exequatur accordingly.

H. J. TANCRED,
(In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.)

Attorney-General's Office,
30th November, 1858.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

A. W. SHAND, Esq.,
Resident Magistrate of the Chatham Islands, to grant Licences for the importation and sale of arms, gunpowder, &c., in conformity with the provisions of the proclamation of the 25th June, 1857.

FREDK. WHITAKER.

Office of Minister for Native Affairs,
Auckland, 30th November, 1858.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE GIBSON, Esq., M.D.,
to be Colonial Surgeon at Wanganui, vice Dr. G. Rees, deceased.

FREDK. WHITAKER,
In the absence of the Minister for Native affairs.

Registrar-General's Office,
Auckland, 26th November, 1858.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, entitled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following Name of an OFFICIATING MINISTER within the meaning of the said Act, is published for general information:—

UNITED CHURCH OF ENGLAND AND IRELAND.

The Reverend George Henry Johnstone.

I, John B. Bennett, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing Name of an OFFICIATING MINISTER within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," has been sent in, to me, in addition to the Names in Lists published respectively in the "New Zealand Government Gazette" Number 2, of the 26th of January; Number 4, of the 11th of February; Number 8, of the 19th March; Number 12, of the 13th April; Number 15, of the 15th of May; No. 19, of the 30th of June; No. 23, of the 20th of August; and No. 28, of 3rd of November, in the present year.

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1858.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar-General.