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PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the "Definition of Districts Act, 1858," the Governor is empowered from time to time by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette* to divide the Colony into Counties, Hundreds, Parishes, or such other divisions as he may deem expedient, which shall have such limits, and shall bear and be known by such names or designations as in and by the Proclamation constituting the same shall be prescribed.

Now, I, the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the territory hereinafter described or referred to shall be, and the same is hereby constituted, a County, that is to say, all that territory bounded on the North by the mid-channel of Kawhia harbour from the entrance to Round Island, at the mouth of Kauri river, by a line from Round Island to the highest point of Pirongia, and by a line thence to the junction of the Waipa and Punui rivers. On the East by a line from the junction of the Waipa and Punui, drawn due South until it cuts the Mokau river. On the South by the Mokau river; and on the West by the Sea,

And I hereby prescribe that the said County shall bear and be known by the name or designation of the County of GREY.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, at Government House, at Auckland, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord

one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

THOMAS GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's command,
HENRY JOHN TANCRED.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance enacted by the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, Session 3, No. 1, intituled "An Ordinance for establishing a Supreme Court," it is provided that there shall be holden Circuit Courts for the despatch of Civil and Criminal business of the Court before one of the Judges thereof at such places and at such times as the Governor shall, with the advice of the Executive Council, by proclamation from time to time appoint.

And whereas by a Proclamation made under the hand of the Governor and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony, on the third day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, the Governor, with the advice aforesaid, did proclaim and appoint (amongst other things) that Circuit Courts should be holden for the Southern District at the Town of Lyttelton, on the first day of March, the first day of June, the first day of September, and the first day of December in every year, or as soon after the said days respectively as conveniently might be. And

whereas it is expedient that such Courts should be holden for the said District at the Town of Christchurch instead of at the Town of Lyttelton,

Now, therefore, I, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation and Appointment so far as the same is hereinbefore recited, and do hereby proclaim and appoint that Circuit Courts shall be holden for the said Southern District at the Town of Christchurch, on the first day of March, the first day of June, the first day of September, and the first day of December in every year, or as soon after the said days as conveniently may be. And in case any one of the said days so fixed as aforesaid shall happen to be a Sunday or Holiday, then the Court appointed for such day shall be holden on the day following.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, at Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-first day of July, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

THOMAS GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's command,
HENRY JOHN TANCRED.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the fifteenth and sixteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand," it is amongst other things enacted that no Bill which shall be reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, shall have any force or authority within the Colony of New Zealand until the Governor of the said Colony shall signify by speech or message to the Legislative Council and House of Representatives of the said Colony, or by Proclamation that such Bill has been laid before Her Majesty in Council and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same:

And whereas on the nineteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, certain Bills passed by the Legislative Council and House of Representatives of the said Colony, intituled respectively

"An Act for granting a Duty upon Gold,"

"An Act to make provision for the management of Gold Fields in the Colony of New Zealand,"

and

"An Act to enable the Provincial Councils to pass Laws for diverting Public Roads and Watercourses and for disposing of the land over which the same passed,"

were presented to the Governor of the said Colony for Her Majesty's assent, and on the twenty-first day of the said month of August certain other Bills passed by the said Legislative Council and House of Representatives intituled respectively

"An Act to alter the sums granted to Her Majesty by the Constitution Act for civil and judicial services,"

and

"An Act to amend the Law defining and settling the rights of holders of Land Orders and Land Scrip,"

were presented to the said Governor for Her Majesty's assent; and whereas all the said Bills were reserved by the said Governor for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon:

Now, therefore, I, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the provisions of the said in part recited Act, do by this Proclamation signify and proclaim to all to whom it may concern that the said Bills have been severally laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, at Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-second day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

THOMAS GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's Command,
HENRY JOHN TANCRED.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

WHEREAS by the "District Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that there shall be within the Colony Courts of Record possessing Civil and Criminal Jurisdiction, to be called District Courts, and the Governor is empowered from time to time, by notification in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to fix the times and places within the District at which every such Court shall be held:

Now, therefore, I, Thomas Gore Browne, Governor of the Colony, do hereby, in pursuance and execution of the said power and authority, fix that Sessions of the District Court of TARANAKI shall be held at New Plymouth in the Province of Taranaki on the first Wednesday in each month.

As witness my hand this twenty-second day of July, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

T. GORE BROWNE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 25th July, 1859.

THE following Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in the Session held in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

No. 39—"An Act to bring into operation within the Colony of New Zealand, certain provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854."

having been laid before the Queen, in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution Act, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to leave the same to its operation.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
(For the Colonial Secretary).

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 25th July, 1859.

ENQUIRIES having been made through the Agent-General for Crown Colonies, respecting a person named WILLIAM HEWITT, of whom certain particulars are given below, any one who can give any information of such a person, is requested to communicate with this office.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
For the Colonial Secretary.

Real Christian and Surname—William Hewitt.

If Colonist went by any other name state the same—Not.

Trade or Occupation—Mariner and Whaler.
Usual Residence before going to the Colony—5, Old King Street, Deptford, Kent.
Usual Colonial Residence—Auckland, Plymouth, New Zealand.

Age, and if married or single—58, married, wife in England.

Name of Ship in which Colonist went to the Colony, and at what date—"St. Michael," July 13th, 1852.

State if Colonist went out as an Emigrant or Convict—Boatswain of Ship.

When last heard of, and at what Place—1857; Auckland.

If dead, state place, and date of death—Not known.

If Colonist left a Will, state the same—Not known.

Nature of information required—To know if dead, nature of property, and disposition of the same.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, July 25th, 1859.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the republication from the Victorian "Go-

vernment Gazette" of the following Notice respecting the establishment of a Lightship off Gellibrand's Point, in lieu of the Lighthouse at that place.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
For the Colonial Secretary.

LIGHTSHIP OFF GELLIBRAND'S POINT, PORT PHILLIP.

Masters of vessels and others navigating Port Phillip Bay, are hereby informed that on and after the twenty-fifth day of July next, a *temporary Lightship* will be moored in four and a half fathoms' water, in the position at present occupied by the Black Perch Buoy, off Gellibrand's Point.

This lightship will exhibit *two white fixed lights, twenty-four feet apart*, and forty feet above the level of the water.

These lights will be seen at a distance of ten miles, allowing ten feet for the height of the eye, and at lesser distances according to the state of the atmosphere.

On and after the exhibition of these lights, the *red light* at present shown from the tower at *Gellibrand's Point* will be extinguished.

CHARLES FERGUSON,
Chief Harbor Master.

Department of Ports and Harbors,
Williamstown, 16th June, 1859.

Treasury, Auckland,
22nd July, 1859.

PURSUANT to the provisions of their Charter, the Oriental Bank Corporation have notified to His Excellency the Governor that

WILLIAM MATHER ANDERSON, Esq.,

has been appointed Inspector in charge of their Branch Bank Establishments in Australia and New Zealand.

C. W. RICHMOND.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the Estate of JOHN MARETT, of Auckland, deceased Intestate.

PURSUANT to the Rule of this Honorable Court, the Creditors of the above named Intestate are, on or before the fourteenth day of October next, to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Outhwaite, Esquire, Registrar of the said Court, 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 Estate.

THOMAS OUTHWAITE,
Registrar.

Supreme Court Office,
Auckland, 15th July, 1859.

Treasury, Auckland, July 1859.

THE following Balance Sheet of the Lyttelton Savings' Bank, for the year ended 31st December, 1858, having received the approval of His Excellency, the Governor, is published, pursuant to the 17th Section of the "Savings' Bank Act, 1858."

C. W. RICHMOND.

BALANCE SHEET of the LYTTELTON SAVINGS' BANK, for the year ended 31st December, 1858.

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<i>Deposit Account.—</i>	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	<i>Bills Discounted Account.—</i>	£ s. d.
Balance of Deposits, 31st December, 1857	1047 17 3			Amount lent on Promissory Notes, bearing the names of three Householders	760 0 0
Amount deposited at Lyttelton during the year 1858	825 9 8				
	1873 6 11				
Amount withdrawn during 1858	816 9 8	1056 17 3			
Amount deposited at Christchurch District Branch	839 16 0			<i>Mortgage Account.—</i>	
Withdrawn ditto	193 4 10	646 11 2		Amount lent on Mortgage of Freehold Land	100 0 0
<i>Interest Account.—</i>			1703 8 5		
Total Amount of Interest received during the year		130 16 9			
Less paid to Depositors, and added to Depositors' Accounts		58 19 7			
		71 17 2			
Deduct expenses for the year		25 14 2			
<i>Rest Account.—</i>			46 3 0	Balance at the Union Bank of Australia	944 8 0
Balance of Profit last year			54 16 7		
			1804 8 0		1804 8 0

F. E. WRIGHT, Accountant.

We hereby certify that there was no cash on hand, the balance being deposited in the Union Bank of Australia. We also certify that we have compared the Books of the Savings Bank with the above Balance Sheet, and found the same to be correct; and further, that we have examined the Promissory Notes and Mortgage Deed, and found them as above stated.

R. LATTER,
A. J. ALFORD,
E. A. HARGREAVES,
FREDK. BANKS, } Trustees.

I hereby certify that the amount of nine hundred and forty-four pounds eight shillings sterling was standing at the credit of the Lyttelton Savings Bank Account in this Bank on the 31st December, 1858.
JOSE. PALMER, Manager.

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