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A PROCLAMATION

*For the Naturalization of certain Persons.*

By His Excellency SIR GEORGE GREY, Knight, Commander 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 the "Naturalization Act, 1863," it is enacted that every person who shall be declared to come within the operation of that Act by any Proclamation, to be issued in that behalf by His Excellency the Governor, shall, as from the time in such Proclamation specified, be deemed and taken, until the termination of the next Session of the General Assembly, to be, and to have been from such specified time, a natural-born subject of Her Majesty within the Colony of New Zealand, as fully to all intents and purposes as if his name had been inserted in the Schedule to that Act annexed: Provided always that every such Proclamation shall contain the description, occupation, or calling of every person therein named and his place of residence at the date of such Proclamation:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the persons hereinafter mentioned shall come within the operation of the said Act from the dates hereinafter specified, viz:—

ANTONIO TUNINO,

from the First day of January, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty three, Native of Genoa, Carpenter; residence, Blenheim, in the Province of Marlborough:

BERNHARD NORDEN,

from the first day of June, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty three, Native of Germany, Store-keeper; residence, Picton in the Province of Marlborough:

HENRY THODE,

from the Sixteenth day of September, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty three, Native of Kiel, in the Duchy of Holstein, Lower Saxony, Gold Miner; residence, Coromandel, in the Province of Auckland:

JACOB BERNSTEIN,

from the First day of January, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty four, Native of Russian Poland, Jeweller; residence, Dunedin, in the Province of Otago:

Given under my hand, at the Government House at Auckland, and issued under the Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, this third day of August, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty four.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's Command,  
 WILLIAM FOX.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

A PROCLAMATION

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**WHEREAS** by the "Naturalization Act, 1863," it is enacted that every person who shall be declared to come within the operation of that Act by any Proclamation, to be issued in that behalf by His Excellency the Governor, shall, as from the time in such Proclamation specified, be deemed and taken, until the termination of the next Session of the General Assembly, to be, and to have been from such specified time, a natural-born subject of Her Majesty within the Colony of New Zealand, as fully to all intents and purposes as if his name had been inserted in the Schedule to that Act annexed: Provided

always that every such Proclamation shall contain the description, occupation, or calling of every person therein named, and his place of residence at the date of such Proclamation:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the person hereinafter mentioned shall come within the operation of the said Act from the date hereinafter specified, viz:—

JEAN ANTOINE JOSEPH SEON,

from the first day of January, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-four, Native of France, Catholic Priest, residence, Hutt, Province of Wellington:

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Auckland, and issued under the Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, this third day of August, One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-four.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,  
WILLIAM FOX.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Note.*—This Proclamation is issued in consequence of the name, as forwarded by the Applicant for Naturalization, having been mis-spelt "*Leon*," in a Proclamation, dated 26th May last, and published in New Zealand Gazette, No. 21, of the 6th June ultimo.

WILLIAM FOX.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 2nd August, 1864.

THE following Despatches from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies are published for general information.

W. M. FOX.

Downing Street, 26th May, 1864.

SIR,—I have had under my consideration the following Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand in their last Session:—

No. 10. "An Act to enable Provincial Legislatures to pass Laws authorizing the compulsory taking of "Land for Works of a Public nature."

I observe that this Act applies to all Land within the Province, without excepting those to which the Native Title has not been extinguished. This appears to me open to grave objection in point of policy. The Home Government has, I think, under present circumstances a right to require that laws calculated to affect so seriously the relations between the European and Native Races should be enacted on the responsibility, and by the authority, not of a Local Council, who, from the nature of the case can only represent local interests, but of the General Assembly, whose decisions are adopted with reference to the interests of the whole Colony, and are brought under the cognizance of the Home Government.

I shall be unable, therefore, to advise that the Act No. 10 should be confirmed by the Queen in its present shape. If Native Lands were excepted from its operation, it would be unobjectionable.

I have, &c.,

EDWARD CARDWELL.

Governor Sir George Grey, K.C.B.,  
&c. &c. &c.

Downing Street, 8th May, 1864.

SIR,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch No. 11, of the 11th of January,

transmitting a Bill entitled "An Act to prevent the influx of Criminals into New Zealand," together with a memorandum by your responsible advisers on this subject.

As Her Majesty's Government did not advise the disallowance of the Act passed to prevent the entrance into Victoria of persons formerly sentenced to transportation in the United Kingdom but whose sentences had expired, so neither would they now advise the disallowance of a similar Act if passed by the New Zealand Legislature. They would, however, see the passing of such an Act with much regret, and they certainly could not advise that Parliament should be invited to pass a law for the express purpose of enabling a Colonial Legislature to enact a provision so little in accordance with Imperial policy, and which, in the opinion of their own judges, is not called for by any proved necessity.

I have, &c.,

EDWARD CARDWELL.

Governor Sir George Grey, K.C.B.,  
&c. &c. &c.

*Accepted Tender.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 3rd August, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Tender has been accepted by the General Government.

W. GISBORNE,  
Under Secretary.

FOR COAL.

THOMAS G. ALLEN, for such quantity as may be required for the public offices up to 31st October next, at per ton, for

Best Newcastle (N.S.W.) Coal screened and delivered at the public offices in	
1 cwt bags	£2 15 0
And best English Coal (if obtainable)	
ditto, ditto	£3 3 0

*Despatch notifying increase of Postage on Correspondence between Great Britain and New Zealand.*

General Post Office,  
Auckland, 3rd August, 1864.

THE following Despatch from Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, notifying an increase in the rate of Postage on Letters despatched from Great Britain to New Zealand, is published for general information.

No alteration is made in the postage on letters from New Zealand to Great Britain, which remains as formerly, viz.:—6d. for  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. *viâ* Southampton, and 10d. *viâ* Marseilles.

THOMAS B. GILLIES,  
Postmaster-General.

Downing Street,  
26th January, 1864.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you a copy of a letter from the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, stating that on and after the 1st July next, the postage on letters despatched from this country to the Australian Colonies and New Zealand, *viâ* Southampton, will be raised to one shilling the half-ounce letter, and *viâ* Marseilles, to one shilling and fourpence, together with some other minor changes.

You will be good enough to lay this communication before your Responsible Advisers for their con-

sideration, and also in order that these changes may become publicly known.

I have, &c.,  
NEWCASTLE.

Governor Sir George Grey, K.C.B.,  
&c., &c., &c.

Treasury Chambers,  
11th January, 1864.

SIR,—I am commanded by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to acquaint you that the Postmaster-General has called the attention of this Board to the question of raising the Postage on letters to the Australian Colonies and New Zealand, with a view to diminish the loss at present sustained in this service, and my Lords concur with his Lordship in opinion that steps should be taken for this purpose.

I am to observe that the increase from 6d. to 1s. the half-ounce, which took effect more than six months ago in the charge upon letters between this country and the West Indies, and the Cape of Good Hope, and Natal, these last Colonies, like those in Australia, with a considerable emigrant population, has had a very satisfactory result.

The Cape service, which, at the lower rate of Postage and the greater amount of subsidy paid, was until then attended with great loss, is now self-supporting, whilst the loss sustained in the service to and from the West Indies has been greatly reduced, very little diminution of correspondence having followed the increase in the rate of Postage.

My Lords have every reason to believe that similar satisfactory results would attend an augmentation in the rate of postage on letters to the Australian Colonies and New Zealand, and they therefore request that the Duke of Newcastle will inform the Governments of those Colonies that, on 1st July next, the Postage on all letters despatched from this country to those Colonies, *via* Southampton, will be raised to one shilling the half-ounce letter, and the Postage on letters sent *via* Marseilles will be raised to one shilling and fourpence the half-ounce letter, but that at the same time, with a view to relief being afforded to the correspondence of the poorer class of emigrants, the Postage on letters conveyed by private ship will be reduced to 4d. the half-ounce letter.

My Lords further request that the Duke of Newcastle will in making communication to the Governments of the respective Colonies, observe to them that each Colony will be at liberty to alter to such extent as it may think proper the Postage on letters despatched to or through the United Kingdom.

I am to state further that my Lords propose that simultaneously with the raising of the Postage on letters to the Australian Colonies and New Zealand the scale of weight should be modified and made to correspond with the scale recently adopted in respect of letters exchanged with the British West Indies, Cape of Good Hope, &c. Under this amended scale one rate of Postage will be charged for each half ounce that a letter may weigh, so that a letter weighing more than an ounce but not more than 1½ ounce will be charged three rates of Postage, a letter weighing more than two ounces, but not more than 2½ ounces, four rates of Postage, instead of five and six rates respectively as under the existing scale of progression.

It will, however, be for the Colonial Post Offices to decide whether they will adopt these changes with regard to letters despatched to or through the United Kingdom or not, as they may feel disposed.

Sir F. Rogers, Bart. I have, &c.,  
F. PEEL.

## MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.

Colonial Defence Office,  
Auckland, 4th August, 1864.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz. :—

*In the Auckland Militia.*

Sub-Inspector Archibald Campbell Turner, of the Colonial Defence Force, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, 27th July, 1864.

*In the Napier Militia.*

Ensign Vautier Janisch, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, 29th July, 1864.  
Alexander Inglis, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, 29th July, 1864.

*In the Waipawa Cavalry Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Thomas Tanner, to be Captain. Date of Commission, 22nd July, 1864.  
Cornet John Russell Duncan, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, 22nd July, 1864.  
Frederick Martin Chapman, to be Cornet. Date of Commission, 22nd July, 1864.

*In the Victoria Troop Rangitikei Cavalry Volunteers.*

Joseph William Jordan, to be Cornet. Date of Commission, 29th July, 1864.

*In the Nelson Rifle Volunteers. (No. 1 Company.)*

William Charles Hodgson, to be Captain. Date of Commission, 25th July, 1864.

*In the Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.*

John Fergie, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, 29th July, 1864.

T. RUSSELL.

Colonial Defence Office,  
Auckland, 4th August, 1864.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the following resignations :—

Captain W. M. Smith, Wairarapa Militia.  
Captain Alfred D. Corfield, Napier Militia.  
Lieutenant J. D. Canning, Napier Militia.  
Lieutenant John Knowles, Wellington Militia.  
Cornet A. McDonald, Victoria Troop, Rangitikei Cavalry Volunteers.  
Ensign Wm. Brighton, Auckland Rifle Volunteers.  
Ensign Wm. France, Wellington Militia.

T. RUSSELL.

## MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.

Colonial Defence Office,  
Auckland, 4th August, 1864.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to Cancel the Commissions held by the under-mentioned Officers :—

Captain Allan Stewart, Auckland Militia.  
Lieutenant George Maxime Horn, Auckland Militia.

T. RUSSELL.

## BANK OF AUCKLAND.

THE Directors hereby give notice that the first call of Ten Shillings per Share will be payable on Thursday, the 15th September, 1864.

CHARLES F. JOHNS,  
Manager.

Bank of Auckland,  
Auckland, 1st August, 1864.

**I**, LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, a Commissioner duly appointed under the "Pensioner Claims Act, 1861," to investigate and settle all Claims of Pensioners under the said Act, do hereby award the under-mentioned Persons, as compensation, the amount set opposite their respective names below.

L. O'BRIEN, Commissioner.

Auckland, 25th July, 1864.

No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Residence.	Commissioner's Award.
199	Ellen Culpan, only child and representative of Henry Ashurst, deceased	Auckland .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
57	William Atkins . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
113	William Barr . . . .	Onehunga .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
143	Eliza Boggs, widow, and one of the representatives of Joseph Boggs, deceased	Onehunga .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Sixteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Fourpence
	John Boggs, Matilda Regan, Margaret Boggs, George Boggs, William Boggs, Ellen Boggs, and Eliza Boggs, children and representatives of Joseph Boggs, deceased	Onehunga .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Thirty-three Pounds Six Shillings and Eightpence
166	William Breen . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
77	Daniel Cavanagh, son and representative of Dennis Cavanagh, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
103	Robert Condron . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
66	Francis Connay . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
170	William Corney . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
107	Peter Coyle . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
35	Richard Eustace . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
140	Jane Chute, daughter and representative of Michael Chute, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
167	Mary Gavin, widow, and one of the representatives of Thomas Gavin, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Sixteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Fourpence
	Rosannah King, Patrick Gavin, Mary Gavin, and Thomas Gavin, children and representatives of Thomas Gavin, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Thirty-three Pounds Six Shillings and Eightpence
64	James Gollagher . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
30	Richard Hart . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
193	Maria Hattaway, daughter and representative of Dennis O'Leary, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
47	Edward Hills . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
36	James Hughes . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
214	James Kearns . . . .	Onehunga .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
65	Joanna Kelly, widow and representative of Thomas Kelly, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
32	Thomas Knox . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Forty-five Pounds
230	Bridget Goonin, widow and representative of Thomas McSherry, deceased	Onehunga .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
48	James McLaren . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
179	William Murphy . . . .	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
23	Elizabeth Odium, widow and representative of Thomas Odium, deceased	Auckland .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
216	Mary Robinson, widow and one of the representatives of George Robinson, deceased	Otahuhu . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Sixteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Fourpence
173	Henry Rowe . . . .	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Fifty Pounds
216	Marshall Robinson, George Robinson, and Ann Robinson, children and representatives of George Robinson, deceased	Howick . .	Entitled to compensation to the amount of Thirty-three Pounds Six Shillings and Eightpence



STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1864.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	350,895	12 11	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	19,006	13 9	Coined Metal . . . . .	189,515	13 0
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	54,195	9 5	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	37,905	5 10
Government Deposits . . . . .	220,768	6 5	Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	3,768	5 6
Other Deposits { Not bearing Interest . . . . .	686,217	12 8	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	54,211	2 5
Bearing Interest . . . . .	228,670	15 9	Landed Property . . . . .	17,138	4 10
			Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills discounted . . . . .	910,812	0 9
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	213,487	2 11
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) . . . . .	440,742	9 8
			5. Securities not included under the above heads . . . . .	114,675	14 6
<b>Total Average Liabilities</b>	<b>£1,559,754</b>	<b>10 11</b>	<b>Total Average Assets</b>	<b>£1,982,255</b>	<b>19 5</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th June, 1864

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .	10	½	ct.	½	an.
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	14,054	2	3		
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	111,314	0	2		

Dated at Auckland, this Twenty-fifth day of July, 1864.

D. L. MURDOCH, Inspector.

HENRY B. MACNAB, Chief Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, within the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended the Thirtieth day of June, 1864.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	168,490	9 4	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	446	14 7	Coined Metal . . . . .	167,502	5 1
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	15,649	0 2	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	29,101	7 1
Government Deposits . . . . .	...		Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	4,881	7 6
Other Deposits, { Not bearing Interest . . . . .	372,497	5 9	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	10,732	7 2
Bearing Interest . . . . .	160,266	15 10	Landed Property . . . . .	10,986	15 11
			Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills Discounted . . . . .	481,863	8 9
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	153,920	15 11
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) . . . . .	247,983	11 11
			5. Securities not included under the above heads . . . . .	127,468	0 5
<b>Average Total Liabilities</b>	<b>£717,350</b>	<b>5 8</b>	<b>Average Total Assets</b>	<b>£1,234,439</b>	<b>19 9</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at date of last advices . . . . .	£750,000	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to Shareholders, 15 ½ ct. ½ ann. and bonus 2½ ½ ct. = 20 per ct. ½ ann.			
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	75,000	0	0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	328,896	15	8

Dated at Christchurch, this 23rd day of July, 1864.

J. R. HILL.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK of OTAGO, (Limited), at Dunedin, during the Quarter ended 27th June, 1864.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	28,212	0 0	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	1,604	4 0	Coined Metal . . . . .	14,747	9 11
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	10,393	6 10	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	2,088	0 0
Government Deposits . . . . .	3,297	6 7	Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	298	1 6
Other Deposits, { Not bearing In-			Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	1,772	1 7
terest . . . . .	43,210	3 7	Landed Property . . . . .	14,043	0 0
Bearing Interest . . . . .	8,216	16 9	Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills discounted . . . . .	90,432	18 0
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	119,099	9 3
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive		
			of Debts abandoned as bad) . . . . .	62,294	10 5
			5. Securities not included under		
			the above heads . . . . .	2,192	15 1
<b>Total Average Liabilities</b>	<b>£94,933</b>	<b>17 9</b>	<b>Total Average Assets</b>	<b>£306,968</b>	<b>5 9</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 27th June, 1864 . . . . . £90,000 0 0  
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .  
 Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .  
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .  
 Dated at Dunedin, this Seventh day of July, 1864.

JOHN BATHGATE.

STATEMENT of the Average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK of AUSTRALASIA within the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1864.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	16,993	13 10	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	5,058	1 10	Coined Metals . . . . .	60,870	12 4
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	...		Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars . . . . .	11,225	3 7
Government Deposits . . . . .	...		Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	90	15 2
Other Deposits { Not bearing			Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	...	
Interest . . . . .	28,541	0 5	Landed Property . . . . .	16,246	3 1
Bearing Interest . . . . .	11,991	0 0	Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills discounted . . . . .	83,165	18 7
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	...	
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (ex-		
			clusive of Debts abandoned		
			as bad) . . . . .	12,001	11 5
			5. Securities not included under		
			the above heads . . . . .	56	6 3
<b>Total Average Liabilities</b>	<b>£62,583</b>	<b>16 1</b>	<b>Total Average Assets</b>	<b>£183,656</b>	<b>10 5</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th June, 1864 . . . . . £1,050,000 0 0  
 Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . . 14 3/4 cent.  
 Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . . 63,000 0 0  
 Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . . 340,681 11 0  
 Dated at Auckland, this Nineteenth day of July, 1864.

GEO. MATSON, Manager.  
 A. R. WEBB, Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT of the Average LIABILITIES and ASSETS, and of the CAPITAL and PROFITS of the undermentioned BANKS of the COLONY, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1864.

BANKS.	LIABILITIES.									
	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.	Total Liabilities.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
Union Bank of Australia . . . . .	176,067	1 8	23,131	2 7	...	755,034	17 7	954,233	1 10	
Bank of New South Wales . . . . .	168,490	9 4	446	14 7	15,649	0 2	532,764	1 7	717,350	5 8
Bank of New Zealand . . . . .	350,895	12 11	19,006	18 9	54,195	9 5	1,135,656	14 10	1,559,754	10 11
Bank of Otago . . . . .	28,212	0 0	1,604	4 0	10,393	6 10	54,724	6 11	94,933	17 9
Bank of Australasia . . . . .	16,993	13 10	5,058	1 10	...	40,532	0 5	62,583	16 1	
	740,658	17 9	49,246	16 9	80,237	16 5	2,518,712	1 4	3,388,855	12 3

BANKS.	ASSETS.													
	Coin.		Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.						
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.						
Union Bk. of Australia	270,556	9 1	4,735	15 11	17,000	0 0	2,915	7 2	31,306	4 5	966,356	3 5	1,292,870	0 0
Bank of N. S. Wales	167,502	5 1	29,101	7 1	10,986	15 11	4,881	7 6	10,732	7 2	1,011,235	17 0	1,234,439	19 9
Bank of New Zealand	189,515	13 0	97,905	5 10	17,138	4 10	3,768	5 6	54,211	2 5	1,679,717	7 10	1,982,255	19 5
Bank of Otago . . . . .	14,747	9 11	2,088	0 0	14,043	0 0	298	1 6	1,772	1 7	274,019	12 9	306,968	5 9
Bank of Australasia	60,870	12 4	11,225	3 7	16,246	3 1	90	15 2	...	95,223	16 3	183,656	10 5	
	703,192	9 5	85,055	12 5	75,414	3 10	11,953	16 10	98,021	15 7	4,026,552	17 3	5,000,190	15 4

BANKS.	CAPITAL AND PROFITS.						
	Capital paid up.	Rate per annum of last Dividend.	Amount of last Dividend declared.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of Declaring Dividend.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.			
Union Bank of Australia . . . . .	1,000,000	0 0	16 per cent.	80,000	0 0	295,049	9 7
Bank of New South Wales . . . . .	750,000	0 0	15 per cent, and bonus of 2½ per cent.	75,000	0 0	328,896	15 8
Bank of New Zealand . . . . .	350,578	0 0	10 per cent.	14,054	2 3	111,314	0 2
Bank of Otago . . . . .	90,000	0 0	...	0	0 0	0	0 0
Bank of Australasia . . . . .	1,050,000	0 0	14 per cent.	63,000	0 0	340,681	11 0
	3,240,578	0 0		232,054	2 3	1,075,941	16 5

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