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A PROCLAMATION

Appointing Districts for the formation of Jury Lists within the Province of Otago.

> By His Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Com-mander-in-Chief in and over Her Ma-jesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the

same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS an Ordinance was passed by the
Governor and Legislative Council of New
Zealand (Session II. No. 3), intituled "An Ordinance to Regulate the Constitution of Juries, further Ordinance was passed by the Governor and the said Council (Session III. No. 2), intituled "An Ordinance to make Temporary Provision for the *Constitution of Juries.'

And whereas it is enacted by the "Jury Law Amendment Act, 1862," that the Governor in Council may from time to time, by proclamation in the Government Gazette of the Colony, define the limits of Districts for the formation of Jury Lists under the said Ordinances, now therefore I, Sir George Grey, the Governor as aforesaid of the said Colony, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, and in exercise of the power and authority for this purpose in me vested by the said recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare the places within the following limits in the Province of Otago to be Districts for the formation of Jury Lists ander the said recited Ordinances viz — A radius of under the said recited Ordinances, viz .: - A radius of twenty miles round each of the towns of Clyde, Queenstown, Lawrence, and Hamilton, within the Otago Gold Fields.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Auckland, and issued under the seal of the Colony of New Zealand, this Seventeenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-four.

By His Excellency's command, G. GREY. FREDERICK WHITAKER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

A PROCLAMATION

Changing the purpose for which Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, in the City of Auckland, were set apart as a

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 the Four Allotments of Land, containing one agree and twenty nearly for the same of the same of

taining one acre and twenty perches (more or less), being Numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4 of section No. 15, of the City of Auckland, have been set apart as a Reserve for the site of the Supreme Court, and whereas such site is no longer required for the purwhereas such site is no longer required for the purpose, and it is expedient, under the powers conferred by "The Waste Lands Act, 1858," to change the specific purpose for which the said allotments of land were set apart, now therefore I, Sir George Grey, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, do hereby change the specific purpose for which the said four allotments of land were set apart, and do declare that they shall henceforth be a reserve for the endowment of the City of Auckland.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Auckland, and issued under the Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, this Nine-teenth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-four. G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command, FREDERICK WHITAKER. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

A PROCLAMATION

For the Naturalization of certain Persons.

By His Excellency Sir George Grex, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commanderin-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:

John Cammans, from the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty, native of Prussia, mechanical engineer; residence, Freeman's Bay, Auckland, in the Province of Auckland.

JACOB ECKHOFF,

from the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, native of Groningen, in the kingdom of the Netherlands, master mariner; residence, Dunedin, in the Province of Otago.

John Augustus Heldt,

from the twenty-second day of August, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, native of Hanover, cabinet-maker; residence, Auckland, in the Province of Auckland.

JAMES OSGOOD,

from the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, native of Utica, in the State of New York, America, settler; residence, Dunedin, in the Province of Otago.

SALVATORE MESSANA,

from the fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, native of Pantellaria, Sicily, settler; residence, Wellington, in the Province of Wellington.

JAMES PORTER,

from the fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four native of Bayonne, France, settler; residence, Wellington, in the 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 Seventeenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-four. G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,

WILLIAM FOX.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

ORDER IN COUNCIL,

Defining a certain Reserve in the Province of Southland.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House at Auckland, the seventeenth day of November. 1864.

Present :-

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by the "Waste Lands Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council at any time and from time to

time, to except from sale and reserve to Her Majesty, or dispose of in such other manner as for the public interest may seem best, such of the Waste Lands of the Crown in any of the Provinces of New Zealand as may be required for the purposes of Military Defence, or for the construction of trunk lines of road, or as sites for public buildings for the use of the General Government, or for other purposes of public utility or convenience. Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby except from sale, and reserve to the use of Her Majesty, the parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto annexed, as a site for a Supreme Court.

And His Excellency the Governor doth hereby notify to the Superintendent of the Province of Southland that the land defined in the Schedule hereto, has been reserved, in terms of the Act before

cited, for the purpose aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land in the Town of Invercargill, the Province of Southland, containing admeasurement, one acre one rood and five perches, admeasurement, one acre one rood and five perches, more or less, bounded towards the North by the Reserve for Public Gardens, granted to the Superintendent of Southland, four hundred and forty-two (442) links, towards the East by Levenstreet, three hundred (300) links, towards the South by Spey-street, four hundred and thirteen (413) links and towards the Worth by the Oasti Pollower ord towards the Worth by the Oasti Pollower and towards the Worth by the Oasti Pollower ord towards the Worth by the Wort links, and towards the West by the Oreti Railway Reserve, three hundred and one (301) links.

FORSTER GORING, Clerk of the Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL,

Making Regulations for ascertaining and granting Pensions to Discharged Soldiers in the Militia Service.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the seventeenth day of November, 1864.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Militia Acts Amendment Act, 1862," it is enacted that the Governor in Council shall, from time to time make Regulations under which Pensions shall be granted to Discharged Soldiers in the Militia Service: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, 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 for ascertaining and granting Pensions to Discharged Soldiers in the Militia Service:—

1. Three Commissioners shall be appointed by the Government, who shall be charged with the duty of

administering these Regulations.

2. The Commissioners are charged with the application of those rules which are to govern the ordinary grants of pension. But the Commissioners shall not,. without the concurrence of the Government, act upon any discharge which shall not have been completed according to the form prescribed by the Government; nor upon such discharge unless it be brought before them within six months after the date on which the soldier shall have quitted the service.

3. Such special deviations from those general rulesas are hereinafter expressed, or as may appear advisable to the Government, will be made by the Government, with whom alone it rests to interpret the true intent and meaning of any passage in the Regulations

on which a doubt may arise.
4. The pecuniary benefits attaching to cases of disability, are expressly and strictly to be limited to disability caused in and by the service.

5. The amount of pension recommended to be granted by the Commissioners, shall not exceed the rates fixed by this Regulation. In special cases, however, of men whose disabilities shall have increased subsequently to their leaving the service, the Commissioners may reconsider such cases, if any peculiar circumstances justifying such a proceeding shall occur, and be brought forward within two years after the original grant of pension was made.

6. Permanent pensions shall be granted to men discharged in consequence of being rendered incapable of further service by wounds or injuries received in

action according to the following scales:-

	First Degree.					COND PREE.	THIRD DEGREE.			
RANK.	Men losing two limbs or both eyes from wounds, or being so severely wounded as to be totally incapable of earning a livelihood, and to require the assistance and care of some other person			Men rendered incapable by wounds of earning a	livelihood, but not requiring the aid of another person	Men able to contribute to towards earning a livelimod, although rendered by wounds unfit for the ordinary duties of a soldier				
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7. In cases of severe suffering from wounds received by non-commissioned officers or soldiers, who have behaved gallantly in the field, a sum not exceeding sixpence a day may be granted, at the recommendation of the Commander of the Colonial Forces, by the Commissioners, with the consent of the Government, as a bounty, in addition to the pension which may have been awarded by the said Commissioners.

8. The temporary pensions which may have been awarded by the Commissioners to men discharged as unfit for the ordinary duty of a soldier, on account of disabilities contracted in and by the service, may, under extraordinary circumstances of extreme suffering, or of permanent incapacity to earn a sufficient livelihood, be made permanent, on the recommendation of the Commissioners by the Government.

9. Men discharged on account of their being unfit for the ordinary duties of a soldier, in consequence of disability contracted in and by the service, may be allowed temporary pensions, according to the fol-

lowing scale, viz.:-

	FIRST DEGREE.					COND FREE.	THIRD DEGREE.				
RANK.	Men totally incapable of of earning a liveli- hood, and who require the assistance and care of some other person.				Men rendered incapable of earning a livelihood.	but not requiring the aid of another person.	Men able to contribute to towards earning a livelihood, although rendered unfit for the ordinary duties of a soldier.				
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10. In severe cases of disability or injury, resulting entirely from military duty, the temporary pension may be renewed by the Government, for such further period as the special circumstances of the case may,

in their judgment warrant.

11. In special cases, where it may be considered more advantageous to the soldier's interests that a gratuity in money proportioned to the length of his services, and the duration of the temporary pension awarded, should be given instead of the temporary pension, a sum, varying from £1 to £50, may be recommended to be allowed by the Commissioners, if the soldier appear personally before them, or by the Government if the soldier be discharged without being examined personally by the Commissioners; but in every instance the gratuity shall be paid to the soldier only after his arrival at the place of his intended future residence.

12. In no case shall a soldier be pensioned for disability until his case shall have been reported upon by some other medical authority than the medical officers of the regiment to which he belongs.

13. Immediately after each Board, a Return shall be forwarded by the Commissioners to the Government for approval, shewing in detail the pensions which have been recommended to be granted, and the claims which have been refused at the Board. The Government, on receiving the Return, shall make such communications on the subject to the Commanding Officers of the Regiments from which the men shall have been discharged as the Government shall think fit.

14. No non-commissioned officer shall, on his discharge, have any claim to the allowance or pensions awarded to a corporal or sergeant, except for continuous service immediately preceding his discharge, in the rank he held when discharged.

15. The period during which any soldier may have been employed as an acting lance sergeant or corporal, shall not be allowed to reckon as non-com-

missioned officer's service.

16. Any pensioner who neglects to draw his pension for four successive quarters, shall be struck off the Pension List, and shall not be replaced unless he shall satisfactorily account for such omission; and the Government shall, at their discretion, grant or withhold the arrears, or any portion thereof.

FORSTER GORING,

Forster Goring, Clerk of the Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:—
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by certain Acts of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled respectively "The Native Districts Regulation Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been extinguished, and any such appointment to vary and revoke:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby revoke the Orders in Council, bearing date respectively the seventh day of March 1862, appointing the District of the Bay of Plenty, and the Hundreds of Rotorua and Tauranga for the purposes of the said Acts respectively.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the first day of December 1864. FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by certain Acts of the General of Assembly New Zealand intitutled respectively "The Native Districts Regulation Act, 1858," and "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been extinguished and any such appointment to vary and revoke:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby revoke the Orders in Council bearing date respectively, the seventh day of March, 1862, appointing the District of Waihou, for the

purposes of the said Acts respectively.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the first day of December 1864.

FORSTER GORING, Clerk of Executive Council.

COUNCIL. ORDER IN

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present :-

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Circuits Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall

not for the time being have been extinguished:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by
and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby order appoint and declare that the Territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say :- All that portion of the Native District of the Bay of Plenty as constituted under the "Native Districts Regulations Act, 1858," by Order in Council of even date therewith, as is not included in the Hundred of Putauaki as constituted by Order in Council also of even date herewith.

And doth appoint and declare that the said District shall be called the Hundred of Rotorua.

And doth declare that this order shall take effect from and after the 1st day of December, 1864.

FORSTER GORING, Clerk of the Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present :-

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intitutled "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall

be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been extinguished:
Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor by

and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby Order, appoint, and declare that the Territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say:—All that portion of the Native District of the Bay of Plenty, as constituted under "the Native District Regulation Act, 1858," by Order in Council of even date herewith as is situated on the East of a line running from the mouth of the Otamarakau river to the Easternmost summit of the Tarawera mountains, and thence by a line to the Southernmost point of Rotomahana Lake.

And doth appoint and declare that the said district

shall be called the Hundred of Putauaki.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the 1st day of December, 1864.

FORSTER GORING.

Clerk of Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Districts Regulation Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been extin-

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby order, appoint, and declare that the territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say; All territory lying within a boundary line commencing at Maraitai, thence along the Pukekawa range to the source of the River Wairoa, thence to Paparata, thence to Nakunaku on the River Maramarua, thence to Te Rua o te Taniwha (on the Eastern side of Lake Waikara), thence along the Western side of the Rataroa range to Rataroa, thence to the source of the River Mangawhara, thence to Hangawhara, thence to Rangaunu, thence to Taukoro on the River Piako, thence to Ruatoitoi on the River Waitoa, thence to Te Wairere, thence to the summit of the Aroha range, thence along that range and the boundary of the District of Tauranga to Ngakuriawhaare on the sea coast, thence by the sea coast (including Great Mercury, Motunau, Pakihi, Waiheka, and other islands adjacent thereto) to the point of commencement.

And doth appoint and declare that the said District shall be called the Native District of

Hauraki.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the 1st day of December, 1864.

FORSTER GORING Clerk of the Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, on the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:-

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall

not for the time being have been extinguished:
Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby Order, appoint, and declare that the Territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say: All Territory lying within a boundary line commencing at Ngakuriawhaare (to the North of Katikati) proceeding thence by a line running in a Westerly direction to the summit of Te Aroha-a-uta; thence in a Southerly direction along the Aroha ranges to Mangatawa: thence by a line to the summit of Otane Wainuku, thence by a direct line to the mouth of the Wairakei stream on the Sea coast; thence by the coast line (including the Island of Tuhua) to the commencing point.

And doth appoint and declare that the said District shall be called the Native District of Tauranga.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect

Clerk of Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, on the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Districts Regulation Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been

extinguished:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, doth hereby Order, appoint, and declare that the Territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say: All Territory lying within a boundary line commencing at the mouth of the Wairakei stream (on the Sea coast proceeding by a direct line along the South Eastern boundary of the Tauranga District, to the summit of the Otane Wainuku, thence to Horohoro, thence by a line to the Southernmost point of Rotomahana Lake, thence by a line to the Northernmost part of the Waikare Lake, thence by a line to the point where the Eastern boundary of the Ngatiawa Territory strikes the Ohiwa River, thence by a right line to the Western head of Ohiwa on the Sea coast, (including the adjacent islands of Motiti and Moutohora) to the commencing point:

And doth appoint and declare that the said District shall be called the Native District of the Bay of

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the first day of December, 1864.
Forster Goring.

Clerk of Executive Council.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the 17th day of November, 1864.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to appoint Districts for the purposes of the said Act, being Districts over which the Native Title shall not for the time being have been extinguished:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, doth hereby Order, appoint, and declare, that the territory hereafter described shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act, that is to say: All territory lying within a boundary line commencing at Maraitai, thence along the Pukekawa range to the source of the River Wairoa, thence to Paparata, thence to Nakunaku, on the River Maramarua, thence to Te Rua o te Tanewha (on the Eastern side of Lake Waikari), thence along the Western side of the Rata Roa range to Rata Roa, thence to the source of the River Mangawhara, thence to Hangawhara, thence to Rangaunu, thence to Taukoro on the River Piako, thence to Ruatoitoi on the River Waitoa, thence to Te Wairere, thence to the summit of the Aroha range thence along that range and the boundary of the district of Tauranga to Ngakuriawhaare on the Sea coast, thence by the Sea coast, (including great Mercury, Motunau, Pakihe, Waiheke and other islands adjacent thereto), to the point of commencement.

And doth appoint and declare that the said district shall be called the Native District of Hauraki.

And doth declare that this Order shall take effect from and after the 1st day of December, 1864.

FORSTER GORING, Clerk of Executive Council.

WARRANT

Giving effect to the "Foreign Seaman's Act, 1860," in respect of Ships of Hamburgh.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf by the "Foreign Seaman's Act, 1860," I, the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby notify that from and after the First day of February, 1865, the provisions of the above mentioned Act will be enforced in respect of the Masters and Crews of ships belonging to Hamburgh.

Given under my hand, at Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-third day of November, 1864.

G. GREY. Governor.

By His Excellency's command, WILLIAM FOX.

Attorney-General's Office, Auckland, 23rd November, 1864. HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to

appoint
THOMAS KING WELDON, at Invercargill, in the Province of Southland, to be a person to prefer indictments or informations under the "Arms Act, 1860."

FREDK. WHITAKEB.

Appointing Commissioners for administering Militia Pension Regulations.

Colonial Defence Office, Auckland, 17th November, 1864.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Lieut.-Col. HENRY COLIN BALNEAVIS, Lieut.-Col. PAUL FREDERICK DE QUINCEY, Major MICHAEL TIGHE,

to be Commissioners for administering the Regulations for granting Pensions to discharged Soldiers in the Militia Service.

THOMAS RUSSELL.

MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.

Colonial Defence Office, Auckland, 19th November, 1864. HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz.:-In the Auckland Militia.

Ensign Samuel Hague Smith, to be Lieutenant.

Date of commission, 19th November, 1864.

William Coombe, to be Ensign. Date of commis-

sion, 18th November, 1864. Clarence Hooper (late of Colonial Defence Force), Date of commission, 15th Noto be Surgeon. vember, 1864.

Edward Waddington, M.D., to be Surgeon. Date of commission, 16th November, 1864.

Joseph Snape, to be Assistant Surgeon. Date of Commission, 15th November, 1864.

In the Taranaki Militia.

Charles Brown, to be Major. Date of commission, 17th November, 1864.

In the Dunedin Rifte Volunteers. No. 2, Compy. John Bathgate, to be Captain. Date of commission, 25th October, 1864.

William Kirkcaldy, to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 25th October, 1864.

Robert John Mushet Hunter, to be Ensign. Date

of Commission, 25th October, 1864.

T. Russell.

Colonial Defence Office, Auckland, 19th November, 1864. HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the following resignations, viz.: Lieutenant James O'Meagher, Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.

Surgeon Joseph Giles, Auckland Militia Surgeon Alexander Stewart, Auckland Militia. Assistant-Surgeon John F. Cobb, Auckland Militia. T. Russell.