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PROCLAMATION

Declaring Detonating Caps, Powder, &c., Warlike Stores.

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 Arms Act, 1860," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, from time to time, to declare what Articles shall be considered as Warlike Stores for the purposes of the said Act, and also for the purposes of an Ordinance of Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of New Zealand, passed in the sixth session of the said Council, intituled "An Ordinance to empower the Governor of New Zealand to regulate the importation and sale of Arms, Gunpowder, and other Warlike Stores."

Now, therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, do hereby proclaim and declare that the undermentioned Articles, shall (amongst others) be considered as Warlike Stores, for the purpose above mentioned, that is to say—

Detonating Caps, Powder, and all other articles capable of being used for the discharging of fire-arms.

Given under my hand at the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

By His Excellency's command,
 WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

G. GREY.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, the eleventh day of May, 1865.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Coupons Act, 1864," it is provided that the powers created by that Act shall not be exercised until the Governor in Council shall have approved of the Stamps to be used for the purpose of the said Act, nor until Regulations as to the manner in which the same may be used shall have been issued by the Governor in Council, or except in conformity with such Regulations:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power vested in him by the said recited Act, doth hereby approve of a certain Stamp, the description of which is hereto annexed, and is deposited in the office of the Colonial Secretary, to be used for the purposes of the said Act by the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland, and doth hereby issue the following Regulations in conformity with which such Stamp is to be so used.

Regulations.

There shall be only one copy of such Stamp for stamping Coupons under "The Coupons Act, 1864," in the Province of Auckland, which Stamp shall be kept in the custody of the Provincial Treasurer of the Province of Auckland, in a strong box, having two keys: one thereof to be in the keeping of the Colonial Treasurer, or of the Colonial Sub-Treasurer at Auckland, and the other in the keeping of the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland. The Stamp shall only be delivered out to the Superintendent upon his requisition in writing, for the purpose of stamping a certain number of Coupons mentioned in such requisition, and shall be returned

by the Superintendent to the above custody immediately after having been so used. No Debentures or Coupons shall be stamped with such Stamp, nor shall it be in any way used except in the presence of the Superintendent or the Provincial Secretary, or some person or persons to be appointed in writing for that purpose by the Superintendent.

Such appointed person shall keep an account of the number of Debentures and Coupons stamped, and shall not suffer the Stamp to be used after the number or amount of Debentures from time to time authorised by law shall have been stamped, nor otherwise than for the purpose of stamping such Coupons.

FRED. THATCHER,

For the Clerk of the Executive Council.

Description of Stamp referred to in above Order in Council, viz.:

The impression of Mr. Robert Graham's signature hereunto affixed—R. GRAHAM.

ORDER IN COUNCIL,

Appointing Board of Management under "Public Domains Act, 1860."

G. GREY, Governor.

At the Government House, at Auckland, this eleventh day of May, 1865.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Domains Act, 1860," it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred to any person for any period and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such Order:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers under sub-sections 2, 5, and 10 of section 5, and under section 11, to ROBERT GRAHAM, Esquire, who shall be the Chairman of the Board hereinafter mentioned, subject to the stipulations hereinafter mentioned, that is to say—

1. None of the powers so delegated shall be exercised in respect of any land which shall be in the actual occupation of the Governor, except at his instance and request.

2. All the powers so delegated shall be exercised with the concurrence of a Board, to consist of the undermentioned persons:

The CHAIRMAN,
Honorable JOHN ANDERSON GILFILLAN,
RICHARD FIELD PORTER, Esquire,
GEORGE BURGOYNE OWEN, Esquire,
FRANCIS DART FENTON, Esquire,

which Board shall act according to the following Regulations, and such other Regulations as may be from time to time made by the Governor in Council.

Regulations of the Board.

(a.) The Board shall meet at such times and places as shall be from time to time appointed by the Chairman, and shall be convened by him by letter.

(b.) The Board shall keep proper Minutes and Records of its proceedings.

(c.) Two Members of the Board shall form a Quorum.

(d.) All questions shall be determined by a majority of the Members of the Board present at a Meeting. The Chairman to have a casting as well as an original vote,

FRED. THATCHER,

For the Clerk of Executive Council.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 53,

Establishing the Port of Grey.

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.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint, that, on and from the day of the date hereof, there shall be within the Province of Canterbury a Port, to be called the Port of Grey, the limits whereof shall be as follows:—

All such portions of the River Grey and of its banks as is comprised within an area which shall include one mile of the River from its mouth, and a space on each bank respectively of not less than forty chains in width.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 54,

Appointing Legal Quay for the Port of Grey.

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.

IN exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint, that, on and from the day of the date hereof, the Beach within one hundred yards of the Custom House on either side shall be deemed and taken to be the Legal Landing-place for the lading and unlading of Goods at the Port of Grey, under "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858."

Given under my hand at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 55,

Appointing Grey as a Port for the Exportation of Gold.

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.

IN exercise of the powers in me vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare, that the Port of Grey, in the Province of Canterbury, shall be a Port

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from whence Gold may be exported from this Colony under the Regulations contained in the Proclamation of Colonel T. G. Browne, C.B., late Governor of the said Colony, bearing date the 26th January, 1860.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 56,

Establishing the Port of Hokitika.

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.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint, that, on and from the day of the date hereof, there shall be within the Province of Canterbury a Port, to be called the Port of Hokitika, the limits whereof shall be as follows:—

All such portion of the River Hokitika and of its banks as is comprised within an area which shall include one mile of the River from its mouth, and a space on each bank respectively of not less than forty chains in width.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 57,

Appointing Legal Quay for the Port of Hokitika.

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.

IN exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint, that, on and from the day of the date hereof, the Beach within one hundred yards of the Custom House on either side shall be deemed and taken to be the legal Landing-place for the lading and unlading of goods at the Port of Hokitika, under "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858."

Given under my hand, at Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

CUSTOMS.

Governor's Order, No. 58,

Appointing Hokitika as a Port for the Exportation of Gold.

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.

IN exercise of the powers in me vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Port of Hokitika, in the Province of Canterbury, shall be a port from whence Gold may be exported from this Colony, under the regulations contained in the proclamation of Colonel T. G. Browne, C.B., late Governor of the said Colony, bearing date the 26th January, 1860.

Given under my hand, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

G. GREY.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

Assent withheld from Bills (Southland.)

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 25th May, 1865.

THE following Bills passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland, intitled:

- "Appropriation Ordinance, No. 1, 1865"
- "Appropriation Ordinance, No. 2, 1865"
- "The Tolls Ordinance, 1865"
- "The Dog Ordinance, 1865"
- "Debentures Ordinance, 1865"

which Bills were reserved for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon, having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to withhold his assent to the same.

FRED. A. WELD.

Letters Patent.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant Letters Patent under "The Patent Act, 1860," in favor of George Dunn, Samuel Samuel, and William Grant, all residing in the township of Clyde, in the Province of Otago, for an invention entitled "Dunn's Hydraulic Rotary, Force, and Lift Engine." Dated 21st April, 1865.

FRED. A. WELD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM FOX CHEESMAN, Esq.,

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Wellington, *vice* Robert Rodger Strang, Esq., resigned.

HENRY SEWELL,
For the Colonial Secretary.

MISSING BANK OF ISSUE NOTES.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 20th May, 1865.

THE following list of Blank Forms of Bank of Issue Notes which were abstracted from the old Customs Store, at Auckland, and are now supposed to be in circulation, is published for general information, and the public are cautioned not to receive them, as they are valueless.

By command,

W. GISBORNE,
Under Secretary.

LIST OF BLANK FORMS OF NOTES OF THE BANK OF ISSUE, MISSING.

Book.	Nos. of Notes.	£5 notes.	As per accompanying Report.
20	10,020, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30	11	Missing
25	11,001, 2, 3, and 4	4	Missing
	14,491, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 500, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28	28	Missing
	8,601-8,800	200	One Book not in Stock
	12,201-13,000 (4 Books each 200)	800	Four Books do.
	14,601-15,000	400	Two Books do.
	16,701-10,000 5 Books each 200	1,000	Five Books do.

Coroner appointed.

Attorney-General's Office,
Wellington, 6th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES KILGOUR, Esq.,

of the Hutt, in the Province of Wellington, to be a Coroner within the Colony of New Zealand.

HENRY SEWELL.

H. Ingles, Esq., appointed a Justice of Peace.

Attorney-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY INGLES, Esq.,

of Kaikora, in the Province of Marlborough, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

HENRY SEWELL.

Coroner appointed.

Attorney-General's Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARCHER CHARLES CROFT,

of Ashburton, in the Province of Canterbury, Esquire, to be a Coroner within the Colony of New Zealand.

HENRY SEWELL.

Justice of the Peace appointed.

Attorney-General's Office,
Wellington, 25th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS STEPHENSON ROWNTREE,

of Hokianga, in the Province of Auckland, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

HENRY SEWELL.

Resignation by B. Taylor, Esq., of his Appointment as Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court at Napier accepted.

Attorney-General's Office,
Wellington, 25th May, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

BROOKE TAYLOR, Esq.,

of his appointment of Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court at Napier, in the Province of Hawke's Bay.

HENRY SEWELL.

Notice respecting Accounts to close the Financial Year 1864-5.

Colonial Treasury,
Wellington, 20th May, 1865.

IN order that the accounts of the Colony for the financial year ending on the 30th June next may be prepared without delay, Officers of the Government in receipt of public monies are directed to render their accounts and pay in their fees and balances up to that date, to the Sub-Treasuries of their respective districts before the 6th of July, on which day the Treasury Departments throughout the Colony will close their transactions for the current financial year.

WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, May 12th, 1865.

IN the Gazette No. 15, folios 137 and 138 of the 4th May, 1865, the following names should have appeared under the head of *Taranaki Militia* instead of *Taranaki Military Settlers* :-

Ensign Courtenay Melmoth Kingdon, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, March 1st, 1865.

Henry Brown, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, March 2nd, 1865.

Ensign Arthur Bayley, to be Lieutenant. Date of Commission, March 3rd, 1865.

William Berridge, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, March 1st, 1865.

Reginald Bayley, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, March 2nd, 1865.

William Stanley Ginger, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, March 3rd, 1865.

John Shaw, to be Ensign. Date of Commission, March 4th, 1865.

Quarter-Master, Robert Collins, to rank as Captain. Date of Commission, March 1st, 1865.

H. A. ATKINSON.

Native Secretary's Department,
Wellington, May 19th, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to License

ALBERT MICO SHEPPARD, Esq.,

WILLIAM RICKFORD COLLET, Esq.,

SAMUEL CAMPBELL, junr., Esq.,

WILLIAM ALEXANDER FITZGERALD McDONNELL, Esq.,

DANIEL HENDERSON LUSK, Esq.,

JAMES ORME BARNARD, Esq.,

HENRY JOHN FALLOWFIELD RICHARDSON, Esq.,

JAMES IRWIN WILSON, Esq.,

to be Surveyors under "The Native Lands Act, 1862."

HENRY SEWELL,

For the Native Minister.

Notice.

Native Secretary's Department,
Wellington, 10th May, 1865.

OFFICERS connected with this Department, who were supplied with Stationery by the Collector of Customs at this Port, prior to the removal of the Seat of Government, are hereby instructed to send in their requisitions direct to this Office.

FRED. A. WELD,
For the Native Minister.

Native Secretary's Department,
Wellington, 10th May, 1865.

IT is hereby notified that the Native Title has been extinguished over the Blocks of Land whereof the Boundaries are mentioned or described in the Schedule hereunto annexed.

FRED. A. WELD,
For the Native Minister.

Schedule.

PROVINCE OF HAWKE'S BAY.

MAHIA BLOCK.—16,000 Acres.

Boundaries :

Commencing at Oraka, thence it runs to Pareihe thence to Mangaroa, thence to Punawehiwahi, to Otamoana, to Kaitangi Karoro, to Hautaroa, Mangawhau, Tikopu, Pakake-a-Makere, Wakakaumu, A Hika Tupuni Wairenganui, Pukewhatu, Maungatea, and the sea; thence on the Ahimanawa and to Taramahiti te Moemotu, te Ika, a-Tama-te-Hoe-te Wakatahoe te Kereru Maota, Mokotoi te Mahia, te Waha o Tounga, te Upoko o Tataramoia, Papawha-Kaanga, Taki taki te Pakipaki, and thence to Oraka, the commencement of the boundaries.

A piece is to be reserved for the Natives at Kinikini under the hill called Taupiri, as a fishing residence, as more particularly shown on the Plan annexed to the Deed of Sale.

NUHAKA BLOCK.—10,000 Acres.

Boundaries :

Commencing at the mouth of the Nuhaka River, and follows the course of that river to Lat. 39° South, being the Northern Boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; thence following that meridian in an easterly direction to a line starting from Tamata o rika to Taumatakaingakaka, thence to Teikatieri, Taumata o te Tahinga, Ngawhakatakariri, Pukateanui Tamahini a Tutaorau, Parihikanui; here it descends to the coast, and follows the coast to Waikokopu te Huki Takararoa, te Iho-o-te-rataau, Te-uruti-te-awa-a-tamatea, Waitaniwha, Wamama Hou hou o tu, te Araputa Waitio Whataroa, and the mouth of the Nuhaka, the commencement of the boundary.

LOWER WAIROA BLOCK.—3570 Acres.

Boundaries :

Commencing at the Waiotureia, and goes thence to Papa o te Uetaha te Whanga a te Ruruku, Heru heru, te Wai o te Manu i te ka, te Kaonga; here it descends into the Wairoa, and follows the Wairoa upwards to the Wakahu; here it leaves the Wairoa, and ascending the Rauhirihiri Creek it goes on to the Ahimanawa; descending thence into the Hounui Creek, it follows the Hounui Creek to the beach to Whakamahu, thence along the beach to Rangihoua, and from Rangihoua to the mouth of the Wairoa at te Ari o Tapuae; thence it follows the Wairoa to te Waiotureia, the commencement of the boundary.

UPPER WAIROA BLOCK.—1000 Acres.

Boundaries :

Commencing at the Waiotureia, the boundary of

the land ceded to the Queen, thence it follows the Wairoa River upwards to the fence of Pero, W. Lockwood; here leaving the Wairoa, it goes inland to te Noti a Kapau; thence by the Ara Totaki to Rakautihia, and to the Wai o te Manu i te Ra, which is its junction with the boundary of the land sold to the Government by Paoro, Hipora, and Pitiera.

WAIHUA BLOCK.—21,000 Acres.

Boundaries :

Commencing on the coast at Mangapuketea, thence proceeds inland ascending to Waiorangi, thence to Taumaro o te Pakipaki, thence to Hinepaka, thence to Waha o te Rangi, thence to the Whakaruarumaruru, thence to Puketoi, thence to Wharekai, thence to Kaihunahuna, thence to the Hinu, thence along the path till it reaches Kai Matariki, and from Kai Matariki to Haraungamea, thence to Wairama; here it descends into the source of Waihua, and follows the course of Waihua to the coast, and then proceeds along the coast to Mangapuketea, the commencement of the boundary.

POSTAL.

Appointment of Postmasters.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 11th May, 1865.

IN virtue of the powers delegated to the Postmaster-General by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the postal service of the Colony.

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
Postmaster-General.

AUCKLAND.

Robert Seymour, to be Postmaster at Wanganui, from 1st April, 1865.

Charles Cooper, to be Postmaster at Whau Bridge, from 1st May, 1865.

TARANAKI.

George Marshall, to be Postmaster at Manutahi.

MARLBOROUGH.

Felix Mathews, to be Postmaster at Deep Creek, from 1st March, 1865.

George Jervis, to be Postmaster at Canvas Town, from 1st March, 1865.

WELLINGTON.

Edward Reading, to be Postmaster at Karori, from 1st May, 1865.

Thomas Wilson, to be Postmaster at Waikanae, from 1st May, 1865.

CANTERBURY.

James Thomas Wellington Wilkin, to be Postmaster at Lyttelton, from 1st April, 1865.

John Ready, to be Postmaster at Duvanchelles Bay, from 1st April, 1865.

Michael Keogh, to be Postmaster at Hokitika, from 25th April, 1865, *vice* M. Cassins, resigned.

Henry Blackett, to be Postmaster at Rangiora, from 1st May, 1865.

OTAGO.

James Ormond, to be Postmaster at Hindon, from 1st March, 1865.

J. F. White, to be Postmaster at Mataura Goldfield.

Richard Canovan, to be Postmaster at Twelve-mile Creek, from 1st March, 1865.

Allan McIntosh, to be Postmaster at Munro's Gully, from 1st April, 1865.

John Periram, to be Postmaster at Kawarau, from 1st April, 1865.

Henry Heyman, to be Postmaster at Hyde, from 20th April, 1865.

SOUTHLAND.

Francis Frederick Butler, to be Postmaster at Mararoa.

HAWKE'S BAY.

Abraham Rice, to be Postmaster at Peka Peka, from 1st April, 1865.

John McDonald, to be Postmaster at Petane, from 1st April, 1865.

POSTAL.

Money Order Branch.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1865.

THE following Notice issued from the General Post Office, Melbourne, is published for general information.

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
Postmaster-General.

Additional Money Order Office.

It is hereby notified that on and after the 1st May next Money Orders may be obtained and made payable at the Post Office,

EAGLEHAWK, SANDHURST.

WILLIAM TURNER,
Deputy-Postmaster-General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 20th April, 1865.

POSTAL.

Money Order Office at Waitahuna closed.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1865.

IT is hereby notified for public information that on and after this date the Money Order Office at

WAITAHUNA,

in the Province of Otago, will be closed.

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
Postmaster-General.

POSTAL.

Change in the Names of Money Order Offices.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd May, 1865.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Money Order Offices in the Province of Otago now known as 'Manuherikia Junction' and 'Dunstan' will in future be designated respectively 'Alexandra' and 'Clyde.'

J. L. C. RICHARDSON,
Postmaster-General.

POSTAL.

Money Order Branch.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 23rd May, 1865.

NOTICE is hereby given that Money Orders will be issued on and after the 1st June next, at any Money Order Office in New Zealand, for the transmission of Money to the Colony of Tasmania.

Commission will be charged on Money Orders issued at the following rates. For any sum

Not exceeding £5 1s.
Above £5, and not exceeding £10..... 2s.

No single order will be issued for a greater amount than £10.

Full information as to form of application for a Money Order, &c., will be supplied to the public on application at any Money Order Office.

J. RICHARDSON,
Postmaster-General.

THE FOLLOWING POSTMASTERS ARE AGENTS FOR ISSUING AND PAYING MONEY ORDERS IN TASMANIA.

Postmaster at Hobart Town
" Launceston
" Oatlands
" Longford
" Ross
" Westbury
" New Norfolk
" Port Arthur
" Sorell
" Torquay

S. T. HARDINGE,

Comptroller of Money Order Department.

LIST OF MONEY ORDER OFFICES IN NEW ZEALAND.

Auckland..... Province of Auckland.

Mongonui " "
Otahuhu " "
Onehunga " "
Port Waikato " "
Raglan " "
Russell " "
Wangarei " "

New Plymouth..... Province of Taranaki.

Napier..... Province of Hawke's Bay.

Wellington Province of Wellington.

Wanganui " "

Nelson Province of Nelson.

Collingwood " "

Picton Province of Marlborough.

Blenheim " "

Havelock " "

Christchurch..... Province of Canterbury.

Akaroa " "

Hokitika " "

Kaiapoi " "

Lyttelton " "

Timaru " "

Dunedin Province of Otago.

Arrow River " "

Alexandra (formerly "Manuherikia Junction")

Clyde (formerly "Dunstan")

Oamaru..... Province of Otago.

Port Chalmers " "

Queenstown " "

Tokomairiro " "

Tuapeka " "

Waikouaiti " "

Invercargill Province of Southland.

Campbelltown " "

Riverton " "

NOTE.—The office first named in each Province, and printed in italics, is the Chief Money Order Office of the Province.

CUSTOMS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned persons have been duly licensed to act as Custom House Agents at the Port of Auckland, under clause sixteen "Customs Regulation Act, 1858," until the 31st December, 1865.

Messrs. HASTEDT and LIERS, Wyndham Street, Auckland.

M. PHILLIP GEORGE MYER, Lower Queen Street, Auckland.

WILLIAM YOUNG,

Deputy Commissioner.

Customs, Auckland, 1st May, 1865.

CUSTOMS.

Goods entered outwards for Drawback of Duty.

NOTICE.—Goods entered outwards for Drawback under the 103 section of "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," on which the duty paid shall amount to Ten Pounds and upwards, must all have been imported in one ship, although more than one entry may have been passed for the payment of the duty, and in no case in future will the entries of two or more ships be allowed to form one claim for the drawback of duty.

J. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

Custom House, Dunedin,
this 8th day of May, 1865.

CUSTOMS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned persons have been duly licensed to act as Custom House Agents at the Port of Wellington, for the year ending 31st December, 1865:

WILLIAM BARNARD RHODES, Te Aro,
JOHN JOHNSTON, Te Aro.

W. SEED,
Deputy Commissioner.

Custom House, Wellington,
11th May, 1865.

CUSTOMS.

Notice.

DUTY having been paid upon the following articles by various merchants and importers in the Colony, under protest, the Commissioner of Customs directs it to be notified to the several Collectors and Sub-Collectors, that they may refund the Duty on all articles classed under Sub-Section, No. 14, of Section III. of "The New Customs Duties Act, 1864," retaining the Duties collected under all other Sub-Sections.

The classification of goods under protest is as follows, viz.:

Sub-Section, No. 4.—Agricultural Implements, such as Ploughs, Harrows, Chaff Cutters, &c.

Sub-Section, No. 7.—Forfar Sheeting, Jute, or Hemp Manufacture mixed with Silk, Cotton, or Wollen.

Sub-Section, No. 14.—All Metals manufactured into Rod, Bolt, Bar, and Sheet, Chains, Cheese, Felt, Hemp, and Jute Manufactures unmixed with any of the material enumerated in Sub-Section, No. 7.

Herrings, Vestas, and Lucifers of all kinds.

By order of the Commissioner,

S. CARKEEK,
Secretary and Inspector.

Office of Commissioner of Customs,
Wellington, this 22nd day of May, 1864.

CUSTOMS.

Notice.

THE following copy of a Letter from the Chief Registrar of British Shipping is published for general information by order of the Commissioner of Customs.

S. CARKEEK, Secretary.
Office of Commissioner of Customs,
this 25th day of May, 1865.

Custom House, London,
20th January, 1864.

SIR,—In reply to your letter of the 2nd October last, requesting information as to the mode of proceeding in regard to vessels constructively lost for which the Registry Certificate has been given up, as directed by the 53rd section of "The Merchant Shipping Act,

1854," in order to the due closing of the original Registry:

I have to inform you that on the vessel being again made seaworthy, and duly surveyed, the purchaser of the wreck would be entitled to re-registry on production of the bill of sale under which he acquired the vessel, on his making the requisite declaration of ownership, reciting the former particulars of the origin of the vessel. In all such cases of re-registry the former name and official number should be retained.

In any case of doubt as to the *bona fide* of the vessel as wreck, you would not proceed to such re-registry without the direction of the Governor of your Colony.

I am, Sir, &c., &c.,
W. H. G. LOWE,
Chief Registrar of British Shipping.

Land Claims Commissioner's Office,
Wellington, 10th May, 1865.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Grants (under the Land Claims Settlement Acts 1856-8,) to the undermentioned persons are lying at the above Office for delivery, on payment of the required fees thereon:—

Hanson, T.	Hopihana, Maryanne, and Thomas Sarah.
Bray, T.	Scott, Robert.
Osmond, G. B.	Ross, George.
McDernott, B.	Bolger, Edward.
McDonell, Webster, and Patterson	Waetford, Charles A.
McDonell, Webster, and Patterson	Osmond, Mary.
McDonnell, E.	Anderton, Harriet.
Hardiman, R.	Littlejohn, Anne.
Cook, Wm.	Browne, Cecilia.
Leaf, J.	Henry, Isabella.
Marmon, J.	Wilson, J.
Birch, A., and Birch, Wm.	Johnson, J.
Clendon, J. R.	McMillan, F.
Clendon, J. R.	Clendon, J.
Nicolson, J.	McCaskill, A.
Graham, G., Maunsell, R., and Clarke, G.	Shepherd, James.
Clendon, J. R.	Campbell, J. L.
McLiver, Jane.	Campbell, J. L.
McKay.	Thwaites, Robert.
	Brodie, Walter.

ALFRED DOMETT,
Land Claims Commissioner.

Registrar-General's Office,
Auckland, 1st May, 1865.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following names of OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of the said Act, are published for general information—

Wesleyan Methodist Society:

The Reverend JOHN BELL RICHARDSON,

Hebrew Congregations:
MR. BARNARD LEVY.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing NAMES OF OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," have been sent in to me in addition to the names in Lists published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 3, of the 31st of January, No. 12, of the 8th of April, and No. 13, of the 25th of April, in the present year.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this first day of May, 1865.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Auckland, 5th May, 1865.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following Names of OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of the said Act, are published for general information:—

Free Church of Scotland:

The Reverend JOHN McMICHAEL.
" JAMES CUMMING.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing NAMES of OFFICIATING MINISTERS, within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," have been sent in to me in addition to the names in Lists published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 3, of the 31st of January, No. 12, of the 8th of April, and No. 13, of the 25th of April, in the present year.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this fifth day of May, 1865.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar-General.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.—Otago and Southland District.

In the matter of the Petition of ANDREW HALDANE, of Waikava, in the Province of Otago, saw-mill proprietor, a debtor; and in the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

UPON reading the Petition of the said Andrew Haldane, and the affidavit thereto annexed, and upon hearing Mr. Cook, of counsel for the said petitioner: It is ordered that the petitioner do on or before the eighteenth day of March next, or within such extended time as this Court shall grant for that purpose, cede and deliver convey and assign all his estate and effects unto John Bell Mudie, of Dunedin, merchant, and James Mollison, of the same place, boot and shoemaker, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, according to the nature and quality thereof respectively, upon trust, for the purpose of selling, disposing of, getting in and receiving or otherwise realizing the same, and in the first place paying, satisfying and discharging all costs, charges and expenses incurred by order of this Court, or incidental to the execution of the trusts of the conveyance and assignment to be made in pursuance of this order, and all fees of Court, and all payments to the Insolvent Estates Fund payable under the thirty-ninth section of the said Act, and such other sums of money (if any) as shall be ordered by this Court and subject thereto, for the purpose of justly distributing and administering the clear residue of the said monies between and amongst and for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Andrew Haldane at the time of the presentation of his said petition, and who shall duly prove their debts by affidavit within six calendar months from the date of this order by way of *pro rata* distribution, subject to existing priorities; and if there shall be any surplus of the said monies, after answering the purposes aforesaid, shall pay such surplus to the said petitioner: and it is further ordered that the Registrar of this Court at Dunedin shall make and execute such cession and delivery, conveyance and assignment, in the name and on behalf of the said Andrew Haldane, and that such conveyance and assignment shall contain all requisite powers for enabling the said John Bell Mudie, and James Mollison, to recover and receive debts, monies, goods, chattels, estate and effects in any way belonging to or due and payable to the said petitioner, or any of such debts, or monies, goods, chattels, estate, or effects in

particular upon the trusts as aforesaid.

Dated this thirteenth day of February, 1865.

By the Court,

(L.S.) ROBT. CHAPMAN, Registrar.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.—Otago and Southland District.

In the matter of the Petition of ALEXANDER WILLIAMSON, of Princes-street, Dunedin, grocer and storekeeper, trading under the firm of "Jones and Williamson," a debtor; and in the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."

UPON reading the Petition of the said Alexander Williamson, and the affidavit thereto annexed, also the affidavit of the said Alexander Williamson, sworn and filed in these matters on the twenty-fourth day of March instant, and the affidavit of Edward Bethel Hammond, also sworn in these matters and filed on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and upon hearing Mr. Cook, of counsel for the said petitioner: It is ordered that the petitioner do on or before the fifteenth day of May next, or within such extended time as this Court shall grant for that purpose, cede and deliver convey and assign unto James Taylor McKerras, of Dunedin, merchant, and William Alexander Tolmie, also of Dunedin, merchant, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns respectively, according to the nature and quality thereof respectively, all the estate and effects of the petitioner, except certain hereditaments situate in Princes-street, in the town of Dunedin aforesaid, being part of section number thirty-nine (39), block nine on the record map of the said town, and comprised in a lease dated the ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (registered number 6251), made between Hyam Edward Nathan of the one part and the petitioner of the other part: and except also the wearing apparel of himself and his wife and children, and his household furniture, utensils and effects, upon trust for the purpose of selling, disposing of, getting in and receiving or otherwise realizing the same, and in the first place paying, satisfying, and discharging all costs, charges and expenses incurred by order of this Court, or incidental to the execution of the trusts of the conveyance and assignment to be made in pursuance of this order, and all fees of Court, and all payments to the Insolvent Estates Fund, payable under the thirty-ninth section of the said Act, and such other sums of money (if any) as shall be ordered by this Court, and subject thereto, for the purpose of justly distributing and administering the clear residue of the said monies between and amongst and for the benefit of all the creditors of the said petitioner at the time of the presentation of his said petition, and who shall duly prove their debts by affidavit within six calendar months from the date of this order, by way of *pro rata* distribution, subject to existing legal priorities; and if there shall be any surplus of the said monies, after answering the purposes aforesaid, shall pay such surplus to the said petitioner; and it is further ordered that the Registrar of this Court at Dunedin shall make and execute such cession and delivery, conveyance and assignment, in the name and on behalf of the said petitioner, and that such conveyance and assignment shall contain all requisite powers for enabling the said James Taylor McKerras, and William Alexander Tolmie, to recover and receive debts, monies, goods, chattels, estate and effects in any way belonging to or due and payable to the said petitioner, or any of such debts or monies, goods, chattels, estate, or effects in particular upon the trusts as aforesaid.

Dated this first day of April, 1865.

By the Court,

(L.S.) ROBT. CHAPMAN, Registrar.

RETURN OF THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF GOLD EXPORTED FROM NEW ZEALAND FROM 1ST APRIL, 1857, TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1864.

PORT OF EXPORT.	PRODUCE OF THE GOLD FIELDS IN THE PROVINCE OF	DURING QUARTER ENDED 31ST DEC., 1864.							EXPORTED PREVIOUS TO 30TH SEPT., 1864.		TOTAL EXPORTED FROM NEW ZEALAND TO 31ST DEC., 1864.	
		To Great Britain.	To New South Wales.	To Victoria.	To Tasmania.	To other Places	Quantity.	Value.	Ozs.	£	Ozs.	£
Auckland	Auckland	...	282	...	...	...	282	894	9,242	28,981	9,524	29,875
Nelson	Nelson	2	5,275	...	...	...	7,467	28,933	70,961	274,976	78,428	303,909
	Canterbury	...	1,430	10	...	...				
	Marlborough	...	750	...	...	...			
Havelock	"	1	4,560	25	...	...	4,586	17,770	18,176	69,431	24,088	92,335
Picton	"	...	1,090	31	...	205	1,326	5,134				
Lyttelton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	91	23	91
Dunedin	Otago	...	16,310	61,269	...	...	77,579	300,617	1,557,577	6,035,609	1,637,448	6,345,108
Invercargill	"	...	...	2,114	...	...	2,114	8,193				
Bluff	"	...	...	178	...	...	178	689				
Totals		3	29,697	63,627	...	205	93,532	362,230	1,635,979	6,409,088	1,749,511	6,771,318

WM. FRANCE,
Pro Secretary and Inspector of Customs.

Office of Commissioner of Customs,
Wellington, April 18th, 1865.

NOTE.—This Return is republished in consequence of errors in that published in Gazette No. 13, of 25th April, folio 128.

CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT, Esq., Registrar at Canterbury of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of Thomas Mills deceased, 23th November, 1862, intestate.

Dr.			Cr.		
1863.		£ s. d.	1863.		£ s. d.
Sept. 10.	To Cash of Union Bank . . .	80 18 6	July 20.	By postage to England . . .	0 1 0
Oct. 31.	To Cash of H. Drennes, for old saddle and bridle . . .	2 0 0	Aug. 11.	Ditto to England . . .	0 0 6
Nov. 16.	To Cash of D. Fisher, for filly sold by deceased . . .	18 0 0	" 26.	Ditto to Sydney . . .	0 0 6
1864.			" 26.	Court fees paid, viz., swearing, 2s., filing, 3s., affidavit as to death . . .	0 5 0
Oct. 8.	To Cash of D. and W. Hunter, for proceeds of cattle sold for £146, less Bank charges	145 5 6	" 28.	Setting down . . .	0 5 0
			" 28.	Order of Court . . .	0 6 0
			" 28.	Letters of Administration . . .	3 0 0
			Sept.	Cash paid advertisements for creditors and papers, viz., Standard, 6s., Press, 3s. 11d., Times, 7s. 6d.	0 17 5
			" 10.	Ditto special for property Times	0 7 0
			" 10.	By commission—5 per cent. on . . . £80 18 6	4 0 10
			Oct. 31.	Do. do.	2 0 0
			Nov. 16.	Do. do.	18 0 0
			1864.		
			Oct. 8.	Do. do.	145 5 6
				Court fees — Swearing, 2s., filing, 3s., affidavit as to value	0 5 0
			1865.		
			May 12.	By Court fees paid—viz., Swearing, 2s., filing, 3s., special affidavits,	0 5 0
				Ditto, to verify Inventory . . .	0 5 0
				Ditto, to verify Account . . .	0 5 0
			"	Advertisement of Amount in Gazette of New Zealand . . .	0 7 6
				Balance due to the estate, and carried down	227 8 0
		£246 4 0			£246 4 0
April	To Balance brought down	227 8 0			

ROBERT RODGER STRANG, Esq., Receiver of Intestate Estates for the Middle District of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of James Hillman, deceased, intestate.

DR.		CR.	
1864.	£ s. d.	1864.	£ s. d.
Feb. 2. By Proceeds account sales, sundries sold by Messrs. Bethune and Hunter	1 7 0	Paid Fees of Court filing two affidavits	0 6 0
By Proceeds account sales, watch, &c., sold by Messrs. Bethune and Hunter	3 0 0	July 5. Paid Order	0 6 0
		Paid Letters of Administration under £20	0 5 0
		1862.	
		March. Paid advertising notice to creditors	0 7 4
		1864.	
		Feb. 2. Paid Bethune & Hunter charges on sales	0 3 10
		1865.	
		Apr. 8. Paid do. do. do.	0 3 0
		Paid claim of J. R. Williams, £15 17s. 6d., dividend 2½d. in £	0 3 6
		Paid claim of J. E. Watkin, £8 17s. 9d., dividend 2½d. in £	0 2 0
		Paid do. J. Laing, £18 1s. 8d. do.	0 4 0
		Paid do. G. Waters, £2 15s. 9d. do.	0 0 8
		Paid claim of E. Rudman, £53 4s. 4d., dividend 2½d. in £	0 11 6
		Paid do. C. France, £5 5s., do.	0 1 1½
		Paid do. D. J. Biass, £4 12s., do.	0 1 0
		Paid claim of W. Rowlands, £68 0s. 11d., dividend 2½d. in £	0 15 0
		Paid claim of M'Kenzie & Muir, £12 5s., dividend 2½d. in £	0 2 8½
		Paid advertising balance sheet in <i>Gazette</i>	0 7 6
		Paid Official Administrator's commission on £4 7s. @ 8 ½ cent.	0 6 10
	£4 7 0		£4 7 0

CHRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT, Registrar at Canterbury of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of Richard Daires Fleetwood Brickdale, deceased, intestate, (passenger on board the "Captain Cook," in the year 1863.)

DR.		CR.	
1864.	£ s. d.	1864.	£ s. d.
Aug. 31. To Cash of Bank Letter of Credit	20 0 0	Aug. 4. By cash paid, Court Fees—viz., swearing, 2s.; filing affidavit, 3s.	0 5 0
Oct. 13. To Cash of Lomssan, nett proceeds of effects sold, less expenses on sale	2 17 7	Setting down	0 5 0
1865.		„ 5. Order of Court	0 6 0
March. To value of effects sent home to the Father (stg. Five Pounds)		Letters of Administration	1 10 0
		„ 12. Advertisements and papers— <i>Press</i> 4s, <i>Times</i> 9s, <i>Standard</i> 10s	1 3 0
		„ 31. By commission 5 ½ cent. on £20	1 0 0
		Oct. 13. By do. on £2 17s. 7d.	0 2 11
		1865.	
		March. By do. on 5 ½ cent. value of things sent home	0 5 0
		April. By Court Fees—viz.: swearing and filing affidavit, verifying inventory	0 5 0
		May 13. By do. account	0 5 0
		By advertisement of account in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i>	0 7 6
		„ 12. By cash paid father of deceased Residue	17 3 2
	£22 17 7		£22 17 7