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G. GREY, GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Criminal Jurisdiction Extension and Amendment Act, 1865," it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, at any time to suspend the operation of the second and third sections of "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," with respect to any Resident Magistrate's Court, provided always that such suspension shall not be held to prevent the issuing of warrants of distress or commitment, or otherwise enforcing due satisfaction of any judgment obtained in such Resident Magistrate's Court previous to such suspension. And whereas by a proclamation bearing date the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the first day of June then next ensuing was determined and declared to be the day on and from which the provisions of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," and especially the powers conferred by sections two and three thereof, should be exercised to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Rangitikei, in the Province of Wellington: And whereas it is expedient to suspend the operation of the said second and third sections of the said Act with respect to the Resident Magistrate's Court at Rangitikei aforesaid:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that the operation of the said second and third sections of "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall be suspended with respect to the said Resident Magistrate's Court at Rangitikei from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, now next ensuing.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Criminal Jurisdiction Extension and Amendment Act, 1865," it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, at any time to suspend the operation of the second and third sections of "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act 1862," with respect to any Resident Magistrate's Court, provided always that such suspension shall not be held to prevent the issuing of warrants of distress or commitment, or otherwise enforcing due satisfaction of any judgment obtained in such Resident Magistrate's Court previous to such suspension. And whereas by a proclamation bearing date the eleventh day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, the first day of December then next ensuing was determined and declared to be the day on and from which the provisions of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," and especially the powers conferred by sections two and three thereof, should be exercised to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Hamilton, in the Province of Otago: And whereas it is expedient to suspend the operation of the said second and third sections of the said Act with respect to the Resident Magistrate's Court at Hamilton aforesaid:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and

exercise of the power and authority so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that the operation of the said second and third sections of "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall be suspended with respect to the said Resident Magistrate's Court at Hamilton from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, now next ensuing.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of an Order in Council of even date herewith, do hereby proclaim and declare that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds in respect of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Naseby, in the Province of Otago.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

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G. GREY, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of an Order in Council

of even date herewith, do hereby proclaim and declare that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds in respect of the Court of the Resident Magistrate exercising jurisdiction within the district comprised between the rivers Rangitata and Waitangi, east of the dividing range, in the Province of Canterbury.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The District Courts Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to bring into operation, with respect to any District Court, from and after a day to be named in such proclamation, either the whole of the said Act, or such sections thereof as to him may seem fit: Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority vested in me for this purpose do hereby proclaim and declare the first day of December, to be the day on and from which the said "District Courts Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1866," shall come into operation with respect to the District Court of Wanganui, the District Court of Marlborough, and the District Court of Hawke's Bay.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is provided that there shall be within the Colony Courts of Record to be called District Courts, and the Governor is empowered, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the Colony, or in any part thereof, districts within which such Courts shall be respectively held, and from time to time, by notification in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to fix the times and places within the district at which every such Court shall be held:

And whereas by a proclamation bearing date the nineteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the Province of Hawke's Bay was

constituted a district within which a District Court should be held under the said "District Courts Act, 1858:"

And whereas by such notification as aforesaid, on the said nineteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, certain times were fixed for the holding of Sessions of the District Court of Hawke's Bay, and it is expedient that there should be additional sittings of the said Court within the said Province:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby further, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, fix that Sessions of the said District Court shall also be held in the Resident Magistrate's Court at Waipawa, in the said Province, in every year, on the tenth day of January, the tenth day of April, the tenth day of July, the tenth day of October, or as soon as conveniently may be after such day respectively.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-third day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. GREY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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," and a 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 of the Colony of New Zealand by and 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 district within the following limits to be a District for the formation of a Jury List under the said recited Ordinances, viz:—A radius of ten miles from the Resident Magistrate's Court House at Waipawa in the Province of Hawkes' Bay.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the "Jury Law Amendment Act, 1862," it is enacted that the term "Police Magistrate," contained in an Ordinance passed by the Governor and Legislative Council of New Zealand, (Session II, No. 3,) entitled "An Ordinance

to regulate the constitution of Juries," and in a further Ordinance passed by the Governor and the said Council, (Session III, No. 2,) entitled "An Ordinance to make temporary provisions for the constitution of Juries," shall mean and imply the Resident Magistrate for the time being of the principal City or Town in each Province, and also the Resident Magistrate acting in any District or Place which may be from time to time specified in any Proclamation to be issued in that behalf by or under the authority of the Governor in Council: Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor as aforesaid of the said Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, proclaim and declare the Resident Magistrate exercising jurisdiction within the district bounded as follows:—on the North-east by the Tangiro River from its mouth to the Tutera Lake, thence by a line North-west to the northern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; on the North by the northern boundary of the said Province; on the West by the western boundary of the said Province; on the South by the southern boundary of the said Province; on the East by the sea, excepting the town of Napier, within the said Province of Hawke's Bay, to be a Police Magistrate for the purposes mentioned in the said Ordinances.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrates' Court, on a day to be determined by a proclamation in the Government Gazette, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of an Order in Council of even date herewith, do hereby proclaim and declare that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force in respect of the Court of the Resident Magistrate exercising jurisdiction within the district bounded as follows:—on the North-east by the Tangiro River from its mouth to the Tutera Lake, thence by a line north-west to the northern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; on the North by the northern boundary of the said Province; on the West by the western boundary of the said Province; on the South by the southern boundary of the said Province; on the East by the sea, excepting the Town of Napier, in the said Province of Hawke's Bay.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the Government Gazette, pursuant to an Order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of an Order in Council of even date herewith, do hereby proclaim and declare that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds in respect of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Cobden, in the District of Westland, in the Province of Nelson.

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this twenty-third day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Indemnity Act, 1866," it is enacted that all and singular the Officers of Her Majesty's forces, and all and every other person and persons whosoever who shall at any time before the passing of this Act have done any act matter or thing, or advised, commanded, ordered, or directed any act, matter, or thing to be done in or about the suppressing or quelling of the insurrections in the preamble of the said Act mentioned, or in or about the resisting, apprehending, detaining, or confining, or imprisoning of any person or persons concerned or suspected to be concerned therein, or in or about the destroying or damaging of the property belonging to any person or persons concerned or suspected to be concerned in the said insurrections, or in or about the preserving or restoring of peace or good order in any part of the said Colony, or the apprehension, detention, confinement, or imprisonment of any dangerous or disloyal person or persons, or of any person or persons believed or suspected to be dangerous or disloyal, or the providing for the safety of Her Majesty's peaceful and loyal subjects, should be and they were thereby severally and respectively

freed, acquitted, and indemnified of, from, and against the same, and all actions, suits, indictments, informations, prosecutions, proceedings, and liabilities whatsoever: And by the same Act it is also enacted, that in order to prevent any doubt which may arise whether any act matter or thing alleged to have been so done, or advised, commanded, ordered, or directed to be done as aforesaid in or about the quelling of the said insurrections, the resisting, apprehending, detaining, confining, or imprisoning of any person or persons concerned or suspected to be concerned therein, the destroying or damaging of property belonging to any person or persons concerned or suspected to be concerned in the said insurrections, the preserving or restoring peace or good order in any part of the said Colony, the apprehension, detention, confinement, or imprisonment of any dangerous or disloyal person or persons, or of any person or persons believed to be dangerous or disloyal, or the providing for the safety of Her Majesty's peaceable and loyal subjects, shall have been done in or about the quelling of the said insurrection, or in or about some or all of the matters aforesaid, it shall be lawful for the Governor to declare any such act matter or thing to come within the provisions of the said Act, and that such declaration, signified by writing under the hand of the Governor, of which all Courts shall take judicial cognizance, shall be a sufficient discharge and indemnity to all and every person and persons concerned in any such act matter or thing, and shall be conclusive evidence that such act matter or thing was done, or advised, commanded, ordered, or directed to be done in or about some or all of the other matters aforesaid: And whereas on the fifth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, at Whakataane, on the East Coast of the Northern Island of New Zealand, a certain vessel or cutter named the "Margaret" whereof one — Young, was master, was seized by or by the order of John Henry Herbert St. John, Major of the First Waikato Regiment, and the Officer Commanding the Local Forces at Opotiki: Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, K.C.B., the Governor, do by this writing under my hand declare such seizure of the cutter "Margaret," as aforesaid, to come within the provisions of "The Indemnity Act, 1866."

Given under the hand of 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, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. GREY, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Military Pensions Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time to constitute and appoint a Board or Boards of Medical Officers, and to cancel or vary any appointment at pleasure; such Board or Boards in each case to consist of not less than three duly qualified Medical Practitioners.

Now, therefore I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, do hereby appoint FREDERICK FRANCIS ORMOND, M.R.C.S.L. & L.A.C.S. SAMUEL THORP, M.R.C.S., and GEORGE IRELAND RUSSELL, M.R.C.S., to constitute a Board of Medical Officers for the

purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said recited Act.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.
T. M. HAULTAIN.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the Government Gazette, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby order and direct that the first day of December next shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrate's Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force, to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds, in respect of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Naseby, in the Province of Otago.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the Government Gazette, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby order and direct that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force in respect of the Court of the Resident Magistrate exercising jurisdiction within the district comprised between the rivers Rangitata and Waitangi, east of the dividing range, in the Province of Canterbury.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Provisional Jury List Act, 1865," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, from time to time, order that a Jury List shall be formed for any district to be in such order defined, at any time after the date of such order and prior to the first of February next following such date, but in other respects in manner provided in an Ordinance of the Governor and Legislative Council of New Zealand (Session III., No. 2), intituled "An Ordinance to make temporary provision for the constitution of Juries;" and that every such list when transmitted to the Sheriff shall be the Jury List for the District for which it shall have been formed until the twenty-eighth day of February next following the date of such order and no longer, anything in the said Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the said recited power and authority, doth hereby with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, order, that on the twenty-fourth day of December next, a Jury List shall be formed for the district, to be called the Wapawa District, as defined in and by a certain proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor, of even date herewith.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a Proclamation in the Government Gazette, pursuant to an order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby order and direct that the first day of December next, shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force in respect of the Court of the Resident Magistrate exercising jurisdiction within the district bounded as follows:—on the North-east by the Tangiro River from its mouth to the Tutera Lake, thence by a line North-west to the northern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; on the North by the northern boundary of the said Province; on the West by the western boundary of the said Province; on the South by the southern boundary of the said Province; on the East by the sea, excepting the town of Napier, in the said Province of Hawke's Bay.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," it is

enacted that the limits of jurisdiction of any Resident Magistrate's Court within the Colony may be extended in manner therein set forth; and it is further enacted that the second and third sections of the said Act shall come into force in respect of any Resident Magistrate's Court, on a day to be determined by a proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, pursuant to an Order of the Governor in Council:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby order and direct that the first day of December next shall be the day on and from which the second and third sections of the said "Resident Magistrates' Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1862," shall come into force, to the limit of jurisdiction of one hundred pounds, in respect of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Cobden, in the District of Westland, in the Province of Nelson.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The New Zealand Post Office Act, 1858," power is given to the Governor in Council from time to time to fix the amount of gratuities to be paid to masters of vessels for the conveyance of mails or letters.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, the amount of gratuities so to be paid was so fixed, and it is desirable to alter and amend the same:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, and by and with the consent of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order revoke so much of the Order of the eighteenth December, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, as is contained in clause fifty-one of the Regulations for the management of Post Offices thereto attached, and doth make the following Regulation in lieu thereof, and doth further declare that this Order shall take effect from the first day of January, 1867.

Regulation.

Gratuities shall be paid to masters of unsubsidized vessels on mails despatched to any place out of the Colony, at the rate of one penny per letter or packet not including newspapers.

Gratuities shall be paid to masters of unsubsidized vessels on mails despatched from any Post Office in any Province within the Colony to any other Post Office without the same Province but within the Colony, at the rate of one halfpenny per letter or packet not including newspapers.

Gratuities shall be paid to the masters of unsubsidized vessels on mails conveyed from any Post Office within any Province to any other Post Office within the same Province or to or from any Post Office within the Colony, and any vessel lying in any port or outside of any port, but not being more than six miles from such port, at the rate of one farthing per letter or packet not including newspapers.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1862," it is provided that the Judges of the Supreme Court from time to time with the approval of the Governor in Council, may revoke or alter any rules for the time being in force, touching the administration of the effects and estates of persons deceased, and with such approval as aforesaid, may make new and other rules in that behalf, and also touching the practice and procedure of the Supreme Court, in respect of any matter or thing for the time being or which shall at any time be within the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, and such new or other rules with such approval as aforesaid may from time to time alter and revoke. And whereas their Honors the Judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony, have in pursuance of the power so vested in them as aforesaid, made the following general rules touching the practice and procedure of the said Court: Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby signify his approval of the said rules.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

REGULE GENERALES.

[October, 1866.]

By virtue of the powers vested in us by law, it is ordered by us, the undersigned, Judges of the said Court, that the following general rules shall come into and be in force on and after the first day of January, A.D., 1867:—

1st. Pleading Provincial Ordinances.

When any party pleading relies upon any provision contained in any Act or Ordinance of any Provincial Council, he shall insert in the margin of the pleading the title and date of such Act or Ordinance, and the number of any section thereof on which he relies; and it shall not be necessary to set out the words or state the provisions of any such section, except in such cases and in such manner as would be necessary if the same were contained in an Imperial Act, or an Act of the General Assembly.

2nd. Fee for Copying Documents and Office Copies.

The fee of 6d. per folio for copying documents, and for office copies chargeable according to Schedule D. of the *Regulæ Generales* of May, 1861, is hereby abolished, and instead thereof there shall be payable within each judicial district of the Colony for every folio of seventy-two words copied such fee not exceeding 6d., and not less than 4d. per folio, as the Judge of such district shall direct by a notice to be posted in the office of the Registrars and Deputy Registrars within such district.

ALEXANDER J. JOHNSTON,
Acting Chief Justice.

H. B. GRESSON, J.

C. W. RICHMOND, J.

H. S. CHAPMAN, J.

J. S. MOORE, J.

G. GREY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the
twenty-third day of November, 1866.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Intestate Estates Act, 1865," it is amongst other things enacted that every person appointed Curator shall forthwith provide security for such sum, not being less than two thousand pounds, and in such manner and form as the Governor in Council shall from time to time direct, for the due performance of the duties of his office, and for the due accounting for and payment of all moneys which shall come to the possession or be under the control of himself or his agents by reason of or by virtue of his or their office or employment :

And whereas by an Order in Council bearing date the twelfth day of October last, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, did, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority vested in him, order and direct that the security to be given by every person appointed to be a Curator of Intestate Estates under the provisions of the said recited Act should be a joint and several bond in the form set forth in the Schedule thereto: And whereas it is expedient to make further provision for the giving of such security as aforesaid :

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the power so vested in him as aforesaid, doth hereby, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, order and direct that the security to be given by every person appointed to be a Curator of Intestate Estates under the provisions of the above recited Act shall be a joint and several bond in the form set forth in the Schedule hereto marked A., which shall be entered into and executed by the Curator or principal, together with two approved sureties, for the sum of two thousand pounds, subject to the condition that no more than the sum of one thousand pounds shall be recoverable from each of the persons appointed sureties, or in the usual form of guarantees given by Insurance Companies to Government, for the sum of one thousand pounds; together with a personal bond in the form set forth in the Schedule hereto marked B., for the like sum of two thousand pounds, and one surety in the sum of one thousand pounds.

FORSTER GORING,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

SCHEDULE A.

Know all men by these presents that we¹ and² are held and firmly bound unto Her Majesty Queen Victoria in the sum of two thousand pounds of good and lawful money of Great Britain, to be paid unto our said Lady the Queen, her heirs and successors, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and every of us, jointly and severally for and in the whole, and the heirs, executors, and administrators of us and every of us, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals. Dated this³ day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

WHEREAS the said has been appointed a Curator of Intestate Estates, and whereas the above bounden have agreed to join with the said in the above-written bond or obligation as the sureties of the said for the due and faithful performance of the duties of his said office :

Now the condition of the above written obligation is such that if the said from time to time, so long as he shall continue and be employed in the said office, shall duly perform the duties of the said office, and duly account for and pay over all moneys which shall come to the possession, or be under the control of himself or his agents, by reason of or by virtue of the said office or employment; and shall from time to time observe and keep all such orders and instructions as he shall receive from the Governor of New Zealand for the time being touching the due performance and execution of the said office: and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, so long as he shall hold the said office well and truly, faithfully and honestly, to the best of his skill and ability, exercise, obey, discharge, and perform all the duties thereof, and also all the powers, directions, duties, and obligations given to conferred upon or to be performed and discharged by him under any law for the time being relating to the said office; and shall, when thereunto required, deliver up all books, deeds, rules of the Supreme Court, vouchers, and other papers relating to the said office, and also such commission, warrant, or authority as he hath received or shall receive from the Governor, to such person as the Governor shall direct and appoint to receive the same, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue: provided always that no more than the sum of one thousand pounds shall be recoverable from each of them the said sureties by virtue of the above-written obligation.

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the above-named⁴ in the presence of⁵

¹ Name and residence of officer at length.

² Names, residences, and occupations of sureties, at length.

³ Date of first signature in words at length.

⁴ A seal to be affixed for each party, and the bond to be signed in the presence of two witnesses, who must sign their names, adding their residences and occupations.

⁵ An attestation must be added for each separate witnessing.

SCHEDULE B.

Know all men by these presents that we¹ and² are held and firmly bound unto Her Majesty Queen Victoria in the sum of two thousand pounds of good and lawful money of Great Britain, to be paid unto our said Lady the Queen, Her heirs and successors, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves jointly and severally, and our heirs, executors, and administrators, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seal. Dated this³ day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

WHEREAS the said has been appointed a Curator of Intestate Estates in the Province of and whereas the said hath agreed to become the surety of the said

Now the condition of the above-written obligation is such that if the said from time to time, so long as he shall continue and be employed in the said office, shall duly perform the duties of the said office, and duly account for and pay over all moneys which shall come to the possession, or be under the control of himself or his agents, by reason of or by virtue of the said office or employment; and shall from time to time observe and keep all such orders and instructions as he shall receive from the Governor of New Zealand for the time being touching the due performance and execution of the said office; and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, so long as he shall hold the said office well and truly, faithfully and honestly, to the best of his skill and ability, exercise, obey, discharge,

and perform all the duties thereof, and also all the powers, directions, duties, and obligations given to conferred upon or to be performed and discharged by him under any law for the time being relating to the said office; and shall, when thereunto required, deliver up all books, deeds, rules of the Supreme Court, vouchers, and other papers relating to the said office, and also such commission, warrant, or authority as he hath received or shall receive from the Governor, to such person as the Governor shall direct and appoint to receive the same, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue: provided always that no more than the sum of one thousand pounds shall be recoverable from the said his heirs, executors, and administrators, by virtue of the above-written obligation.

Signed, sealed and delivered by the above-named⁴ in the presence of⁵

¹ Name and residence of officer at length.

² Name residence and occupation of surety at length.

³ Date of first signature in words at length.

⁴ A seal to be affixed for each party, and the bond to be signed in the presence of two witnesses, who must sign their names, adding their residences and occupations.

⁵ An attestation must be added for each separate witnessing.

G. GREY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of November, 1866.

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 hereunto 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 Canterbury, 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 Canterbury, which stamp shall be kept in the custody of the Provincial Treasurer of the Province of Canterbury, in a strong box, having two distinct locks and two keys, one thereof to be in the keeping of the Colonial Treasurer or of the Colonial Sub-Treasurer at Canterbury, and the other in the keeping of the Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury. 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 authorized by law shall have been stamped, nor otherwise than for the purpose of stamping such coupons.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Description of Stamp referred to in above Order in Council, viz.:—the impression of the signatures of W. S. Moorhouse, Superintendent; A. Blakiston, Keeper of Public Records; F. E. Stewart, Member of Executive Council.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st November, 1866.

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

E. W. STAFFORD.

[CIRCULAR.]

Downing Street, 22nd December, 1865.

SIR,—With reference to my Circular Despatch of the 19th May last, enclosing a copy of the Colonial Naval Defence Act, 28 Vic., cap. 14, I have now the honor to inform you that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have laid down the following Rules as to the Flag to be borne by any Vessels maintained by any Colony under the clauses of that Act:—

1. That any Vessel provided and used under the 3rd section of the Colonial Naval Defence Act, should wear the Blue Ensign, with the Seal or Badge of the Colony in the Fly thereof, and a Blue Pennant.

2. That all Vessels belonging to, or permanently in the service of the Colonies, but not commissioned as Vessels of War under the Act above referred to, should wear a similar Blue Ensign, but not the Pennant.

You will take care that these instructions be in future strictly complied with.

I have at the same time to request you to furnish me with a list of any such vessels belonging to the Colony under your government, and to send me, for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, a correct Drawing of the Seal or Badge, which is to form the distinguishing mark adopted by the Colony of

I have, &c.,

EDWARD CARDWELL.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DANIEL SHEA LAWLOR, Esq.,

to be Returning Officer for the District of Riverton, for the election of Members of the House of Representatives.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WRIGMAN ROBINSON, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the District of Dunstan, in the Province of Otago.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK WHITAKER, Esq., Government Agent at Auckland,

to be the Commissioner, under the Regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 59, of the 23rd November, 1866, for the sale and disposal of the lands taken in the Province of Auckland for settlement under "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," or "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865."

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to grant Letters Patent, dated the seventh day of November, 1866, under "The Patents Act, 1860," in favour of

CHARLES JAMES POWNALL,

of the Thames, in the Province of Auckland, gentleman, for an invention for the "Improvements in the treatment and preparation of Flax," with all the privileges thereunto belonging.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

IT is hereby notified that

WILLIAM INNES BRIDGES, Esq.,

has been appointed by the General Government to be Crown Lands Ranger for the Province of Southland. This appointment dates from the 1st September, 1866.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that His Excellency the Governor, on behalf of Her Majesty, on the 8th October, 1866, assented to "The Land Regulations Extension (Hawke's Bay) Act 1866."

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

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

ARTHUR DAVIES HARVEY, Esq., of St. Bathans,

BORTHWICK ROBERT BAIRD, Esq., of Mount Ida,

EDGAR HALL CAREW, Esq., of McCrae's, and

JOHN MACKAY, Esq., of Waitahuna,

JAMES CHARLES THOMSON, Esq., of Alexandra,

in the Province of Otago, and by

EDWARD HARDCASTLE, Esq., of Hokitika,

in the Province of Canterbury, of their appointments as Justices of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

E. W. STAFFORD.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 6th November, 1866.

IT is hereby notified for public information, that in future the Post Office of Tuapeka, in the Province of Otago, will be denominated the Post Office of "Laurence."

JOHN HALL.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 16th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

JAMES MELVILLE BALFOUR, Esq.,

Marine Engineer for the Colony of New Zealand, to frank and receive free from pre-payment of postage, letters and packets addressed from or to him on the public service.

E. W. STAFFORD,
(in the absence of Mr. Hall.)

General Post Office,
Wellington, 16th November, 1866.

THE following Notice received from the General Post Office, Sydney, respecting the extension of the Money Order System; is published for general information.

E. W. STAFFORD,
(in the absence of Mr. Hall.)

General Post Office,
Sydney, 26th October, 1866.

Post Office Money Orders.

WITH reference to Treasury Notice of the 10th December, 1862, published in *Government Gazette*, No. 231, it is hereby notified, that on and after the 1st November, 1866, the Post Office Money Order System will be extended to the following place, viz.:

LITTLE HARTLEY.

J. DOCKER.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:-
In the Auckland Militia.

John Douglas Hill to be Ensign. Date of Commission, 14th May, 1866.

In the Auckland Troop—Royal Cavalry Volunteers.

Charles Cowan, M.D., to be Honorary Assistant Surgeon. Date of Commission, 4th October, 1866.

J. C. RICHMOND,
(In the absence of Colonel Haultain.)

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:-
Captain John Valentine Smith to be Major in the Wellington Militia. Date of Commission, 23rd November, 1866.

Major John Valentine Smith to command the Militia and Volunteers in the Wairarapa District. Date of Commission, 23rd November, 1866.

In the No. 2 Battery, Lyttelton Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant Thomas Ritchie, (No. 3 Company Canterbury Rifle Volunteers,) to be Captain. Date of Commission, 7th September, 1866.

Ensign Sydney Evelyn Wright, (No. 3 Company, Canterbury Rifle Volunteers,) to be 1st Lieutenant. Date of Commission, 7th September, 1866.

J. C. RICHMOND,
(in the absence of Colonel Haultain.)

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignations of the Commissions held by the undermentioned officers, viz.:-
Captain Raleigh Peacocke, Auckland Militia.

Lieutenant J. R. Duncan, Waipawa Cavalry
Volunteers.

J. C. RICHMOND,
(in the absence of Colonel Haultain.)

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Corps, viz. :—

The No. 9 (Woodend) Company, Canterbury Rifle Volunteers. Date of acceptance, 11th October, 1866.

The West Taieri Company Rifle Volunteers. Date of acceptance, 19th October, 1866.

J. C. RICHMOND,
(in the absence of Colonel Haultain.)

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Corps, viz. :

The No. 2 battery, Lyttelton Artillery Volunteers. Date of Acceptance, 7th September, 1866.

J. C. RICHMOND,
(in the absence of Colonel Haultain.)

Office of the Commissioner of Customs.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, the Commissioner of Customs, do hereby approve and appoint a building situate in Lower Queen Street, at the Port of Auckland, and known as

OWEN AND GRAHAM'S WAREHOUSE,
to be a Warehouse for the reception of goods under bond.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

J. C. RICHMOND.

Office of the Commissioner of Customs.

IN exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," I, the Commissioner of Customs, do hereby approve and appoint a building situate in Tuam Street, Christchurch, in the Province of Canterbury, and known as

THIEL'S WAREHOUSE,
to be a Warehouse for the reception of goods under bond.

Given under my hand at Wellington, this eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

J. C. RICHMOND.

Native Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

EBASMUS ROBERT FOSTER, Esq.,
to be a Surveyor under "The Native Lands Act, 1865."

J. C. RICHMOND.

Native Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

WELLINGTON CARRINGTON, Esq.,
to be a Surveyor under "The Native Lands Act, 1865."

J. C. RICHMOND.

Native Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th November, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HAKIRIWHI TE PUREWHA,
to be an Assessor under "The Native Lands Act, 1865."

J. C. RICHMOND.

Native Land Court Office,
Auckland, 31st October, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that the titles of persons to land within the district of country hereunder described, will be investigated, under "The Native Lands Act, 1865," and "The East Coast Land Titles Investigation Act, 1866," as soon as the surveys thereof shall be sufficiently advanced. Information will be given of the times and places of session in a future notice.

F. D. FENTON,
Chief Judge.

SCHEDULE.

All that territory within the Province of Auckland bounded as follows—to the north and east by the sea, from Lottin Point to the northern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay, thence by the said boundary to the summit of the Maunga Haruru Range, thence by a line to Haurangi, thence by a line to Purororangi, thence by a line to Hikurangi, and thence by a line to Lottin Point.

HE PANUITANGA.

Tai o te kooti Whakawa Whenua Maori,
Akarana, 31 Oketopa, 1866.

KIA mohio nga tangata katoa, ka whakawakia nga take whenua a nga tangata e pa ana ki te Takiwa Whenua e mau iho nei, i runga i nga tikanga o te Ture Whakawa Whenua Maori o te tau, 1865, o te Ture Whakawa mo nga Whenua o te Tai Rawhiti, 1866. Kia oti te whenua te ruri ka whakaaturia te rame te wahi e tu ai te kooti, kei tetahi atu Panuitanga.

NA TE PENETANA,
Tumuaki Whakawa.

NGA ROHE.

Ko taua whenua katoa i te Porowine o Akarana, e mau nei ona rohe. Ko te rohe o te taha ki te Raki ki te Rawhiti hoki, ko te moana, ka timata i Lottin Point, ka rere a tae noa ki te Rohe whakararo o te Porowine o Ahuriri, ka rere atu i taua rohe, a, tae noa ki te tihi o Maungaharuru, ka maaro atu i reira, a, Haurangi, ka maaro atu i reira, a, Purororangi, ka maaro atu i reira, a, Hikurangi, ka maaro atu, a, Lottin Point, te wahi i timata ai.

Registrar-General's Office,
Auckland, 6th November, 1866.

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 name of an OFFICIATING MINISTER within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information :—

Hebrew Congregations,
Mr. HENRY JONES.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing NAME of an OFFICIATING MINISTER within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," has been sent in to me, in addition to the names in Lists published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 9, of the 30th of January; No. 13, of

the 3rd March; No. 17, of the 24th March; No. 20, of the 11th of April; No. 22, of the 24th of April; No. 28, of the 14th of May; No. 34, of the 8th of June; No. 36, of the 20th June; No. 41, of the 6th July; No. 42, of the 19th of July; No. 46, of the 15th August; and No. 57, of the 31st October, in the present year.

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this seventh day of November, 1866.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar-General.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand:

In the matter of the New Zealand Banking Corporation, Limited; and in the matter of "The Companies Act, 1862."

THE creditors of the abovenamed Corporation resident in New Zealand and the Australasian Colonies, are required, on or before the thirty-first day of January, 1867, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Thomas Stephen Evans, at the Commercial Bank of New Zealand, Manse Street, Dunedin, one of the official liquidators of the abovenamed Corporation; and if so required, by notice in writing from the said official liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their debts or claims at the said offices of the said official liquidator, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default, that they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

The first day of May, 1867, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Rolls Yard, Chancery Lane, London, England, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of July, 1866.

(L.S.) JOHN WM. HAWKINS, Chief Clerk.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1861.—Robert Sewallis Wayne, now of Great Malvern, in the County of Worcester, late of Carey Parade, and Torwood Gardens, Torquay, Devon, England (where he resided for the longest period during the last six months preceding the adjudication), previously of Stoneburn Station, Otago, New Zealand, sheep farmer, but now out of business, having been adjudged bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, on the twenty-third day of July, 1866, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before Biggs Andrews, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on Monday, the first day of October next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at Queen Street, Exeter, England, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. At this sitting an adjournment will be asked for to give time for creditors to prove their debts.

The first meeting of creditors has been duly held, and at the public sitting abovementioned proofs of debts of creditors who have not proved will be received; and the bankrupt will be required to surrender himself to the said Court, and to submit himself to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all his estate and effects, and to finish his examination.

Notice is hereby also given to all person indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, not to deliver the same but to Mr. Theophilus Carrick, Queen Street, Exeter, official assignee, whom the Court has appointed, and give notice to Mr. E. B.

Randall, of 3, Grey's Inn Place, London, the solicitor in the bankruptcy, or his agent, Mr. Pitts, solicitor, Exeter.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made by me, the undersigned, MICHAEL MURRAY, of Papakura Bridge, near Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, Rope Manufacturer, in accordance with "The Patents Act, 1860," for the issue of Letters Patent, granting to me the exclusive right to use a machine embracing certain improvements for preparing for use New Zealand Flax and other fibrous substances. And I hereby further give notice that I require any person who may wish to prefer any objection to the granting of such letters patent, to send, within four months from the publication hereof, to C. Knight, Esq., of Wellington, M.D., being the person appointed for that purpose under the provisions of the said Act, a statement in writing setting forth the grounds of such objection.

MICHAEL MURRAY.

In the undersigned GEORGE ROYAN, hereby make application to register "The Maori Reserve Gold Mining Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Maori Reserve Gold Mining Company."
2. The place of operations is at Woodstock.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is four thousand pounds sterling in four thousand shares of one pound each.
4. The amount already paid up is two hundred and eighty-five pounds sterling.
5. The name of the manager is George Royan.
6. The office of the Company is at Messrs. Rees and Tyler's, corner Camp and Wharf Streets, Hokitika.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
William Taylor	Hau Hau	12
William Wreath	Ditto	12
Paul Keating	Ditto	6
Mrs. Charles Ward	Woodstock	10
Mrs. Wildridge	Ditto	6
William Williams	Hau Hau	10
John McGowan	Woodstock	10
D. H. Higgins	Hokitika	50
William Higgins	Ditto	50
Henry Polson	Kanieri	10
Frederick Allen	Ditto	5
Charles Tortt	Ditto	10
Archibald McAlister	Woodstock	10
Phillip Hainy	Ditto	10
John Hardy	Ditto	10
J. Peter Manuel	Kanieri	5
Francis Foster	Ditto	5
Robert McMath	Ditto	10
Jonathan Brown	Woodstock	10
Samuel Walton	Ditto	10
Joseph Williams	Hokitika	50
Gordon and Burns	Kanieri	5
Thomas Learmont	Ditto	20
John Murphy	Ditto	20
John M. Ryan	Ditto	5
Thomas Young	Waimea	8
Frederick Cater	Kanieri	10
Adam Thomson	Ditto	10

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
Hans Bloch	Hokitika	20
Ricard F. Donovan	Ditto	40
H. J. Edwards	Ditto	5
W. L. Rees	Ditto	200
Bunter Clapcott	Woodstock	20
Lynch and Maguire	Hokitika	50
John Baillie	Ditto	15
Enos Raby	Ditto	50
Fitzherbert McDermott	Ditto	20
James Higgin	Ditto	25
Liddell and McLeod	Ditto	10
William Shaw	Ditto	20
Richard Reeves	Ditto	40
James Smith	Hau Hau	8
George Turner	Three-mile Creek	100
James Rea	Hokitika	50
James Taylor	Ditto	8
Edward Clarke	Ditto	8
Colin Shaw	Ditto	10
Charles Christy	Kaneiri	10
Osceola Powell	Hokitika	5
George Royan	Woodstock	400
— Martin	Ditto	800
John Collins	Ditto	400
— Clarke	Ditto	400

Dated this fifth day of November, 1866.
 GEORGE ROYAN, Manager.

Witness to signature—G. S. SALE, J.P.

I the undersigned, PETER WALSH, hereby make application to register "The Suspension Water Race Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that

the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Suspension Water Race Company, Registered."
2. The place of operations is at Black's No. 1 Diggings.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is six thousand pounds in three hundred shares of twenty pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is four thousand pounds sterling.
5. The name of the manager is Peter Walsh.
6. The office of the Company is at Black's No. 1.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders and the number of shares held by each at this date are as follows:—

Name.	Residence.	No. of Shares.
Peter Walsh	...	15
James Power	...	15
Timothy Gilligan	...	15
Patrick Wickham	...	15
Owen Gannon	...	15
Malcolm McDonald	...	15
John McDonald	...	15
Patrick Nehill	...	7½
James Rivers	Alexandra	7½
Michael Gaffney	St. Bathen's	7½
Naylor Hillary	Black's No. 1	7½
Peter Walsh in trust for the Company	...	165

300

PETER WALSH.

Witness—W. L. SIMPSON, J.P.
 Upper Manuherikia District.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of ROBERT POLLOCK, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons for the Province of Nelson, during the Month of August, 1866.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
	John Fleming	Nelson	England	Transferred by Registrar of Supreme Court, 24th July, 1866	£ s. d. 2 9 9	November 28, 1864	Amount handed over by outgoing administrator.
	Thomas Smith	Nelson	England	Transferred by Registrar of Supreme Court, 24th July, 1866	839 0 7	March 8, 1863	This amount, part handed over by outgoing administrator, and remainder from rent, received subsequently.

Dated the seventh day of September, 1866.

ROBERT POLLOCK, Curator.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of ROBERT POLLOCK, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons for the Province of Nelson, during the Month of September, 1866.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	John Coady	Moonlight Creek	Ireland	21st Sept., 1866	£ s. d. 90 0 0	12th April, 1866	Effects not yet realized being in a partnership store.
2	James Fleming	Nobles	Ireland	21st Sept., 1866	24 0 0	2nd July, 1866	Effects partly realized.

Dated the sixth day of October, 1866.

ROBERT POLLOCK, Curator.