



THE  
**NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.**

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WELLINGTON, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1866.

G. GREY, Governor.  
 A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Native Lands Act, 1866," it is among other things enacted, that the said Act shall come into operation at such time as the Governor in Council may by proclamation direct:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor, as aforesaid, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, do by this proclamation direct that "The Native Lands Act, 1866," shall come into operation on the first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

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, and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, this seventeenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

E. W. STAFFORD.  
 GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

General Post Office,  
 Wellington, 30th November, 1866.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the postage on letters for transmission within the Colony will be charged according to the rates under-

mentioned on and after the 1st January, 1867, under the provisions of "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1866.

I.—*Town Letters.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from such Post Office—

- Not exceeding half-an-ounce ... One Penny.
- Exceeding half-an-ounce but not exceeding one ounce ... Twopence.
- For every ounce or fraction of an ounce over one ounce ... Twopence.

II.—*Country Letters.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from any other Post Office within the same Province—

- Not exceeding half-an-ounce ... Twopence.
- Exceeding half-an-ounce but not exceeding one ounce ... Fourpence.
- For every ounce or fraction of an ounce over one ounce ... Fourpence.

III.—*Interprovincial Letters.*

Posted at any Post Office within the Colony for delivery at or from any Post Office in any other Province within the Colony—

- Not exceeding half-an-ounce ... Threepence.
- Exceeding half-an-ounce but not exceeding one ounce ... Sixpence.
- For every ounce or fraction of an ounce over one ounce ... Sixpence.

JOHN HALL.

