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**NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.**

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G. GREY, Governor.  
A PROCLAMATION.

**WHEREAS** by "The Land Registry Act, 1860," it is enacted that the Governor shall from time to time as he shall think fit, by proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, constitute throughout the Colony of New Zealand, or in any part thereof, Registrar's Districts for the purposes of that Act, and such districts abolish, and the boundaries of any district define and alter, and also declare by what local name each such district shall be designated: And whereas by a proclamation dated the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three a certain district was defined and constituted and was called "the District of Auckland:" And whereas it is expedient to alter the boundaries of the said district, with a view to include therein the additional limits hereinafter described:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by the said recited Act, do hereby alter the boundaries of the said District of Auckland for the purposes of the said Act, and do hereby define the same to be as follows, namely:—that portion of the said Colony of New Zealand known as the Province of Auckland, bounded on the North-east and West by the coast line, including the islands adjacent thereto, and on the South by the River Mokau to its source; thence by a right line running from the source of the Mokau to the point where the Ngahunga or Tuhua, the principal tributary of the Wanganui River, is intersected by the thirty-ninth parallel of south latitude; thence Eastward by the thirty-ninth parallel of south latitude to the point where that parallel of latitude cuts the East Coast of the Northern Island of New Zealand. And I hereby declare that the district above defined shall be designated "The District of Auckland." And I hereby further declare that this proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

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-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

J. C. RICHMOND,  
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

G. GREY, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**WHEREAS** by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Native Reserves Amendment Act, 1862," it is amongst other things provided that where under the provisions of "The Native Reserves Act, 1856," the assent of the Aboriginal inhabitants is required to bringing land under the operation of the said "Native Reserves Act, 1856," the Governor may, by Order in Council, declare such assent to have been ascertained, and thereupon the title of the Aboriginal inhabitants in the land to which the same shall relate, shall be deemed to be extinguished, and the land shall from the date of such Order in Council vest in Her Majesty, for the purposes and subject to the provisions of the said "Native Reserves Act, 1856," as attested by the recited Act, and that as effectually as if the same had been ceded and conveyed by such Aboriginal inhabitants to Her Majesty:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby declare that the assent of the Aboriginal inhabitants to the bringing the piece of land described in the Schedule hereunder written

under the operation of "The Native Reserves Act, 1856," has been ascertained.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece of land situate at Porirua, District of Wellington, bounded on the East by the Hanganga Kaipuke (a small stream), a short distance South of Te Onepoto, on the West by a line starting from a point on Cooper's boundary, till it intersects the boundary of the College land, on the South by the boundary of Cooper's Grant to the Porirua Harbour, and by the Harbour to the starting point.

FORM NO. 1.

"The New Zealand Native Reserves Act, 1856."

I, George F. Swainson, a person duly appointed in this behalf under the provisions of "The New Zealand Native Reserves Act, 1856," hereby certify and report that I have ascertained that the Aboriginal inhabitants entitled to the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereunder written have assented that the said piece or parcel of land shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act.

As witness my hand this fifth day of March, 1866.

GEORGE F. SWAINSON.

Schedule above referred to.

All that piece of land situate at Porirua, District of Wellington, bounded on the East by the Hanganga Kaipuke (a small stream), a short distance South of Te Onepoto and by a line from the head of that stream to the southern boundary of the College land, towards the South-east by Porirua Harbour to the northern boundary of Cooper's Grant, towards the South by Cooper's Grant, towards the West by other portions of the Porirua Native Reserve, and towards the North by the southern boundary of the College Land.

Report adopted this sixth day of October, 1866, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony.

G. GREY, Governor.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Ko au ka tuhi nei taku ingoa ki raro nei he tangata Maori, mo Niu Tireni o noho ana i Waikanae, a noku taua pihi whenua kua oti nei te whakaatu o whakaae ana kia waihoa taua whenua ki raro i nga tikanga katoa o te Ture mo nga whenua i whakatoa ma nga tangata Maori, i te tau kotahi mano e waru rau e rima tekau ma ono (1856).

WIREMU PARATA.

G. GREY, Governor.

IN virtue of the powers conferred on me by "The Land Registry Act, 1860," I do hereby appoint that Registration under the said Act shall commence in the District of Auckland, as the said district is defined in a proclamation bearing even date herewith, upon the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

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-ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

J. C. RICHMOND,  
(for the Colonial Secretary.)

G. GREY, Governor.

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 the

PORT OF MOLYNEUX,

in the Province of Otago, shall be a Warehousing Port for the purposes of "The Customs Regulation Act, 1858," and do hereby approve of the same as a Port for the importation of tobacco.

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 dated this twenty-sixth day of November, in year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

J. C. RICHMOND,

G. GREY, Governor.

IN exercise of the power vested in me by "The Savings Bank Act, 1858," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby nominate and appoint the persons hereinafter named to be trustees of the Hokitika Savings Bank, namely:—

G. S. Sale,	E. Patten,
J. M. South,	R. Ecclesfield,
G. E. Fitzgerald,	A. Cumming,
W. Royse,	Thomas Clarke,
W. Shaw,	Robert Abbott,
A. Mowatt,	G. W. Binney,
J. S. Browning,	Michael Carsins,
G. Prosser,	James Spence,
Andrew Louttit,	James Chesney, and
Mark Sprot,	Duncan McFarlane, Esqs.

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-eighth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

WILLIAM FITZHERBERT.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th December, 1866.

THE following Acts passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand in the Session held in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

"An Act for the Regulation of the Militia;"

"An Act to Amend the Marine Board Act 1863;"

having been laid before the Queen in conformity with the provisions of "The Constitution Act," His Excellency the Governor has been informed by the Secretary of State that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise Her power of disallowance with respect to these Acts.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th December, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES HUNTER CRAWFORD,

of Auckland, in the Province of Auckland, Esq., to be

District Registrar of Land of the District of Auckland, as the same is defined in proclamation of 29th November, 1866.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th December, 1866.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate

JOHN MORRISON, Esq.,

of 3, Adelaide Place, King William Street, London, E.C., as Agent to communicate on behalf of New Zealand with the Committee appointed in London in connexion with the Exhibition proposed to be held in Paris in 1867.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 8th December, 1866.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

BURRELL PARKERSON, junior, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths and Marriages, for the District of Christchurch, in the room of Dr. Barker, who has resigned.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 8th December, 1866.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DANIEL SHEA LAWLOR, Esq.,

to be Registration Officer for the Electoral District of Riverton, in the Province of Southland, for the election of a Member of the House of Representatives.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 10th December, 1866.

**T**HE following Proclamation issued by His Honor the Superintendent of Otago, under "The Diseased Cattle Act," is published for general information.

E. W. STAFFORD.

#### PROCLAMATION

*Declaring a portion of the Province of Otago an Infected District under the provisions of "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1861."*

By His Honor THOMAS DICK, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to and vested in me in that behalf, I did, by proclamation in the Government *Gazette* of the Province of Otago, dated the seventeenth day of October last, proclaim and declare that, from and after the day of the date thereof, the territory therein mentioned and described should be deemed an Infected District within the meaning and for the purposes of "The Diseased Cattle Act, 1861:" And whereas it is expedient still further to extend the limits of the said Infected District, so as to include therein the whole of the territory hereinafter described: Now therefore, I, Thomas Dick, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, by virtue and in exercise of the powers delegated to and vested in me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the nineteenth day of December next, the limits and boundaries hereinafter described shall be the limits and boundaries of the said Infected District and that the said Infected District shall include the territory hereinafter mentioned, which territory

shall be deemed an Infected District within the meaning and for the purposes of the said "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861," (that is to say)—All that area within the Province of Otago, bounded towards the north by the Province of Canterbury from Awarua Bay to the eastern shore of the Wanaka Lake; thence by the said eastern shore of the Wanaka Lake and the Clutha River to the Dunstan Mountains; thence by the Dunstan Mountains to Mount Saint Bathans; thence by the Hawkdun Mountains, the Kakanui Mountains and the Horse Ranges to the ocean; thence towards the east by the ocean to the Clutha River; thence in a northerly direction along the Clutha River to the Tallaburn; thence by a direct line to the summit of the Papanui Range; thence to Rangleburn at its source, and by Rangleburn, Pomahaka, and Waipahi Rivers, to the southern boundary line of Run numbered 167; thence by the said southern boundary line to the Waikaka Stream, and by the Waikaka Stream to the Mataura River, and by the Mataura River and the northern boundary line of the Province of Southland to the Manipori Lake; thence by the Waiau River to the ocean; and thence towards the west and south by the ocean to Awarua Bay, the starting point.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

(L.S.)

THOMAS DICK,

Superintendent.

By His Honor's Command,

JOHN MOUAT,

Provincial Secretary.

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 26th November, 1866.

**T**HE following Bye-Laws (Regulations for Licensed Watermen and Boats) for the Bluff Harbour, approved of by the Governor in Council, are published for general information.

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

#### BYE-LAWS, BLUFF HARBOUR.

##### *Regulations for Licensed Watermen and Boats.*

1. If any person shall ply for hire in Bluff Harbour with any boat in the conveyance of passengers, unless both he and the boat which he shall use for that purpose shall be thereto duly licensed in manner herein-after directed, he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.
2. Before any license shall be granted to any person he shall prove to the satisfaction of the Harbour Master that he thoroughly understands the management of a boat, and the Harbour Master shall thereupon give him a certificate to that effect, upon the presentation of which, and the payment of a fee of ten shillings to the Provincial Treasurer, he shall be entitled to receive a Waterman's License in the form hereto annexed, and he shall thereafter be called a licensed waterman.
3. Every such license shall remain in force as long as it shall not be suspended or cancelled in manner hereinafter provided.
4. Every licensed waterman, when employed either on the Jetty or in the Harbour, shall be subject to the control of the Harbour Master, and if any such licensed waterman shall fail or neglect to obey any order or instructions given to him by the Harbour Master, in the discharge of his duty as Harbour Master, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.
5. The Harbour Master shall inspect every boat

for which a Waterman's Boat License shall be desired and its appurtenances, and he shall give to the owner thereof a certificate in writing, in which shall be stated the name of the boat, the length, breadth, depth, cubic capacity, the name of the owner, and the number of persons which such boat shall be licensed to carry in ordinary weather, and also as hereinafter provided when the black ball shall be hoisted at the masthead and half-mast high.

6. To assist the Harbour Master to ascertain the number of persons which any boat may safely carry, he shall, in addition to measuring the cubic contents, be authorized to require the person applying for a license in his presence to lade it to its bearings, and to ascertain the absolute weight of such lading.

7. Upon presentation of the certificates hereinbefore mentioned and upon the payment of one pound to the Provincial Treasurer he shall issue to the person named therein, and for the boat named in the boat certificate, a license in the form hereto annexed.

8. But no boat shall be licensed under these Regulations unless it shall, by admeasurement inside, be at least four feet six inches in the beam and twenty inches deep, nor unless it shall contain eighty cubic feet of space, nor unless also it shall be in sound condition, properly found, and, in the opinion of the Harbour Master, suitably constructed for the safe conveyance of passengers.

9. No boat shall be licensed under these Regulations which shall not be owned by a licensed waterman, and the license of any licensed boat which shall cease to be owned by the licensed waterman to whom the license shall have been issued shall thereby become null and void.

10. Every Waterman's Boat License which shall be issued under these Regulations, shall, save during the time in which the same may be suspended, or unless it shall be sooner cancelled in manner hereinafter provided, remain in force for one year from the date hereof and no longer.

11. Every licensed waterman shall, in a conspicuous place in the sternsheets or on the back-board of every boat with which he shall ply for hire, have legibly painted in letters not less than two inches long the name of the boat, the number of persons (including the crew) that the boat shall be licensed to carry in ordinary weather, and the name of the owner, and in default thereof, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

12. Every licensed waterman who shall carry in any boat more passengers or passengers and luggage than by the license for such boat and these Regulations shall be authorized, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than five pounds and not exceeding twenty pounds.

13. It shall be lawful to lade any licensed waterman's boat partly with passengers or partly with cargo or luggage; and for the purposes of these Regulations every one hundred and fifty pounds weight of cargo or luggage, over and above the twelve hereinafter allowed to each passenger, shall be deemed to be equivalent to one passenger.

14. If any licensed waterman shall be convicted of larceny, or of using, while carrying passengers, threatening, abusive, obscene or profane language, or of being drunk whilst carrying passengers, the Superintendent may, if he shall see fit, by notice in the *Provincial Government Gazette* declare the license or licenses held by such licensed waterman to be forfeited, and every such licence shall thereupon become null and void.

15. Every licensed waterman who, unless his destination shall render it necessary, shall take a boat carrying passengers into the tide rip when it shall be breaking and dangerous, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

16. If any licensed waterman shall stow, or suffer to be stowed in any boat of which he shall have charge, and in which there shall be any passenger, cargo or luggage, in such a manner as to interfere with the rowing, or to endanger the life of such passenger, he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than five pounds and not exceeding twenty pounds.

17. Every licensed waterman who shall not, when required by the Harbour Master, suffer his licensed boat or boats, and the appurtenances thereof, to be inspected, and who shall not, for that purpose, have it or them ready at the time or place which shall be appointed by the Harbour Master, and render such assistance as may be then and there required from him, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

18. If the Harbour Master, after inspecting any licensed waterman's boat and its appurtenances, shall be of opinion that it is unsound, not properly found, or otherwise unseaworthy, he is hereby authorized to suspend and demand the custody of the license of such boat until he shall be satisfied that it shall have been properly repaired or otherwise rendered seaworthy; and the owner of such boat, who shall fail to deliver to the Harbour Master such license when so demanded, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds for every day during which he shall fail to deliver up the same.

19. Every licensed waterman in charge of a licensed waterman's boat, shall, when required by the Harbour Master or any passenger by such boat, produce his own and boat's license for inspection, and, in default, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds.

20. Any licensed waterman who shall lend his license to any other person shall be liable to a penalty of five pounds.

21. But any licensed waterman who by sickness shall be prevented from plying, shall, on depositing with the Harbour Master a certificate from a duly qualified medical practitioner to that effect, together with his license, be permitted to nominate a substitute in his stead, and if such substitute shall prove to the satisfaction of the Harbour Master that he thoroughly understands the management of a boat, the Harbour Master shall issue to him a certificate which shall authorize him to ply for hire in the conveyance of passengers for a period not exceeding one month, and such certificate may from time to time be renewed during the illness of the licensed waterman whose license shall be so deposited with the Harbour Master.

22. During the currency of every such certificate, and for the purposes of these Regulations, it shall be deemed to be a waterman's license; and every person to whom such a certificate shall be issued, shall be deemed to be a licensed waterman, subject to these regulations.

23. For the purpose of these bye-laws, the harbour shall be divided into "the Ordinary Anchorage," "the North Channel Anchorage," "the Outer Anchorage," "the Bay," and "Short Arm."

(a.) "The Ordinary Anchorage" shall be bounded by a straight line produced southwards from the black buoy on the point of the southern sandspit to the shore, and northwards to the middle sandspit, thence by a straight line to the red perch buoy, thence in a straight line to the shore at Burial Point.

(b.) "The North Channel Anchorage" shall be all that part of the harbour, exclusively of the ordinary anchorage, which is bounded by a straight line drawn from the shore at Barrack Point to the upper red buoy in the North Channel, thence by a straight line to Rocky Point, thence by the shore to Davies

Point, and thence by a straight line to the shore at Burial Point.

- (c.) "The Outer Anchorage" shall be all that part of the harbour bounded by the shore from Starling Point to Burial Point, thence by the North Channel Anchorage to Davies Point, thence by the shore to East Point, and thence in a straight line to Starling Point.
- (d.) "The Bay" shall be all that part of the harbour which lies on the north and north-west of the North Channel Anchorage, and on the west of Short Arm.
- (e.) "Short Arm" shall be all that part of the harbour eastward of a straight line drawn in the direction of Dog Island Lighthouse, from the Trig. Station, marked M, near Easy Landing Point, to the south shore.

24. "Tewaewae Point" shall be all that portion of land lying to the westward of a straight line drawn from Trig. Station M, near Easy Landing Point, to Dog Island Lighthouse.

25. The following are the fares which licensed watermen shall be authorized to charge:—

	For one Passenger.		For each, if two Passengers.		For each, if three or more Passengers.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
From the Jetty to—						
Any part of the Ordinary Anchorage	1	6	1	6	1	6
Any vessel in the North Channel ditto	3	0	2	0	2	0
Any part of the Shore on the South side of the North Channel Anchorage	3	0	2	0	2	0
Any part of the Bay	5	0	3	6	3	0
From the Jetty, the Ordinary Anchorage, or the North Channel Anchorage, to any part of the Outer Anchorage	5	0	3	6	3	0
From the Jetty, Ordinary, North Channel, or Outer Anchorage, to Te Waeae Point	5	0	3	6	3	0
From any landing place below Burial Point to any vessel in the Outer Anchorage	3	0	2	0	2	0
From any other part of the Harbour to any part of Short Arm, the fare shall be such as shall be agreed upon before starting						

26. Every passenger in a licensed waterman's boat shall be entitled, without making any additional payment, to have carried in the same boat with him twelve pounds luggage.

27. Between sunset and sunrise double fares may be charged.

28. When a black ball shall be hoisted by the Harbour Master, or any person deputed by him, at the masthead of the flag-staff near the jetty the number of persons which may then be lawfully carried in any licensed waterman's boat shall be restricted to that specified in the license at such times to be carried, but at such times treble fares may be demanded and charged.

29. When a black ball shall be hoisted by the Harbour Master, or any one deputed by him, on the flagstaff aforesaid half-mast high, the number of persons which may lawfully be carried in any licensed waterman's boat shall be restricted to that specified in the license at such times to be carried, but at such times the fares shall be regulated by an agreement to be made previously to starting.

30. If any passenger shall be desirous to return in the same boat in which he shall have arrived at his destination, and there should be no other passenger

or passengers desirous to proceed to any other part of the harbour, he shall be at liberty to detain it for ten minutes and to return upon payment of half-fare.

31. If any passenger shall detain any licensed waterman's boat more than ten minutes he shall pay for every half-hour or fraction of half-an-hour in excess thereof, sixpence for every person such boat shall be licensed to carry.

32. Every licensed waterman shall be authorized to demand the payment of his fares before starting.

33. Any licensed waterman who shall demand more than the fare in each case herein authorized, or who, without sufficient reason, shall refuse or neglect to employ his boat when required, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds; but no licensed waterman shall be compelled to employ his boat when a black ball shall be hoisted as aforesaid either at the masthead or half-mast high.

34. In the event of any passenger requiring any licensed waterman's boat to be doubly manned double the fares herein authorized may be charged.

*Waterman's License, Bluff Harbour.*

is authorized to ply for hire as a licensed waterman in Bluff Harbour.

Provincial Treasurer.

*Waterman's Boat License, Bluff Harbour.*

Name of the boat	Build	Length	Cubic capacity	
feet	inches.	Breadth	feet	inches.
			inches.	feet
			inches.	Number of pas-
sengers, including crew, authorized to be carried—				
In ordinary weather ... ..				
When black ball hoisted at masthead				
When black ball hoisted half-mast high				
Name and residence of owner				
License granted , 18 . Expires , 18				

Provincial Treasurer.

I, John Parkin Taylor, Superintendent of the Province of Southland, by virtue of all powers in any-wise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby make and publish the foregoing Bye-laws and Regulations for the Bluff Harbour.

Given under my hand this twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

JOHN PARKIN TAYLOR,  
Superintendent.

The foregoing Rules and Regulations submitted to and approved of by the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, this seventeenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

G. GREY,  
Governor.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

THE following Notice, received from the General Post Office, London, respecting the extension of the Money Order System in the United Kingdom, is published for general information.

JOHN HALL.

MONEY ORDER OFFICES.

England.

Money Order Offices will be opened on the 1st of October at—

	Head Office.	County.
Askern . . . . .	Doncaster . . . . .	York.
Blofield . . . . .	Norwich . . . . .	Norfolk.
Bramham . . . . .	Tadcaster . . . . .	York.
Brooke . . . . .	Norwich . . . . .	Norfolk.
Cowden . . . . .	Edenbridge . . . . .	Kent.
Etwall . . . . .	Derby . . . . .	Derby.
Failsworth . . . . .	Manchester . . . . .	Lancaster.
Greenhill . . . . .	Sheffield . . . . .	York.
Greenodd . . . . .	Newton - in - Cartmel . . . . .	Lancaster.
Haddenham . . . . .	Ely . . . . .	Cambridge.
Hambrook . . . . .	Bristol . . . . .	Gloucester.
Hanford . . . . .	Stoke-on-Trent . . . . .	Stafford.
Lifton . . . . .	Exeter . . . . .	Devon.
Shardlow . . . . .	Derby . . . . .	Derby.
Sudbury . . . . .	Derby . . . . .	Derby.
Wavertree Road, R.O.	Liverpool . . . . .	Lancaster.

By Command of the Postmaster-General.

General Post Office,  
24th September, 1866.

Government Offices,  
Wellington, 30th November, 1866.

IT is hereby notified that "The Stamp Duties Act, 1866," will come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1867, and the following Schedules to that Act are published for general information.

Copies of the Act can be obtained from the Sub-Treasurers and Registrars of Deeds in the several Provinces.

J. C. RICHMOND.

SCHEDULE TO "STAMP DUTIES ACT, 1866."

SCHEDULE I.

Containing the Duties on Deeds and other Instruments relating to transactions between living persons.

AGREEMENT of any minute or memorandum of an agreement under hand only where the matter thereof shall be of the value of £20 or upwards whether the same shall only be evidence of a contract or obligatory on the parties from its being a written instrument together with every schedule receipt or other matter put or indorsed thereon or annexed thereto . . . . .	£	s.	d.
	0	1	0

Provided always that where divers letters shall be offered in evidence to prove any agreement between the parties who shall have written such letters it shall be sufficient if any of such letters shall be stamped with a duty of two shilings and sixpence.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE—

Inland Bill of Exchange Draft or Order for the payment to the bearer or to order at any time otherwise than on demand of any sum of money not exceeding £50 . . . . .	0	1	0
Ditto not exceeding £100 . . . . .	0	2	0
And where the same shall exceed £100 then for every £50 and also for any fractional part of £50 . . . . .	0	1	0

Foreign Bill of Exchange drawn in but payable out of the Colony of New Zealand—

If drawn singly or otherwise than in a set of two or more . . . . .

The same duty as on an Inland Bill of the same amount and tenor.

If drawn in sets of two then for every Bill of each set where the sum payable shall not exceed £50 . . . . .	0	0	6
And where it shall exceed £50 and not exceed £100 . . . . .	0	1	0
And where the same shall exceed £100 then for every £50 and also any fractional part of £50 . . . . .	0	0	6
If drawn in sets of three or more for every Bill of each set where the sum payable thereby shall not exceed £50 . . . . .	0	0	4
And where it shall exceed £50 and not exceed £100 . . . . .	0	0	8
And where the same shall exceed £100 then for every £50 and also any fractional part of £50 . . . . .	0	0	4

Exemptions from the foregoing duties on Bills of Exchange—All Debentures and Treasury Bills issued by the Government of New Zealand All Drafts or Orders for the payment of any sum of money to the bearer on demand drawn upon any Banker person or company are exempt from the foregoing duties but are subject to the duty of 1d. charged upon Drafts or Orders.

Bill of Exchange drawn out of the Colony but indorsed or negotiated within the Colony the same duties as on a Bill of Exchange drawn within the Colony and payable within the Colony . . . . .

The same duty as on an Inland Bill of the same amount and tenor.

Promissory Note for the payment in any other manner than to the bearer on demand of any sum of money not exceeding £25 . . . . .	0	0	6
Exceeding £25 not exceeding £50 . . . . .	0	1	0
Promissory note for the payment either to the bearer on demand or in any other manner than to the bearer on demand of any sum of money exceeding £50 and not exceeding £100 . . . . .	0	2	0
Where the sum shall exceed £100 then for every £50 and fractional part of £50 . . . . .	0	1	0

Exemptions from the foregoing duties on Promissory Notes but not from any other duty to which the same may be liable—All Promissory Notes for the payment of money on demand issued by any Bank or Banking Company in New Zealand authorized to issue such notes and making such returns and paying such compositions as in this Act respectively mentioned.

All Bills Drafts or Orders or Promissory Notes for the payment by any Bank or Banking Company of any sum of money though not made payable to the bearer or to order and whether delivered to the payee or not and all writings or documents entitling any person to the payment by any Bank or Banking Company of any sum of money whether the person to whom payment is to be made shall be named or designated therein or not or whether the same shall be delivered to him or not shall respectively be deemed to

be Bills Drafts or Orders for the payment of money chargeable with Stamp Duty as if the same had been made payable to bearer or to order. £ s. d.

BILL OF LADING or receipt in lieu thereof from the Master Mate or Agent of any vessel for any goods merchandise or effects to be carried to any place beyond the boundaries of the Colony—

For every such Bill of Lading or Receipt or copy thereof ... .. 0 1 0

CONVEYANCE—

Of any kind or description whatsoever upon the sale of any property in respect of the principal or only writing whereby the property sold shall be conveyed to or vested in the purchaser or any other person or persons by his direction (except transfers expressly provided for by this Act)—

Where the purchase or consideration money therein or thereupon expressed shall not exceed £50 ... 0 5 0

And where the same shall exceed £50 and not exceed £100 ... 0 10 0

And where the same shall exceed £100 then for every £50 and any fractional part of £50 ... 0 5 0

The purchase money or consideration shall be truly expressed and set forth in words at length in or upon every such principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance and where such consideration shall consist either wholly or in part of any stock or security the value thereof respectively to be ascertained as hereinafter mentioned shall also be truly expressed and set forth in manner aforesaid in or upon every such deed or instrument and such value shall be deemed and taken to be the purchase or consideration money or part of the purchase or consideration money as the case may be in respect whereof the *ad valorem* duty shall be charged as aforesaid.

And where the consideration or any part of the consideration shall be any stock in any of the public funds or Government Debentures or stock or any debenture or stock of any person payable only at the will of the debtor the said duty shall be calculated (taking the same respectively whether constituting the whole or a part only of such consideration) according to the average selling price thereof respectively on the day or on either of the ten days preceding the day of the date of the deed or instrument of conveyance or if no sale shall have taken place within such ten days then according to the average selling price thereof on the day of the last preceding sale and if such consideration or part of such consideration shall be a mortgage judgment or bond or a debenture the amount whereof shall be recoverable by the holder or any other security whatsoever whether payable in money or otherwise then such calculation shall be made according to the sum

due thereon for both principal and interest. £ s. d.

And where any lands or other property of different tenures or holdings or held under different titles contracted to be sold at one entire price for the whole shall be conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts or parcels by different deeds or instruments the purchase or consideration money shall be divided and apportioned in such manner as the parties shall think fit so that a distinct price or consideration for each separate part or parcel may be set forth in or upon the principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance relating thereto which shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the price or consideration money therein set forth.

And where any property contracted to be purchased by two or more persons jointly or by any person for himself and others or wholly for others at one entire price for the whole shall be conveyed in parts or parcels by separate deeds or instruments to the person for whom the same shall be purchased for distinct parts or shares of the purchase money the principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance of each separate part or parcel shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the sum of money therein specified as the consideration for the same.

But if separate parts or parcels of such property shall be conveyed to or to the use of or in trust for different persons in and by one and the same deed or instrument then such deed or instrument shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration moneys therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the property thereby conveyed.

And where any person having contracted for the purchase of any property but not having obtained a conveyance thereof shall contract to sell to any other person and the same shall in consequence be conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser the principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the purchase or consideration money therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid by the sub-purchaser.

And where any person having contracted for the purchase of any property but not having obtained a conveyance thereof shall contract to sell the whole or any part or parts thereof to any other person or persons and the same shall in consequence be conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts or parcels the principal or only deed or instrument of conveyance of each part or parcel thereof shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect



only of the purchase or consideration money which shall be therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same by the person to whom or to whose use or in trust for whom the conveyance shall be made without regard to the amount of the original purchase money.

And in all cases of such sub-sales as aforesaid the sub-purchaser and the person immediately selling to him shall be deemed and taken to be the purchaser and seller within the intent and meaning of this Act.

But where any sub-purchaser shall take an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him which shall be chargeable with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the purchase or consideration money paid or agreed to be paid by him and shall be duly stamped accordingly any deed or instrument of conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the property in question by the original seller shall be exempt from the said *ad valorem* duty and be charged only with the ordinary duty on deeds or instruments of the same kind not upon a sale.

And where any property separately contracted to be purchased of different persons at separate and distinct prices shall be conveyed to the purchaser or as he shall direct in and by one and the same deed or instrument such deed or instrument shall be charged with the said *ad valorem* duty in respect of the aggregate amount of the purchase or consideration moneys therein mentioned to be paid or agreed to be paid for the same.

And where any property shall be sold and conveyed in consideration wholly or in part of any sum of money charged thereon by way of mortgage or otherwise and then due and owing to the purchaser or shall be sold and conveyed subject to any mortgage or other debt or to any gross or entire sum of money to be afterwards paid by the purchaser such sum of money or debt shall be deemed the purchase or consideration money or part of the purchase or consideration money as the case may be in respect whereof the said *ad valorem* duty is to be paid.

Exemptions from the preceding duties on conveyances—

Any grant from the Crown under the hand of the Governor for the time being of the Colony of New Zealand to any purchaser of Crown Lands in New Zealand.

Any certificate of title granted under the hand of the Registrar-General pursuant to "The Land Registry Act 1860."

DEED or instrument of any kind whatever not otherwise charged in this Schedule ... .. 0 10 0

Exemptions from the preceding duties on deeds or instruments not otherwise charged in this Schedule—  
Apprentices and Clerkships—All

instruments relating to the services of apprentices clerks or servants. £ s. d.

Mortgage—All bonds and mortgages whether affecting real or personal estate bills of sale by way of mortgage and all transfers agreements releases re-conveyances and discharges thereof.

All preferable liens under "The Wool and Oil Securities Act 1858."

All Customs bonds.

All Administration bonds.

All bonds on appointment of special bailiffs.

DRAFT or order including cheques or orders on bankers for the payment of any sum of money to a payee named or to bearer or to order either on demand or otherwise not otherwise charged ... 0 0 1

LEASE or agreement for a lease or any written document for the tenancy or occupancy of any lands tenements or hereditaments without any consideration by way of premium the following duties in respect of the yearly rent—  
Where the yearly rent shall not exceed £50 ... .. 0 2 6  
Where the same shall exceed £50 and not exceed £100 ... .. 0 5 0  
Above £100 for every fractional part of £50 ... .. 0 2 6

LEASE or agreement for a lease of any lands tenements or hereditaments granted in consideration of a sum of money by way of premium without rent or with an annual rent ... ..

*The ad valorem duties payable upon a conveyance calculated on the consideration by way of premium expressed therein.*

LEASE of any lands tenements or hereditaments granted in consideration of a sum of money by way of premium and also of a yearly rent amounting to £20 and upwards ... ..

*Both the ad valorem duties payable upon a conveyance according to the consideration therein expressed and for a lease in consideration of a rent of the same amount.*

Exemptions from the preceding duties on leases—

Leases granted by the Crown of any waste lands under the provisions of any Waste Lands Act or Gold Fields Act.

MEMORANDUM of transfer under "The Land Registry Act 1860" ... ..

*The same duty as for a conveyance for the sale of lands for a like sum the consideration of such transfer.*

POLICY of Insurance or other instrument whereby any insurance shall be made upon any ship or vessel or upon any goods merchandise or other property on board of any ship or vessel or upon the freight thereof—covered by a time policy for any period not exceeding three months ... .. 0 2 6  
And for all other marine policies—for every sum of £100 and for every fractional part of £100 ... .. 0 1 0

PROMISSORY NOTES payable to the bearer on demand issued by any Bank or Banking Company at the rate of for every one hundred pounds of the average annual amount in circulation as certified under "The Bankers Returns Act 1858" ... .. 2 0 0

RECEIPT or discharge given for or on



payment of any sum of money of the amount of five pounds or upwards Exemptions from the preceding duties on receipts—

Receipts given for or upon the payment of money to or for the use of or by or on behalf of Her Majesty.

Receipts indorsed upon any instrument duly stamped under this Act acknowledging the receipt of the consideration money therein expressed.

Acknowledgment given for money deposited in any Banks to be accounted for.

Receipts for moneys paid into Land Building and Provident Societies.

TRANSFER except by way of mortgage of any run or station held under lease or license or promise of lease or license from the Crown or of any interest therein where the declared value of the said run or station or interest or the value thereof assessed as in this Act provided shall not exceed £100 ... 0 10 0  
 And where such value shall exceed £100 then for every £100 and any fractional part of £100 ... 0 10 0

TRANSFER of any share or shares in the stock and funds of any corporation company or society whatever in New Zealand upon sale thereof—  
 Where the purchase or consideration money therein expressed shall not exceed £20 ... 0 1 0  
 Exceeding £20 and not exceeding £50 0 2 6  
 Exceeding £50 not exceeding £100 0 5 0  
 For every additional £50 or fractional part of £50 ... 0 2 6

SCHEDULE II.

*Containing the Duties on Probates of Wills and Letters of Administration.*

PROBATE of a Will and Letters of Administration with a Will annexed where the effects as sworn to by the Executor or Administrator shall be—

Under the value of £100	1	0	0
Above the value of £100 and under £200	2	0	0
Above the value of £200 and under £300	3	0	0
Above the value of £300 and under £400	4	0	0
Above the value of £400 and under £500	5	0	0
And above £500 one per cent.			

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION without a Will annexed where the effects as sworn to by the Administrator shall be

Under the value of £100	1	10	0
Above the value of £100 and under £200	3	0	0
Above the value of £200 and under £300	4	10	0
Above the value of £300 and under £400	6	0	0
Above the value of £400 and under £500	7	10	0
And above £500 one and a half per cent.			

SCHEDULE III.

*Containing the Duties on Legacies and Successions to Personal Estate under any Testamentary Disposition or upon Intestacy.*

For every legacy specific or pecuniary or of any other description of the amount or value of £20 or upwards given by any will or testamentary instrument of any person who shall have died after the passing of this Act either out of his or her personal estate or out of or charged upon his or her real estate or out of any moneys to arise by sale mortgage or other disposition of his or her real estate or any part thereof and which shall be paid delivered retained satisfied or discharged after the passing of this Act.

Also for the clear residue (when devolving to one person and for every share of the clear residue when devolving to two or more persons) of the personal estate of any person who shall have died after the passing of this Act (after deducting debts funeral expenses legacies and other charges first payable thereout) whether the title to such residue or any share thereof shall accrue by virtue of any testamentary disposition or upon a partial or total intestacy where such residue or share of residue shall be of the amount or value of £20 or upwards and where the same shall be paid delivered retained satisfied or discharged after the passing of this Act.

And also for the clear residue (when given to one person) and for every share of the clear residue (when given to two or more persons) of the moneys to arise from the sale mortgage or other disposition of any real estate directed to be sold mortgaged or otherwise disposed of by any will or testamentary instrument of any person who shall have died after the passing of this Act (after deducting debts funeral expenses legacies and other charges first made payable thereout if any) where such residue or share of residue shall amount to £20 or upwards and where the same shall be paid retained or discharged after the passing of this Act.

Where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of a child of the deceased or any descendant of a child of the deceased or to or for the benefit of the father or mother or any lineal ancestor of the deceased a duty at and after the rate of one pound per centum on the amount or value thereof ... £1 p cent.

Where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of a brother or sister of the deceased or any descendant of a brother or sister of the deceased a duty at and after the rate of three pounds per centum on the amount thereof ... £3 p cent.

Where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of a brother or sister of the father or mother of the deceased or any descendant of a brother or sister of the father or mother of the deceased a duty at and after the rate of five pounds per centum on the amount or value thereof ... £5 7 cent.

Where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of a brother or sister of a grandfather or grandmother of the deceased or any descendant of a brother or sister of a grandfather or grandmother of the deceased a duty at and after the rate of six pounds per centum on the amount or value thereof ... £6 7 cent.

And where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of any person in any other degree of collateral consanguinity to the deceased than is above described a duty at and after the rate of seven per centum on the amount and value thereof ... £7 7 cent.

And where any such legacy or residue or any share of such residue shall have been given or have devolved to or for the benefit of any stranger in blood to the deceased a duty at and after the rate of ten pounds per centum on the amount or value thereof ... £10 7 cent.

And all gifts of annuities or by way of annuity or of any other partial benefit or interest out of any such estate or effects as aforesaid shall be deemed legacies within the intent and meaning of this Schedule.

And where any legatee shall take two or more distinct legacies or benefits under any will or testamentary instrument which shall together be of the amount or value of £20 each shall be charged with duty though each or either may be separately under that amount or value.

Exemptions from the foregoing duties all Legacies and Residues or shares of Residue of any estate or effects given or devolving to or for the benefit of the husband or wife of the deceased.

#### SCHEDULE IV.

#### DUTIES ON SUCCESSIONS TO REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE—

Where the successor shall be the lineal issue or lineal ancestor of the predecessor a duty upon the value of the succession at the rate of ... £1 7 cent.

Where the successor shall be a brother or sister to a descendant of a brother or sister of the predecessor a duty upon the value of the succession of £3 7 cent.

Where the successor shall be a brother or sister of the father or mother or a descendant of a brother or sister of the father or mother of the pre-

decessor a duty upon the value of the succession of ... £5 7 cent.

Where the successor shall be a brother or sister of the grandfather or grandmother or a descendant of a brother or sister of the grandfather or grandmother of the predecessor a duty upon the value of the succession of £6 7 cent.

Where the successor shall be in any other degree of collateral consanguinity to the predecessor than is hereinbefore described a duty upon the value of the succession of ... £7 per cent.

Where the successor shall be a stranger in blood to the predecessor a duty upon the value of the succession of £10 7 cent.

Exemptions from the foregoing duties  
All successions given to or in trust for or which shall devolve upon or be acquired by the husband or wife of the predecessor.

NOTICE.—“Stamp Duties Act, 1866.”—Referring to sections eight and forty of “The Stamp Duties Act, 1866,” it is notified for general information, that paper or parchment not previously written on, blank forms of cheques, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bills of lading, &c., &c., can be stamped on application and payment of the duty at this office.

J. C. RICHMOND.

Stamp Office,  
Wellington, 11th December, 1866.

BY virtue of the powers in me vested by “The Deeds Registration Amendment Act, 1863,” I hereby make the following Regulations for the practice and procedure of the several Register of Deeds Offices throughout the Colony, to take effect on and after the first day of January, 1867.

1. Where any will has been registered, and it shall afterwards appear that such will relates to other lands in addition to those delineated upon or annexed thereto, a plan of such other lands, accompanied by a statutory declaration of some person competent to declare to the facts, may be registered in the Register of Deeds where such will has been registered, whereupon, the Registrar shall make the appropriate entries in the index or title books relating to such lands, and shall cause such plan and declaration to be recorded; and upon the recorded copy of the will, so registered as aforesaid, shall make a memorandum referring to the page or folio of the record book where such plan and declaration shall be recorded, and such other entries or references as he may deem necessary or convenient. The aforesaid declaration shall refer by Registrar's number and date to the registered will, and shall state that, to the best of declarant's knowledge and belief, the lands described and delineated in the plan accompanying such declaration, are affected by the aforesaid registered will.

2. The word “will” in the foregoing regulation shall include the authenticated copy of any will registered under the fifth section of “The Registration of Deeds Amendment Act, 1860.”

3. Whenever an indorsement has been or shall be made on a Crown Grant, after the same shall have been registered, certifying the day of the payment of the purchase money for the land comprised in such grant, or the date at which the grantee became entitled to a grant of such land, or describing more correctly the boundaries thereof, such indorsement may be registered by a copy thereof being indorsed on the recorded copy in the Register of Deeds wherein the grant may have been registered.

4. Every instrument in the Maori language presented for registration, shall be accompanied by a translation into English of the same, the correctness of which shall be certified by some Government Interpreter, or other officer of Government, to the satisfaction of the Registrar of Deeds, and the translation shall be registered as forming part of the original deed.

5. In addition to the registration fees fixed by Order in Council of the 19th April, 1864, and Regulation of the 17th August, 1866, there shall be chargeable the following fees—

	£	s.	d.
For the registration of any plan accompanied by statutory declaration	1	0	0
For recording, per folio	0	0	6
For every section or part of a section delineated	0	1	0
For the registration of any indorsement on a Crown Grant previously registered			
If the indorsement be a correction of the description of the boundaries of the land granted	0	10	0
If of the day of purchase or date at which grantee became entitled	0	5	0
For every certificate of amount of duty payable under the fifty-sixth section of "The Native Lands Act, 1865"	0	10	0
For every appointment of a valuer under fifty-fifth section of said Act	0	10	0
For every application to the Chief Judge of the Native Lands Court under fifty-seventh section of said Act	3	0	0
For every copy of an instrument tendered for registration made under fifty-seventh section of said Act, per folio	0	0	6
For copy of any plan attached	0	2	6
For every statement explaining transaction under section fifty-seven not exceeding six folios	1	1	0
For every additional folio	0	0	6
For every affidavit under section sixty-one not exceeding six folios	1	1	0
For every additional folio	0	0	6
For registration of the translation of any instrument in the Maori language, per folio	0	0	6
For recording any indorsement (after the first) of receipts of duty annually payable on any lease or other instrument	0	2	6

ALFRED DOMETT,  
Registrar-General of Land.

Approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, this seventeenth day of November, 1866.

FOSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

In the matter of the petition of Alexander Montgomerie, of Waikouaiti, in the Province of Otago, debtor, and John Jones, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, aforesaid, creditors of the said Alexander Montgomerie to the extent of not less than fifty pounds; and in the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862," and "The Debtors and Creditors Act Amendment Act, 1865."

THE matter of this petition coming on this day for the second hearing thereof: Upon reading

the order for sequestrating and vesting the estate and effects of the abovenamed bankrupt made in these matters, dated the fourteenth day of August last, and upon hearing Mr. Maddock, his counsel, it is ordered that Frederick Horatio Evans, of Dunedin, aforesaid, accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed trustee of the estate and effects of the bankrupt, and is further ordered that all the real and personal estate of the bankrupt shall vest in the said Frederick Horatio Evans, by virtue of his said appointment, and shall be held by him, his heirs, executors, and administrators (except the wearing apparel of the bankrupt, his wife and children, which shall be retained by them), upon and for the following trusts and purposes, namely:—

1. To sell collect and get in such real and personal estate, and receive the moneys arising therefrom, and execute all necessary conveyances and assurances thereof.

2. To retain and pay all expenses properly incurred of and attending such collection and getting in.

3. To pay the poundage and fees payable under the abovementioned Acts.

4. To pay the costs properly incurred of and incidental to the petition in these matters, and subsequent thereto, such costs to be taxed, and also all costs and expenses in these matters which have been or shall be ordered by this Court, or by any Judge thereof, to be paid out of the estate of the bankrupt.

5. To distribute the net residue of the said trust moneys between and amongst and for the benefit of all the creditors of the bankrupt who were his creditors at the time of the presentation of his said petition, and who shall duly prove their debts by affidavit within three calendar months from the date of this order by way of *pro rata* distribution, subject to existing legal priorities, but so that the said creditors shall not receive more than twenty shillings in the pound upon their said respective debts.

6. To pay the ultimate surplus (if any) of the said trust moneys to the bankrupt.

Dated this sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

By the Court,  
ROBERT CHAPMAN,  
Registrar.

(L.S.)  
I, the abovenamed Frederick Horatio Evans, hereby accept the appointment of trustee made by the foregoing order, and consent to hold the real and personal property therein mentioned, upon and for the purposes and trusts therein mentioned.

FREDERICK H. EVANS.

Witness to signature of the said Frederick H. Evans,

WM. D. STEWART,  
PRENDERGAST, KENYON, and MADDOCK,  
Solicitors for the Trustee.

ROBERT ABBOTT, Registrar at Hokitika of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, and Official Administrator, in account with the Estate of MICHAEL CLUNE, intestate.

1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Feb. 23.	Receipt for collection of £40 cashed		39	16 0
Mar. 20.	Deposit receipt for £75 cashed; deposit receipt for £60 cashed	135	10	3
		£175	6	3

1865.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 19.	Donaldson, for recovering corpse	1	0	0

1866.

Feb. 12. Fees—swearing and filing affidavit and office copy, notice, order, letters, postages ...	3	15	2
„ 18. Expenses to Teremakau ...	0	10	0
Ralph Bros., for recovering corpse, each £1; by them given to Hokitika Hospital...	2	0	0
„ 26. <i>Grey River Argus</i> ...	0	15	0
<i>Hokitika Chronicle</i> ...	0	12	6
Mar. 26. Provincial Government, balance for funeral ...	0	15	6
Commission ...	14	0	6
Swearing and filing inventory ...	0	5	0
Swearing and filing account ...	0	5	0
<i>Gazette</i> advertisement ...	0	7	6
Balance to Treasury ...	151	0	1
	£175	6	3

**C**HRISTOPHER ALDERSON CALVERT, Esq.,  
Registrar at Canterbury of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in account with the Estate of ZACHARIE BONNARD, late of the Waimea, Westland, miner (deceased, 1865), intestate.

1865. Dr.	£	s.	d.
May 31. To bank receipt sent to me by police ...	10	0	0
	£10	0	0
1865. Cr.	£	s.	d.
Oct. 25. Funerals expenses, repaid Government ...	4	0	0
1866. Feb. 24. Medical expenses remitted to Dr. Morton ...	2	0	0
June 18. Claim of Aubrey ...	4	0	0
	£10	0	0

ANALYSIS OF THE ORDINARY REVENUE OF THE COLONY FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1866.

Revenue as shown in Statement published in <i>Gazette</i> , page 463—£215,515 Os. 4d.	PERIODS FOR WHICH THIS REVENUE WAS RECEIVED.		TOTALS.
	Previous Financial Year.	September Quarter, 1866.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Revenue	1 4 2	2,147 12 1	2,148 16 3
Revenue collected in Province of—			
Auckland	75 19 8	40,115 10 1	40,191 9 9
Taranaki		3,813 13 7	3,813 13 7
Wellington	3 6 0	23,746 5 8	23,749 11 8
Hawke's Bay	1 13 0	5,680 2 3	5,681 15 3
Nelson	4 10 0	15,405 11 7	15,410 1 7
Marlborough		1,529 4 10	1,529 4 10
Canterbury	96 13 6	64,881 14 6	64,978 8 0
Otago	298 16 6	50,631 5 11	50,930 2 5
Southland	0 4 0	7,081 13 0	7,081 17 0
TOTALS	482 6 10	215,032 13 6	215,515 0 4

ANALYSIS OF THE EXPENDITURE OF THE COLONY FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1866.

Expenditure as shown in Statement published in <i>Gazette</i> , page 463—£145,298 16s. 7d.	PERIODS FOR WHICH THIS EXPENDITURE WAS MADE.		TOTALS.
	Previous Financial Year.	September Quarter, 1866.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Expenditure	31,306 4 3	85,555 2 6	116,861 6 9
Expenditure in Province of—			
Auckland	897 5 6	4,712 5 1	5,609 10 7
Taranaki	5 10 0	564 0 10	569 10 10
Wellington	247 11 5	2,278 1 10	2,525 13 3
Hawke's Bay	520 18 2	624 1 0	1,144 19 2
Nelson	16 19 0	792 13 3	809 12 3
Marlborough	389 2 7	670 15 5	1,059 18 0
Canterbury	1,443 17 5	5,450 3 0	6,894 0 5
Otago	594 9 4	7,480 18 9	8,075 8 1
Southland	5 0 0	1,743 17 3	1,748 17 3
TOTALS	35,426 17 8	109,871 18 11	145,298 16 7

Treasury, Wellington,  
7th December, 1866.

J. WOODWARD,  
Assistant Treasurer.

FINANCIAL YEAR 1866-7.  
STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE ORDINARY REVENUE OF NEW ZEALAND, for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866.

	PROVINCES.										TOTALS.	
	GENERAL.	AUCKLAND.	PARANAKI.	WELLINGTON.	HAWKE'S BAY.	NELSON.	MARLBOROUGH.	CANTERBURY.	OYAGO.	SOUTHLAND.		
<b>REVENUE.</b>												
Customs Duties	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Fines, Seizures, &c.	36219 19 2	3923 13 9	3292 7 4	21724 4 2	6155 19 2	14390 12 7	1135 4 5	68550 7 5	45971 0 10	6310 15 1	192711 18 4	
Postal	10 7 2	10 7 2	15 9 2	0 4 2	15 0 11	15 0 11	14 10 5	14 10 5	15 0 11	15 0 11	43 4 7	
Telegraph	1968 6 3	1915 1 8	155 9 2	1031 7 1	277 3 0	450 6 3	160 4 7	2993 15 7	2602 12 2	377 16 11	9603 18 5	
Judicial—												
Fees and Fines, Supreme Courts	316 1 0	316 1 0	31 13 0	146 11 2	33 4 6	49 12 0	5 10 0	489 17 1	402 7 6	16 6 6	1491 4 9	
District Courts	144 14 3	144 14 3	14 17 6	19 10 8	3 0 0	254 14 4	1 2 0	22 13 0	41 18 0	131 8 0	165 6 11	
Sheriff's Offices	112 3 9	112 3 9	140 17 6	430 4 1	109 11 1	1 1 0	77 6 0	1789 13 9	1070 6 11	186 3 3	4731 16 5	
Resident Magistrates' Courts	707 14 9	707 14 9	116 19 4	231 5 6	65 14 6	218 8 0	1 1 0	0 6 0	1 7 0	147 15 0	3003 9 4	
Petty Sessions	3 10 0	3 10 0	7 0 0	39 13 6	12 0 0	23 11 6	60 16 6	0 6 0	508 17 0	15 6 6	410 17 0	
Registration of Land and Deeds	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Marriages, &c.	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Fees on issue of Crown Grants	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" under Arms Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Merchant Shipping Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Joint Stock Companies Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Patents' Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Land Claims Settlement Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Lost Land Orders Act	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
" Marine Engineer's Department	0 2 6	0 2 6	7 0 0	34 0 0	12 0 0	18 0 0	0 0 0	60 16 6	124 9 0	63 0 0	410 17 0	
Incidental Receipts	13 1 3	13 1 3	0 0 0	14 15 0	0 4 0	3 14 0	5 10 0	5 10 0	8 13 0	1 6 0	29 2 4	
Savings on Votes of 1865-6	2148 16 3	4019 9 9	3813 13 7	23749 11 8	5681 15 3	15410 1 7	1529 4 10	64878 8 0	50830 2 5	7081 17 0	215515 0 4	
TOTALS	15298 8 2	1916 0 3	122 3 6	1008 19 4	828 1 10	1177 1 11	776 2 2	1280 3 9	9870 0 7	1980 7 2	33415 8 8	
	17447 4 5	42107 10 0	3985 17 1	24758 11 0	6507 17 1	16887 3 6	2205 7 0	66238 11 9	60800 3 0	8442 4 2	248930 9 0	
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>												
Civil List	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Permanent Charges—	4899 10 9	4899 10 9	32381 1 3	20091 9 10	29 9 10	14 14 0	1 13 0	119 8 4	131 7 0	15 6 3	32381 1 3	
Interest and Sinking Fund	2656 16 4	2656 16 4	20091 9 10	29 9 10	14 14 0	1 13 0	119 8 4	131 7 0	15 6 3	15 6 3	20091 9 10	
Less Returns by Provinces	2656 16 4	2656 16 4	20091 9 10	29 9 10	14 14 0	1 13 0	119 8 4	131 7 0	15 6 3	15 6 3	20091 9 10	
Under Acts of General Assembly	2656 16 4	2656 16 4	20091 9 10	29 9 10	14 14 0	1 13 0	119 8 4	131 7 0	15 6 3	15 6 3	20091 9 10	
Appropriations—												
Public Domains and Buildings	622 4 7	622 4 7	3887 1 11	190 9 5	25 5 0	8 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	3887 1 11	
Governor's Establishment	286 18 8	286 18 8	1021 19 8	221 14 8	8 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1021 19 8	
Legislative	8987 1 11	8987 1 11	1021 19 8	221 14 8	8 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	8987 1 11	
Executive	1021 19 8	1021 19 8	221 14 8	8 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	1021 19 8	
Registry of Marriages, &c.	221 14 8	221 14 8	8 7 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	221 14 8	
Printing Department	1085 2 8	1085 2 8	332 9 5	58 1 2	1678 8 6	287 6 4	57 18 4	299 2 8	449 9 5	100 0 0	1085 2 8	
Geological Survey Department	332 9 5	332 9 5	58 1 2	1678 8 6	287 6 4	57 18 4	299 2 8	449 9 5	100 0 0	100 0 0	332 9 5	
Electoral	58 1 2	58 1 2	1678 8 6	287 6 4	57 18 4	299 2 8	449 9 5	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	1678 8 6	
Judicial	1678 8 6	1678 8 6	287 6 4	57 18 4	299 2 8	449 9 5	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	287 6 4	
Land and Deeds Registry	287 6 4	287 6 4	57 18 4	299 2 8	449 9 5	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	287 6 4	
Postal	449 9 5	449 9 5	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	449 9 5	
" Telegraph Department	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
" Marine Engineer's Department	79 6 2	79 6 2	2963 2 8	897 19 11	29163 13 3	2079 17 6	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	2963 2 8	
Native Departments	2963 2 8	2963 2 8	897 19 11	29163 13 3	2079 17 6	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	897 19 11	
Miscellaneous	897 19 11	897 19 11	29163 13 3	2079 17 6	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	29163 13 3	
Defence	29163 13 3	29163 13 3	2079 17 6	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	2079 17 6	
Refunds of Revenue	2079 17 6	2079 17 6	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	
Supplementary	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	237 19 0	
This Customs paid to Provinces	116861 6 9	5609 10 7	13853 5 9	18062 16 4	1509 9 1	2078 19 11	2525 13 3	6445 15 11	1144 19 2	809 12 3	809 12 3	
TOTALS	116861 6 9	18062 16 4	2078 19 11	11971 9 2	3361 13 10	4103 0 7	1059 18 0	6934 0 5	9075 8 1	1748 17 3	145298 16 7	

<sup>a</sup> This includes a sum of £9106 18s. 4d. that has to be repaid by the Government of New South Wales on account of the Permanent outlay.

<sup>b</sup> Of this amount the sum of £2242 17s. has been paid for works connected with the construction of telegraph lines, and £2901 15s. 1d. for cost of maintenance.

Treasurer, Wellington, 7th December, 1866.

<sup>c</sup> This sum includes the whole expenditure brought to charge in the quarter for Defence purposes, of which £23377 2s. 2d. would formerly have been charged on expenditure under the Loan of 1863.

<sup>d</sup> This includes payments amounting to £2163 18s. 6d. on account of the New Post Office, Dunedin.

J. WOODWARD,  
Assistant Treasurer.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, within the Colony, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	326,395	9	11	Coined Gold and Silver and other			
Bills in Circulation	29,861	4	3	Coined Metal	323,984	2	8
Balances due to other Banks	91,451	4	1	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	135,516	6	5
Government Deposits	262,037	15	0	Notes and Bills of other Banks	4,483	3	0
Other Deposits	714,317	7	0	Balances due from other Banks	12,175	0	5
				Not bearing Interest			
	324,732	15	2	Landed Property	19,763	13	0
				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted	713,677	18	11
				2. Colonial Government Securities	100,000	0	0
				3. Other Funded Securities			
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	853,123	16	8
				5. Securities not included under the above heads	179,249	9	4
Total Average Liabilities	£1,748,795	15	5	Total Average Assets	£2,341,975	10	5

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866	£	s.	d.
	500,000	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders		17	½ cent. ½ annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared	42,500	0	0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	199,067	1	9

Dated at Auckland, this 31st day of October, 1866.

D. L. MURDOCH, Inspector.  
FRED. BATTLE, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA, in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 24th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	141,276	5	10	Coined Gold and Silver and other			
Bills in Circulation	19,066	15	3	Coined Metal	258,998	12	5
Balances due to other Banks	2,749	12	3	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	5,559	11	3
Government Deposits	26,439	19	8	Notes and Bills of other Banks	6,546	9	3
Other Deposits	477,457	5	8	Balances due from other Banks	13,205	13	5
				Not bearing Interest			
	303,618	9	1	Landed Property	38,333	6	8
				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted	611,444	3	6
				2. Colonial Government Securities			
				3. Other Funded Securities			
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	216,939	15	11
				5. Securities not included under the above heads	2,719	17	5
Total Average Liabilities	£970,608	7	9	Total Average Assets	£1,153,747	9	10

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th June, 1866	£	s.	d.
	1,250,000	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders		17	½ cent. ½ annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared	106,250	0	0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	357,729	7	8

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of October, 1866.

J. CARTER, Manager.  
EDWD. H. TATE, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	152,458	9	11	Coined Gold and Silver, and other			
Bills in Circulation	652	18	6	Coined Metal	252,159	10	11
Balances due to other Banks	9,968	11	11	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	35,891	12	5
Government Deposits	...			Notes and Bills of other Banks	1,485	16	10
Other Deposits	392,479	18	6	Balances due from other Banks	7,390	3	3
				Not bearing Interest	360,748	19	7
				Landed Property	17,255	6	2
				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted	407,783	7	2
				2. Colonial Government Securities	213,609	9	0
				3. Other Funded Securities	...		
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	108,214	16	10
				5. Securities not included under the above heads	137,529	7	8
<b>Total Average Liabilities</b>	<b>£916,308</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Total Average Assets</b>	<b>£1,181,319</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866	£	s.	d.
	1,000,000	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders 15 p cent. per annum, Bonus 5 p cent. per annum			20 p cent. p annum.
Amount of last Dividend declared	100,000		
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	336,917	8	1

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of October, 1866.

EDWD. MILLER, Manager.

W. ROBERTON PERSTON, Acting Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF AUSTRALASIA, in the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	18,922	0	1	Coined Gold and Silver, and other			
Bills in Circulation	2,354	4	8	Coined Metals	45,703	16	11
Balances due to other Banks	...			Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	68	16	5
Government Deposits	...			Notes and Bills of other Banks	254	12	7
Other Deposits	72,143	14	1	Balances due from other Banks	...		
				Not bearing Interest	12,243	15	4
				Landed Property	19,300	0	0
				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted	306,281	1	3
				2. Colonial Government Securities	...		
				3. Other Funded Securities	...		
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	64,558	16	6
				5. Securities not included under the above heads	...		
<b>Total Average Liabilities</b>	<b>£105,663</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Total Average Assets</b>	<b>£436,167</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866	£	s.	d.
	1,200,000	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders			14 per cent.
Amount of the last Dividend declared	78,750	0	0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	370,000	9	3

Dated at Auckland, this 30th day of October, 1866.

GEO. MATSON, Manager.

A. R. WEBB, Accountant.



STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF OTAGO (LIMITED), at DUNEDIN, during the Quarter ended 29th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	28,083	0	0	Coined Gold and Silver, and other			
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	509	19	6	Coined Metal . . . . .	28,621	8	2
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	12,637	6	10	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	8,348	14	1
Government Deposits . . . . .	1,079	1	7	Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	1,392	0	0
Other Deposits {	87,473	4	10	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	527	7	9
				Not bearing Interest . . . . .			
Other Deposits {	39,070	1	3	Landed Property . . . . .	18,586	8	2
				Bearing Interest . . . . .			
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted . . . . .	111,174	18	6
				2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	82,152	16	0
				3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...		
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) . . . . .	258,085	11	8
				5. Securities not included under the above heads . . . . .	4,424	18	11
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Total Average Assets . . . . .	£513,314	3	3

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 29th September, 1866 . . . . .	£	s.	d.
	200,785	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .		6	½ cent. ½ annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	5,868	15	1
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	2,773	7	7

Dated at Dunedin, this 5th day of October, 1866.

JOHN BATHGATE, Manager.

H. EDGAR GLENNIE, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF AUCKLAND at AUCKLAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1866.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	9,549	1	6	Coined Gold and Silver and other			
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	83	6	11	Coined Metal . . . . .	11,192	16	2
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	6,457	8	9	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	...		
Government Deposits . . . . .	...			Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	8	0	0
Other Deposits {	32,248	17	4	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	1,070	7	2
				Not bearing Interest . . . . .			
Other Deposits {	2,428	18	10	Landed Property . . . . .	2,180	8	1
				Bearing Interest . . . . .			
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Amount of all other Securities—			
				1. Notes and Bills Discounted . . . . .	59,954	0	3
				2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	1,198	1	0
				3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...		
				4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad) . . . . .	28,555	7	0
				5. Securities not included under the above heads . . . . .	252	0	11
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Total Average Assets . . . . .	£104,411	0	7

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866 . . . . .	£	s.	d.
	52,408	0	0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .		10	½ cent. ½ annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	2,228	16	7
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	1,750	0	0

Dated at Auckland, this 12th day of October, 1866.

C. F. JOHNS, Manager.

WILLIAM FLOOD, Acting Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS, and of the CAPITAL and PROFITS of the undermentioned BANKS of the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, for the Quarter ended 30th SEPT., 1866.

BANKS.	LIABILITIES.				
	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.	Total Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand . . . . .	326,395 9 11	29,861 4 3	91,451 4 1	1,301,087 17 2	1,748,795 15 5
Union Bank of Australia . . . . .	141,276 5 10	19,066 15 3	2,749 12 3	807,515 14 5	970,608 7 9
Bank of New South Wales . . . . .	152,458 9 11	652 18 6	9,968 11 11	753,228 13 1	916,808 18 5
Bank of Australasia . . . . .	18,922 0 1	2,354 4 8	...	84,387 9 5	105,663 14 2
Bank of Otago . . . . .	28,083 0 0	509 19 6	12,637 6 10	127,622 7 8	168,852 14 0
Bank of Auckland . . . . .	9,549 1 6	83 6 11	6,457 8 9	34,677 16 2	50,767 13 4
Totals . . . . .	£ 676,684 7 3	52,528 9 1	123,264 3 10	3,108,520 2 11	3,960,997 3 1

BANKS.	ASSETS.						
	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand . . . . .	323,984 2 8	135,516 6 5	19,765 13 0	4,483 3 0	12,175 0 5	1,846,051 4 11	2,341,975 10 5
Union Bk. of Australia . . . . .	258,998 12 5	5,559 11 3	38,333 6 8	6,546 9 3	13,205 13 5	831,103 16 10	1,153,747 9 10
Bank of N. S. Wales . . . . .	252,159 10 11	35,891 12 5	17,255 6 2	1,485 16 10	7,390 3 3	867,137 0 8	1,181,319 10 3
Bank of Australasia . . . . .	45,703 16 11	68 16 5	19,300 0 0	254 12 7	...	370,839 17 9	436,167 3 8
Bank of Otago . . . . .	28,621 8 2	8,348 14 1	18,586 8 2	1,392 0 0	527 7 9	455,838 5 1	513,314 3 3
Bank of Auckland . . . . .	11,192 16 2	...	2,180 8 1	8 0 0	1,070 7 2	89,959 9 2	104,411 0 7
Totals . . . . .	£ 920,660 7 3	185,385 0 7	115,421 2 1	14,170 1 8	34,368 12 0	4,460,929 14 5	5,730,934 18 0

BANKS.	CAPITAL AND PROFITS.			
	Capital paid up.	Rate per annum of last Dividend.	Amount of last Dividend declared	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand . . . . .	500,000 0 0	17 per cent. per annum . . . . .	42,500 0 0	199,067 1 9
Union Bank of Australia . . . . .	1,250,000 0 0	17 per cent. per annum . . . . .	106,250 0 0	357,729 7 8
Bank of New South Wales . . . . .	1,000,000 0 0	20 per cent. per annum . . . . .	100,000 0 0	336,917 8 1
Bank of Australasia . . . . .	1,200,000 0 0	14 per cent. per annum . . . . .	78,750 0 0	370,000 9 3
Bank of Otago . . . . .	200,785 0 0	6 per cent. per annum . . . . .	5,868 15 1	2,773 7 7
Bank of Auckland . . . . .	52,408 0 0	10 per cent. per annum . . . . .	2,228 16 7	1,750 0 0
Totals . . . . .	£ 4,203,193 0 0		335,597 11 8	1,268,237 14 4

Treasury, Wellington, 21st November, 1866.

J. WOODWARD, Assistant Treasurer.

I, DAVID LEWIS, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Lost Land Orders Act, 1861," to hear and decide claims for Crown Grants of Lands for which the original Land Orders have been lost or destroyed, report that the claims of William Barnard Rhodes, of Wellington; Alexander Nairne, of Camberwell, in England; John Luscombe, of Chudleigh, in England; having been referred to me by command of the Governor, I do hereby decide that the aforesaid claimants are entitled to Crown Grants of the land referred to in the annexed Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Claimants.	Commissioner's Decision.
William Barnard Rhodes . . . . .	Entitled to a Crown Grant of allotment No. 78, part of Rural Section No. 1, Harbour District.
Alexander Nairne . . . . .	Entitled to a Crown Grant of sections in the City of Wellington Nos. 765, 832, 848, and 969; Rural Section No. 52, Ohariu District; and to three other selections of Rural Land (100 acres each), upon the conditions described in the report of the New Zealand Company's Commissioner, No. 1409.
John Luscombe . . . . .	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the section No. 383, and part of No. 93, on the plan of the City of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington, this fifteenth day of November, 1866.

DAVID LEWIS,  
Lost Land Orders Commissioner.

I, DAVID LEWIS, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of the Ordinance No. 15, Session XI, of the Legislative Council of the Islands of New Zealand, to hear and decide Claims to Land by persons claiming Title thereto, from, through, or under the New Zealand Company, report that the Claims of the undermentioned persons having been duly referred to me for investigation, I do hereby decide that the said persons are respectively entitled to Crown Grants of the land set against their names in the annexed Schedule.

New Zealand Company's Land Claimants Office,  
Wellington, 15th November, 1866.

DAVID LEWIS,  
Commissioner.

## SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Commissioner's Decision.
1404	1622	Edmund Storr Hallswell ...	Entitled to Crown Grants of the Sections numbered 20, 62, and 75, in the block of land surveyed by the New Zealand Company at Manawatu, subject nevertheless to the conditions of clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858."
1405	1384	Elijah Wilton ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the Rural Section No. 18, on the plan of the Ohiro District.
1406	1330	Samuel Farrar ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the Section numbered 3 in the block of land surveyed by the New Zealand Company at Manawatu, subject nevertheless to the conditions of clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858."
1407	1669	Lawson Potts ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of a portion of Section No. 11 in the Hutt Valley, containing about five acres.
1408	1660	William Barnard Rhodes ...	Entitled to a Crown Grant of Allotment No. 78, part of Rural Section No. 1, Harbour District, commonly called Wade's Town.
1409	1646	Alexander Nairne ... ..	Entitled to Crown Grants of the Sections No. 765, 832, 848, and 969, in the City of Wellington; also, to Rural Section No. 52, Ohariu District; also, to Rural Sections No. 26, Horowhenua, and No. 237 Manawatu Districts, as surveyed by the New Zealand Company; subject nevertheless to the conditions of clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858." Also, to select one hundred acres in respect of an unexercised land order, under the conditions of clause II. of the before-mentioned Act.