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G. GREY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power in me vested by "The Public Revenues Act, 1867," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the undermentioned persons to be Paymasters for the districts and services hereinafter specified.

*For Districts.*

- For the District of the Province of Auckland—Daniel Pollen.
- For the District of the Province of Wellington—J. Woodward.
- For the District of the Province of Nelson, excepting Westport—J. T. Catley.
- For the District of the Province of Canterbury, excepting the County of Westland and the Districts of Timaru and Gladstone—W. J. W. Hamilton.
- For the District of the Province of Southland—A. J. Elles.
- For the District of Blenheim—S. L. Müller.
- For the District of Picton—John Allen.

*For Services.*

- For Surveys, Auckland—Theophilus Heale.
- For Colonial Defence Services, Waikato—Jackson Keddell.
- For Colonial Defence Services, Tauranga and Opotiki—W. G. Stack.
- For Customs Department and Special Services, Taranaki—Richard Chilman.
- For Postal Services, Taranaki—E. B. Dickson.
- For Departments of Law and Justice, Taranaki—Josiah Flight.
- For Registration of Deeds, Taranaki—S. P. King.
- For Native Services, Taranaki—Robert Parris.
- For Customs Department and Special Services, Hawke's Bay—J. M. Tabuteau.
- For Postal Services, Hawke's Bay—Peter Bourke.
- For Departments of Law and Justice, Hawke's Bay—James Grindell.

- For Registration of Deeds Department, Hawke's Bay—H. B. Sealy.
- For Colonial Defence Services, Hawke's Bay—Edward Withers.
- For Native Services, Hawke's Bay—George Sisson Cooper.
- For Customs Department and Special Services, Westport—W. S. Munday.
- For Postal Services, Westport—Thomas F. Winstanley.
- For Customs Department, Hokitika—Edward Patten.
- For Postal Department, Hokitika—A. Stevenson.
- For Resident Magistrate's Court and Coroners, Hokitika—G. G. FitzGerald.
- For Supreme and District Courts, Hokitika—Robert Abbott.
- For Customs Department, Greymouth—David Johnston.
- For Postal Department, Greymouth—John McBeth.
- For Resident Magistrate's Court and Coroners, Greymouth—W. H. Revell.
- For Customs Department, Timaru—C. E. Cooper.
- For Resident Magistrate's Court, Timaru—Belfield Woolcombe.
- For Customs Department and Special Services, Dunedin and Port Chalmers—Thomas Hill.
- For Postal Services, Otago—Archibald Barr.
- For Resident Magistrate's Court and Coroners, Dunedin—James Fulton.
- For Supreme Court, Dunedin—A. A. Catomore.
- For Registry of Deeds and Stamp Departments, Dunedin—A. W. Smith.
- For Customs Department and Resident Magistrate's Court, Oamaru—T. W. Parker.
- For Customs Department and Special Services, Molyneux—G. R. Mitchell.
- For District of Waitahuna, Gold Field Services—J. B. Borton.
- For District of Naseby, Gold Field Services—E. H. Carew.

**ERRATA.**—In *Gazette* No. 65, of the 6th December, 1867, page 469, in the Warrant reserving lands for Electric Telegraph purposes, for "Province of Napier" read "Province of Hawke's Bay."  
 On page 510 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, of the 31st December, 1867 (No. 70), for "Philip Henry King" read "Philip Hansen King."

For District of Upper Shotover, Gold Field Services—Owen Mackin.  
 For District of Switzers, Gold Field Services—H. A. Stratford.  
 For District of Lawrence, Gold Field Services—E. Croker.  
 For District of Clyde, Gold Field Services—A. D. Harvey.  
 For District of Queenstown, Gold Field Services—J. S. Worthington.  
 For District of Blacks, Gold Field Services—H. J. Abel.  
 For District of St. Bathans, Gold Field Services—T. S. Harvey.  
 For District of Mount Benger, Gold Field Services—J. S. Hickson.  
 For District of Cromwell, Gold Field Services—W. Darling.  
 For District of Alexandra, Gold Field Services—R. E. Field.  
 For District of Arrowtown, Gold Field Services—T. G. Dugard.  
 For Telegraph Services, Otago—A. D. Lubecki.

Also, in pursuance of the powers in me vested under "The County of Westland Act, 1867"—

George Winter, to be Paymaster for services specified in the tenth clause of the said Act, within the said county.

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 Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

J. RICHARDSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th January, 1868.

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

E. W. STAFFORD.

[Circular.]

Downing Street,  
29th April, 1867.

SIR,—I transmit to you a copy of a letter from the Registrar of the Royal College of Physicians, forwarding a report on the disease of leprosy, prepared by the committee appointed by the college in 1862.

I wish you to forward a copy of this report to every medical man in the Colony under your government who has given information on the subject, to every other medical man who is connected with any public hospital, workhouse, or other institution of the kind, and to every public library or library of a legislative body or scientific institution.

I desire to direct your attention to the opinions expressed at page 49, as to the effect of the evidence obtained on the question whether leprosy is or is not contagious. You will perceive that the College of Physicians consider that it is not contagious, the few instances of supposed contagion reported not being such as to effect the conclusion drawn from the wide and general experience presented by the reports at large. I have, therefore, to request that you will inform me whether any law or practice exists in the Colony under your government such as are alluded to in the same page of the report for the compulsory seclusion of lepers; and that, if existing, you will take all steps in your power for their abrogation.

I desire also to call your attention to the remarks made at page 75, on the want in many Colonies of an accurate registration of births and deaths, notifying the causes of the latter, and of a regular publication of results, without which the most important conditions of health and life in the populations will probably be disregarded. I request you to report what arrangements are in force upon this point, and with reference to the last paragraph of the report, you will be pleased to state whether you have reason to believe that in the Colony under your government, as in Antigua, the population is decreasing owing to a high death-rate or a low birth-rate.

I have, &c.,

BUCKINGHAM AND CHANDOS.

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

*Dr. Pitman to Sir F. Rogers.*

Royal College of Physicians,  
2nd January, 1867.

SIR,—I am directed by the President of this College to acquaint you, for the information of the Earl of Carnarvon, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, that the committee appointed on the 14th of June, 1862, by request of the late Duke of Newcastle (then Secretary for the Colonies), "to collate, digest, and report upon whatever information respecting the disease of leprosy may be submitted to their consideration," presented their final report to the college on the 22nd ultimo.

This report having been approved and adopted by the college, I have now the honor to forward it to you for his Lordship's consideration.

I am instructed by the college to request the special attention of the Earl of Carnarvon to the two paragraphs marked in the report at pages 74, and 76, the college believing that if due effect were given by Her Majesty's Government to the recommendations therein contained, a more complete knowledge of the disease of leprosy would be acquired, and the health and general welfare of Her Majesty's subjects in the Colonies and elsewhere would be greatly promoted.

I am also desired to state, that the completion of the report has been necessarily delayed to the present time owing to the vast amount of documentary evidence, received from all parts of the world, requiring selection and arrangement, the latest those, namely, from the Bengal Presidency, not having been received until the spring of last year.

I am, &c.

(Signed) HENRY A. PITMAN,  
Registrar.

Sir F. Rogers, Bart., &c.

P.S.—I beg leave to restore the returns respecting leprosy received from British Consuls abroad, in accordance with the request of Earl Russell, conveyed in Mr. Cardwell's letter of 14th April, 1863.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th January, 1868.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to confirm the following appointments of Inspectors of Diseased Cattle in the Province of Canterbury, viz. :—

THOMAS HILL, M.R.C.V.S.,  
FRANK MATHIAS.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Defence Office,  
Wellington, 8th January, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Lieut-Colonel HENRY ELMHIRST READER,

to command the Militia and Volunteers in the Wellington Militia District.

T. M. HAULTAIN.

Native Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th January, 1868.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the undermentioned Suburban allotments adjoining the Township of Raleigh (Waitara), will be offered for sale by auction on Saturday, the 15th day of February, 1868, at the upset prices named in the Schedule hereunto attached. The sale will be held at the Taranaki Institute, New Plymouth, and will commence at twelve o'clock in the morning.

E. W. STAFFORD.

SCHEDULE.

TOWNSHIP OF RALEIGH, WAITARA.—SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS.

Number.	Area.			Upset Price. £ s. d.
	A.	R.	P.	
<i>West Bank.</i>				
3	22	3	6	91 3 0
4	22	0	21	88 10 6
5	18	2	0	74 0 0
6	27	2	20	110 10 0
7	17	1	6	69 3 0
8	13	0	8	52 4 0
9	15	3	18	63 9 0
10	16	0	0	64 0 0
11	14	1	14	57 7 0
12	22	2	16	90 8 0
13	16	0	0	64 0 0
14	14	1	14	57 7 0
15	17	2	10	70 5 0
16	11	1	18	45 9 0
17	17	2	23	70 11 6
18	14	1	28	57 14 0
19	10	2	5	42 2 6
20	10	0	18	40 9 0
21	19	3	22	79 11 0
22	14	1	22	57 11 0
24	8	3	7	35 3 6
26	16	1	28	65 14 0
27	24	0	9	96 4 6
28	34	2	33	104 2 0
<i>East Bank.</i>				
Number.	Area.			Upset Price. £ s. d.
	A.	R.	P.	
1	15	3	37	47 19 0
2	21	0	4	63 1 0
3	17	1	38	52 9 0
4	25	0	0	75 0 0
5	12	3	20	38 12 6
6	26	0	0	78 0 0
7	36	0	0	108 0 0
8	29	3	0	89 5 0
11	16	3	13	50 10 0
12	14	1	30	43 6 0
13	14	0	10	42 0 0
14	30	1	36	91 18 0
15	24	0	0	72 0 0
16	22	1	0	66 15 0
17	16	1	0	48 15 0
19	11	3	11	35 9 0
20	28	2	0	85 10 0
21	24	0	0	72 0 0
22	35	3	10	107 9 0
23	40	0	0	120 0 0
24	20	1	4	61 4 0
25	21	0	24	63 9 0
26	28	0	32	84 12 0
27	31	1	20	94 2 6
28	40	0	10	120 4 0

Number.	Area.			Upset Price. £ s. d.
	A.	R.	P.	
29	27	2	7	82 12 0
30	25	2	36	77 3 0
31	34	1	8	102 18 0
32	25	3	30	77 16 0
33	40	2	20	121 17 6

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 3rd January, 1868.

IT is hereby notified that Telegraph Stations are now open at

FEATHERSTON,

in the Province of Wellington; and at

SELWYN,

in the Province of Canterbury.

Office hours from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. on week days; and on Sundays from 10 till 10.30 a.m., and from 5 till 5.30 p.m.

The tariff rates can be seen at the Stations.

JOHN HALL,  
Telegraph Commissioner.

CUSTOMS NOTICE.—The undermentioned persons have been duly licensed to act as Custom House Agents, at the Port of Napier, viz. :—

JOHN GIBSON KINROSS,

JOHN STUART,

JAMES WATT,

WILLIAM WITHERS,

WILLIAM ROUTLEDGE, ALEXANDER KENNEDY,  
(Routledge, Kennedy and Co.)

JOSEPH MOLIERE TABUTEAU,

Deputy-Commissioner.

Custom House, Napier,  
30th December, 1867.

IN the Supreme Court of New Zealand: Northern District.

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867."

By virtue of the powers conferred on me by "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867," I do hereby order that the *Daily Southern Cross* and the *New Zealand Herald* newspapers shall be the papers in which are to be published all Notices required by the said Act to be published in the *Gazette*.

Thursday, the nineteenth day of December,  
one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

J. S. MOORE,

The Judge of the Supreme Court to whom the Northern Judicial District has been assigned.

Auckland, 20th December, 1867.

I the undersigned CAPTAIN JAMES STONE, hereby make application to register "The Kurunui 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 knowledge and belief, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Kurunui Gold Mining Company, Registered."
2. The place of operations is the Thames Gold Field, in the Province of Auckland.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is ten thousand pounds in one thousand shares of ten pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is five thousand nine hundred and fifty-two pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Captain James Stone.

6. The office of the Company is in the City of Auckland, in the Province of Auckland.

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.
David King Clarkson ...	Auckland ...	62
Francis Furlong ...	Kaueranga ...	62
David Nathan ...	Auckland ...	62
Christopher George Quick ...	Ditto ...	62
William Rowe ...	Ditto ...	62
Thomas Russell ...	Ditto ...	62
Captain James Stone ...	Ditto ...	62
Thomas Murson Stewart ...	Ditto ...	62
Frederick Whitaker ...	Ditto ...	62
William Chisholm Wilson ...	Ditto ...	62

Dated this third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

C. J. STONE.

Witness to signature of Captain James Stone—

WILLIAM C. DALDY,

J.P. for the Colony of New Zealand.

IN the District Court of Marlborough, holden at Picton.

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1867." NOTICE is hereby given, that Adolphus Bergin of Picton, in the Province of Marlborough, tailor, has this day filed in this Court a declaration that he is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

Dated this seventh day of January, 1868.

EDWARD T. CONOLLY,

Picton,

solicitor for the said Insolvent.

NOTICE of Retirement from Partnership.—Mr. HENRY FROST has this day retired from the firm of "James Bentley and Company." Nelson, December 21, 1867.

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Auckland, in account with the Real Estate of ROBERT BRIGHTON, deceased, intestate.

1865.	DR.	£	s.	d.
May 30.	Rent received from Danks, quarter due 24th March ...	4	0	0
July 31.	Rent received from Danks, quarter due 24th June ...	4	0	0
Nov. 24.	Rent received from Danks, quarter due 24th September ...	4	0	0
		£12	0	0

1865.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Aug. 7.	Paid into Sub-Treasury under Judge's order	4	0	0
Oct. 19.	Do. do.	4	0	0
	Administrator's commission ...	0	12	0
	Advertising balance sheet ...	0	7	6
1867.				
May.	Balance paid into Sub-Treasury under Judge's Order ...	3	0	6
		£12	0	0

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Auckland, New Zealand, in account with the Estate of GEORGE ROBINSON, deceased, intestate.

1866.	£	s.	d.	
June 14.	To cash received from Constable George Watts, found on person of deceased ...	0	0	2½
1866.		£	s.	d.
Nov.	By amount paid into Sub-Treasury under Judge's Order, to credit of estate ...	0	0	2½

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Auckland, New Zealand, in account with the Estate of FRANCIS RUTLEY, deceased, intestate, a passenger per ship "Liverpool," from London to Auckland.

1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Mar. 20.	Cash received from Captain McEwan, master of ship "Liverpool," net proceeds of sale of deceased's effects ...	18	15	2
		£18	15	2
1866.	CR.	£	s.	d.
July.	Paid Supreme Court fees for letters of administration, viz. :— Swearing two affidavits, 4s.; filing, 6s.; setting down application, 2s.; order, 6s. ...	0	18	0
" 15.	Paid letter of administration ...	0	5	0
	Advertising notice to creditors in <i>Cross and Herald</i> ...	0	2	3
	Advertising balance sheet ...	0	5	0
	Administrator's commission ...	0	18	9
	Balance paid under Judge's order into the Sub-Treasury to the credit of estate ...	16	6	2
		£18	15	2

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Auckland, New Zealand, in account with the Estate of WILLIAM HENRY TYRELL, deceased, intestate.

1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Feb. 2.	To cash on person received from Hospital	2	9	0
" 21.	To cash received from Bank of New Zealand, lying to credit of deceased ...	60	12	0
" 26.	To cash received from Ridings and Dowden, net proceeds of sale of effects ...	15	15	0
		£78	16	0

1865.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Nov. 27.	Paid Supreme Court letters of administration ...	1	10	0
	Paid swearing two affidavits, 4s.; filing same, 6s.; setting down, 2s.; order, 6s. ...	0	18	0
1866.		£	s.	d.
Feb. 24.	Paid advertising notices to creditors in <i>New Zealander</i> and <i>Southern Cross</i> ...	0	5	0
" 28.	Paid Dr. Horne his account for medical attendance ...	3	3	0
	Paid into Sub-Treasury, April 17, £73. 18s. ...			
Aug. 21.	Paid Provincial Hospital claim ...	1	16	6
	By administrator's commission ...	4	8	0
	By advertising balance sheet ...	0	5	0
Nov.	By balance in Colonial Treasury to the credit of the estate ...	66	10	6
		£78	16	0

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Auckland, New Zealand, in account with the Estate of a man (name unknown) supposed to be ROBERT CUMMING.

1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
June 14.	To cash received from Constable Green, amount found on the person of deceased ...	0	11	0
1866.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Nov.	By amount paid into Sub-Treasury under Judge's Order to the credit of the estate ...	0	11	0

LAUGHLIN O'BRIEN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Auckland, New Zealand, in account with the Estate of JOHN HILL, deceased, intestate.

1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
June 14.	To cash received from Sergeant-Major Molloy, money found on deceased ...	0	13	9
1866.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Nov.	By amount paid into Sub-Treasury under Judge's Order ...	0	13	9

JOHN BARLEYMAN, Esq., Deputy-Registrar at Blenheim of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, and Official Administrator, in account with the Estate of NICHOLAS RADII, deceased, intestate.

1866.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Aug. 30.	Paid swearing three affidavits, and filing same	0	15	0
	Paid setting down for hearing and order...	0	11	0
	Paid letters of administration	1	10	0
Sept. 13.	Paid swearing affidavit and filing inventory	0	5	0
1867.				
Mar. 25.	Paid Messrs. McRae, funeral expenses	5	15	6
April 26.	Paid A. Elliott, expense in recovering body	3	10	0
	Paid advertising in <i>Express</i>	0	18	0
	Paid administration commission	3	9	7
	Paid swearing affidavit and filing account	0	5	0
	Paid <i>Gazette</i> fee	0	7	6
	Balance due to the estate	26	6	6
		£43	13	1
	Balance due to the estate	£26	6	6
1866.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Aug. 14.	To cash from T. M. Wright, repayment of loan	36	3	1
1867.				
April 26.	To cash from A. Elliott, wages due	7	10	0
	Total receipts	£43	13	1

JOHN BARLEYMAN, Esq., Deputy-Registrar at Blenheim, in the Middle District of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, in account with the Real Estate of AUGUSTUS ADOLPHUS ALEXANDER HOOD, late of Hokohari, Queen Charlotte's Sound, pursuant to "The Real Estate Administration Act, 1860."

1867.	CR.	£	s.	d.
Feb. 9.	By cash from Mr. Duncan on account of Royalty on timber cut from 28th July to 31st December, 1866	65	0	0
		£65	0	0
„	9. To balance brought down	£60	9	10

1867.	DR.	£	s.	d.
Feb. 9.	To Court fees, viz:—Swearing two affidavits, 4s.; filing, 6s.; Order of Judge, 6s.	0	16	0
	To advertising account in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> , and Money Order	0	8	0
	To commission on £1 4s., expenditure	0	1	2
	To commission on £65, received	3	5	0
	To balance due to the estate	60	9	10
		£65	0	0

NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE and STATUTES.—

The Public are informed that an extra yearly subscription of ten shillings to the *New Zealand Gazette*, will entitle each subscriber to the Acts of the General Assembly as published in each year. All Orders to be accompanied by a remittance, in cash, or in Post Office Money Orders, and addressed to the Government Printer, Wellington.

GEORGE DIDSBURY,  
Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,  
Wellington, 7th January, 1868.

NEW ZEALAND STATUTES, 1867. — Parties desirous of purchasing the volume of New Zealand Statutes for 1867 are informed that copies can be had on application to the Government Printer, at the following prices:—

Bound copies ... Thirty Shillings.  
Loose copies ... Sixpence per sheet.

All orders for the same must be accompanied by a remittance; and when ten or more copies are purchased, twenty per cent. discount will be allowed. No payments above five shillings to be made in stamps.

GEO. DIDSBURY,  
Government Printer.

Government Printing Office,  
Wellington, 23rd December, 1867.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of A. BOARDMAN, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the Month of June, 1867.

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	William Box	Tauranga	England	None required	£ 7 0 0	May 7, 1866	
2	Daniel Niemann	Auckland	Germany	18 June, 1867	470 0 0	Mar. 12, 1867	

A. BOARDMAN,  
Curator, Auckland.

Dated the twenty-ninth day of June, 1867.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of A. BOARDMAN, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the Month of August, 1867.

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	William Box	Tauranga	England	August 30	£ 7 0 0	May 7, 1866	
2	George Carroll	Died before landing	Ireland	None required	14 15 0	May 11, 1866	
3	John Dwyer, sen.	Wangarei	England	August 13	490 0 0	May 3, 1867	
4	John M. Harrison	Waiheke	Ditto	August 30	15 0 0	Nov. 27, 1866	
5	Henry Hemsted	Auckland	Berkshire	None required	37 10 6	May 1, 1867	
6	Thomas McDonald	Point Russell	Scotland	August 23	107 14 10	May 22, 1867	
7	Charles Nelson <i>alias</i> Lofgreen	Tauranga	not known	Not required	44 6 0	May 15, 1866	

A. BOARDMAN,  
Curator, Auckland.

Dated the thirty-first day of August, 1867.

## STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND, in the Colony, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1867.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	299,080	8 9	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	22,197	16 7	Coined Metal . . . . .	336,229	1 1
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	119,094	9 8	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	246,087	17 5
Government Deposits . . . . .	141,026	18 11	Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	7,799	6 6
Other Deposits { Not bearing In-			Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	851	12 9
terest . . . . .	659,319	4 6	Landed Property . . . . .	20,948	1 4
Bearing Interest . . . . .	367,301	15 11	Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills Discounted . . . . .	729,815	12 9
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	221,414	5 9
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclu-		
			sive of Debts abandoned as		
			bad) . . . . .	805,499	6 1
			5. Securities not included under		
			the above heads . . . . .	195,218	4 3
<b>Total Average Liabilities . . . . .</b>	<b>£1,608,020</b>	<b>14 4</b>	<b>Total Average Assets . . . . .</b>	<b>£2,563,863</b>	<b>7 11</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1867 . . . . .	£	s. d.
	500,000	0 0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .		17 $\frac{1}{2}$ cent.
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	42,500	0 0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	207,064	3 1

Dated at Auckland, this 11th day of November, 1867.

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 30th SEPTEMBER, 1867.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	127,712	3 10	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	19,844	15 10	Coined Metal . . . . .	264,727	0 6
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	103	2 3	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	27,725	10 5
Government Deposits . . . . .	2,094	6 2	Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	6,511	3 7
Other Deposits { Not bearing In-			Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	18,788	2 8
terest . . . . .	433,249	4 8	Landed Property . . . . .	43,122	7 0
Bearing Interest . . . . .	327,076	3 8	Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Notes and Bills Discounted . . . . .	608,097	10 7
			2. Colonial Government Securities . . . . .	500	0 0
			3. Other Funded Securities . . . . .	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclu-		
			sive of Debts abandoned as		
			bad) . . . . .	272,370	18 6
			5. Securities not included under		
			the above heads . . . . .	2,601	9 5
<b>Total Average Liabilities . . . . .</b>	<b>£910,079</b>	<b>16 5</b>	<b>Total Average Assets . . . . .</b>	<b>£1,244,444</b>	<b>2 8</b>

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th June, 1867 . . . . .	£	s. d.
	1,250,000	0 0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders . . . . .		17 $\frac{1}{2}$ cent. $\frac{1}{2}$ annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . .	106,250	0 0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . .	508,017	4 10

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of October, 1867.

GEO. COWIE, Assistant Inspector.  
EDWD. H. TATE, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, in NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1867.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	156,232	16	7	Coined Gold and Silver, and other			
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	2,170	13	5	Coined Metal . . . . .	179,750	8	8
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	11,852	17	11	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars . . . . .	53,392	15	6
Government Deposits . . . . .	...			Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	3,601	5	11
Other Deposits {	339,468	6	4	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	10,639	7	11
				Not bearing Interest . . . . .	...		
Other Deposits {	394,711	7	4	Landed Property . . . . .	20,385	2	10
				Bearing Interest . . . . .	...		
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Total Average Assets . . . . .			
£904,436				£1,219,359			
		1	7			10	6

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st March, 1867 . . . . . £ 1,000,000 0 0

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders 15 p cent. per annum, and Bonus 5 p cent. . . . . 20 p cent. p annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared . . . . . 100,000 0 0

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . . 338,022 8 9

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of October, 1867.

EDWARD MILLER, Manager.  
J. W. ROBERTON PERSTON, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF AUSTRALASIA, within the Colony of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1867.

LIABILITIES.				ASSETS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation . . . . .	18,622	11	5	Coined Gold and Silver, and other			
Bills in Circulation . . . . .	3,269	7	2	Coined Metals . . . . .	49,589	19	2
Balances due to other Banks . . . . .	...			Gold and Silver in Bullion and Bars . . . . .	...		
Government Deposits . . . . .	...			Notes and Bills of other Banks . . . . .	201	2	5
Other Deposits {	64,284	6	2	Balances due from other Banks . . . . .	1,044	12	2
				Not bearing Interest . . . . .	...		
Other Deposits {	28,541	8	6	Landed Property . . . . .	24,854	2	7
				Bearing Interest . . . . .	...		
Total Average Liabilities . . . . .				Total Average Assets . . . . .			
£114,717				£463,828			
		13	3			15	9

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1867 . . . . . £ 1,200,000 0 0

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 6 per cent. per annum, and bonus of 6½ per cent., equal to . . . . . 12½ per cent.

Amount of the last Dividend declared . . . . . 75,000 0 0

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend . . . . . 351,753 14 0

Dated at Wellington, this 22nd day of October, 1867.

THOS. BUCHANAN, Manager.  
T. DAVIS, Accountant.

## STATEMENT of the Average Amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF OTAGO (LIMITED), at DUNEDIN, during the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1867.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Notes in Circulation	30,841	17 8	Coined Gold and Silver, and other		
Bills in Circulation	706	19 0	Coined Metal	20,904	7 7
Balances due to other Banks	9,273	11 4	Gold or Silver in Bullion or Bars	8,277	12 6
Government Deposits	...		Notes and Bills of other Banks	1,040	4 7
Other Deposits { Not bearing Interest	66,582	6 0	Balances due from other Banks	442	3 10
{ Bearing Interest	33,017	2 2	Landed Property	18,392	11 9
			Amount of all other Securities—		
			1. Note and Bills Discounted	80,930	19 8
			2. Colonial Government Securities	83,206	16 2
			3. Other Funded Securities	...	
			4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad)	202,298	11 7
			5. Securities not included under the above heads	5,967	16 5
Total Average Liabilities	£140,421	16 2	Total Average Assets	£421,461	4 1

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th September, 1867	£	s. d.
	231,475	0 0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders	6	per cent. per annum.
Amount of the last Dividend declared	7,198	12 2
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	5,958	18 10
Dated at Dunedin, this day of October, 1867.		

H. EDGAR GLENNIE, Acting Local Manager.  
ROBT. J. MORRISON, 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 30 SEPTEMBER, 1867.

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	299,080 8 9	22,197 16 7	119,094 9 8	1,167,647 19 4	1,608,020 14 4
Union Bank of Australia	127,712 3 10	19,844 15 10	103 2 3	762,419 14 6	910,079 16 5
Bank of New South Wales	156,232 16 7	2,170 13 5	11,852 17 11	734,179 13 8	904,436 1 7
Bank of Australasia	18,622 11 5	3,269 7 2	...	92,825 14 8	114,717 13 3
Bank of Otago	30,841 17 8	706 19 0	9,273 11 4	99,599 8 2	140,421 16 2
Totals	£ 632,489 18 3	48,189 12 0	140,324 1 2	2,856,672 10 4	3,677,676 1 9

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	336,229 1 1	246,087 17 5	20,948 1 4	7,799 6 6	851 12 9	1,951,947 8 10	2,563,863 7 11
Union Bk. of Australia	264,727 0 6	27,725 10 5	43,122 7 0	6,511 3 7	18,788 2 8	883,569 18 6	1,244,444 2 8
Bank of N. S. Wales	179,750 8 8	53,392 15 6	20,385 2 10	3,601 5 11	10,639 7 11	951,590 9 8	1,219,359 10 6
Bank of Australasia	49,589 19 2	...	24,854 2 7	201 2 5	1,044 12 2	388,138 19 5	463,828 15 9
Bank of Otago	20,904 7 7	8,277 12 6	18,392 11 9	1,040 4 7	442 3 10	372,404 3 10	421,461 4 1
Totals	£ 851,200 17 0	335,483 15 10	127,702 5 6	19,153 3 0	31,765 19 4	4,547,651 0 3	5,912,957 0 11

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	207,064 3 1
Union Bank of Australia	1,250,000 0 0	16 per cent. per annum	106,250 0 0	508,017 4 10
Bank of New South Wales	1,000,000 0 0	15 per cent. per annum and Bonus 5 per cent.=20 per cent per annum	100,000 0 0	338,022 8 9
Bank of Australasia	1,200,000 0 0	6 per cent. per annum and Bonus 6½ per cent.=12½ per cent per annum	75,000 0 0	351,753 14 0
Bank of Otago	231,475 0 0	6 per cent. per annum	7,198 12 2	5,958 18 10
Totals	£ 4,181,475 0 0		330,948 12 2	1,410,816 9 6

Treasury, Wellington, 12th December, 1867.

J. WOODWARD, Assistant Treasurer.