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G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Protection of Animals Act, 1867," it is enacted that no native game shall be hunted, shot, taken or killed in any part of the Colony except during the months of April, May, June, and July in each year. And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, from time to time, by proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to declare that all or any of the provisions of the said Act relating to native game shall not be in force in such parts of the Colony as he shall in and by such proclamation define:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested in that behalf by the above-recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the provisions of "The Protection of Animals Act, 1867," relating to native game, shall not be in force within the Tauranga, Maketu, and Opotiki Districts, as the same districts are defined in a schedule to a proclamation bearing date the twenty-ninth of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, constituting districts to be called Resident Magistrates' Districts.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

J. C. RICHMOND.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Native Lands Act, 1867," the Governor may, at his discretion, refer to the Native Lands Court the claim of any person to or any question affecting the title to or interest of any such person in land within the boundaries described in the second Schedule to the said Act, being the boundaries described in a certain Deed of Sale to the Crown, bearing date the thirteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and expressed to be a conveyance by Natives entitled to land within the district excepted from the operation of "The Native Lands Act, 1865," by section eighty-two thereof; provided that no claim by and no question relating to the title or interest of any Native who shall have signed the said Deed of Sale shall be so referred:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby refer to the Native Lands Court the claims which are named in the Schedule hereunto attached, being claims for lands within the boundaries aforesaid of Natives who have not signed the said Deed of Sale.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

J. C. RICHMOND.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Claimant.	Name of Block of Land Claimed.	Description of Boundaries.
Hare Hemi Taharapi	Omarupapuko	Bounded on the South by Crown Land towards the interior by Parakaia's claim; on the East by land claimed by Wiriharai.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the seventeenth day of February, 1868.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Marine Act, 1867," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make vary and repeal bye-laws and regulations for regulating all matters relating to the protection of life and property of passengers and others, and to the safe and commodious navigation of any port, harbour, or river, or the entrance to the same, and by such bye-laws or regulations to impose any penalty not exceeding fifty pounds for any breach or neglect of any such bye-law or regulation. And whereas by an Order in Council dated twenty-sixth November, 1867, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, of twenty-ninth November, 1867, a regulation was made for the Port of Hokitika, and whereas it is desirable to alter the same:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the above recited power and authority, doth hereby repeal the said regulation, and doth hereby make the following additional Harbour Regulation for the Port of Hokitika, in lieu thereof, and doth order that the same shall come into operation and take effect from and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

REGULATION.

17. No drift wood shall be removed from any land of the Crown around or near to the Port of Hokitika or its entrance without the permission of the Harbour Master, under a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1868.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Resident Magistrates' Act, 1867," it is enacted that the fees to be taken in respect of the said Act shall be fixed as the Governor in Council shall from time to time direct and appoint:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby direct and appoint that in addition to the fees specified in the Schedules E and F to the said Act, the fees specified in the Schedule hereto shall be taken under "The Resident Magistrates' Act, 1867," by Resident Magistrates, Justices of the Peace, and their clerks, for and in respect of the proceedings mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

	Above £50 and not exceeding £100.
Payment of money into Court before judgment, according to amount paid in	} Four shillings.
Judgment	

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1868.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made pursuant to "The Medical Practitioners Act, 1867," and bearing date the seventh day of December, 1867, His Excellency the Governor nominated and appointed a Board called "The Medical Board."

And whereas by the said Act it is enacted that there shall be paid to the President and Members of the said Board out of the fees pursuant to the said Act to be received by it, such fees for attendance as shall be allowed by the Governor by any Order in Council:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, G.C.M.G., the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony, doth hereby allow to the Members of the Medical Board out of the fees aforesaid, for every attendance at the meeting of the said Board—

To each Member residing in Wellington—£1 1s. per diem.

Non-resident Members during the time they are detained by the business of the Board from their place of residence—£2 2s. per diem.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the seventeenth day of February, 1868.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Revenues Act, 1867," it is enacted that the Colonial Treasurer shall pay out of the Land Fund arising within each Province such salaries to the Receivers of Land Revenue within such Province as the Governor in Council shall direct:

Now therefore, His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, Governor of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him on this behalf, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby order and direct that the salary to be paid to each Receiver of Land Revenue for the several Provinces of New Zealand shall be at and after the rates set forth in the Schedule hereto, and set opposite to the name of such Province.

Name of Province.	Salary per Annum
Auckland	£100
Taranaki	Nil.
Wellington	£75

Name of Province.	Salary per Annum.
Hawke's Bay	£75
Nelson	£150
Marlborough	£50
Canterbury	£300
Otago	£400
Southland	£50

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, the
seventeenth day of February, 1868.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Act intituled "The New Zealand Settlements Amendment and Continuance Act, 1865," it is provided that the order and manner in which land taken under the provisions of "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," shall be laid out for sale and sold shall be in the discretion of the Governor, who shall have power to cause such land, or any part thereof, to be laid out for sale and sold from time to time, in such manner as he shall think fit, subject to such regulations as he shall with the advice of his Executive Council from time to time prescribe in that behalf. And whereas by an Act intituled "The New Zealand Settlements Act Amendment Act, 1866," it is provided that all lands sold or otherwise disposed of under the abovementioned Acts, shall be sold or disposed of under regulations to be made by the Governor in Council, which regulations shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*. And whereas by Orders in Council bearing date the fourth February, 1867, the fifth April, 1867, the twenty-sixth November, 1867, and the eighth January, 1868, respectively, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, certain regulations were made for the sale and disposal of lands taken under the New Zealand Settlements Acts within the districts of Ngatiawa, Middle Taranaki, and Ngatiruanui. And whereas it is expedient to make further regulations in that behalf, in accordance with which town and suburban allotments of the township of Patea, and other townships within the aforesaid district, except the township of Raleigh (Waitara), shall be sold and disposed of:

Now therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of all powers and authorities vested in him in that behalf, doth hereby with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, make the following additional regulations for the sale and disposal of lands taken under "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," in the districts of Ngatiawa, Middle Taranaki, and Ngatiruanui, to be construed and read with and form part of the regulations contained in the abovementioned Orders in Council: Provided that the regulations contained in the first-named Order in Council of fourth February, 1867, shall continue in force as regards the township of Raleigh, anything in the following regulations to the contrary notwithstanding.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for the Sale of Town and Suburban Allotments in the districts of Ngatiawa, Middle Taranaki, and Ngatiruanui.

1. All town and suburban allotments in the districts of Ngatiawa, Middle Taranaki, and Ngatiruanui, which may be offered for sale, shall in the first instance be put up for sale by public auction, in open Court, by the Commissioner of Crown Lands

for the Province of Taranaki, or some other person duly authorized in that behalf by the Colonial Secretary.

2. The time and place of every such auction sale shall be fixed by the Colonial Secretary, and shall be notified in the *Government Gazette* of the Colony, at least forty-two days before such sale shall take place, and such notice shall specify the allotments to be sold, and the upset price of each, and shall note any case where allotments may be put up with improvements or in conjunction with other allotments.

3. Plans, showing the allotments offered for sale, shall be open for inspection at the Land Office, New Plymouth, the Custom House, Whanganui, and at such other places as shall be specified in the notice of sale, for at least fourteen days prior to the day of any sale.

4. No bid shall be received at any such sale unless it be in advance of the previous bidding by at least one pound.

5. The purchaser of any lot shall immediately on its being knocked down to him, deposit with the Commissioner or other person by whom the sale is conducted, one-tenth of the purchase money, in cash, and shall pay the balance, in cash, within one calendar month, or forfeit his deposit.

6. In case of doubt as to the highest bidder for any lot, or in case the person to whom a lot has been knocked down shall fail to make the deposit above required, the Commissioner or other person by whom the sale is conducted, shall at once put up the lot again, at such upset price not being lower than the original upset price, nor higher than the highest bid, as he shall think fit.

7. The Colonial Secretary may order any lot to be withdrawn at any time before it is put up.

8. When any lot has been put up and not bought, it shall remain open for purchase for cash at the upset price at the Land Office, New Plymouth, for twelve months, unless withdrawn in the meantime by the Colonial Secretary.

9. When the deposit on any lot shall have been forfeited by non-payment of the balance of the purchase money, the lot shall remain open for purchase for cash at the Land Office, New Plymouth, at the price at which it was knocked down, unless withdrawn in the meantime by the Colonial Secretary.

10. Any lots withdrawn from sale by the Colonial Secretary may be put up to auction again at another time at such upset prices as he may direct.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, from time to time, by notification in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to fix the places within the district at which every District Court shall be held.

And whereas by warrant bearing date the twenty-second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, sittings of the District Court of Auckland were appointed to be held, and it is expedient to alter the place of sitting of the said Court:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in this behalf, do hereby fix and appoint that from and after the twenty-fourth day of March, 1868, the building lately used as the Supreme Court House, in Eden Street, in the City of Auckland, shall be the place at which the District Court of Auckland shall be held, and that the said District Court shall then cease to be held in the

building in the City of Auckland, in which the said District Court is now held.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

E. W. STAFFORD.

G. F. BOWEN, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Sheriffs Act, 1858," the Governor is empowered in the manner therein mentioned, to appoint fit persons to be Sheriffs of the several districts of the Colony of New Zealand, and from time to time to define the districts within which such Sheriffs shall respectively have jurisdiction, and every such definition to revoke or amend, and the limits of such districts to alter as occasion may require:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance of the said power and authority, do hereby define the District of

WELLINGTON,

in the Province of Wellington, to be all the territory comprised within the limits following, that is to say, towards the North, the southern boundary of the Wanganui and Rangitikei Sheriffs District; towards the south-east, the summits of the Tararua and Rimutaka Ranges to Cape Taourakira; and towards the South and West the sea.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor this fourteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

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Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the said Colony, in pursuance of the said power and authority, do hereby define the District of

WANGANUI AND RANGITIKEI,

in the Province of Wellington, to be all the territory comprised within the limits following, that is to say, towards the North, the southern boundary of the Province of Auckland; towards the East, the western boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; towards the South, the Manawatu River; towards the south-west, the sea; and towards the north-west, portion of the south-eastern boundary of the Province of Taranaki.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor this fourteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

FIRST SALE OF LAND.

TOWN OF CARLYLE (PATEA), DISTRICT OF PATEA.

THE undermentioned lots of land will be offered for sale by auction at the Resident Magistrate's Court, Carlyle (Patea), on Saturday, 18th April, at Twelve o'clock noon.

E. W. STAFFORD.

TOWN OF CARLYLE.

Quarter Acre Allotments.

Number of Block.	Number of Section.	Upset Price.		
		£	s.	d.
25	1	25	0	0
25	2	20	0	0
25	3	20	0	0
25	4	20	0	0
25	5	20	0	0
25	6	20	0	0
25	7	35	0	0
25	8	25	0	0
25	9	25	0	0
25	10	15	0	0
25	11	20	0	0
25	12	20	0	0
25	13	20	0	0
25	14	20	0	0
25	*15	25	0	0
25	16	35	0	0
29	1	25	0	0
29	2	20	0	0
29	3	20	0	0
29	4	20	0	0
29	5	20	0	0
29	6	20	0	0
29	†7	35	0	0
29	8	25	0	0
29	9	25	0	0
29	10	20	0	0
29	11	20	0	0
29	12	20	0	0
29	13	20	0	0
29	14	20	0	0
29	15	25	0	0
29	16	35	0	0
33	1	20	0	0
33	2	15	0	0
33	3	15	0	0
33	4	15	0	0
33	5	15	0	0
33	6	15	0	0
33	7	35	0	0
33	8	25	0	0
33	9	20	0	0
33	10	15	0	0
33	11	15	0	0
33	12	15	0	0
33	13	15	0	0
33	14	15	0	0
33	15	25	0	0
33	16	25	0	0

*These two allotments may be put up together, and the value of the improvements thereupon will be added to the upset price.

†The value of the improvements on this allotment will be added to the upset price.

Term of payment:—One-tenth of the purchase money in cash on the fall of the hammer, the remainder at or before the expiration of one calendar month from the day of sale.

The River Patea is about thirty-five miles north-west of Whanganui. It is accessible to coasting craft and small steamers, and navigable for vessels drawing six feet, for fifteen or twenty miles. It is likely to become the place of trade of the Ngati-ruanui Country, one of the finest agricultural districts in the Colony; and, although no land has yet been sold, the Township already contains a considerable population.

Plans may be inspected at the Office of the Secretary for Crown Lands, Wellington; and at the Offices of the Commissioners of Crown Lands, throughout the Colony; at the Resident Magistrate's Court House, Carlyle, and at the Custom House, Whanganui.

Regulations for the sale of these lands are published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, of this day's date.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

IT is hereby notified that a writ issued for the election of a Member of the House of Representatives for the District of Omata, has been returned with a certificate to the effect that

CHARLES BROWN,
of New Plymouth, freeholder, has been duly elected.
E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

IT is hereby notified that Writs issued for the election of Members of the County Council of Westland, have been returned with certificates to the effect that

For the District of the Town of Greymouth:

John Arthur Whall,
William Henry Harrison;

For the District of Westland:

James Clarke,
Timothy Keary,
Edmund Barff,
Conrad Hoos;

For the District of Town of Hokitika:

James Alexander Bonar,
William Shaw;

have been duly elected.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th February, 1868.

THE following Bill, passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland, intitled—

“The Sheep Ordinance 1866 Amendment Ordinance 1867 Amendment 1868;”

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

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1868.

THE following Bill, passed by the Provincial Council, and assented to by the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland, intitled—

“The Auckland Municipal Police Act 1866 Amendment Act 1868;”

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance in respect of it.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE SAMUEL SALL, Esq.,
to be a Commissioner of Crown Lands.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT ABBOTT, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Deeds for the District of Westland.

This appointment to take effect on and from the 1st day of April, 1868.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 6th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES WILLIAM JONES,

of Raglan, in the Province of Auckland, to be a person to lay informations or prefer indictments under “The Arms Act, 1860.”

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 8th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HARVEY THOMSON,

of Wellington, Esq., to be a Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 11th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES MARSHALL,

to be Clerk to the Bench for the Waikato District, under “The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867.”

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 11th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY PORSON MORSE,

to be Acting Clerk to the Bench at Dunedin, in the District of Dunedin, from the 1st March proximo, under “The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867.”

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
(Judicial Branch),
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES MELLISOP, Esq.,

to be a Resident Magistrate under “The Resident Magistrates Act, 1867,” for the District of Waiuku, as the same is defined in a proclamation dated the 29th November, 1867.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Native Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sale by auction of suburban allotments adjoining the township of Raleigh (Waitara), advertised to take place on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of March, 1868, is postponed to Saturday, the fourth day of April, 1868, at twelve o'clock noon.

E. W. STAFFORD.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1868.

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

(By Order)

G. ELLIOTT ELLIOTT,
Secretary.

NELSON.

Name.	To be Postmaster at	From
Thomas Field	Addison's Flat	1 Nov., 1867.
Patrick Sweeney	Twelve-mile Landing	1 July, 1867.
John Tippet Smith	Stoke	7 Nov., 1867.
Andrew Alexander	Charleston	11 Jan., 1868.

CANTERBURY.

Mark Dias	Stafford	1 Oct., 1867.
James Parr	Arahura	" "
Edward Rogers	Lake Tekapo	1 July, 1867.
T. B. Stanley	Teremakau.	" "
William Barnett	Le Bons Bay	1 Jan., 1868.
William H. Harrington	Selwyn	" "
Robert Rae	Lower Rangitata	1 July, 1867.
Henry Smith	Heathcote Valley	1 Jan., 1868.
William Bourke	Rolleston	" "
Anthony Thomson	Ashburton Forks	" "
James Hamilton	Rutherglen	1 July, 1867.
Samuel Boyd	Upper Rangitata	1 Jan., 1868.
W. H. Grimmer	Geraldine	" "
James E. Elwin	Halswell	" "
Richard Meredith	Fernside	" "
Thomas Johnson	Irwell	" "
George Latham	Tai Tapu	" "

OTAGO.

John C. Cumming	Manuherikia	1 Oct., 1867.
William Pyle	St. Bathans	7 Nov., 1867.
W. C. Towsey	Waikouaiti	1 Nov., 1867.
Bernard O'Neill	Hyde.	" "
George Kennedy	Omarama.	" "
William Shaw	Bluespur	1 Jan., 1868.
John Ross	McRae's	" "
W. G. Luks	Waihemo	" "
George Starkey	Nevis	1 Dec., 1867.

WELLINGTON.

David R. Lewers	Rangitikei	1 Nov., 1867.
F. J. Carrington	Taratahi	1 Dec., 1867.
W. F. Mason	Pakuratahi	1 Jan., 1868.
William Smith	Featherston	1 Feb., 1868.
George Hedges	Taita	1 Jan., 1868.

AUCKLAND.

David Burnside	Papatoitoi	1 Nov., 1867.
Thomas Hook	Newcastle.	" "
Alfred Shave	Waiuku	1 Jan., 1868.
Thomas Norris	Pokeno	" "
James Sherley	Rangiriri	8 Jan., 1868.
D. A. de J. Grut	Orewa	1 Jan., 1868.
Thomas Leaman	Waiwera	1 Feb., 1868.

SOUTHLAND.

Hugh Cameron	Mataura	5 Dec., 1867.
Robert Stewart	Oteramika	1 Jan., 1868.
William V. Wilson	Waianiwa	" "
John McLean	Flint's Bush	" "
John Cameron	Mataura Plains	" "

HAWKE'S BAY.

George T. Fannin	Meanee	1 Nov., 1867.
Richard Hogan	Havelock	1 Jan., 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, Charles Wesley Turner and Beverley Buchanan, in the Province of Canterbury, New Zealand, as general merchants, under the style or firm of "Messieurs J. T. Peacock and Company," was on the 11th day of June last dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this thirteenth day of February, 1868.

BEVERLEY BUCHANAN,
C. W. TURNER.

Witness—W. P. COWLISHAW,
solicitor, Christchurch.

I, the undersigned JACOB LORY, hereby make application to register "The Surprise Water Race and Sluicing Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Surprise Water Race and Sluicing Company, Registered."
2. The place of operations is at Mount Ida.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is two thousand four hundred pounds in two hundred and forty shares of ten pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is five hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Jacob Lory.
6. The office of the company is at Naseby.
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.
Jacob Lory	Mount Ida	40
William J. Cooper	Ditto	40
Francis Reed	Ditto	40
Elsden O. Cooper	Ditto	40
Nicholas Reed	Ditto	40
Richard Webber	Ditto	40

Dated at Naseby, this seventh day of February, 1868.

JACOB LORY.

Witness to signature—

JOHN NUGENT WOOD, R.M.

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. DINSBURY,

Government Printer.

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