

THE

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G. F. Bowen, Governor.

To the Legislative Councillors of the Colony of New Zealand, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Representatives of the said Colony, summoned and called to a Meeting of the General Assembly of the said Colony, at the City of Wellington, on the Twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, then to have been commenced and held, and to every of you—Greeting:

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS on the Thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, I thought fit to summon the General Assembly of New Zealand to meet in Parliament, at the Government Buildings, in Molesworth Street, in the City of Wellington, on Saturday, the Twenty-fifth day of February instant, at twelve of the clock at noon, at which time you were held and constrained to appear: Now know ye, that for divers causes and considerations I have thought fit to relieve you and each of you of your attendance at the time aforesaid, hereby convoking and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Saturday, the Eighth day of April next, at twelve o'clock noon, you meet in Parliament, at the Government Buildings, in Molesworth Street, in the City of Wellington, there to take into consideration the state and welfare of the said Colony of New Zealand, and therein to do as may seem necessary.

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 Seal of the said Colony, this fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. GISBORNE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!