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WELLINGTON, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1872.

(L.S.) G. F. Bowen, Governor. A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," it is enacted that the railways to be constructed under the said Act shall be only such railways as shall from time to time be determined by the General Assembly: And it is also thereby enacted that, subject to the provisions contained therein, the Governor may construct, or cause to be constructed, any lines of railway which shall be prescribed by the General Assembly as railways to be constructed under the said Act, or any part or parts thereof parts thereof, and acquire the necessary engines, plant, and machinery for working and using the same, or any of them: And it is also thereby enacted that, whenever the Governor shall determine to construct any such railway, or any part thereof, it shall be lawful for him, by Proclamation published in the New Zealand Gazette, to declare and define the limits and description and line thereof, and the lands proposed to be taken for the purpose of such railway, subject to the provisions of any Act defining such limits and descriptions, and any such Proclamation may refer to maps, plans, or drawings to be deposited in the office of the Registrar or Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court in the Province in which such railway or part thereof is proposed to be constructed, and any maps, plans, or drawings so referred to shall be deemed to form part of such Proclamation; and upon the publication of such Proclamation the provisions and regulations contained in the Seventh Part of the said Act shall be applicable to the railway, and to the lands to which the Proclamation shall relate: And it is also thereby enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor to make, construct, and maintain any such railway as aforesaid, with proper works, approaches, and conveniences connected therewith, commencing at the place delineated on, and extending along the lines set forth in, and terminating at a point described in the Act or Proclamation proclaiming and defining such railway, or shown in the maps, plans, or drawings referred to in such Act or Proclamation: And it is also thereby enacted that the Governor may direct that any part of such line of railway may

be constructed on and along any part of any public highway, and that any part of any such line of railway may be constructed on or through any public reserves: And it is also thereby enacted that, subject to the provisions of that Part of the said Act and of the Acts incorporated therewith, the Governor may exercise all or any of the powers by that Part of the said Act or the said incorporated Acts conferred upon him for the construction of any such railway, and may enter upon, and cause to be entered upon, all lands within the Colony for the purpose of making such surveys as may be necessary, and may take and hold all the lands required for the railway along the line set forth and described as aforesaid, or within the limits of deviation described in the Proclamation relating thereto, and may temporarily occupy and use such lands as may be necessary on either side of the railway, during the construction thereof:

And whereas by "The Railways Act, 1871," it is enacted that the Governor may, under the provisions of the first-mentioned Act and of the now reciting Act, construct and maintain, or cause to be constructed and maintained, the several lines of railway specified in the First Schedule thereto: And it is also thereby enacted that the line of the railways thereby authorized to be constructed shall be fixed by the Governor, and shall commence and terminate at points to be fixed by the Governor: And whereas the Governor has determined to construct and maintain a railway from Wellington to the Silver Stream, being a portion of the railway from Wellington to Masterton, the same being a line of railway specified in the said First Schedule:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the said first-mentioned Act, and in exercise of every other power enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim, declare, and define the limits, description, and line of the said railway to be those set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and that the lands specified and described in the Second Schedule hereto are proposed to be taken for the purposes of the said railway; and that the limits of

deviation shall be those set forth in the said First Schedule hereto; and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Railways Act, 1871," I do hereby fix the point of commencement of the said railway to be at the southern boundary line of Grey Street, in the City of Wellington, and the point of termination thereof to be in Section No. 83, in the Hutt District, at the side of the main road, ten chains to the eastward of the Silver Stream.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON AND MASTERTON RAILWAY.

WELLINGTON TO THE SILVER STREAM, BEING A POR-TION OF ABOVE-NAMED MAIN LINE OF BAILWAY.

Limits, Description, Line, and Limits of Deviation of the Railway from Grey Street, in the City of Wellington, to Section No. 83, in the Hutt District, in the Province of Wellington.

Commencing in the City of Wellington, at the southern boundary line of Grey Street, thence crossing the said street, and along Custom House Street, thence in a curved line to Pipitea Point, and passing along the seaside of Thorndon Quay, and of the main road to the Hutt, through or adjacent to the City of Wellington District, the Harbour District, and the Hutt District, to the north side of the Korokoro Stream, thence passing through or into the Hutt District, and terminating at a point in section numbered 83, in the Hutt District, at the side of the main road, ten chains to the eastward of the Silver Stream, as the limits, description, and line thereof are set forth in the plan, and described in the book of reference referred to on the face of the said plan, which plan and book are authenticated for the purposes of the Proclamation by the signature of the Honorable Donald Reid, the Minister for Public Works, and are deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Wellington, or within the limits of deviation set forth on the said plan by dotted red lines, being not more than 110 yards on either side of the said line, and passing through or over the several sections of land, roads, reserves, places, watercourses, and sea beaches, enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto.

SECOND SCHEDULE,

OR BOOK OF REFERENCE.

Lands proposed to be taken for the purposes of the Railway between the City of Wellington and the Silver Stream.

So much of the lands hereinafter mentioned as are required for the said railway, along the line of the said railway, hereinbefore defined, or within the limits of deviation aforesaid, as the said lands are described and defined in the plan and book of reference aforesaid.

CITY OF WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

Grey Street, Custom House Street, portions of Lambton Harbour.

Sections numbered 607, 608, 609, 596, 610 to 620 inclusive, 657, 658, Native reserve, sea beach, and all intervening and adjoining roads and streams.

HARBOUR DISTRICT.

Sections numbered 1 (Wade's Town), 2, 3, 4 (Native reserve), 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, sea beach, and all intervening and adjacent roads, streams, and rivers.

HUTT DISTRICT.

Sections numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 16, 20, 24, 28, 75, 37, 48, 51, 54, 57, 60, 187, 200a, 200, 179, 178, 197, 196a, 196, 82, 83, and all intervening roads, streams, and rivers.

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 eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

D. Reid.

G. F. Bowen, Governor.

To Thomas Bannatyne Gillies, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Auckland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of Waste Lands of the Crown particularly specified and described in the Schedule hereunder written are required for the purposes mentioned and set opposite to the descriptions of the said parcels of land respectively in the said Schedule, and that the same have been respectively excepted from sale and reserved to Her Majesty by the Orders in Council bearing the dates mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUM	IN.		
Description of Land.	Purpose for which Reserve is made.	Date of Order in Council excepting Land from Sale.		
Town of Mongonui. All that parcel of land containing by admeasurement one (1) rood and thirty-five (35) perches more or less, and being allotment number two hundred and sixty-four (264). Bounded—Towards the North and Northeast by a beach road in a curve; and towards the South-east, South-west, and West, by allotment number sixteen (16) of the Town of Mongonui, one-hundred and sixty-five (165) links, one hundred and ninety-five (195) links, and one hundred (100) links.	Site for Custom House or other purposes of the General Government.	18th September, 1872.		

G. F. Bowen, Governor.

To WILLIAM ROLLESTON, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Canterbury.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of Waste Lands of the Crown particularly

specified and described in the Schedule hereunder written are required for the purposes mentioned and set opposite to the descriptions of the said parcels of land respectively in the said Schedule, and that the same have been respectively excepted from sale and reserved to Her Majesty by the Orders in Council bearing the dates mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

FIRST COLUMN.		SECOND COLUMN.	
Description of Land.	Purpose for which Reserve is made.	Date of Order in Council excepting Land from Sale.	
Town of Akaroa. All that parcel of land containing by admeasurement one (1) rood and four (4) poles more or less. Bounded—Towards the Northeast by Section No. 97, two hundred and six (206) links; towards the South-east by Section No. 8, one hundred and fifty (150) links; towards the South-west by Rue Balgueri; and towards the West by Akaroa Harbour, and numbered eighty-one (81) in red.	Site for Custom House or other purposes of the General Govern- ment.	18th September, 1872.	

G. F. Bowen, Governor.

To John Davies Ormond, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Hawke's Bay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of Waste Lands of the Crown particularly specified and described in the Schedule hereunder written are required for the purposes mentioned and set opposite to the descriptions of the said parcels of land respectively in the said Schedule, and that the same have been respectively excepted from sale and reserved to Her Majesty by the Orders in Council bearing the dates mentioned in the second column of the said Schedule.

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FIRST COLUMN.	SECOND COLUMN.	
Description of Land.	Purpose for which Reserve is made.	Date of Order in Council excepting Land from Sale.
Town of Napier. All that parcel of land containing by admeasurement twenty-five and a half (25½) poles more or less. Bounded—Towards the North by Waghorne Street, forty-nine (49) feet; towards the East by a public road, one hundred and forty (140) feet four (4) inches; towards the South by a public road, thirty-three (33) feet, and twenty-six (26) feet five (5) inches; and towards the West by Town Section No. 516.	Site for Custom House or other purposes of the General Govern- ment.	18th September, 1872.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 23rd September, 1872.

HE following Despatch, with Enclosure, from the Right Hon, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information.

HENRY SEWELL.

[CIRCULAR.]

Downing Street, 12th July, 1872.

SIR,—I transmit to you, for your information and guidance, and for publication in the Colony under your Government, a Copy of an Order of Her Majesty in Council for carrying into effect a Treaty between Her Majesty and the Emperor of Germany for the mutual surrender of Criminals, which was signed at London, on the 14th of May ultimo.

You will observe that Article 15 declares that the stipulations of the Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies, and provides for the manner of making and disposing of requisitions for the surrender of fugitive Criminals who may have taken refuge in any

Colony.

I have, &c., KIMBERLEY.

The Officer Administering the Government of New Zealand.

EXTRADITION.

Order in Council, dated 25th June, 1872, for carrying into effect a Treaty between Her Majesty and the Emperor of Germany for the Mutual Surrender of Criminals, signed at London, 24th May, 1872.

At the Court at Windsor, the 25th day of June, 1872. Present:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL. WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirtythird and thirty-fourth years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending the Law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," it was, amongst other things, enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any Foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Act shall apply in the case of such foreign State, and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive Criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and

qualifications as may be deemed expedient:
And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the fourteenth day of May last between Her Majesty and the Emperor of Germany, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the terms

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kindgom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within the two countries and their jurisdiction, that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up; their said Majesties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honorable Granville George Earl Granville, Lord Leveson, a Peer of the United Kingdom, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Her Majesty's Privy

Council, Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports and Constable of Dover Castle, Chancellor of the University of London, Her Majesty's Principal Sec-

retary of State for Foreign Affairs;

And His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, His Minister of State and Chamberlain, Albert Count of Bernstorff-Stintenburg, Knight of the Exalted Order of the Black Eagle, Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle with oak leaves, Grand Commander of the Order of the Imperial and Royal House of Hohen Caller in diamends and Knight of the Order of the zollern in diamonds, and Knight of the Order of the Crown with the Red Cross, Grand Cross of the Order of Civil Merit of the Crown of Bavaria, and of the Order of the Ernestine branch of the House of Saxony, Knight of the Order of the Golden Lion of the House of Nassau, &c., &c., &c., Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of His Imperial and Royal Majesty to Her Britannic Majesty;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following

Articles :--

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes for which the extradition is to be granted are the following:—

(1.) Murder, or attempt to murder.

(2.) Manslaughter.

(3.) Counterfeiting or altering money, uttering or bringing into circulation counterfeit or

altered money.

(4.) Forgery or counterfeiting, or altering or uttering what is forged or counterfeited or altered; comprehending the crimes designated in the German Penal Code as counterfeiting or falsification of paper-money, bank notes, or other securities, forgery or falsification of other public or private documents, likewise the uttering or bringing into circulation, or wilfully using such counterfeited, forged, or falsified papers.

- (5.) Embezzlement or larceny.(6.) Obtaining money or goods by false pre-
- (7.) Crimes by bankrupts against bankruptcy law; comprehending the crimes designated in the German Penal Code as bankruptcy liable to prosecution.

(8.) Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director, or member or public officer of any company, made criminal by

any law for the time being in force.

(9.) Rape. (10.) Abduction.

(11.) Child-stealing. (12.) Burglary or housebreaking.

(13.) Arson.

(14.) Robbery with violence.

(15.) Threats by letter, or otherwise, with intent to extort.

- (16.) Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or
- attempting to do so.
 (17.) Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life, or to do grievous bodily harm.

(18.) Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas, against the authority of the master.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the contracting parties.

ARTICLE III.

No German shall be delivered up by any of the Governments of the Empire to the Government of the United Kingdom; and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up by the Government thereof to any German Government.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the part of any of the Governments of the German Empire, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial, in one of the States of the German Empire, or in the United Kingdom, respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person claimed on the part of any of the Governments of the German Empire, should be under examination for any other crime in one of the States of the German Empire, or in the United Kingdom, respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial, and the full execution of any punishment $\mathbf{awarded}$ to \mathbf{him} .

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison, or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has beeen made, for any other crime or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed

after the extradition.

ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents of the High Con-

tracting Parties, respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A requisition for extradition cannot be founded on sentences passed in contumaciam.

ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance

with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to

the arrest of the fugitive.

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

ARTICLE X.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

ARTICLE XI.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of

ARTICLE XII.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XIII.

All articles seized, which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place; and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTICLE XIV.

The High Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered, and his conveyance till placed on board ship; they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

ARTICLE XV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign Possessions of

Her Britannic Majesty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign Possessions shall be made to the Governor or Chief Authority of such Colony or Possession by the Chief Consular Officer of the German Empire in such Colony or Possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty, by the said Governor or Chief Authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender,

or to refer the matter to his Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign Possessions for the surrender of German criminals, who may take refuge within such Colonies

and foreign Possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive

criminal from any Colony or foreign Possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the present

ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice has been given for its termination.

The Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London in four weeks, or sooner

if possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at London, the fourteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

> GRANVILLE. (r.s.) (L.S.) BERNSTORFF.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at London on the eleventh day of June instant

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, the said Act shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the Emperor of Germany.

ARTHUR HELPS.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 19th September, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDMUND DAVIDSON, Esq.,

of Collingwood, Nelson, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 19th September, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint appoint

JOHN McNeil, Esq.,

Mayor of Balclutha, Otago, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony under "The Otago Municipal Corporations Empowering Act, 1865."

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 19th September, 1872.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY ALDBOROUGH STRATFORD, Esq., of Arrowtown, Otago, to be a Coroner within the

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 20th September, 1872.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

EDWARD HENRY POWER, Esq., of Grahamstown, Auckland, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace.

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 21st September, 1872.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

William George Pring O'Callaghan, Esq., to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's District of Papakura, vice J. T. Robinson.

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 24th September, 1872.

IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

WILLIAM THOMAS OWEN, Esq.,

of Wangaehu, Wellington, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

HENRY SEWELL.

Colonial Defence Office, Wellington, 24th September, 1872. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotions and appointments, viz. :-

In the Timaru Artillery Volunteers.

Second Lieutenant Andrew Beldy to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 11th September, 1871. John Healey to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of

Date of commission, 11th September, 1871.

Patrick McIntyre, B.M., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Date of commission, 29th August,

In the Napier Rifle Volunteers.

Ensign John Close to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 14th February, 1872.

David Balharry to be Sub-Lieutenant. Date of commission, 14th February, 1872.

In the Thames Rangers Rifle Volunteer Cadets. Charles Alexander Robertson to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 3rd August, 1871. Wilfred Gudgeon to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 3rd August, 1871.

In the Thames Engineer Volunteer Cadets.

Henry Thornton Rowe to be Honorary Captain. Date

of commission, 18th February, 1872.

Job Swales to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 17th July, 1872.

Joseph Champion to be Honorary Sub-Lieutenant.

Date of commission, 17th July, 1872.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Defence Office,

Wellington, 24th September, 1872. IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commissions held by

Sub-Lieutenant H. Gibson, Aramoho Cavalry Volunteers.

Ensign J. Pask, Porirua Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Lieutenant F. Williams, St. John's College (Auckland) Rifle Volunteer Ćadets. Honorary Sub-Lieutenant M. Lush, St. John's College (Auckland) Rifle Volunteer Cadets.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Defence Office, Wellington, 20th September, 1872.*

THE following Report, relative to the issue to Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, and Men of the Colonial Forces, of the New Zealand War Medal, is published for general information.

E. W. STAFFORD.

PROGRESS REPORT OF THE NEW ZEALAND WAR MEDAL COMMISSIONERS.

To His Excellency Sir George Ferguson Bowen, G.C.M.G., &c., &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,-

We, the Commissioners appointed by Commission dated the 3rd day of September, 1872, to inquire into and report on applications for the New Zealand War Medal referred to us, have now the honor to submit for your Excellency's consideration the enclosed Rolls A, B, and C.

In Roll A are included the names of applicants for

the War Medal for services rendered prior to the 31st December, 1866, whose claims have been admitted by the Commissioners since their appointment; Roll B contains the names of those applicants who are entitled to the distinction for services rendered subsequent to the 31st December, 1866; and in Roll C, the names of deceased members of the Colonial Forces whose relations have made applica-

tion for the War Medal; and we therefore respectfully submit this as a Progress Report.

JAMES PAUL. DONALD H. MCBARNET. Wellington, 11th September, 1872.

ROLL A.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces who have made application for the New Zealand War Medal for services performed prior to the 31st December, 1866, and whose claims have been admitted by the Commissioners, since the publication of the last Report, dated 17th May, 1872 :

Allan, Andrew J., Private, Taranaki Military Settlers Allen, Thomas, Private, Taranaki Bushrangers Andrews, William, Private, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers Ashton, Edward, Private, Napier Militia Atkinson, Arthur Samuel, Private, Taranaki Bushrangers Atkinson, Arthur Samuel, Private, Taranaki Bushrangers
Bainbridge, Henry, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Banks, Alfred, Private, Hawke's Bay Military Settlers
Banks, George, Private, Hawke's Bay Military Settlers
Barriball, Henry, Private, Taranaki Militia
Batten, James, Private, Taranaki Militia
Bertrand, George, Private, Taranaki Volunteers
Bishop, A. E., Staff Bugler, Napier Militia
Bolton, Charles Edward, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Bolton, Hallowes Henry, Lance-Sergeant, 3rd Waikato
Regiment

Bolton, Hallowes Henry, Lance-Sergeant, ord vialization Regiment
Boggs, George, Private, 1st Waikato Regiment
Brooking, R., Private, Napier Militia
Brooking, William Francis, Taranaki Militia
Brosnan, Patrick, Private, Auckland Militia
Bullen, John, Sergeant, 1st Waikato Regiment
Carran, Henry, Sergeant, Forest Rangers
Catanach, John, Private, Napier Militia
Connell, Maurice, Trooper, Wanganui Yeomanry Cavalry
Crichton, William John, Corporal, Wanganui Yeomanry
Cavalry

Cavalry
Constable, William Samuel, Sergeant, Patea Rangers
Coombes, James, Private, 1st Waikato Regiment Cunningham, James, Private, Napier Militia

Cunningham, Robert, Private, Forest Rangers
Curtis, Charles, Private, Taranaki Volunteers
Davis, James Thomas, Private, Taranaki Militia
Deerness, William, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Deery, David, Private, Auckland Rifle Volunteers
Ensor, Thomas, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Fairchild, John, Captain Commanding Colonial Steamer
Fletcher, Henry, Private, Napier Militia
Gallagher, John, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Gordon, Thomas Edward, Captain, Hawke's Bay Cavalry
Volunteers
Graham, Samuel, Private, Napier Militia

Gordon, Thomas Edward, Captain, Hawke's Bay Cavalry Volunteers
Graham, Samuel, Private, Napier Militia
Gray, Charles, Private, Taranaki Militia
Hamblyn, Charles, Private, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers
Hamilton, Du Pre Alexander, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Harkness, Thomas, Private, Otahuhu Militia
Harrison, Job, Sergeant, Taranaki Militia
Hart, George, Private, Auckland Militia
Hart, George, Private, Taranaki Militia
Henry, Robert, Private, Wairoa Volunteers
Hill, John, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Hodges, F. O. Douglas, Sergeant, Hawke's Bay Volunteers
Huckell, John, Lance-Corporal, Taranaki Military Settlers
Hunt, Henry, Private, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers
Hurry, John Robert, Lance-Corporal, Colonial Defence Force
Jones, Frederick, Private, 1st and 2nd Waikato Regiments
Jones, John P., Lance-Corporal, 2nd Waikato Regiment
Judd, Henry, Lance-Corporal, Taranaki Military Settlers
Keelan, Thomas, Private, Napier Volunteers
Kenrick, Orlando Lionel, Lance-Sergeant, Colonial Defence Force
King, Thomas, Private, Taranaki Volunteers
McGuire, James, Lance-Corporal, Auckland Militia
McIntyre, Charles, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Moore, Henry, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Morelli, Joseph, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Morelli, Joseph, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Morelli, John, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Northcott, John, Private, Taranaki Military Settlers
Pennefather, Daniel, Captain, Taranaki Military Settlers
Pennefather, Daniel, Captain, Taranaki Military Settlers
Pennefather, Daniel, Captain, Taranaki Military Settlers
Penlew, Israel, Private, Taranaki Military
Purdey, George Burton, Corporal, Taranaki Military Pellew, Israel, Private, Taranaki Militia
Purdey, George Burton, Corporal, Taranaki Militia
Rugers, William, Private, Taranaki Militia
Roose, Elijah, Private, Pukekohe Rifle Volunteers
Russell, Frederick N., Private Forest Rangers
St. Clair, John, Trooper, Colonial Defence Force
Scott, Matthew, Acting-Assistant-Surgeon, East Coast Expeditionary Force
Shanaghan, William, Sergeant, Auckland Militia
Smith, Thomas, Private, Taranaki Militia
Steed, John, Private, Napier Militia
Strode, Alfred Chetham, Sub-Inspector, Armed Constabulary
Swan, George H., Private, Napier Militia
Turner, Henry, Private, Wanganui Rangers
Walker, Benjamin, Private Taranaki Military Settlers
Waters, John, Private, Ist Waikato Regiment
Westrup, Charles, Major, Forest Rangers

ROLL B.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces, who have made application for the New Zealand War Medal, for services performed subsequent to the 31st December, 1866, and whose claims have been admitted by the Commissioners since the publication of the last Report, dated 17th May, 1872:—

May, 1872:—
Barry, David, Private, Armed Constabulary
Bradley, George, Private, Armed Constabulary
Bluett, Henry P., Sergeant, Armed Constabulary
Crosswell, George, Private, Opotiki Rangers
Dore, George Henry, Private, Wellington Rangers
East, Charles, Private, Armed Constabulary
French, William, Sergeant, Armed Constabulary
Froggatt, Henry, Private, Armed Constabulary
Geary, Hamilton, Private, Wellington Rifles
Hanhan, James, Private, 1st Waikato Regiment
Jefferies, Walter, Private, Armed Constabulary
Keys, George, Private, Armed Constabulary
King, Robert James, Private, Armed Constabulary
Linton, William, Private, Wellington Rifles
Madden, Michael, Private, Ist Waikato Regiment
Milmoe, Lawrence, Private, Armed Constabulary
Skinner, W. A., Private, Armed Constabulary

Swindley, Fred., Sub-Inspector, Armed Constabulary Thomas, Benjamin, Private, Armed Constabulary Wakeford, Alfred, Private, Armed Constabulary

ROLL C.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers and Men of the Colonial Forces who have been killed in action or died of their wounds during the late war, and whose relatives have claimed the Medal to which they would have been entitled, and which claims have been admitted by the Commissioners since their appointment:-Morrison, Henry, Private, Napier Rifle Volunteers.

MONEY ORDER OFFICE.

General Post Office, Wellington, 20th September, 1872.

IT is hereby notified, that information has been received from the General Post Office, Brisbane, that a Money Order Office has been established at BUNDABERG,

in the Colony of Queensland.

By order.

W. GRAY (for the Secretary).

PUBLIC WORKS IN THE MIDDLE ISLAND. Public Works Office, Wellington, 23rd September, 1872.

REFERRING to the Notice published in the New Zealand Gazette, No. 65, of the 11th December, 1871, it is requested that for the future all correspondence connected with the administration of Public Works in the Middle Island may be addressed to the Public Works Office, Wellington.

> D. REID, Minister for Public Works.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 22 of 1872.

WAIKATO RIVER.

Customs Department (Marine Branch), Wellington, 23rd September, 1872.

WITH reference to Notice No. 14, 9th September, VV 1871, respecting the Leading Beacons at Port Waikato, Notice is hereby given, that these Beacons have been re-erected by the Master of the Government steamer "Luna," who reports of them as follows:—They are on the North bank, near the entrance; are about 25 feet high, and about 200 yards apart; they are painted white, and when brought in line bearing N.E. by E. will lead over the deepest part of the Bar with not less than 10 feet at low water springs.

OSWALD CURTIS.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 23 of 1872.

Customs Department (Marine Branch), Wellington, 18th September, 1872.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Governments of th The Governments of the Cape of Good Hope and South Australia, are published for general information.

OSWALD CURTIS.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA. -- SPENCER'S GULF. [All bearings are magnetic; variation 4° 40' East.] MASTERS of Vessels trading to and from Port Augusta are hereby informed, that a cheese-shaped Buoy, with beacon top, painted red, has been placed on the edge of the sandspit, to the southward of Yatala Harbour, in 17ft. at low water spring tides, on the following bearings:—Mount Grainger N.N.E. & E., and Mount

A red Buoy of the same description has been placed on the S.W. end of Ward's Spit, in 18 ft. at low water springs, on the following bearings:—Point Lowly, N.W., distant 3½ miles, and the beacon on the N.W. end of Ward's Spit, N. 35° E., distant

1½ mile.

The Nun Buoy, on the south end of the eastern shoal, has been shipped to the west side of the shoal, and painted red; it now lies in 21 ft. at low water springs on the following bearings:—Mount Young, N. 85° W., and Point Lowly, N. 10° E.

A small rocky patch, on which the ketch "Dashing

is reported to have struck, and having only four feet of water on it at low water, is stated to exist about N.W. from the Walrus Rock, distant a short mile. As this danger lies directly in the track of small vessels trading to and from Moonta and Wallaroo, they are hereby directed to give the same a wide berth.

R. H. FERGUSON,

President of Marine Board of South Australia. Port Adelaide, 7th August, 1872.

BEACON.—STRUYS POINT.

His Excellency the Governor having directed that a stone Beacon, 32 feet in height, 10 feet square at base, and 6 feet at top, surmounted by a Copper Ball four feet in diameter, shall be erected at Struys Point, in terms of a recommendation of the Lighthouse Commissioners,—It is hereby notified that such Beacon is now in course of erection, and will be completed on or about the 10th of February, 1872.

The Beacon will be coloured red to Seaward, and in

red and white bands on East and West sides, and is being built close to high water mark, spring tides.
M. R. Robinson, M.I.C.E.,

Chief Inspector, Public Works. Public Works Department, Cape Town, 12th December, 1871.

> Confiscated Lands Office, Wanganui, 23rd August, 1872.

NOTICE.—It is hereby notified for public information, that the under-mentioned Rural Sections in the Whenuakura Block, which includes part of the Provinces of Wellington and Taranaki, will be offered for Sale by auction on Thursday, the 7th day of November next, at the upset prices named in the Schedule hereunto attached. The Sale will be held at the Survey Office, Carlyle, and will commence at 12 o'clock noon.

ROBERT PHARAZYN, Commissioner of Confiscated Lands.

SCHEDULE. RURAL SECTIONS, WHENUAKURA BLOCK.

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* Nos. 23, 26, 27, 35, and 40, are omitted on plan.

TERMS OF PAYMENT.

One-fourth of the purchase money in cash on the fall of the hammer; the remainder at or before the expiration of three calendar months from the day of sale, to be paid at the Office of the Commissioner of Confiscated Lands, Wanganui.

By clause 18 of the Confiscated Land Regulations, under which the sale is to take place, "in the event of the second payment not being made as aforesaid, the sale shall be void, and the deposit forfeited.

The Whenuakura Block lies between the Patea and Whenuakura Rivers, on the former of which the Town of Carlyle is situated. The main road between Wellington and New Plymouth, and the surveyed railway line, run through the centre of the block, and access to each section has been provided by road lines laid off during survey. The land is some of the best in New Zealand, and, both from its quality and position, is admirably suited to the requirements of persons of moderate means who intend to occupy and improve their own farms. The upset price of the sections has been fixed according to estimated value within the maximum limit of forty shillings per acre allowed by the Regulations.

The acreage of the various sections—and consequently the upset price of each allotment—is gazetted subject to slight alterations, as, though the survey has been carefully executed on the ground, some of the lines have not yet been calculated. Any necessary correction will be made, and the exact area and

upset price will be stated, before the sale.

Plans may be inspected at the Office of the Secretary for Crown Lands, Wellington, at the Carlyle Survey Office, and at the Confiscated Lands Office, Wanganui.

Regulations for the sale of the land may be seen in the New Zealand Gazette of the 1st June, 1871, and all required information obtained at this office.

ROBERT PHARAZYN, Commissioner of Confiscated Lands.

IN the matter of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1867:" Notice is hereby given, that a transcript of the By-laws of

"The Loyal Parnell Lodge, No. 4750, Friendly Society, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity,"

duly certified, has been lodged with the Registrar of Friendly Societies, registered and recorded in his office, under the provisions of "The Friendly Societies Act. 1867."

Dated the twentieth day of September, 1872.

G. S. COOPER (for the Registrar).

PATENT for an Invention for Converting the finely-granulated Iron Sand of New Zealand, abounding on the Taranaki Coast, into a hard, compact mass, thereby rendering it fit for Smelting in

the same way as ordinary Ores.

This is to notify, that WILLIAM ISAAC WILSHIRE, of the Fitzroy District, in the Province of Taranaki, Brickmaker, did, on the 18th day of September, instant, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office, in Wellington, a Specification or Instrument in writing under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify, that the said William Isaac Wilshire has given notice in writing at my office of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the twenty-fourth day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application, and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the twentieth day of January next, at my office, in Wellington, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand, this eighteenth day of September, 1872.

James Prendergast, Patent Officer. PATENT FOR A FLAX-WASHING MACHINE.

THIS is to notify, that Thomas Powick, of the Tuamarina, in the Province of Marlborough, Flax Dresser, did, on the sixteenth day of September instant, deposit at the office of the Patent Officer, in the Colonial Secretary's Office, in Wellington, a Specification or Instrument, in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said Invention, and in what manner it is to be performed, and that by reason of such deposit the said Invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing.

And I do further notify, that the said Thomas Powick, has given notice at my office of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent, for the said Invention, and that I have appointed Friday, the seventeenth day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such Letters Patent to leave, on or before the thirteenth day of January next, at my office in Wellington, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this sixteenth day of September, 1872.

J. Prendergast, Patent Officer.

Messrs. Adams and Kingdon, Blenheim and Nelson, Solicitors for the Applicant, by their Agents Hart and Buckley, Solicitors, Wellington. 660

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on by William Pitt and James Bickerton Fisher, as Barristers, Solicitors, and Conveyancers, at Westport and Reefton, in the Province of Nelson, under the style or firm of "Pitt and Fisher," is dissolved from and after this date.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1872.

J. BICKERTON FISHER.

OFFICIAL AGENCY.

DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE UNDER "THE MINING COMPANIES LIMITED LIABILITY ACTS, 1865, 1870, and 1871."

In the matter of "The Belfast Gold Mining Company, Registered."

Assets—Moneys collected 398 13 5 Liabilities—Including all costs and expenses of winding-up 398 13 5

In consideration of the foregoing, I hereby declare the above-named Belfast Gold Mining Company fully wound-up and extinct.

CHARLES TOTHILL,
Official Agent.

Auckland, 3rd September, 1872.

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PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of William M. Crompton, Esq., Taranaki, Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the Month of June, 1872.

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	John Johnson	Patea	Galway	Not yet obtained	£ s. d. 75 0 0	17 Sept., 1867	
	Dated the 29th d	av of June.	1872.		<u>'</u>	м. М. Свомр	ron, Curator.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of JAMES MEACHAM BATHAM, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, Westland, during the Month of June, 1872.

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	Samuel Randall	Brighton	Southampton, England	None yet obtained	•••	28 May, 1872	Property consists of an interest in a mining claim, the value of which cannot be given definitely.

Dated the 1st day of July, 1872.

J. M. BATHAM, Curator for Westland District.

DARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of James Meacham Batham, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, Westland, during the Month of August, 1872.

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.
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1	John Butler	Greymouth	Guernsey	None required	£ s. d. 10 0 0	15 June, 1872	Drowned in Grey River.
2	Carl Johann Linz	Mao ri Gully, Greymouth	Cassel,	Not yet obtained	93 2 10	18 Dec., 1871	,
3	Charles Morra	Okarito	Germany Memel, Prussia	Not yet obtained	55 0 0	6 Aug., 1872	Drowned.
4	James Thomas Parnell	Hokitika	England	None required	1 12 6	30 July, 1872	Died while serving sentence in Hokitika Gaol.
5	Richard Bunter Matthews	Staffordtown	Unknown	None required		18 July, 1872	Property consists of book debts of uncertain value.
6	John Monaghan	Hokitika	King's County, Ireland	Not yet obtained	70 0 0	21 Aug., 1872	Died a lunatic patient in Hoki- tika Asylum.
7	John Rawlinson	Ross	Unascer- tained	Not yet obtained	200 0 0	27 Aug., 1872	Killed by a fall down an abandoned shaft.
8	James Lloyd	Hokitika	Yorkshire, England	None required	5 0 0	29 Aug., 1872	Property applied through police in funeral of de- ceased.

Dated the 31st day of August, 1872.

J. M. Ватнам, Curator for Westland District.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of Wm. R. E. Brown Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, Wellingon, during the Month of August, 1872.

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	Michael Coleman	Manawatu	Ireland	None required	£ s. d. 10 15 0	10 Feb., 1872	The deceased was
2	Charles Noble	Wanganui	Cambridge, England	None required	Under £10	19 May, 1872	Manawatu River.

Dated the 2nd day of September, 1872.

WM. R. E. Brown, Curator.

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