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(L.S.)

NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The New Zealand Post Office Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time, by Proclamation to be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to fix, alter, and abolish the rates of postage at any time payable within the colony for the transmission of letters and newspapers by post, either between places within New Zealand or to or from places beyond seas, and at what time the same shall be paid, and that the postage so made payable shall be charged and paid accordingly: And whereas, by Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirteenth day of October in the same year, the Governor in Council did, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, fix certain rates of postage, and the times at which the same respectively should be paid as therein mentioned: And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, the Governor in Council did fix certain rates of postage payable on book packets and pattern parcels posted within the colony for delivery within the colony: And whereas it is desirable that the said rates should be altered, and that other rates of postage should be fixed as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, in exercise of the said recited power and authority, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby abolish all former rates of postage fixed to be paid within the colony, and do proclaim and declare that the postage payable within the colony for the transmission of all letters, newspapers, and packets by post to or from the countries mentioned in the several Schedules hereto, shall be according to the rates mentioned in such Schedules, and that such postage shall in all cases be paid at the time such letters, newspapers, and packets are delivered into the post; and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, I do further proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect from and after the fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

RATES OF POSTAGE CHARGEABLE ON LETTERS, BOOK PACKETS, NEWSPAPERS, ETC., POSTED IN NEW ZEALAND.

SCHEDULE A.

I.—TOWN LETTERS.

For delivery at or from the same Post Office at which the letters are posted—	s. d.
Not exceeding half an ounce	0 1
Every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce	0 1

II.—INLAND LETTERS.

For delivery at or from any other Post Office in the colony than that at which the letters are posted—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding half an ounce	0	2
Every additional half an ounce or fraction of half an ounce	0	2

III.—BOOK PACKETS AND PATTERN PARCELS.

No book packet must exceed 5 lbs. in weight, and no pattern parcel 24 oz. in weight.

For delivery at or from any other Post Office within the colony—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding two ounces	0	1
Above two ounces but not exceeding four ounces	0	2
Every additional four ounces or fraction of four ounces	0	2

IV.—NEWSPAPERS.

	s.	d.
For each newspaper posted in the colony for delivery to places without the colony, except to the foreign countries mentioned in Schedule D	0	1
For each newspaper posted in the colony for delivery at any Post Office within the colony	0	0½

V.—REGISTRATION FEE.

For every letter, book packet, pattern parcel, or newspaper, registered at any Post Office within the colony, for delivery at or from any Post Office within the colony, a fee of sixpence will be charged in addition to the postage.

SCHEDULE B.

VI.—SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS.

Letters addressed to or forwarded by any non-commissioned officer, army schoolmaster (not of the first class), army schoolmistress, soldier, or seaman, while actually employed in Her Majesty's service, may be transmitted within the colony, and between the colony and the Australian Colonies, India, British Ports in the Mediterranean, and the United Kingdom, at a charge of one penny each; and to any Post Office within the British Dominions, *via* the United Kingdom, by British Mail Packet, at twopence each, provided that the following regulations are observed:—

- (1.) Each letter must not exceed half an ounce in weight.
- (2.) If sent by any such privileged person, it must be superscribed with the name of the writer, his description or class in the regiment or vessel, and signed by the officer at the time in command.
- (3.) If addressed to any such privileged person, his description or class in the regiment or vessel must be specified thereon.
- (4.) If posted within the colony, the postage must be prepaid.

Letters of this description posted or received in the colony, not in accordance with the foregoing regulations, will be treated as ordinary letters. Soldiers' and sailors' letters addressed to foreign places are in addition chargeable with the foreign transit rates due to the countries through which such letters may pass.

SCHEDULE C.

VII.—FOREIGN LETTERS.

For countries beyond the colony, except for or through places specially mentioned in Schedule D—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding half an ounce	0	6
Every additional half an ounce or fraction of half an ounce	0	6

VIII.—TRADE CIRCULARS AND PRICES CURRENT.

For each Trade Circular or Price Current registered at the General Post Office, Wellington, for transmission by post—

	s.	d.
To places within the colony	0	1
To Australia, Tasmania, and India	0	1
To the United Kingdom	0	1
To Sandwich Islands and United States	0	1

When addressed to other places the foreign book rate given in Schedule D will be charged in addition to the colonial rate of 1d. each.

SCHEDULE D.

COUNTRIES, ETC.	LETTERS.				Registration Fee.	NEWSPAPERS.			BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS.					
	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ounce to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce.	Every additional			Each Newspaper.	By weight (each Newspaper).			Not exceeding 1 ounce.	1 ounce to 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	4 ounces to 8 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.
			$\frac{1}{4}$ oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.			Not exceeding 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.					
ACCRA,—See Africa.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
ADEN,—By direct mail <i>via</i> Ceylon ...	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 4
AFRICA,—Cape of Good Hope and Natal, Delagoa Bay, Mozambique, and Zanzibar,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Aden... ..	...	1 4	...	1 4	0 10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
— (West Coast),—Accra (British), Gambia, Gold Coast, Lagos, Liberia, and Sierra Leone,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— Senegal,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— Other parts of West Coast of Africa,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 11	...	0 11	None.	2	...	...	...	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
ALEXANDRIA,—By direct mail <i>via</i> Ceylon	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 4
<i>via</i> San Francisco & Southampton	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Brindisi ...	...	1 1	...	1 1	...	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 5	0 6	0 8	1 4	0 8
ALGERIA,—See France.														
AMERICA (NORTH),—Canada (including Vancouver's Island and British Columbia), New Brunswick, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward's Island,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6	2	...	...	...	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	0 10	...	0 10	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— United States of,—														
By direct mail to San Francisco	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 4
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	0 10	...	0 10	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— Mexico,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 7
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
AMERICA (CENTRAL),—Costa Rica, Guatemala, New Granada, Nicaragua, and San Salvador,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 7
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— Honduras,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	0 6	2	...	...	...	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 7
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
AMERICA (SOUTH),—Argentine Confederation, Buenos Ayres, Guiana (except British and Surinam), Paraguay, Uruguay (Monte Video), and Venezuela,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
Brazil,—														
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 3	...	1 3	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Brindisi ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 9	1 6	0 9
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6
Guiana (British), and Surinam,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	0 6	2	...	...	...	0 3	0 5	0 10	1 8	0 10
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
— Bolivia, Chili, Ecuador, and Peru,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 6	...	1 6	None.	3	...	...	...	0 3	0 5	0 10	1 8	0 10
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 11	...	1 11	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0 7
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	2 1	...	2 1	None.	...	...	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 7	0 10	1 8	0 10
ASCENSION,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
<i>via</i> „ Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 9
AUSTRALIA ...	...	0 2	...	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 4

SCHEDULE D.—continued.

COUNTRIES, ETC.	LETTERS.				Registration Fee.	NEWSPAPERS.				BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS.				
	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ounce to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce.	Every additional			Each Newspaper.	By weight (each Newspaper).			Not exceeding 1 ounce.	1 ounce to 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	4 ounces to 8 ounces.	Every additional
			$\frac{1}{4}$ oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.			Not exceeding 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.					
AUSTRIA,—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s.
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez a	...	1 0	...	1 0	1 0	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0
" " Brindisi, via Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0
AZORES,—See Portugal.														
BAHAMAS,—See West Indies (British).														
BELGIUM,—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail to Brindisi, via Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0
BELGRADE —														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail to Alexandria	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
" " Trieste a	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0
BERMUDA,—														
via San Francisco	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0
via " " Brindisi	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0
CANARY ISLANDS,—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via " " Brindisi	...	0 10	...	0 10	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 9	1 6	0
CAPE DE VERDES,—														
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	0 3	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 4	0 8	1 4	0
via San Francisco and England	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	0 3	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 4	0 8	1 4	0
via Suez and Brindisi	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	...	...	0 4	0 6	0 11	1 10	0
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE,—See Africa.														
CAYENNE	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0
CEYLON,—By direct mail	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
CHINA,—By direct mail via Ceylon	...	1 0	...	1 0	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
DENMARK,—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez a	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0
By direct mail to Brindisi, via Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0
EGYPT,														
except Alexandria and Suez,—														
By direct Mail to British P.O.,														
Alexandria	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 9e	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
via San Francisco & England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
FALKLAND ISLANDS,—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 11	...	0 11	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0
via " " Brindisi	...	1 1	...	1 1	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0
FIJI ISLANDS	...	0 2	...	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
FRANCE AND ALGERIA,—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6c	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail via Modane and														
Paris	...	0 10	...	0 10	0 6b	1a	...	...	...	0 1a	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
via Alexandria	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6b	1a	...	...	...	0 1a	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
GALATZ,—See Moldavia.														
GIBRALTAR,—														
By direct mail via Suez	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
GERMAN STATES, viz., Baden, Bavaria,														
Birkenfeld, Bremen, Frankfort,														
Hamburg, Hesse, Hesse-Homburg,														
Lippe Detmold, Lubeck, Luxemburg,														
Nassau, Reuss, Prussia,														
Schaumburg Lippe, Schwarzburg-														
Rudoldstadt, Schwarzburg-Sonder-														
hausen, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Saxe-														
Meiningen, Saxe-Weimar, Wurtem-														
burg, Brunswick, Hanover, Meck-														
lenburg - Schwerin, Mecklenburg-														
Strelitz, and Oldenburg—														
via San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
via Suez and Southampton	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0
By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez a	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0
" " Brindisi, via Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0

a. An additional charge will be made on delivery.
b. And an amount equal to the postage in addition.

c. And an amount equal to the Foreign postage.
d. Newspapers and book packets must not exceed

2 lbs. in weight; and pattern parcels must exceed 8 ounces in weight.
e. And 2d. per half-ounce in addition.

SCHEDULE D.—continued.

COUNTRIES, ETC.	LETTERS.				Registration Fee.	NEWSPAPERS.				BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS.				
	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ounce to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce.	Every additional			Each Newspaper.	By weight (each Newspaper).			Not exceeding 1 ounce.	1 ounce to 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	4 ounces to 8 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.
			$\frac{1}{4}$ oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.			Not exceeding 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.					
GREECE AND IONIAN ISLES,— via San Francisco and England By direct mail to Austrian P.O., Alexandria ...	s. d. ...	s. d. 0 8	s. d. ...	s. d. 0 8	s. d. 0 10	s. d. ...	s. d. ...	s. d. 0 2	s. d. 0 1	s. d. 0 2	s. d. 0 3	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 0 6b
HELIGOLAND,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... By direct mail to Brindisi, via Suez	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
HOLLAND,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez a	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
INDIA,—By direct mail via Ceylon INDIAN ARCHIPELAGO,—via Ceylon	... 0 6	... 0 6	... 0 6	... 0 6	0 6	1	... ...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2
ITALY,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... By direct mail to Brindisi, via Suez	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
JAPAN,—via Ceylon by direct mail	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	0 6	1	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 5	0 10	0 5b
MADEIRA,—via San Francisco & England via Suez and Southampton ... via Suez and Brindisi ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
MALTA,—via San Francisco and England By direct mail via Suez	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
MAURITIUS AND REUNION,—By direct mail to Aden ...	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	0 6	2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
MOLDAVIA,—via San Francisco & England via Suez and Brindisi ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
NATAL,—See Africa. NEWFOUNDLAND,—See America. NORWAY AND SWEDEN,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez a	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
POLAND,—See Russia. PORTUGAL AND AZORES,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... via Suez and Brindisi ... By direct mail to Gibraltar, via Suez ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
PRINCE EDWARD'S ISLAND,—See America. REUNION,—See Mauritius. ROUMANIA,—See Moldavia. RUSSIA AND POLAND,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... By direct mail to Trieste, via Suez ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
ST. HELENA,— via San Francisco and England via Suez and Southampton ... via " Brindisi ...	... 1 5	... 1 5	... 1 5	... 1 5	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 6
SANDWICH ISLANDS,—By direct mail via Suez and Southampton ... via " Brindisi ...	... 0 6	... 0 6	... 0 6	... 0 6	0 6	1	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
SERBIA,—See Turkey. SMYRNA,— via San Francisco and England By direct mail to British P.O., Alexandria ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
SOUTH SEA ISLANDS, including Friendly, Cook, Austral (Tubuai) Norfolk, Loyalty, Phoenix, and Solomon Islands, New Caledonia, New Hebrides, and Samoa ...	... 0 2	... 0 2	... 0 2	... 0 2	None.	1	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
SPAIN AND BALEARIC ISLES,— via San Francisco and England By direct mail to Gibraltar, via Suez ...	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	... 0 8	0 10	... 2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b
By direct mail to France, via Suez	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	... 1 0	0 6	2	... ...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 6b

a. An additional charge will be made on delivery.

b. Newspapers and book packets must not exceed 2 lbs. in weight; and pattern parcels must not exceed 8 ounces in weight.

SCHEDULE D—continued.

COUNTRIES, ETC.	LETTERS.				Registration Fee.	NEWSPAPERS.				BOOKS OR PATTERN PARCELS.				
	Not exceeding $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce.	$\frac{1}{2}$ ounce to $\frac{3}{4}$ ounce.	Every additional			Each Newspaper.	By weight (each Newspaper).			Not exceeding 1 ounce.	1 ounce to 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	4 ounces to 8 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.
			$\frac{1}{4}$ oz.	$\frac{1}{2}$ oz.			Not exceeding 2 ounces.	2 ounces to 4 ounces.	Every additional 4 ounces.					
SWEDEN,—See Norway.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
SWITZERLAND,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0 0
By direct mail to Trieste, <i>via</i> Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 0
" " Brindisi, <i>via</i> Suez	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 6	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 0
SYRIA,—See Turkey.														
TANGIERS,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
By direct mail to French P.O.,														
Alexandria ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6 ^b	1 ^a	...	...	...	0 1 ^a	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 0
TASMANIA ...	...	0 2	...	0 2	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 0
TUNIS,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 9	...	0 9	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
By direct mail to French P.O.,														
Alexandria ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6 ^b	1 ^a	...	...	...	0 1 ^a	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 0
TAHITI (Society Islands)—By direct mail	...	0 2	...	0 2	None.	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 0
TURKEY,—Including Levant,—														
By direct mail to British P.O.,														
Alexandria ...	...	0 11	...	0 11	None.	...	0 2	0 3	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
— Syria except Beyrout,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
— Beyrout, Constantinople, Dardanelles,														
Gallipoli, Rhodes, Salonica, Sam-														
soun, Trebizond, Larnaca, Tchesme,														
Tenedos, Tultscha, Varna, Mytelene,														
<i>via</i> San Francisco and England	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 3	0 6	1 0	0 0
UNITED KINGDOM,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	0 6	...	0 6	0 6	1	...	...	...	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 8	0 0
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	0 8	...	0 8	0 6	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 4	0 7	1 2	0 0
<i>via</i> " Brindisi ...	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0 0
By direct mail to Trieste, <i>via</i> Suez	...	1 0	...	1 0	None.	2	...	...	...	0 4	0 5	0 7	1 2	0 0
VANCOUVER'S ISLAND,—See America.														
WALLACHIA,—See Moldavia.														
WEST INDIES (BRITISH),—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 4	...	1 4	0 10	3	...	...	...	0 3	0 5	0 10	1 8	0 1
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 0
<i>via</i> " Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 0
WEST INDIES (FOREIGN),—Curaçoa,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 4	...	1 4	0 10	3	...	...	...	0 3	0 5	0 10	1 8	0 1
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	0 10	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 0
<i>via</i> " Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	0 10	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 0
— St. Croix, St. Thomas, St. Domingo,														
St. Martin's, St. Eustatius,														
Cuba, Guadeloupe, Hayti,														
Martinique, Porto Rico,—														
<i>via</i> San Francisco ...	...	1 4	...	1 4	None.	3	...	...	...	0 3	0 5	0 10	1 8	0 1
<i>via</i> Suez and Southampton ...	...	1 5	...	1 5	None.	...	...	0 2	0 1	0 3	0 4	0 6	1 0	0 0
<i>via</i> " Brindisi ...	...	1 7	...	1 7	None.	...	...	0 3	0 2	0 4	0 6	0 9	1 6	0 0

a. An additional charge will be made on delivery.
b. And an amount equal to the Foreign postage.

c. Newspapers and book packets must not exceed 2 lbs. in weight; and pattern parcels must not exceed 8 ounces in weight.

Correspondence addressed to the Continent of Europe which may be forwarded *via* Southampton may also be forwarded *via* Brindisi, upon payment of the following additional rates:—

Letters, not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2d.; and for every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., 2d. Book Packets, not exceeding 1 oz., 1d.; 1 oz. to 2 oz., 2d.; 2 oz. to 4 oz., 3d.; every additional 4 oz., 3d. Newspapers (each), not exceeding 4 oz., 1d.; every additional 4 oz., 1d.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

JULIUS VOGEL.

Approved in Council.
FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Substituting Tolls at the Lower Crossing at Manawatu for those published in "The New Zealand Gazette" No. 7, dated 5th February, 1872.

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, direct tolls to be paid for all animals and vehicles passing or repassing at any ferry as in the said Act mentioned, and fix and appoint the rates thereof and the exemptions therefrom, and from time to time in like manner may reduce, raise, alter, and abolish any such tolls: And whereas a ferry hath been proclaimed under the provisions of the said Act near the Gorge at the Lower Crossing at Manawatu, in the Province of Wellington, and it is expedient that the rate of tolls to be paid at the said ferry should be fixed:

Now therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby fix and appoint that the tolls to be paid for passing or repassing through or at the ferry at Manawatu aforesaid shall be at the rates set forth in the Schedule hereto, in substitution of tolls published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 7, dated 5th February, 1872, and do fix and appoint the exemptions from such tolls as in the said Schedule mentioned, and do declare that the same shall be applicable only to the said ferry at the Lower Crossing at Manawatu aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

SCALE OF TOLLS AT FERRY, NEAR GORGE, AT MANAWATU.

	s.	d.
For every foot passenger carried over ...	0	6
For every horse or head of cattle carried or towed over, including the rider or person in charge ...	1	0
For every sheep, goat, pig, or other head of small cattle ...	0	1
For every dray, cart, or other vehicle to be drawn by horses or cattle ...	2	0
For every horse or bullock drawing same ...	0	6

The payment of one toll to cover going and returning if on the same day.

Exemptions.

Mail coaches and horses, with their drivers and passengers, and Engineers in charge of General Government works on the Manawatu and Seventy-Mile Bush Roads.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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; and issued

under the Seal of the said Colony at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Districts under "The Marriage Act Amendment Act, 1858."

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Marriage Act Amendment Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to divide the colony, for the purposes of the said Act, into such and so many districts as he shall think fit, and that every such district shall be called by a distinct name, and shall be a Registrar's District; and it is provided that the Governor may at any time revoke the whole or any part of such Proclamation, and issue a new Proclamation dividing the colony, or any part of it, anew into districts, or increasing the number or altering the boundaries of districts, as from time to time he may think requisite:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the then Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him, did, amongst others, constitute a district, for the purposes of the said Act, called the "Waipukurau" District, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the then Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him, did, amongst others, constitute districts, for the purposes of the said Act, called the "Porangahau" District and the "Tamaki" District, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke so much of the said Proclamations as relates to the said districts, and to divide anew the territory formerly comprised within such districts:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the said colony, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said recited Act, do hereby revoke the said Proclamations so far as they relate to the Waipukurau, Porangahau, and Tamaki Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory formerly comprised within the said districts shall be and the same is hereby divided, for the purposes of the said Act, into four districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follows:—

WAIPAWA DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Napier District; to the East by the Tuki Tuki River; to the South by the Tuki Tuki River to its source, and thence by a straight line running due west to the western boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by that boundary to the Ngaruroro River.

WAIPUKURAU DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundaries

of the Napier and Waipawa District; to the East by the sea coast to the southern boundary of the Hapaka Block at Blackhead; to the South by the Hapaka Line from the sea coast to the Ngahape Stream, and up that stream to its source, and thence by a straight line running due west to the Manawatu River, up that river to its source, and by a straight line running due west to the western boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by the western boundary of said Province.

PORANGAHAU DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District; to the East by the sea coast to the Waimata Creek at the southern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; to the South by the Waimata Creek and the southern boundary of the said province to Wahataura; to the West by the western boundary of the Tautane Block to its north-western corner, thence by a straight line to the junction of the Mangapuaka Creek with the Wangai Stream, following up the Wangai Stream to its source, thence in a straight line to the source of the Mangapurakau Stream, down that stream and the Waikopiro Stream to its junction with the Mangawaia Creek, and up that creek to the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District.

TAMAKI DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District; to the East by the western boundary of the Porangahau District; to the South by the southern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by the western boundary of said province.

And I do declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation and take effect on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Districts under "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875."

(L.S.) NORMANBY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1875," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to divide the colony for the purposes of the said Act into such and so many districts as he shall think fit, and that every such district shall be called by a distinct name, and shall be a Registrar's District; and further, that the districts existing at the time of the coming into operation of the said Act under any of the Acts

repealed thereby shall, until altered, be deemed to be districts proclaimed under the said Act:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, the then Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him, did, amongst others, constitute, for the purposes of the Acts repealed by the said Act, a district called the "Waipukurau" District, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three:

And whereas by a Proclamation duly made and issued, bearing date the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the then Governor, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him, did, amongst others, constitute districts, for the purposes of the Acts repealed by the said Act, called the "Porangahau" District and the "Tamaki" District, the boundaries whereof were therein set forth, which said Proclamation came into operation and took effect on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke so much of the said Proclamations as relates to the said districts, and to divide anew the territory formerly comprised within such districts:

Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the said colony, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said recited Act, do hereby revoke the said Proclamations so far as they relate to the Waipukurau, Porangahau, and Tamaki Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory formerly comprised within the said districts shall be and the same is hereby divided, for the purposes of the said Act, into four districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follows:—

WAIPAWA DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Napier District; to the East by the Tuki Tuki River; to the South by the Tuki Tuki River to its source, and thence by a straight line running due west to the western boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by that boundary to the Ngaruroro River.

WAIPUKURAU DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundaries of the Napier and Waipawa District; to the East by the sea coast to the southern boundary of the Hapaka Block at Blackhead; to the South by the Hapaka Line from the sea coast to the Ngahape Stream, and up that stream to its source, and thence by a straight line running due west to the Manawatu River, up that river to its source, and by a straight line running due west to the western boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by the western boundary of said Province.

PORANGAHAU DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District; to the East by the sea coast to the Waimata Creek at the southern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; to the South by the Waimata Creek and the southern boundary of the said province to Wahataura; to the West by the western boundary of the Tautane Block to its north-western corner, thence by a straight line to the junction of the Mangapuaka Creek with the Wangai Stream, following up the Wangai Stream to its source, thence in a straight line to the source of the Mangapurakau Stream, down that stream and the Waikopiro Stream to its junction with the Mangawaia Creek, and up that creek to the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District.

TAMAKI DISTRICT.

Bounded to the North by the southern boundary of the Waipukurau District; to the East by the western boundary of the Porangahau District; to the South by the southern boundary of the Province of Hawke's Bay; and to the West by the western boundary of said province.

And I do declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation and take effect on the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

DANIEL POLLEN.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Appointing Mayor of Nelson a Justice of the Peace under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

NORMANBY, GOVERNOR.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and thirty-third section of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867," it is enacted that it shall be the duty of the Town Clerk of every borough, as soon as conveniently may be after every election of a Mayor for such borough, to give notice to the Colonial Secretary for the time being of such election, and of the person elected; and it shall be lawful for the Governor, if he shall think fit, and if such person shall not then be a Justice of the Peace, by Warrant under his hand, published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to appoint such person to be a Justice of the Peace for the colony; and it is also thereby enacted that in every such appointment it shall be expressed that it is made under the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act; and it is further declared that such appointment shall continue in force only during the Mayoralty of such person, and the person so appointed shall not, by virtue of such appointment, be authorized to sit or act as a Justice of the Peace elsewhere than within the borough:

Now therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority in me vested in that behalf, do hereby appoint

EDWARD EVERETT Esq.,

the person elected to be the Mayor of the Borough of Nelson, to be a Justice of the Peace under the one hundred and thirty-third section of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1867."

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the

United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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 Wellington, this third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

Notification of Governor's Assent to Construction of Railway in continuation of a Railway constructed under "The Kaitangata Railway Act, 1875."

(L.S.) NORMANBY, GOVERNOR.

WHEREAS by the seventh subsection of the fourth section of "The Railway Companies Act, 1875," (hereinafter called "the said Act,") it is, amongst other things, enacted that if any such proposed branch railway as is mentioned in the Act is approved of, and such approval is signified as hereinafter provided, then the company may proceed with the construction of such railway in accordance with the said Act:

And it is further enacted, that whenever the Governor shall approve of any proposed branch railway, he shall, by notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare his assent to the construction of the railway, and such notice, when so published, shall be sufficient notice to the company of such approval: And whereas the Kaitangata Railway and Coal Company (Limited) have deposited plans of a projected railway from Stirling to Kaitangata, at the office of the Supreme Court at Dunedin, and in other respects complied with the terms of the said Act: And whereas one-half of the whole body of the ratepayers resident within the highway districts through which the railway is proposed to be constructed have not objected to the construction of the railway:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the hereinbefore in part recited Act, and in exercise of every other power enabling him in this behalf, do hereby notify and declare that he assents to the construction of the said railway from Stirling to Kaitangata.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Place and Time appointed for Vaccination.

NORMANBY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Health Act, 1872," I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the place mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto as and to be the place at which the Public Vaccinator appointed for the district mentioned in the first column of the said Schedule shall attend for the performance of vaccination, as required by the said Act; and I do hereby give notice that such Public Vaccinator will attend at the place aforesaid, for the purpose of performing such vaccination, on the day and at the hour set forth in the third column of the said Schedule opposite the name of such place; and further, that at such place as last aforesaid the Public Vaccinator will attend for the purpose of inspecting the progress of such vaccination in the persons so vaccinated on the day and at the hour respectively set forth in the fourth column of the said Schedule opposite the name of such place.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Most Honorable George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, Earl of Mulgrave, Viscount Normanby, and Baron Mulgrave of Mulgrave, all in the County of York, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; and Baron Mulgrave of New Ross, in the County of Wexford, in the Peerage of Ireland; a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council; Knight Commander 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 twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

DANIEL POLLEN.

SCHEDULE.
PROVINCE OF OTAGO.

District for which Public Vaccinator appointed.	Place where Vaccination to be performed.	Day and Hour fixed for Performance of Vaccination.	Day and Hour fixed for inspecting the Progress of Vaccination.
Kaihiku	The Schoolroom, Kaihiku.	First Tuesday in March and September in each year, from 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.	Second Tuesday in March and September in each year, from 1.30 to 3.30 p.m.

Appointing additional Gazettes under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1875."

NORMANBY, Governor.

WHEREAS by the fifth section of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1875," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the term "Gazette" in the said Act shall mean any newspaper or newspapers to be from time to time appointed by the Governor for each district: And whereas by a Proclamation dated the twelfth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, the districts named in the Schedule hereto were constituted districts under the said Act: And whereas certain newspapers have been appointed Gazettes for such districts respectively: And whereas it is expedient to appoint other newspapers Gazettes in addition to those appointed as aforesaid: Now, therefore, I, George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me, do hereby appoint that, for the districts named in the Schedule hereto, the newspapers the names whereof are in the said Schedule set opposite to the names of such districts shall be Gazettes for such districts respectively under the said Act, in addition to the newspapers already appointed.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Districts.	Names of Newspapers.
Tokomairiro and Clutha...	"The Clutha Leader."
Western Otago	"The Western Star."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

*Member of Executive Council appointed.*Executive Council Chamber,
Wellington, 4th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Honorable GEORGE McLEAN to be a Member of the Executive Council of New Zealand; and His Excellency directs it to be notified that that gentleman has taken the necessary oaths.

By His Excellency's command.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.*Resignation of Commissioner of Customs accepted.*Private Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd July, 1876.

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

The Honorable Major H. A. ATKINSON of his appointment as Commissioner of Customs.

By command.

IRWIN C. MALING,
Lieut., 35th Regiment,
Private Secretary.*Commissioner of Customs appointed.*Private Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment, viz.,—

The Honorable GEORGE McLEAN to be Commissioner of Customs.

IRWIN C. MALING,
Lieut., 35th Regiment,
Private Secretary.

Colony of Victoria free from Scab Disease in Sheep.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st July, 1876.

THE following letter from the Chief Secretary of Victoria is published for general information.
DANIEL POLLEN.

VICTORIA.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 14th June, 1876.

SIR,—I have the honor to inform you that this colony is now free from the disease in Sheep known as Scab, and that a notification to that effect will be found in the accompanying issue of the Government Gazette (page 1,093), declaring the whole of Victoria to be a Clean District within the meaning of the Scab Act.

I have, &c.,

JOHN A. MACPHERSON.

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,
New Zealand.

VICTORIA A CLEAN DISTRICT UNDER "THE SCAB ACT, 1870."

In pursuance of the 66th section of "The Scab Act, 1870," the Governor in Council has revoked all previous Orders in Council relating to the "Clean Districts" of Victoria; and has ordered that the whole of Victoria shall be a Clean District within the meaning of the said Act.

JOHN A. MACPHERSON,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th June, 1876.

Public Vaccinators appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 30th June, 1876.

IT is hereby notified that, in conformity with the provisions of "The Public Health Act, 1872," the under-mentioned gentlemen have been appointed Public Vaccinators, to perform gratuitous vaccination in accordance with the said Act and any Regulations made or to be made thereunder, for the districts mentioned in the Schedule hereto and set opposite their names.

SCHEDULE.

PROVINCE OF OTAGO.

JAMES HENRY BOGLE, Esq., M.B.—Popotuna and Kaihiku.

JOHN MACAFFER, Esq., M.B.—Mataura and Wyndham.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be the Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and also Vaccination Inspectors, for the Districts set opposite their names, as the same are defined in Proclamation of the 21st day of June, 1876, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 38, of the 29th day of June, 1876.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Name.	District.
JAMES BROWN GATLAND, Esq. ...	Coromandel.
ROBERT WIGMORE, Esq. ...	Mercury Bay.
EDWARD HENRY POWER, Esq. ...	Thames.

Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE THOMSON, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and also Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Okarito, as the same is defined in Proclamation of the 8th day of May, 1873, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 28, of the 9th day of May, 1873.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization, under "The Aliens Act, 1866," in favour of the under-mentioned persons, viz.,—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Chee Foon	Market Gardener ...	Roxburgh, Otago.
Charles George Herrich	Engineer	Aratapu, Auckland.
Johann Herrmann Hiller	Surveyor	Westport.
Johann Frederick Hiller	Clerk and Draftsman	Westport.
Rolf Steffenson Mosan...	Miner	Serpentine, Otago.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Deputy Superintendent of Wellington appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1876.

HIS Honor the Superintendent of Wellington has notified to the Colonial Secretary that, under the power of "The Deputy Superintendent of Wellington Act, 1876," he has appointed

HENRY BUNNY, Esq.,

to be the Deputy Superintendent of the province.

DANIEL POLLEN.

Clerk of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 29th June, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT COLTHART, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Resident Magistrate's Court at Malvern, and Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the Districts of Malvern, South Malvern, East Malvern, Waimakariri, Rakaia, and Lake Coleridge.

CHARLES C. BOWEN.

Appointment of Volunteer Officers.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the under-mentioned promotion and appointments, viz.,—

In the New Zealand Volunteer Force.

Captain William Stavely, Dunedin Naval Volunteers, and commanding the Volunteers in the Dunedin District, to be Major. Date of commission, 30th June, 1876.

In the Invercargill Artillery Volunteers.

Charles Burcher Kingswell to be Second Lieutenant.
Date of commission, 27th May, 1876.

In the Riverton Rifle Volunteers.

John William Chapman to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 8th May, 1876.

In the North Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Stephen Reeves to be Captain. Date of commission, 12th January, 1876.

DONALD McLEAN.

Resignation of Volunteer Officer accepted.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by

Sub-Lieutenant J. Reynolds, Carterton Rifle Volunteers.

DONALD McLEAN.

Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.

Colonial Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the services of

The Cromwell (Otago) Rifle Volunteers. Date of acceptance, 23rd February, 1876.

The Greymouth Cadets. Date of acceptance, 15th June, 1876.

DONALD McLEAN.

Appointment of Native Assessor.

Native Office,
Wellington, 19th June, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RIHIA TE KANAE, of Cambridge, Waikato, to be an Assessor of the Native Land Court of New Zealand.

DONALD McLEAN.

Interpreter appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 22nd June, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE VAUSE, of Onehunga, to be an Interpreter under the 12th section of "The Native Lands Act, 1873."

DONALD McLEAN.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 28th June, 1876.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenderers is published for general information.

EDWARD RICHARDSON.

WANGANUI-MANAWATU RAILWAY.

RANGITAWA CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
A. Nathan and Jno. Wilkie, Wanganui	...	9,958	6	8
<i>Declined.</i>				
Thos. Denby, Wanganui...	...	9,996	4	4
S. Brown and Co., Wellington	...	11,900	0	0
Jno. Gwynneth, Wellington	...	11,972	16	9
Jno. Whitaker, Dunedin	...	12,896	17	2
Saunders and McKirdy, Wellington	...	18,722	13	8
Colonist's Aid Corporation, Feilding	...	15,011	10	7
James Lockie and Co., Wellington	...	15,727	10	4
Wm. Rowe, Turakina	...	Incomplete		

Surveyor-General appointed.

General Crown Lands Office,
Wellington, 3rd July, 1876.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN TURNBULL THOMSON, Esq., to be Surveyor-General for the Colony of New Zealand, from the 1st of May, 1876.

H. A. ATKINSON.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

LOUISE SOPHIA ORAM, of New Brighton, in the Province of Canterbury, Widow of GEORGE ORAM, deceased, having made application as Devisee under the Will of the said George Oram to be registered as Proprietor of Rural Sections 4703, 5278, 6337, 16012, 16033, and 15836, District of Christchurch, notice is hereby given, that the Applicant will be registered as such proprietor, unless caveat forbidding the same be entered on or before the 12th day of January, 1877.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case on or before the 12th day of August, 1876.

2610. EDWARD BALL.—Town of Timaru, 1 rood, Allotment No. 140. In occupation of the Reverend Charles Ward and — Smith.

2693. HENRY NICHOLSON.—District of Timaru, 60 acres, Rural Section No. 10828. In occupation of Applicant.

2694. THOMAS OWEN.—District of Christchurch, 1 rood 13 perches, part of Rural Section No. 488. In occupation of Applicant.

2696. THE CANTERBURY and OTAGO ASSOCIATION (LIMITED), by its Attorney, George Gray Russell.—District of Timaru, 90 acres, part of Rural Section No. 3274. In occupation of said Association.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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GEO. B. DAVY,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication hereof in the *Gazette* :—

HENRY WESTON.—Town Allotment No. 912, New Plymouth, 1 rood 1 perch. In occupation of Edward Cudlipp.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 27th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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A. S. DOUGLAS,
District Land Registrar.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that ELIZA WOOD, of Meeanee, in the Province of Hawke's Bay, Widow, has made application to the District Land Registrar of the District of Hawke's Bay, to be registered as Proprietor of part of Suburban Sections numbered 46 and 47, Meeanee District, containing 31 acres 2 roods 8 perches, as Devisee under the Will of JAMES WOOD, late of Meeanee aforesaid, Gentleman, deceased; and that the said Eliza Wood will be so registered as such proprietor, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within six calendar months from the date of the publication of this notice.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same in each case within one calendar month from the date of gazetting this notice.

GEORGE LLOYD, Applicant.—110 acres, being Block 17, Patangata, in the Province of Hawke's Bay. Unoccupied. (Edward Lyndon, Broker.) 464.

JOHN DINWIDDIE, Applicant.—2 roods 36 perches, being Town Section No. 155, Town of Napier, Province of Hawke's Bay. In occupation of Applicant and of Peter Dinwiddie, and Messrs. Rolleston and Robinson. (J. W. Carlile, Solicitor.) 520.

EDWARD LYNDON, Applicant.—2 roods 37½ perches, being Lots 5, 10, and 14 of subdivision of Suburban Sections 18 and 19, Township of Napier, Province of Hawke's Bay. In occupation of E. T. Woodcock, Carl Hammer, and John Harrison, respectively. (Edward Lyndon, Broker.) 522.

JOHN GIBSON KINROSS, Applicant.—73 acres 2 roods 26 perches, being Suburban Sections, Class 2, Nos. 30, 31, 32, 52, and 53, District of Wairoa, Province of Hawke's Bay. In occupation of James William Witty. (A. Lascelles, Solicitor.) 523.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE.

I, DUNCAN MACGREGOR, Bachelor of Medicine, Master in Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, now residing at Anderson's Bay, Dunedin, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply, on the 24th day of July next, to have my name placed on the Register of Medical Practitioners in the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have this day deposited with the Registrar in Dunedin the evidence of my qualifications, in terms of "The Medical Practitioners' Registration Act, 1869."

DUNCAN MACGREGOR.

Dunedin, 24th June, 1876.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 12th day of August next.

Western Lake Block, Section "62," 438 acres. In occupation of Henry Eglinton.—The said HENRY EGLINTON and one BENJAMIN EGLINTON, Applicants, on behalf of the said occupant. 728.

Whenuakura Block, Section "25," 582 acres. In occupation of JAMES NICHOLSON, the Applicant. 719.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of July, 1876, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

JOHN E. SMITH,
District Land Registrar.

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STATEMENT of the Affairs of the Scandinavian Water Race Company (Registered), for the half-year ended 1st June, 1876, in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Scandinavian Water Race Company (Registered).

When formed, and date of registration: 1865; 6th May, 1868.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: St. Bathans, Otago; George Penton.

Nominal capital: £12,000.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £50.

Number of shares taken: 240.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £12,000.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 28.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £510.

Number of shares unallotted: Nil.

GEORGE PENTON,
Manager.

St. Bathans, Otago, 24th June, 1876. 317

HALF-YEARLY Statement of the Affairs of the Totara and Jones' Creek Amalgamated Water Race Company (Registered), in accordance with section 135 of "The Mining Companies Act, 1872."

Name of Company: The Totara and Jones' Creek Amalgamated Water Race Company (Registered).

When formed, and date of registration: 26th August, 1866; 7th September, 1866.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Ross, Totara District, Province of Westland; Camille Malfroy, Legal Manager.

Nominal capital: £12,800.

Amount of paid-up scrip given to shareholders: £8,400, being estimated value of the two Races at the time of the amalgamation, 26th August, 1866.

Number of shares in which capital is divided: 1,280.

Number of shares taken: 1,280.

Amount of calls made: Nil.

Total amount of subscribed capital paid up: £12,800, as follows:

—Paid up scrip given to shareholders as above, £8,400; amount paid out of proceeds of Races, in extension, improvement, and in purchase of other Races, £4,400.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of Company: 17.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Whether in operation or not: In operation.

Total amount of dividends declared: £11,895.

Number of shares unallotted: None.

CAMILLE MALFROY,
Legal Manager.

Ross, 14th June, 1876. 314

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The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be supported by a valid receipt or invoice. This ensures transparency and allows for easy verification of the data.

In addition, it is crucial to review the records regularly to identify any discrepancies or errors. This proactive approach helps in resolving issues before they become significant problems.

The second section focuses on the role of technology in modern accounting. It highlights how software solutions can streamline the process, reduce manual errors, and provide real-time insights into the financial health of the organization.

Furthermore, the document stresses the need for continuous education and training for accounting professionals. As the industry evolves, staying updated with the latest trends and regulations is essential for success.

Finally, it concludes by reiterating the importance of integrity and ethical conduct in the accounting profession. Trust is the foundation of the industry, and it must be maintained at all times.

The document also includes a list of key terms and definitions related to accounting. This serves as a useful reference for readers who may be unfamiliar with certain concepts.

Additionally, there are several case studies provided to illustrate how these principles are applied in real-world scenarios. These examples demonstrate the practical value of the discussed concepts.

The document is intended to serve as a comprehensive guide for anyone involved in accounting, whether as a student, professional, or business owner. It provides a clear and concise overview of the field's core principles and practices.

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