



SUPPLEMENT

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*Notice respecting Offences at Elections, including Maori Elections.*

Electoral Department,  
Wellington, 29th October, 1908.

THE following extracts from "The Legislature Act, 1908," are published for general information:—

"THE LEGISLATURE ACT, 1908."

Deputy Returning Officer may arrest person guilty of personation.

163. (1.) Every Deputy Returning Officer may, without any other warrant than this Act, cause to be arrested and taken before a Justice any person reasonably suspected of committing or attempting to commit at a polling-place any act of personation.

(2.) All constables shall aid and assist the Deputy Returning Officer in the performance of his duty.

(3.) It shall be the duty of the Returning Officer to institute a prosecution against any person whom he believes to have committed the offence of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling, or procuring the commission of that offence by any person, at the election for which he is Returning Officer.

Punishment of personation.

(4.) Every person who commits the offence of personation, or of aiding, abetting, counselling, or procuring the commission of that offence, is liable to two years' imprisonment with or without hard labour.

Costs and expenses of prosecution to be allowed.

(5.) The costs and expenses of the prosecutor and the witnesses in such case, together with compensation for their trouble and loss of time, shall be allowed by the Court.

"Personation" defined.

218. Every person commits the offence of personation who at any election applies for a voting-paper in the name of some other person, living or dead, or of a fictitious person, or who, having voted once at any such election, applies again at the same election for a voting-paper in his own name.

F. W. MANSFIELD,  
Chief Electoral Officer.

*Returning Officers appointed for Maori Electoral Districts.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Legislature Act, 1908," I William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the following persons to be Returning Officers for the Maori electoral districts hereinafter mentioned:—

For the Northern Maori Electoral District:  
Robert Stone Florance.

For the Eastern Maori Electoral District:  
Harold Carr.

For the Western Maori Electoral District:  
William Henry Grace.

For the Southern Maori Electoral District:  
Helyar Wedderburn Bishop.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,  
this thirty-first day of October, one thousand  
nine hundred and eight.

JOHN. G. FINDLAY.

*Writs for the Election of Members of Parliament for Maori Electoral Districts.*

Clerk of the Writs' Office,  
Wellington, 31st October, 1908.

THE following writs for the election of members of Parliament for the Maori electoral districts are published in the Gazette, in accordance with the provisions of "The Legislature Act, 1908."

HUGH POLLEN,  
Clerk of the Writs.

*Writ.*

To the Returning Officer for the Northern Maori Electoral District.

IN pursuance of Part IV of "The Legislature Act, 1908," I hereby authorise and require you to proceed, according to law, to the election of a member of Parliament to serve in the House of Representatives for the Northern Maori Electoral District.

I further direct that you cause the nomination of the said member to be at the Courthouse, Kororareka (Russell), on the twelfth day of November, 1908, and, in the event of the election being contested, that the poll shall be taken on the second day of December, 1908.

You are further required to indorse on this writ the name of the person so elected, and then to return the writ to me on or before the twenty-third day of December, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

HUGH POLLEN,  
Clerk of the Writs.

*Writ.*

To the Returning Officer for the Eastern Maori Electoral District.

IN pursuance of Part IV of "The Legislature Act, 1908," I hereby authorise and require you to proceed, according to law, to the election of a member of Parliament to serve in the House of Representatives for the Eastern Maori Electoral District.

I further direct that you cause the nomination of the said member to be at the Government Buildings, Gisborne, on the twelfth day of November, 1908, and, in the event of the election being contested, that the poll shall be taken on the second day of December, 1908.

You are further required to indorse on this writ the name of the person so elected, and then to return the writ to me on or before the twenty-third day of December, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

HUGH POLLEN,  
Clerk of the Writs.

*Writ.*

To the Returning Officer for the Western Maori Electoral District.

IN pursuance of Part IV of "The Legislature Act, 1908," I hereby authorise and require you to proceed, according to law, to the election of a member of Parliament to serve in the House of Representatives for the Western Maori Electoral District.

I further direct that you cause the nomination of the said member to be at Hakiaha's Hall, Taumarunui, on the twelfth day of November, 1908, and, in the event of the election being contested, that the poll shall be taken on the second day of December, 1908.

You are further required to indorse on this writ the name of the person so elected, and then to return the writ to me on or before the twenty-third day of December, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

HUGH POLLEN,  
Clerk of the Writs.

*Writ.*

To the Returning Officer for the Southern Maori Electoral District.

IN pursuance of Part IV of "The Legislature Act, 1908," I hereby authorise and require you to proceed, according to law, to the election of a member of Parliament to serve in the House of Representatives for the Southern Maori Electoral District.

I further direct that you cause the nomination of the said member to be at the Native Schoolhouse, Tuahiwi (Kaiapoi), on the twelfth day of November, 1908, and, in the event of the election being contested, that the poll shall be taken on the second day of December, 1908.

You are further required to indorse on this writ the name of the person so elected, and then to return the writ to me on or before the twenty-third day of December, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

HUGH POLLEN,  
Clerk of the Writs.

*Polling-places appointed, Maori Electoral Districts.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Legislature Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby abolish all existing polling-places, and do hereby appoint the places mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be polling-places for the Maori electoral districts therein specified.

## SCHEDULE.

*Northern Maori Electoral District—*

The Courthouse, Kororareka (Russell), (principal).  
The Courthouse, Ahipara.  
The Schoolhouse, Awanui.  
The Courthouse, Dargaville.  
The Schoolhouse, Hohoura.  
The Schoolhouse, Hukerenui South.  
The Schoolhouse, Kaeo.  
Hagger's Store, Kaimaumuau.  
The Courthouse, Kawakawa.  
The Native School, Kaikohe.  
The Native School, Matauri.  
The Courthouse, Mangonui.  
The Native School, Mangamuka.  
The Native School, Mangakahia.  
Rikihana's Hall, Opanake.  
The Native School, Otatau.  
The Schoolhouse, Otamatea.  
Yates's Store, Parengarenga.  
The Native School, Pampurua.  
The Native School, Peria.  
The Schoolhouse, Pakia.  
The Schoolhouse, Pouto (North Head, Kaipara).  
The Schoolhouse, Poroti.  
The Courthouse, Rawene.  
Hare te Heihei's Hall, Tii Mongonui, Kerikeri.  
The Native School, Te Kao.  
House of Aokewa Patira, Taiharuru.  
The Courthouse, Waimate.  
The Public Hall, Totara.  
The Schoolhouse, Waikare.  
The Schoolhouse, Waihou (Rangiahua).  
The Schoolhouse, Whakarapa.  
The Native School, Waima.  
The Schoolhouse, Touni Whangaroa.  
The Native School, Whangaruru.  
The Native School, Whangape.  
The Courthouse, Whangarei.  
The Schoolhouse, Whirinaki.  
Jarvie's Store, Kawerua.  
The Schoolhouse, Matihetihe.  
The Native Schoolhouse, Ngawha.  
McKay's Store, Rangiwahia.  
Wallen's Store, Taipa.  
Te Tuauru Pukeroa's Meeting House, near Herekino.  
Parengarenga Schoolhouse, Te Hapua.  
Mr. A. McKay's Store, Waiporohita.  
Kere Petera's House, Waimahana.  
House of Heke W. Ihaia, Mahiapua.  
Paora te Ohu's House, Takou.  
The Schoolhouse, Kenana.  
Te Ngatiwhatua Meeting House, Reweti (Kaipara).  
Riapo Puhipi's House, Pukepoto.  
The Schoolhouse, Te Rawhiti.  
The Schoolhouse, Whananaki.  
The Schoolhouse, Motukaraka.  
The Meeting House, Ahikiwi.  
Waru Takerei's House, Makarau.  
The Meeting House, Orakei (Remuera).  
The Schoolhouse, Oromahoe.  
Dickeson's Store, Rakauwahi.  
The Hall, Kohukohu.  
The Polling-booth, Ripia.  
Barkley's Store, Ohia Lake.  
The Meeting House, Tautoro.  
The Meeting House, Te Pupuke.  
Kaiwhaka's House, Taemaro.  
Evans's Hall, Waipapakauri.  
Tynan's Store, Waihoppo.  
The Polling-booth, Tangitororia.  
The Schoolhouse, Parkhurst.  
Kaipuke's House, Naumai (Wairoa).  
The Schoolhouse, Te Karetu.  
The Schoolhouse, Parapara.  
The Schoolhouse, Waimamaku.  
Cooper's Hall, Horeke.

*Eastern Maori Electoral District—*

Government Buildings, Gisborne (principal).  
 The Courthouse, Greytown.  
 The Schoolhouse, Kahutara.  
 The Schoolhouse, Martinborough.  
 The Town Hall, Gladstone.  
 The Courthouse, Masterton.  
 The Schoolhouse, Okautete.  
 Runanga House, Taneru.  
 Hami te Potangaroa's House, Mataikona.  
 Piripi te Maari's House, Te Kohunui.  
 Nireaha Tamaki's House, Hamua.  
 Rupuha te Hianga's House, Porangahau.  
 Runanga House, Ohanga.  
 Manahi Paewai's House, Tahoraiti.  
 Anaru Tuhua's House, Takapau.  
 The Courthouse, Waipawa.  
 Ekengarangi's House, Te Hauke.  
 Runanga House, Tikokino.  
 The Courthouse, Hastings.  
 Donnelley's Woolshed, Waimarama.  
 Raihania's House, Kohupatiki.  
 Renata's House, Omahu.  
 Runanga House, Moteo.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tangoio.  
 Pangopango's House, Petane.  
 The Hall, Maraekakaho.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Haroto.  
 Te Whare Porotiti, Mohaka.  
 The Courthouse, Wairoa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tuhara.  
 Hori Niania's House, Te Reinga.  
 The Schoolhouse, Timiroto.  
 Hakanui's House, Te Mataniho.  
 Rev. Huata's House, Ramato.  
 The Old Schoolhouse, Kokako, Waikaremoana.  
 Hori te Roi's House, Whakaki.  
 The Schoolhouse, Nuhaka.  
 Bendall's House, Oputama.  
 The Schoolhouse, Muriwai.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waerengaahika.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Karaka.  
 Runanga House, Whakato.  
 The Schoolhouse, Ormond.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waerengaokuri.  
 The Public Hall, Whatatutu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waimata.  
 The Schoolhouse, Whangara.  
 The Courthouse, Tolaga Bay.  
 Hutchinson's Station, Tuarua.  
 Runanga House, Pactawa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tokomaru.  
 The Schoolhouse, Whareponga.  
 The Schoolhouse, Hiruharama.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waipiro.  
 Williams's Cottage, Takapau Station (Waipiro).  
 Runanga House, Pakihiroa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tuparua.  
 Runanga House, Reporua.  
 Runanga House, Tikapa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waiomatatitini.  
 The Schoolhouse, Kahukura.  
 Runanga House, Horoera.  
 The Schoolhouse, Rangitukia.  
 The Schoolhouse, Araroa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Hick's Bay.  
 The Schoolhouse, Raukokore.  
 Runanga House, Whangaparaoa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Poroporo.  
 Haki Roihana's House, Te Kaha.  
 Hakaraia's House, Whakaruru.  
 The Schoolhouse, Omaio.  
 Akuhata te Kaha's House, Te Rewarewa.  
 Numia Kereru's House, Taurarau.  
 The Schoolhouse, Torere.  
 The Schoolhouse, Omarumutu.  
 The Courthouse, Opotiki.  
 The Schoolhouse, Oniwa.  
 Rakuraku Rehua's House, Te Waiman.  
 The Schoolhouse, Whakatane.  
 The Schoolhouse, Otamauru.  
 The Schoolhouse, Taneatua.  
 Te Waaka's House, Maraenui.  
 Matatua Runanga House, Ruatahuna.  
 Hetaraka te Whakaunua's House, Maungapohatu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Teko.  
 The Polling Booth (Tuwhare), Rangitahi, (Whirinaki).  
 The Schoolhouse, Matata.  
 The Schoolhouse, Maketu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Matai.  
 Hapaata's House, Mourua.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Waiti (Rotoiti).

*Eastern Maori Electoral District—continued.*

The Schoolhouse, Waitahanui.  
 The Schoolhouse, Mōkai.  
 The Courthouse, Tapuae-haruru.  
 The Schoolhouse, Rotorua.  
 Ihakara Kahua's House, Maroa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Ngae.  
 Te Weu Hikairo's House, Te Awahou.  
 Hemi Kokiri's House, Mokoia.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waiotapu.  
 Wharepapa Peita's House, Waiohau.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Whaiti.  
 Te Kotahitanga House, Ohauaterangi.  
 Mihaka Matiaha's House, Oputao.  
 Nepia Matenga's House, Ohaki.  
 Runanga House, Tarukenga.  
 Khipana's House, Horohoro.  
 The Schoolhouse, Motiti Island.

*Western Maori Electoral District—*

Hakiaha's Hall, Taumarunui (principal)  
 Mihaka's House, Te Huruhi, Waiheke.  
 The Schoolhouse, Cabbage Bay.  
 The Schoolhouse, Harataunga.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Rerenga, Whangapoua.  
 The Schoolhouse, Pukiore, Tairua.  
 The Schoolhouse, Manaia, Coromandel.  
 The Old Courthouse, Shortland, Thames.  
 Runanga House, Mataitai.  
 Runanga House, Taurangakoura, Waitakaruru.  
 Runanga House, Te Hoe-o-Tainui, Upper Piako.  
 Runanga House, Te Kerepechi, Piako.  
 The Criterion Theatre, Paeroa.  
 Runanga House, Omahu Pa, Te Aroha.  
 Tamati Paetai's House, Hikutaia.  
 Runanga House, Otahu, Whangamata.  
 Runanga House, Te Paritu, Whangamata.  
 The Courthouse, Waterford, Katikati.  
 Mete Raukawa's House, Peterehema, Tauranga.  
 Runanga House, Karikari, Tauranga.  
 Runanga House, Rangiwaea, Tauranga.  
 Runanga House, Waihaha, Taupo.  
 Runanga House, Otukou, Rotoaira.  
 Runanga House, Tapapa.  
 The Schoolhouse, Te Waotu.  
 Runanga House, Aotearoa (Wharepuhunga).  
 Runanga House, Maungatautari.  
 Runanga House, Waharoa.  
 Runanga House, Tauwhare.  
 Runanga House, Hukanui.  
 The Public Hall, Kihikihiki.  
 The Schoolhouse, Parawera.  
 Te Paehua's House, Mangaorongo.  
 Te Anga's House, Kopua, Waipa.  
 The Public Hall, Otorohanga.  
 The Public Hall, Te Kuiti.  
 Runanga House, Oparure.  
 Tawhaki's House, Te Miro-a-Huiaio.  
 Pepene Eketone's House, Mahoenui.  
 The Hall, Tiroa.  
 Workman's Hall, Ongarue.  
 Runanga House, Te Kopani.  
 Runanga House, Pukerimu.  
 The Courthouse, Kawhia.  
 Pouaka's House, Te Taharoa.  
 Runanga House, Marokopa.  
 Runanga House, Mania, Kawhia South.  
 Runanga House, Raoraokauere, Aotea.  
 The Courthouse, Raglan, Whangaroa.  
 Runanga House, Waitetuna.  
 Meeting House, Rangikaahu.  
 Meeting House, Ngatira.  
 Runanga House, Waingaro.  
 The Schoolhouse, Whatawhata.  
 Runanga House, Tangirau.  
 Runanga House, Waahi, Huntly.  
 Nikau Putere's House, Matahuru.  
 Runanga House, Taumata, Rangiriri.  
 The Courthouse, Te Paina, Mercer.  
 Runanga House, Mangatangi.  
 Runanga House, Mangere.  
 Runanga House, Mokau Heads.  
 The Public Hall, Urenui.  
 The Public Hall, Waitara.  
 Runanga House, Tarata.  
 The Schoolhouse, Punihio.  
 The Schoolhouse, Pihama.  
 The Courthouse, Manaia.  
 Reserve Agent's Office, Hawera.  
 Runanga House, Takere, Manutahi.  
 The Schoolhouse, Pariroa.  
 Runanga House, Whenuakura.

*Western Maori Electoral District—continued.*

Runanga House, Kaipo, Waitotara.  
 Runanga House, Kai-Iwi.  
 The Courthouse, Whanganui.  
 Runanga House, Parikino.  
 Runanga House, Koriniti.  
 Runanga House, Karatia.  
 Runanga House, Ranana.  
 The Schoolhouse, Hiruharama.  
 Mr. Manson's House, Pipiriki.  
 Runanga House, Utapu.  
 Runanga House, Tawata.  
 The Courthouse, Raetihi.  
 Runanga House, Kauangaroa, Whangaehu.  
 Runanga House, Whangaehu.  
 Forsythe's Meeting House, Mangamahu.  
 Runanga House, Ngatokorua, Murimotu.  
 Runanga House, Parapara, Field's Track.  
 The Schoolhouse, Moawhango.  
 Runanga House, Raketapauma.  
 Runanga House, Parewanui.  
 Runanga House, Pourewa, Rangitikei.  
 The Courthouse, Turakina.  
 Runanga House, Te Tikanga, Te Reureu.  
 Runanga House, Kakariki.  
 Runanga House, Oroua Bridge.  
 The Courthouse, Foxton.  
 The Schoolhouse, Shannon.  
 Runanga House, Poroutawhao.  
 Runanga House, Horowhenua.  
 Runanga House, Ohau.  
 The Courthouse, Otaki.  
 Runanga House, Waikanae.  
 Ferry Schoolhouse, Porirua.  
 The Courthouse, Lower Hutt.  
 Runanga House, Guntown.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tapu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Turua.  
 Runanga House, Whakatiwai.  
 The Courthouse, Tauranga.  
 Runanga House, Te Kakaho.  
 Ross's Hall, Tokaanu.  
 Retima Pekamu's House, Aria.  
 The Public Hall, Kakahi.  
 Runanga House, Retaruke (Wanganui River).  
 Runanga House, Te Maire (Wanganui River).  
 Purutaika Pura's House, Lower Onewhero.  
 The Schoolhouse, Tahuna, Waipipi.

*Western Maori Electoral District—continued.*

Pana Tirua's House, Putataka, Waikato Heads.  
 Runanga House, Tarere-ari.  
 The Courthouse, Pungarehu.  
 The Courthouse, Opunake.  
 Runanga House, Kaiwhaiki.  
 Taupo's House, Turanganui.  
 Runanga House, Awahuri.

*Southern Maori Electoral District—*

The Schoolhouse, Tuahiwi (Kaipoi), (principal).  
 The Schoolhouse, Wairau.  
 The Courthouse, Havlock.  
 The Schoolhouse, Okoha.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waikawa.  
 The Courthouse, Motueka.  
 The Courthouse, Takaka.  
 The Courthouse, Westport.  
 The Courthouse, Hokitika.  
 The Schoolhouse, Mangamaunu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Port Levy.  
 The Schoolhouse, Wainui (Akaroa).  
 Runanga House, Taumutu.  
 The Schoolhouse, Rapaki.  
 The Schoolhouse, Wairewa.  
 The Public Hall, Morven (Waihae).  
 The Schoolhouse, Waitaki North.  
 The Schoolhouse, Taieri Ferry.  
 Runanga House, Moeraki.  
 The Schoolhouse, Otakou.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waikouaiti.  
 The Schoolhouse, Arowhenua.  
 The Courthouse, Campbelltown.  
 The Schoolhouse, Otake.  
 The Schoolhouse, The Neck, Stewart Island.  
 The Schoolhouse, Reomoana, Molyneux Bay.  
 The Schoolhouse, Whangarae (Croixelles).  
 Mr. Davidson's Store, Omihi (Kaikoura).  
 The Schoolhouse, Jacob's River.  
 The Schoolhouse, Ruapuke.  
 The Schoolhouse, Fortrose.  
 The Courthouse, Riverton.  
 The Schoolhouse, Waewae Bay (French Pass).

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor,  
 this thirty-first day of October, one thousand  
 nine hundred and eight.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.