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J. C. LAMBTON CARTER,
Superintendent.

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PROCLAMATION.

By JOHN CHILTON LAMBTON CARTER, Esq.,
Superintendent of the Province of
Hawke's Bay, in the Islands of New
Zealand.

WHEREAS By an Act of the General
Assembly of New Zealand, intituled
"The Provincial Reserves Bills Act, 1858,"
it is provided that no Bill reserved for the
signification of the Governor's pleasure shall
have any force within the Province, until
the Superintendent shall signify as therein
specified, that it has been laid before the Go-
vernor, and that his Excellency has assented
to the same: And whereas an Act, intituled
"Provincial Auditors' Salary Act" was pas-
sed by the Provincial Council of Hawke's
Bay during its Fourth Session, but reserved
by me for the Signification of the Governor's
pleasure thereon.

Now therefore I, John Chilton Lambton
Carter, Do hereby Proclaim and Notify that
the above-mentioned Act has been duly laid
before his Excellency the Governor, and
having Received his Assent, is, under the
Provisions of the Act of the General Assem-
bly before referred to, in Force within the
Province of Hawke's Bay from the date of
this Proclamation.

Dated this Twenty-ninth day of
March, in the Year of Our
Lord, One Thousand, Eight
Hundred and Sixty-two.

J. C. LAMBTON CARTER,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Napier, March 29, 1862.

THE following extract from the
*General Government Ga-
zette* of Feb. 28, 1862, is publish-
ed for general information.

J. C. LAMBTON CARTER,
Superintendent.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 28th Feb., 1862.

IT is hereby notified that the Speaker of
the Provincial Council of the Province
of Hawke's Bay has reported that in pursu-
ance of the "Provincial Audit Act, 1861",
he has duly appointed

GEORGE EDWARD GORDON RICHARDSON
to be Auditor of Public Accounts of the Pro-
vince of Hawke's Bay, and

WILLIAM SMITH

to be Deputy Auditor of Public Accounts of
that Province, those gentlemen having been
nominated by the Superintendent and Pro-
vincial Council of Hawke's Bay to these re-
spective offices.

(Signed) HENRY SEWELL,
In the absence of Mr. Fox.

ABSTRACT of Works executed under the charge of the Director of Works from 1st July to 31st December 1861.

NAME OF WORK.	AMOUNT.			TOTALS.			REMARKS.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>Hastings-street—</i>							
Payment to Contractor	99	12	6				14 chains formed and metalled, completing the worst portion of the road between Napier and Tareha's creek bridge.
				99	12	6	
<i>Shakspeare-road—</i>							
Payment to Contractor	369	0	0				10 chains of Shakspeare-road, widened, formed, and metalled, and 7 chains formed over mud flat. This work has been much retarded by the large quantity of soil absorbed in the mud in some parts 14ft. deep.
Labor and materials for Bridge	30	7	2				This bridge has been completed and opened for traffic since 1st Feb. and has stood the test of two heavy freshets.
				399	7	3	
<i>Meanee Bridge—</i>							
Payment to Contractor	430	0	0				
Removal of Pile Engine, timber for extension of Bridge, &c.	74	4	0				
				504	4	0	
<i>Waghorn-street—</i>							
Payments to Contractor	125	0	0				13 chains formed and metalled, & the stone wall completed along the whole line of road.
Timber for Bridge, and labor on stone wall	52	12	3				As the approach roads to any new site cannot be formed and metalled between the next session of the Provincial Council and the wet season, the road from the old ferry-house to the present site should be trimmed and receive a thin coating of shingle to render it passable for the coming winter.
				177	12	3	
<i>Waipureku Ferry—</i>							
Sundries	37	0	6				Repairs
				37	0	6	Repairs
<i>Petane Road—Wages</i>							Widening approach from Milton-road, about 8 chains.
							Preparations for sitting of Supreme Court, &c.
<i>Awatoto Road—Wages</i>							Building completed and mast provided for wind and rain gauges
							Force-pump and fittings for Carlyle-st. well, and sundry repairs
<i>Hospital Road—Wages</i>							Shed on Eastern Spit for Surf Boat.
							This work has been much delayed thro' the difficulty in obtaining timber, but the whole is now delivered, and the building fast approaching completion.
PUBLIC BUILDINGS—							
Government Offices	32	4	7				This Building is finished, with an office for the District Surveyor attached
Observatory	76	3	6				
Public Wells	23	10	10				
Boat Shed	48	0	0				
				179	18	11	
<i>Napier Gaol—</i>							
Excavating Foundations	80	18	0				
Approach Road	11	0	0				
Payment to Contractor	350	0	0				
				441	18	0	
<i>Court-house, Waipawa—</i>							
	177	2	6				
				177	2	6	
HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS—							
Filling and discharging punts	1230	12	0				The total expenditure for the half-year has been £2,869 16s. 1d., but of this £162 1s. 10d. is on account of new machinery and timber framing to carry it, leaving £2,507 14s. 3d. as the sum expended on the works in the harbor for this period, and if from this, the items for timber, iron-work, and labor on account of breastworks and Jetty are deducted, there remains the sum of £1,591 7s. 5d. as the total cost of the dredging operations for six months, for which sum there has been raised 17,500 tons of shingle at a cost of, say, 1s. 10d. per ton, including removal to reclaimed land, being about 1s. 1d. per ton for dredging, and 9d. per ton for discharging & wheeling—prices which will bear favorable comparison with the cost of dredging at any other port. The cost per ton on the Tyne, as reported in the <i>Engineer</i> of 22nd Feb., 1861 being 3½d. per ton, which if corrected for the difference in price of labor and coals at Napier, would be 1s 11½d. per ton. Hence, prices of coals and labor at both places, being equalized, we have—Cost per ton at Newcastle, with every advantage of improved machinery and extensive operations—say, 1s. 11½d. Cost per ton at Napier, with work on very limited scale, and with gear that was only intended to serve until better could be obtained—say 1s. 10d. That the work has been done at so cheap a rate is owing to the very favorable nature of the ground. The entrance to the inner harbor has been increased in depth from 5ft. to 10ft. at low water, and to twice its width at the time dredging was commenced. The piling on the South side of the entrance requires extending another 100ft. to render the work secure; & the piling on the Custom House side is necessary to give effect to the work already done.
Coals	284	2	8				
Tools, Rope, and sundries	51	2	9				
Boat	13	0	0				
Repairs to Punts	12	10	0				
Timber for breastwork, &c.	505	4	1				
Ironwork	143	14	5				
Labor on stone and timber breastwork	210	4	4				
Labor on Jetty and approach	57	4	0				
Machinery from England	90	17	4				
Machinery from Sydney	12	9	8				
Timber for framing to carry new gear	58	14	10				
				2669	16	1	
Total				4704	19	7	

Napier, 6th March, 1862.

E. G. WRIGHT, Director of Works.

RETURN shewing the Lands Sold ; Assessments on Runs ; and Crown Grant Fees received at the Crown Land Office at Napier ; together with the nett Amount due to the Province of Hawke's Bay for the period from the 1st to the 28th February, 1862, inclusive.

Date.	No. of Appli- cation.	Name of Applicant.	District.	Area of Land purchased.			Rate per Acre.	Amount.			Area of Unagri- cultural Land to go to Auction at 5s. an acre.			Rate per Acre.	Amount of De- posit.			REMARKS.
				A.	R.	P.		£	s.	d.	A.	R.	P.		£	s.	d.	
1862																		
Feb. 3	1085	Thomas Mason	Maraekakaho	50	0	0	10s.	25	0	0								
8	1086	Triphook and Wright	Waipawa	60	0	0	10s.	30	0	0								
8	851	F. J. Tiffen	Mangakuri				5s. $\frac{1}{4}$ d.	18	11	6 $\frac{1}{2}$								
8	851	Rhodes and Chapman	Mangakuri	1520	0	0	5s.	380	0	0								Deposit 10 per c. advance at Auction.
11	1087	Alexander Grant	Ruataniwha	50	0	0	10s.	25	0	0								
13	1062	A. H. Russell	Mangakuri	2000	0	0	4s. 6d.	450	0	0								Balance 9-10ths at Auc.
15	1088	Triphook and Wright	Meanee	94	0	0	10s.	47	0	0								
		<i>Assessments on Runs.</i>																
3		John Johnston	Ruataniwha 728a. @ $\frac{1}{2}$ d for '61	3774	0	0		975	11	6 $\frac{1}{2}$								
3		Wm. Couper	Kauranaki 4840a. " "					1	10	4								
3		Thomas Williams	Ahuriri 9000a. $\frac{1}{4}$ d "					8	2	6								Balance
4		A. G. Tollemache	Ruataniwha 2539a. " "					1	9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$								Balance
11		J. H. Northwood	Pourerere, 47,511a. " "					98	19	7 $\frac{1}{2}$								
11		F. F. Ormond	Maraekakaho, for 1861					6	6	2 $\frac{1}{4}$								
19		G. D. and J. Monteith	Oero " "					1	7	3								Balance
24		Richardson and Troutbeck	Ahuriri " "					25	12	11								
		G. E. G. Richardson and others Crown Grant Fees, £2						1129	1	9 $\frac{3}{4}$								
		Deduct salary of Receiver of Land Revenue						6	5	0								
								1122	16	9 $\frac{3}{4}$								
		Deduct one-sixth due to the General Government						187	2	9 $\frac{1}{2}$								
		Nett Balance due to the Province of Hawke's Bay						£935	14	0 $\frac{1}{4}$								

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Crown Land, Office, Napier,
5th March, 1862.

H. S. TIFFEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

RETURN OF CATTLE SLAUGHTERED in the NAPIER DISTRICT, from 1st to 28th
FEBRUARY, 1862, (inclusively).

PLACE OF SLAUGHTER.	GREAT CATTLE.	SHEEP.	PIGS.	CALVES.	TOTAL.
At NAPIER	28	224	14	0	266
At CLIVE	1	46	2	0	49
At OTHER SLAUGHTERING PLACES	2	6	5	0	13
TOTAL	31	276	21	0	328

WILLIAM LANGFORD,
Inspector of Slaughter-houses.