



# NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

[PROVINCE OF OTAGO.]

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By His Honor's Command,

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS, Provincial Secretary.

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[No 11.]

## PROCLAMATION.

By His Honor WILLIAM CARROLL, Esquire,  
Superintendent of the Province of  
Otago.

WHEREAS by the Public "Roads Ordinance," passed in the first Session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, No. 10, it is inter alia enacted, that the Superintendent shall divide the whole Province into Districts for the purposes of the said Ordinance; and that, previous to finally fixing the boundaries of the Districts he intends to form, their boundaries, and the Roads, or portions of Roads, intended to be under the care of the Trustees of each District; and in the said Notice shall appoint a day on which he will hear any complaint or suggestion which may be offered in regard to the extent of the boundaries of the Roads intended to be under the care of the Trustees of such Districts; and the said Superintendent shall finally fix and determine such Districts as aforesaid.

And whereas in terms of a Notice in the Gazette and newspaper, a public meeting was held at the Mechanics' Institution, Dunedin, on the 11th day of July current, for the hearing any complaint or suggestion in terms of said Ordinance.

NOW THEREFORE, I, the Superintendent of the said Province, do proclaim and declare the said Province to be divided into the following Districts, namely,—

### No. 1.—NORTH-EAST VALLEY DISTRICT.

This District comprises the District of the same name, as delineated on the public map.

### No. 2.—WAKARA DISTRICT.

This District comprises the District of the same name, as delineated on the suburban selection maps of the Settlement; the Upper Kaikorai District; Sections No. 1 to 17 inclusive of the Lower Kaikorai District, and from thence in a straight line, being the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 50, Block VI. Town District, until it joins the boundary at Section No. 75, Block VI. Town District; and from thence along the south-western boundary line of Nos. 76, 77, 78, and 79, to No. 80; and from thence again to the Town Belt of Dunedin, so as to include the Sections numbered 80 to 90 inclusive, Block VI. Town District. From No. 21, Lower Kaikorai District, in a straight line running through the Trigonometrical Station on the Kaikorai hill until it joins Abbot's Creek, then following that stream to its source; and from thence again in a straight line to the south-western corner of Section No. 155, Wakara District.

### No. 3.—TOWN DISTRICT.

This District comprises that part of the District of the same name not included in the Wakara District No. 2, to a road line running south-east, in a right line from the Town Belt of Dunedin to the Ocean Beach; together with Sections numbered 18 to 85 inclusive of the

Lower Kaikorai District, and the Sections numbered 1 to 32 of the Ocean Beach District.

**No. 4.—ANDERSON'S BAY DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the District of the same name; also, that part of the original Town District lying to the east and north-east of the road line running south-east in a right line from the Town Belt of Dunedin to the Ocean Beach, together with the Tomahawk Valley District, to the Ocean.

**No. 5.—GREEN ISLAND DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the south-western part of the Lower Kaikorai District, from Section No. 33 to Abbot's Creek, together with the unsurveyed lands to the west and north-west to Abbot's Creek, not included in the Wakari District No. 2; the Green Island Bush District to the Kaikorai River, and the remainder of the Ocean Beach District not included in the Town District No. 3.

**No. 6.—EAST TAIERI DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the entire tract of country to the west and south-west of the Green Island Bush and Wakari Districts, commencing at the south-western extremity of Section No. 66 Wakari District, and taking from thence in a straight line running through the Trigonometrical Station on Flagstaff (Wakari hills) to the boundary of the Otago Block, then along the boundary of the Block to the Taieri River; from thence, making that river the boundary, to the Ocean, excluding the Taieri Native Reserve; from thence, taking the Ocean as the boundary, and from this point, to the boundaries of the Green Island and Wakari Districts, to No. 66 Wakari.

**No. 7.—WEST TAIERI DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the tract of country to the eastward of the Maunga-atua Mountains and Otago Block boundary, and extending to the Taieri, Waihola, and Waipori Rivers.

**No. 8.—TOKOMAIRIRO DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the tract of country within the Otago Block, south and west of the boundaries of the East and West Taieri Districts Nos. 6 and 7, and extending as far as a road line (and a continuation of the same right line to the boundary of the Block) running north-west, and forming the south-western boundary of the original Tokomairiro District, and of Sections Nos. 6 and 7, Block XLV., Nos. 6 and 7, Block XLIV., and No. 6, Block XXXIX, of that District. The above road line, with its continuation, will therefore form the south-western boundary of the present district to a point at Section No. 6 Block XXXIX, aforesaid, where a road line running south, and nearly direct from the Tuakitoto Lake, converges into it. From this point the latter road line will form the boundary to the Tuakitoto Lake—thence the Tuakitoto and Kaitangata Lakes, with their main streams or outlets, to the Clutha River—and thence the Clutha River to the Ocean.

**No. 9.—CLUTHA DISTRICT.**

This District comprises the tract of country from the boundaries of the Tokomairiro Dis-

trict No. 8, to the boundary of the Otago Block.

Given under my hand at Dunedin, in the Province of Otago aforesaid, this nineteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

W. CARGILL,

Superintendent.

By His Honor's Command,

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,

Provincial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

**NOTICE.**

WHEREAS by the Public "Roads Ordinance," passed in the first session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, No. 10, it is among other things enacted (Section 11)—That "the male inhabitants of each district, qualified by being above twenty-one years of age, and by having resided in the District at least three months previous to the meeting, shall meet on a day and at a place to be named by the Superintendent in a notice to be published in the Gazette, proclaiming the district to be under the operation of this Ordinance, and shall then and there nominate five of their own number to be Road Trustees for the District in which they shall reside, one of whom shall be named Convener of the District; and a majority of them shall always be a quorum; and such Trustees so elected shall be called the District Road Trustees, and shall remain in office till a new election shall take place."

Now therefore I, the Superintendent of the Province of Otago, hereby give notice, and call upon the parties qualified as aforesaid, to assemble and elect trustees as aforesaid, on the dates and at the places herein stated, and in each case to return to His Honor the Superintendent, the names of the Trustees so elected.

No. 1.—North-East Valley.—At the premises of Mr. David Calder, on Tuesday, the 1st day of August next, at 3 o'clock p.m.

No. 2.—Wakari.—At the premises of Mr. James Marshall, on Tuesday, the 1st day of August next, at 11 o'clock a.m.

No. 3.—Town.—In the Mechanics Institution, on the 2nd day of August at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 4.—Anderson's Bay.—At the premises of Mr. James E. Brown, on the 2nd day of August, at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 5.—Green Island Bush.—At the premises of Mr. W. Currie, on Monday, the 31st day of July inst., at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 6.—East Taieri.—At the premises of Mr. A. Todd, on the 18th day of August, at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 7.—West Taieri.—At the premises of Edward Lee, Esq., on the 19th day of August, at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 8.—Tokomairiro.—At the premises of Mr. James Smith, on the 30th day of August, at 12 o'clock noon.

No. 9.—Clutha.—At the premises of John Shaw, Esq., on the 31st day of August, at 1 o'clock p.m.

W. CARGILL,

Superintendent.

**DUNEDIN PUBLIC LANDS ORDINANCE.**

Passed 10th March, 1854.  
 Provincial Secretary's Office,  
 Dunedin, 18th July, 1854.

**HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT** directs the following Correspondence to be published for the information of the Board of Commissioners and satisfaction of the public.  
 By His Honor's Command,  
**WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,**  
 Provincial Secretary.

**SUPERINTENDENT of Otago to the Colonial Secretary,** of date the 10th March, 1854.

Sir,—In reply to your despatch as per margin, enclosing Memorial of the Members of the Provincial Council of Otago appealing against the appropriation of Moray Place—a public reserve in the Town of Dunedin—as the site of a proposed Episcopal Church, and calling upon me to furnish His Excellency administering the Government with my observations thereon.

I have the Honor to enclose the Otago Ordinance, Session I. No. 5, as containing, in its preamble and section 15, my deliberate opinion upon the subject, and the only further observations I could submit to His Excellency in regard to the opening of the reserve would be justly regarded by the Government of Dunedin as a similar proceeding at home would be regarded in respect of Moray Place, Edinburgh, or St. James' Square, London. The Memorial is herewith returned.

I have the honor, &c.,  
**W. CARGILL,**  
 Superintendent.

**Colonial Secretary to the Superintendent of Otago,** of date the 1st June, 1854.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Honor's despatch dated 15th March last, received on the 25th ult., relative to the Memorial of the Otago Provincial Council against the appropriation of Moray-place, a public reserve in Dunedin, as the site of a proposed Episcopal Church; and in reply, His Excellency the Officer administering the Government begs to inform your Honor that His Excellency will not consent to the appropriation against which the Memorialists appeal, and in the same directions that Moray-place be reserved as a public reserve, in strict conformity with the purpose for which it was originally intended.

I have the honor, &c.,  
 (Signed) **ANDREW SINCLAIR,**  
 Colonial Secretary.

**Amount of Notes in Circulation at the office of the Colonial Bank of Issue, at Wellington, on the 1st day of April, 1854, being the close of the preceding four weeks:**

|                |                   |
|----------------|-------------------|
| £5 and upwards | ... £4,440        |
| Under £5       | ... 2,788         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>... £7,228</b> |

**Total Amount of Coin held by the same office on the same day:—**

|              |                   |
|--------------|-------------------|
| Gold         | ... £5,289        |
| Silver       | ... 65            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>... £5,354</b> |

I, Alexander Shepherd, the Colonial Treasurer,

do hereby certify that the above is a true account, as required by the Ordinance, No. 16, Session 8.

**A. SHEPHERD,**  
 Colonial Treasurer.

Dated at Auckland, this 19th day of April, 1854.

**AMOUNT** of the Notes in circulation at the Office of the Colonial Bank of Issue, at Wellington, on the 29th April, 1854:—

Amount of Notes in Circulation on the 29th day of April, 1854, being the close of the preceding four weeks, viz.:

|                |                    |
|----------------|--------------------|
| £5 and upwards | ... £13,810        |
| Under £5       | ... 17,246         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>... £31,056</b> |

**Total amount of Coin held by the same office on the same day, viz.:**

|              |                    |
|--------------|--------------------|
| Gold         | ... £16,457        |
| Silver       | ... 564            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>... £17,021</b> |

I, Henry St. Hill, being the Acting Manager of the said Bank, do hereby certify that the above is a true account of the Notes in circulation, and of the Coins held by the said office as required under Ordinance, No. 16, Session VIII.

**HENRY ST. HILL,**  
 Acting Manager.

Colonial Bank of Issue, Wellington, 29th April, 1854.

The sum of Fifteen Thousand Pounds sterling has been invested, under the Warrant of His Excellency the Governor, in the public funds in England, through the Commissariat Department, by arrangements made through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.—H. St. H.

**AMOUNT** of the Notes in circulation at the Office of the Colonial Bank of Issue, at Wellington, on the 27th May, 1854:—

Amount of Notes in circulation on the 27th day of May, 1854, being the close of the preceding four weeks, viz.:

|                |                    |
|----------------|--------------------|
| £5 and upwards | ... £13,660        |
| Under £5       | ... 18,894         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>... £32,554</b> |

**Total Amount of Coin held by the same office on the same day, viz.:**

|              |                    |
|--------------|--------------------|
| Gold         | ... £17,171        |
| Silver       | ... 383            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>... £17,554</b> |

I, Henry St. Hill, being the Acting Manager of the said Bank, do hereby certify that the above is a true account of the Notes in circulation, and of the Coins held by the said office as required under Ordinance, No. 16, Session VIII.

**H. ST. HILL,**  
 Acting Manager.

Colonial Bank of Issue, Wellington, 27th May, 1854.

The sum of Fifteen Thousand Pounds sterling has been invested, under the Warrant of His Excellency the Governor, in the public funds in England, through the Commissariat Department, by arrangements made through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

**A** MOUNT of the Notes in circulation at the Office of the Colonial Bank of Issue, at Wellington, on the 24th June, 1854:—

Amount of Notes in circulation on the 24th day of June, 1854, being the close of the preceding four weeks, viz.:

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| £5 and upwards | £18,815 |
| Under £5       | 19,680  |
|                | £38,495 |

Total Amount of Coin held by the same office on the same day, viz.:

|        |         |
|--------|---------|
| Gold   | £13,206 |
| Silver | 159     |
|        | £13,365 |

I, Henry St. Hill, being the Acting Manager of the said Bank, do hereby certify that the

above is a true account of the Notes in circulation, and of the Coins held by the said office as required under Ordinance, No. 16, Session VIII.

P.P. HENRY ST. HILL,  
Acting Manager.  
HENRY ST. HILL

Colonial Bank of Issue,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1854.

The sum of Twenty Thousand Pounds sterling has been invested, under the Warrant of His Excellency the Governor, in the public funds in England, through the Commissariat Department, by arrangements made through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.