



OTAGO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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W. CARGILL, Superintendent.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1859.

[No. 90.]

PROCLAMATION.

I, WILLIAM CARGILL, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago, New Zealand, in pursuance of the authority in me vested in that behalf, do hereby fix and proclaim that the Eighth Session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Otago aforesaid, shall be holden, within the School-house, in Dunedin in the said Province, and shall commence upon TUESDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of October next, at 12 o'clock noon, and the Members of the said Council are hereby warned to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, the Twenty-sixth day of August, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine.

W. CARGILL,
Superintendent.

DUNEDIN TOWN BOARD.

ELECTION OF ONE PERSON A MEMBER OF THE TOWN BOARD.

IN pursuance of the "Dunedin Town Board Ordinance," Sess. II., No. 23 A, I, the Superintendent of the Province of Otago, do hereby appoint the Electors entitled to vote for Members for the Town of Dunedin, in the Provincial Council of Otago, to assemble upon MONDAY, the 10th day of October 1859, at 12 o'clock noon, within the Hall of the Mechanics' Institution, Princes Street, Dunedin, for the purpose of Electing One Person to be a Member of the said Town Board, in room of Mr. J. C. Carnegie, deceased.

And further, in pursuance of said Ordinance, I hereby appoint JOHN GILLIES, Esquire, of Dunedin, Returning Officer, to preside at said Meeting: and in the event of a Poll being demanded, I hereby appoint the Polling to take place in the said Hall of the Mechanics' Institution, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of October 1859.

W. CARGILL,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 20th September 1859.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 16th August 1859.

THE following Statement of Accepted and Non-accepted Tenders is published for general information :—

DESCRIPTION OF WORKS TENDERED FOR.	NAME OF PARTIES TENDERING.	AMOUNT OF ACCEPTED TENDERS.	AMOUNT OF NON-ACCEPTED TENDERS.
Constructing 21 Chains of Road Line in Port Chalmers.	G. M. Aldrich	£375 Os. Od. for Road. For Culverts, extra per lineal yard, 15 inches £1 Os. Od., 18 do. £1 5s. Od., 24 do. £1 10s. Od.	
Constructing 105 Chains of Road from Port Chalmers to the foot of the Hill at Sawyer's Bay.	Richard Lean		£670 Os. Od. for Road. For Culverts, extra per lineal yard, 20s., for Bridges £15 each.
Ditto.	G. M. Aldrich		£1010 Os. Od. for Road. For Culverts, extra per lineal yard, 15 inches £1 Os. Od., 18 do. £1 5s. Od., 24 do. £1 10s. Od.
Constructing Road Line from Sawyer's Bay to North-east Valley, 390 chains.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Erecting Assistant Pilot's House at the Heads.	James Scott.	£115 Os. Od.	

By Order,

JOHN LOGAN,
Clerk to Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 30th August 1859.

THE following TENDERS have been received, and are published for general information :—

DESCRIPTION OF WORKS TENDERED FOR.	NAMES OF PARTIES TENDERING.	AMOUNT OF ACCEPTED TENDERS.	AMOUNT OF NON-ACCEPTED TENDERS.
Erecting a Stage for the Landing of Timber, &c., Dunedin Jetty.	And. Bell & Co.	£350 Os. Od.	
Erecting Addition to Hospital	Henry Honor & James Lowe	£114 10s. Od.	
Ditto.	W. Buskin & J. Emery		£130 Os. Od.
Ditto.	Robert Fenwick		130 Os. Od.
Ditto.	James Scott		135 12s. Od.
Erecting Public Embankment at the entrance of the Jetty, Dunedin.	John Barnes		£400 Os. Od.

By Order,

JOHN LOGAN,
Clerk to Superintendent.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Court of Claims, Otago, 20th September 1859.

PURSUANT to the "Land Claims Settlement Act, 1856," and the "Land Claims Settlement Extension Act, 1858," the Claims specified in the annexed Schedule will be investigated in open Court, at Dunedin, on MONDAY, the 10th day of October next, and following days, at which time and place the Claimant and all parties interested are required to attend, with their witnesses and the original deeds or documents relating to their respective claims.

W. H. CUTTEN.

SCHEDULE.

Claimant.	No. of Acres claimed.	Where Situate.	Nature of Claim.
George Green	2000	Centre Island, Off Kowokkapittipit.	This was an Original Claim, No. 1. Commissioners Godfrey and Richmond reported, 21st December 1843, that claimant had not appeared pursuant to notice, and recommended No Grant. The excuse for non-appearance now deemed sufficient, and George Green admitted to prove his claim.
George Green	20,000	Stewart's Island.	This was an Original Claim, No. 2, and is in the same position as the above.
George Green	20,000	Kowokkapittipit Bay.	This was an Original Claim, No. 3, and is in the same position as the above.
George Green	109	The Bluff.	This was an Original Claim, No. 4, and is in the same position as the above.
George Green	1,024,000	West Coast, Wankerpeto, Mistaken Bay.	This was an Original Claim, No. 5, and is in the same position as the above.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, 20th September 1859.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT directs the re-publication of the following Notices from the "New Zealand Gazette," of 18th, 25th and 27th July, and 8th August 1859, respectively.

By order,

JOHN LOGAN,
Clerk to Superintendent.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 18th July, 1859.

THE following Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in the Session held in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

No. 70—"An Act to provide for the establishment of New Provinces in New Zealand,"

having been laid before the Queen, in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution Act, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to leave the same to its operation.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GOËRE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the fifteenth and sixteenth years of Her

Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand," it is amongst other things enacted that no Bill which shall be reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, shall have any force or authority within the Colony of New Zealand until the Governor of the said colony shall signify by speech or message to the Legislative Council and House of Representatives of the said Colony, or by Proclamation that such Bill has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same:

And whereas on the nineteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, certain Bills passed by the Legislative Council and House of Representatives of the said Colony, intituled respectively

"An Act for granting a Duty upon Gold,"

"An Act to make provision for the management of Gold Fields in the Colony of New Zealand,"

and

"An Act to enable the Provincial Councils to pass Laws for diverting Public Roads and Watercourses and for disposing of the Land over which the same passed,"

were presented to the Governor of the said Colony for Her Majesty's assent, and on the twenty-first day of the said month of August certain other Bills passed by the said Legislative Council and House of Representatives intituled respectively

"An Act to alter the sums granted to Her

Majesty by the Constitution Act for civil and judicial services,"

and

"An Act to amend the Law defining and settling the rights of holders of Land Orders and Land Scrip,"

were presented to the said Governor for Her Majesty's assent; and whereas all the said Bills were reserved by the said Governor for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon:

Now, therefore, I, the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance of the provisions of the said in part recited Act, do by this Proclamation signify and proclaim to all to whom it may concern that the said Bills have been severally laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony of New Zealand, at Government House, at Auckland, this twenty-second day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

THOMAS GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's Command,

HENRY JOHN TANCRED.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 25th July, 1859.

THE following Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in the Session held in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

No. 39—"An Act to bring into operation within the Colony of New Zealand, certain provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854."

having been laid before the Queen, in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution Act, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to leave the same to its operation.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
For the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 27th July, 1859.

THE following Acts passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in the Session held in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

No. 41—"An Act to regulate the Local Affairs of Native Districts."

No. 42—"An Act to make better provision for the Administration of Justice in Native Districts,"

having been laid before the Queen, in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution Act, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to leave the same to their operation.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
For the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 27th July, 1859.

THE following Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in the Session held in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled—

No. 80—"An Act to enable the Native Tribes of New Zealand to have their Territorial Rights ascertained, and to authorize the issue in certain cases of Crown Grants to Natives,"

which Act was reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, having been laid before the Queen in conformity with the provisions of the Constitution Act, Her Majesty has been pleased to withhold Her assent to the same.

HENRY JOHN TANCRED,
For the Colonial Secretary.

Registrar-General's Office,
Auckland, July 28th, 1859.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and entitled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following Name of an additional OFFICIATING MINISTER, within the meaning of the said Act, is published for general information:—

Free Church of Scotland,

The Rev. ALEXANDER BRUCE TODD (Otago).

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing NAME of an OFFICIATING MINISTER within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," has been sent in to me, in addition to the Names in Lists published respectively in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 5, of the 27th of January; No. 7, of the 19th of February, No. 10, of the 19th of March; No. 11, of the 5th April; No. 14, of the 29th April, and No. 16, of the 31st of May, in the present year.

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this twenty-eighth day of July, 1859.

JOHN B. BENNETT,
Registrar-General.