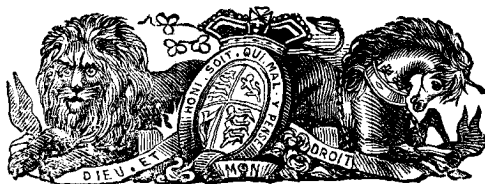


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[WITH SUPPLEMENT.]

PROCLAMATION.

Of the Municipality of Alexandra.

By His Honor JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Otago, made and passed in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "An Ordinance to amend the Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that it should be lawful for the Superintendent of the Province of Otago, with the advice of his Executive Council, and he was thereby authorised and required, on the Petition of not less than Fifty Persons, comprising a majority of the householders resident in any Township within the Province, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette* of the said Province, to extend the Provisions of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," to such Township, by such name or incorporation as he should deem fit, with such modification as to the names and numbers of the members of such proposed Corporation, and the Office-bearers thereof, and any other municipal matters and regulations as should seem to such Superintendent and his Executive Council suitable for the area and population of such Municipality; and in accordance with such Petition, or otherwise, should define the boundaries of the Municipality so created, and declare the number of Wards into which such Municipality might be divided, and define the boundaries of such Wards respectively, and declare which of the provisions of the said Ordinance should be applicable to and within the limits of such Municipality: And whereas a Petition of Fifty-two Persons, comprising a majority of the Householders resident in the Township of Alexandra, in the said Province of Otago, has been presented to me, James Macandrew, as Superintendent of the said Province, praying that the provisions of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," may be extended to the said Township;—Now, therefore I, James Macandrew, Superintendent of the said Province, with the

advice of my Executive Council, and in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare, that from and after the day of the date hereof, the provisions of the said "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," specified in the first Schedule hereto, shall extend to the said Township of Alexandra by and under the name of the Corporation of the Town of Alexandra, and shall be applicable to and within the Municipality hereby created. And I do, with the like advice of my said Executive Council, proclaim and declare that such of the said provisions as are contained in the sections of the said last-mentioned Ordinance, specified in the first column of the second Schedule hereto, shall extend to the said Township, and be applicable to the Municipality hereby created, with and subject to the respective modifications contained herein, and in the second column of the said second Schedule hereto. And I hereby, with the advice of my said Executive Council, proclaim and declare that the boundaries of the Municipality hereby created shall be those specified in the third Schedule hereto. And I do hereby, with the advice of my said Executive Council, declare that the said Municipality hereby created shall be divided into two Wards, to be known respectively as Manuherkia Ward and Clutha Ward, and that the boundaries of the said Wards shall be those respectively defined in the fourth Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

The Sections of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," containing the provisions of the said Ordinance, extended to and applicable within the Incorporated Town of Alexandra, that is to say, Sections numbered 6 to 11, both inclusive; Sections numbered 13 to 27, both inclusive; Sections numbered 29 to 97, both inclusive; Sections numbered 99 to 113, both inclusive, and Sections numbered 116 and 122 respectively.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Sections of the "Otago Municipal Corporations Ordinance, 1865," applicable to the Incorporated Town of

Alexandra, with respective modifications set opposite the numbers of the Sections.

NUMBERS OF SECTIONS.	MODIFICATIONS.
Section Five	The style shall be "The Corporation of the Town of Alexandra," instead of "The Corporation of the City of Dunedin."
Section Twelve	Instead of "each of the said four several Wards of the City of Dunedin," the following modification, "each of the said two several Wards of the Incorporated Town of Alexandra."
Section Twenty-eight	Instead of the words "City of Dunedin," in this Section, the words "the Incorporated Town of Alexandra."
Section Ninety-eight	Instead of the words "one hundred thousand pounds" in this Section, the words "ten thousand pounds."

THIRD SCHEDULE.

Boundaries of the Incorporated Town of Alexandra, as delineated on the Record Maps of the said Town, deposited in the Survey Office in Dunedin, in the said Province.

All that area in the Province of Otago, containing by admeasurement eight hundred and forty-eight (848) acres, more or less, situate at the junction of the Clutha and Manuherikia Rivers, being the Town of Alexandra, bounded towards the north-west by Block VII, Leaning Rock District, eleven thousand nine hundred and nineteen (11,919) links; towards the north-east by Block VII, Leaning Rock District, seven thousand six hundred and fifteen (7,615) links; towards the east by the Manuherikia River, eight thousand eight hundred (8,800) links; and towards the south by the Clutha River, eleven thousand (11,000) links.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Ward Boundaries, Incorporated Town of Alexandra.

Manuherikia Ward comprises all that area in the Township of Alexandra, situate to the north-east of a line extending along the centre of Crookhaven street, and Tarbert street.

Clutha Ward comprises all that area in the Township of Alexandra, situate to the south-west of a line extending along the centre of Crookhaven street, and Tarbert street.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Otago, at Dunedin, this twentieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

JAMES MACANDREW, Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,
GEO. DUNCAN, Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

Of certain Land in the Tokomairiro District in the Province of Otago, having been reserved for a Municipal Estate for the Incorporated Town of Milton

By His Honor JAMES MACANDREW, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Otago.

WHEREAS the Provincial Council of Otago have, under and by virtue of Section 62, of the "Otago Waste Lands Act, 1866," recommended that the Land hereinafter described should be reserved for a Municipal Estate for the Incorporated Town of Milton, and it is expedient that the said Land should be so

reserved for that purpose:—Now, therefore, I, James Macandrew, Esquire, Superintendent, of the Province of Otago, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me in this behalf, do hereby publish and declare that I have made and dedicated the Land hereinafter described, a Reserve for a Municipal Estate for the Incorporated Town of Milton, henceforth to be known as the "Milton Municipal Estate," that is to say,—

All that area in the Province of Otago containing by admeasurement, two hundred and seventy-one (271) acres, two (2) roods and twenty-six (26) poles, more or less, situate in the Tokomairiro District, being sections numbered respectively, one hundred and forty-eight (148), block eighteen (18), and one hundred and forty nine (149), one hundred and fifty (150), one hundred fifty-one (151), and one hundred and fifty-two (152), block nineteen (19), on the map of the said district, bounded towards the north-west by section numbered one hundred and forty-seven (147), block eighteen (18), three thousand seven hundred and twenty (3720) links, also, by a road line one thousand five hundred and twenty (1520), links, and three thousand nine hundred and sixty (3960) links, towards the north-east by section numbered one hundred and fifty-three (153), block nineteen (19), four thousand (4000) links, by a road line one thousand seven hundred and fifty (1750) links, also, by section numbered twenty-nine (29), block one (1), Akatore district, one thousand one hundred and fifty (1150) links, toward the south-east by a road line one thousand nine hundred and sixty (1960) links, by sections numbered respectively twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), and thirty-six (36), block one (1), Akatore district, three thousand nine hundred and sixty (3960) links, also, by the said section numbered twenty-nine (29), four thousand one hundred and twenty (4120) links, towards the south by the Tokomairiro river, three thousand one hundred (3100) links, towards the south-west by a road line two thousand three hundred (2300) links, and towards the west by the Tokomairiro river, five thousand one hundred (5100) links, and intersected by four (4) road lines, each fifty (50) links wide.

Dated this twentieth day of May, 1867.

JAMES MACANDREW,
Superintendent.

OAMARU CEMETERY.—His Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has appointed

Mr. THOMAS DUNN

to be a Manager of the said Cemetery.

GEORGE DUNCAN,
Provincial Secretary.

16th May, 1867.

HAWKSURRY CEMETERY.—His Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified that he has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen, viz.,

JOHN SMITH
WILLIAM MILL
JOHN DRUMM
JABEZ CHAMBERS
EDWARD WITT DURDEN
RENJAMIN BRAY

to be Managers of the Reserve set aside by the "Cemeteries' Ordinance, 1865," for the purpose of a Public Cemetery in Hawksbury.

GEORGE DUNCAN,
Provincial Secretary.

16th May, 1867.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE WASTE LAND BOARD APPOINTED.

HIS HONOR the Superintendent directs it to be notified that by virtue of the powers conferred on him by the "Otago Waste Lands Act, 1866," he has by warrants under his hand appointed

GEORGE DUNCAN, Esquire,

Secretary of Public Works for the Province of Otago ;
and

ALEXANDER MOLLISON, Esquire,

of Waihola, a member of the Executive Council of the
said Province, to be Commissioners of the Waste Lands
Board of the Province of Otago."

JOHN LOGAN,

Secretary to Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Dunedin, May 22, 1867.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS taken at DUNEDIN, for the Month of APRIL, 1867.

Lat. 45° 52' 11" S. Long. 170° 31' 7" E.

Altitude above Sea, 550 feet.

Barometer (reduced to 32° Fah. and sea level.

Mean atmospheric pressure for month 30.176 inches

Highest pressure (on 25th) ... 30.461 "

Lowest pressure (on 17th) ... 29.675 "

Range for month ... 0.786 "

Temperature in Shade.

Aprox. mean temperature for month 53.8 Fah.

Mean maximum temperature... 61.3 "

Mean minimum temperature... 46.3 "

Mean daily range of temperature ... 15.1 "

Highest maxim. temperature (recorded
on 28th)... 70.0 "

Lowest minim. temperature (on 11th) 39.0 "

Extreme range for the month ... 31.0 "

Terrestrial Radiation.

Maximum (on 18th) ... 49 "

Minimum (on 16th) ... 31 "

Mean for month ... 40 "

Mean degree of humidity)

(Saturation, 100) ...)

Mean elast. force of vapour) Computed from
the 9.30,
4.30 p.m. and
9.30 observations { 78.8 "

Mean temp. of dew point) { 30.8 inches

Total rainfall on 6 days ... { 45.6 Fah.

Greatest rainfall in one day (the 6th) ... { .654 inches

Mean amount of sky covered (overcast,
10)... { .282 "

10)... { 5

Wind: Mean velocity per day for month 148 miles

Greatest velocity observed for 24 hours

(on 12th) ... 300 "

Number of days on which the wind blew from each
point at 9.30 a.m. :—

N. N.E. E. S.E. S. S.W. W. N.W. Calm.

2 2 2 0 2 3 4 0 15

REMARKS.—Fog occurred on 3rd and 29th. The
results noted, where the dates are given, were recorded
at the morning observations, and therefore occurred
during the previous 24 hours.

HENRY SKEY.

MUNICIPALITY OF LAWRENCE.— Statement of Probable Income and Expendi- ture for the Years 1867-8 :—

Income.

Balance of Rates due for 1866	-	-	£50	0	0
Estimated Rates for 1867	-	-	300	0	0
Government Subsidy	-	-	650	0	0
Cash on hand	-	-	87	3	0
			£1,037	3	0

Expenditure.

Salaries	-	-	£150	0	0
Rent and Stationery	-	-	30	0	0
Due on Works in Progress	-	-	300	0	0
Proposed Expenditure on Public Works	-	-	600	0	0
			£1,080	0	0

Probable deficiency - - £42 17 0

HORACE BASTINGS,
Mayor.

Council Chambers, Lawrence, April 20, 1867,

THE following is a Return showing the Approximate
Estimate of Income and Expenditure, Year
ending 1867.

MUNICIPALITY OF PORT CHALMERS.

Dr.	Income :	£	s.	d.
To Rates, year ending 1867	- - -	450	0	0
„ Bonus from Government	- - -	900	0	0
„ Rent, Municipal Estate	- - -	100	0	0
„ Do. Quarry	- - -	50	0	0
		£1,500	0	0

Cr. Expenditure :

By Salaries, Clerk and Dayman	- - -	180	0	0
„ Stationery	- - -	10	0	0
„ Cleaning and Lighting Office	- - -	25	0	0
„ Making and Repairing Streets, &c.	- - -	1,235	0	0
		£1,500	0	0

GEORGE L. ASHER,
Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Port Chalmers,
May 8th, 1867.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Otago and Southland District. }

In the matter of the Petition of JOHN SWITZER, of
Princes street, Dunedin, in the Province of Otago,
New Zealand, Boot and Shoe Importer, a Bank-
rupt; and in the matter of the "Debtors and
Creditors Act, 1862," "The Debtors and Creditors
Act Amendment Act, 1865," and "The Debtors
and Creditors Acts Amendment Act, 1866."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Petition of the
said John Switzer, entitled in the above matters,
and presented with the concurrence of Messrs. Driver
and Maclean of Dunedin, Stock and Station Salesmen,
and creditors of the Petitioner to the extent of Fifty
Pounds and upwards, has been accepted by His Honor
Mr. Justice Chapman, who has appointed Monday, the
twenty-fourth day of June next, for hearing the said
Petition at the Supreme Court House, Dunedin.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1867."

GEO. COOK,
Solicitor for the Petitioner,

13s. Dunedin.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Otago and Southland District. }

In the matter of the Petition of JOHN SWITZER, of
Princes-street, Dunedin, in the Province of Otago,
New Zealand, Boot and Shoe Importer, a Bank-
rupt, and in the matter of the "The Debtors and
Creditors Act, 1862," "The Debtors and Creditors
Amendment Act, 1865," and "The Debtors and
Creditors Acts Amendments Act, 1865."

WHEREAS the above-named John Switzer has
this day presented his Petition in writing to
me, Henry Samuel Chapman, Esquire, a Judge of the
Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland
District, praying that his estate might be placed under
sequestration for the benefit of his creditors, and that
he might be protected from arrest, and have relief ac-
cording to the provisions of the said Acts; and the
said John Switzer also made affidavit of such facts as
have satisfied me of the truth of the matters contained
in the said Petition. And whereas application has
been made to me for an order for the sequestration of
the estate of the said John Switzer, upon hearing Mr.
Cook, the Solicitor for the Petitioner, I do order that
the said estate and effects of the said John Switzer be
placed under sequestration in the hands of George
Brodie, Esquire, of Dunedin, Inspector in Bankruptcy
for the Province of Otago, and that the same shall be

taken and held by him until the further order of this Court or a Judge thereof, and I do further order and declare that this order shall be a vesting order.

Dated at Dunedin, this 18th day of May, 1867.
16s. 6d. H. S. CHAPMAN,

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, }
Otago and Southland District. }

In the matter of the Petition of FRANCIS MAGUIRE, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, Debtor; and in the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors' Act, 1862," "The Debtors and Creditors' Act Amendment Act, 1865," and "The Debtors and Creditors' Act Amendment Act, 1866."

MONDAY, the sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

THE matter of this Petition coming on this day for the second hearing thereof, upon reading the said petition and the affidavits filed in these matters, and upon hearing Mr. Kenyon of Counsel for the Bankrupt aforesaid: It is ordered that George Brodie, Esquire, of Dunedin, in the Province of Otago, Inspector in Bankruptcy for the said Province, be, and he is hereby appointed Trustee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt: And that all the real and personal estate of the said Bankrupt shall vest in the said Trustee by virtue of his said appointment, and shall be held by him, his heirs, executors, and administrators, (except the wearing apparel of the Bankrupt, which shall be retained by him), upon and for the following trusts and purposes, namely:—

1. To sell collect and get in such real and personal estate and receive the monies arising therefrom, and execute all necessary conveyances and assurances thereof.
2. To retain and pay all expenses properly incurred of and attending such sale, collection, and getting in.
3. To pay the poundage and fees payable under the above-mentioned Acts.
4. To pay the costs properly incurred of and incidental to the Petition in these matters and subsequent thereto, such costs to be taxed, and also all costs and expenses in these matters which have been or shall be ordered by by this Court, or by any Judge thereof, to be paid out of the Estate of the Bankrupt.
5. To distribute the net residue of the said Trust monies between, and amongst, and for the benefit of all the Creditors at the time of the presentation of his said Petition, and who shall duly prove their debts by affidavit within three Calendar months from the date of this Order, by way of *pro rata* distribution, subject to existing legal priorities, but so that the said Creditors shall not receive more than twenty shillings in the pound upon their said respective debts.
6. To pay the ultimate surplus (if any) of the said Trust monies to the Bankrupt.

By the Court,

ROBERT CHAPMAN,
Registrar.

I hereby consent to hold the within-named Estate of Francis Maguire upon the trusts and for the purposes within named.

Dated Dunedin, this ninth day of May, 1867.

GEO. BRODIE,

Inspector in Bankruptcy and Interim Sequestrator
of the said Estate.

Witness:

M. W. HAWKINS, his Clerk.

30s.

DUNEDIN GAS-LIGHT & COKE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given, that application is intended to be made at the ensuing Session of the General Assembly for an Act to incorporate the Dunedin Gas-Light and Coke Company, Limited; and that powers will be sought to be conferred on the said Company by the said Act to hold land, to enlarge, repair, and maintain the buildings already erected within the limits of the land now held by the said Company under lease,

containing two acres, more or less, and being part of Section numbered eleven (11) of Block seven (VII.) on the Survey Map of the Town District of the Province of Otago; to break up streets and roads, and open drains to lay down pipes, conduits, and service-pipes, and to repair, alter, and remove the same; to make and repair sewers, and to use earth and materials under streets and roads for that purpose; to erect pillars, lamp-posts, and other works; to lease the undertaking; to increase the capital of the Company; to borrow money on mortgage or bond; to supply gas; to let gas fittings and meters for ascertaining the quantity of gas supplied without any such gas fittings and meters becoming liable to distress for rent or execution; to cut off the supply of gas for non-payment of rent; and to enter premises for the purpose of taking away any meters or gas fittings so let as aforesaid when supply cut off: And notice is hereby further given, that copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Office of the Colonial Secretary at Wellington, and in the Private Bill Office of the General Assembly, at the same place, within fourteen days after the commencement of the said Session.

Dated this sixteenth day of May, 1867.

HAGGITT & HAGGITT,

Solicitors for the Bill.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business as Sheep Farmers at Taieri Lake Station in the Province of Otago and Colony of New Zealand, under the style or firm of GAIRDNER & MAIN, was dissolved on the thirteenth day of May instant, by mutual consent.

And notice is hereby further given that the undersigned David Forsyth Main will henceforth carry on the said business and will receive and discharge all outstanding accounts of the late firm of Gairdner & Main.

Dated at Taieri Lake Station this 17th May, 1867.

ROBERT JOHN GAIRDNER.
DAVID FORSYTH MAIN.

Witness—JOHN MACLEAN, Dunedin.

8s. 6d.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE SAVING'S BANK at Dunedin, New Zealand.—I, William Tregagle, of St. Mawes, in the county of Cornwall, England, hereby give you notice that I claim the amount of Twenty Pounds, or thereabouts, with interest accruing thereon to date, of payment lodged in his own behalf in your Bank by Samuel Tregagle, late of Dunedin, fisherman, but now deceased, on the ground of my being the father of the said deceased Samuel Treg eae, and therefore his next of kin.

(Signed)

W. TREGAGLE.

Signed by the above named William Tregagle, this 18th day of February, 1867, in the presence of us—

(Signed)

C. W. CARLYON,

Rector of St. Just, in Roseland, Cornwall,

St. Just Rectory.

(Signed)

J. GRANT,

Congregational Minister,

3 in.—30s.

St. Mawes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, HENRY ORBELL and MACLEOD CLEMENT ORBELL, as Runholders within the Province of Otago, under the style or firm of "H. & M. C. Orbell," was dissolved by effluxion of time on the 1st day of January last.

As witness our hands this 11th day of May, 1867.

HENRY ORBELL.

MACLEOD CLEMENT ORBELL.

Witness to both signatures:

J. R. JONES, Matanaka.

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NOTICE.

OVERTIME BONDED GOODS.

THE undermentioned Goods having been in Bond over the prescribed period, will be sold without further notice, seven days from this date, unless the charges be paid forthwith:—

C { 1-3 3 qr.-casks Port
719 { original mark ^K 97 No. 136, 163, 166.

D { 1 case Tobacco A No. 12
293 { original mark 333

D { 1-2 1 case } Tobacco
469 { 1 box } original mark ^A 542 14, 43.

C { 17-28 12 casks Ground Coffee.

PATERSON & M'LEOD,
Proprietors Queen's Warehouse.

Dunedin, May 16, 1867.

[From the *New Zealand Gazette*, May 16, 1867, No. 29.]

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 14th May, 1867.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES HUNTER CRAWFORD, Esq.,
SAMUEL POPHAM KING, Esq.,
HENRY BOWMAN SEALY, Esq.,
JOHN POYNTER, Esq.,
WILLIAM JEFFREY, Esq.,
GEORGE BOWRON, Esq., and
WILLIAM STUART, Esq.,

to be Deputy Commissioners of Stamp Duties under "The Stamp Duties Act, 1866."

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, May 15, 1867.

IT is hereby notified that a writ issued for the election of a Member of the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Manuherikia, has been returned with a certificate to the effect that

DAVID HUNTER MERVYN,
of Commissioner's Flat, near Roxburgh, householder,
has been duly elected.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 1867.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Registrars of Marriages, and of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the districts specified opposite their names respectively, viz:—

JAMES McEWEN, Clutha,
EDWARD INGS, Kaihiku,

from the 10th June, 1867.

E. W. STAFFORD.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 10th May, 1867.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES LEMON, Esq.,

to be General Manager, and

ABRAHAM SHEATH, Esq.,

to be Accountant of the Telegraph Department.

JOHN HALL.

G. GREY, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Marriage Act Amendment Act, 1858," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor at any time, by proclamation in the

New Zealand Gazette, to divide the Colony of New Zealand for the purposes of the said Act into such and so many districts as he may 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 twenty-ninth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the Governor, in pursuance of the said recited power and authority, did constitute a district for the purposes of the said Act, called the "Clutha 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 sixty-six.

And whereas it is expedient to revoke so much of the said proclamation as relates to the said district, and to divide anew the territory formerly comprised within such district.

Now therefore, I, Sir George Grey, 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 proclamation so far as relates to the "Clutha District," and do proclaim and declare that the territory formerly comprised within such district shall be and is hereby divided for the purposes of the said Act into two districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be as follows:—

KAIHIKU DISTRICT

comprises the whole of the area contained within the West Clutha Hundred, bounded towards the north-west by the Popotunoa Registration District, towards the north-east by the Clutha River, towards the south-east by the East Clutha Hundred, and towards the south-west by the Popotunoa Registration District.

CLUTHA DISTRICT

comprises all that area bounded towards the north-west by the West Clutha Hundred, towards the east by the Clutha and its Kaou branch, towards the south by the ocean, and towards the west by the Popotunoa Registration District.

And I hereby declare that this proclamation shall come into operation and take effect on the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander 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 issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

E. W. STAFFORD.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the amount of Customs Revenue at the Several Ports of NEW ZEALAND, during the Quarter ended 31st day of MARCH, 1867.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	New Zealand													Totals.		Corresponding Quarter of 1866.													
		Auckland.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Nelson.	Westport.	Pictou.	Havelock.	Waikanae.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Akaroa.		Timaru.	Hokitika.	Otago.	Greymouth.	Dunedin.	Oamaru.	Molyneux.	Invercargill.	Bluff Harbor.	Riverton.	Chatham Islands.	Quantities.	Revenue.
Spirits, per gallon	12s	11935	273	154	201	1789	2067	6539	3382	2108	195	277	96	547	8990	247	1852	12610	441	5589	1854	1324	91	2923	72	568	...	138068	82841	
Cigars and Snuff, per pound	5s.	366	2	...	...	...	222	1	236	...	...	...	...	119	...	...	...	979	...	348	982	...	...	163	15	19	...	13820	3455
Tea, per pound	2s. 6d.	3436	109	160	97	349	637	1176	791	909	...	57	54	...	2018	...	358	...	87	1693	4011	186	...	612	37	137	...	162872	20359	
Tobacco, per pound	3d.	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	24	...	...	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	16600	195
Wine, per gallon	4s.	823	16	4	29	124	282	863	347	334	...	18	...	2	1520	24	181	1314	33	744	2250	73	23	322	5	61	...	47240	9448	
Ale, Beer, &c., in Wood, per gallon	1s. 3d.	1232	...	...	32	163	100	713	219	18	...	15	...	63	191	...	18	1782	31	88	1551	...	...	151	13	12	...	42240	3855
" " in Bottle, "	6d.	379	6	...	23	169	204	1068	252	456	...	16	...	28	1580	23	204	1702	27	664	3430	106	...	645	27	56	...	6338	3855	
Coffee, Cocos, &c., per pound	3d.	1439	1	...	3	...	1025	88	215	18	...	...	...	...	1046	21	74	204	...	1311	625	59	...	645	27	56	...	96752	6047
Sugar and Molasses, per pound	ld.	324	...	...	...	...	155	18	152	...	...	...	...	...	289	34	233	...	...	111	557	12	...	64	...	...	477960	11949	
Firearms, each	5s.	3238	10	1	...	367	437	1909	674	1999	57	50	...	157	3290	10	410	2868	25	1298	4290	230	...	774	9	158	...	158300	1985	
Powder, Sporting, per pound	6d.	15	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	13	...	18	2	...	...	2	...	...	5350560	22294	
" Blasting, "	ld.	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	32	...	7	3	...	...	15	...	...	276	69	48
Shot, per cwt.	10s.	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4720	118	83
Goods by Measurement, per cubic feet	5s.	2744	...	...	...	86	167	2069	424	1206	...	...	...	20	3160	11	170	1069	...	486	6022	9	...	10	...	...	31200	180	104
" " " "	3s.	665	...	...	...	34	46	348	47	168	...	...	...	11	529	...	70	349	...	213	1356	...	...	516	5	15	...	72740	208
" " " "	2s. 6d.	532	...	...	...	59	27	453	66	142	...	...	...	...	598	...	70	349	...	213	1356	...	...	58	2	21	...	26113	3917
" " " "	2s.	120	...	...	...	10	15	85	34	61	...	...	...	...	598	...	36	579	...	211	1124	...	...	166	1	14	...	32240	4030
" " " "	1s. 6d.	79	...	...	...	26	2	66	53	50	...	...	...	6	89	...	70	3	...	10	198	...	...	28	...	...	7390	739	
" " " "	1s.	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	513	...	46	288	...	92	627	...	...	51	...	...	16840	1263	
" " " "	6d.	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	444	...	3	...	...	92	237	...	...	7	...	...	51660	2583	
" " " "	3d.	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	114	...	24	80	...	9	63	...	...	16	...	...	27120	678	
Goods, by Weight, per cwt.	4s.	403	...	...	...	10	49	137	41	144	...	...	...	427	...	2	119	259	...	67	812	...	...	50	...	...	23040	288	
" " " "	3s.	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	...	6	24	...	10	17	...	...	8	...	...	12750	2550	
" " " "	2s. 6d.	321	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	...	5	38	...	13	171	...	...	15	...	...	1433	215	
" " " "	2s.	216	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	115	...	11	58	...	13	655	...	...	51	...	...	3968	496	
" " " "	1s.	988	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	484	...	...	130	128	...	53	988	...	...	85	...	...	14050	1405	
" " " "	3d.	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	516	...	8	78	...	13	171	...	...	39	...	...	49920	2491	
" " " "	ld.	988	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	941	...	1	62	1834	...	1041	1800	...	...	279	...	124400	1555	
Ad Valorem, per cent. ...	10p.c	119	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	27	1	...	...	11	...	...	1918800	7995
" " " "	5	1090	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	...	...	...	...	210	1	...	...	7	...	...	56180	117
Other Duties, not specified above	...	31340	418	325	392	3328	437	18648	6834	9364	311	502	181	1269	28021	415	4101	30182	694	14493	53168	2171	114	7680	202	1433	100	220053	...	
Totals	...	37089	508	373	...	8151	5044	16432	6230	8799	...	479	219	794	27626	438	3343	25274	...	16292	48411	1358	42	7286	285	1319	...	208794	...	
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