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PROCLAMATION

By JAMES A. R. MENZIES, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Southland.

WHEREAS by the provisions of Section 9 of the "Sheep Ordinance 1862," it is enacted that the Superintendent shall proclaim districts within the Province of Southland for the purposes of the said Ordinance;

Now, therefore, I, the said Superintendent do hereby proclaim and declare that the district bounded on the south and south-west by the ocean, on the east and north-east, by a right line running from the beach due north to cut the east end of the east arm of the Bluff Harbour, thence by the north shore of the Harbour to the head of the Cove at its north-west end, thence by a right line to the head of the Mokomoko inlet, thence by the said inlet to its entrance into the New River Estuary, thence to the middle of the debouchure of the Oreti into the said Estuary, thence by a right line extended north-west to the ocean, shall be a district for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and be known by the name of the "Bluff District;" and that the Province of Southland, excepting the district above named, shall be a district for the purposes of the said Ordinance, and shall be known by the name of the "Country district."

Given under my hand this Second day of February, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

PROCLAMATION

By JAMES A. R. MENZIES, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Southland.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation issued on the 26th day of January, 1863, it has been notified that the fourth session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland shall be held within the Court-house, Invercargill, and shall commence upon Saturday the 21st day of February, at 12 o'clock noon; and whereas it is expedient to alter the same, in pursuance of the power vested in me in that behalf, I do hereby fix and proclaim that the fourth session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland shall be held within the building known as the Mechanics Institute, Invercargill, in the said Province, and shall commence upon Saturday the 21st day of February, 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 (L.S.) Province of Southland this ninth day of February, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 4th February, 1863.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me in that behalf, I hereby give Notice, that after the Ninth day of February inst., the Poundkeeper of the pound at Invercargill, is authorised to charge pound fees and sustenance charges according to the scale herewith annexed.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

TABLE OF POUNDAGE FEES to be charged by the Keeper of the Public Pound, Invercargill, under the "Impounding Ordinance, 1847."

For each entire horse above the age of twelve months	£0 4 0
For each mare, gelding, colt, filly, foal, mule, ass, goat, or pig	0 2 0
For each bull above the age of twelve months	0 4 0
For each ox, cow, steer, heifer, or calf, for the first ten	0 1 0
For each do do the next ten	0 0 6
" do do the next thirty	0 0 4
" do do all others above fifty	0 0 3
For each ram above the age of nine months	0 1 0
For each ewe, wether, or lamb, for the first twenty	0 0 4
For each do do the next thirty	0 0 3
" do do the next fifty	0 0 2
" do do all others above one hundred	0 0 1

The above Fees to be paid for each day or part of a day during which the Animal is kept in Pound.

CHARGES FOR FOOD.

For every horse, mare, gelding, mule, ass, colt, filly, or foal	£0 3 0
For every bull, cow, ox, steer, or heifer	0 2 0
" calf under six months	0 0 6
" sheep or lamb	0 0 4
" goat	0 0 4
" boar, sow, or other pig	0 1 0

The above charges to be paid for each day or part of a day during which the animal is supplied with food and water by the Poundkeeper; but the owner may supply food and water, in which case these charges are not to be made.

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 7th February, 1863.

IT is hereby notified that I have appointed Mr. H. FIELDER to be Inspector of Sheep for the "Country district," and

Mr. W. HATELY

to be Inspector of Sheep for the "Bluff district," in the Province of Southland, under the provisions of the "Sheep Ordinance, 1862," these appointments to take effect on the 9th inst.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 9th February, 1863.

IT is hereby notified that JAMES THOMPSON PETRIE has been appointed Poundkeeper of the

Pound of Invercargill, the appointment to date from 1st September, 1862.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

INVERCARGILL TOWN BOARD.

ELECTION OF TWO MEMBERS.

IN pursuance of the Ordinances enacted by the Provincial Legislature of Otago, entitled the "Dunedin Town Board Ordinance, 1855," and the "Port Chalmers and Invercargill Town Board Ordinance, 1859,"

I, the Superintendent of the Province of Southland, do hereby appoint the Electors entitled to vote for Members for the Town of Invercargill, in the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland, to assemble upon Saturday the 28th day of February 1863, at 12 o'clock noon, at the School-house, Invercargill, for the purpose of electing two Members of the said Town Board of Invercargill, in the room of Messrs John Blacklock and David Mitchell, whose seats in the said Board have become vacant under the provisions of the said recited Ordinances; And I hereby appoint

ROBERT MITCHELL, Esq.,

Returning Officer, to preside at the said meeting; and in event of a Poll being demanded, I hereby appoint the Polling to take place in the said School-house on Monday the 2nd day of March, 1863.

J. A. R. MENZIES,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 9th February, 1863.

CIRCULAR TO MAGISTRATES, &c.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 20th January, 1863.

SIR,—I am instructed by Mr. Domett to call your attention to the Returns inserted in the *New Zealand Gazette*, describing the persons of deserters from Her Majesty's Army and Navy.

It is the earnest wish of the Government to check the practice of Desertion from the Imperial Forces; and hence a Reward of Five Pounds has been offered by the Colonial Government to the person capturing any such Deserters (in addition to the Reward of Two Pounds granted by the Imperial Government). And the publication of the Descriptive Returns above alluded to will be from time to time continued.

The Government relies with confidence on your making use of every means in your power to carry out these efforts to check Desertion; and it is hoped that the means now provided for identifying the men will lead to the apprehension of all who are still at large.

I beg to enclose a copy of the Return last published.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) W. GISBORNE,
Under Secretary.

REPORT OF DESERTERS FROM HER MAJESTY'S FORCES SERVING IN NEW ZEALAND.

Auckland, 10th January, 1863.

Regiment.	Number, Rank, and Name.	Age.	Size.		Colour of			Date of Desertion.	Place of Desertion.	Date of Enlistment.	At what place enlisted.	Parish and County in which born.	Marks.	Trade.	Coat or Jacket.	Waistcoat.	Breeches or Trousers.	Remarks.	Signature of Officer commanding.
			Feet.	Inches.	Complexion.	Hair.	Eyes.												
70th	492, Private Thomas Flynn	29½	5	9	dark	black	black	29 December, 1862	Camp, Mangatawhiri	8 June, 1858.	Rochester	Enniskillen Fermanagh	letter D.	labourer	Regimentals.			T. CHUTE, Col.	
do.	3322, do. Thomas Mills	31	5	6½	fresh	dark brown	hazel	4 January, 1863.	Camp, Otahuhu	1 January 1858.	Manchester	Rochdale, Lancaster	none	labourer	do.			Do.	
do.	3211, do. Martin Vasey	31½	5	6½	dark	dark brown	hazel	4 January, 1863	Camp, Otahuhu	9 October, 1851.	Manchester	Loughrea, Galway	none	tailor	do.			Do.	
do.	2921, do. E. J. Clarke	33 and 1-12	5	6½	sallow	brown	brown	7 January, 1863	Camp, Point Chevalier	12 December 1848.	Cambridge	Hobbeach, Lincoln	none	bricklayer	do.			Do.	
do.	308, Drum., William Wood	20½	5	4	fresh	brown	brown	7 January, 1863	Camp, Point Chevalier	11 August 1857.	Rochester	Chelsea, Middlesex	none	painter	do.			Do.	
do.	3241, Private John Dunn	31½	5	6	pale	light brown	blue	7 January, 1863	Camp, Otahuhu	12 January 1852.	Liverpool	Munsteraven, Kildare	none	labourer	do.			Do.	
do.	3524, do. George Windly	31	5	4½	fresh	brown	brown	6 January, 1863	Camp, Mangatawhiri	15 December 1854.	Brantwood Essex	Epping, Essex	none	labourer	do.			Do.	
2nd Bt 14th	1669, do. Dan. Callaghan	22 2-12	5	7	fresh	brown	blue	4 January, 1863	Camp, Otahuhu	5 November 1860.	Liverpool	Hull, York	none	labourer	do.		Has an impediment in his speech.	C. W. AUSTEN, Lieut.-Colonel	
40th	264, do. Frederick Ellis	28½	5	7½	sallow	dark brown	blue	6 January, 1863	Auckland	15 July, 1859.	Melbourne Victoria	Halstead, Essex	none	labourer	do.			ARTHUR LESLIE, Lieut.-Colonel	
Royal Artillery.	308, Gunner Jos. Glendhill	32 1-12	5	10½	dark	dark brown	brown	2 January, 1863	Auckland	26 May, 1855.	Pontefract	Rostrick, Halifax, York	slightly marked with small pox	labourer	do.			H. MERCER, Capt., R.A.	

Superintendent's Office,
Southland, 9th February, 1863.

It is hereby notified that I have granted an exemption from Pilotage dues, under the conditions of Clauses 10 and 12 of the Harbour Regulations, as published in *The New Zealand Gazette* of 22d February, 1863, to L. R. M. C. S. ABERDALE, at the Port of the Bluff, so long as the said vessel continues under the command of Captain Alexander Kennedy.

(Signed) J. A. R. MASON,
Superintendent.

NOTICE.

Invercargill Public Pound,
4th February, 1863.

IMPOUNDED this evening by John Hill, contractor, Waikiwi, one White Bullock branded P off hip, Δ off shoulder: said bullock was found straying amongst a field of oats on the Gladstone Estate. Damages claimed Ten Pounds Sterling. If not claimed, to be sold at the Pound here on the 5th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon.

J. T. PATRICK,
Poundkeeper.

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January 15th, 1863.]

*M. Price, Esq., appointed Registration Officer
for the Province of Southland.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 13th January, 1863.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MATTHEW PRICE, Esq.,

to be Registration Officer for the Province of Southland, to form Electoral Rolls for the election of Members of the Provincial Council.

ALFRED DONNETT.

*M. Price, Esq., appointed Registration and
Returning Officer for the Electoral District of
Wallace.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 13th January, 1863.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MATTHEW PRICE, Esq.,

to be Registration and Returning Officer for election of Members of the House of Representatives for the Electoral district of Wallace.

ALFRED DONNETT.