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## PROCLAMATION

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

**I**N PURSUANCE of the provisions of the "Provincial Reserved Bills Act, 1858," section 2, I hereby notify that the following Ordinances passed by the Provincial Legislature of the Province of Southland, namely:—

- "The Hospitals' Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Common Lodging House Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Pawnbroker's Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Licensed Hawkers' Ordinance, 1863."
- "The Licensed Theatres Ordinance, 1863."
- "The Licensing Amendment Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Sheep Ordinance, 1862, Amendment Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Cemeteries Ordinance, 1863,"
- "The Debentures Ordinance (No. 2), 1863,"
- "The Educational Endowments Rural Ordinance, 1863,"

"The Alteration of Educational Reserves Ordinance, 1863,"

"The Collegiate Endowments Ordinance, 1863,"

have been laid before His Excellency the Governor, and that His Excellency has assented to the same.

Given under my hand this 11th day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

J. A. R. MENZIES,  
Superintendent.

## PROCLAMATION

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

**I**N pursuance of the power vested in me in that behalf, I do hereby fix and proclaim that the Fifth Session of the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland shall be held within the Mechanics' Institute, Invercargill, in the said Province, and shall commence upon Saturday, the 10th day of February next,

at twelve 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 Southland, this ninth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

J. A. R. MENZIES,  
Superintendent.

#### NOTICE.

**T**HE Manifests, specifying the weights and measurements of goods hitherto rendered to the Treasury by consignees of vessels coming to this Port (as per clause 21, Jetty Regulations, published in the *Southland Provincial Government Ga-*

*zette*, No. 70, December 5, 1863), are in future to be rendered to the Wharfinger at the Jetty.

NATHL. CHALMERS,  
Deputy Superintendent.

**I**T is hereby notified that, during the temporary absence of the Collector of Jetty Dues, the Wharfinger is authorised to collect all dues on Jetty account.

NATHL. CHALMERS,  
Deputy Superintendent.

#### INVERCARGILL PUBLIC POUND. 31st December, 1863.

**I**MPOUNDED, 1 roan Horse, branded AM near shoulder. If not claimed to be sold at the Pound here on the 4th day of February next, at twelve o'clock noon.

JAS. T. PETRIE,  
Poundkeeper.

#### RETURN OF CATTLE Slaughtered in the Province of Southland, from 1st to 30th November, 1863.

TREASURY, 5th December, 1863.

DISTRICT IN WHICH SLAUGHTERED.	GREAT CATTLE.	SHEEP.	PIGS.	TOTAL.	REMARKS.
Invercargill.....	141	805	22	968	
Campbelltown .....	9	27	3	39	
Riverton .....	18	44	—	62	
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	168	876	25	1069	

J. F. KELLS, Registrar of Brands.

(Re-published from the *Wellington Provincial Government Gazette*, Nov., 14, 1863, No. 5.)

#### DISEASED CATTLE REGULA- TIONS

##### PROCLAMATION

By His Honor ISAAC EARL FEATHERSTON, Esq., Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, in the Islands of New Zealand.

**W**HEREAS, by Section No. 9 of the "Diseased Cattle Act, 1861." it is enacted that, "If at any time it shall be made to appear to the Governor that any infectious or contagious disease has broken out in any district out of the colony it shall be lawful for the Governor, by Order in Council, to declare that such district is infected within the meaning of this Act, and from time to time to make such regulations as to him shall seem fit, for prohibiting the importation of cattle into the colony from such dis-

tract, and the landing or driving of such cattle, and for destroying cattle imported, landed, or driven contrary to such regulations;" and by Section 10 of the same Act it is also enacted, that, "if at any time it shall be made to appear to the Governor that any infectious or contagious disease has broken out among cattle in any district of the colony, it shall be lawful for the Governor, by order in Council, to declare that such district is infected within the meaning of this Act, and from time to time to make such regulations for destroying diseased cattle therein, and for prohibiting the removal or transportation of cattle from one part of the colony to another, and for preventing the further spread of such disease as to him shall seem fit:" and it is by the same Act also enacted that the Governor in Council may by warrant under his hand, from time to time, delegate to the Superintendent of any province within the Colony, all or any of the powers vested in the Governor, or Governor in Council, by the said Act, subject to such regulations as he may think fit, and may from time to time rescind such delegation: And whereas the Governor hath, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, delegated to Isaac Earl Featherston, Esq., so long as he shall hold the office of Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, the several powers vested in the Governor by the second, fourth, fifth, seventh, ninth, and tenth Sections of the said Act, subject to being rescinded as in the said Act is provided, and subject to the regulations issued by the Governor in Council on the 15th day of September, 1863, and to any other regulations to be, from time to time, duly made.

Now therefore, I, the said Isaac Earl Featherston, by virtue of the powers vested in me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare—first, that after the date hereof the several colonies of Australia, that is to say, the colony of Victoria, the colony of New South Wales, the colony of Queensland, the colony of South Australia, and the Colony of Western Australia, as well as the colony of Tasmania, and the colony of Cape of Good Hope, and the islands of Great Britain and Ireland shall be deemed to be infected districts within the meaning and for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act, and that no cattle after the date hereof until further notice shall be imported into the province of Wellington from such districts: provided, however, that the Superintendent of the province may allow any cattle to be landed from

vessels from the islands of Great Britain and Ireland, subject to such conditions and restrictions as he may deem expedient and the circumstances of any case may require; and I do also proclaim and declare, that after the date hereof, the province of Otago and the province of Southland, in the Colony of New Zealand, shall be deemed to be infected districts within the meaning of the said Act, and that no cattle shall be imported into the province of Wellington from either of the said provinces.

Given under my hand, and issued under the public seal of the Province of Wellington, at Wellington, this 14th day of October, 1863.

(L.S.) I. E. FEATHERSTON,  
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,  
J. WOODWARD,  
Acting Provincial Secretary.

(Republished from the *New Zealand Gazette*, 23rd December 1863.)

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL

##### *Establishing Marine Board.*

G. GREY,  
Governor.

At the Government House at Auckland,  
the 14th day of December, 1863.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR  
IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Marine Board Act, 1863," it is enacted that the Governor in Council shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the passing of the said Act, establish a Board, to be called "the Marine Board of New Zealand:"

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony doth hereby establish the said Marine Board of New Zealand, and doth appoint

CHARLES SHARP, Esq.,

to be President and Master Warden of

the said Marine Board of New Zealand; and doth also appoint

ROBERT JOHNSON, Esq.,  
THOMAS ROBERTSON, Esq.,  
ARCHIBALD KENNEDY, Esq., and  
WILLIAM CRUSH DALDY, Esq.,

to be Wardens of the said Marine Board; and doth also appoint the said

THOMAS ROBERTSON, Esq.,

to be the Treasurer of the said Marine Board.

And doth further appoint and declare that this Order shall take effect on and after this fourteenth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

FORSTER GORING,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

#### NEW ZEALAND FLAX.

£4,000 REWARD.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 18th Dec., 1863.

THE Government of New Zealand is prepared, subject to the undermentioned conditions, to give rewards to the amount of £4,000 for the discovery of efficient means for rendering the Flax and other fibrous plants of New Zealand, available as articles of export, viz. :—

£2,000

To the person who shall, by some process of his own invention, first produce from the *Phormium Tenax* or other fibrous plant indigenous to New Zealand, forty tons of Merchandize.

£1,000

To any person, other than the person entitled to the first reward, who shall, by some process of his own invention, next produce, from the *Phormium Tenax*, or other fibrous plant indigenous to New Zealand, forty tons of Merchandize.

£,1000,

Viz. :—£200 to any person, not exceeding five in all, other than those entitled to the first and second rewards, who shall, by any process, whether of his own invention or not, produce from the *Phormium Tenax*, or other fibrous plant indigenous to New Zealand, twenty tons of Merchandize.

Every claim for the above rewards must be preferred before the 1st of January, 1866.

The Merchandize must be saleable as an article of export from the Colony of New Zealand, and have been produced at a cost not exceeding 75 per cent. of its value at the Port of entry from which it is exported; and the process used must be fully made known, with a view to the discovery being at once made unconditionally available to the public.

His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand will from time to time appoint Commissions, to consist of not less than three persons, to act at such places as circumstances may require, and each claim for reward will be referred to such Commission as may be considered the most convenient for its proper investigation. The acts of the majority will be deemed the acts of the Commission.

Each Commission shall be at liberty to adopt such means as it may deem most fit for determining the value and cost of production of the Merchandize, for ascertaining the process employed, and for fully investigating in all respects, and reporting upon the validity of any claim.

Every competitor wishing to have flax inspected must apply to the Collector of Customs at the nearest Port, who shall forthwith give notice to the Commissioners acting for the particular locality, who shall forthwith appoint some convenient time and place for the inspection, and communicate the same in writing to the competitor. Any competitor may exhibit to the Commissioners any quantity of flax not less than five tons at a time.

For each quantity inspected and approved by the Commissioners they shall give the competitor a certificate signed by a majority of them, a duplicate of which must be forthwith deposited at the Collector's Office, at the nearest Custom House.

When the total quantity shall have been inspected by instalments and more than one certificate is given to a claimant, then each certificate after the first shall state in words the quantity already passed and approved on behalf of the same competitor. Whenever the quantity approved of on behalf of any one competitor amounts to forty tons, the Commissioners shall certify in words, at length, the date on which the full quantity was passed, and the name of the competitor, which certificate they shall immediately deposit with the Colonial Secretary, keeping one copy for themselves, and giving the competitor one.

The date of such certificate shall be deemed the day on which the claimant produced the forty tons of Merchandize required.

Whenever any quantity of flax is brought for inspection, satisfactory proof will have to be given to the Commissioners that no part of the flax has been already inspected by them.

One half of the reward will be paid at once to any person whom the Governor, on the report of a Commission, shall declare in writing to be entitled to the same, after which no other claim to a reward of the same class will be entertained; and the other half of such reward will be paid upon satisfactory proof being given to the Governor, or his appointee in London, of the *bona fide* sale of twenty tons of the Merchandize in Europe, at an advance of not less than twenty per cent. upon the actual cost of the article landed in Europe.

All costs and expenses connected with the carriage to or removal from the place of inspection of any flax offered for inspection, and all other expenses, if any, connected therewith, to be borne by the competitor.

WILLIAM FOX.

#### PROVINCE OF SOUTHLAND.

*Appropriation Ordinance (No. 3), 1863,  
assent withheld*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, 16th Dec., 1863.

THE following Bill, passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Southland, entitled—

“The Appropriation Ordinance, No. 3,  
1863,”

which Bill was reserved for the signification of the Governor's pleasure thereon, having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to withhold his assent to the same.

WM. FOX.

#### *Appointment of Bonding Warehouses at the Port of Invercargill.*

##### CUSTOMS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the buildings hereinafter particularised and described have been duly appointed, in accordance with the 11th Section of “Customs Regulations Act, 1858,” to be Warehouses for the securing of Goods under Bond for the payment of Duties of Customs.

1st. A Wooden Building belonging to Messrs. Henderson, Bonar & Co., situated on Section 2, Block III., Town of Invercargill, and fronting to Kelvin-street.

2nd. A Wooden Building belonging to Messrs. Surman & Crerar, situated on Section 20, Block I., Town of Riverton, and fronting to Palmerston-street.

3rd. A Wooden Building belonging to Mr. John Mills, situated on Section 18, Block I., Town of Riverton, and fronting to Palmerston-street.

4th. A Wooden Building belonging to Messrs Blacklock, Calder & Co., situated on Section 19, Block III., Town of Riverton, and fronting to Palmerston-street.

A. J. ELLES,  
Deputy Commissioner.

## PRINTING FOR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT FOR TWELVE MONTHS.

WORK.	ACCEPTED.		DECLINED.	
	Messrs. SMALLFIELD & BAIN	Messrs. HARNETT & Co.	Messrs. HARNETT & Co.	Messrs. FITZGERALD & Co.
<b>GAZETTES—</b>				
250 Copies Long Primer, per page.....	0 16 0	0 18 0	0 18 0	0 18 0
"    Brevier, do .....	1 10 0	1 4 0	1 15 0	1 15 0
Each additional 50 copies, do .....	0 2 6	0 1 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Do, do, per sheet .....	0 8 6	0 2 6	0 10 0	0 10 0
Alterations, per hour .....	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 2 0
Tabular matter .....	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.
<b>COUNCIL PAPERS—</b>				
50 Copies Pica, per page .....	0 17 0	0 12 0	0 18 0	0 18 0
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"    Brevier do .....	1 10 0	1 5 0	1 18 0	1 18 0
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Orders of the Day, 20 copies .....	0 15 0	0 10 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Alterations, per hour .....	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 2 0
Tabular matter .....	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.
<b>ORDINANCES—</b>				
Pica, per page, 500 copies .....	1 0 0	1 1 0	1 2 6	1 2 6
Long Primer, per page, 500 copies.....	1 5 0	1 2 0	1 7 6	1 7 6
Brevier do do .....	1 15 0	1 3 0	2 0 0	2 0 0
Each additional 50 copies, per page .....	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 2 6	0 2 6
Do, do, per sheet .....	0 7 6	0 4 0	0 8 6	0 8 6
Alterations, per hour .....	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 2 0
Tabular matter .....	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.
<b>VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS—</b>				
300 Copies, Long Primer, per page .....	0 18 0	1 2 6	1 0 0	1 0 0
Each additional 100 copies do .....	0 2 0	0 12 6	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brevier, per page .....	0 19 0	0 15 0	1 10 0	1 10 0
Each additional 100 per page .....	0 2 0	0 12 6	0 10 0	0 10 0
Alterations, per hour .....	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0
Tabular matter .....	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.	One half extra.
<b>JOBING—</b>				
Foolscap folio, 50 copies .....	0 4 0	1 0 0	0 15 0	0 15 0
Do do with endorsement .....		1 5 0	1 0 0	1 0 0
Do each additional 50 copies .....	0 4 0	0 7 6	0 6 0	0 6 0
Do do, do, with .....		0 10 0	0 7 0	0 7 0
do do, do, with .....		0 10 0	0 7 6	0 7 6
Quarto Foolscap, 50 copies .....	0 2 6	0 10 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Additional 50 copies .....	0 2 6	0 5 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
Alterations, per hour .....	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0
Tabular matter .....	One half extra.	Double.	Two-thirds extra.	Two-thirds extra.

By Order,

W. H. AYLMER,  
Clerk to Superintendent.