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GOVERNMENT GAZETTE:

(PROVINCE OF WELLINGTON.)

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By His Honor's command,

WILLIAM FITZHERBERT, *Provincial Secretary.*

VOL. II.]

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1855.

[No. 11.

PROCLAMATION.

By his Honor ISAAC EARL FEATHERSTON, ESQUIRE, Superintendent of the Province of Wellington,

WHEREAS by an Act of the Provincial Council, of the Province, Session II., No. 3, entitled "An Act to amend the Law relating to Coroners," It was among other things Enacted, "That the Superintendent should define, from time to time, divide and alter the Districts to which Coroners should be assigned"; And by a Proclamation issued under the Seal of the said Province, the twelfth day of July last, the said Province was for the purposes of the said Act divided as therein mentioned, and the Wellington District was described as follows:—"The Wellington District comprises the Town of Wellington and the Wellington Country Districts, namely,—The several districts of Wade's Town,

Kai Warra Warra, the Harbour as far as the Koro Koro Stream, Ohiro, Karori, Makara, Town, Watts' Peninsula, Ohariu, Tukapu, Horokiwi, Porirua, the country between the Porirua District and the Manawatu river, and the Islands of Kapiti and Mana;" And Whereas it is expedient to divide such District: Therefore, I, the said Isaac Earl Featherston, Superintendent of the said Province of Wellington, Do hereby declare that the said District of Wellington shall be divided into Two Districts, namely—"The Wellington District," and the "Porirua District," and the respective boundaries thereof be as follows, namely—The "Wellington District" comprises the Town of Wellington and the Districts of Wade's Town, Kai Warra Warra, the Harbour as far the Koro Koro Stream, Ohiro, Karori, Makara, Town, Evans' Bay, and Watts' Peninsula; The Porirua District, comprises the Districts of Ohariu,

Tukapu, Horokiwi, Porirua, the country between the Porirua District and the Manawatu river, and the Islands of Kapi-ti and Mana.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Wellington, this Fifteenth day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

I. E. FEATHERSTON,
Superintendent.

By His Honor's Command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,
Provincial Secretary.

PROCLAMATION.

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

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Wellington, Session I., No. 21, intituled "An Act to provide for the making, maintaining, repairing and management of Country Roads within the Province of Wellington," it is among other things enacted that the Superintendent of the Province of Wellington shall, from time to time as he shall deem fit, by Proclamation declare the Districts within which rates upon Land shall be levied for the making, maintenance, repair, and improvement of the highways then and thereafter to be made therein, and the boundaries of such Districts: Now, THEREFORE, I, Isaac Earl Featherston, the Superintendent of the said Province of Wellington, in virtue of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf, DO HEREBY proclaim and declare that the District hereinafter described shall be a District within which rates upon land shall be levied for the making, maintenance, repair, and improvement of the highways now and hereafter to be made therein and for other the purposes of the Act hereinbefore referred to and shall be styled the

"WESTERN HUTT DISTRICT."

And I do also proclaim and declare the boundaries of such District to be as follows:—

North—The Stream running into the Hutt River, through Section No. 51, Hutt District. East—The Hutt River. South—The Southern boundary of Section No. 24, Hutt District, and the Native Reserve for E. Puni, and other

Natives at Petoni Pah: and West, the boundary of the Horokiwi District.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Wellington, at Wellington this First day of September, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-five.

I. E. FEATHERSTON.

Superintendent.

By His Honor's Command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, August 23, 1855.

HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT has been pleased to appoint HENRY WIREMU TARATOA, a "Special Constable" for the district of Otaki. The appointment to date from the 15th inst.

By His Honor's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,

Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,

Wellington, August 25, 1855.

HIS HONOR the Superintendent has been pleased to appoint

JONAS WOODWARD, ESQUIRE, a Member of the Board of Audit, vice F. D. BELL, ESQUIRE, J. P. resigned.

By His Honor's command,
WILLIAM FITZHERBERT,

Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Partnership lately subsisting between SEPTIMUS LANCELOT WORSLEY AND WILLIAM WILSON, of Wellington, as Merchants, under the firm of MESSRS. WORSLEY, WILSON, & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this seventh day of August, 1855. S. L. WORSLEY.

(Witnesses) W. M. WILSON.

JOHN KING,
Solicitor, Wellington.

D. COCKRAN,
(his clerk).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that BENJAMIN BUCK, ESQUIRE, of the Hutt, has duly qualified as a Medical Practitioner, under the Act of the Provincial Council passed on the 14th January, 1854, intituled "an Act to establish a Medical Board, and to declare who shall be deemed a qualified Medical Practitioner within the Province."

JOHN DORSET,
President of the Medical Board.

CHARLES FRANCE,
Honorary Secretary.

Wellington, 31st May, 1855.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Justices of the Peace for the City and District of Wellington will be holden at the Resident Magistrate's Court, at Wellington, on Tuesday, the fourth day of September next, at 12 o'clock at noon, for the purpose of considering applications for the transfer of Publicans' Licenses.

ROBT. S. CHEESMAN,
Clerk to the Bench.

Resident Magistrate's Court,
Wellington, 4th August, 1855.

NOTICE.

Custom's Sale.

THE following Goods having been detained for undervaluation, will be sold by Public Auction, at the Searcher's Office, Custom House, on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1855, at 12 o'clock at noon, viz. :—

4 cases containing 18 American Clocks
(Signed) S. CARKEEK,
Collector.

Custom House, Wellington,
Aug. 24, 1855.

**In the Vice-Admiralty Court of
New Zealand,**

SOUTHERN DISTRICT.

William Henry Cridge
Stephen Briggs
Joseph Kelsley
George Hollely
David Ross
and
Alexander Patten Richardson

v.

Henry Chapman, Master Mariner,
and the Brigantine or Vessel
"The Triumph."

IN pursuance of the Order of this honorable Court made in this cause, there will be exposed for sale by Public Auction, at Wellington, within the Sale Rooms of Messrs. Bethune & Hunter, Lambton-quay, on Thursday, the 6th day of September next, at 12 o'clock at noon, that Vessel or Brigantine called the *Triumph*, of Sydney, of the burthen of 100 tons, Henry Chapman, Master, as she now lies in the Harbor at Welling-

ton, with all and singular her masts, sails, yards, anchors, cables, ropes, tackle, apparel, and furniture, belonging or appertaining to said Vessel.

ROBERT R. STRANG,
Registrar.

Vice-Admiralty Court Office,
Wellington, 10th August, 1855.

NOTICE.

Compensation Commission.

THE COMMISSIONERS appointed under the Act of the Provincial Council, Session II, No. 12, to enquire into certain alleged claims for Compensation under certain contracts of the New Zealand Company, and for losses sustained during the native disturbances, having held a Court, for the purpose of receiving and enquiring into claims under the said Act in the several districts, agreeably to their notice—hereby notify to persons proposing to prefer claims for Compensation as aforesaid, but who, from absence or otherwise have been unable to attend such Court, that claims will be received by any one of the Commissioners, up to the thirty first day of December, in this present year.

Such claim to set forth the name, and place of abode of claimant.

Name of vessel in which the same was a passenger, time of arrival in the Colony.

Whether owner or occupier of land.

No. of Section.

No. of Acres owned or occupied.

Nature of loss and amount thereof.

A. RENALL, the Hutt,

J. NIXON, Wanganui,

H. S. HARRISON, the Hutt.

Commissioners.

August 22, 1855.

N.B.—By the 5th Clause of the above mentioned Act, no claim shall be entertained by the said Commissioners, except the same be sent to them within six months from the publication of a notice by the Commissioners, that they are ready to receive and enquire into claims under this Act.

Date of notice, July 18, 1855.

Return of Lands sold, and Deposits received, by the Commissioner of Crown Lands at Wellington, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of June, 1855.

	QUANTITY APPLIED FOR.					AMOUNT.			TOTAL ACRES.	Remarks.
	Town	Suburban	Rural.	With Scrip	With Cash	£	s.	d.		
Wellington	Acres. None	Acres. None	Acres. 150	Acres. None	Acres. 150	75	0	0	150	
Wanganui	11	None	1837	596½	1251½	657	10	0	1848	
Wairarapa and East	None	None	5790	550	5240	2620	0	0	8790	
Deposits [Coast	None	None	900	100	800	400	0	0	900	
Totals	11		8677	1246½	7441½	3752	10	0	8688	

Crown Land Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1855.

F. D. BELL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

COMPARATIVE RETURN

Of the Receipt of Customs of the Province of Wellington for the Quarters ending, 31st December, 1853 and 1854, and 31st March, 1854 and 1855
 SHEWING ALSO THE EXPENCES OF COLLECTION, ETC., FOR THE SAME PERIODS.

Receipts.				Payments.											
Quarter ending, 31st December, 1853.		Quarter ending, 31st December, 1854.		Quarter ending, 31st Dec., 1853.		Quarter ending, 31st Dec., 1854.									
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Spirits, 6226 13-32 gals.	1867	18	6	Spirits, 8211 7-32 gals.	2463	9	0	Expenses of Collection	452	3	5	Expenses of Collection	695	18	11
Tobacco, manufac- tured..... 16,436 lbs.	821	16	0	Tobacco, manufac- tured ... 13,149 lbs.	657	9	0	Drawbacks	25	17	6	Drawbacks	16	19	4
Cigars & Snuffs 793 ,,	79	6	0	Cigars & Snuffs.1069 ,,	106	18	0	Payments to Sub-trea- surer	5783	4	0	Crowns' share of Sei- zures	7	5	9
Fixed Duties	2358	14	10	Fixed Duties.....	3409	17	6					Officers' ditto.....	7	5	9
Ad valorem	1133	9	7	Ad valorem	2109	16	1					Payments to Sub-trea- surer	8034	11	4
				Seizures.....	14	11	6								
	£6261		4 11		£8762		1 1		£6261		4 11		£8762		1 1
Quarter ending, 31st March, 1854.		Quarter ending, 31st March, 1855.		Quarter ending, 31st March, 1854.		Quarter ending, 31st March, 1855.									
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Spirits, 7767 27-32 gals.	2330	7	3	Spirits, 7386 25-32 gals.	2216	0	8	Expenses of Collection	529	15	4	Expenses of Collection	798	7	2
Tobacco, manufac- tured 15,473 lbs.	773	13	0	Tobacco, manufac- tured 12,903 lbs.	645	3	0	Officers' share of Sei- zur s	199	15	1	Payments to Sub-trea- surer	5698	1	5
Cigars & Snuffs.996 9-16 "	99	13	2	Cigars & Snfs.1428 13-16 "	142	17	3	Drawbacks	21	7	0				
Fixed Duties	2726	4	8	Fixed Duties	2365	0	5	Payments to Sub-trea- surer	6947	14	7				
Ad valorem	1419	3	9	Ad valorem	1127	7	3								
Seizures and Penalties...	349	10	2												
	£7698		12 0		£6496		8 7		£7698		12 0		£6496		8 7

CUSTOM HOUSE,
 WELLINGTON, 9th July, 1855.

S. CARKEEK,
 Collector.

*Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure of the Land Revenue at Wellington, from 1st April, 1855,
to 30th June, 1855, inclusive.*

RECEIPTS.						EXPENDITURE.					
			£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
Balance from last Quarter			1292	13	5	Expenses of Department, viz. :—					
Land Sales						Commissioner's Office.....	334	9	3		
Wellington	75	0	0			Wellington Surveys.....	144	0	10		
Wanganui	657	10	0			Wanganui	171	3	4		
Wairarapa and East Coast...	2620	0	0			Wairarapa	253	6	1		
			3352	10	0	Rangitikei	97	11	3		
Fees on Crown Grants, &c.....			16	5	0		1000	10	9		
Advances re-paid, viz. :—						Distribution of Revenue					
Wellington Surveys.....	35	0	0			General Government	259	11	0		
Wairarapa	80	0	0			Provincial Government	259	10	11		
Wanganui	130	0	0				519	1	11		
Rangitikei	56	0	0			New Zealand Company's $\frac{1}{2}$ of Land					
Commissioner's Office	110	0	0			Sales		748	2	6	
			411	0	0	Immigration		240	0	0	
Deposits			400	0	0	Advances in aid, viz. :					
						Wellington Surveys.....	10	0	0		
						Wairarapa	80	0	0		
						Wanganui	70	0	0		
						Rangitikei	41	0	0		
						Commissioner's Office	100	0	0		
			£5472	8	5		301	0	0		
						Balance carried to next quarter...		2663	13	3	
							£5472	8	5		

Crown Land Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1855,

F. D. BELL,
Commissioner Crown Lands.

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPT

Of the Public Revenue of the Province of Wellington for the Quarter

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance in hands of Provincial Treasurer last Quarter				5583	17	6½
Balance due from D. S. Durie (acting for Provincial Treasurer at Wanganui)				166	12	0
Surcharges last Quarter				2	10	6
				<u>£5,753</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0½</u>

ORDINARY REVENUE.

Customs	2864	5	0			
Harbour Pilotage and Ferriage	31	5	9			
Resident Magistrate's fines and fees	142	3	2			
Licenses	1255	8	4			
				<u>4293</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>

TERRITORIAL REVENUE.

F. D. Bell, Commissioner of Crown Lands				259	10	11
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INCIDENTAL RECEIPTS.

Hospital Refund from General Government	331	18	1			
Do. Subsistence Money and Baths	36	6	0			
Fees Registering Brands	3	10	0			
Post Office Contract	116	12	6			
Pound Fees, &c.	8	9	7			
Sale of Acts, Provincial Council	1	18	0			
				<u>487</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>2</u>
Contribution to Roads and Bridges				75	0	0
Debentures issued				425	0	0
Interest on Loan to Savings' Bank				23	13	5
Loan to Savings' Bank returned				500	0	0

ADVANCES to Officers refunded.

J. Roy.—Wanganui Road	40	0	0			
“ Wairarapa “	740	0	0			
“ Lower Hutt “	130	0	0			
“ Petoni “	61	0	0			
“ Waiwetu “	1	12	8			
				<u>972</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>
Roberts, Beach Road				213	7	0

£13,003 0 5½

WE the Undersigned, certify the above to be a true Abstract of the Receipt
for the Quarter ending on the 30th June, 1855.

Wellington, August 20th, 1855.

AND EXPENDITURE

commencing 1st April, 1855, ending 30th June, 1855.

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1 Superintendents' Department.....	153	11	6			
2 Provincial Secretary's do.	160	6	4			
3 Provincial Treasurer do.	138	8	7			
4 Board of Audit do.	50	0	0			
5 Public Works do.	195	19	11			
6 Immigration Board do.	43	15	0			
7 Harbour do.	215	1	7			
8 Judicial do.	1	11	0			
9 Register of Deeds	0	0	0			
10 Law Officer	75	0	0			
11 Resident Magistrate's do.	280	3	8			
12 Sheriff's do.	311	6	1			
13 Armed Police do.	515	15	3			
14 Medical, Hospital, and Coroner do....	293	15	10			
15 Lunatic Asylum do.	210	8	10			
16 Slaughter Houses do.	24	5	0			
17 Pound	2	6	0			
18 Resident Magistrate, Wanganui	0	0	0			
19 Miscellaneous.....	95	0	1			
20 Provincial Council	107	13	1			
21 Printing.....	58	7	0			
				2932	10	6
22 Public Works and Undertakings—						
Grants in aid of Roads, &c.	307	14	6			
Immigration	735	0	5			
Do. Surcharged last Quarter 1 0 6	736	0	11			
Steam	166	13	4			
Census	118	3	0			
Roads, North Western.....	272	4	0			
“ Diversion Porirua.....	312	10	0			
“ Beach	80	8	1			
“ Wairarapa	300	0	0			
“ Beach and Willis-street 208 17 3	210	7	3			
“ Do. Surcharged last Quarter 1 10 0	36	12	3			
“ Wanganui and Rangitiki.....	727	10	4			
“ Wairarapa, Upper Hutt	138	14	1			
“ Hutt, Lower	59	4	6			
“ Do. Petoni	1	12	8			
“ Waiwetū	20	0	0			
Hutt Bridge	32	0	0			
Second River Bridge	13	10	0			
Ferries				3533	4	11
Advances to Officers on Account of Public Works, to be accounted for.....	0	0	0	6465	15	5
John Roy, Wairarapa Road Earthquake ..	390	0	0			
“ Wairarapa do. Upper Hutt....	776	0	0			
“ Hutt, Lower	216	0	0			
“ Beach Road	103	0	0			
“ Hutt, Petoni	37	0	0			
“ Wanganui and Rangitiki.....	2	1	0			
“ Third River Bridge	71	7	1			
				1595	8	1
Refund of Fees of Registrar of Deeds to Sub-Treasurer				7	12	8
				£8068	16	2
By Balance in hands of Treasurer	4154	14	8½			
By Balance due from D. S. Durie, Wanganui, Acting for Treasurer there	779	9	7			
				4934	4	8½
				£13,003	0	5½

and Expenditure of the Public Revenue of the Province of Wellington,

F. D. BELL,
J. KELHAM. } Auditors.

COMPARATIVE RETURN

Of the Receipts of Customs of the Province of Wellington for the Quarters ending the 30th days of June, 1854-55;

SHEWING ALSO THE EXPENSES OF COLLECTION FOR THE SAME PERIODS.

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RECEIPTS.				PAYMENTS.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
1854. Spirits, 6,705 18-32 galls. ... Tobacco, manufac- tured, 13,249 lbs. Cigars and Snuffs, 883 lbs... Fixed Duties Ad valorem	2011 13 7 662 9 0 88 6 0 3097 6 10 1538 10 10 £ 7398 6 3	1855. 9,192 20-32 gls. 10,938 lbs. 884 4-16 lbs. Surcharged re- covered	2757 15 11 546 18 0 88 8 6 1896 9 11 959 6 5 0 7 0 £ 6249 5 9	1854. Expenses of Collection Drawbacks Payments to Sub-treasurer...	548 16 10 7 0 0 6842 9 5 £ 7398 6 3	1855. Balance in hands of Sub- Collector, at Wanganui...	842 19 1 0 0 0 5254 15 6 151 11 2 £ 6249 5 9

CUSTOM HOUSE,
WELLINGTON, 12th July, 1855.

S. CARKEEK,
Collector.