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Turakina Valley Road District.

PROCLAMATION.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the Provincial Council of the Province of Wellington, Session IX, No 10, intituled "An Act to amend and consolidate the law relating to District Highways." It was enacted among other things that the Superintendent might for the purposes of said Act from time to time by Proclamation divide the Province or any part thereof into Districts and might in like manner subdivide, alter, or reunite the same: AND WHEREAS it is expedient to proclaim the portion of the Province hereinafter mentioned to be comprised within a district for the purposes of said Act.

NOW THEREFORE I, Isaac Earl Featherston, Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, in virtue of the power and authority in me vested in this behalf Do hereby proclaim and declare that all that piece of land situate and being within a line running from the main trunk road to Wanganui at a point distant from the Turakina River twenty seven chains, thence towards the South East by sections number thirty-two and twenty-eight of the Turakina District seventy chains, thence following the Kaharauonga stream until it reaches the western corner of land belonging to one Mr. John Gower, thence running in a north easterly direction until it reaches the Omaha stream at the western corner of land belonging to one Mr. Bruce, and thence running in an easterly direction along the Omaha stream until it reaches the boundary be-

tween the Rangitikei and Turakina Districts, thence following said boundary towards the North until it reaches the Ngaruranui stream, thence following said stream in an easterly direction for about eighty chains, again on the East 28° until it intersects the North boundary line of the Rangitikei block, and bounded on the West by the Turakina River terminating at the Bridge on the Main Trunk line of Road leading to Wanganui as delineated by the plan hereunto annexed, and shall form and constitute a district for the purposes of the said recited Act and shall be called the "Turakina Valley Road District."

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Wellington this twenty second day of June. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

I. E. FEATHERSTON,
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,

J. WOODWARD,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Middle District.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF GEORGE BUCK.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Petition presented by the Petitioner in this matter, under the provisions of "the Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862." will be heard before His Honor Mr. Justice Johnston, at Wellington, on Wednesday, the 15th day of July, instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHARLES ALLEN,
Petitioner's Attorney.

Wellington, June 26, 1863.

*Sittings of the Supreme Court
under the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862."*

BY VIRTUE of the powers conferred upon me by the 'Debtors and Creditors Act 1862,' I hereby appoint sittings of the Supreme Court for the despatch of all business accruing under the provisions of the said Act, at the Supreme Court in Wellington, on the following days on every year till further notice, at at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Provided that when any such day shall happen to be a Sunday or holiday, such sittings shall be held on the following day (not being a holiday.)

The 15th day of January.

The 8th day of May.

The 15th day of July.

The 8th day of November.

ALEXANDER J. JOHNSTON,
Judge of the Supreme Court.

Mataraua Board of Wardens.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, June 27th, 1863.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Chairman has duly notified the election of the following gentlemen as a Board of Wardens for the Mataraua district.

Messrs. J. Allison
" A. McGregor
" J. Plampin
" J. Read
" T. Shields
" H. S. Harrison, Chairman
" T. W. Williams, Treasurer.

J. WOODWARD,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS at the Observatory, Wellington, for the
Month ending 31st May, 1863.

Lat. 41 deg. 16 min. 25 sec. S. Long. 174 deg. 47 min. 25 sec. E. Height above
sea 90 feet.

Day of Month.	Daily Means.				Wind			In. of Rain in 24 hours.	Maximum in Sun's Rays and Shade.	Minimum in Shade.
	Barometer.	Thermometer.		Clouds.	Direction.		Force.			
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Morning.	Afternoon.				
1	29.087	56.0	54.0	6.	N	N	16.25	69	59	
2	.424	55.5	53.5	4.	N	N	2.00	71	59	
3	.472	51.5	49.5	0.	N	N	2.75	61	60	
4	.911	57.0	53.5	1.	N	N	6.25	67	60	
5	20.094	57.0	55.5	6.	NE	N	4.00	65	61	
6	.041	58.5	56.0	7.	N	N	2.75	67	61	
7	29.986	57.5	56.0	5.	NE	S	2.00	65	61	
8	.392	57.5	55.2	10.	SW	SSW	2.00	65	58	
9	.856	53.0	51.7	6.	E	N	3.25	65	56	
10	30.026	57.0	54.7	10.	S	S	1.25	61	61	
11	.238	49.0	47.2	10.	S	S	5.00	63	52	
12	.311	47.5	45.2	8.	SSW	S	5.50	61	50	
13	.318	50.5	48.0	5.	S	S	6.00	62	53	
14	.269	48.7	46.7	3.	E	N	1.00	61	55	
15	.179	52.0	50.0	4.	NE	N	1.00	61	55	
16	.104	56.0	53.0	3.	N	N	1.00	61	57	
17	.080	58.5	51.0	10.	N	N	1.00	63	61	
18	.161	57.5	56.0	9.	S	N	2.25	67	62	
19	.080	57.0	55.7	10.	N	N	1.50	64	60	
20	.109	53.5	51.5	9.	S	S	2.25	59	58	
21	.194	48.5	45.7	2.	S	S	1.75	62	51	
22	.142	44.5	42.7	1.	E	N	.75	60	51	
23	.042	50.0	48.5	10.	N	N	2.00	65	57	
24	29.988	56.0	53.5	9.	N	N	5.25	65	58	
25	.786	57.5	55.5	9.	N	N	14.75	68	61	
26	.977	58.0	56.0	10.	S	S	14.50	64	61	
27	30.002	53.0	52.0	10.	S	N	.50	64	56	
28	29.996	56.5	55.0	6.	N	N	4.50	2.15	60	
29	.929	57.0	54.5	6.	NNE	N	3.00	66	61	
30	.840	56.5	53.7	5.	S	N	3.25	65	60	
31	.793	52.5	50.5*	7.	E	S	3.75	64	56	

Notes.—Clouds.—10 is an overcast sky, and 0 is a cloudless sky.

Wind: Force.—The Maximum Pressure in 24 hours in lbs. and decimal parts of a lb. on the square foot.

Barometer.—The height, is reduced to sea level, at a temperature of 32 deg. Far.

Thermometer Means.—Deducible from the Maximum and Minimum readings at 10 a.m., of the 24 hours previously.

Maximum in Sun's Rays and Shade.—These figures are the readings at 10, a.m., and like the wind's force, thermometer means, and fall of rain apply to the 24 hours previously.

JOHN KNOWLES, in Charge.

Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862.

NOTICE.

By an order of the Supreme Court made on the 24th day of June 1863, the petition of William Waring Taylor, Debtor, that an *ad interim* mandamus should issue, that the Courts and Effects of the said Debtor in the Otago District in the Province of Otago, under the provisions of the "Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862" should issue, and that the Courts and Effects should be taken into the hands of William Waring Taylor as Trustee for the said Debtor, subject to the further order of the Court.

A. de B. BRANDON,
Solicitor for the Trustee.

Colonial Government Notices.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 2nd July, 1863.

The following contributions from the *Provincial Districts* are published for general information:

J. WOODWARD,
Acting Provincial Secretary.

Appointments of Mercantile Assessors under the Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862.

The following are the names of the Mercantile Assessors appointed for the respective Provinces set opposite their names:

- James Kelham, Esq.
 - James Woodward, Esq. } Wellington.
 - William Bell, Esq.
- ALFRED DOMETT.

Coroners Appointments.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Judicial Department,
Auckland, 24th June, 1863.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

- BARRY SMITH, Esq.,
of Manawatu, AND
 - CHARLES GEORGE HAWSON, Esq.,
of Otago, to be Coroners within the Province of Wellington.
- ALFRED DOMETT.

Appointments of Public Officers.

General Post Office,
Auckland, 16th June, 1863.

IN virtue of the power conferred by His Excellency the Governor, the following appointments have been made in the service of the Colony:

Wellington.

JOHN BROWN READING,
to be Postmaster at Kaitiaki from the 1st July, 1863.

For the Postmaster General.

Resignation of Capt. Bannatyne.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 22nd June, 1863.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of CAPT. WILLIAM BELL BANNATYNE, of the 1st Battalion, Wellington Militia.

ALFRED DOMETT.