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Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th February, 1857.

THE following Despatch from the Colonial Secretary is published for general information.

I. N. WATT.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, February 9th, 1856.

Sir.—With reference to writs for the election of Members of the Provincial Council of New Plymouth which have been returned by the Returning Officer of that Province, I have the honor to direct your attention to the circumstance that the 30th Section of the Constitution Act provides that no Bill passed by the Provincial Council of any Province, and reserved for the Governor's assent, shall have any force until the Superintendent shall signify to the Provincial Council or by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, that such Bill has been laid before, and assented to by, the Governor.

The Ordinance to establish an Executive Government of the Province of New Plymouth and to enlarge the Provincial Council being a bill so reserved and assented to, it is necessary that it should be notified in the manner prescribed and having hitherto been unable to discover that your Honor's predecessor had in this respect complied with the provisions of the Constitution Act I cannot without further information, authorised the persons returned in the respective Writs to be Gazetted as duly elected, as in the event of the Governor's Assent not having been notified in one or other of the prescribed forms the recent election of members for the Provincial Council cannot be considered as valid, the number of members returned for each Electoral District being in excess of that specified in Sir George Grey's proclamation under the Constitution Act and only authorised under the provisions of an Ordinance which does not become law until proclaimed by the Superintendent.

Should therefore the assent of the Governor to that Ordinance not have been notified previous to the late election of members for the Provincial Council I have to request that your honor will cause it to be proclaimed in the Government Gazette and transmit to me a copy of such proclamation in order that new writs may be issued for the election of members for the Provincial Council in

accordance with the provisions of the above mentioned Ordinance.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Honor's most obedient servant,
E. W. STAFFORD.

His Honor the Superintendent,
New Plymouth.

P.S.—Your Honor will also perceive the necessity under the above mentioned clause of the Constitution Act, of delivering a duplicate of the Ordinance and of the notification of the Governor's assent thereto, duly attested, to the Registrar of the Supreme Court or other proper officer, to be kept among the records of the Province.

E. W. S.

NEW ZEALAND STEAM POSTAL
SERVICE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, Feb. 19, 1857.

THE subject of Steam Postal Communication between Australia and the various Provinces of New Zealand having been referred by His Excellency's Government to the Provinces for the purpose of obtaining an expression of opinion on the most preferable line to be adopted, I, George Cutfield, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of New Plymouth, hereby appoint a Public Meeting to be held at the Masonic Hotel, New Plymouth, on Saturday, the 28th day of February instant, at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, for the object stated.

A copy of the *New Zealand Government Gazette*, containing documents referring to the establishment of the steam service, is deposited at the Post Office for general reference and information.

GEORGE CUTFIELD,
Superintendent.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 7th February, 1857.

RETURN of ORDINANCES passed by the Provincial Council of New Plymouth, Sessions 1 to 4 inclusive.

No.	TITLE.	Date of Passing.	Date of Assent.	Remarks.
(SESSION 1.)				
1	An Ordinance to appropriate money to the Public Service for the Province of New Plymouth.	26 October 1853.	5 November 1853.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 1, No. 4.
2	An Ordinance to regulate the appointment of Provincial Officers.	26 October 1853.	12 November 1853.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 1, No. 5.
3	An Ordinance to appropriate money to the Public Service for the Province of New Plymouth.	23 December 1853.	13 January 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 1.
4	An Ordinance to authorise the raising of a Loan for the purchase of Native Lands within the Province of New Plymouth.	4 February 1854.	6 February 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 3.
5	An Ordinance to facilitate the acquisition of Native Lands within the Province of New Plymouth.	7 March 1854.	8 March 1854.	Disallowed. Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 5.
6	An Ordinance to regulate the Municipal Police of the Town and Province of New Plymouth.	23 December 1853.	18 March 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 6.
7	An Ordinance to declare that Publicans' Licenses and Auctioneers' Licenses shall henceforth be issued by the Treasurer of the Province.	22 March 1854.	29 March 1854.	Amended Sess. 3, No. 5. Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 7.
8	An Ordinance to authorise and regulate the Impounding of Cattle and to provide for the summary recovery of compensation for damage done by Cattle trespassing.	5 April 1854.	8 April 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 9.
9	An Ordinance to appropriate money to the Public Service for the Province of New Plymouth.	5 April 1854.	8 April 1854.	Amended Sess. 2, No. 11. Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 11.
10	An Ordinance to regulate the expenditure of money applicable to the promotion of Immigration.	4 February 1854.	8 April 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 12.

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No.	TITLE.	Date of Passing.	Date of Assent.	Remarks.
(SESSION 2.)				
1	An Ordinance to appropriate money to the promotion of Immigration into the Province of New Plymouth.	11 October 1854.	12 October 1854.	Not Printed.
2	An Ordinance to regulate the occupation of certain unenclosed lands in the Town of New Plymouth.	10 October 1854.	12 October 1854.	Printed, Gazette Vol. 2, No. 21.
3	An Ordinance to make certain Fees, Fines, Forfeitures, and Penalties, payable to the Treasurer of the Province for the public uses thereof.	28 November 1854.	28 December 1854.	Not Printed.
4	An Ordinance to appropriate the Revenue of the Province from the 30th day of September 1854 to the 31st December 1855.	21 December 1854.	4 January 1855.	Not Printed.
5	An Ordinance to prevent the extension of the contagious disease in sheep called "Scab."	28 December 1854.	25 January 1855.	Not Printed.
6	An Ordinance to establish and regulate Ferries.	28 December 1854.	25 January 1855.	Not Printed.
7	An Ordinance to constitute the Offices of the Provincial Government and to establish a Public Seal.	11 January 1855.	25 January 1855.	Not Printed. Repealed.
8	An Ordinance to make general provisions respecting the Form, Interpretation, and Effect of the Ordinances of the Province of New Plymouth.	11 January 1855.	25 January 1855.	Not Printed.
9	An Ordinance to provide for the maintenance of Public Works within the Province of New Plymouth.	4 January 1855.	1 February 1855.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 3, No. 2.
10	An Ordinance for taking an Annual Census of the Province of New Plymouth.	18 January 1855.	1 February 1855.	Not Printed. Disallowed.
11	An Ordinance to amend the Impounding and Cattle Trespass Ordinance.	25 January 1855.	13 February 1855.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 3, No. 4.
12	An Ordinance to declare the non-liability of the Officers of the Provincial Government in respect of engagements entered into by them on behalf of the Provincial Government.	31 May 1855.	31 May 1855.	Not Printed. Disallowed.
13	An Ordinance to provide for the clearing of road lines by the Owners of land having frontage thereon.	22 March 1855.	14 June 1855.	Not Printed. Disallowed.
14	An Ordinance for taking an Annual Census of the Province of New Plymouth.	31 May 1855.	14 June 1855.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 3, No. 11.
15	An Ordinance to extend and facilitate the remedy for recovery of rates made under the Public Works Ordinance.	26 April 1855.	3 July 1855.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 4, No. 12.

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No.	TITLE.	Date of Passing.	Date of Assent.	Remarks.
	(SESSION 3.)			
1	An Ordinance to prevent the spread of the Scotch Thistle.	26 December 1855.	2 January 1856.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 4, No. 1.
2	An Ordinance to appropriate the Revenue of the Province of New Plymouth from the 31st day of December 1855 to the 31st day of December 1856.	26 December 1855.	2 January 1856.	Not Printed.
3	An Ordinance to restrict the sale on Sundays of intoxicating Liquors.	8 April 1856.	11 April 1856.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 4, No. 5.
4	An Ordinance to provide for the clearing of road lines by the Owners of land having frontage thereon.	8 April 1856.	28 April 1856.	Not Printed.
5	An Ordinance to amend the Municipal Police Ordinance of the Town and Province of New Plymouth, Session 1, No. 6.	22 October 1856.	27 October 1856.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 4, No. 15.
6	An Ordinance to authorise the construction of certain lines of road. (SESSION 4.)	22 October 1856.	27 October 1856.	Printed, Gazette, Vol. 4, No. 13.
1	An Ordinance to establish an Executive Government of the Province of New Plymouth and to enlarge the Provincial Council.	19 November 1856.	Reserved.	Not Printed. Assented to by the Governor, 11 Dec., 1856.
2	An Ordinance to appropriate money to the Public Service of the Province of New Plymouth.	19 November 1856.	22 November 1856.	Not Printed.

I. N. WATT.



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NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 13th March, 1857.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance to amend the Impounding and Cattle Trespass Ordinance, Session 2, No. 11, it is provided that if any cattle shall be found wandering at large, or depasturing without licence, (whether loose or tethered,) in any road, street, or public place within any district of the Province in which the native title shall have been extinguished, the owners or persons having charge thereof shall forfeit and pay, by way of penalty, for every head of great cattle so found wandering or depasturing, any sum not exceeding five shillings, and not less than two shillings and sixpence, and for every head of small cattle so found wandering or depasturing, any sum not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, and not less than sixpence—so that the total amount of the penalty for each offence do in no case exceed the sum of fifty shillings, Now I, George Cutfield, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of New Plymouth, do hereby, in exercise of the powers vested in me for this purpose, fix and specify that the fee to be taken and charged by the Poundkeeper in each case shall be the minimum charge of two shillings and sixpence for great cattle and sixpence for small cattle.

GEORGE CUTFIELD,
Superintendent.

TENDERS FOR RATIONS.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
New Plymouth, March 10, 1857.

TENDERS will be received at this office until noon on Saturday, the 28th instant, for supplying the undermentioned RATIONS as they may be required at the Gaol, New Plymouth, for nine months, commencing on the 1st of April next.

Ration No. 1. at per ration.
" 2 "
" 3 "

Particulars may be obtained at this office.

Tenders to be sealed, and endorsed "Tender for Rations."

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

BEACH WAREHOUSE.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
13 March, 1857.

NOTICE.—Applications in writing to rent, till 31st December next, the Iron Warehouse on the Beach, will be received at this Office till Saturday the 28th instant, at 2 o'clock.

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

RURAL LAND SALE POSTPONED.

IT being impossible in the interim to obtain the approval of the Provincial Council; the Sale of Rural Land notified in the Government Gazette of the Province of 11th February last, to take place on the first day of April next, is postponed.

GEORGE CUTFIELD,
Superintendent.

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
New Plymouth, 24th March, 1857.

WITH reference to the terms of Sale of Town Sections on the 15th December 1856 for rates due thereon under the Public Works Ordinance, Session 2, No.

9, Notice is hereby given that the period for payment of the balance of the purchase money for the same is further extended to the 30th June 1857.

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE—The Superintendent has appointed

JOHN CROZIER

to be a Private in the Armed Police Force of the Province, vice Richard Coleman, discharged at his own request.

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
5th March 1857.

Date of Sale.	District.	Period sold for.	Amount.	Purchaser.
24th December 1856.	No. 1.	1st January to 31st December 1857.	£ 31 0 0	John Lye.
" " " 1857.	No. 3.	Do. Do.	26 0 0	Samuel Joll.
28th February " " 1857.	No. 2.	28th February to 31st December 1857.	10 0 0	George Yates Leithbridge.
" " " " " 1857.	No. 4.	Do. Do.	21 0 0	Edward Larwill Humphries.

RETURN of the Sale of Town Pasturage.

ROBERT PARRIS,
Provincial Treasurer.

PUBLIC WORKS ORDINANCE.

THE subjoined statement of the rates in arrear and of the lands in respect of which the rates are due is published pursuant to the provision in that behalf of an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of New Plymouth, intituled "An Ordinance to provide for the maintenance of Public Works within the Province of New Plymouth."

R. PARRIS,
Provincial Treasurer.

ROAD RATES remaining unpaid on the 2nd March 1857.

Names of Ratepayers.	Numbers of Sections.	Acres.	Amount.
<i>First District.</i>			
Clarkson John	94 Hua Block	8	£ 0 4 0
Goodman John	114 Hua "	30	0 15 0
Old James	101, 102 Hua "	15	0 7 6
Old William	15, 16 Hua "	100	1 0 0
<i>Second District.</i>			
Smart James P.	part of 91, Fitzroy Block	1	0 1 6
Goodman John	part of G. Belt	9½	0 14 3
<i>Third District.</i>			
Edgecumbe William	97 Omata Block	50	0 12 6
Windsor Frederick	131 Omata "	100	5 0 0
<i>Fourth District.</i>			
Hughes Robert	107 Omata Block	300	10 0 0
Turton Henry Hanson	96 Omata "	127	6 7 0
Adams Francis Lewis	129 Omata "	93	4 13 0
<i>Seventh District.</i>			
Hewitt Thomas	111, 133 Omata Block	78	1 19 0
Matakatea	12 Omata "	50	1 5 0
Smart James P.	119, 120 Omata "	200	5 0 0

Town District.

Names of Ratepayers.	Numbers of Sections.	Amount.
Adams A. F.	884	0 4 0
Akers Charlotte	1657	0 1 3
Aubrey Frederick & Alexander	179 1997	0 3 0
Aubrey Harcourt Richard	296 313 1132 1640	10 4 0
Bayly Thomas	965	0 2 0
Bennet Edward	65	0 2 0
Birch R. William	230 256 302 1304 1671	0 6 6
Blakey Henry	1190	0 0 6
Blakey Joshua	21 143 317 1170 1296 1528	0 8 6
Booth William	18 525 1511	0 4 0
Broadhead Samuel	332 849	0 3 6
Briggs William	1317	0 1 3
Bulkeley Jesse	1387 1395 1396	0 6 6
Burns David	2203 2218	0 1 0
Candish Thomas	61 63 64 89 90 91 651 651a	3 6 0
Cape Rev. Henry	41 45 214 231 364 1319 1349 1561 1658 1678 1749 1870	0 15 3

ROAD RATES remaining unpaid on the 2nd March 1857.

Names of Ratepayers.	Numbers of Sections.	Amount.
Chapple Joseph	287 1306 1312 1328 1670 1897 1923	0 7 9
Chippendale Charles	1086	0 0 6
Craven William	233 365 2052	0 4 6
Cross Lieut. 58th Regt.	886	0 4 0
Crossley Joseph	173 241 398 458 1579 1591 1871 2252	0 9 6
Currie Alexander	17 127 128 289 315 335 338 342 440 1075	0 13 9
Curtis Samuel	1143 1998 part of 653	0 1 6
Denniston John	660	0 3 6
Dickenson & Edwards	657 1081 1409 1427 1551	0 11 6
Eddleston William	39 71 72 314 391 675 754 1088 1278 1362	1 1 0
Edwards John	1489 1529 1539 1562 1872 1952 2194 2200 658 1283 1603 1672	0 7 6
Farrar Samuel	220	0 2 6
Fish John	101 1547	0 2 9
Fletcher Ellen	350	0 1 3
Fletcher Paul	1 22 204 218 268 410 1163 1164	0 10 9
Foster William	2209	0 0 6
Gibson John	1610	0 1 3
Gillingham Stephen	1696 1809	0 1 9
Goddard James	196 1254 1305	0 3 9
Godfrey Daniel	1078 1079	0 2 9
Goodall Isaac	347 1581 1626	0 3 9
Gover Eleanor	27 30 102 1948	0 4 9
Gover Emily	421 1873 1942 2232	0 3 6
Gover Maria	78 104 211 1532 2309	0 7 0
Gover William Glegg	8 9 29 31 32 47 48 49 50 74 75 76 198 270 284 285 286 340 341 422 867 1104 1124 1503 1523 1940	1 14 6
Gutch George	447 471	0 1 6
Haigh Thomas	1648	0 1 3
Haining John	46 293 344 399 724 1566 1652	0 8 9
Hartley Bernard	597	0 7 6
Hartley Joseph	852	0 0 6
Hartley Moses	2130	0 0 6
Hebblethwaite Thomas	337 349 375	0 3 6
Hine Rev. Vesey Germaine	177 346 637 984 1158 1817 1848 1928	0 11 0
Hodgson Thomas	12 43 142 294 345 707 1318 1669 1900 2193	0 12 6
Holt John	116 312 339 362 545 1191 1256 1287 1738	0 11 3
Hughlings Harry	7 97 115 118 144 229 318 489 492 514 515 517 566 580 740 741 742 784 977 1054 1297 1315 1320 1321 1337 1497 1558 1560 1594 1619 1643 1668 1757 1764 2201 2202 2212	2 9 3
Hutchinson John	209 516 1784	0 4 0
Ibbotson Rev. Charles	117 232 248 336 363 459 739 1279 1288 1294 1411 1422 1563 1628 1644 1718 1719 1845 1943 2002 2032 2042 2055 2188 2235 2259	1 16 0
Ibbotson Eliza	727 728 738	0 6 0
Ibbotson Frederick	6 208 462 494 1306a 1423 1815 1816 2258	0 12 9
Ibbotson Sarah	1082 1295 1553	0 4 3
Inch Paul	148	0 2 6
Ingham John	343 1667	0 1 9
Ironside Rev. Samuel	944 945	0 17 6

ROAD RATES remaining unpaid on the 2nd March 1857.

Names of Ratepayers.	Numbers of Sections.	Amount.
Jardine Charles Spencer	1386	0 1 6
Jennings William	1629	0 1 3
Julian Richard	979	0 2 0
Key Henry Garret	196a 491 661 983 1413 1568 2190	0 8 9
Kidd James	38	0 1 3
Kidman James	1602	0 1 6
Lethbridge Thomas	part of 649 part of 630	2 3 0
Midgley Thos. & Sunderland J.	1740 2198	0 1 6
Morehouse Thomas	160 2053	0 3 0
Moore William jun.	1428	0 3 6
Mouncey Samuel	1361	0 1 6
Muller Frederick Sotheby	260 261 1419 1433	0 10 0
Nash Stephen	922	0 10 0
Ogilvie Alexander Charles	691 1074 1144 2050	0 11 6
Pollard George	321 1559 1627	0 3 9
Poulter James	1410 1914 1990	0 3 3
Radford Joseph	114 412	0 3 0
Ramsbottom William	171 1234	0 3 3
Remnant Frederick William	425 499 1184 1429 1865	0 7 9
Rigby Peter junior	3 52 157 228a 846 860 861 941 1755 2251	0 17 6
Robinson James	part of 654	0 2 0
Ross Alexander	part of 613	0 0 9
Rouch Rev. Frederick	33 242 982 1342 1388 1389 1573 1682 1847	0 16 3
Russell Thomas	524	0 1 0
Smart James Pickford	2141	0 1 0
Smith Samuel	49 42 196b 692 1502 1604 1605 1646 1712 1731 1953	0 18 9
Spurdle William	879 880 882 883 part of 895 part of 896 897 898 914	3 9 6
Stayner Joseph	2248	0 0 6
Street	part of 698	0 3 6
Sutcliffe Samuel Appleyard	1060 1080 1552	0 4 6
Sutton Charles	924	0 10 0
Sutton Francis Alicia	5 26 1950	0 3 0
Tamati	1435 1436 1437	0 9 0
Taylor George	1625	0 1 3
Taylor Henry	1390	0 2 6
Taylor Mary and Jane	470	0 0 6
Te Ropiha Moturoa	1405	0 1 6
Te Haena	1482	0 2 6
Thompson Mrs	part of 699 part of 700	0 10 6
Tunno Edward Rose	125 674 703 980 1192 1392 1397 1451 1508 1509 1663 1690 1858	1 3 3
Turner John & Holmes Wm.	396 397 1846	0 3 0
Vipan David Jennings	141 1247 2061	0 4 3
Wainhouse Robert	40 44 432 490 554 1306b 1311 1647 1666 1898 1901 1960 2068 2233 2257 20 99 199 207 753 872 1272 1400 1424	0 16 3
Walker Charles	1430 1432 1507 1622 1630 1753 1756 2041 2059	1 16 3
Ward George Lawlor	part of 682	0 3 6

ROAD RATES remaining unpaid on the 2nd March 1857.

Names of Ratepayers.	Numbers of Sections.	Amount.
Ward Mary	28	0 1 3
Waterhouse Samuel junior	689 1280 1515 1564 1606 1631 2056	0 10 3
Waterhouse Thomas Poole	390 1638 1896	0 3 0
Watson John (London)	24 25 123 129 449 473 474 1042	0 9 6
Watson John junior	10 197 366 448 1298 1301 1778 1789	0 8 9
Wescott James Sutton	280 281 306 851 1161 1636	0 6 6
Wheeler William	188	0 1 0
White Dr 65th Regt.	993 part of 994.	0 2 6
Whitehead Thomas Charles	383	0 2 0
Wigglesworth Elizabeth	2253	0 0 6
Wigglesworth Hannah	522	0 1 0
Williams & Spurdle	667	1 15 0
Wilson Mary	437 847	0 3 0

Provincial Secretary's Office,
26th March, 1857.
THE following Notice is republished from the General Government Gazette for public information.

I. N. WATT,
Provincial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 11th March, 1857.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, on the recommendation of his Honor the Superintendent of New Plymouth, to appoint

WILLIAM HALSE,
to conduct the sale of Waste Lands of the

Crown within that Province, under the New Plymouth Land Regulations, and to receive the moneys arising from the sale, letting, disposal, and occupation of such lands, vice Richard Chilman, resigned.

By his Excellency's command,

F. WHITAKER,

In the absence of the Colonial Secretary.

ERRATUM.—In page 23, in the List of the Rates in arrear for the Fourth District, for *Adams Francis Lewis* read *Adams Richard*.



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Colonial Government will be charged, viz. :—

NOTICE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 27th March, 1857.
POST OFFICE.

In conformity with arrangements made with the Imperial Government, by authority of the General Assembly the following charges will be made at the several General Government Post Offices in New Zealand after the receipt thereof respectively of a copy of the Government Gazette containing this notice, viz. :—

On all Letters for the United Kingdom via Southampton, or by a long sea route,

	s. d.
Not exceeding ½ an ounce in weight	0 6
Exceeding ½ an ounce, but not exceeding 1 ounce	1 0
Exceeding 1 ounce, but not exceeding 2 ounces	2 0

And 1s. additional for every ounce or fraction of an ounce.

On all Letters for the United Kingdom via Marseilles an additional rate will be charged, viz. :—

	s. d.
Under a ¼ of an ounce	0 3
Weighing a ¼ of an ounce, and under ½ an ounce	0 6
Weighing ½ an ounce, and under ¾ of an ounce	0 9
Weighing ¾ of an ounce, and under 1 ounce	1 0

And one additional rate of 3 pence for each ¼ of an ounce, or fraction of a quarter of an ounce.

On all Letters and Newspapers for the Continent of Europe, via Trieste, a rate in addition to any postage payable to the Co-

Letters not exceeding ¼ an ounce	s. d.
“ exceeding ¼ an ounce, and not exceeding 1 ounce	1 0
“ exceeding 1 ounce, and not exceeding 2 ounces	2 0
“ exceeding 2 ounces	4 0

And an additional rate of 2s. for each ounce or fraction of an ounce.

	s. d.
Newspapers	0 2

Rates of Postage on Letters and Newspapers forwarded via the United Kingdom to the Colonies and Foreign Countries are stated in the Tables published in this Gazette. In addition to those charges the letters are liable, according to the route by which they are sent, to the foregoing Rates of Postage on Correspondence for the United Kingdom.

Book Packets will be forwarded between the United Kingdom and New Zealand at the following rates of postage :

	s. d.
For a Packet not exceeding ½ lb.	0 8
Exceeding ½ lb., but not exceeding 1 lb.	1 4
Exceeding 1 lb., but not exceeding 2 lbs.	2 8
Exceeding 2 lbs., but not exceeding 3 lbs.	4 0

NOTE.—On all Letters and Book Packets forwarded from New Zealand the several Rates of Postage set forth herein must be prepaid. Newspapers from New Zealand for the United Kingdom will be forwarded free.

All Letters, Newspapers, and Book Packets, received in Mails from the United Kingdom will be delivered free at all the Post Offices of the General Government of the Colony.

By his Excellency's command,
E. W. STAFFORD.

