

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 27th August, 1861.

IT is hereby notified that Writs issued for the election of Members of the Provincial Council for the Province of Taranaki, have been returned with certificates to the effect that,—

For the District of Grey and Bell,—

James Thomas Upjohn,
William King Hulke,
Harry Albert Atkinson,
William Northcroft,
William Bayly,
James Crowe Richmond,
William Tatton,
have been duly elected.

WILLIAM FOX.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 5th September, 1861.

THE following Ordinance, passed by the Superintendent and Provincial Council of Taranaki, intituled,—

“ An Ordinance to facilitate and regulate the application of charitable and other funds obtained for the relief of sufferers from the war,”

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to leave the same to its operation.

WILLIAM FOX.



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TENDERS FOR WHEELBARROWS.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 24th Sept. 1861.

THE following Tenders for the construction of six wheelbarrows have been received and are published for general information :—

TENDER ACCEPTED.	
Oliver C. Spurdle.....	£ 7 10 0
TENDERS REJECTED.	
Levi Sarten.....	£ 7 16 0
Peter Allan.....	£10 10 0
Wm. Bassett	£10 10 0

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 26th Sept., 1861.

TENDERS will be received at this office until noon on Wednesday, the 2nd Oct. next, for making a Table with drawers, &c. Further particulars may be obtained on application at this office.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Sub-Treasury,
New Plymouth, 23rd Sept., 1861.

THE Tender of Mr. G. W. WOON for Printing for the General Government for 12 months ending 30th June, 1862, has been received and accepted.

JOSIAH FLIGHT,
Acting Sub-Treasurer.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 25th September, 1861.

THE following letter relative to the Taranaki Relief Fund is published for general information :—

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Lyttelton, 6th August, 1861.

SIR,—I am directed by the Lyttelton Committee to forward the funds at their disposal to the Treasurer of the Relief Committee at Taranaki, to be expended in accordance with the resolutions of the 23rd May, which I had the honor to forward you on a previous occasion.

Not knowing the name of the gentleman who acts as Treasurer to the Committee at Taranaki, it has been thought advisable to send through yourself. I therefore enclose a draft on the Union Bank of Australia at Auckland for the sum of Four Hundred and Twenty-one Pounds, sixteen shillings, and two pence, being the amount in the Lyttelton Bank to the credit of the Fund. Hoping to hear of its reception by you in due course,

I have, &c.,
(Signed) J. G. FYFE,
Hon. Sec. to the Lyttelton
Taranaki Relief Fund Committee.

His Honor
The Superintendent,
Taranaki.

PROCLAMATION.

By CHARLES BROWN, Esquire Superintendent of the Province of Taranaki.

WHEREAS, by an act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the "Superintendent's Deputy Act, 1856," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for the Superintendent of any Province, by proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette* of such Province, to appoint such person as he may think fit, being a registered elector of such Province, to be his Deputy, and as such to perform and exercise all the acts and powers (except such powers as are conferred by the Constitution Act, 15 and 16 Vic., c. 72), which may be exercised

and performed by such Superintendent, or such of them only as shall be specified in such proclamation. Now, therefore, I, the Superintendent of the Province of Taranaki, do hereby appoint

EDWARD LARWILL HUMPHRIES, Esquire, Speaker of the Provincial Council, to be my Deputy during my absence from the said Province, and as such to perform and exercise all the acts and powers appertaining to the office of Superintendent, except such as are conferred by the Constitution Act.

Given under my hand, at New Plymouth, this twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.



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Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 8th October, 1861.

THE following Address from the inhabitants of Taranaki to Governor GORE BROWNE, C.B., and the reply of His Excellency thereto, are published for general information:—

E. L. HUMPHRIES,
Deputy-Superintendent.

To His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

SIR,—We, the undersigned inhabitants of Taranaki, desire upon your Excellency's approaching departure from New Zealand to express our appreciation of your administration of the Government of the Colony, and more especially of the measures taken by your Excellency in connection with the natives of this district.

Although great suffering and loss to our community have resulted from the hostilities which afterwards ensued in this Province, we cannot hesitate to express our

conviction that the measures referred to were proper and necessary, and consistent with the rights and interests of both races. Compelled, as we had been, for years to be passive spectators of the lawlessness of the natives towards ourselves, and latterly of their own internecine feuds, we hailed with unqualified satisfaction the announcement of your Excellency's determination to put an end to so disastrous a state of affairs. That your Excellency's intentions were not more ably seconded we have had ample cause to deplore, but we look forward with confidence to the eventual success of the policy with which your Excellency's name will always be associated, believing that it is founded in strict justice, and that it will confer on both races a degree of prosperity and happiness that could not otherwise be attained.

In bidding your Excellency farewell and expressing a hope that health and happiness may attend your Excellency in your new command, we would wish to associate the name of Mrs Gore Browne.

We have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Excellency's obedient and faithful
servants.

New Plymouth, Taranaki,
26th August, 1861.

Brown, Chas., Superintendent
Humphries, E. L., Speaker, P.C.
Cutfield, G., M.L.C.
Atkinson, H. A., M.H.R.
Richmond, J. C., M.H.R.

Adams, E. Adams Brooking, Wm.
Allan, James Brown, H. H., M.A.,
Allan, P. Clerk
Allan, C. Brown, H., jr.
Allan, John Brown, Thos.
Allan, S. Brown, W.
Allen, S. Buck, J.
Allen, T. Buer, J.
Allen, T. Bullock, C.
Allen, W. Bullock, E.
Amois, W. Bullock, E. I.
Anderson, G. B. Burgess, E.
Andrews, J. Burton, G. R., J.P.,
Ansg, W. M.P.C.
Armitage, E. A. Burton, W. M.
Armstrong, J. H. Caddy, H.
Ascoli, D. Caddy, J.
Atkins, W. Callaghan, O.
Atkinson, D. Cameron, D.
Atkinson, W. S. Cameron, J.
Autridge, James Cannell, W., Wesleyan
Bailey, H. Minister
Baker, John Carrick, M.
Baker, Robert Carrick, M.
Baker, Robert, jr. Carrington, N.
Baker, Wm. Carrington, O.
Baldwin, W. J. Carter, Jas.
Ball, Jas. Chadwick, W. R.
Ballantyne, W. Chawner, E.
Barker, Jas. Cherry, Benjamin
Barnes, Jas. Chilman, R.
Barriball, H. Clare, C.
Barriball, W. Clare, Thos.
Bassett, Wm. Cock, George
Batten, Jas. Cock, R.
Batten, Wm. Colesby, J.
Batten, W., jr. Coleson, Thos.
Bayley, Geo. Collins, Jas.
Bayley, Percy Collins, Jno.
Bayley, Reginald Collins, Thos.
Bayly, A. Collins, W.
Bayly, Ascott Colson, A.
Bayly, D. Colson, Thos.
Bayly, Isaac Cook, Thos.
Bayly, Jas. Cooke, G. G.
Bayly, T. Copelin, W.
Bayly, T., jr. Corbett, G.
Bayly, W., M.P.C. Corbett, J.
Bayly, W., jr. Corbett, J., sen.
Beardsworth, C. A. C. Corbett, J. Glasfurd
Berridge, J. Corney, G.
Berridge, Wm. Corney, Jerh.
Bertrand, G. Corney, J.
Betts, G. P. Cotler, M.
Bishop, Benjamin Cowling, W.
Bishop, Daniel Crocker, J.
Bishop, John, sen. Crompton, H. J.
Bishop, W. Crompton, W. M., J.P.
Bishop, Walter Crozier, J.
Bishop, Wm. Cudd, E. J.
Bishop, Wm. Cudlipp, E.
Black, Hugh Cunningham, R.
Black, John Curtis, Chas.
Black, Walter Curtis, G., J.P., M.P.C.
Black, Wm. Curtis, G. N.
Blake, Wm. Curtis, S.
Blaschke, W. Curtis, W.
Brandon, H. Curtoys, T. T.
Brewer, W. H. Dalby, H. A.
Broadmore, F. Davies, G.
Broadmore, Geo. Davies, J. C.
Brook, R. Densy, D.
Brooking, A. Devenish, W.
Brooking, J. Dingle, J.

Dixon, Manley
Donkin, C. B.
Donnelly, J. C.
Drayton, B.
Duncan, G. E.
Duncan, J. R.
Dunn, J.
Dunshee, S.
Earle, A. R.
Earley, H.
Edgecombe, A.
Edgecombe, C.
Elliot, Jas.
Elliot, Jno.
Elliot, P.
Eva, S.
Everett, C.
Faull, H.
Ferguson, D.
Fiddes, J.
Fisher, A.
Fishleigh, S.
Fleming, James
Foote, C. W.
Ford, H.
Foreman, R. W.
Fox, B.
Francis, T.
Francis, W.
Free, W. H.
Freeman, E.
French, H.
French, W.
Fuller, G.
George, Pearson C.
George, T. J.
George, Wm.
George, W. jr.
Giddy, G.
Gilbert, H.
Gilmour, J.
Gilmour, R.
Ginger, J. G.
Ginger, W. S.
Gledhill, F. U., M.P.C.
Gledhill, T.
Goddard, Thos.
Godfrey, D.
Good, Thos.
Grant, G.
Gray, James
Grayling, W. I.
Greaves, F. S.
Greenway, R.
Greenwood, R.
Greenwood, R. W.
Grey, Charles
Grey, William
Groves, P.
Groves, W. H.
Grylls, John
Grylls, R.
Grylls, Wm.
Gyde, Joseph
Gyde, W. J.
Haigh, G. B.
Hales, W.
Hall, H.
Hall, J. W.
Halse, W., J.P.
Hamblyn, C.
Hamblyn, C., jr.
Hamblyn J.
Hamblyn, Thos.
Hamblyn, T.
Hammerton, R. C.
Hammond, E.
Hemingway, W.
Handy, John

Harris, Jas.
Harrison, Job
Harrison, W.
Harrison, W., jr.
Hartley, J.
Harton, F.
Harvey, James
Harvey, John
Hawke, J.
Hawke, J., jr.
Hawken, H.
Hawken, Joseph
Hay, Jas.
Hay, W.
Heal, R.
Heal, Thos.
Heal, W.
Hellier, W.
Hempton, T.
Henry, J.
Henshaw, T.
Herbert, Charles
Hesketh, C.
Higginson, E.
Hirst, Jas.
Hoby, G.
Hoby, G., jr.
Hollis, E. W.
Homeyer, C.
Homeyer, H.
Honeyfield, H. J.
Honeyfield, Jas.
Honeyfield, W.
Hood, Wm.
Hooker, N.
Hoskin, A.
Hoskin, A. J.
Hoskin, H.
Hoskin, M.
Hoskin, R.
Howell, H.
Howell, S.
Hughes, R.
Humphries, Thos.
Humphries, W.
Hunt, H.
Hunt, Thos.
Hursthouse, C. W.
Hussey, J. E. W.
Hussey, W.
Ibbotson, T.
Ibbotson, T., jr.
Inch, Paul
Inch, Thos.
Ingermills, W.
Isaacson, C.
James, S.
Johnson, Isaac
Johnson, J.
Johnson, J., jr.
Johnson, W.
Joll, S., sen.
Joll, Samson
Joll, Samuel
Jonas, M.
Jones, E.
Jones, H.
Jones, J.
Jones, Jas.
Jones, M.
Jones, W.
Jordan, G.
Jordan, J.
Jordan, W.
Julian, N. H.
Julian, S.
Jury, J.
Jury, Richard
Jury, W.

Keeling, Robert
Kelly, J.
Kelly, J., sen.
Kelly, Thos.
Kenyon, T.
King, H., J.P.
King, S. P., J.P.
King, T., J.P.
Kingcome, C.
Kingdon, Adolphus
Kingdon, Augustus
Kingdon, Courtenay
Kingdon, Richd., M.D.
Kivell, J.
Knight, J.
Laing, E. B.
Laird, James
Lander, J. R.
Lander, Richard
Langman, R.
Law, R.
Lawrence, B. C.
Lawrence, J. D.
Lawson, J. B.
Lawson, J. R.
Lethbridge, G. Y., M.P.C.
Lethbridge, R.
Lethbridge, R., sen.
Looney, J. J., M.P.C.
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Loveridge, R.
Loveridge, S.
Lowe, R. S.
Lowe, Thos.
Lyll, W.
Lye, E.
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Macbean, T. J.
McDonald, D. B.
McDonald, J.
McDonald, J. K.
Maddougall, D.
Mace, F. J.
McEvoy, Jas.
McGahey, C.
McGuinness, T.
McKellar, A.
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McKellar, J.
McKechney, W.
McKenzie, T.
McNaughton, John
Madden, R. J.
Marriott, H.
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Master, J. S.
Matthews, S.
Maunsell, R. B.
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Medland, R. H.
Messenger, C. J.
Messenger, W. B.
Middleton, B. R.
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Moon, P.
Moore, P.
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Morrison, H.
Morrison, W. J.
Morshead, E. T.
Moyle, E.

Nash, S. H.
Nelson, C.
Newell, S.
Newland, H.
Newland, J., sen.
Newland, J., jun.
Newland, W.
Newman, J.
Newsham, T.
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Nichols, W.
Norris, W. S.
Northcroft, W., Prov. Sec.
O'Brien, J.
Okey, E.
Old, R.
Old, W.
Oliver, C.
Oliver, F.
Oliver, Geo.
Oliver, John
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Oliver, Samuel
Oliver, W.
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Parker, J.
Parris, R., J.P.
Parsons, J.
Parsons, T.
Pattinson, G.
Pattimore, Jacob
Pattimore, Joseph
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Paynter, W.
Pearce, James
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Pearn, E.
Pearn, Jas.
Pearn, Jonathan
Pellew, Israel
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Pepperell, J.
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Perry, Walter
Perry, William
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Pope, C. A.
Pratt, E. J. C.
Priske, Peter
Priske, Philip
Prout, J.
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Rawson, C. E.
Rawson, F. G.
Rawson, H. F.
Rawson, T. E., M.D.
Reade, G.
Reed, N.
Rendall, W.
Revel, F.
Revel, J.
Reynolds, James
Reynolds, James, jun.
Reynolds, John C.
Richards, W.
Richardson, G. H.
Richmond, H. R., J.P.
Roberts, John
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Robertson, H. B.
Robinson, Geo.

Rogers, Jonathan
Rogers, W.
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Ronalds, J. A.
Rose, E.
Rossiter, Jas.
Rossmann, C.
Rouse, W. H.
Rowe, H. N.
Rowe, R.
Rowe, W.
Rundle, R., jun.
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Rundle, S.
Rundle, Wm.
Ryan, Geo.
Sampson, C.
Samuel, J., D.D.
Sardinai, A. R.
Sarten, L.
Scammell, G.
Scandlyn, R.
Scandlyn, Thos.
Scott, W. H.
Scott, Walter Wm.
Secombe, W. H.
Sharland, J. C.
Shaw, E. J.
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Shaw, James T.
Shaw, John
Shaw, T.
Sheeres, L. R.
Sheppee, J. W.
Shute, T. W.
Shuttleworth, A.
Shuttleworth, D.
Shuttleworth, H.
Shuttleworth, W.
Silcock, O.
Simmonds, H.
Skinner, T. K.
Skinner, W. H.
Smart, J. P.
Smart, Wm.
Smith, A. Randolph
Smith, H. S.
Smith, John
Smith, J. H.
Smith, J. S., J.P.
Smith, J. Mainwaring
Smith, Ralph
Snell, R.
Sole, D.
Sole, T.
Sole, W.
Sollom, P. J.
Spence, R. G. C.
Spurdle, O.
Spurdle, W.
Spurdle, W. A.
Standish, F.
Standish, G.
Standish, T., solicitor
Stapp, C.
Steer, J.
Steer, W.
Stewart, W.
St. George, E.
St. George, G.
Stockman, E. W.
Stockman, F.
Street, Joseph
Street, Jacob
Street, Richd.
Sutcliffe, Thos.
Sutherland, B.
Symes, F.
Tate, G.

Tatton, G.
Tatton, W., M.P.C.
Tatton, W., jun.
Taylor, Hy.
Tennant, W.
Terrill, J.
Thompson, A.
Thompson, R.
Thorpe, E.
Trent, F.
Tresallet, J. M., Catholic
Clergyman
Trigger, J.
Trim, H.
Tunncliffe, G.
Upjohn, J. T., M.P.C.
Veale, John
Veale, Thos.
Veale, Thos., jun.
Waite, T.
Wakefield, W. K.
Walker, W. B.
Wallis, H.
Wallace, W.
Waller, Thos.
Ward, C.
Ward, F. W.
Ward, G. L.
Ward, James
Ward, John
Ward, R., Primitive Me-
thodist Minister
Ward, R., jun.
Ware, D.
Waters, John
Watson, J.
Watson, W.
Watt, C.
Watt, I. Newton
Watt, N.
Watts, W. L.
Watty, P.
Webster, F. L.
Webster, J.
Webster, W. D.
Wells, B.
Wells, R.
Wells, Z. W.
Wells, W.
Wells, W., jun.
Weston, Geo.
Weston, Hy.
Weston, T. S., solicitor
Weston, Warwick
Wheeler, T.
White, F. A.
White, R.
White, T., M.P.C.
Whiteley, J., Wesleyan
Missionary
Willcocks, E. S., solicitor
Willcocks, E. S., jun.
Williams, G.
Wills, Albert
Wills, J.
Wills, J., jun.
Wills, Thos.
Windsor, F.
Windsor, H.
Wood, H. H.
Wood, T.
Woon, Garland W.
Worsley, C. B.
Wright, E.
Wright, H.
Yates, H. T.
Yems, J., M.P.C.
Young, G.

Government House,
Auckland, 30th September, 1861.

SIR,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an Address signed by almost all the adult male inhabitants of your Province, and I beg you to accept and convey to those who signed it my most sincere thanks for this gratifying proof of their good will.

I have always felt that the Colonists of Taranaki desired only the suppression of lawless violence, and the permanent establishment of law and order; and by their gallantry, and the patience with which they have endured suffering and loss, they have proved that they were and are willing to risk all men value most dearly in order to secure them. That neither time nor suffering has altered their sentiments, or weakened their determination, is as honorable to them as it is gratifying to me.

I earnestly hoped to have seen the set-

tlers of Taranaki re-occupying their homes and reaping the harvests of their labour without fear of interruption, and I looked forward to a not distant future when an increased prosperity (the result of established order) would make them forget the past, and consider their exertions not ill requited. It is a subject of very great regret to me that I am obliged to leave New Zealand without seeing the fulfilment of this expectation; but I earnestly hope and believe that the time is not far distant when they will enjoy the blessings of permanent peace and prosperity, for which they have—and will always have—my earnest prayers and most sincere wishes.

I have, &c.,

T. GORE BROWNE.

His Honor
The Superintendent,
Taranaki.



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NOTICE UNDER CATTLE BRANDS'
ORDINANCE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 15th October, 1861.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the power vested in me by the above Ordinance, I have appointed the yard situate on Mr. Rossiter's farm, between the Mangorei road and the river Waiwakaiho, as the place in the Lower Mangorei District at which Cattle are to be exposed previous to branding.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 15th October, 1861.
PERSONS cultivating Town land are particularly cautioned against burning furze and fern towards nightfall, the same being liable to mislead the garrison.

The inhabitants are likewise cautioned against throwing or causing offensive matter to be thrown or deposited in the Town ditches.

The above are infringements of the Municipal Police Ordinance, and, moreover, interfere with the military occupation and protection of the Town. The Police are accordingly instructed to prosecute in all cases occurring after this notice.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 15th October, 1861.
THE following letter from Colonel Warre, C.B., Commanding H.M.'s Troops Taranaki is published for general information, and the Superintendent trusts that it will be implicitly obeyed by the inhabitants of the Province.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Garrison Office,
New Plymouth, 14th October, 1861.
SIR,—I have the honor to request that you will inform the inhabitants of New Plymouth that, pending arrangements now in progress for the settlement of Native difficulties, it is not expedient that any intercourse shall take place between Europeans not authorised to do so and the Natives known to be inimical to Her Majesty's Government; and to desire that all Europeans shall abstain from visiting the Native settlements at Mataitawa, &c, on the north, and the settlements south of the Tapuae-ruru river. The Tataraimaka block being unoccupied and detached from the European settlements should not at present be re-occupied or visited by individuals; but His Excellency the Governor will not fail to give early attention to the isolated position of the owners of property on this land.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. J. WARRE, Colonel,
Commanding Troops Taranaki.

His Honor
The Superintendent of Taranaki,
New Plymouth.



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Vol. IX. NEW PLYMOUTH, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1861. No. 23.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 19th October, 1861.
IT is hereby notified for general information that the Offices of the Provincial Government will close for the future at 2 o'clock p.m. on Wednesdays, instead of Saturdays as heretofore.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

NOTICE UNDER CATTLE BRANDS'
ORDINANCE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 19th October, 1861.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the power in me vested by the above Ordinance, I have appointed the pen on Captain Atkinson's farm as the only place in the Hurworth District at which Cattle are to be exposed previous to their being branded.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

[Reprinted from *New Zealand Gazette*.]

Warrant appointing additional Commissioners for International Exhibition of 1862.

By His Excellency Colonel THOMAS GORE BROWNE, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS it has been publicly notified that an International Exhibition of Agricultural and Industrial Products will be held at London in the year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-two. And whereas a Commission was issued under my hand and seal, bearing date the fourth day of August last, appointing Commissioners in several of the Provinces

in the Colony of New Zealand, for the purpose of receiving articles the produce or manufacture of the said Colony, and of selecting and transmitting to London such articles as may be thought worthy of exhibition in the said International Exhibition, and of communicating with Her Majesty's Commissioners in England respecting such transmission. And whereas it is expedient that the persons hereunder mentioned should be also appointed as Commissioners for the Province of Taranaki in addition to those already appointed by the said recited Commission. Now Know Ye, that I, Thomas Gore Browne, Governor of the said Colony, have thought fit to appoint, and by these Presents do constitute and appoint the persons hereunder mentioned in addition to those already appointed by the said Commission to be Commissioners in the Province of Taranaki,

naki, for the purposes above mentioned, viz :—

GEORGE RUTT BURTON,
GEORGE CURTIS,
RICHARD PHENEY.

And I do by these Presents give and grant to the above persons in conjunction with those already appointed as aforesaid, or any two or more of them, full power and authority to carry into effect the purposes of the said Commission, by all lawful means whatsoever.

Given under my hand and seal at the Government House at Auckland, this tenth day of September, in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and sixty one.

T. GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's command,
WILLIAM FOX.

ABSTRACT of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the Provincial Government of Taranaki during the year ended the 31st December, 1860.

Cash in hand 31st December, 1859 £41 18 10

REVENUE.

Customs 2722 2 2

General Government—

Guaranteed Land Fund 2016 13 4
Surplus Revenue 500 0 0

Licenses, Auctioneers 80 0 0
Publicans' 162 10 0
Pasturage 41 0 0
283 10 0

Town Pound, Fees and Fines 3 10 0

Registration 36 17 7

Miscellaneous—

Rent of portion of building in Brougham-street 12 0 0
Willis, Gann & Co. 138 4 10

Immigration—

Repayments on account of assisted passages from Melbourne and England 32 0 0

Advances accounted for—

J. Gladstone & Co. 36 16 8

£5823 13 5

EXPENDITURE.

Superintendent's Department—Superintendent ... 300 0 0
Clerk 150 0 0
450 0 0

Executive Council—Provincial Secretary 100 0 0
Provincial Treasurer 100 0 0
Attorney of the Province 100 0 0
300 0 0

Provincial Council—Speaker 50 0 0

Provincial Treasury—Clerk 216 13 4

Public Lands and Surveys Commissioner 200 0 0
Surveyor 236 13 4
do. Forage 50 0 0
Draughtsman... .. 25 0 0
Assistant Surveyor 60 0 0
Cadet... .. 20 0 0
Drawing and Tracing Paper, &c. 58 18 2
Repairing Surveying Instruments 23 0 3
Survey of Tarurutangi Block 30 15 0
Tools for Survey party 4 2 6
708 9 3

Registration—Registrar of Deeds 150 0 0
Rent of Office 12 0 0
Account Books 31 9 11
193 9 11

Police Department—Sergeant (also Poundkeeper and Sergeant-at-Arms) 120 0 0
2 Privates... .. 127 10 0
Forage 26 0 0
Gaoler 96 0 0
Rations for prisoners, cooking, &c. 52 10 10
422 0 10

Inspector of Brands 9 6 8
Eradication of Scotch Thistles... .. 43 7 6
Charitable Aid 88 13 0
Rent of Offices 82 5 0
Printing and Stationery 105 13 5
Interest—Union Bank of Australia, Interest on Debentures 58 19 10
J. Gladstone & Co., Interest on Advances... .. 13 1 8
72 1 6

Contingencies—

Passages to and from Nelson and Auckland on public business 39 10 0
Hauling Fencing for Town Pound, and land near Fort Stapp 25 5 6
Compensation for road through Mr. Richardson's land for approaches to Waiwakaiho Bridge 18 0 0
Law expenses 16 15 0
Medical aid and Funeral expenses 16 7 0
Charge of Powder Magazine 13 17 6
Subscriptions to Newspapers 11 9 6
Storage of Arms 10 1 0
Steel die for seal of Province 8 1 0

Carried forward.....159 6 6 £2742 0 5

Contingencies—	Brought forward...	159 6 6	2742 0 5
	Law charges for Iron Sand Lease ...	7 19 10	
	Postage... ..	6 19 6	
	Repairs to Public Offices and furniture	5 7 6	
	Premium on Bank Bills remitted to		
	England	3 0 0	
	Sundry small amounts	12 7 11	
		<hr/>	195 1 3
Public Works, opening Bush roads—			
	First District, 40 chains	14 0 0	
	Fifth District, 65 chains	15 18 0	
		<hr/>	29 18 0
Bridges and Culverts—			
	In full for Victoria Mill bridge ...	40 0 0	
	Repairing culvert in Carrington road ...	6 0 0	
	Wood grating for culvert by Victoria		
	Mill Bridge	2 0 0	
	Repairing Bridges	1 17 4	
	Clearing wood from river by Henui		
	bridge	1 0 0	
		<hr/>	50 17 4
Roads—			
	Repairing Roads in Town District ...	167 7 1	
	Roadway to Victoria Mill bridge, 4th		
	District	19 19 4	
	Repairs, Bayly road, 5th District ...	1 5 0	
	Tools	7 0 6	
		<hr/>	195 11 11
Erection of Armoury			49 3 0
Parinihi Tunnel			78 19 4
Gaol building account—levelling site for building ...			71 5 9
Immigration, in full for Immigrants per Frenchman ...			24 9 5
Debentures cancelled			600 0 0
Advances to be accounted for—			
	General Government, balance of amount		
	advanced for Harbor Department,		
	Public Relief, and contingent ex-		
	penditure	1288 16 10	
	J. Gladstone & Co.	74 0 7	
	G. Robinson	8 10 0	
	Town District, on account of Road Rates	59 15 0	
	Second " " " " " "	7 15 2	
	Fourth " " " " " "	54 18 9	
	Fifth " " " " " "	42 17 8	
	Sixth " " " " " "	24 11 0	
	Ninth " " " " " "	23 19 1	
	Tenth " " " " " "	7 4 6	
		<hr/>	1592 8 7
Cash in hand 31st December, 1860			193 18 5
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			£5823 13 5

We certify that we have examined the above Account with the Vouchers and find the same to be correct.

(Signed)

T. WHITE, Chairman,
JAS. THOS. UPJOHN,
WILLIAM NORTHCROFT,
F. U. GLEDHILL,

} Board of Audit

New Plymouth, 24th September, 1861.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

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NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 6th Nov., 1861.

WHEREAS, by an Ordinance of the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Taranaki entitled the "Town of New Plymouth Consolidation Ordinance, 1859," the boundaries of the Town site of New Plymouth were altered and contracted, and certain allotments situated outside the new boundaries, belonging to residents and absentees, were reselected from the Public Reserves within the present site: *And whereas* the reselections were conducted according to the original order of choice attached to such allotments, and reselections of land were made provisionally on behalf of absentees, who were either without agents to represent them, or whose agents were not specially authorised to act in their behalf. *This is therefore to give Notice* that all provisional exchanges of land will be confirmed by legal enactment (subject to any special claim for loss or damage accruing from such reselection), and the lands surrendered will form part of the Public Reserves, in lieu of those chosen in the new Town, unless the proprietors thereof shall on or before the 31st of December, 1862, notify their disallowance of the reselections made.

CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
New Plymouth, 2nd Nov., 1861.

I HAVE appointed
WILLIAM HALSE
to be Provincial Attorney. The appointment to date from 28th May, 1861.
CHARLES BROWN,
Superintendent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Hobart Town, 20th August, 1861.
LIGHT-HOUSE, CAPE WICKHAM, KING'S
ISLAND, TASMANIA.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Circular Stone Tower, One hundred and forty-five feet high, and painted white, has been erected for a Light-house on the hill near Cape Wickham, at the north end of King's Island, in Bass's Straits, and from which a *fixed White Light* will be exhibited on and after the first day of November next.

The Light is of a first-class Catadioptric description, at an elevation of Two hundred and eighty feet above the level of the sea, and, in clear weather, will be visible from the deck of a vessel about eight leagues on an arc of the horizon to seaward from S.S. W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. round the compass northerly to E.S.E.

The attention of Mariners is also earnestly called to the following extract from the Report of the Light-house Commissioners appointed by the Governments of

New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, and Tasmania:—

"In advising the erection of a Light-house on this Island, the Commissioners wish to guard themselves from affording the public any reasonable supposition that this Light can be at all considered in the position of a great highway Light for the navigation of the Straits. The south coast of New Holland, at the western entrance of Bass's Straits, being free from danger, affords, in their opinion, the safest shore for the prudent Mariner to approach; and they conceive that the Light on King's Island is only to be regarded as a Beacon for warning Navigators of danger, rather than as a leading Light to a great thoroughfare."

The bearings following were taken in 1855, by Commander Ross, *R.N.*, from the sight of the Light-house:—

Western extremity of Harbinger Reef, N. 69° W.; distance, 4½ miles.

Eastern extremity, N. 54½° W.; distance, 4 miles.

Navarino Shoal, N. 34½° E.; distance, 2½ miles.

Southern extremity of New Year's Island, S. 39° W.; distance, 9 miles.

Northern ditto, S. 49½° W.; distance, 7½ miles.

The bearings are magnetic; variation 10° east.

C. M. MAXWELL,
Chairman Marine Board.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

[No. 26.]

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.
REEF OFF STEWART ISLE, NEW ZEALAND.

IT appears from an examination of the Weather book of the ship Bruce, Thos. Meiklejohn, Commander, in her passage from Otago by the south of New Zealand to Calcutta, in November last, when passing the south-east extreme of South or Stewart Island, discovered a dangerous Reef, which is not laid down in the Admiralty or any other Charts, or noticed in the New Zealand Pilot or Sailing Directions.

This danger which is described as two low rocks from 3 to 6 feet high, and close together, on which the sea breaks heavily, lies in the direct track of vessels closely rounding Stewart Island in proceeding to or from the southern settlements of New Zealand.

Its position, which appears to have been determined with some accuracy, is as follows:—

7 one-tenth miles E. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N. from Owen Island off Lord's River.

5 one-tenth miles E. by N. $\frac{1}{4}$ N. from the extreme of the Break Sea Isles.

3½ miles E. by S. $\frac{2}{3}$ S. from Wreck Reef off Port Adventure.

7¼ miles S.E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. from East Head, north of Port Adventure.

Or, in latitude 47° 7' 35" S., and long. 168° 21' 35" E.

Soundings, though tried for, were not obtained in its neighbourhood, from the rapid rate of sailing of the ship in passing the danger.

CAUTION.—It is creditable to Captain Meiklejohn to have entered the discovery of this Reef in his Weather book; but it is greatly to be regretted that he did not take some steps immediately on his arrival at Calcutta or in England to make public the existence of this very serious danger which lies but little out of the sailing track of ships bound to the southern settlements of New Zealand.

Had not the remark been seen by Rear-Admiral Fitz Roy (who was searching this book for Meteorological facts, and at once transmitted it to the Admiralty for publication) this reef might not have been heard of until it had caused the wreck of a vessel. On being applied to for further information Captain Meiklejohn readily sent up his original Chart on which the reef was marked at the time, and there can be little doubt of its existence; Masters of vessels are therefore warned to keep a good look out in this neighbourhood. They are further requested, on the discovery of any danger, to report the same immediately on arriving at the first port, in order that other vessels may be put on their guard, and for the general benefit of the Mariner.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation, 16° 20' East in 1861.]

By Command of their Lordships,
JOHN WASHINGTON,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office,
Admiralty, London,
15th August, 1861.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Zealand, General, No. 1212; Foveaux Strait and South Island, No. 2533; New Zealand Plans No. 2542; Pacific Ocean, General, No. 2683, and Sheet 10, No. 2468; and New Zealand Pilot, p. 224.

PROVINCE OF TARANAKI.

A RETURN of the SALE of CROWN LANDS and of RECEIPTS from the 1st to the 30th September, 1861, inclusive.

No of Allotment.	Contents.	Bidding per acre.	Price.	Purchaser.	Cash.	Government Scrip.	Provincial Scrip.	N.Z. Co.'s Land Orders.	Naval and Military Land orders.
19	a. r. p. 60 0 0			Tarururangi Block. George Williams.....					a. r. p. 60 0 0
20	60 0 0			Joseph Hobson					60 0 0

W. HALSE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.