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T. H. FITZGERALD,
 Superintendent.

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Superintendent's Office,
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HIS HONOR THE SUPERINTENDENT has directed the following to be published for general information.

G. T. FANNIN,
 Superintendent's Clerk.

DELEGATION OF THE GOVERNOR'S POWERS
 UNDER THE "WASTE LANDS ACT, 1858,"

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.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME
 GREETING:—

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled the "Waste Lands Act, 1858," it is enacted that, subject to the several Acts, Ordinances, Regulations, and Bills specified in the schedule to the

said Act, and in cases where no provision shall have been made in such behalf, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty to constitute such officers and boards, and appoint such officers as may be necessary for the management and administration of the waste lands of the Crown and for the survey thereof within the several Provinces of the Colony, and from time to time to make such changes and alterations and remove such officers as he may think fit: And it is further provided by the said Act that it shall be lawful for the Governor, under his hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, from time to time to delegate to the Superintendent of any Province, or to such other person as the Governor may think fit (amongst other powers and authorities) the before recited power and authority, subject or not to any limitations or restrictions as he may think fit, and in like manner to revoke any such powers.

Now therefore, I, Thomas Gore Browne, the Governor as aforesaid of

the said Colony, do hereby delegate to Thomas Henry FitzGerald, Esquire, the Superintendent of the Province of Hawke's Bay in the said Colony, all the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, so far as the same are above recited without any limitation or restriction soever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Colony to be affixed, this twenty-third day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty.

(Sigd.) T. GORE BROWNE.

By His Excellency's command,
(Sigd.) E. W. STAFFORD.

Entered on record in Register of Patents, No. 1, Folio 627, this 23rd day of November, 1860, by me.

(Sigd.) W. GISBORNE,
For the Colonial Secretary and Registrar.

PROCLAMATION.

By THOMAS HENRY FITZGERALD, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Hawke's Bay in the Islands of New Zealand.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the management and administration of the Waste Lands of the Crown within the Province of Hawke's Bay, hitherto under the control and direction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands only, should in future be vested in a Board of Commissioners composed of persons to be styled Commissioners of the Waste Lands Board of the Province of Hawke's Bay. And whereas the exercise of all the powers given to the Governor by clause 3 of the Waste Lands Act of 1858, was by him delegated to me under the public seal of the Colony on the 23rd day of Nov., 1860, without any limitation or restriction whatsoever.

Now therefore, I, Thomas Henry FitzGerald do hereby declare and appoint that on and after the 1st day of the ensuing month of April the administration of the Waste Lands of the Crown in this Province shall cease

to be vested in the Commissioner of Crown Lands, and shall from that time forward be vested in a Board of not less than five Commissioners, of whom one shall be called the Chief Commissioner, and who shall, acting with the approval of the majority of the members of the Board, conduct all the ordinary business of the Land Office as the Commissioner of Crown Lands does at present. And I do further appoint that another member of the Board shall act as Secretary to the Waste Lands Board and keep an official record of its proceedings, conduct its correspondence &c.; and that any three members of the Board provided they include either the Chief Commissioner or Secretary, shall form a quorum for the dispatch of business.

Dated at Napier, this fifth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty one.

T. H. FITZGERALD,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Napier, March 16, 1861.

IT is Hereby Notified for general information that, acting on the power given to His Excellency the Governor, by Clause 3 of the "Waste Lands Act, 1858," and by him delegated to me, under the Public Seal of the Colony, on the 23rd day of November, 1860,—I have appointed the following gentlemen as members of the Waste Lands Board of the Province of Hawke's Bay.

HENRY STOKES TIFFEN, Esq., to be Chief Commissioner of the Waste Lands Board;

HENRY BOWMAN SEALY, Esq., to be a Commissioner and Secretary to the Board;

JOHN CHAMBERS, Esq., JOSEPH RHODES, Esq., THOMAS DAWSON TRIPHOOK, Esq., to be Commissioners.

T. H. FITZGERALD,
Superintendent.