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(PROVINCE OF NELSON).

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By His Honor's command,

S. L. MULLER, *Provincial Secretary.*

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Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Nelson, February 19, 1857.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs it to be notified for general information, that a Writ for the Election of a Member of the Provincial Council for the under-mentioned district in the Province of Nelson having been issued, in accordance with the provisions of an Act to grant a Representative Constitution to the Colony of New Zealand, the Returning Officer of the said district has returned the said Writ, with a certificate to the effect that the under-mentioned gentleman has been duly elected to serve as a Member of the said Provincial Council for the said district.

For the Amuri District—

STEPHEN LUNN MULLER, of the Town  
of Nelson, Esquire.

By his Honor's command,  
ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Clerk to Provincial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Auckland, November 11, 1856.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information, that, with a view to the early consideration of such documents, all Memorials, or other communications to the General Government, affecting the administration of the Provincial Governments of the respective Provinces of New Zealand, should be transmitted, unsealed, through the Superintendents of such Provinces.

By his Excellency's command,

E. W. STAFFORD.

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Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Nelson, February 19, 1857.

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs the publication of the following Returns for general information.

By his Honor's command,

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Clerk to Provincial Secretary.

STATEMENT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the Province of NELSON,  
for the Quarter ended the 31st December, 1856.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
ORDINARY REVENUE. £ s. d.			CIVIL. £ s. d.		
Customs—(being Three-eighths of Gross Revenue) .....	983	17 5	Superintendent's Department .....	187	10 2
Police Fees .....	168	19 4	Provincial Secretary's .....	133	15 4
Police Fines .....	39	2 0	Provincial Treasurer's .....	52	10 0
Registrar of Deeds, Fees .....	143	13 2	Harbour .....	208	1 4
Government Wharf, Rent .....	21	13 6	Police .....	343	6 5
Publicans' Licenses .....	6	13 4	Medical .....	323	6 11
Powder Magazine .....	11	16 8	Registrar of Deeds .....	108	12 0
		1,375 15 5	Provincial Council .....	84	14 4
INCIDENTAL.			Auditor .....	16	13 4
Miscellaneous .....	174	14 6		30	0 0
TERRITORIAL REVENUE.			JUDICIAL.		
Commissioner of Crown Lands— Land Sales, &c.....	1,779	12 7	Provincial Solicitor's Department	83	6 8
		1,779 12 7	Sheriff and Gaol .....	185	5 1
			Magistrates' .....	113	0 5
			Coroner's .....	27	5 0
			PUBLIC PURPOSES.		
			Public Works Department .....	193	1 8
			Roads and Bridges .....	1,196	13 3
			Establishment of Reading Rooms	61	13 0
			Education .....	750	0 0
			Exploration and Surveys, &c.....	45	8 6
			Jetty at Motueka .....	393	10 0
			Clearing Aorere River .....	50	0 0
			Houses of Accommodation .....	20	0 0
			Additions to Gaol .....	109	12 0
			Pounds .....	1	0 0
			Government Wharf .....	2	0 6
			Buoys and Beacons .....	30	12 6
			Lesser Public Works .....	73	2 2
			Miscellaneous .....	183	5 3
			Charitable Aid .....	66	3 8
			Printing and Gazette .....	39	11 11
TOTAL REVENUE .....	£	3,330 2 6	TOTAL EXPENDITURE .....	£	3,215 14 5
Balance from last Quarter .....	£	3,182 1 3	Balance to next Quarter and Year.....	£	5,113 1 5
TOTAL .....	£	6,512 3 9	TOTAL .....	£	1,399 2 4
					6,512 3 9

Nelson, 13th January, 1857.

JOHN POYNTER,  
Provincial Treasurer.

STATEMENT of CUSTOMS REVENUE collected at the Port of Nelson, during the Quarter  
ended 31st December, 1856.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	AMOUNT.
Spirits	£ s. d.
Tobacco	837 19 3
Cigars and Snuff	238 7 6
Duties under Sections of the Act 1 to 11	46 10 0
Duties by Measurement	606 5 6
Warehouse Rents	836 8 7
Crown's Share of Seizures and Penalties	8 1 3
	48 16 2
TOTAL .....	£ 2,622 8 3

Nelson, 2nd January, 1857.

D. ROUGH,  
Collector.



ABSTRACT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND DEPARTMENT of the Province of NELSON, for the Quarter ended the 31st December, 1856.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sales of Land . . . . .	863 17 6	Salaries . . . . .	337 10 0	
Depasturage Assessments . . . . .	267 5 1	Contingencies . . . . .	24 10 1	
Depasturage Licenses . . . . .	98 0 0			362 0 1
Timber Licenses . . . . .	2 10 0	Deposits Repaid . . . . .		4 5 0
TOTAL AVAILABLE . . . £	1,231 12 7	Revenue accruing to Provincial Government . . . . .		865 7 6
	£ s. d.	Do. accruing to the General Government . . . . .		49 15 0
Deposits on Applications for Land . . . . .	82 7 0	Balance carried on to next Quarter, being the Amount of Unavailable Deposits . . . . .		232 7 0
Do. on Applications for Runs . . . . .	150 0 0			
	232 7 0			
Fees on Crown Grants . . . . .	49 15 0			
TOTAL RECEIPTS . . . £	1,513 14 7	TOTAL EXPENDITURE . . . £		1,513 14 7

Land Office, Nelson,  
12th January, 1857.

ALFRED DOMETT,  
Commissioner.

RETURN of CROWN LANDS sold during the Year ended the 31st December, 1856.

PERIOD.	Town.	Suburban.	Rural.	TOTAL SALES.	Sold for		TOTAL AMOUNT.
					Cash.	Scip.	
1856.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
March Quarter . . . . .	4 0 0	778 2 30	10,554 0 0	11,336 2 30	3,626 6 3	870 2 6	4,496 8 9
June do. . . . .	1 1 0	817 1 0	8,348 0 0	9,166 2 0	3,860 12 6	747 15 0	4,608 7 6
September do. . . . .		100 0 0	1,430 0 0	1,530 0 0	624 18 6		624 18 6
December do. . . . .	3 0 0	376 2 0	2,297 0 0	2,676 2 0	863 17 6	608 10 0	1,472 7 6
TOTALS . . . . .	8 1 0	2,072 1 30	22,629 0 0	24,709 2 30	8,976 14 9	2,226 7 6	11,202 2 3

To the above amount of £11,202 2s. 3d., received during the year, must be added the sum of £10,000, cash paid as a deposit by Mr. W. Robinson for land in the Amuri District, awaiting survey: the quantity depending upon the character of the land selected.

ALFRED DOMETT,  
Commissioner.





ABSTRACT GAOL RETURN for the Quarter ended the 31st December, 1856.

Received into Gaol during the Quarter.	For Debt.	For Misdemeanour.	For Felony.	For Safe Custody as Lunatics.	For Offences against Naval or Military Discipline.	TOTAL.	In Gaol at the Commencement of the Quarter.	Discharged from Gaol since.	In Gaol at the Close of the Quarter.
Soldiers . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sailors . . . . .	—	4	—	—	—	4	2	4	2
Civilians . . . . .	1	4	1	—	—	6	10	6	10
Maories . . . . .	—	—	2	—	—	2	1	2	1
TOTAL . . . . .	1	8	3	—	—	12	13	12	13

B. WALMSLEY,  
Sheriff.

Survey Office, Nelson,  
19th February, 1857.

I, THE undersigned, THOMAS BRUNNER, of the Town of Nelson, in the Province of Nelson, New Zealand, Principal Surveyor, *hereby give Notice*, that I intend to APPLY to two or more Justices of the Peace, having jurisdiction in the said province, at a Meeting to be held on MONDAY, the Sixth day of April now next, at the Court House, Nelson, for an ORDER for STOPPING UP and DIVERTING the under-mentioned ROAD. And I hereby give further notice, that I will cause a survey-plan of the road proposed to be stopped up, and of the road proposed to be substituted for the same, together with the book of reference, to be deposited with the Clerk to the Magistrates, and with Mr. THOMAS FAGAN, of Nelson, Chief Constable:—

*To stop up* a road in the district of Suburban North, through Section numbered 27, commencing at the main line of road through Happy Valley, and proceeding about 14 chains in a southerly direction, and thence about 13 chains in an easterly direction, crossing the Happy Valley stream, and terminating at the road leading to Mr. Close's. Also *to stop up* part of a certain other road, branching out of the aforesaid road near to the house of Mr. Blanchett, and running in a south-easterly direction for about 7 chains, and terminating where the road proposed to be substituted joins the road leading up the valley of the river Lud.

And *to substitute* in the place thereof a certain other road, 60 links in width, through the aforesaid Section numbered 27, commencing at the

main line of road aforesaid, at the same point as the first-named road, and proceeding in an easterly direction along the boundary fence of the said Section numbered 27 for about 12 chains, and thence in a southerly direction for about 14 chains, until it joins the aforesaid road, leading up the valley of the river Lud. And also a road to branch from the aforesaid road, crossing the Happy Valley stream at the ford, and terminating at the road leading to Mr. Close's.

THOMAS BRUNNER,  
Principal Surveyor.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto subsisting between us, the undersigned, under the firm of ALFRED FELL AND COMPANY, as general merchants and commission agents, at Nelson, in the province of Nelson, New Zealand, was this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent, and that all Debts due to or owing by the said Firm will be received and paid by the undersigned ALFRED FELL.

Dated this sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

ALFRED FELL,  
H. SEYMOUR.

Witnesses—  
DONALD SINCLAIR, solicitor, Nelson,  
JOHN BARLEYMAN, his clerk.

N.B.—The Land Agency business of Messrs. Fell and Seymour will be carried on as hitherto at their new office in Trafalgar-street, Nelson, opposite to the warehouse formerly occupied by them.

APPLICATIONS for DEPASTURAGE LICENSES, in accordance with the LAND REGULATIONS of 1st JULY, 1856, received by the Commissioner of Crown Lands during the Month of January, 1857.

John Ross . . .	District—Queen Charlotte's Sound. Boundaries—North, by Kaipura Sound; West, by Endeavour Inlet and a line drawn therefrom running North to Kaipura Sound; South to North-east, by Queen Charlotte's Sound. Estimated extent—Under twenty thousand acres. Deposit paid—£30.		Westward, by the River Wai-au-ua; Northward, a line running equidistant between the Hanmer and the Wai-au-ua; North-eastward, a line running at right angles to Wai-au-ua $\frac{1}{4}$ mile to the Westward of the bridle-path from Barefell Pass. Estimated extent—Under ten thousand acres. Deposit paid—£15.
Alexander and John Bow	District—Queen Charlotte's Sound. Being the peninsula bounded by the sea, Gore Harbour, and Queen Charlotte's Sound; on the South-west, by a line drawn from Ship Cove to Anamahunga in Gore's Bay. Estimated extent—Under ten thousand acres. Deposit paid—£15.	George Jackson .	District—Port Underwood. Boundaries—Northward, from the spur dividing Robin Hood's Bay from Ocean Bay, and continuing up the ridge to the summit of the dividing range between Port Underwood and Queen Charlotte's Sound; Eastward, by the coast-line from the foot of the said spur to the Southern point of White's Bay; Southward, from the foot of the said spur from White's Bay continuing up to the dividing range; Westward, by the summit of the dividing range between Port Underwood and the Tua Marina Valley. Estimated extent—Five thousand acres. Deposit paid—£15.
William Handcock	District—Upper Takaka. Boundaries—Northward, by a line running East and West across the valley, about one mile North of the commencement of the ascent of the proposed bridle-track; Eastward and Westward, the summit of the first line of hills; Southward, a line parallel to the Northern boundary, at a distance of about 3 miles. The centre of the above run is called the second grass plain. Estimated extent—Two thousand acres. Deposit paid—£15.	Hugh Stafford .	District—Upper Motuoka. West of the Motuoka River, being a block extending two miles North and South on each side of a stream called the "Baton," and as far westward as to include 10,000 (ten thousand) acres. Deposit paid—£15.
J. D. Greenwood	District—The Amuri. Boundaries—Southward and		

ALFRED DOMETT,

Land Office, Nelson,  
5th February, 1857.

Commissioner.

Crown Land Office, Nelson,  
19th February, 1857.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Waste Land Regulations, Notice is hereby given that the claims of the undermentioned persons will be heard at the office of his Honor the Superintendent, on TUESDAY, the 7th of April next, at noon.

WILLIAM LUKE SHEPHERD,  
E. S. LEE,

Respecting a run between the rivers Hanmer and Waiau-ua in the Amuri district.

ALFRED DOMETT,  
Commissioner.