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By His Honor's command,
ALFRED DOMETT, Provincial Secretary.

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Provincial Secretary's Office, Nelson,
May 8, 1861.

HIS "Honor" the Superintendent directs the publication of the following Reports and Returns for general information.

ALFRED DOMETT,
Provincial Secretary.

**REPORT of the COMMISSIONERS
of IMMIGRATION of the PROVINCE
of NELSON.**

In the Report laid before the Council by the Commissioners last year, it was stated that authority had been forwarded to Mr. Tytler to advertise for and accept tenders for the conveyance of Immigrants to this Province, that authority was carried out by Mr. Tytler in a satisfactory manner, the tender of Messrs. Shaw, Saville, & Co. was accepted at £16 per adult, and the ships *Bride* and *Wild Duck* brought out Immigrants under that contract. Shortly after this arrangement was concluded, the Commissioners were informed of the appointment of Mr. John Morrison as General Agent for New Zealand, and an offer was made by that gentleman to conduct the Nominated Emigration to Nelson for 5 per cent. on the passage money, and Mr. Tytler having recommended the

acceptance of Mr. Morrison's services, Messrs. Shaw, Saville, and Co. were served with a notice, which terminated their contract on the 26th December last, and the following arrangement was entered into with Mr. Morrison, viz.:—

1. That on receipt of schedules the agent to give notice to the persons nominated therein of their having been sent for, ascertain when they will be ready to sail, and advise and assist them generally.
2. That when a sufficient number are ready to embark, the agent to obtain tenders for their conveyance to Nelson from the Shipping Firms in the New Zealand trade, or by public notices posted at Lloyds, and the Jerusalem, and when received the acceptance to be subject to the approval of Mr. Tytler.
3. It will be the duty of the agent to inspect all ships leaving with Emigrants, and to see that the contract is properly carried out in every particular.
4. In the event of the ship not sailing on the day appointed the agent to see that the intending emigrants are provided with suitable accommodation,

and the proper allowance made to them.

5. Schedules of persons embarked must be forwarded in duplicate to the Immigration Secretary, Nelson, one copy being sent in the vessel itself.
6. Copies of Schedules transmitted from Nelson, must be retransmitted with a statement opposite the names of each person sent for, as to whether they have sailed or not, and if not the reason to be stated, and as often as an opportunity offers the agent will advise the Commissioners beforehand of the number and names of the persons about to proceed in any vessel, and the probable date of sailing.
7. When necessary proper bonds for securing the repayment of the passage money to the Commissioners of any person whose passage has not been guaranteed in the colony, to be taken by the agent, and forwarded to Nelson in duplicate.
8. Certified lists of the names and ages of persons actually embarked with the amount of passage money payable on account of same to be forwarded to Mr. Tytler and the Immigration Secretary, Nelson.

Lastly. Every precaution is to be taken by the agent to secure the comfort and well-being of the emigrants.

During the past year applications have been forwarded for 136 persons, which added to the 169 sent for previous to that date make a total of 305 souls; out of that number 97 had arrived per ships *Anne Longton*, *Bride*, and *Wild Duck*, reducing the number to 208 souls equal to about 186 adults, the cost of whose passage, at the present rate charged in England, would amount to £3,441, as shown in the statement of Liabilities.

The above estimate of the cost of passage money is made at £18 10s. per adult; this is considered high, but by the last mail a letter was received by the Commissioners from Mr. Tytler, informing them of a general rise in freights of from 20 to 25 per cent. and that passages could not be obtained for less than the amount stated.

On reference to the annexed Returns it will be seen that the total passage money repaid during the year amounted to £742 14s. 9d., and that the balance in hand is £2,971 7s. 3d., the Commissioners will, therefore, with the instalments coming due, have sufficient funds at their disposal to enable them to carry on the Immigration requisite for the Province, without the assistance of vote from Provincial Funds.

J. P. ROBINSON,
Superintendent.

Statement of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the Commissioners of IMMIGRATION, Nelson, during the Year ended 31st March, 1861.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Passage Money repaid ...	£ s. d. 742 13 9	Salary.	£ s. d.
		Secretary to Board ...	50 0 0
		Immigration.	
		Moiety of Passage Money of Immigrants per <i>Anne Longton</i> , <i>Bride</i> , and <i>Wild Duck</i> ...	609 13 0
		Ditto of Immigrants from Adelaide...	70 0 0
		Gratuities to Captains and Surgeons	83 0 0
		Miscellaneous.	
		Stationery, Advertising, &c. ...	4 15 0
Total Receipts.....£	742 13 9		£ 817 8 0
Balance from last Year ...	2,560 17 11	Balance to next year ...	2,486 3 8
	£ 3,303 11 8		£ 3,303 11 8

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Immigration Secretary.

Immigration Office, Nelson,
May 1, 1861.

Statement of LIABILITIES, &c., of the IMMIGRATION Commissioners
at the close of the Year ending 31st March, 1861.

LIABILITIES.		MONEYS RECEIVABLE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passage Money to be advanced, about	3,441 0 0	Passage Money due	1,880 15 6
Agent's Commission, Gratuities, &c. about	200 0 0	Passage Money to be repaid by instal- ments on account of passengers per ships <i>Mariner</i> , <i>Queen of the Avon</i> , and <i>Golconda</i>	2,160 5 5
Balance of Passage Money on Immi- grants per <i>Wild Duck</i>	36 0 0	Ditto per ships <i>Anne Longton</i> , <i>Bride</i> , and <i>Wild Duck</i>	1,170 19 10
		Balance in hands of Treasurer in England	485 3 7
		Balance in hands of Treasurer, Nelson	2,486 3 8
			£ 8,183 8 0
£	3,677 0 0	£	8,183 8 0

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Immigration Secretary.

Immigration Office, Nelson,
May 1, 1861.

Statement of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the Commissioners of
IMMIGRATION for the Six Months ended 31st March, 1861.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Secretary to Board, Assisted Passages repaid	478 17 5	Salary.	
		Secretary to Board	25 0 0
		Immigration.	
		Moiety of Passage Money of Immi- grants per <i>Bride</i>	176 0 0
		Gratuity to Captain	12 0 0
		„ to Surgeon	12 0 0
		On account of Passage Money per <i>Wild Duck</i>	84 0 0
		Gratuity to Captain	5 0 0
		„ to Surgeon	3 0 0
		Miscellaneous.	
		Advertising	1 0 3
			£ 318 0 3
Balance from last Quarter	2,325 6 6	Balance to next Quarter	2,486 3 8
£	2,804 3 11	£	2,804 3 11

ALFRED GREENFIELD,
Immigration Secretary.

Immigration Office, Nelson,
May 1, 1861.

Abstract of RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS of the Provincial Treasurer for the Quarter ended March 31, 1861.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Ordinary Revenue.		Departmental.	
Customs, & Gross Revenue ...	£1,811 0 4	Superintendent's Establishment ...	£208 12 8
Auctioneers' Licenses ...	120 0 0	Provincial Secretary's Department ...	110 10 4
Registrar of Deeds, Fees ...	114 6 7	Provincial Treasurer ...	50 0 0
Education Rate ...	995 16 0	Provincial Solicitor ...	83 6 8
Total Ordinary Revenue ...	3,041 2 11	Crown Land ...	592 14 1
Incidental Receipts.		Engineer ...	150 19 10
Government Wharf ...	192 7 8	Registrar of Deeds ...	162 12 10
Sub-Treasurer, Balance due by Col. Treasury ...	502 7 8	Supreme Court ...	21 2 6
Miscellaneous ...	393 10 1	Gaol ...	195 1 8
Total Incidental Receipts ...	1,088 5 5	Police ...	540 9 10
Receipts in aid of Supplementary Charges.		Native Interpreter ...	39 8 2
Sub-Treasurer, for Support of Taranaki Refugees ...	5,000 0 0	Weights and Measures ...	35 19 8
Territorial Revenue.		Registrar of Brands and Labor ...	20 13 4
Commissioner Crown Lands, Sales, &c.	14,933 15 5	Medical ...	346 6 6
		Harbor ...	328 14 2
		Provincial Council ...	102 0 0
		Miscellaneous.	
		Charitable Aid ...	156 11 9
		Miscellaneous ...	418 11 1
		Interest on Debentures ...	1,178 6 5
		Instalment under Education Loan ...	150 0 0
		Public Works and Purposes.	
		Education ...	1,920 14 9
		Surveys & Explorations ...	317 9 3
		Public Wharf, Warehouses, &c. ...	239 6 6
		Reducing Buoy Rock ...	106 17 6
		Pelorus Road, Maitai Val. ...	117 4 6
		Road, Riwaka to Takaka ...	81 17 6
		Road, Panga Totara to Upper Motueka ...	300 0 0
		Road to Grey, &c. ...	50 13 6
		Middle Road to Canterbury from Wai-iti River ...	80 7 6
		Public Libraries ...	300 0 0
		Purchase of Rifles ...	1,000 0 0
		Payments to Drill Sergeants, &c. ...	63 0 0
		Public Cemetery ...	254 10 0
		Thistle Act ...	7 15 6
		Lesser Public Works ...	66 0 5
		Existing Contracts ...	1,720 16 0
		Completion Botanical Garden Fence ...	2 8 0
		Haven Road ...	250 0 0
		Board of Works ...	350 0 0
		Suburban North Board ...	200 0 0
		Waimea Board ...	750 0 0
		Motueka ,, ...	200 0 0
		Riwaka ,, ...	150 0 0
		Moutere ,, ...	200 0 0
		Motueka Jetty & Road ...	246 0 0
		Bridle Road, Takaka to Collingwood ...	206 0 0
		Slate River Bridge, &c. ...	299 10 0
		Roads to New Diggings ...	49 0 0
		Repairs of made Roads ...	150 14 0
			9,680 4 11
Carried over.....	£ 24,063 3 9	Carried over.....	£ 14,572 6 5

ABSTRACT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PROVINCIAL TREASURER,
Continued.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Brought forward.....	£ 24,063 3 9	Brought forward.....	£ 14,572 6 5
		Supplementary Charges.	
		Government Wharf ...	144 4 10
		Taranaki Aid ...	3,046 6 6
		Refund of Revenue ...	151 3 8
			3,341 15 0
		Debentures.	
		Erection of Public Offices ...	198 14 0
		Repayment of Fees under Dog Act.	
		Dog Act (Fees in Town) ...	56 5 3
Total Receipts for Quarter	£ 24,063 3 9	Total Disbursements for Quarter...	£ 18,169 0 8
Balance from last Quarter	... 269 11 11	Balance to next Quarter	... 6,163 15 0
Total.....	£ 24,332 15 8	Total.....	£ 24,332 15 8

JOHN POYNTER,
Provincial Treasurer.

Nelson, May 1, 1861.

Abstract of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND DEPARTMENT of the Province of Nelson for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1861.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Sales of Land	£15,910 11 10	Deposits, &c., repaid ...	159 18 10
Depasturage Fees, &c.	434 0 10	Salary of Receiver of Land Revenue	37 10 0
Timber Licenses ...	5 0 0	Revenue accruing to Provincial Government, including available Deposits and Educational Reserve	15,668 3 7
	16,349 12 8	Revenue accruing to the General Government, Quarterly contribution towards Public Debt of the Colony and Balance due on last Quarter	£731 10 10
Deposits for Runs ...	95 0 0	Fees on Crown Grants	34 0 0
Crown Grant Fees ...	34 0 0		765 10 10
	129 0 0		£ 16,631 3 3
		Balance to next Quarter	... 1,125 7 5
Balance from last Quarter	£ 16,478 12 8		£ 17,756 10 8
	... 1,277 18 0		
	£ 17,756 10 8		

ALFRED DOMETT,
Receiver of Land Revenue.

Land Office, Nelson, 4th May, 1861.

Amount of CUSTOMS REVENUE collected in the Province of Nelson during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1861.

HEADS OF RECEIPT.				AMOUNT.		
Spirits	...	...	£	1,205	13	2
Tobacco	...	...	...	307	19	0
Cigars and Snuffs	...	...	...	61	7	0
Fixed Duties	...	...	...	2,088	7	2
Duties by Measurement	...	...	...	1,048	9	0
Warehouse Rents	...	...	...	18	17	7
Export Duty on Gold Dust	...	...	...	393	9	11
Incidental Receipts	...	...	...	21	17	0
Total, Nelson	...	...	£	5,145	19	10
Gross Revenue, Collingwood	...	...	...	134	19	7
Total collected in the Province			£	5,280	19	7

D. ROUGH,
Collector.

Custom House, Nelson, 15th April, 1861.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, to THOMAS CONNELL, of Hardy-street, in the City of Nelson, in the Province of Nelson, in the Colony of New Zealand, Solicitor, Greeting.

WHEREAS an Action is now pending in our Supreme Court of New Zealand, in the Middle District, between HENRY STROUD MARTIN, of the District of Waimea-east, in the said Province of Nelson, Butcher, Plaintiff, and JAMES LEGGATT, late of the said City of Nelson, Butcher, now out of the said colony, Defendant; and in order that the Plaintiff may proceed in the said Action, *We command you* that you do retain and keep all and singular the Monies and Chattels, Books of Accounts, Bills, Bonds, Notes, Securities, and other property, of whatsoever nature, in the custody or under the control of you at the time of the service of the Writ belonging to the above-named JAMES LEGGATT, or, to, or in which the said JAMES LEGGATT shall at that time be legally or equitably entitled or otherwise beneficially interested, and all Debts of every kind then due by you to such Defendant, although the

same or part thereof may be payable only at a future day. *And We further command you*, that you in your own proper person be and appear before our said Court, or a Judge thereof sitting at Chambers, at the City of Nelson aforesaid, on the Seventeenth day of July next, at Ten o'clock in the Forenoon, then and there to be examined touching the premises, and to do and to receive what shall then and there be considered of you in that behalf, this you shall in no wise omit.

[The Seal of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.]

Witness, ALEXANDER JAMES JOHNSTONE, Esquire, a Judge of our Supreme Court of New Zealand, at Nelson, the Twenty-first day of March, 1861.

This Writ was issued by WILLIAM THOMAS LOCKE TRAVERS and SAMUEL KINGDON, of Trafalgar-street, in the City of Nelson, in the Province of Nelson, in New Zealand, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

If you part with any of the Defendant's property, or pay any debts due to him, you will become personally responsible to the Plaintiff.

Land Office, Nelson,
May 4, 1861.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Land Regulations of the 15th of February, 1860, clause 25,

NOTICE is hereby given that the whole of the land in the District of the Upper Motueka and Motupiko Valleys are withdrawn from sale.

J. P. ROBINSON,
Superintendent.

ALFRED DOMETT,
Commissioner.

APPLICATIONS for DEPASTURAGE LICENSES, in accordance with the Regulations under the Waste Lands Act, 1858, received by the Commissioner of Crown Lands during the months of MARCH and APRIL, 1861.

F. G. and J. W. SHRIMPTON—District, the Wai-au-ua.

Boundaries—On the north by the Kakapo Creek and the River Wai-au-ua; on the east by the western boundary of the Montrose Run, in the occupation of Messrs. Macdonell and Monro; on the south by a line running parallel with the River Wai-au-ua and the Kakapo Creek, at a

distance of two miles from them; on the west by a line from the Kakapo Creek to the southern boundary to enclose 20,000 acres.
Deposit paid £30.

JAMES ROCHFORD—District, The Buller.

Being the open land situated in the Inangahua or Thackery and Waitu Rivers. Bounded on the northward and eastward by bush; on the southward and westward by the River Inangahua.

Estimated extent, under 3,000 acres.

GEORGE EDWARDS—District, the Wai-au-ua.

For a portion of country so as to include two grass plains, lying between the most easterly branch of the River Wai-au-ua and the next branch to the westward. Bounded on the east by the Wai-au-ua and extending westerly six or seven miles (by an average width of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles) to and beyond the branch to the westward, so as to include the whole of the westerly plains.

Estimated extent, under 10,000 acres.

Deposit paid, £15.

ALFRED DOMETT,
Commissioner.