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

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PROCLAMATION.

By his Honor ALFRED SAUNDERS,  
Esquire, Superintendent of the Pro-  
vince of Nelson, in the Islands of New  
Zealand, &c., &c.

WHEREAS, by an Act of the  
General Assembly of New Zealand,  
intituled the "Gold-fields Act, 1862," it is  
enacted that it shall be lawful for the Gover-  
nor from time to time, by proclamation, to  
constitute and appoint any portion of the  
Colony to be a Gold-field under the provisions  
of the said Act, and the limits of such gold-  
field from time to time to alter as occasion  
may require:

And whereas by the said Act it is provided  
that it shall be lawful for the Governor in  
Council, 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 deem

fit, all or any of the powers vested in the  
Governor, or the Governor in Council, by  
the said Act, except the powers conferred by  
sections 19, 31, 32, 33, and 61 thereof, sub-  
ject or not subject to any limitation or re-  
strictions as he may think fit.

And whereas by virtue of a commission  
bearing date the Twenty-eighth day of June,  
in the year of our Lord One thousand eight  
hundred and sixty-five, given under the hand  
of his Excellency Sir GEORGE GREY, K.C.B.,  
Governor of the said Colony, at the Govern-  
ment House at Wellington, and under the  
public seal of the Colony, his Excellency the  
Governor, with the advice and consent of his  
Executive Council, and in exercise of the power  
and authority in him vested, did delegate  
absolutely and without restriction unto  
ALFRED SAUNDERS, Esquire, as Superinten-  
dent of the Province of Nelson, all the  
powers vested in him under or by virtue of  
the "Gold-fields Act, 1862," except the  
powers conferred in sections 19, 31, 32, 33,  
and 61 of the said Act, to have, hold, and

exercise within the Province of Nelson, the said powers by the said commission given :

And whereas in pursuance of the power and authority so vested in me as aforesaid, I, Alfred Saunders, did by proclamation bearing date the 31st day of July, 1865, proclaim and declare certain Lands to be a Gold-field, within the meaning of the Gold-fields Act, to be called the Nelson South-west Gold-fields :

And whereas it is desirable to alter and extend the boundaries thereof :

Now therefore, I, Alfred Saunders, Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, do hereby and in pursuance of the power and authority so vested in me as aforesaid, proclaim that all that part of the Province of Nelson, hereinafter described, shall be added to and form part of the Nelson South-west Gold-fields, that is to say, All that territory comprised within the following boundaries, and commencing at a point on the West Coast midway between the Rivers Okari and Totara ; thence along the sea coast to Kongahu Point ; thence by the most direct spur to peak of Otahu Hill ; thence along top of range enclosing drainage area of the River Mokihiuni to the Marino Mountains ; thence along top of range to Mount Owen ; thence along the top of ranges eastward of the River Hope to its junction with the Buller ; thence to the nearest peak of range forming the watershed, between the River Howard and Lake Rotoroa ; thence along the top of the range to Mount Travers ; thence along the top of range to Mount Mackay and Mount Franklin ; thence along the top of the range of the Spencer Mountains to Travers' Peak ; thence along the top of range to the nearest point of the present boundary of the South-west Gold-fields : excepting so much and such parts of the land hereinbefore described, as is comprised within the Townships of Westport and Hampden, and the surveyed lands respectively adjoining thereto.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Nelson, this First day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

ALFRED SAUNDERS  
Superintendent.

Attested,  
ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

## PROCLAMATION.

By his Honor ALFRED SAUNDERS, Esquire, Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, in the Islands of New Zealand, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS, by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled the "Gold-fields Act, 1862," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by proclamation, to constitute and appoint any portion of the Colony to be a Gold-field under the provisions of the said Act, and the limits of such Gold-field from time to time to alter as occasion may require.

And whereas by the said Act it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, 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 deem fit, all or any of the powers vested in the Governor, or the Governor in Council, by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections 19, 31, 32, 33, and 61 thereof, subject or not subject to any limitation or restrictions as he may think fit.

And whereas by virtue of a commission, bearing date the 28th day of June, 1863, given under the hand of his Excellency Sir George Grey, K.C.B., Governor of New Zealand, at Government House, Wellington, and under the public seal of the Colony, his Excellency the Governor, with the advice and consent of his Executive Council, and in exercise of the power and authority in him vested, did delegate absolutely and without restriction unto Alfred Saunders, Esq., as Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, all the powers vested in him the said Governor under or by virtue of the Gold-fields Act, 1862, except the powers conferred in sections 19, 31, 32, 33, and 61 of the said Act; to have, hold, and exercise within the Province of Nelson the said powers by the said commission given :

And whereas by a Proclamation, bearing date the 15th day of September, 1863, issued by his Honor John Perry Robinson, Esq., the then Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, certain lands therein described, situate in the district of Golden Bay, in the Province of Nelson aforesaid, were declared to be a gold-field under the provisions of the Gold-fields Act, 1862 :

And whereas it is desirable to alter the boundaries of the above mentioned gold-field :

Now, therefore, I, Alfred Saunders, Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, by virtue of the powers in me vested as aforesaid, do hereby revoke the above mentioned proclamation, and declare the same to be null and void from and after the date hereof, and I do hereby declare and proclaim all that territory whereof the boundary commences at Rangihactata Head, at the mouth of the River Takaka, thence up the western bank of that river to its junction with the River Anatoki; thence up the eastern bank of the River Anatoki to the western angle of section numbered 94 on square numbered 11 of the map of the Province of Nelson; thence following the western boundary of the surveyed lands in the districts of Takaka and Upper Takaka to the south-west angle of section numbered 30 on square numbered 8 of the said map; thence up the Waituhi stream to its source near Mount Campbell; thence along the watershed of Blind Bay, and of the valley of the River Takaka to the source of that river at Mount Arthur; thence along the watershed between the Rivers Karamea and Takaka to Mount Peel; thence along the watershed to Mount Snowdon; thence along the watershed between the Rivers Karamea and Aorere to Mount Domett; thence by the watershed of the Aorere to Brown Hill; thence to the junction of the Rivers Clarke and Aorere; thence by the northern bank of the Aorere to Golden Bay; thence along the seaward boundary, exclusive of the surveyed sections, to Rangihacta Head, to be a gold-field within the meaning of the Gold-fields Act, 1862, and to be called the Golden Bay Gold-fields. And I do further proclaim and declare that the Rules and Regulations published in the Nelson Government Gazette, No. 28, of the 15th September, 1863, as "Rules and Regulations for the Golden Bay Gold-fields," shall continue and be in force for the gold-field hereby constituted.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Nelson, the First day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

ALFRED SAUNDERS,  
Superintendent.

Attested,

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

## PROCLAMATION.

By his HONOR ALFRED SAUNDERS, Esquire,  
Superintendent of the Province of Nelson,  
in the Islands of New Zealand,  
&c., &c.,

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Gold-fields Acts Amendment Act, 1865," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, at any time subsequent to the proclamation of a Gold-field to *reserve or withdraw* therefrom any lands which he may deem necessary, and such lands shall thenceforth be dealt with under the Waste Lands Regulations of the Province, in which such Gold-field is situate:

And whereas by an instrument under the hand of his Excellency the Governor and the Seal of the Colony, bearing date the Eighteenth day of November, 1865, the above-mentioned powers were delegated to me as Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, to have hold, and exercise within the said Province.

Now therefore, I, the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, do hereby withdraw from the NELSON SOUTH WEST GOLD-FIELDS, all that parcel of land containing by admeasurement 5,700 acres, be the same more or less, and bounded on the northward partly by a line running east and west magnetic 27,500 links, and partly by the land leased to Messrs. Jones and Frazer, 3,300 links, on the eastward and southward by the banks of the River Grey, and on the westward by a line drawn from the letters A to B on the plan of the town of Cobden, 19,600 links, the same being the south-west side of the street to the eastward of the cemetery in the said town.

Also all that parcel of land known as the Totara Flat, and containing by admeasurement 2,400 acres, be the same more or less bounded on the northward and westward by the banks of the River Grey, on the eastward by a reserve 14,000 links, and on the southward by a line drawn from the south-west angle of the said Reserve, to peg marked XV., on the traverse of the River Grey, 22,600 links.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province, at Nelson, the First day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

ALFRED SAUNDERS,  
Superintendent.

Attested,

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.