



THE  
NEW ZEALAND  
GOVERNMENT GAZETTE  
(PROVINCE OF NELSON).

Published by Authority.

*All Notifications which appear in this Gazette with any Official Signature thereunto annexed are to be considered as Official Communications made to those Persons to whom they may relate, and are to be obeyed accordingly.*

ALFRED GREENFIELD, Provincial Secretary.

VOL. XXII.

NELSON, TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 1873.

No. 19.

PROROGATION OF COUNCIL.

**S**PEECH of his Honor the Superintendent on the Prorogation of the Twenty-third Session of the Nelson Provincial Council, on the 13th June, 1873.

MR SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL :—

I have assented, on behalf of his Excellency the Governor, to the following Acts passed in your present session.

An Act to amend the Nelson Highways Act 1872.

An Act to amend the Impounding Act 1861.

An Act to amend the Cattle Trespass Act.

An Act to amend the Education Act 1863.

An Act to constitute Districts within the Nelson Goldfields, and to appropriate a portion of the Provincial Revenue to the making and maintaining of Public Works therein.

An Act to appropriate the Revenue of the Province of Nelson for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

I have reserved the following Act for the signification of his Excellency's pleasure thereon :—

An Act to alter the Electoral districts and numbers of members of the Provincial Council of Nelson.

I trust that the various measures you have passed granting local control over the appropriation of a fixed proportion of revenue locally raised to the inhabitants of the goldfields, giving increased representation in your Council to those districts, and amending the Education Act, will be productive of beneficial effects by removing causes of disunion amongst the people of the province.

The resolutions you so cordially agreed to in reference to the construction of a railway through the heart of the Province, from Foxhill to Brunnerton, were imme-

diately communicated by me to the Colonial Government, and I rely upon the merits of the proposal as an essential means of colonisation in this Province, and as one important link in the chain of communication throughout the Middle Island, to recommend it to the support of the Colonial Government and Legislature.

The various other matters upon which you have requested action on my part or upon which you have expressed an opinion, shall receive my earliest attention, with the desire to carry out your wishes in the most effective manner.

I now declare this Council prorogued.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.

### PROCLAMATION.

By his Honor OSWALD CURTIS, Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, in the Islands of New Zealand, &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Nelson, intituled "The Nelson Highways Act, 1872," it is amongst other things enacted that for the purpose of electing Members of the Board for any district, it shall be lawful for the Superintendent from time to time, if he shall think fit by proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, to divide any district or districts into sub-districts, and to apportion the number of members for the whole district between such sub-districts as he shall think proper. And whereas a certain district has been constituted under the said Act, called the Pangatotara District.

Now, therefore, I, the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, pursuant to and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf by the said recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said district shall be divided into the following sub-districts, that is to say:—

1. Pangatotara
2. Nga Timoti
3. Oronoko.

The boundaries of such sub-districts shall be as follows:—

#### 1. PANGATOTARA.

On the North by the Riwaka Road Board district; on the East by the Motueka district; on the West by Crown Land; on the South by a line commencing at the division line between sections 43 and 44, square 3, and continuing in a straight line westward along the northern boundary of sections 14, 64, 63, and through 21 to the river Motueka; thence across the river and along its western bank to the northern angle of section 10; thence to the southern angle of section 9 by the northern boundary of sections 27, 55, 90, and 95; thence by a straight line due west to the boundary of the Pangatotara Road Board district.

#### 2. NGA TIMOTI.

On the North by the Pangatotara sub-district; West by the Karamca river; South by Upper Motueka Road Board district; on the East by a line commencing at the western angle of section 63, square 3, to the north-west boundary of section 25; thence by the north-west boundary of sections 25, 23, 101 to the western angle of section 101; thence by the western boundary of sections 101, 100, 98, to the eastern boundary of section 78; thence by the eastern boundary of sections 78, 69, and 85, to the river Dove; thence by the river Dove to its junction with the Motueka river, and by the Motueka river to the boundary of the Upper Motueka district.

#### 3. ORONOKO.

On the North partly by the Pangatotara sub-district, and partly by the Nga Timoti sub-district; on the East partly by the Motueka Road Board district, and partly by the Moutere Road district; on the South by the Waimea and Upper Motueka Road districts; and on the West by the Nga Timoti sub-district.

And each such sub-district shall elect two members of the Board for the District.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province, at Nelson, this Sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
Superintendent.  
Attested—  
ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
Provincial Secretary.

### PROCLAMATION.

By his Honor OSWALD CURTIS, Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, in the Islands of New Zealand, &c. &c.

WHEREAS, by an Act passed by the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the Province of Nelson, intituled "The Nelson Highways Act 1872," it is, amongst other things, enacted that, for the purpose of electing Members of the Board for any district, it shall be lawful for the Superintendent from time to time, if he shall think fit, by proclamation in the *Government Gazette* to divide any district or districts into sub-districts, and to apportion the number of members for the whole district between such sub-districts as he shall think proper. And whereas a certain district has been constituted under the said Act, called the Moutere District.

Now therefore I, the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, pursuant to and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me in that behalf by the said recited Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the

said district shall be divided into two sub-districts, that is to say :—

Upper Moutere  
and  
Lower Moutere.

And the division line of such sub-districts shall be as follows :—

Commencing at the mudflat of the Waimea entrance at the eastern angle of section 45, square 3; thence along the north side of the public road between sections 30 and 31 to its junction with the road on the eastern boundary of section 27; thence in a straight line to the eastern angle of section 159; thence along the north side of the public road to the southern angle of section 158; thence in a straight line through section 35 to the northern angle of section 94; thence along

the northern boundary of sections 94, 92, and 90; thence in a straight line across section 82 and along the northern boundary of sections 85, 144, 142, 140, 137, and 75, and continued to the western boundary.

And each sub-district shall elect three members of the Board for the District.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Province, at Nelson, this Sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

OSWALD CURTIS,  
*Superintendent.*

Attested—

ALFRED GREENFIELD,  
*Provincial Secretary.*