

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Auckland, 28th February, 1845.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WATSON, Esquire,

to be Assistant Police Magistrate at Russell.

By Command,

ANDREW SINCLAIR,

Colonial Secretary.

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HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that the Registrar and Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court, and the Clerk to the Magistrates at Nelson, have been appointed Clerks to the Crown.

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Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE.

CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS.

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THE Office of Crown Prosecutor having been abolished, the proceedings in Criminal Prosecutions will in future be the same as in England, as nearly as circumstances will admit.

When any person shall be committed for Trial, or held to Bail to take his Trial on any charge of Felony, or Misdemeanour, the party aggrieved will himself be bound over to prosecute and to prefer an Indictment, according to the practice in England; instead of the Case being taken up and carried on by the Crown Prosecutor as heretofore.

In all cases of Felony, and in the following cases of Misdemeanour, viz.—

Assault with intent to commit Felony.

Attempt to commit Felony.

Riot.

Misdemeanour for receiving any stolen property, knowing the same to be stolen.

Assault upon a peace-officer in the execution of his duty, or upon any person acting in aid of such officer.

Neglect or breach of duty as a peace-officer.

Assault committed in pursuance of any conspiracy to raise the rate of wages.

Knowingly and designedly obtaining any property by false pretences.

Wilful and indecent exposure of the person.

Wilful and corrupt perjury, or subornation of perjury.

The person bound over to prosecute will be allowed the Costs and Expences he shall incur in preparing the Indictment and conducting the prosecution, according to the following Scale, viz.—

COSTS TO BE ALLOWED TO PROSECUTOR.

	£	s.	d.
Attendance for Subpœna containing } any number of names	0	3	0
Copies thereof and services	0	4	0
Mileage, per mile (one way)	0	1	0
Instructions for Brief	0	6	0
Drawing same	0	15	0
Attorney attending Trial	0	10	0
Bill of Costs	0	1	0
Counsel's Fee (in ordinary cases) ...	1	1	0
In more important cases to be in } the discretion of the Registrar, } but never to exceed	3	3	0
If the Attorney acts as Counsel, he will be allowed a Counsel's Fee and one-half of the Attorney's Fee.			

In cases of Felony, and of the Misdemeanours above-mentioned, there will be allowed to the Prosecutor and Witnesses for the Prosecution, who shall have attended the Court in obedience to any Recognizance or Subpœna, an Allowance for "loss of time" and for "travelling expences," according to the rate fixed by the Rules of the Supreme Court, and confirmed by the "Supreme Court Rules" Ordinance, Session 4, No. 1.

All such Costs and Allowances will be paid by the Colonial Treasurer, or the District Treasurer, (as the case may be), on presentation of an account thereof duly certified.

All such accounts must be verified by the Certificate of the Clerk of the Crown, and must be countersigned by the Judge of the Court before whom the Case shall have been, or would have been, tried.

By Command,

ANDREW SINCLAIR,

Colonial Secretary.

LIST of all Men within the District of Russell, in the Colony of New Zealand, liable to serve on Juries:—

Christian and Surname.	Residence.	Title, Quality, or Calling.
Aberline Joseph .	Russell	Cabinet Maker
Banks Richard ..	do	Master Mariner
Bateman Thomas	do	do
Bethel Thomas ..	do	Carpenter
Brown William ..	Wahapu	Boat Builder
Bedgegood John .	Waimate	Wheelwright
Black Thomas ..	Bay of Islands	Trader
Cook William ..	Wai Kari	Carpenter
Clunie William ..	Russell	Auctioneer
Cook John Chas.	do	Storekeeper
Callnan John ...	do	Shoemaker
Callaghan John .	do	Farmer
Curwood John ..	do	Tailor
Deveson Joseph .	Paroa	Carpenter
Dunn Thomas ..	Russell	Yeoman
Dudley Henry W.	do	Storekeeper
Davis James	Waimate	Farmer
Davis William ..	do	do
Edmonds John ..	Kari Keri	do