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By His Excellency's Command,

ANDREW SINCLAIR, Colonial Secretary.

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PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency **ROBERT FITZROY**, Esquire, Captain in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of New Zealand, and Vice Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS certain disaffected Natives in the Northern District of the Colony have taken up Arms, and are now in Rebellion against the Queen's Sovereign Authority, and for the suppression of such Rebellion active Military operations are about to be immediately undertaken by Her Majesty's Forces. Now I, **THE GOVERNOR**, do hereby proclaim and declare, that **MARTIAL LAW** will be exercised throughout that part of the said District which lies around the Bay of Islands, (including the said Bay), and within a circle of sixty miles in any direction from Russell, in the Bay of Islands—from this twenty-sixth day of April, 1845, until the said District shall be relieved from the jurisdiction of Martial Law by public Proclamation.

Given under my Hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the Colony, at Government House, Auckland, this twenty-sixth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

(L. S.)

ROBERT FITZ ROY,
Governor.

By Command,
ANDREW SINCLAIR,
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I, **THE GOVERNOR**, do hereby proclaim and declare that as soon as the Authority of the Queen is re-established at Russell—in the Bay of Islands—all rights of property, and claims to Land, will be fully recognised, and respected, as heretofore:—excepting those of persons who have acted hostilely against Her Majesty's Government, or any British Subject.

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