

MESSAGE No. 7.

His Excellency the Officer administering the Government forwards to the House of Representatives a Return of the names of persons who have since the 1st of June, 1850, been appointed to offices in the Department of Customs of New Zealand, distinguishing the offices to which they have been appointed, the respective amounts of their present salaries, the amounts of such salaries prior to the appointments of the present holders, and the periods of previous service of such officers in the same Department. Also a Return of the names of persons who have received appointments in the Post Office Department within the four years last past having salaries exceeding £200 per annum, as set forth in a Resolution dated the 27th ultimo, requesting that the House might be furnished with such Returns.

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Government House,
Auckland, 24th June, 1854.

A RETURN of the Number of Persons who have been appointed to Offices in this Department, and the amounts of their present Salaries, and the amounts of such salaries prior to the appointment.

Name.	Description of Office.	Amount of present Salary.	Amount of previous Salary.
AUCKLAND—			
Mr. Peter Bourke	Assistant Clerk	£120 per annum	5s. per diem
" A. H. Spicer	Assistant Clerk	120 ditto	ditto
" Shirley Hill	Extra Clerk	120 ditto	No appointment
" Daniel Berry	Tidewater	100 ditto	5s. per diem
" Edward Bull	Acting Locker	120 ditto	No appointment
" G. M. Mitford	Sub-Collector, Kawhia ..	150 ditto	ditto
" F. D. Fenton	Sub-Collector, Kaipara ..	150 ditto	ditto
WELLINGTON—			
" E. Catchpool	First Landing Waiter ..	200 ditto	£180 per annum
" C. Sharp	Tide Surveyor	200 ditto	No appointment
" W. Seed	Clerk & Warehouse-keeper	160 ditto	130 per annum
" D. Johnstone	Second Landing Waiter ..	132 ditto	No appointment
" C. Ward	Locker	100 ditto	100 per annum
" R. Bannister	Second Clerk	100 ditto	No appointment
" W. Eades	Clerk & Warehouse-keeper	160 ditto	130 per annum
" C. E. Cooper	Ditto	130 ditto	ditto
" D. S. Fwire	Sub-Collector, Whanganui	Nil	No appointment
" C. C. Des Vœux	Ditto ditto	140 per annum	Nil
NELSON—			
" E. H. Blackwood	Collector	200 ditto	200 per annum
" A. H. Spicer	Clerk & Warehouse-keeper	90 ditto	No appointment
PORT VICTORIA—			
" W. J. W. Hamilton	Collector	200 ditto	180 per annum
" J. Macarthy	Landing Waiter	180 ditto	No appointment
" Wm. Eades	Landing Waiter	180 ditto	180 per annum
" J. Parsons	Tide Surveyor	Nil	No appointment
" C. E. Cooper	Clerk & Warehouse-keeper	130 ditto	ditto
" H. G. Gouland	Sub-Collector, Akaroa ..	180 ditto	ditto
OTAGO—			
" Charles Logie	Collector	280 ditto	200 per annum

January 15th, 1854.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

the 1st June, 1850, distinguishing the Offices to which they have been appointed, the respective of the present holders, and the periods of previous service of such Officers in the Department.

Date of Appointment.

Periods of previous Service in the same Department.

1st June, 1853 1st March, 1854	Nil. Clerk, Warehouse-keeper, and Locker at Nelson, from 24th January, 1852, to 28th February, 1854.
1st September, 1853 1st July, 1853 18th May, 1854 7th February, 1854	Employed at 5s per diem, from second June, 1853, to 31st August, 1853. Nil. Nil. Acting as second Landing Waiter and Tide Surveyor, from 5th October, 1850, to 30th September, 1852.
1st January, 1854	Nil.
18th August, 1851 1st August, 1851 1st July, 1853 1st August, 1851 9th December, 1851 19th February, 1851 18th August, 1851 15th January, 1852 29th October, 1851 14th October, 1853	Warehouse-keeper, at £100 per annum, from 4th July, 1848. Boarding Officer, at £100 per annum, from 1st February, 1848. Nil. Tidewater, at £80 per annum, from 17th December, 1849. Nil. Messenger, at 1s. 6d. per diem, from 4th February, 1848. Nil. Nil. Nil. Nil.
14th October, 1853 26th January, 1852	Nil. Nil.
6th June, 1851 18th August, 1851 30th September, 1851 13th March, 1852 1st August, 1853 12th August, 1851	Nil. Sub-Collector, at Otago, from 5th April, 1848. Locker, at Wellington, from 6th July, 1845. Is also Harbour Master and Emigration Officer, at a salary of £100 per annum. Same appointment at Wellington, from 15th January, 1852. Sub-Collector, at Port Victoria, from 9th August, 1849.
14th October, 1853	Sub-Collector, at Nelson, from 1st July, 1849.

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CHARLES KNIGHT,
Auditor-General.

NEW ZEALAND POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

A RETURN of the Names of persons who have received appointments in this Department within a period of four years last past, having salaries exceeding £200 per annum, and the respective periods of previous service of such Officers in the Department.

Name.	Date of appointment.	Salary.	Period of previous Service in the Department.
The Hon. H. W. Petre	1st August, 1853.	£500 per annum.	Nil.

June 15th, 1854.

(Signed)

CHARLES KNIGHT,
Auditor-General.