

ENCLOSURE TO MESSAGE No. 8.

Downing-street,
13th March, 1855.

SIR,—

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch, (No. 66), of the 17th July last, transmitting an address to the Queen from the Legislative Council of New Zealand expressing their attachment to Her Majesty's Throne and Person, and their cordial sympathy with this country in the war in which it is engaged.

I have also received your Despatch, (No. 67), of the 18th July last, forwarding a similar address from the House of Representatives.

You will acquaint these bodies respectively that I have had much gratification in laying their addresses before the Queen, and that Her Majesty has received with lively satisfaction these expressions of loyalty and attachment, and the assurances of Her Faithful Subjects in New Zealand of their earnest prayer for the success of the Fleets and Armies of Her Majesty, and of Her Allies.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. GREY.

The Officer administering the Government
of New Zealand.

ENCLOSURE TO MESSAGE No. 9.

Downing-street,
6th January, 1855.

SIR,—

I have received your Despatch, No. 60, of the 3rd July last, transmitting an address to the Queen from the Legislative Council of New Zealand, expressing their loyalty and attachment, and their gratitude to her Majesty for having concurred with Parliament in granting to the Colony its present form of Constitution.

I have also received your Despatch No. 61, of the same date, forwarding a similar address to her Majesty from the House of Assembly.

You will inform these Bodies respectively that I have laid their addresses before the Queen, who was pleased to receive them very graciously, and I am commanded by her Majesty to express the deep interest which she feels in all which concerns the welfare and prosperity of her Majesty's loyal and attached subjects in New Zealand.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. GREY.

The Officer administering the Government,
of New Zealand.

ENCLOSURE TO MESSAGE No. 10.

Downing-street,
8th February, 1855.

SIR,—

I have received your Despatch (No. 81) of the 7th of September last, enclosing an address to the Queen from the House of Representatives in New Zealand, urging the introduction of the system of Responsible Government into the Colony.

You will acquaint that Body that I have laid their address before the Queen, who was pleased to receive it very graciously; and I have only further to refer you to my Despatch (No. 39) of the 8th of December last, as conveying the views of her Majesty's Government upon the subject.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. GREY.

The Officer administering the Government,
of New Zealand.