

Wellington, 1st July, 1874.

CONTINUATION of immigration after July.—If you will read my telegram again, you will see that the action I was to take depended upon your answer, and that I did not anticipate your telegraphing to Auld. Now the consequence will be, that Auld will have information in advance of Agent-General, which will no doubt cause dissatisfaction on both sides. I shall telegraph as soon as possible. Will you, by mail, write to Auld, and explain how it was that you telegraphed. On referring to my telegram you will clearly see that I anticipated your answering it.

His Honor the Superintendent, Dunedin.

JULIUS VOGEL.

No. 79.

TELEGRAMS between His Honor the SUPERINTENDENT, Otago, and the Hon. the MINISTER for IMMIGRATION.

Dunedin, 6th June, 1874.

VERY great desire to have immigration depôt at Palmerston, which is centre of an extensive labour-employing district. There is General Government reserve there. Will you authorize an expenditure of not exceeding £500?

Hon. J. Vogel, Wellington.

J. MACANDREW.

Wellington, 6th June, 1874.

I AM happy to authorize, in accordance with your Honor's recommendation, the erection of an immigrants' depôt at Palmerston, at a cost not exceeding £500. A short while since I had an opportunity of observing the improvements at Palmerston, and the evidences of the probably bright future in store for it.

His Honor the Superintendent, Dunedin.

JULIUS VOGEL.

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