

## No. 19.

COPY of a DESPATCH from Governor the Most Hon. the Marquis of NORMANBY  
to the Right Hon. the Earl of CARNARVON.

(No. 83.)

Government House, Wellington,

MY LORD,—

New Zealand, 8th December, 1875.

Your Lordship's telegram, dated London, 21st October, as follows—  
“Two thousand square feet floor space in main building Philadelphia Exhibition,  
“inclusive of passages, allotted to New Zealand”—has been duly received by me,  
and I have had the same communicated to the Commissioners for that Exhibition.

I have, &amp;c.,

The Right Hon. the Earl of Carnarvon.

NORMANBY.

## No. 20.

COPY of a DESPATCH from Governor the Most Hon. the Marquis of NORMANBY  
to the Right Hon. the Earl of CARNARVON.

(No. 84.)

Government House, Wellington,

MY LORD,—

New Zealand, 9th December, 1875.

Referring to your Lordship's Despatch No. 5, of the 22nd January last,  
in which your Lordship pointed out certain amendments in “The New Zealand  
University Act, 1874,” which Her Majesty's Government considered necessary,  
before advising Her Majesty to issue Letters Patent recognizing the degree of  
Bachelor and Master in Arts, and Bachelor and Doctor in Law, Medicine, and  
Music, conferred by the University of New Zealand, I have now the honor to  
enclose the copy of a short Act, passed during the last Session of Parliament, for  
the purpose of making those amendments; and I trust that your Lordship will  
now be enabled to advise Her Majesty to grant the usual Letters Patent to the  
University of New Zealand.

I have, &amp;c.,

The Right Hon. the Earl of Carnarvon.

NORMANBY.

## No. 21.

COPY of a DESPATCH from Governor the Most Hon. the Marquis of NORMANBY  
to the Right Hon. the Earl of CARNARVON.

(No. 85.)

Government House, Wellington,

MY LORD,—

New Zealand, 10th December, 1875.

I have the honor to forward to your Lordship copies of a Report\* of the  
Government Insurance Commissioner, believing that it will be interesting to your  
Lordship to learn from an official source the progress of the Government Life  
Insurance Department, which was first established in this colony in the latter  
part of 1869.

I have, &amp;c.,

The Right Hon. the Earl of Carnarvon.

NORMANBY.

## No. 22.

COPY of a DESPATCH from Governor the Most Hon. the Marquis of NORMANBY  
to the Right Hon. the Earl of CARNARVON.

(No. 86.)

Government House, Wellington,

MY LORD,—

New Zealand, 11th December, 1875.

I have the honor to inform your Lordship that, by the advice of my  
Responsible Advisers I dissolved the Fifth Parliament of New Zealand on the 6th  
instant, and the new writs will be returnable on the 2nd day of February next.

I have, &amp;c.,

The Right Hon. the Earl of Carnarvon.

NORMANBY.