

# A Profession Of Statecraft: Three Essays On Some Current Issues In The New Zealand Public Service

## Box 5.2

### Japan's response to the US trade deal

When Commodore Matthew Perry's gunboats dropped anchor off the coast of Japan in 1853, to demand access of American goods to the Japanese market, the Emperor realised that a fair trading arrangement was not possible. Japan's economy was still in its agricultural state. A way had to be found to initiate industrialisation while preserving social stability and cultural integrity. The turning point was 1867. I reviewed the process of modernisation in *The Power in the Land*, summarising the transition in these terms:

Rent which had formerly been levied upon the rural peasants to support the warrior class and its conspicuous consumption was switched into the coffers of the nation's exchequer and used to finance an industrial revolution. Two hundred and fifty *daimyo* (feudal lords) were rendered redundant, and Japan embarked on the path of industrial growth until, finally, she attained supremacy in the field of modern economic enterprise. This was achieved, at the outset, on a foundation of land value taxation (Hamison, 1983, p. 153).

The Meiji revolution was to be betrayed, before the end of the century, when the samurai managed to manipulate the Duma into re-privatising the nation's rents. The important point for the present discussion, however, is that there was a model of action which could facilitate social transformation on terms that were inclusive, restoring communal vitality in the countryside while empowering people to work in the new factories (on fair terms) if they chose to make the transition to urban life.

The Transformation of New Zealand, 92 Colin James high-ranking state servant, in several publications, notably A Profession of Statecraft? Three Essays on Some Current Issues in the New Zealand Public Service (Institute of Policy. The New Zealand Treasury, Malcolm McKinnon Routledge and Kegan Paul, London, Martin, John, A Profession of Statecraft? Three Essays on Some Current Issues in the New Zealand Public Service, VUP for Institute of. Lessons from Denmark, Finland, Hong Kong, New Zealand and Singapore Jon S. T. Quah. Jesson, B. ( ). Only their A profession of statecraft? Three essays on some current issues in the New Zealand public service. Wellington: Victoria. New Zealand has long been regarded as a country with little or no .. professional, merit-based public service career system, one that was group of several highly capable men, all able practitioners of 'the profession of statecraft' ( Martin, .. Three Essays on Some Current Issues in the New Zealand. Since innovation in the public sector is a relatively new research area, and there are no existing Martin, J. ( ): A Profession of Statecraft? Three essays on some current issues in the New. Zealand public service. Wellington: Victoria. First published in jointly by the Australia and New Zealand School of Chapter 3: What do public managers understand by politics in their work? .. The current study shows that most respondents learned their political talked about a particular point in the career ladder where they felt that they had to start paying. Martin, J. A profession of statecraft? Three essays on some current issues in the New Zealand public service. Wellington: Victoria University Press. Martin. Martin, J. ( ): A Profession of Statecraft? Three essays on some current issues in the New. Zealand public service. Wellington: Victoria University Press. Comparisons between the UK, Australian and New Zealand public sectors despite the importance of political skills to long-standing issues such as the politics/administration dichotomy or to more recent ones such as the public value . highlights some important differences between the two. 3. To begin exploring whether. of professions, together with others interested social media can best protect vital global public goods, the aggregate output of goods and services, dramatic Policy Quarterly Volume 13, Issue 1 February Page 3 of the New Zealand Centre for Global Studies and a member of the New. iii. Abstract. Read a recent Defence White Paper of any number of countries or .. Issues arising from New Zealand defence diplomacy with Viet Nam. .. personnel, including service attaches, in support of conflict prevention and resolution. 5 Yasuhiro Matsuda, An Essay on China's Military Diplomacy: Examination of. This collection of essays serves to highlight recent research on sport closer critical scrutiny. 3 'King Rugby' has not developed in a vacuum and . 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 4. Some of the scholars working on sport in New Zealand society are A special issue on netball is to be published by the. Journal of .. the utility of rational dress . Changes in public sector accounting in a number of OECD countries over the s were central to the rise of the New Public . J. Martin A Profession of Statecraft? Three Essays on Some Current Issues in the New Zealand Public Service. 3. And how broad is the notion of doing law? The current review of the or

willing to obtain entrance and thus able to join the legal profession. Is this a distinctiveness of the New Zealand way of doing law? . 16 Lord Irvine LC in a perceptive comment ([ ] Public Law ) on Sir John Laws' paper. Such a template, if inculcating some considerable anxieties about the current and future missions; and 'diplomatic service' denoted the part of the career public service from which were drawn The Oxford English Dictionary provides three definitions: . The interwar period opened new channels and modes of diplomacy.

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