



PORT PHILLIP GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1843.

IN CHANCERY.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales for the District of Port Phillip.
Batman and others Plaintiffs,
and
Lonsdale and others Defendants.

PURSUANT to a decree made and passed in this cause, dated the twenty-sixth day of Jan., One thousand eight hundred and forty-three, the creditors of John Batman, late of Melbourne, in the said district, deceased, the testator in the pleadings in this cause named, are peremptorily required to bring in their claims before me, on every Friday previous to the 21st day of May, next, at the offices of H. Moor, Esq., solicitor, Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, between the hours of ten o'clock forenoon, and twelve o'clock noon, otherwise they will be excluded from all benefit under the said decree.

Dated the 16th day of April, One thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

J. D. PINNOCK,
Deputy Registrar.

FREDERICK LORD CLAY,
Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

OVERLAND MAIL TO PORTLAND.

HIS Honor the Superintendent having been pleased to sanction the transmit of a post-office mail by the mounted Policeman which it has been found necessary occasionally to despatch between Melbourne and Portland;—The public are hereby informed that in future letters posted either at Melbourne or Portland will be forwarded by the earliest subsequent opportunity, whether coastwise or overland, unless they be marked specially for either mode of transit.

Notice will always be given at either Post Office of intended despatch of a mail, but circumstances at present prevent the fixture of any particular days of departure.

HENRY D. KEMP,
Postmaster.

Post Office, Melbourne,
15th May, 1843

NOTICE—Parties building in future are required to make a written application to the Town Surveyor for such provisions of the Act, so far as may relate to the erection of such shop, house, or other building.

W. W. HOWE,
Town Surveyor,
Town Surveyor's Office,
Mechanics' Institution, May 13, 1843.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th April, 1843.

THE attention of all persons who have been appointed to perform any duty under the electoral act, is called to the 60th clause, which enacts that, before entering upon the performance of any of its duties, they shall make and subscribe the following declaration, namely:—

"I, A. B., do hereby declare, that I accept the office of _____, and I do hereby promise and declare, that I will faithfully perform the duties of the same to the best of my understanding and ability."

This declaration must be made before a Justice of the peace, by whom it is to be forwarded as early as possible to the Colonial Secretary.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON,

STOLEN CATTLE.

ABOUT FIFTY HEAD OF CATTLE in charge of the Melbourne Police, supposed to be stolen, persons having lost cattle are requested to examine the same. Application to be made to the Chief Constable, or the Watchhouse-keeper, Market Square, at any time.

CHARLES BRODIE,
Chief Constable.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on May 10th, 1843.

One grey Poland yearling heifer near ribs supposed L within a square off thigh illegible.

Expanded on May 16th.

One red cow, white head, belly and legs off ribs

TE conjoined J after, off rump W, near rump

supposed S X H

One red and white bull calf by her side, of ribs A

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before

the 24th day of June, to be sold at the pound

yard according to the act of council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at South Yarra pound, on the

13th May, 1843. And if not claimed on or

before the 6th June, will be sold at the pound

yard according to act of council.

One yellow sided cow, with a brindle mixture,

strawberry head neck end rump white tail D

off hip blotch brand near rump and thigh M

behind near shoulder and young calf

One white steer speckled about the fore quarter

with small black spots piece out of tip of each

ear H off rump a brand or figure below like

off ribs

W. M. ATKINSON,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at the Public Pound, Mount Macedon May 20th 1843:—

One red and white steer, IM off thigh
 One black poley bullock, white belly and tail, TW off rump, and illegible near rump
 One dark brindle bullock blind, bit off near horn ST within square, with M at the under corner, off ribs WR supposed near rump
 One red and white poly cow, star forehead, SW or W off shoulder, red calf by her side
 One red and white poley cow, S off rump, M off thigh
 One red and white calf by her side.
 If not claimed on or before the 10th day of June the will be sold at the pound yard, according to the act of council.

HENRY FARRELL.
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at the Kalkallo pound, on Saturday the 13th May, 1843, from the Goulbourn:—

A brindle bullock, large spread horns HB conjoined and supposed 5 under off rump illegible near rump
 A red brindle bullock white forehead and belly, large bow horns, RM off rump, DI or DP off side, 5 off shoulder
 A red bullock right horn broken off supposed S off rump and L off shoulder.
 A brindle sided working bullock, IE off rump, JB off ribs CM under
 A red yearling steer, stag horns no brands perceptible
 A yellow sided steer, a good deal of white on back ditto
 A brindle cow and red sided male calf, A off rump, I off shoulder and illegible off ribs.
 A red brindle poly cow, TR off rump and blotch under, L1 } off ribs.
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A red cow, HM off rump, HK conjoined off ribs.
 A dark brown cow, IF off thigh D off ribs and supposed circle and dart off shoulder.
 A brown sided bullock, supposed SF off rump, 7 off shoulder.
 A brindle and white small horn bullock, WCS off ribs, supposed HK under WH near rump.
 A white brindle spotted snail horn bullock, WG & O under near rump, and supposed double diamond near shoulder.
 A red Steer white belly, MS or WS off ribs, M off rump and illegible under, JC near ribs.
 A yellow steer, strawberry head and rump, illegible off rump and ribs.
 A light strawberry sided poly cow, and yellow male calf, TB off rump.
 A red poly cow, white belly and heifer calf, H or M with two prongs upwards, illegible near rump.
 A black cow and red and white bull calf, MS near rump.
 A black cow, white belly, and red heifer calf, J within a square off side and supposed JK or JR conjoined near rump.
 A dark brown or black sided cow and red male calf, same brands.
 A dark brown cow, near horn crossing the face a cross and O near rump, CHE conjoined near shoulder.
 A brindle cow right horn off, EF off rump, JC under, circle and dart near rump, illegible off shoulder.
 A red cow, bow horns, two deformed teats, W and illegible letter near rump, illegible under.
 A red stunted yearling steer, tip off the left ear, HK off rump.
 If not claimed and released on or before Monday, the 5th June, they will be sold on that day, at 12 o'clock, at the Pound-yard, according to Act of Council.

ROBERT REEVES,
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Pentridge 25 April:—
 One red stag WH near shoulder, supposed DI off rump, diamond off hip
 One red steer, white belly and tail, white spot on rump, N near rump
 One strawberry cow, tip off near ear, IOS milking rump
 One red cow, white belly and tail, CWMD milking

ribs, UR milking rump, a circle and a figure or letter inside; near ribs, supposed 4 blotched 2

brand near rump
 One red sided bull, back, belly and forehead white,
 M Snear ribs off ribs
 One brown sided heifer, white back and belly, illegible brand off rump
 One yellow cow, top off horn milking side, DR milking rump, supposed SL near rump
 One young red heifer, split in both ears, JR off ribs
 If not claimed and released (and expenses paid,) on or before 19 May they will be sold at the pound yard at twelve o'clock in accordance with act of council.

Impounded 10 May.

One brown magpie bullock, CC near ribs, WC near rump, S within a circle off hip, illegible brand near back, illegible near hip
 One yellow mottle sided heifer, back, belly and tail white, Q off rump.

Impounded 11 May.

One brown cow, stumpy tail, white on rump and belly, notch in ear, milking side, illegible brand shoulder, supposed CC milking rump, a small illegible brand, milking ribs
 One red sided yearling steer, white on back and belly, small star on forehead, notch off ear, no brands.
 If not claimed released (and expenses paid,) on or before 3 June, they will be sold at the pound yard at 12 o'clock, in accordance with act of council.

G. P. ANDERSON,
 Poundkeeper.

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF ROBERT AITKIN OF MELBOURNE,

JOHN BULLEN having been confirmed Trustee to the above estate, this is to give notice, that all debts due to the said estate are to be paid to him, and that a third meeting of the creditors will be holden at my office, at Melbourne, on Thursday, the 13th of July next, at 11 o'clock, for the proof of debts, for receiving the report of trustee, and directing him in the future management of said estate.

Dated at Melbourne, the 23th day of May, 1843
WILLIAM VERNER,
 Chief Commissioner.

IN THE INSOLVENT ESTATE OF GEORGE HYDE, OF MELBOURNE.

WHEREAS the estate of George Hyde was placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr Justice Willis, dated the 17th day of May 1843. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above estate will be holden before me, for the proof of debts, at my office, at Melbourne, on Thursday 18th day of June next, at 12 o'clock; and that another meeting will be holden at the same place for the like purpose, and for electing trustees or trustees on Tuesday, the 23rd day of June, 1843, at 12 o'clock.

Dated at Melbourne, the 23rd day of May, 1843.
WILLIAM VERNER,
 Chief Commissioner.

Ship News.

ARRIVED.

May 22.—**JANE** and **EMMA**, cutter, 33 tons. White, master, from Launceston. Passengers—Mr John Tetford.
 May 22.—**FLYING SQUIRREL**, 56 tons. Young, master, from Hobart Town. Passengers—Messrs John Hefferman, and Mathew Bolger.

SAILED.

May 20.—**AMITY**, for Hobart Town.
 May 21.—**HOOCHLY**, for Adelaide.

IMPORTS.

May 22.—**JANE** and **EMMA**, from Launceston 198 bags flour, 200 palling; Ashhurst and Co.; 42 bags flour, Bell.

May 22.—FLYING SQUIRREL, from Hobart Town 3000 boards, E. Willis; 40 logs cedar, James Rule; 86 bags flour, Russell, Brothers; 6 casks apples, Mortimer.

CLEARED OUT.

May 24.—TAMAR, for Launceston. Passengers—Mr and Mrs Gibson, Messrs R. and Bricknell, Mr and Miss Purves and 4 in the steerage.

May 24.—LADY ST KILDA, for Sydney. No passengers.

EXPORTS.

May 24.—TAMAR, for Launceston—312 sheep, 60 bags potatoes, 76 boxes candles, 12 kegs and 8 cases butter, 191 deals 461 battens and 2 cases merchandise.

May 24.—LADY ST KILDA, for Sydney—8 chain cables.

The barque JAMES, sails for London in the course of a few days, with the following cargo; she has at present no passengers—1000 bags rice 32 tons bark, 300 bales wool, 2 hogsheads, 1 case ironmongery, 1 case natural curiosities, 1 case, (Bank of Australasia), 1 case, (Union Bank of Australasia.)

INSOLVENT COURT.

The following meetings of Insolvents will be held between this and our next publication.

FRIDAY.—J. Watson, 3rd at 11 o'clock
 " Urquhart, 1st at 12
 " Roush, special at half past 12
 " Mooney, special adj. half past 1.

SEQUESTRATIONS SINCE OUR LAST.—William Overton, baker, Melbourne; George Hyde, settler, Green Hills; and John Henderson, Melbourne.

Sales by Auction.

IMPORTANT SALE OF CATTLE, HORSES, MARES, LOMBOCK PONIES.

By order of A. McLachlan, Esquire, Trustee.

IN THE ESTATE OF MR. JAMES WATSON, INSOLVENT

BRODIE & CRUIKSHANK

Have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Cattle Yards, on MONDAY, the 29th of May, at one o'clock, without reserve.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE head of Cattle
 21 Horses and Mares.
 23 Lombeck Ponies.
 Terms—Cash.

WINTER GOODS! WINTER GOODS!! WINTER GOODS!!!

EX "ENMORE" AND "WINSKALES".

M. CASHMORE AND CO. have just received by the above vessels a large assortment of WINTER GOODS consisting of British and French Merinos; FLAIN AND FIGURED ORZEANS cloths, printed velvets, an immense variety of MOUSSELINE DE LAINES, woollen and cotton Plaids, Checks, TARTANS, FLANNELS, Camlets, BLANKETS, dark Prints, Hosiery, &c., &c. M. C. & Co. would especially recommend to notice one case ONLY of superior TARTAN CHUSAN DRESSES, an entire new article, the first that have been received in the province.

N. B.—The whole of the above will be sold at a great reduction in prices for cash.

Victoria House, corner of Great Collins and Elizabeth-streets,
 April 26.

J. HEMINSLEY

BEGS to remind the inhabitants of Melbourne and its vicinity that his office for the registry of servants of all classes is at Wilson's cigar divan Collins-street, opposite Mr Dinwoodie, Saddler. No parties will be charged requiring domestic servants. Persons residing at a distance from town, by forwarding their instructions as to the number and descriptions of persons wanted, the rate of wages, time of engagement, &c., can have agreements drawn up conformably with their instructions. Persons whose characters will bear investigation can readily meet with good and PERMANENT situations by applying at the above office.

All orders will be attended to with punctuality and despatch.

Melbourne, May 6.

Ex Lady St. Kilda, direct from China and Manilla.

ORDERED expressly for this Market.

89 chests } Superior congou tea.
 80 1/2 ditto }
 100 chests } Superior hyson skin.
 60 1/2 ditto }
 60 1/2 chests superior souchong
 60 1/2 ditto ditto hyson
 534 bags bright grained Manilla sugar.
 Samples may be seen at the counting-house of
 WERE BROTHERS & CO.

Market-square, May 8,

REDUCED PRICES!!!

FOR CASH ONLY.

HYSON-SKIN TEA.. 1s 6d per pound
 Ditto ditto ditto... 2 0 ditto ditto
 Ditto ditto ditto, very superior 2 6 ditto ditto
 Good breakfast Congou... 2 0 ditto ditto
 Superior ditto... 2 6 ditto ditto
 Good ground coffee... 0 8 ditto ditto
 Very finest ditto ditto... 1 2 ditto ditto
 Good Manilla sugar... 0 2 ditto ditto
 Fine bright ditto... 0 2 1/2 ditto ditto
 Superior ditto ditto... 0 3 ditto ditto
 Fine West India ditto... 0 4 ditto ditto

At HENRY TOWNEND'S,
 Grocery and Provision Warehouse,
 Collins and Elizabeth-streets.

FOR SALE,

EX "ENMORE."
 EIGHT trunks and twenty-one trusses 'Silver's' slops
 Ten hogsheads Taylor's stout
 One hundred casks and sixty cases Dunbar's ale and stout
 Thirty cans linseed oil
 Thirty ditto turpentine
 Jamaica ginger
 One hundred boxes "Hawes" pale yellow soap
 Two hundred dozen "Hunt & Co's" port wine
 EX "WINSKALES."
 One hundred half drums figs
 Fifty boxes raisins
 Twenty boxes white soap
 One hundred and fifty prime York hams
 Twenty barrels Bass' strong Burton ale
 Six bales coru sacks
 Forty tons Liverpool salt
 Thirty-six barrels pickled herrings, &c., &c.
 W.M. & H. BARNES & CO.

April 13.

FARM TO BE LET,

THAT well known farm on the Sydney road about 6 miles from Melbourne known as the "Vine Farm" fenced in and a great portion cleared and under cultivation. There is a good cottage with requisite out houses and the garden is well stocked, the whole comprising about 86 acres. Apply to
 WERE BROTHERS & CO.

THE KILMORE INN.

THE above property, situated forty miles from Melbourne, on the Sydney Road, to be sold or exchanged for sheep. Apply to
WM. & H. BARNES & CO.

May 19.

WANTED Immediately, a wet-nurse, Apply to
DR. HOBSON,
 Eastern Hill.

WANTED TO PURCHASE OR BORROW.
A FIVE act Tragedy entitled the "Hæmæa or the Apostate." Any person having this book in their possession, will find a purchaser by addressing G. R. "Times" office.
 May 20th, 1843.

Royal Hotel.

JOHN WILLIAM COWELL, grateful to his numerous friends and the public, for the very extensive support which he has received since his commencement in business, respectfully informs them that he has this day, May 1st, 1843, considerably reduced the prices of every article at his establishment, and flatters himself that such charges as he now makes will ensure every satisfaction to gentlemen or families who may be pleased to favour him with their patronage.

J. W. C. having lately converted one entire portion of his extensive establishment into private apartments, where gentlemen or families will be in perfect seclusion, and no gentlemen however, respectable, will for the future be admitted whose habits are not quiet and orderly.

J. W. C. has also added to his establishment, a first-rate Billiard table by Thurston, but is totally distinct from the Hotel, so that not the slightest annoyance can arise from the former to those who may reside in the latter.

Capital stabling, where gentlemen leaving their horses may feel satisfied that every care is taken of them, and at considerably reduced prices, viz., 4s per night.
 Collins-street, Melbourne.
 May 1st 1843.

At the Stores of the Undersigned.

THIRTY tons fine West India and Manilla sugar
 Five hundred bags Liverpool salt, ex 'Rebecca'
 Two hundred bags bay salt, ex 'Thomas Hughes'

Tea, sugar, coffee, flour, rice, prime mess pork, fine new Cork butter, negrohead, and colonial tobacco, woolpacks, Geneva brandy, fine old port wine, sperm oil, soap, spirits turpentine, white lead, cordage, tin plates, millstones, printing types &c., &c.

W. F. SPLATT,
 Queen-street.

Two excellent rooms to let as offices, apply as above.

Saddlery & Leather Warehouse.

RUTHERFORD & M'CRAE

RESPECTFULLY inform the gentry and inhabitants of Port Phillip, that they have opened a most extensive and splendid assortment of goods in the above line, in the shop next to Mr. Wilson, druggist, in Collins-street, and opposite the new Union Bank, consisting of every description of saddlery, bridles of all kinds, a great variety of whips, spurs, horse clothing, &c. &c. Carriage, phaeton, tandem, gig, and cart harness, all of which they are enabled, and will sell at prices which are very compatible with the quality of the goods.

A large assortment of shoemakers' leather, sole, kip, resin, kangaroo, basils, &c., &c., which they will dispose of on very moderate terms.
 Hides and skins purchased for cash, or exchanged for leather, &c.
 May 1, 1843.

Cheapside House.

COLLINS-STREET.

To Families, Innkeepers, and Large Consumers of TEA AND COFFEE.

AT a time when Monopoly has ceased in the Tea trade and competition has risen on its ruins, each individual Tea-dealer feels himself called upon to state by what claims he enjoys the public patronage, or the preference of the support of society at large.

Actuated by these motives, and being a long time in business, the undersigned begs to inform the inhabitants of Melbourne and the surrounding neighbourhood, that he has lately bought some very fine tea, coffee, sugar, and every other article connected with the Grocery Business, which he intends selling very **LOW FOR CASH.**

G. S. puts forth his claims for public patronage on the grounds of fair competition, honest dealing, and on the score of cheap selling and inferior good qualities of his articles; no house, whatever their pretensions may be, can undersell him, on these grounds he solicits their confidence and support.

G. S. claims no extraordinary pretensions, his motto being "a fair field and no favor," he asks for their custom because it will be of mutual advantage both to buyer and seller; he therefore solicits only a fair trial, that by the quality and cheapness of his articles his claims may be tested.

The following is expressly recommended:—

BLACK TEAS BUT NOT DAMAGED!!!
 Superior souchong
 Ditto caper
 Fine breakfast congou
 Strong family congou; strongly recommended to large consumers.

GREEN TEAS AND NOT DAMAGED!!!
 Gunpowder
 Twankay
 Hyson-skin
 Hyson bloom
 Hyson kind strongly recommended with congou as a mixture.

COFFEE.

From the reduction in this article and the recent importations, he is enabled to offer to the public a rich mellow flavoured article superior to any other establishment.

GEORGE SAY.

Cheapside House,
 Collins-street.

G. S. begs to inform the public of Melbourne that he never received into his shop any of the damaged tea sold in Sydney for thirty-five shillings per chest, which has been imported by some of the grocers in Melbourne, and who have been selling the same article at Two Shillings and Sixpence per lb!!! The teas which he has now on sale are those imported by the Lord Eldon and Lady St. Kilda of 1843!!! Come and judge for yourselves, one trial will make you call again at the **GOLDEN CANISTER.**

A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY TO SHIPPERS OF STOCK.

For Sale or exchange for Stock, or landed property in Melbourne.

THE fine well known schooner **INDUSTRY,** 95 tons, coppered and copper fastened and well found in stores, at present in a good employ between Port Albert and Hobart Town, and which may be renewed to the purchaser if required for 12 months. For full particulars, apply to the owner
P. J. HOUGHTON,
 Queen-street.

NB. A long credit will be given for two-thirds of the purchase money.