



PORT PHILLIP GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the re-publication, from the South Australian Government Gazette, of the following Sailing Directions for Gulf St. Vincent.

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

SAILING DIRECTIONS FOR GULF ST. VINCENT.

After making Kangaroo Island, steer E. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. through Investigator's Straits, between that island and Aldorpe Island. Should the wind be from the eastward, you will find no difficulty in beating through the Straits, nor anything in the way more than is pointed out in Flinders's chart. If bound up Gulf St. Vincent great care is requisite to avoid Troubridge Shoal, situated on the west side of the entrance, as the flood tide through Backstairs Passage sets strong (particularly on the full and change of the moon) directly upon the shoal; therefore, coming from the westward, the course should not be altered until Point Marsden bears S.W. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W., when you will be about ten miles from the high land inside Cape Jervis, named in Flinders's chart N.W. Bluff, when you may shape your course for the Light Vessel, N.N.E., forty miles distant. For about six leagues up the Gulf, the land is high and bold; but above that, the shore becomes very low, with hummocks of sand upon it; and the same description of coast prevails to the head of the Gulf.

After passing the high coast land, the water shoals far out, and in some places (when within the distance of ten miles from the Light) five fathoms will be found at a distance of four miles from the beach. Be careful of your soundings, particularly at night; and in running up to the Light, keep, as nearly as you can, in between five and six fathoms water—not approaching inside five, as within that depth the water shoals suddenly; and if you keep outside six fathoms, you may pass to the westward of the Light and not see it. In these soundings you will make the Light ahead, which may be seen twelve miles

from the deck of a ship. The shoal—called the Bar—at the entrance to the Port, bears N.E. one mile from the Light Vessel. When you are within a proper distance, a boat will be sent to you from the Light Vessel with a pilot, and to receive all mails and letters. Should you sight the Light in the early part of the night, you may anchor anywhere to the southward of it in six fathoms, or keep under weigh until day-light, taking care to be to the southward of the Light, and as near it as possible in the morning, as the tide answers early. Where the Light Vessel is moored, in latitude $34^{\circ} 44'$ S., the anchorage is safe; but a good full scope of chain is required, never less than fifty fathoms; and if it blow, a full chain. Never let go the second anchor if you can avoid it, rather give more chain, as your vessel will ride much easier with one anchor down than two.

When bound down the Gulf, steer from the Light Vessel S.S.W., which will keep you in sight of the land on the east side of the Gulf, and out of the influence of the tide through Backstairs Passage, until you are to the southward of Troubridge Shoal; but on no account shape a course that you may fancy will enable you to weather the Shoal, (thereby laying the ship's broadside exposed to a rapid tide running directly upon it,) until you are sufficiently to the southward to shape your course down the Strait.

In beating down the Gulf, never exceed a distance of ten miles from the harbour shore (as the opposite side is a shoal) and be careful, when standing in, to have a cast of the lead, as it is a shoal a considerable distance off, until you get down to the high land. In some places to the northward of Holdfast Bay, there are not more than five fathoms at a distance of four miles from the beach, and the water shoals very quickly within that depth; but where the high land fronts the sea, the shore is steep, except a reef that lies a mile off, about three miles to the southward of Holdfast Bay. The Flag Staff at Holdfast Bay is in latitude $34^{\circ} 58' 28''$ S. In moderate weather, endeavour to be as close to the land as possible by sunset, when you will be certain of the wind off the land, which will lead you down the coast. Do not allow yourself to be thrown off until you are well down with Cape Jervis, and to the southward of Troubridge Shoal, which

is an extensive flat, and only in the middle shows a patch of about 200 yards at high water. Ships bound down Investigator's Strait meeting a strong westerly wind, and wishing to anchor, will find good holding ground close in on the east side of Point Marsden, in six fathoms water.

Vessels coming from the eastward through Backstairs Passage, and bound up the Gulf, should night be approaching, must keep on the north side of the Passage, and haul round Cape Jervis—all that const being quite bold. When the Gulf is open, shape a course N. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. for the Light Vessel.

THOMAS LIPSON, R.N.,
Naval Officer and Harbour Master of the
Province of South Australia.
Port Adelaide,
15th July, 1845.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, November 18th, 1845.
NOTICE TO MARINERS.

IT IS His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication of the annexed Extract from a letter addressed to the Honorable the Colonial Secretary of New Zealand, by the Harbour Master of the Port of Auckland, relative to a sunken rock, situated between the Great and Little Barrier Islands, in the Frith of the Thames, New Zealand.

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

EXTRACT.

Auckland, 20th October, 1845.

Sir,—There is a very dangerous sunken rock lying between the Great and Little Barrier Islands, (about three and a half miles distant from the latter Island,) from which the following bearings were taken:—

South end of the Little Barrier or Shoutouron Island, due west (magnetic.) Wellington Head, (Great Barrier Island,) N.E. by N. $\frac{1}{2}$ N., eastern extremity of Kauwau Island, S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S. Mutu Takapu, a small Island near Cape Colville, S.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ east.

The sea does not usually break upon this rock during moderate weather, but at times breakers can be seen upon it at several miles distance; and at low water the top of the rock may be seen amongst the breakers. The soundings taken showed three fathoms water close to the breakers, and fourteen fathoms within a cable's length of them.

I am, Sir, &c.
(Signed) DAVID ROUGH,
Harbour Master.

The Honorable the Colonial Secretary,
&c., &c., &c.

Court of Requests.

FOR THE COUNTY OF BOURKE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Requests for this County, will be holden in Melbourne, at the Court-House, King-street, on Monday the 5th, and the following days of January, 1846, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Plaints must be delivered at the office of the Registrar, on or before Thursday the 18th day of December, instant.

Defences, or set-off, must be filed on or before Thursday, 1st day of January next.

Every plaint, defence, or set-off, must have the name and residence of plaintiff and defendant written thereon.

In defended cases, the plea, defence, or notice of set off, must be in accordance with the forms prescribed by the late Rules of Court.

(By order of the Commissioner.)

S. S. GRIFFIN,
Melbourne, Dec. 4th, 1845. Registrar

Government Accounts.

IT is requested that all amounts for any supplies or services obtained for the public service at Port Phillip, previous to the 31st of this month, may be presented to this office in the prescribed form, for payment, as soon after the expense has been incurred as possible, in order that it may, if practicable, be defrayed within the year.

Any accounts for the service of 1845, which cannot be defrayed within the year should be brought forward as soon after its close as will admit of their being paid within the ensuing month of January.

The several collectors and officers in the receipt of public monies, who are not too far distant from Melbourne to prevent it, will in like manner pay into this office, on the 31st instant, all collections remaining in their hands respectively up to that date, so that the entire revenue of the district may, as far as practicable, be credited in the accounts of the year.

By order of his Honor the Superintendent,
W. LONSDALE.
Sub-Treasury, 1st December, 1845.

Government Notice.

INFORMATION is requested at the Superintendent's Office, with regard to the present residence and position of Henry Gill, who is stated to have sailed from Cork in the *Samuel Boddington* on the 16th September, 1841, and to have arrived at Melbourne on the 26th January, 1842, but has not been heard of by his friends in Ireland since his emigration.

C. J. LATROBE.
Superintendent's Office, Melbourne.
24th November, 1845.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the District of Port Phillip, in the Colony of New South Wales, will be holden at the Court House, La Trobe-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the fifth day of January next, where all persons who have appeals or other business to transact, are desired to give their attendance at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this first day of December, A.D., 1845.
HENRY F. GURNER,
Clerk of the Peace.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 20th November, 1845.

TITLE DEEDS—PORT PHILLIP LANDS.

THE undermentioned Deeds have been transmitted from this Office to the Surveyor General, to be afterwards despatched to the Deputy Registrar, Melbourne, for enrolment in the Supreme Court, Port Phillip, under the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council, 5 Victoria, No. 21, when they will be delivered to the grantees, on payment of the established fees thereon, viz:—

PURCHASES UNDER THE EXISTING REGULATIONS.

TOWN ALLOTMENTS.

Proclamation of 3rd July, 1845.

Deeds dated, 29th October, 1845.

1. Peter Gunn, 2 rods, Warrigal, lot 11.
2. Ditto, 2 ditto, ditto, lot 12.
3. Daniel O'Mara, 2 ditto, ditto, lot 13.
4. Robert Patinson, 2 ditto, ditto, lot 14.

PORTIONS OF LAND.

Proclamation of 3rd July, 1845.

Deeds dated 29th October, 1845.

5. William Oswin, 133 acres, Bourke, lot 1.
6. Ditto, 146 ditto, ditto, lot 2.
7. John Manifold and Peter Manifold, as tenants in common, 283 acres 3 rods and 34 perches, Grant, lot 8.
8. George Campbell Curlew, 428 acres, Grant, lot 9.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON

TENDERS REQUIRED.

A BUOY BOAT being required for this port, persons willing to undertake to build a vessel fit for the service are requested to send their tenders in to the Clerk of Works' Office, (where all particulars may be obtained on application) on or before Wednesday, the 10th of December.

W. H. BUNBURY, J.P.
Harbour Master.

Harbour Master's Office,
William's Town,
December 1st, 1845.

Superintendent of Bridges' Office,
Melbourne, November 29th, 1845.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

TENDERS will be received at this Office, until four o'clock, on Tuesday, the 16th December next, from persons willing to erect three cranes for the Bridge over the Yarra Yarra at this place.

Pans and specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, by applying at this office, any day between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.

Superintendent of Bridges' Office,
Melbourne, November 29th, 1845.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

TENDERS will be received at this office until four o'clock on Tuesday, the 16th December next, from persons willing to supply lime for the bridge over the Yarra Yarra. The lime to be well burnt and slacked with fresh water, screened, through a quarter inch screen, and delivered into a punt on the river, above the fresh water dam.

The tender to state the price per imperial bushel.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.

Superintendent of Bridges' Office,
Melbourne, November 29th, 1845.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

TENDERS will be received at this office until four o'clock on Tuesday, the 16th December next, from persons willing to supply planking for the works at the bridge over the Yarra Yarra at this place. About 100 planks will be required, 16 and 18 feet in length, 9 x 24. The tender to state the price per (100) one hundred feet lineal.

Further information may be obtained by applying at this office any day between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.

Superintendent of Bridges' Office,
Melbourne, November 29th, 1845.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

TENDERS will be received at this office until four o'clock, on Tuesday, the 16th December next, from persons willing to supply excavator's barrows for the bridge over the Yarra Yarra. The Tender to state the price per barrow.

Further information may be obtained by applying at this office, any day between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

A WHALEBOAT being required for the Harbour Master's Department, persons willing to build or supply one fit for the service are requested to send their tenders in to the Clerk of Works' Office, on or before Wednesday, the 10th of December. Particulars may be obtained at the offices of the Harbour Master at William's Town, or of the Clerk of Works, Melbourne.

R. H. BUNBURY, J.P.,
Harbour Master.

Harbour Master's Office,
William's Town, December 1st, 1845.

Superintendent of Bridges' Office,
Melbourne, November 29th, 1845.

TENDERS REQUIRED.

TENDERS will be received at this office until four o'clock, on Tuesday, the 16th December next, from persons willing to supply good building stone for the bridge over the Yarra Yarra, at this place. The stone to be delivered at the site of the bridge in such quantities as may be required on either sides of the river; and the Tender to state the price per perch.

By order of His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.

Stray Horses.

THE following stray horses are in charge of the Police at Seymour, and can be had on the ownership being proved.

One dark chestnut gelding, branded F in circle the off side of neck, small star in forehead.

One dark chestnut gelding, branded PG on near shoulder, near hind foot white, star on forehead, and white stripe on face.

One bay mare, branded W on near shoulder and DS on off shoulder, black points.

One light bay gelding, black points, square tail, off hind foot white, brand EA on near shoulder.

One bay gelding, off hind foot white, branded PG on off shoulder, sore shoulder and withers.

One bay mare, brand EL on near side neck, and F on near shoulder.

One bay gelding, branded IW under saddle near side, and like EE on near shoulder, star in forehead.

Crown Commissioner's Office,
Seymour, November 29, 1845.

In the Insolvent Estate of John Moffat Chisholm, of Melbourne, Merchant.

ARCHIBALD CUNINGHAME of Melbourne, in the District of Port Phillip, in the Colony of New South Wales, Trustee in the above estate being desirous of resigning my office as such Trustee and to be discharged and acquitted of the said Trust do hereby give notice, in terms of the 93rd section of the Act of the Governor and Council, of New South Wales, 5 Victoria, No. 17, that I have prepared a full statement of my accounts as Trustee, in the above insolvent estate; and of the situation of the said estate; and I do hereby call a meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent to be held in the office of the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, for the District of Port Phillip, at the Court House, La Trobe street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the seventh day of January next, at half-past eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider the said statement. And I do hereby intimate that the aforesaid statement will in the meantime lay open for the inspection of the creditors in the said Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates at Melbourne aforesaid.

Dated this fourth day of December, A.D., 1845.
ARCHIBALD CUNINGHAME.

In the Insolvent Estate of John Muston, of Melbourne.

I ARCHIBALD CUNINGHAME of Melbourne, in the District of Port Phillip, in the Colony of New South Wales, surviving Trustee in the above estate, being desirous of resigning my office as such Trustee, and to be discharged and acquitted of the said Trust, do hereby give notice, in terms of the 93rd section of the Act of the Governor and Council, of New South Wales, 5 Victoria, No. 17, that I have prepared a full statement of my accounts as Trustee in the above Insolvent Estate, and of the situation of the said estate; and I do hereby call a meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent, to be held in the office of the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, for the District of Port Phillip, at the Court House, La Trobe-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the seventh day of January next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to consider the said statement. And I do hereby intimate that the aforesaid statement will in the meantime, lay open for the inspection of the creditors in the office of the said Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates at Melbourne aforesaid.

Dated this fourth day of December, A.D., 1845.
ARCHIBALD CUNINGHAME.

IT is ordered, that a Criminal Session and General Gaol Delivery of the Supreme Court for the district of Port Phillip, be holden at the Court-house, La Trobe-street, in the town of Melbourne, on Monday, the fifteenth day of December instant, at which all parties concerned are requested to give their attendance.

Dated the third day of December, A.D., one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

R. THERRY,
Resident Judge.

I MPOUNDED at Pentridge, 24th November, 1845:—

A red cow, short tail, calf by side, supposed O
near side, JH off ribs, K off rump
A brown sided mottled poley cow, JR off rump
and thigh, BW5 off ribs, and illegible brands
over, one supposed to be ET, ear marked
A red sheeted male calf, no brand
A yellow poley cow, ear marked, Y off rump, YY
off ribs, W shoulder, supposed &W near rump,
H

calf by side
A strawberry heifer, no visible brand
A yellow poley cow, CI near ribs, supposed W
shoulder, calf by side.

If not released they will be sold, 18th December, at noon, in the pound yard, in accordance with Act of Council.

G. P. ANDERSON,
Poundkeeper.

5s.]

I MPOUNDED at the Deep Creek, on the 10th of November, 1845:—
A white heifer, stumpy horns, branded IB or CB on the near shoulder

A yellow sided cow, nearly blind, white back, belly and tail, and a calf at her side, notch cut out of both ears, no brand
A brindle and white cow, and a calf at her side, branded on the off hip BF or HP
A dark brown yearling steer, branded PC on the off ribs.

If not claimed or released on or before the 13th day of December, 1845, they will be sold, according to Act of Council.

W. WRIGHT,
Poundkeeper.

12s.]

I MPOUNDED at Morang Pound, 26th November, 1845

One roan cow, piece broken off near horn, a male calf at side; brand supposed to be 3 on neck

milking side, JF conjoined on rump near side
One red bullock, near horn drooping, JT on

rump off side, RII (conjoined) the R reversed,

on top of near thigh

Strawberry sided cow, white back belly and face, cocked horns, a yearling steer at side, CT on off rump, supposed to be AM on thigh milking side

Yellow cow, IIG on rump, R on ribs milking side, AG on rump, 6 on thigh, all near side

One light red cow, EB on rump, S on shoulder milking side

One brown sided cow, white back belly tail and hips, male calf at side, JK on rump, supposed to be 24 on shoulder milking side, 3 on thigh D

milking side, a piece off of off ear
One light red cow, white streak along the back, white belly, lame on near fore foot, a piece off of off ear, male calf at side, DR on rump, CW

on ribs, JD on shoulder, all on milking side

One black sided heifer, white back belly and tail, brown nose and ears, EM on rump, M on thigh milking side, supposed to be an R on rump near side

One light brown sided cow, white back belly tail and legs, grizzle face, DR on rump, milking side

One red sided cow, white on back belly tail and forehead, male calf at side, JL on rump, C and BF

a blotch after it on ribs, JM on fore part of ribs, all on milking side, CR on thigh near side

One brindle sided heifer, white back belly and feet, grizzle face, DW near ribs

One red and white cow, male calf at side, W on rump, W on fore part of ribs milking side, slit in off ear

One brindle sided cow, white back belly and tail, white face and head, brown ears, I on shoulder near side

One brindle sided cow, a white streak on back, white face head and belly, brindle ears, a brindle spot on off side nose, male calf at side, IMC on thigh near side

One strawberry bullock, wide horns, no perceptible brand

One brown bullock, stag head, M on near horn, M or W reversed on shoulder near side

One red and white steer, white forehead, shell off near horn, LB on near rump.

If not released, will be sold on 19th December, 1845, at noon, according to Act of Council.

F. MUIRSON,
Poundkeeper.

33s. 9d.]

I MPOUNDED at Bulleen, 20th November, 1845:—

One very old black snail-horned Working Bullock, branded G W.

One old dun colour snail-horned Working Bullock, with a short tail, branded P on rump near side, H near hip.

One small light Brindled Cow, branded H near thigh, with a dun colour yearling, branded 71 off thigh. Heifer Calf at her side.

One red spotted Heifer, white face, H off side.

If not claimed on or before the 15th December, they will be sold at the pound.

JOHN JAMES,
Poundkeeper.

12s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at Sunday Creek, December 7, 1845.

Brown mare, about fourteen hands one, two very small white specks in forehead, grey hair about half-way between off nostril and off eye, near fore and hind foot white, racing tail, JP conjoined off shoulder, filly foal at foot

Red sided steer A near rump

MC

Red and white sheeted steer, same brand

Red sided cow, 111 off rump, W off ribs and shoulder, slit in near ear, male calf at side

Brown and white spotted cow, CHE the HE conjoined near shoulder, 1 near rump, PI off rump and ribs, female calf at side

Red working bullock, slightly brindled, white top of shoulder and rump, blotch brand near rump, NC off rump, HH off thigh, two slits in near ear

Light brindle and white bullock AM off thigh

IB

Red cow, white on rump, and white spots along back, M near ribs, an indescrivable brand near rump, JR conjoined, the joined at either

end to the bottom of the R, male calf at side

Brown cow, white face, CHE, the HE conjoined near shoulder, 8 near rump, PI off rump and ribs

Red and white spotted yearling heifer, JR off rump

If not claimed, to be sold 3rd January, 1846, according to Act of Council.

JOHN M. HARPUR,
Poundkeeper.

19s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at the Deep Creek on the 27th of November, 1845.

A red-sided working bullock, white back, face and tail, and white hind legs, branded on the off hip I-R, and on the off ribs WC, or WO, or W G, and 263 under, and some other brand or mark illegible, on the upper part of the near ribs, wide cocked horns.

If not claimed or released on or before the 18th day of December, 1845, will be sold according to Act of Council.

W. WRIGHT,
Poundkeeper.

11s. 3d.

IMPOUNDED at Kalkallo, November 24, 1845—

A red and white bull, about two years old, LB off rump—damages, £5

A red bullock, snail-horned, a little white on rump and belly, slit in off ear, J in a square and like above it off ribs.

If not claimed to be sold on the 17th December, 1845, according to Act of Council.

THOMAS JOHNSON,
Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at South Yarra Pound, on the 29th November, 1845; and if not claimed on or before the 23rd December, will be sold at the pound yards:—

One iron grey filly, small white streak down face, dark about legs, no brand visible, about twelve months old

One chestnut colt, white face and legs, tail roughly trimmed with knife, small scar or brand off side neck, might be two years old.

W. M. ATKINSON,
Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Mount Macedon, December 2nd, 1845:—

One chestnut mare, grey hairs mixed through the sides, long tail, some grey hairs in the forehead and some grey hairs on the top of the shoulder, LC or LG on the off side of the neck.

If not claimed on or before the 23rd day of December, she will be sold at the Pound Yard, according to the Act of Council.

HENRY FARRELL,
Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Morang, River Plenty, 4th December, 1845.

One dark bay gelding, black legs main and tail, about fifteen hands high, switch tail, collar marked, branded F on near shoulder, J P conjoined, on neck off side.

If not released will be sold on 27th December, 1845, noon according to Act of Council.

FRANCIS MUIRSON,
Poundkeeper.

9s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at Kalkallo, November 19th 1845:—

A brown speckled sided heifer, tip off near ear, and back out of off ear, B within circle off ribs, like (8) near ribs.

Also on the 20th.

A white cow, black spotted, 8 near shoulder, like FBS off ribs, black spotted calf by her side, top off the near ear.

If not claimed to be sold on the 13th December, 1845, according to Act of Council.

THOMAS JOHNSON,
Poundkeeper.

11s. 3d.

IMPOUNDED at Pentridge, 24th November, 1845, supposed the property of Mr. Bowman.

A brown cow, calf by side, ear marked, bow and arrow brand off rump, B shoulder.

If not released will be sold at pound yard, 18th December, in accordance with Act of Council.

G. P. ANDERSON,
Poundkeeper.

9s. 9d.]

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