



# PORT PHILLIP GOVERNMENT GAZETTE,

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## PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, Knight Companion of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Territory of New South Wales, and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the 5th and 6th year of her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for regulating the sale of Waste Land belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies*;" I do hereby notify and proclaim, that at Eleven o'clock of Wednesday, the 11th day of November next, the following Town, Suburban, and Country Lots of Land will be offered for Sale by Public Auction, at the Auction Room of Mr. George Sinclair Brodie, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions, and under the provisions of the above recited Act. (Deposit 10 per cent.)

## TOWN LOTS.

1. North Melbourne, 76p. Seventy-six perches, allotment No 13 of section 32. Upset price £300 per acre.
2. North Melbourne, 76p. Seventy-six perches, allotment No 14 of section 32. Upset price £300 per acre.
3. North Geelong, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 2 of section 35. Upset price £300 per acre.
4. North Geelong, 3r. Two roods, allotment No 3 of section 35. Upset price £300 per acre.
5. North Geelong, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 4, of section 35. Upset price £300 per acre.
6. North Geelong, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 5 of section 36. Upset price £300 per acre.
7. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 9 of section 1. Upset price £8 per acre.
8. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 10 of section 1. Upset price £8 per acre.
9. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 1 of section 2. Upset price £8 per acre.
10. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 2 of section 2. Upset price £8 per acre.
11. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 1 of section 5. Upset price £8 per acre.
12. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 2 of section 3. Upset price £8 per acre.
13. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 3 of section 5. Upset price £8 per acre.
14. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 4 of section 5. Upset price £8 per acre.
15. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 5 of section 5. Upset price £8 per acre.
16. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 1 of section 6. Upset price £8 per acre.
17. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 2 of section 6. Upset price £8 per acre.
18. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 3 of section 6. Upset price £8 per acre.
19. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 4 of section 6. Upset price £8 per acre.
20. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 5 of section 6. Upset price £8 per acre.
21. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 1 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
22. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 2 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
23. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 3 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
24. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 4 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
25. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 5 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
26. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 6 of section 7. Upset price £8 per acre.
27. Warrigal, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 9 of section 9. Upset price £8 per acre.
28. Portland, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 7 of section 2. Upset price £100 per acre.
29. Portland, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 13 of section 3. Upset price £100 per acre.
30. Portland, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 4 of section 14. Upset price £100 per acre.
31. Portland, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 5 of section 14. Upset price £100 per acre.
32. Portland, 2r. Two roods, allotment No 10 of section 13. Upset price £100 per acre.

## SUBURBAN LOTS.

1. Bourke, 21a. Or. 28p. Twenty-one acres twenty-eight perches, parish of Boroondara, portion No 39; bounded on the north by portion No 38, containing 24 acres 10 perches, being a line bearing east 38 chains 50 links; on the east by a road 1 chain wide, which separates it from Crown Land, being a line bearing south 5 chains 50 links; on the south by portion No. 40, containing 21 acres 23 perches, being a line bearing west 38 chains 50 links; and on the west by a road 1 chain wide which separates it

from portion No 33, containing 18 acres 1 rood and 28 perches, being a line bearing north 5 chains 50 links. Upset price £2 per acre.

2. Grant, 23, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion 1 of section 1; bounded on the north by a road, being a line bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 2, containing 23 acres, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

3. Grant, 23, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion No 2 of section No 1; bounded on the north by portion No 1, bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 3, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

4. Grant, 23, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion No 3 of section No 1; bounded on the north by portion No 2, bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 4, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

5. Grant, 23, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion No 4 of section No 1; bounded on the north by portion No 3, bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 5, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

6. Grant, 20, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion No 5 of section No 1; bounded on the north by portion No 4, bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 6, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

7. Grant, 23, Twenty-three acres, parish of Moorpanyal, portion No 6 of section 1; bounded on the north by portion No 5, bearing east 23 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 7, bearing west 23 chains; and on the west by a road bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £2 per acre.

8. Grant, 51a. 1r. 21p., Fifty-one acres one rood and twenty-one perches, parish of Moolap, portion No 6 of section 13; bounded on the north by a road 1 chain wide, bearing north 78 degrees east 20 chains 60 links; on the east by a road 1 chain wide, bearing south 23 chains; on the south by portion No 5, containing 87 acres 2 roods and 3 perches, bearing west 20 chains; and on the west by portion No 7, containing 50 acres and 20 perches bearing north 23 chains 30 links. Upset price £1 10s per acre.

9. Grant, 129a. 2r. 32p., One hundred and twenty-nine acres two roods and thirty-two perches, parish of Moolap, portion No 14; bounded on the north by a road 1 chain wide, bearing east 8 chains 31 links; on the east by portion No 15, containing 304 acres and 32 perches, bearing south 78 chains; on the south by a road 1 chain wide, bearing west 40 chains; on the west by a road 1 chain wide, bearing north 27 chains 50 links; and on the northwest by a reserve bearing north 62 degrees east 14 chains from thence north 36 degrees east 21 chains north 17 degrees east 10 chains and north 11 degrees 30 minutes 17 chains 63 links. Upset price £1 per acre.

10. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 11 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 22, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 12, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 6, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the western road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

11. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 12 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 21, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the middle road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by a portion No 5, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 11, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

12. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 13 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 20, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 14, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 4, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the middle road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

13. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 14 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 19, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the eastern road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 3, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 13, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

14. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 19 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 30, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the eastern road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 14, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 20, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

15. Normanby, 5, Five acres parish of Portland, No 20 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 29, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 19, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 13, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the middle road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

16. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 21 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 28, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the middle road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 12, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 22, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

17. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 22 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 27, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 21, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 11, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the western road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s per acre.

18. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 27 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 35, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 28, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by

portion No 22, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the western road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

19. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 28 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 34, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the middle road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 21, containing 5 acres; being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 27, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

20. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 29 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 33, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 30, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 20, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the middle road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

21. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 30 North Suburban; bounded on the north by portion No 32, containing 5 acres; being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the eastern road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 19, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 29, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

22. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 32 North Suburban; bounded on the north by a road, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the eastern road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 30, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 33, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

23. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 33 North Suburban; bounded on the north by a road, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 32, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 29, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the middle road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

24. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 34 North Suburban; bounded on the north by a road, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by the middle road, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 28, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by portion No 35, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

25. Normanby, 5, Five acres, parish of Portland, No 35 North Suburban; bounded on the north by a road, being a line bearing east 10 chains; on the east by portion No 34, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing south 5 chains; on the south by portion No 27, containing 5 acres, being a line bearing west 10 chains; and on the west by the western road, being a line bearing north 5 chains.

The bearings are reckoned from the meridian. Upset price £2 10s. per acre.

26. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra,

portion No 3 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 2, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 11, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 4, containing 40 acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

27. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra, portion No 4 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 3, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 11, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 5, containing 40 acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of the Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

28. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra, portion No 5 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 4, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 10, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 6, containing 40 acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of the Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

29. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra, portion No 6 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 5, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 10, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 7, containing 40 acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of the Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

30. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra, portion No 7 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 6, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 9, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by portion No 8, containing 40 acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of the Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

31. Grant, 40, Forty acres, parish of Irrewarra, portion No 8 of section No 30; bounded on the north by portion No 7, containing 40 acres, bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 9, containing 80 acres, bearing south 10 chains; on the south by the parish of Ellemiynt, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by the boundary line of the Colac reserve, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

32. Grant, 35a. 0r. 16p., Thirty-five acres, sixteen perches, parish of Ellemiynt, portion No 15 of section 9; bounded on the north by portion No 16, containing 39 acres, bearing east 39 chains; on the east by a road 1 chain wide, bearing south 9 chains; on the south by a road 1 chain wide, bearing west 39 chains; and on the west by the boundary of the parish of Nalngil, bearing north 9 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

33. Grant, 39, Thirty-nine acres, parish of Ellemiynt, portion No 16 of section 9; bounded on the north by portion No 17, containing 39 acres, bearing east 39 chains; on the east by a road 1 chain wide, bearing south 40 chains; on the south by portion No 15, containing 35 acres 16 perches, bearing west 39 chains; and on the west by the boundary of the parish of Nalngil, bearing north 10 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

#### COUNTRY LOT.

34. Bourke, 160, One hundred and sixty acres, parish of Merrimu, portion No 9; bounded on the north by portion No 15, containing 642 acres, and part of portion No 16, containing 674 acres; being a line bearing east 40 chains; on the east by portion No 8; con-

taining 759 acres, being a line bearing south 40 chains; on the south by portion No 6, containing 164 acres, being a line bearing west 40 chains; on the west by portion No 10, containing 165 acres, being a line bearing north 40 chains. Upset price £1 per acre.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Government-house, Sydney, this twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, and in the tenth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(Signed) CHS. A. FITZ ROY.  
By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Port Phillip.

#### CONTRACTS FOR THE COLONIAL SERVICE FOR 1847.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this office until Saturday, 24th October next, for furnishing the undermentioned supplies for twelve calendar months, commencing 1st January, 1847, upon the conditions hereafter specified.

##### DAILY RATIONS OF PROVISIONS.

No. 1. Emigrants—For men, 24 oz. wheaten bread, 16 oz. fresh meat, 8 oz. vegetables, half oz. salt, quarter oz. tea, one and a half oz. sugar, quarter oz. soap. For women—16 oz. wheaten bread, 12 oz. fresh meat, 6 oz. vegetables, half oz. salt, quarter oz. tea, one and a half oz. sugar, half oz. soap. Children—under ten years to be allowed two-thirds the rations of female adults; above that age and under fifteen the same as adults.

No. 2. To prisoners of the crown and others in the employment of the colonial departments—20 oz. wheaten bread, 8 oz. maize meal, 16 oz. fresh beef, quarter oz. salt, one oz. sugar, quarter oz. soap.

No. 3. To officers in charge of surveying parties when in the field, and men composing such parties—24 oz. flour, 16 oz. fresh or salt beef, half oz. salt, half oz. tea, two and a half oz. sugar, half oz. tobacco, quarter oz. soap.

No. 4. The rations for wives of soldiers of the Mounted Police—8 oz. bread, 8 oz. meat.

No. 5. The ration for children of soldiers of the Mounted Police above seven years—five and one-third oz. bread, five and one-third oz. meat, under seven years, 4 oz. bread, 4 oz. meat.

No. 6. Prisoners confined in gaol—12 oz. wheaten bread, 12 oz. maize meal, 4 oz. fresh beef, 8 oz. vegetables, half oz. salt, quarter oz. soap. (Ration No. 2 is issued to gaol attendants, and to witnesses, and others waiting bail; and if confined in solitary cells, ration No. 8.)

No. 7. Children of female prisoners confined in gaol—8 oz. wheaten bread, 4 oz. fresh beef, 1 pint milk, quarter oz. yellow soap.

No. 8. Prisoners confined in lock-up or watch-houses—24 oz. wheaten bread.

No. 9. Forage for horses and oxen for all colonial services—8lbs maize or barley, or 10lbs oats, 4lbs bran, 12lbs oaten or cultivated grass hay, and 4lbs wheat straw for each horse per day, and half the quantity for each bullock.

No. 10. For the Lighthouses—best clarified sperm oil, per imperial gallon; patent wicks each.

No. 11. For men attached to Lighthouses, Telegraphs, Water Police, and Harbour Master's boats' crews—24 oz. wheat bread, 16 oz. fresh beef, a quarter oz. salt, one quarter oz. soap.

No. 12. Fuel and light—sperm and common oil per gallon, mould and dip candles per lb cotton wick ditto.

Military rations of provisions for mounted police or other mounted force, and native police, if required, the same scale as that for surveying parties.

For hospitals, Chief Protector's department, native police, and all other services when ordered—20 per cent flour, fresh beef and mutton, wheaten bread (first, second and third quality), maize meal, bottled port wine, arrowroot, rice, sago, pearl barley, tea, sugar, salt, oatmeal, yellow soap, colonial leaf tobacco, vegetables, milk, vinegar, lime, straw, common oil, dip and mould candles, rum, brandy, porter, and cotton wick.

##### CONDITIONS.

All the articles required by this notice are to be of the best quality of their several kinds.

The flour and bread must be the produce of clean sound colonial wheat, from which on the ration of emigrants, surveying parties, border police, mounted police, 20 per cent, and on the ration to prisoners of the crown 10 per cent, has been extracted in bran and waste.

Beef and mutton to be issued in such proportions as may be required for the ration to emigrants, and, when the quantity admits of it, this as well as the convict ration of beef, to be delivered in fore and hind quarters alternately.

Beef to be issued five days and mutton on two days of the week.

The maize meal to be similar in quality to the wheat meal, and to be twice ground.

When it may be necessary to substitute one article for another, the following proportions are to be observed, viz.—1 lb wheat flour or 1 lb biscuit equal to 1½ of bread; 1 lb salt beef or 1 lb mutton or 10 oz salt pork, equal to 1 lb of fresh beef.

These substitutions are not to be made except on the requisition of the officer authorised to draw the several rations.

Vegetables to be supplied in reasonable proportions of potatoes, greens, pumpkins, onions, &c. &c.

The supplies for road parties and surveying parties are to be delivered at the nearest fixed stations to the places where the party may be employed, on the requisition of the officer in charge; and in case the whole ration of forage not be required or delivered, each of the species to be reckoned as the portion of the ration undermentioned:—The maize or barley 4-12—the hay 5-12—the bran 2-12—the straw 1-12.

The supplies (not specified in the preceding paragraph) are to be delivered direct to the parties or establishments entitled thereto, on the written order of the person duly authorised for the purpose.

Provisions and forage being required by rations, according to the scales under their respective heads, the tenders are required to express the price per ration only.

The tenders for forage are not required to state the price of the ration for oxen, as when the latter is required one half of the allowance fixed for horses will be drawn, and one half the price allowed to the contractor, whose engagement is to provide for both horses and oxen.

In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the party receiving the supplies, as to the quality, the same is to be decided, in cases where the article is not of a perishable nature, by a Board of Survey, according to the practice of the service. But in country districts, where a Board of Survey cannot be conveniently assembled, the party objecting will name one person as arbitrator; the contractor or his agent another, and these two will (previously to any other proceeding on their part) concur in naming a third, as umpire, who, in the event of the arbitrators not agreeing in opinion, will be called upon for his decision, which shall be final.

If the board, arbitrators, or umpire, shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing of which it will be procured by the department requiring it, and the expense charged to the contractor.

In the event of any unnecessary delay or failure

of the contractor to supply the articles when required, they will be otherwise procured and charged in like manner.

In cases where the article is of a perishable nature, or from some other cause, injury would be sustained either by the parties to whom the rations are due, or to the contractor, by waiting for a Board of Survey, the head of the department or officer in charge of the party or parties for whom the rations are to be received, shall have the power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality; it being distinctly understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and that the contractor will have a right to appeal to the Governor, although in the meantime, he must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing of which it will be obtained by the officer or party requiring it, and the expense charged to the contractor.

A repetition of irregularity in the quality or quantity of the supplies, or of any delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon the report of the officer in charge of the parties or establishment, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of his monthly account, as the Governor may direct. It will also be in the power of the Governor, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract.

It will be in the power of either party to limit the duration of the contract, by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months to the opposite party, and to end the contract at the expiration of that period, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made or agreed to be made.

The contractor will be required to prepare his own account, monthly or quarterly, in the prescribed form; and on the production thereof, with the requisite vouchers in a complete state, to the Sub-Treasurer for examination, and upon their approval, payment will be made by him at Melbourne.

The value of all packages to be included in the prices demanded.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Sub-Treasurer; and a security of £2000 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract. No tender can be attended to unless accompanied by a certificate from the parties proposed as security, stating they are willing to become bound as securities for the contractor accordingly, and the bonds must be executed within ten days from the day of acceptance of the tender being notified, failing of which the contracts will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The tenders to contain the names of the tenderers and their sureties, and places of residence.

All tenders to be enclosed in a separate envelope, and marked "Tender for Provisions, &c." and to be deposited in a box marked "Tenders" at the western entrance of the Government Offices.

The tenders must include the whole of the rations and separate articles above mentioned.

The tenders are to be given in for the under-mentioned districts, which may be tendered for separately or collectively:—

1. Melbourne, including the county of Bourke, the Mounted and Border Police Stations on the Goulburn and Broken Rivers, and any other stations on or near the Sydney Road within the Port Phillip boundary, also all the Aboriginal Stations, excepting that at Mount Rouse.
2. Geelong, including the County of Grant.
3. The county of Normanby, including the towns of Portland, and Port Fairy.
4. The Aboriginal Station at Mount Rouse.
5. Gipps Land, including Alberton.

C. J. LA TROBE.

Superintendent's Office, Melbourne,  
September 16, 1846.

#### Conveyance of Mails, in 1847.

CONVEYANCE being required for the Post Office Mails as undermentioned, for one year from the 1st January 1847, persons disposed to contract for providing the same are invited to transmit their offers in writing to this office by twelve o'clock on Monday, the 2nd day of November next, endorsed "Tender for Conveyance of Mails," viz:—

From Melbourne, by way of Bunnenyong and the Grange, to Portland, and for the return thereof by the same route, once a week.

From the Grange to the Glenelg north of the River Wannon, by a given line of route, and from thence to Mount Gambier, and for the return thereof by the same route, once a fortnight.

From and to Melbourne and the Post Office near Mount Macedon, once a week.

From and to Port Fairy and Fiery Creek, once a week.

From the Post Office in Melbourne to vessels in Hobson's Bay, twice a day; and from vessels in Hobson's Bay to the Post Office in Melbourne as often as mails may arrive, always by the eastern beach.

The time proposed to be occupied on the line of road must be stated in the offer, and as expedition is so desirable a point in Post Office communication, the tender proposing the quickest rate of travelling, if combining cheapness, will of course receive preference.

Contractors are to carry all bags delivered to them under authority of the Postmasters, and to provide dry covering for the mails on horseback, carriage conveyance will be preferred when practicable.

Contractors are to receive letters from parties on the line of road, to be delivered at the Post Office first arrived at, but are not to depart from direct line of road to collect the same, under penalty of five shillings for refusal.

Contractors will be bound to prevent the conveyance of any letter or packet for fee or hire, to the prejudice of the Post Office revenue, under penalty of five pounds for each offence.

Fixed hours will be arranged for departure and arrival of the mails, under penalty for delay.

Horses, vehicles, and postmen to be subject to approval of the Postmaster at Melbourne.

Each party tendering, or an agent for him, must attend at this office on the day appointed for opening the tenders.

Printed forms of tenders may be had on application at any of the Post Offices, and any further particulars may be learned from the Postmaster at Melbourne.

C. J. LA TROBE.

Superintendent's Office,  
Melbourne, 28th Sept., 1846.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

#### Tenders Required.

TENDERS will be received from persons willing to contract for the supply of lime until the 30th of December next, required in completing the sides of the Fresh Water Dam, at Melbourne.

The lime to be well burnt and slacked with fresh water, screened through a quarter inch screen, and delivered at the fresh water dam.

The tenders to state the prices per imperial bushel and to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 31st instant, by 12 o'clock at noon, endorsed "Tender for Lime for Fresh Water Dam."

By order of the Superintendent.

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

**Tenders Required.**

**TENDERS** will be received from persons willing to contract for the erection of a wooden bridge at Templeton's Creek, on the Sydney and Port Phillip Road.

Plans, specifications, and form of tender may be seen, and all other information obtained daily, at this office, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock.

The tenders to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 7th of November next, by 12 o'clock at noon, endorsed "Tender for the erection of a Wooden Bridge, at Templeton's Creek."

By order of the Superintendent,

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

**Tenders Required.**

**TENDERS** will be received from persons willing to contract for deepening the Basin of the Queen's Wharf, at Melbourne.

Plans, specifications, and form of tender may be seen, and all other information obtained daily, at this office, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock.

The tenders to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 31st instant, by 12 o'clock at noon, endorsed "Tender for Deepening the Basin of the Queen's Wharf, at Melbourne."

By order of the Superintendent.

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

**Tenders Required.**

**THE** amounts of the tenders received, on the 3rd of October last, for "further additions to the approaches to the Queen's Wharf, at Melbourne," exceeding the remaining sum voted by the Legislative Council, for this work—Tenders will be received from persons willing to contract for "Further Additions to the Approaches to the Queen's Wharf at Melbourne," according to an altered specification, which, with plans and form of tender, may be seen, and all other information obtained daily at this office, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock.

The tenders to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 31st instant, by 12 o'clock at noon.

By order of the Superintendent.

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

**Tenders Required.**

**TENDERS** will be received from persons willing to supply such blacksmith's work as may be required at the fresh water dam, at Melbourne.

The tender to state the price per 100 points sharpening, the price per point for laying and steeling with shear steel, and the price per pound for wrought iron in screws, bolts, straps, &c.; and to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, at Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 31st instant, by 12 o'clock at noon.

By order of the Superintendent.

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,  
Melbourne, Oct. 16, 1846.

**Tenders Required.**

**TENDERS** will be received from persons willing to contract for the supply of Parker's Cement, required in the erection of the Prince's Bridge, until the 30th December, 1846.

The tenders to state the price per cwt., and to be deposited in the box at the west entrance of the new Government Offices, Melbourne, on or before Saturday the 31st instant, by 12 o'clock at noon, endorsed, "Tender for Parker's Cement."

By order of the Superintendent.

DAVID LENNOX,  
Superintendent of Bridges.

Public Works Office,  
Melbourne, 14th Oct., 1846.

**A**PPPLICATIONS are requested from qualified persons willing to fulfil the situation of Overseer of Works and Clerk, at the Light-house about to be erected at Cape Otway, and at any other public work at which his services may be required.

Candidates will please to make application in their own handwriting, and attend personally at this office at twelve o'clock on Thursday the 22nd instant.

By order of the Acting Superintendent.

HENRY GINN,  
Clerk of Works.

**Government Notice.**

Superintendent's Office,  
Melbourne, October 9, 1846

**THE** service of Her Majesty making it requisite that the Superintendent of Port Phillip should absent himself from the District for some time, it is expedient that in the interval, or until His Excellency the Governor's pleasure may be officially and further made known, arrangements should be made for the discharge of his duties: Notice is hereby given to the Officers of Government in this District, and to all other parties concerned, that until further notice, the duties of the above functionary after this date devolve upon William Lonsdale, Esquire, who is to be considered duly authorised accordingly; and further, that pending other arrangements, James Simpson, Esquire, has been nominated to act as Sub-Treasurer; and that the Government acknowledges all acts performed by him according to existing rules and regulations in that character.

(Signed) C. J. LA TROBE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, October 12, 1846

**THE** Queen having been graciously pleased to appoint his Honor Charles Joseph La Trobe, Esquire, to the temporary administration of the Government of Van Diemen's Land; His Excellency the Governor in virtue of the authority vested in him, under Her Majesty's Commission, is pleased to appoint William Lonsdale, Esquire, to undertake the duties of Superintendent of the District of Port Phillip, and Alexander M'Crae, Esquire, to undertake the duties of Sub-Treasurer of that District during Mr. La Trobe's absence.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

**NEWSPAPERS.**

**W**HEREAS much carelessness has of late been evinced in the posting of newspapers, as well for transit by land as by sea, by inattention in a very great degree to the Regulations laid down for the conveyance of news,

papers in the 8th clause of the Post Office Act, 5th William IV., No. 24: And whereas the Postmaster-General has of late returned to Melbourne from Sydney, for postage, many newspapers posted in disregard of this Act in the Port Phillip district, but the newspapers in themselves not affording any guide as to whom application should be made for such postage, the newspapers cannot of course be forwarded.

The clause of the act referred to is herewith published for general information, and to which particular attention is in all cases recommended in future.

Postmasters throughout the district of Port Phillip will be careful in the observance of this Regulation, as well in respect of the date of newspapers in restricting their free transit to the seven days, as in respect of the endorsement of "Newspaper only."

HENRY D. KEMP,  
Chief Postmaster.

Post Office, Melbourne,  
21st October, 1846.

Act of Council 5 William IV. No. 24.

Clause 8. Provided always, and be it enacted, That all newspapers printed in the colony, if transmitted within seven days from the date thereof, and all printed newspapers received from abroad, shall, if enclosed in an envelope open at both ends, be received, conveyed, and delivered free of all postage whatever: Provided however, that no such newspaper shall contain any note, letter, memorandum, or other thing or writing therein or thereon, excepting only the direction on the outside thereof, and that there shall be also marked on the outside of all newspapers printed in the colony, the words "Newspaper only," or "Newspapers only," as the case may be: And in case any such newspaper or newspapers as last-mentioned shall be put into any post office at any time after the expiration of seven days from the date thereof, or if any such newspaper shall be transmitted in any way contrary to the provisions of this act, each and every such newspaper, or packet containing newspapers, shall be charged with postage as a letter or packet, according to its weight.

#### Government Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Mr. Henry Darling Kemp having returned to Port Phillip, after the expiration of his leave of absence, will enter upon the duties of his office from the 15th October, under the designation of "Chief Postmaster for the District of Port Phillip."

W. LONSDALE.

Superintendent's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th Oct., 1846.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, September 28, 1846.

#### 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, 5th Victoria, No. 21, when they will be forwarded to the Sub-Treasurer for delivery to the Grantees, on payment of the established fees thereon, viz:—

PURCHASES UNDER THE EXISTING REGULATIONS.

#### TOWN ALLOTMENTS.

Proclamation of 27th April, 1846.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1846.

1. William Dods, 2 roads, Warrigal, lot 3.
2. do do, 2 roads, ditto, lot 5.

#### PORTIONS OF LAND.

Proclamation of 27th April, 1846.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1846.

3. George Newson, 52 acres, Bourke, lot 11.
4. do do, 49 acres, ditto, lot 12.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

(46 1030) Superintendent's Office,  
Melbourne, 12th Oct., 1846.

James Rogerson.

ENQUIRY having been made by a relative of James Rogerson, in England respecting James Rogerson and his family, who are stated to have emigrated to Port Phillip by the ship *Margaret*, in October 1841, and which arrived at this port the 1st of February, 1841, via Launceston, any person who is enabled to afford information respecting the above individuals is requested to transmit the same to this office.

W. LONSDALE.

#### 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, Collins-street, on Monday, the 2nd Nov., 1846, and the following days, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Plaints must be delivered at the office of the Registrar, on or before Saturday, the 24th day of October, instant.

Defences or sets-off must be filed on or before Thursday, the 29th instant.

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

In defended cases, the plea of 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,

J. S. GRIFFIN, Registrar.

Melbourne, 10th October, 1846.

#### NOTICE.

IT is hereby requested that those persons who held the office of Special Constable for the two preceding years, and who have not returned the batons served out to them, will be pleased to deliver, the same to the Clerk of the Bench at Melbourne, with as little delay as possible.

J. F. PALMER,  
Mayor.

Melbourne Police Office,  
October 21, 1846.

In the Supreme Court of New  
South Wales for the District  
of Port Phillip.

#### Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

Notice to Creditors to prove in the goods of Alfred Diaper, deceased, intestate, late of Melbourne.

PURSUANT to a Rule of this honourable court, the Creditors of the above named deceased are to come in and prove their respective claims before James Denham Pincock, Esq., Registrar of this Court, at his office, Court-house, Latrobe-street, Melbourne, on or before Thursday the 29th day of October, instant; or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from all benefit in the said estate. Dated this 21st day of October, 1846.

J. D. PINCOCK,  
Curator of Intestate Estates.

**IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on October 16th, 1846, (damage £1)—**

One black entire colt, a few grey hairs on the forehead, long tail, stands about 14 hands high, off side under the saddle Lm or Dm  
 One red cow, heavy in calf, off rump E, a red yearling heifer by her side.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before Monday the 9th day of November, to be sold at the pound according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
 Poundkeeper.

4s 6d]

**IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on October 14th, 1846—**

One dark red working bullock, white head and belly, wide up horns, near ribs JA  
 One dark red working bullock, white head and belly, unbranded.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before Saturday, the 7th day of November, to be sold at the pound according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
 Poundkeeper.

4s 3d]

**IMPOUNDED at Bulleen, Upper Yarra,—**

One yellow working bullock, spotted white, face and back white, branded MS or WS off rump

One red working bullock in hobbles, branded heart near thigh (supposed a), figure 2 off ribs.

If not claimed on or before the 4th of November, they will be sold at the pound.

JOHN JAMES,  
 Poundkeeper.

Bulleen, Upper Yarra,  
 11th Oct., 1846.

[4s. 9d.]

**IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on October 9, 1846—**

One yellow and white cow, off rump UR, off side M in diamond, off shoulder TI, near rump TI, off thigh D

A red yearling bull, white belly, by her side  
 One yellow steer, near side on the back S or N  
 One white and red spotted pole yearling heifer, no perceivable brand.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before Saturday the 31st day of October, to be sold at the pound according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
 Poundkeeper.

Melbourne Pound, Oct. 21, 1846.

NOTICE.—The red and white spotted yearling heifer advertised as near rump RD, instead of RP, will be sold with the other cattle on the 31st day of October.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
 Poundkeeper.

7s 6d.]

**IMPOUNDED at Morang, River Plenty, 19th October, 1846—**

A dark brown well-bred filly, about 18 months old, star on forehead, and white snip on the nose, branded JB (conjoined) near shoulder

A bright bay filly, black points, supposed to be about 18 months old, F or figure 7 reversed off shoulder

A blue cow, grey face, wide cock horns, white back belly and tail, )-( and blotched brand off ribs, young calf by her side

A large red sided bullock, grey face, white back belly tail and hind legs, down hoop horns, WN or NN off rump, WC or G (conjoined)

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near shoulder, two letters blotched on near rump, supposed to be a worker

If not claimed and released on or before the 12th of November next, they will be sold at the pound yard according to the Act of Council.

JAMES DUNBAR,  
 Poundkeeper.

7s.]

**IMPOUNDED at Pentridge, 20th October, 1846.—**

A dark brown horse, star forehead, snip on nose, hind feet white, illegible brand near neck, supposed YR conjoined, short switch tail, stands 14 hands 2 inches; no shoes.

A bay mare, black points, saddle and collar marked, star forehead, A i off shoulder, switch tail, no shoes on, stands about 14 hands 2 inches.

If not released, will be sold at pound yard, at noon, November 13, in accordance with Act of Council.

G. P. ANDERSON,  
 Poundkeeper

5s.]

**Town of Melbourne.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that tenders for the erection of certain additional yards at the Melbourne Cattle Market, according to plans and specifications, to be seen on application to the Town Surveyor, will be received at this office until Monday, the 26th October, instant, at noon.

The tenders to be addressed under cover "To the Chairman of the Public Works Committee," and endorsed *Tender for the Erection of Cattle Yards*.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest tender.

JOHN C. KING,  
 Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,  
 Melbourne, Oct. 12, 1846.

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