



PORT PHILLIP GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
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CROWN LANDS BEYOND THE SETTLED DISTRICTS.

IT having been represented to the Government, that mechanics and others are locating themselves on Crown Lands beyond the Settled Districts, under the impression, in most instances, that they will be allowed to obtain Licenses from the Crown; His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that no new licenses for other than pastoral purposes will be issued; and the respective Crown Commissioners have received instructions to prevent the location of all such persons, until they are in possession of the fee simple of allotments, which it is intended, as early as possible, to bring forward for sale, in the different Townships about to be laid out beyond the Settled Districts, and which will be notified for general information, so soon as the state of the survey will allow.

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

COURT OF REQUESTS FOR THE TOWN OF MELBOURNE AND COUNTY OF BOURKE.

£10 JURISDICTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Requests for the Town of Melbourne and County of Bourke, with jurisdiction to the amount of £10, will be holden in the Court house, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the second and following days of October next, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon. Plaints must be delivered at the Office of the Registrar, on or before Monday, the twenty-fifth day of September instant.

Defences or set-off must be filed on or before Friday, the twenty-ninth day of September instant, every plaint, defence, or set-off, must have the name, residence

or place of business of the plaintiff and defendant written thereon.

In defended cases, the defence or notice of set-off must be in accordance with the form prescribed by the late rules of Court.

By order of the Commissioner,
J. S. GRIFFIN,
Registrar.

Melbourne,
September 7th, 1848.

NEW POLICE OFFICE.

FITTINGS, &c.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 30th instant, for the interior fittings and finishing of the New Police Office, Melbourne.

The tenders to be sealed, endorsed "Tender for Fittings, &c.," and deposited in the box marked tenders for works and stores at the western entrance of the New Government offices.

The plans and specification may be seen and further particulars obtained on application at the undermentioned office.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of
His Honor the Superintendent,
HENRY GINN,
Clerk of Works.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne,
19th September, 1848.

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 second day of October 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 eighteenth day of August, A.D., 1848.

HENRY FIELD GURNER,
Clerk of the Peace.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th August, 1848.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

HIS Excellency the Governor has
been pleased to appoint

MR. JOSEPH COULSTOCK

to be Inspector of Slaughter Houses, and
of Cattle intended to be slaughtered, in
the township of Warrnambool, Port Phil-
lip, under the Act of the Governor and
Legislative Council, 5 Gul. IV., No. 1.

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

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, IN
1849.

CONVEYANCE being required for
the Post Office Mails from and to
the undermentioned places, for one year,
from the 1st January, 1849, persons dis-
posed to contract for providing the same,
are invited to transmit their offers, in
writing, to this Office, by or before twelve
o'clock on Monday, the 16th day of Oc-
tober next, endorsed, "Tender for con-
veyance of Mails," viz:—

- From and to Melbourne and Portland, by
way of Ballan, Bunnenyong, Fiery
Creek and the Grange, twice a week.
- From and to the Grange and Mount
Gambier, by way of the Glenelg post
office, once or twice a week.
- From and to Port Fairy and Fiery Creek,
by way of Muston's Creek, twice a
week.
- From and to Port Fairy and Warrnam-
bool, by way of Woodford, once a
week.
- From and to Geelong and Lake Timboon
by way of the Barwon and Lake Colac
post office, once or twice a week.
- From and to Geelong and the Leigh post
office, once a week; and
- From and to the Leigh and Bunnenyong,
once a week, or
- From and to Geelong and Bunnenyong,
by way of the Leigh post office, once a
week.
- From and to the Leigh and Muston's
Creek, by way of the Frenchman's Inn
and Mount Elephant, once a week, or,
by way of the Knu Inn on the Wardy
Yallock and by Mount Elephant, once
a week.
- From and to Bunnenyong and Horsham,
by way of Burn Bank and the Four
Posts Inn on the Wimmera, once a
week.
- From and to Melbourne and Mount Ma-
cedon, once a week.
- From and to Mount Macedon and the
Serpentine Creek, by way of Mount
Alexander, once a week, and
- From and to the Serpentine Creek and
Swan Hill near the Murray, once a
week, or
- From and to Mount Macedon and Swan
Hill, by way of Mount Alexander and
the Serpentine Creek, for the whole
distance, once a week.
- From and to Kilmore and Maiden's Punt,
by way of Bertram's Inn on the Cam-
paspie, once a week.

From and to Melbourne and Dandenong,
by way of Brighton, once a week.

From and to Dandenong and Alberton,
by way of Mount Ararat, Tyer's Cut,
and the Flooding Creek in Gipps Land,
once a fortnight.

From the post office in Melbourne to
vessels in Hobson's bay, once or twice
a day, as may be required, and from
vessels in Hobson's bay to the post
office in Melbourne, as often as mails
may arrive, always by the eastern
beach.

It is to be understood that the mails
are to despatched on the days and hours
to be fixed by the Chief Postmaster, either
according to the present arrangement or
as he may afterwards determine for the
public convenience.

It will be optional with parties to offer
for one or more of the above lines of
stages, and to propose the mode of conve-
yance; but on all roads where wheel
vehicles can travel, a preference will be
given to carriage conveyance, and the
contractors will be held strictly bound to
use the conveyance they propose, and to
travel at the rate agreed upon. The rate
of travelling is not to be less than six
miles per hour, including all stoppages.
The contractors are to carry all bags and
letters which may be delivered to them
under authority of the Chief Postmaster,
or any of the Postmasters, and to provide
secure lockers for the mails in carriages,
and dry coverings for the bags on horse-
back.

Contractors will be bound to prevent
the conveyance of any letter or packet by
any of their servants or passengers, or
otherwise, to the prejudice of the Post-
office Revenue, but all loose letters col-
lected on the road are to be delivered up
to the Postmaster at first Post Office
arrived at, under penalty of £5 for each
and every offence.

Contractors will be liable to a fine of
five shillings for every five minutes delay
after the specified time of starting; and
to a like penalty for every ten minutes
delay after the specified time of arrival,
except for the first five or ten minutes
respectively.

Contractors will be strictly bound not
to assign any portion of their contract
without consent of the Chief Post-
master.

A mail-cart or carriage, drawn only by
one horse, must not carry more than one
passenger; by two horses, not more than
three passengers; and by three or more
horses, not more than six passengers, ex-
clusive of the driver, under the penalty of
£3 for each offence.

All vehicles and horses employed in the
conveyance of mails are to be at all times
subject to the inspection and approval, or
rejection of the Chief Postmaster, or per-
son appointed by him for that purpose.

The drivers and postmen are to be free
men and of certified good character.

All fines and penalties incurred under the
agreement are to be deducted by the Chief
Postmaster from the next quarterly instal-
ment falling due to the contractor, and to
be considered as over and above any

penalties provided by any Act of Council.

Each party tendering, or an agent for him, must attend at this office on the day appointed for opening the Tenders, and each Tender must bear the signature of two respectable and solvent persons, engaging to enter into a bond with the contractor, for the safety of the mails and the due performance of the contract, and every stipulation therein.

The hours of starting from each Post Office, or stage, and other particulars may be ascertained at the Post Office, Melbourne, where parties proposing to tender are invited to seek information.

Printed forms of Tender may be had on application at the General and all other Post Offices throughout the Colony.

C. J. LA TROBE.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne,
12th September, 1848.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 1st September, 1848.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND GRANTS.—
DISTRICT OF PORT PHILLIP.**

THE description of the following Grants of Land, which have been appropriated to the purposes of the Church of England, as hereunder more particularly mentioned, are published for general information, in order that the parties concerned may have an opportunity of correcting any errors or omissions that may have been made inadvertently.

At the expiration of one month from this date, if no caveat be lodged or other cause of uncertainty appear, the Deeds of Grant of the same will be executed in favor of the approved Trustees, viz. :—

109 Geelong, 1, one acre, county of Grant, parish of Geelong, allotments Nos 11 and 12 of section 26; bounded on the west by Moorarbool-street, bearing north 11 degrees east 250 links; on part of the north by allotment No 10, bearing south 79 degrees, east 200 links; again on the west by allotment No 10, bearing north 11 degrees, east 250 links; on the remainder of the north by a lane of 50 links wide, bearing south 79 degrees, east 100 links; on the east by allotment No 13, bearing south 11 degrees, west 500 links; and on the south by M'Killop-street, bearing north 79 degrees, west 300 links.

Authorised for the Church of England, as a site for a church.

110 Geelong, 2r, two roods, county of Grant, parish of Geelong, allotment No 13 of section 26, bounded on the west by allotment No 12, bearing north 11 degrees, east 500 links; on the north by a lane of 50 links wide, bearing south 79 degrees, east 100 links; on the east by allotment No 14, bearing south 11 degrees, west 500 links; and on the south by M'Killop-street, bearing north 79 degrees, west 100 links.

Authorised for the Church of England as a site for a Parsonage.

111 Geelong, 2r, two roods, county of Grant, parish of Geelong, allotment No. 10, of section 26, bounded on the west by Moorarbool-street, bearing north

11 degrees, east 250 links; on the north by a lane of 50 links wide, bearing south 79 degrees east 200 links; on the east by part of allotment No 12, bearing south 11 degrees west 250 links; and on the south by allotment No 11, bearing north 79 degrees west 200 links.

Authorised for the Church of England as a site for a School House.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 8th August, 1848.

**CROWN LANDS BEYOND THE
SETTLED DISTRICTS.**

(LIMITING THE TIME OF APPLYING FOR
LEASES.)

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the publication of the following Regulations limiting the time with which certain claims to leases of runs beyond the Settled Districts, will be entertained by His Excellency.

BY the 11th section of chapter II, of Her Majesty's Order in Council, of the 9th March, 1847, it is provided, "That all occupants of Crown Lands, who shall have been in licensed occupation of the same for at least one year, at the time when this Order shall come into effect, are to be entitled to demand leases of their respective runs under the present Regulations, within six months from the date of the publication of this Order in Council by the Governor but not afterwards."

The said Order in Council having been published and brought into effect in the Colony on the 7th October, 1847, the period allowed for preferring claims to leases expired on the 6th April last, as respects those persons, who on the 7th October last, had been in Licensed occupation of their runs for one year or more. All such persons, therefore, who failed to demand leases on or before the 6th April last, have lost the right of so doing conferred by the Order in Council. As a matter of grace, however, the Governor has not up to the present time, refused to entertain applications for leases on the ground of their having been sent in subsequently to the expiration of the time prescribed by the Order in Council, nor will his Excellency do so as respects any further applications which may be received before the 30th September next, when the time allowed for taking out Licenses for the current year will expire. But after that date the Governor will not under any circumstances whatever, entertain a demand for a lease of a run from any person whose licensed occupancy of the run had, on the 7th October, 1847, been of not less than one year's duration.

It will of course be understood that this notice does not apply to parties, who having failed to take out their Licenses for the past year, are not entitled to demand Leases under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council above referred to.

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

BACCHUS MARSH POUND.

IN accordance with the Act of Council 4th Wm 4th, No. 3, section 2, the Justices Assembled at a Court of Petty Sessions, held at Melbourne, for the County of Bourke, on the 5th September instant, were pleased to establish a Public Pound at Bacchus Marsh, in the County of Bourke aforesaid.

By order of the Justices,
ROBERT CADDEN,
 Clerk of Petty Sessions,
 County of Bourke.

Melbourne Police Office,
 8th September.

In the Supreme Court
 of New South Wales }
 for the District of } No. 76.
 Port Phillip. }

IT is ordered, that the 14th, 15th, 16th, and 17th clauses of the Rules and Orders for the regulation of the Deputy Sheriff's Office for the District of Port Phillip, of the twentieth March, 1841, be and the same are hereby repealed from this date.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of August in the year of our Lord 1848.

WILLIAM A'BECKETT,
 Resident Judge.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the Act of Council, 4th Wm. 4th, No. 3, sec. 2, the Justices assembled at a Court of Petty Sessions held this day at the Police Office, Geelong, appointed a Public Pound to be erected and maintained at the "Barwoon," in this District, on the line of road to Lake Col-lac, about twenty miles from Geelong; and Mr. Nicholas Trebeck to be Pound-keeper of the said Pound.

By order of the said Justices,
ALFRED J. EYRE,
 Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office, Geelong,
 14th September, 1848.

RICHARD GODFREY.

INFORMATION is requested at the Superintendent's Office respecting the present abode and position of "Richard Godfrey," who was some time since in the assigned service of Mr George Langhorne, of the Aboriginal Mission on the Yarra.

C. J. LA TROBE,
 Superintendent's Office,
 Melbourne, May 12, 1848.

THOMAS TURNER.

INFORMATION is requested at the Superintendent's Office, respecting the present abode and position of Thomas Turner, who arrived in the "Maitland," in Hobson's Bay, on the 9th November, 1816.

(Signed) **C. J. LA TROBE,**
 Superintendent's Office,
 Melbourne, 24th August, 1848.

Superintendent's Office,
 Melbourne, 31st July, 1848.

THOMAS DREWERY.

INFORMATION is requested at the Superintendent's Office, respecting the residence of Thomas Drewery, who arrived at Geelong, in the JOSEPH SOMES, on the 24th Sept., 1847.

C. J. LA TROBE.

COURT OF REQUESTS FOR THE TOWN OF MELBOURNE AND COUNTY OF BOURKE.

£30 JURISDICTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Requests for the Town of Melbourne and County of Bourke, with Jurisdiction to Thirty pounds, will be holden in the Court house, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Thursday the 5th and following days of October next, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Plaints must be delivered at the office of the Registrar, on or before Tuesday, the 26th day of September next.

Defences or set offs must be filed on or before the 30th day of September next.

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

In defended cases the defence or 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,
 August 19th, 1848.

THE undermentioned articles of un-claimed property, now in charge of the Police, in the City of Melbourne, will be sold by public auction, at the Police Office, at 12 o'clock on Thursday the 12th day of October next, unless previously claimed.

- 1 shot bag and shot
 - 1 powder flask and powder
 - 2 vests
 - 1 gold wedding ring
 - 1 box rings
 - 4 castors
 - 1 lock and pair of compasses
 - 2 percussion guns
 - 2 pistols
 - 1 black frock coat
 - 1 black cravat
 - 1 black velvet coat
 - 1 pilot cloth coat
 - 1 black hat
 - 1 map of Australia Felix
 - 1 pair of boots
 - 1 axe, 1 flint gun
 - 2 kegs containing rum
 - 1 trunk
 - A quantity of children's clothing
 - 4 pairs trousers
 - 8 cotton handkerchiefs
 - 1 guernsey shirt, 8 cotton shirts
 - A quantity of old clothing
 - 3 cedar boards, and a lot of sundries.
- By order of his Worship the Mayor,
W. J. SUGDEN,
 Chief Constable.

Police Office, Melbourne,
 18th September, 1848.

PORT PHILLIP.
CONTRACTS FOR THE COLONIAL
SERVICE FOR 1849.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this office until Saturday, 21st October next, for furnishing the undermentioned supplies for twelve calendar months, commencing 1st January, 1849, 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; or, in lieu thereof, if preferred, 24 oz flour, 24 oz fresh or salt beef, one oz salt, half oz tea, 4 oz sugar.

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—8 lbs maize or barley, or 10 lbs oats as demanded, 4 lbs bran, 12 lbs oaten or cultivated grass hay, and 4 lbs 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 boat's 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.

No. 13. For the Lunatic Asylum, Yarra—Fresh beef, fresh mutton, suet,

wheaten bread, bread of the 1st quality, flour 1st quality, raisins, rice, tea, sugar, salt, pepper, milk, tobacco, soap, vegetables, port wine, vinegar, sago, oatmeal, arrowroot, treacle, dipt candles, common oil, cotton wick, forage, per ration, roach lime, straw, in such quantities as may be required.

Military rations of provisions for mounted police or other mounted force, and native police, if required, 24 oz flour, 16 oz fresh or salt beef, half oz salt, half oz tea, two and half oz sugar, half oz tobacco, quarter oz soap.

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 tobacco, vegetables, milk, vinegar, straw, common oil, dip and mould candles, rum, brandy, porter, cotton wick, salt beef, and salt pork.

CONDITIONS.

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

2. 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.

3. Beef and mutton to be issued in such proportions as may be required, and, when the quantity admits of it, to be delivered in fore and hind quarters alternately.

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

5. 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 lb bread; 1 lb salt beef or 1 lb mutton, or 10 oz salt pork, equal to 1 lb of fresh beef.

6. The tobacco to be the best colonial.

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

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

9. 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 be not 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.

10. 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 authorized for the purpose.

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

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. 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.

15. 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.

16. 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.

17. 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 forthwith.

18. 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.

19. 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.

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

21. 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 two responsible parties proposed as security, stating they are willing to become bound as securities for the contractor accordingly, and the bonds must be executed within twenty days from the day of acceptance of the tender being notified, failing of which the contracts will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

23. 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.

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

25. The tenders are to be given in for the undermentioned districts, which may be tendered for separately, or collectively. When the latter is the case each locality, as given below, must be stated in the Tender.

1. Melbourne, including the county of Bourke, the Mounted and 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.

6. The Police at the Grange.

7. The Police at the Pyrenees.

8. The Police in the Wimmera District.

9. The Police at the Glenelg.

10. The Police at the Hume River.

11. The Police at Mount Macedon.

C. J. LA TROBE.

Superintendent's Office,
18th September, 1848.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 11th September, 1848.

ROADS.

PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council having deemed it expedient to open and make certain Parish Roads, in the District of Port Phillip, namely:—

1. Proposed line of road from the marked Heidelberg Road, at the reserve north of the suburban allotment No 88, in the parish of Jika Jika, to the north-east corner of the parish of Merriang, generally known as the "Upper Plenty Road."

2. Branch Road from the marked Heidelberg Road, on the division line between James Watson and Richard Henry Brown's purchases, in the parish of Keelbundora, crossing the Yarra Yarra Rivulet to the north-east corner of Francis Dawe Wickham's purchases, in the parish of Nillumbik.

Notice is hereby given, that, in conformity with the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council, 4th William IV intitled "An Act for making, altering, and improving the Roads throughout the Colony of New South Wales, and for opening and improving the Streets in the Towns thereof," surveyings and tracings, showing the intended lines of the said roads, are now deposited in the Office of the Surveyor General, in Sydney, and that of the Surveyor in charge at Melbourne: All persons interested therein are requested to transmit, in writing, addressed to the Clerk of the Executive Council, within One Month from this date, any well grounded objection which may appear to them to exist to the formation of the said Roads.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON

MOUNTED POLICE.

STOLEN or strayed, from the Government Paddock at Melbourne, on the night of 4th instant, a Troop horse, about 15 hands 3 inches high, chesnut, with a blaze down face, and two white hind feet, crown on off shoulder, large framed heavy animal.

This horse had been stationed for the last four years at Geelong, and latterly at Goulburna River, and was ridden by Corporal Brack of the Mounted Police. Any information with regard to him is requested to be forwarded to the Mounted Police, at Melbourne, or any of the out-stations.

W. MAIR,
Captain Commanding.

Melbourne,
12th September, 1848.

NEW POST OFFICE.

HIS Honor the Superintendent having been pleased to approve of the establishment of a post office at Flooding Creek, in Gipps Land, notice is hereby given accordingly.

The Mail will be despatched from Melbourne, with the Alberton mail, every second Tuesday at 1 to 2 o'clock, p.m.

The return Mail will arrive at Melbourne, with the Alberton one, every second Monday at noon.

Parties wishing to receive their letters through this post office, should caution their correspondents to address them distinctly to the office in addition to any private residence. And notice should also be given to the newspaper offices, as in advise to the publishers, to correct the addresses of newspapers also.

HENRY D. KEMP,

Chief Postmaster.

Post Office, Melbourne,
18th September, 1848.

ORDNANCE.

BARRACK REPAIRS.

TENDERS will be received by the received by the undersigned until noon of Thursday, the 12th of October next, for certain repairs to the various Barrack Buildings in Melbourne, in accordance with the specification that may be seen at the undermentioned office.

HENRY GINN,
Clerk of Works.

Public Works Office,
26th September, 1848.

IMPOUNDED at the Public Pound, Bacchus Marsh, Upper Werribee, September 18, 1848—

- 1 yellow cow, white on hip and flank, no visible brand
- 1 black poley cow, white tail, FB near shoulder, like B near ribs
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- 1 red and white spotted cow, with young calf, no visible brand
- 1 strawberry steer, poley, cut throat, no visible brand
- 1 black and white yearling heifer, illegible brand off ribs
- 1 red cow, W off rump, hind legs white from hocks downwards
- 1 red bullock, blind near eye, hoop horns, F off shoulder
- 1 yellow sided cow, down horns, like H in circle near rump, like 40 near thigh, young red calf by her side
- 1 black poley cow, 2 near shoulder, 2 off shoulder, 2 near rump, like 2 over indescrivable brand, illegible brand off rump
- 1 brindle cow, white on back and belly, blotch brand off ribs
- 1 yellow poley cow, brindle face, large udder, X near shoulder, MN off rump, piece off near ear
- 1 black poley cow, white back and belly, notched in both ears, illegible brand off side, JH near thigh
- 1 red and white poley bullock, C m off ribs
- 1 brindle bullock, white face, white back and belly, wide horns, H A y off side
- 1 yellow cow, white head, back and belly, no visible brand

- 1 red yearling heifer, no brand, supposed her progeny
- 1 white heifer, red spots about her head and neck, supposed B off rump
- 1 brown and white steer, like PH near shoulder, about 2 years old
- 1 red yearling heifer, blotch brand off ribs
- 1 dark red bullock, hoop horns, C near shoulder, like S or 2 near rump, supposed a worker
- 1 red yearling heifer, no visible brand, no white marks
- 1 small yellow cow, branded K off ribs
- 1 large yellow bullock, AR off rump, K off thigh, Y near rump
- 1 red heifer, white hind legs, about 12 months old, no visible brand
- 1 strawberry steer, CH off rump
- 1 brindle yearling steer, illegible brand off side ribs
- 1 red and white cow, like S near rump, calf by her side
- 1 red heifer, white in face, hind legs white and white back, illegible near rump
- 1 brindle heifer, little white on face, white tail, no visible brand
- 1 red bull calf, about nine months old, no visible brand
- 1 brindle bullock, BB near side, B near shoulder, K near rump, illegible brand off rump, piece off near ear
- 1 yellow and white sheeted calf, no visible brand; about 8 months old
- 1 brown cow, little white on back, like E off rump
- 1 red bullock, HO H off ribs, blotch brand near rump, notch near ear
- 1 red heifer, white star in face, notch off ear, no visible brand
- 1 dark red working bullock, aged, like 2 9 2 near rump, supposed W near ribs

Also,

- 1 dark grey mare, heavy in foal, JP conjoined under the mane off neck, TC or TG under saddle near ribs
 - 1 black horse, white star in forehead, small streak white on nose, short switch tail, branded JC or JG near shouler.
- If not claimed and expences paid, on or before Friday the 13th day of October, to be sold at the Pound, according to the Act of Council.

WILLIAM CROOK,

£1 7s Poundkeeper

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus' Marsh Pound, Werribee River, on the 20th September, 1848—

- 1 red and white spotted cow, IH off rump, like HA off ribs, J off shoulder
- 1 white heifer, JM JN off side
- 1 red and white heifer, most white on rump, white tail, about 18 months old, no visible brand
- 1 strawberry heifer, like NS off ribs
- 1 dark red heifer, about 12 months old, grey face, white tail, no brand
- 1 blue bull stag, about 2 years old, no brand
- 1 red steer, wide horns, about 2 years old, little white inside of both hocks and belly, no visible brand
- 1 red steer, white tail, small bit of white on rump, star in forehead, about 2 years old, no visible brand

- 1 yellow cow, wide horns, AM off hip, like J off rump, P near rump, young calf by her side

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- 1 old black cow U near ribs, CS or GS

off rump, supposed JA on loins off side, illegible brand off ribs

- 1 old brindle cow, blind near eye, O near rump, like anchor off rump, +B near shoulder, notch near ear

- 1 yellow cow, snail horns, white flank, WB in circle, K off side, like MH off rump, large udder, young calf by her side

- 1 old yellow sided cow, 4 off shoulder, ILL near rump, like Cy off ribs,)—(near thigh

- 1 old red and white cow, hoop horns, IC or IG near rump, like DA or DR off hip.

If not claimed and expences paid on or before the 18th October, 1848, to be sold at the Pound, according to Act of Council.

WILLIAM CROOK,

13s 3d Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at South Yarra Pound, on the 13th September, 1848—

- 1 light red cow, little white over right eye, TB near rump, Cm off ribs, like small JB below, HL off rump, and calf

- 1 white bull, no brand visible, about 12 months old

- 1 red sided steer, white back, belly, tail, and speckled head, tip off right ear, T near rump

- 1 red poley heifer, white belly, on rump, shoulder, and middle of tail, JC or JG off ribs

- 1 small dark brindled cow, white back, belly, and tail, D near shoulder, and calf

- 1 red bull calf, no brand visible, about 9 months old

- 1 dark red heifer, white in forehead and on nose, GD off neck

- 1 red sided bull, white back, belly, flank, white across forehead, no brand

- 1 dark brown poley heifer, white back, belly, tail, and head, no brand visible, about 9 months old

- 1 strawberry bodied stag bullock, yellow neck, no brand visible, about 3 years old

- 1 red bull, white belly, and white spots about flank, no brand visible, about 18 months old

- 1 blue sided cow, white back, belly, tail, and speckled about head, like WB or WR, and Z above off ribs, and calf



- 1 white steer calf, red spots about body and head, no brand visible, about 12 months old

- 1 red steer, white back, belly, tail, and speckled head, no brand visible, about 9 months old

- 1 red heifer, white about body and head, O off rump



- 1 red heifer, white back, belly, tail, and hind legs, JB near rump, D off thigh

- 1 dark brown cow, white belly, I and blotched brand above near ribs, illegible off ribs, supposed JC or JO off rump, and calf

1 small red cow, half of tail white, and belly; no brand visible, and young calf
 1 light red heifer, white belly, on shoulder, rump; and about body, white tail, no brand visible, about 3 years old
 1 red steer calf, S near rump
 1 red cow, little white along back, short tail, JK off rump
 1 small dark brindle cow, blotched letter near rump; Cx off ditto
 1 large light red bullock, white spot on near shoulder; J on off flank, like , and illegible letters off ribs
 1 dark brown steer, little white on rump, near horn bent in inwards, B near shoulder
 1 red stub horned bullock; MS off rump
 1 white bullock; red ears, muzzle and legs, inclined for strawberry through body, cocked horns; C or G off shoulder
 1 small brown and white speckled calf, no brand visible; about 9 months old
 1 light red cow; short horns; shell off right horn, brindle face, illegible near ribs; like , and red bull calf, with cords round neck
 And if not claimed on or before the 7th October, will be sold at Pound Yard.

WM. ATKINSON,
Poundkeeper.

£1 1s 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Morang, River Plenty, September 22nd, 1848—
 A brown mare, switch tail, star in forehead, hind feet white, few white hairs under saddle, WG off neck
 A chesnut mare, long tail, white stripe down face, near fore and both hind feet white, JH off shoulder
 A chesnut colt, foal, white blaze down face, near hind foot white,  near shoulder, supposed progeny of the above
 A grey horse, long switch tail, face light coloured, hind feet white, a heart near shoulder
 A bay filly, black points, blaze down face, C or G off shoulder
 A bay filly, near hind foot white, small white spot on forehead, M or  near shoulder

If not claimed or released on or before the 16th of September, will be sold at Pound Yard, according to Act of Council.

W. C. WALKER,
Poundkeeper.

7s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Tarra Vale Pound, on the 29th of August, by Mr. Davis, of the Coal Hole, for trespass :—
 One strawberry steer, off horn broken off, brand illegible
 One strawberry heifer, branded M on the off hip and M on the off side
 Also, on the 9th September :—
 One red cow, white on back and belly, brand on both hips illegible
 One red steer, white on back, no brand
 One red and white steer, piece out of off ear, no brand.

If they are not claimed and released in due time, pursuant to Act of Council, they will be sold by me,

PHILLIP O'MARRA,
Poundkeeper.

Tarra Vale Pound, 13th Sept. [6s 6d

IMPOUNDED at South Geelong, 12th September, and if not claimed on or before the 5th October, will be sold :—

1 red cow, JM conjoined near ribs, RA off rump, a strawberry heifer calf by her side
 1 black bullock, cock horns, W off shoulder
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1 red bullock, white belly, cock horns, RH or BH off shoulder

1 red bullock; 2 near hip, T off rump.
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PERCIVAL GRAHAM;
5s 7d] Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Kalkallo, on the 18th September, 1848—

Red and white sheeted poland cow, no brand perceptible

Yellowsided cow; speckled back and head; supposed M off rump, nobby horns, both ears split

White heifer; strawberry head, three illegible letters (thus) I off ribs.
 I I

Large red bullock, two-fold brand near shoulder, lame off hind foot, supposed 4 near rump

Strawberry bullock, red ears, 4 off ribs, 1 near thigh, supposed JJ off rump

Red bull, white on back and belly, about 2 years old, no brand

Light red cow, white on belly, AM near ribs

Red yearling steer, progeny of the above, no brand perceptible

Red steer, little white on back and belly, DK near rump, 7 off rump K near ribs


If not claimed and released on or before the 13th day of October, they will be sold at the Pound Yard, according to Act of Council.

WM. THANE,
Poundkeeper.

9s


IMPOUNDED at Bulleen Upper Yarra, 27th Sept., 1848—

1 yellow and white bullock, hoop horns, branded LT off rump

1 claret and white bullock, white legs,  off rump


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1 mottled bullock, small double cord round neck, M off thigh, L off ribs, M near rump

1 dark red nobby bullock, H off rump, 


illegible near rump

1 strawberry cow and calf, upright horns, BF milking rump

1 yellow cow and calf, white hind feet and flanks, 4 milking ribs, supposed 

su

conjoined milking thigh

1 dark brindled yearling heifer, notched milking ear,  milking ribs

1 yellow spotted yearling heifer, same brand

If not claimed on or before the nineteenth day of October, they will be sold at the pound.

DONALD M'KINDLAY,
9s 3d] Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Pentridge, 20th Sept. 1848—

A dark bay or brown horse, short switch tail, supposed ML (ML conjoined) near shoulder

If not released will be sold in pound yard at noon 14th October, in accordance with Act of Council.

G. P. ANDERSON,
Keeper of the pound.

4s

IMPOUNDED at the Broken River, on the 22d Sept., 1848—

1 bay filly, about 2 years old, long tail, branded W off shoulder

1 large chesnut filly, long tail, star in forehead, about 3 years old, supposed brand CM or GM near shoulder

If not released on or before the 20th of October, 1848, they will be sold at the pound yard at noon according to Act of Council.

W. C. BOND,
Poundkeeper.

4s 9d

NOTICE.

THE bay mare, impounded on the 10th September, and advertised for sale on 7th October, should have been described as branded on the off shoulder

W. C. BOND,
Poundkeeper.

Broken River,
Sept. 26, 1848.

IMPOUNDED at the Broken River, on the 18th Sept., 1848—

1 large bay horse, about 16 hands high, streak down face, branded N and supposed small J conjoined off shoulder, the J reversed

1 bay mare, star in forehead, white about the nose & mouth, hind fetlocks white, wall eye off side, branded WC or WG off side neck

1 entire colt, about 18 months old, streak down face, no perceptible brand

1 brown gelding, about 18 months old, no visible brand

1 black mare, streak down face, white fetlock, branded HS near shoulder

1 bay mare, streak down face, off hind fetlocks white, ringbone on the coronet of fore feet, no visible brand

1 black filly, about 9 months old, progeny of the above bay mare, no visible brand

If not released on or before the 16th day of October, they will be sold at the pound yard at noon according to Act of Council.

W. C. BOND,
Poundkeeper.

8s 6d