



PORT PHILLIP GOVERNMENT GAZETTE,

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Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 27th July, 1850

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

Occupation of Crown Lands within the
Settled Districts.

REFERRING to the Government Notice under the above heading issued from the Superintendent's Office and dated 1st October, 1849; the attention of both classes of occupants therein alluded to, is called to the change, which in many instances may be operated, in their position after the close of the present year; and they are reminded that unless sufficient cause be shown for their continued temporary occupation of any section or sections, notwithstanding the claims of neighbouring holders of purchased lands, such occupation will after the 31st December give place to the pre-emptive right of occupation conveyed to the latter by the 16th clause of the regulations (29th March, 1848) wherever exercised.

They are further directed to apply at the Survey Office of this District, for whatever information they may require.

C. J. LA TROBE.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES AUGUSTUS FITZ ROY, Knight Companion of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Territory of New South Wales and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Governor and Legislative Council

of New South Wales, passed in the fourteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act to extend the provisions of an Act passed in the eleventh year of Her present Majesty, intituled, 'An Act for the regulation of Steam Navigation, and for requiring sea-going vessels to carry boats, to all Steam Vessels,'*" it was amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the said Governor to extend the said Act to such parts and places in the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies, as he, from time to time, should think fit, by Proclamation in the New South Wales Government Gazette; and whereas it appears to me fit and proper that the said Act should be henceforth extended to the parts and places hereinafter mentioned: Now therefore, I, the Governor aforesaid, in pursuance of the power and authority so vested in me by the said recited Act, do, by this my Proclamation, hereby direct that the provisions of the said Act be extended to the District of Port Phillip, in the said Colony, and to the Ports, Harbours, Rivers, and other waters comprised within the said District.

Given under my Hand and Seal,
at Sydney, this third day of
March, in the Year of Our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, and in the
fourteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign

(L.S.) CHS. A. FITZ ROY,

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 24th February, 1851.*
ELECTORAL LISTS.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR directs it to be notified, for the information of the several Returning Officers, Benches of Magistrates, Assessors, and other persons who have any duty imposed upon them under the provisions of the Electoral Act, (6 Victoria, No. 16,) that in consequence of the alteration which has been made in the qualification of Voters for Members of the Legislative Council, by the Act of Parliament, 13 and 14 Victoria, cap. 59, and the Legislative measures which will shortly be adopted for giving effect to its provisions, no proceedings need be taken intermediately in preparing Electoral Lists under the present Act.

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

PORT PHILLIP.
CONTRACTS FOR THE COLONIAL SERVICE FOR 1851.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this office, until Saturday, 19th April next, for furnishing the undermentioned supplies for the district of Gipps Land including Alburyton, for seven calendar months, commencing 1st June 1851, 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 department—20 oz wheaten bread, 8 oz maize meal, 15 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—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 5—Children of female prisoners

confined in gaol—8 oz wheaten bread, 4 oz fresh beef, 1 pint milk, quarter oz yellow soap.

No 6—Prisoners confined in lock-up or watch-houses—24 oz wheaten bread.

No 7—Forage for horses and oxen, for all colonial service—8 lbs maize or barley, or 10 lbs oats as demanded, 4 lbs bran, 12 lbs oats or cultivated grass hay, and 4 lbs wheat straw for each horse per day, and half the quantity for each bullock.

No 8—For men attached to Light-houses, 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 9—Fuel and light—sperm and common oil per gallon, mould and dipcandle's per lb, cotton wick ditto.

No 10—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, common wick, forage, per ration, roach lime, straw in such quantities as may be required.

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

For Hospitals, Aboriginal Establishments, 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, dipt 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, 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 The above 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 authorised 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 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 of 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 quantity or quality 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 price 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.

C. J. LA TROBE.

Superintendent's Office,
March 14th, 1851.

A RETURN of Spirit Merchant^s
Registered with the undersigned
since last publication, in accordance with
the Act of Council, 13th Vict. No. 26, sec-
tion 16.

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

Charles Ellershaw, Collins-street.
John Mason and John Lee Smith, Eliza-
beth-street.

BELFAST.

SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

William Stevens and Francis Edis
Beaver, Cox-street.
William Rutledge & Co., Cox-street and
Gipps-street.
Deeny & Co., Banyan-street, Warnam-
bool.

E. P. S. STURT,
Chief Inspector of Distilleries.
Melbourne, 4th March, 1851.

MONTHLY list of persons who have taken
out licenses to depasture stock, to cut
timber, and to strip bark, in the district of Port
Phillip, from the 1st to the 28th February, 1851.

Depasture Licenses.

Bourke.

Dunn, William; Morris, James; Wrede, R.

Western Port.

Ashurst, H G; Campbell and Splatt; ditto;
Curr, Edward; ditto; ditto; Halliday,
John; Hook, James; Jackson, Thomas; Lyons,
M; Robertson, James; Walker, A.

Portland Bay.

Barker, E; Blastock, George; De Little,
R and J; ditto; Grady, J; Griffin, Frederick;
Heape and Grice; Kirby, James; Miles John;
Riley, James; Winter, John.

Wimmera.

Archbold and Sons; Bagot, E M; ditto;
Campbell, John; Davis Henry; Dallimore, F;
ditt; Gleeson, John; Harland, M; Jones, H.

Murray.

Alleyne, E; Bourke, L; Curr, Edward;
Dillon, J; Griffin, Frederick; Irving, James;
Jones, B and L; Stokes, G S.

Gipps Land.

Buntine, H.

Timber Licenses.

Bourke.

Aureich, John; Aureich, William; Allen,
James; Atkinson, William; Amor, John;
Arabin, George; Broomfield, George; Bourke,
John; Bright, William; Bowles, John; Bennett,
James; Benson, James; Burt, Thomas; Brad-
shaw, Peter; Barber, Mathew; Barker, John;
Bevis, Joseph; Connelly, Edward; Carnell,
Henry; Croker, John; Cunningham, Edward;
Charl, —; Clifford, Robert; Coleman, Thomas;
Duby, John; Drummie, John; Dwyer, Timothy;
Durrant, William; Downing, G C; Foot, Wm;
Ferris, Patrick; Fullarton, William; Fitzpatrick,
Michael; Gordon, Charles; Goodger, John;
Green, Francis; Ginger, Richard; Howlet,
Samuel; Hailes, Abel; Hicky, Edmund; Ham-
mond, William; Hutchinson, Charles; Herd,
Jacob; Heath, George; Hussey, William; Hop-
kins, George; Hopkins, G jun; Hogben, John;
Hunniford, Thomas; Jones, William; ditto;
Klag, Joseph; Keating, John; Kennedy, Ro-
bert; Lavidge, John; Lewis, Thomas; Lynch,
Michael; Mussell, Thomas; Mahony, Morris;

M'Mahon, Jno; Miles, William; Miles, Thos;
Millard, Henry; M'Donnald, Jas; Morghoad,
James; M'Guire, Patrick; M'Murray, John;
Newman, Philip; Naldut, John; Oliver, John;
O'Sheahan, Denis; Porter, Thomas; Prow,
William; Plunkett, Andrew; Petter, George;
Purcell, John; Purcell, James; Roberts, Geo;
Ryan, Edwards; Reardon, Jeremiah; Sinda, —;
Sincoan, —; Sanderson, George; Swain, Henry;
Stenton, James; Smith, Henry; Snook, Henry;
Scammell, Francis; Stokes, Edward; Ship,
Samuel; Thomson, William; Watson, William.

Western Port.

Casey, Michael; Carter, Wm; Doolan, Nicholas;
Hill, Thomas; Mooring, Edward; Maggs, Wm;
Wood, Stephen; Wright, Groves.

Portland Bay.

Smith, George.

Grant.

Bockham, George; Canty, James; Farrow,
Thomas; Hunt, Charles; Ruffin, Richard; Sni h
John; Wells, William.

Bark Licenses.

Western Port.

Leeson, James; Paynter, Henry; Williams,
William.

Bourke.

Patterson, Robert.

W. LONSDALE,

Sub-Treasurer.

Sub-Treasury, Melbourne,
March 12th, 1851.

**Annual Licensing Meeting, District of
Bacchus Marsh.**

NOTICE is hereby given, that the
annual licensing meeting of justices
of the peace, acting in and for the district
of Bacchus Marsh, will be holden at the
police office, Bacchus Marsh, on Tues-
day, the 15th day of April next, at the
hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the
special purpose of taking into considera-
tion applications for licenses under the
act of council, 13 Victoria, No. 29.

All applications must be filed with the
undersigned on or before Tuesday, the
25th instant.

JAS GORDON,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office, Bacchus Marsh,
12th March, 1851.

NOTICE.

Annual Licensing Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the
annual licensing meeting of the
justices of the peace acting for or usually
residing in the police district of Colac,
will be holden at the police office, Colac,
on Tuesday, the Fifteenth day of April
next, at twelve, at noon, for the special
purpose of taking into consideration ap-
plications for publicans' general licenses,
and granting certificates authorising the
issue of the same, in accordance with the
provisions of the act of council, 13th
Victoria, No 29.

JAS. S FARRER,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office,
Colac, 10th March, 1851.

Provisions hung over (Master Price)

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DISTRICT OF KILMORE.

Annual Licensing Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual licensing meeting of the justices of the peace, acting in and for the police district of Kilmore, will be holden at the police office, Kilmore, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all applications for publicans' general licenses and confectioners' licenses in accordance with the act of council, 13 Victoria, No. 29.

All applications for licenses under this act, must be filed with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant.

J. M. ARDLIE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Police Office,
Kilmore, March 11th, 1851.

COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Annual Licensing Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Licensing Meeting of the Justices acting in and for the County of Bourke, will be holden at the Police Office, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all applications for Publicans' General Licenses, Confectioners Licenses, and Packet Licenses, in accordance with the Act of Council, 13th Vic. No. 29.

All applications for Licenses under the said Act must be filed with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant.

ROBERT CADDEN,
Clerk Petty Sessions,
for the County of Bourke
Police Office, Melbourne,
4th March, 1851.

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Licensing Meeting of the Justices of the Peace, acting in and for the City of Melbourne in the District of Port Phillip, will be holden at the Police Office, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all applications for Publicans' General Licenses, Confectioner Licenses, and Packet Licenses in accordance with the Act of Council, 13th Vic. No. 29.

All applications for Licenses under the said Act must be filed with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March, Instant.

W. R. BELCHER,
Clerk of Petty Sessions,
City of Melbourne.
Police Office, Melbourne,
4th March, 1851.

Police District of Broken River,

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual licensing meeting of the justices of the peace acting in and for the the police district of Broken River, will be holden at the police office, Benalla, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all applications for licenses in accordance with the act of council, 13th Victoria, No. 29.

All applications for licenses under the said act, must be filed with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th instant.

ROBT. G. MEADE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Police Office, Benalla,
5th March, 1851.

Annual Licensing Meeting — Police District of Belfast.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the annual licensing meeting of the justices of the peace, acting in and for the police district of Belfast, will be holden at the court house, Belfast, on the 15th day of April next, (being the third Tuesday in the said month of April,) at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration all applications for publicans' general licenses, under the Act of the Governor and Council, 13th Victoria, No. 29.

All applications for licenses under the said act, must be filed with the undersigned, on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant.

JOHN ADAM WALPOLE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Police Office,
Belfast, 1st March, 1851.

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

Police District of Horsham.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual licensing meeting of the justices of the peace acting in and for the police district of Horsham, in the district of Port Phillip, will be holden at the police office, Horsham, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, for the purpose of taking into consideration all applications for licenses under the Act of the Governor and Council, 13 Vic. No. 29.

All applications for licenses under the said act, must be filed with the undersigned on or before the 25th day of March next.

PATRICK M'LACHLAN
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Horsham Police Office,
1st March, 1851.

Annual Licensing Meeting for the Town of Geelong and County of Grant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the annual licensing meeting of justices acting in and for the Town of Geelong, and for the County Grant, will be holden at the Court House, Geelong, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration such applications for licenses as may have been lodged with me on or before Tuesday, the 25th March instant, under provisions of the act of council, 13th Vic. No. 29.

ALFRED S. EYRE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House, Geelong;
8th March, 1851.

Publican's Annual Licensing Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual licensing meeting of the justices of the peace; acting in and for the district of Portland, will be holden at the police office, Portland, on Tuesday the 15th day of April next, for the purpose of taking into consideration applications for publican's licenses under the act of council 13th Victoria, No. 29.

All applications must be lodged with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant.

J. ALLISON,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Police Office, Portland,
3rd March, 1851.

District of the Grange Burn.
ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a general meeting of the justices of the peace; acting for or, residing in this district, will be holden at the Grange police office, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next, for the purpose of taking into consideration all applications for licenses under the act of council, 13 Vic. No. 29. Applications must be lodged with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th instant.

R. SAVAGE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Grange Police Office,
5th March, 1851.

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Licensing Meeting of the Justices acting in and for the District of Alberton, will be holden at the Police Office, Alberton, on Tuesday, the 15th day of April next (being the third Tuesday in the month) at the hour of 12 o'clock at noon, for the special purpose of taking into consideration all applications for licenses under the act of the Governor and Council 13 Vic. No. 29.

All applications must be lodged with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant.

GEORGE DIXON HEDLEY,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.
Police Office, Alberton,
6th March, 1851.

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING

PEARSON'S STATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual Licensing Meeting of the magistrates acting in and for the District, will be holden at the Police-office, Pearson's Station, at 12 o'clock, at noon, on Wednesday, the 16th day of April next, for the purpose of considering all applications for Licenses, under the Act of Governor and Council, 13th Vic. No. 29.

All applications for Licenses under the above act, must be filed with the undersigned, on or before Tuesday, the 26th day of March inst.

BENJAMIN BOWSFIELD CREAGH,
Clerk Petty Sessions.
Police office,
Pearson's Station,
February 24, 1851

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 18th March, 1851.

LIST of persons arrived in the Emigrant Ship "Harry Lorrequer," who have received passages under the Regulations dated 22nd December, 1848, headed "Land and Immigration Deposits," and "Immigration Remittances."

Flinn, Mary, aged 15; M'Kiernan, Patrick, 55; M'Kiernan, Elizabeth, 54; Burns, Charles, 10; Mullane, Patrick, 9; O'Connor, Michael, 12; O'Connor, Bridget, 14; Murphy, Patrick, 12; Tuohy, James, 20; Fogarty, Patrick, 21; Fogarty Anne, 18.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL,

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

Reward of Fifty Pounds.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the government that on the night of the 1st February, the Benevolent Asylum in this City was wilfully set on fire by some person or persons unknown. Notice is hereby given, in the name of his Excellency the Governor, that a Reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid to any person or persons, who within six months from the present date, may give such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties guilty of the above outrage.

C. J. LA TROBE.
Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 7th February, 1851.

£30 REWARD.

WHEREAS it has been represented to Government that Archibald M'Alister, committed to take his trial for Murder, effected his escape from the lock-up at Portland on the 5th instant. Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of Thirty Pounds will be paid to any person or persons who shall apprehend and lodge the said Archibald M'Alister in any of Her Majesty's gaols.

In His Excellency's name,
C. J. LA TROBE.

**TIMBER BRIDGE
OVER THE
FITZ ROY RIVER.**

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 22nd March next, from parties willing to contract for the erection of a Timber Bridge over the Fitz Roy River, on the Portland Road.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Fitz Roy Bridge," and forwarded by post (pre-paid), addressed to "the Board appointed for opening Tenders," Melbourne, or deposited in the box marked "Tenders for Works and Stores" at the western entrance of the government offices, Melbourne.

Plan and specification can be seen at the police office, Portland, and at the undermentioned office.

The government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of

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

Bridge Office,
Melbourne, 25th February, 1851.

CARTAGE OF WATER PIPES.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 22nd instant, from parties willing to contract for the cartage of water pipes alongside the proposed line from the Cricket Ground to the north beach.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Cartage of Water Pipes," and deposited in the box marked, tenders for works and stores, at the western entrance of the government offices.

Specification can be seen, and all requisite information obtained at the undermentioned office.

The government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of

His Honor the Superintendent,
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges

Bridge Office,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1851.

REPAIRS TO WATCHHOUSES.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 29th instant, from parties willing to contract for certain repairs to watchhouses, in accordance with specification to be seen at the undermentioned office.

Tenders to be endorsed "tenders for repairs to watchhouses," and deposited in the box marked tenders for works and stores, at the western entrance of the government offices.

The government will not necessarily accept a tender or the lowest tender.

By order of

His Honor the Superintendent,
HENRY GINN,
Colonial Architect.
Colonial Architect's Office,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1851.

WATCHHOUSE BRIGHTON.

NO eligible Tender having been received for the erection of a Stone Watch-house, at Brighton, tenders will be received until noon of Saturday, the 29th instant, from parties willing to contract for the erection of a Watch-house, with Brick, &c., in accordance with plans and specifications to be seen at the undermentioned office.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Watch-house, at Brighton," and deposited in the box marked "Tenders for Works and Stores," at the western entrance of the Government Offices.

The Government will not necessarily accept a tender or the lowest tender.

By order of

His Honor the Superintendent,
HENRY GINN,
Colonial Architect.

Colonial Architect's Office,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1851.

**TENDERS FOR FRESH WATER—
GEELONG.**

THE Contractor for the supply of water to the different government offices and buildings at Geelong, having noticed the government that he proposes to foreclose his contract in due course; notice is hereby given that tenders will be received until noon of Saturday, the 29th March, 1851, from parties willing to contract for the above supply for the remainder of the current year.

The tenders to be endorsed, "tender for water" and deposited in the box marked tenders for works and stores at the western entrance of the government offices, Melbourne, or sent under cover pre-paid, addressed to the board appointed to open tenders, government offices, Melbourne.

Conditions of the above contract, can be seen at the police office, Geelong, and at the undermentioned office.

The government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of

His Honor the Superintendent,
HENRY GINN,
Colonial Architect.
Colonial Architect's Office,
Melbourne, 11th March, 1851.

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 seventh day of April next, where all persons who have appeals or other business to transact are desired to give their attendance at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Dated this eleventh day of March, A.D. 1851.

HENRY F. GURNER,
Clerk of the Peace.

PROVISION AND FORAGE CONTRACTS.

THE undermentioned Tenders have been accepted for the supply of provisions and forage for the Colonial Service at Port Phillip, for the year, 1851.

CONTRACTOR FOR EACH DISTRICT.		DISTRICTS.			
ARTICLES OF SUPPLY		Melbourne County Bourke: Aborigines on Stations on Geelong, Broken River, and other Stations on Sydney Road.	Geelong and County Grant.	County Normanby and Towns of Portland and Belfast.	Gipps Land.
To different Establishments when ordered.	1-Immigrants { Men per ration	s. d. 4	s. d. 4½	s. d. 5¾	s. d. 8
	Women per ration	3	4	4¾	6
	Children per ration	2	2¾	4	4
	2-Prisoners of the Crown and others in the employment of Colonial Departments ditto	3½	4½	5¾	8
	3-Officers in charge of Surveying Parties, and men composing such parties, and for Soldiers of the Mounted Police, and other Mounted Parties ditto	5	7	8½	1 0
	4-Prisoners confined in Gaol ditto	2¾	3½	4½	
	5-Children of female prisoners confined in Gaol	3	3		
	6-Prisoners confined in Lockup or Watchhouses ditto	2	2½	4	6
	7-Daily ration of forage, ditto	1 0	1 10	1 9	2 10
	8-Men attached to Lighthouses, Telegraphs, and Harbour Masters, Boats Crews ditto	3½		6	
	Sperm Oil, per Imperial Gallon	6	6 6	7 0	10 0
	Common ditto per ditto ditto	8 0	3 0	4 6	6 0
	Mould Candles, per lb	5	5	5	9
	Dipt ditto, ditto ditto	5	5	5	
	Cotton Wick, ditto ditto	Gratis	3 0	1 8	Gratis
	Fresh Beef, per lb	1½	1½	1½	
	Fresh Mutton, per ditto	1½	1½	1½	
	Malze Meal, per ditto	1	1	2	
	{ 1st quality, per lb	1½	1½	1½	
	Bread { 2nd quality, per lb	1	1	1½	
	{ 3rd quality, per lb	1	1	1½	
	Porter, per dozen	10 0	10 6	11 0	
	Flour, per lb	1½	1½	2	
	Arrowroot per ditto	5	5	10	
	Sago, per ditto	4	4	5	
	Rice, per ditto	2	2½	2	
	Tea, per ditto	1 0	1 1	1 3	
	Sugar, per ditto	2½	2¾	2	
	Oatmeal, per ditto	4	4	5	
	Salt, per ditto	1	1	1	
	Yellow Soap, per ditto	3½	4	4	
	Pearl Barley, per ditto	5	5	5	
	Vegetables, per ditto	0¾	1	0¾	
	Milk, per quart	4	4	5	
	Port Wine, per dozen	2½ 0	25 0	28 0	
	Vinegar, per Imperial gallon	3 0	3 6	4 0	
	Brandy, per ditto ditto	15 0	15 0	14 0	
	Rum, per ditto ditto	8 6	8 6	8 0	
	Straw, per 100 lb	2 3	2 6	2 6	
	Colonial Leaf Tobacco, per lb	1 6	1 6	1 8	
	Suet, per ditto	3		3	
	Raisins, per ditto	8		7	
	Pepper, per ditto	8			
	Roach Lime, per bushel	9		1 0	
	Treacle, per lb	4		5	
	Salt Pork, per ditto	4		6	

N.B. Mr. S. Craig's Tenders for Melbourne, County Bourke; and Geelong, County Grant will terminate on the 31st day of March, 1851. See following accepted Tenders.

For the Superintendent,

EDWARD BELL.

Superintendent's Office, Melbourne
10th March, 1851.

PROVISION AND FORAGE CONTRACTS.

THE undermentioned tenders have been accepted for the supply of Provisions and Forage, for the Colonial Service at Port Phillip, for the last nine months of the year 1851.

Contractor for each District—Mr Skene
Craig, Melbourne.

Articles of Supply—Melbourne, County of Bourke, Police Stations on Goulburn and Broken Rivers, other Station on the Sydney Road, &c. Geelong including County of Grant.

- 1 Immigrants—Men, per ration 4½d; women, ditto, 3½d; children, ditto 2½d.
- 2 Prisoners of the Crown and others in the employment of colonial departments, per ditto, 4½d.
- 3 Officers in charge of surveying parties, and men composing such parties; and for soldiers of the mounted police and other mounted parties, per ditto, 6½d.
- 4 Prisoners confined in gaol, per ditto, 3½d.
- 5 Children of female prisoners confined in gaol, per ditto, 3½d.
- 6 Prisoners confined in lock-up or watch-houses, per ditto, 2½d.
- 7 Daily ration of forage, per ditto, 2s.
- 8 Men attached to lighthouses, telegraphs, and Harbour Master's boats crews, per ditto, 4d; sperm oil, per imperial gallon, 6s 6d; common ditto, per ditto ditto, 3s 9d; mould candles, per lb, 5d; dipt ditto, ditto ditto, 5d; cotton wick, ditto ditto, gratis.

To different establishments when ordered.

Fresh beef, per lb, 1½d; fresh mutton, per lb, 1½d; maize meal, per lb, 1½d; bread—1st quality, ditto, 1½d, 2nd quality, ditto, 1½d, 3rd quality, ditto, 1½d; porter per dozen, 10s; flour per lb, 1½d; arrowroot, ditto, 8d; sago, ditto, 4d; rice, ditto, 2d; tea, ditto, 1s 1d; sugar, ditto, 2½d; oatmeal, ditto, 4d; salt, ditto, 1d; yellow soap, ditto, 3½d; pearl barley ditto, 5d; vegetables, ditto, 1d; milk, per quart, 4d; port wine, per dozen, 25s; vinegar, per imperial gallon, 3s; brandy, ditto, 15s; rum, ditto, 8s 6d; straw, per 100 lbs, 2s 6d; colonial leaf tobacco per lb, 1s 6d; suet, ditto, 3d; raisins, ditto, 8d; pepper, ditto, 8d; treacle, ditto, 4d; roach lime, per bushel, 9d; salt pork, per lb, 4d.

For the Superintendent,

EDWARD BELL.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 10th March, 1851.

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 at the Court House, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 21st and following days of April 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 7th day of April next.

Defences or set off must be filed on or before Tuesday, the 15th day of April next.

Every plaintiff defence or set off must have the name, residence or place of bu-

siness 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 rules of court.

By order of the Commissioner,

J. S. GRIFFIN,
Registrar

Melbourne,
March 13th, 1851.

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 £30, will be holden at the Court House, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Thursday, the 24th, and following days of April next, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Plaints must be delivered at the Office of the Registrar, on or before Thursday, the 10th day of April next.

Defences or Set-offs must be filed on or before Thursday, the 17th day of April next.

Every Plaintiff, Defence, or Set-off, must have the name, residence, or place of business of the plaintiff and defendant, or of the attorney of the plaintiff and 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,
March 13th, 1851.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 27th February, 1851.
SLAUGHTER HOUSES—PORT PHILLIP.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Mr. Thomas King,
(Chief Constable, Warnambool,)

to be Inspector of Slaughter Houses, and of cattle intended to be slaughtered, in the police district of Warnambool, under the Act of the Governor and Legislative Council 5 Gul. IV., No. 1.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 27th Feb., 1851.
PETTY SESSIONS—PORT PHILLIP.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Carisbrooke, on the Loddon River,
and

Hexham, on the Hopkins River,
to be places for the holding of Courts of Petty Sessions, under the provisions of the Act of the Colonial Legislature 3rd William IV., No. 3.

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

EMBANKMENT NEAR GEELONG.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday, the 5th April next, from parties willing to contract for making an embankment near Geelong.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Embankment near Geelong," and forwarded by post (prepaid) addressed to "the Board appointed for opening tenders, Melbourne," or deposited in the box marked "Tenders for Works and Stores," at the western entrance of the Government Offices, Melbourne.

Plan and specification can be seen on application to the Foreman of the Jetty Works, Geelong, and at the undermentioned office.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of

His Honor the Superintendent,

DAVID LENNOX,

Superintendent of Bridges.

Bridge Office,

Melbourne, 18th March, 1851.

IMPOUNDED at Wangaratta, on the 8th March, 1851.

1 bay horse, branded HE near shoulder, TP conjoined off shoulder, 2 off fetlocks, white streak down the face, short switch tail

£1 damages.

If not claimed on or before April 1st, he will be sold in accordance with act of council

T. REDISH,

Poundkeeper.

4s 6d

IMPOUNDED at Sugar Loaf Creek pound, March 14th, 1851,

1 yellow cow, TH near ribs
1 white and brindle spotted cow, same brand

1 red cow, same brand, calf at foot

1 red cow, ditto

1 white and yellow spotted cow, ditto

1 yellow sided cow, like AG off ribs, calf at foot

1 brindle bullock, near ear marked, like JH ribs, blotch off rump, supposed 6WE ribs

JMFG

1 yellow sided bullock, WY off rump and ribs

1 brindle sided bullock, off ribs

1 yellow and white spotted bullock, off ear marked, JH ribs

1 white cow, IB off thigh

1 strawberry bull, no brand

1 blue sided poley cow, 2 within circle near ribs, C2 rump, B shoulder

2

1 brown sided cow, 2 within circle near ribs, 2 rump

If not claimed and released on or before the 3rd, day of April next, will be sold in the pound yard according to act of council.

P. MURPHY,

Poundkeeper.

9s 9d

IMPOUNDED at Burn Bank, Pyrenees, on the 8th March, 1851—

3 poley cows, JL near shoulder, like IM off ribs, top of off ear

1 red and white bull, progeny of one of the above, no brand

7 steers and heifers, TA off ribs

1 white steer, red neck, 6 HA conjoined off ribs

1 red and white bullock, off shoulder, like JAC M near ribs, blotch near rump

1 red bullock, A 2 near ribs, like blotch or scar near rump

1 yellow and white nobby horned steer, like IM off ribs

1 red steer, white back, illegible brand near rump

1 red and white bull, CM near ribs

DC

AG

If not released they will be sold on the 1st of April next, according to the act.

T. GOODISSON,

Poundkeeper.

7s 3d

IMPOUNDED, at Melbourne, on March 12th, 1851.

1 grey flea bitten gelding, long tail, saddle and collar marked stands, about 16 hands high, near shoulder M, off shoulder O conjoined

TW

der O conjoined

I

1 chestnut gelding, a star on forehead, long switch tail, saddle and collar marked, stands about 15 hands high, near shoulder faint X, off side under the saddle W, off side on neck CT or CT

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before Monday, the 7th day of April, will be sold at the Pound according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,

Poundkeeper.

6s 6d

IMPOUNDED at Wangaratta, March 3d, 1851,

1 white cow, red neck, like K2 off ribs, H2 off rump

1 red bullock, SS near ribs, WC off ribs, blotch under

1 red cow, not perceptible, off ribs and rump

1 white body'd bullock, red neck, like heart near rump

1 light strawberry cow, CPR near ribs, C off ribs; WM off rump

1 red bullock, CPR near ribs, WM near rump

1 red strawberry cow, T off ribs, C off

OO

hip

1 strawberry bullock, like WE near ribs

1 red cow, JC conjoined like Y off ribs, Q off rump

If not claimed on or before March 27th they will be sold in accordance with act of council.

T. REDISH,

Poundkeeper.

8s

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus Marsh, 11th March, 1851,

By John Leahey, from his purchased land, trespass 6d each,

1 black mare, white star in forehead, brown muzzle, switch tail down to hocks, like GC off shoulder

1 dark grey pony horse, black points, short tail, saddle and collar marked, like arrow or † conjoined near side

neck

If not claimed and expences paid on or before the 7th day of April, 1851, to be sold at the pound yard according to the act of council.

6s
WILLIAM CROOK,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED March 11th, 1851, and if not claimed on or before the 4th April next, will be sold.

1 red cow and calf, TCP off ribs, WI near rump, TA off rump

1 yellow and white cow, cock horns, ML 8

conjoined off rump

1 red and white bullock, T near shoulder WH near hip

1 brindle and white steer, like WO near rump

1 red and white poley bullock, JC or JG off hip

1 red and white bullock, bald-faced, TA off ribs

1 red and white snail horn bullock, near horn off, like DR off rump

1 red bullock, S off rump

1 strawberry steer, no visible brand

1 red and white steer, M off ribs

M

1 red and white steer calf, JL rump

PERCIVAL GRAHAM.

7s. Od. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED March 7th, and if not claimed on or before the 8th April next will be sold

1 white bullock DS off shoulder

1 red and white snail horn bullock, AL off ribs, AR off rump, blotched brand near shoulder.

PERCIVAL GRAHAM,

4s. 9d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus Marsh, 11th March, 1851, by John Leahey, from his purchased land—

Trespass 6d each.

1 black horse, white star in forehead, brown muzzle, switch tail down to hocks, like GC off shoulder

1 Dark grey pony horse, black points, short tail, saddle and collar marked anchor

near side neck

If not claimed and expences paid on or before the 7th day of April, 1851, to be sold at the Pound Yard, according to the Act of Council.

WILLIAM CROOK.
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at the River Leigh, March 12th, 1851,

1 bay cob, short switch tail, star on forehead, white spots under saddle, saddle marked, H off shoulder

1 black mare, long switch tail, IMP the MP conjoined off shoulder.

1 chesnut mare, silver mane, bang tail, star on forehead, lump under saddle near side, supposed I near shoulder

1 chestnut mare, white blaze down face, switch tail, white spots on rump, T near shoulder, dark horse foal at foot.

Damages claimed 6s each.

If not claimed or released on or before April 7th, 1851, will be sold at the pound yard according to act of council.

6s 3d
JOHN PEARCE,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Morang, River Plenty March 7th, 1851,

By Mr. Weeks, off purchased land,

1 bay horse, switch tail, star in forehead, white nose, hind feet white, white spots under saddle, WE near shoulder, collar

JC

marked, shoes on

Also on the 10th by Mr Johnston,

1 bay horse, black points, switch tail, R

near shoulder

1 black mare, star in forehead, snip on nose, switch tail, hind feet white, white spot under saddle, O off shoulder, a horse foal at foot

1 bay mare, black points, star in forehead, long tail, W near shoulder, shoes on

Also on the 11th by Mr Kenny,

1 grey mare, long tail, HK conjoined off shoulder, supposed WAL conjoined near shoulder, saddle marked

1 bay horse, black points, star in forehead, switch tail, TM near shoulder, BN

shoes on

1 roan mare, star in forehead, long switch tail, M near and off shoulder, shoes on

M

1 chesnut mare, white face, off hind foot white, KP near shoulder, TW conjoined 16

off shoulder, shoes on

If not claimed and expences paid on or before April 4th, 1851, will be sold at the pound according to act of council.

11s 6d
W. C. WALKER,
Poundkeeper.

Superintendents Office,
November 13, 1850.

INFORMATION is requested at this Office respecting the present place of abode and position of Charles M'Dermott Rowe who sailed from London for Port Phillip in December 1847.

For the Superintendent.
EDWARD BELL.

NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 7th March, 1851.

INFORMATION is required at this
Office, respecting the present place of
residence of

John Slater,
who arrived at Geelong, on the 22nd
June, 1848, per exile ship Anna Maria.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 31st January, 1851.

INFORMATION is requested at this
Office, respecting the present condition
and residence of

Bartholemew Sheeran,
who arrived in this district per Joseph
Soames, in 1847.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, Sept. 23, 1850.

INQUIRY having been made respect-
ing JOHN SMITH, an Exile, per
Maitland, 1846, by trade a Shoemaker,
any person who may be able to afford
information concerning him will be good
enough to communicate the same to this
Office.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

INFORMATION is requested at this
Office respecting the present condition
and residence of

JOHN HIBBETT,
who arrived in this district as an exile
per ship Royal George, 16th Nov. 1844.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.
Superintendent's office,
Melbourne, 3rd January, 1851.

NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 9th March, 1850.

INFORMATION is requested at this
Office respecting the present place of
residence of

GEORGE HAMSTED,
who arrived at New South Wales about
seven years ago, and who was residing, it
is believed, two years ago at East Mait-
land.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.

NOTICE.

Superintendent's Office,
Melbourne, 7th Nov. 1850.

INFORMATION is requested at this
Office, respecting the present con-
dition and residence of

James Parker,
who arrived in Melbourne per exile ship
Marion, in 1847.

For the Superintendent,
EDWARD BELL.

NOTICE.

Police Office, Melbourne,
3rd October, 1850.

INFORMATION of importance has
been received at this Office, respect-
ing Miss Keiza and Priscilla Rands,
formerly residing at Adelaide. Any
party who can give information as to
their present place of residence will
please communicate the same.

E. P. S. STURT,
Superintendent of Police.

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