



SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
PORT PHILLIP
GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

OF WEDNESDAY, JULY 2, 1851.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 1851.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES AUGUSTUS FITZ ROY, Knight Companion of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Governor-General of all Her Majesty's Australian Possessions, and Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Territory of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

WHEREAS by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of the Reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "*An Act for the Government of New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land,*" it was amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Governor of New South Wales to prorogue the Legislative Council thereof from time to time, and dissolve the same by proclamation or otherwise, whenever he should deem it expedient; and whereas it is expedient to dissolve the said Legislative Council; now therefore, I, Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, the Governor-General and Governor aforesaid, in pursuance of the power and authority so in me vested, do hereby dissolve the said Legislative Council accordingly.

Given under my Hand and Seal
at Government House, Parramatta, this thirtieth day of June
in the year of Our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and
fifty one, and in the fifteenth
year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S) CH^s. A. FITZ ROY.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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WHEREAS by an Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the Session of the thirteenth and four-

teenth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for the better Government of Her Majesty's Australian Colonies,*" after reciting amongst other things that it is expedient that the District of Port Phillip, then and now part of the Colony of New South Wales, should be erected into a separate Colony, it is amongst other things enacted, that after such provisions as thereafter mentioned shall have been made by the Governor and Council of New South Wales, and upon the issuing of the Writs for the first Election in pursuance thereof, the Territories comprised within the said District of Port Phillip, including the Town of Melbourne, and bounded on the north and north-east by a straight line drawn from Cape Howe to the nearest source of the River Murray, and thence by the course of that river to the eastern boundary of the Colony of South Australia, shall be separated from the Colony of New South Wales, and shall cease to return Members to the Legislative Council of such Colony, and shall be erected into and thenceforth form a separate Colony, to be known and designated as the Colony of Victoria; and whereas it is by the said Act further enacted, that upon the issuing of such Writs for the first Election of Members of the Legislative Council of the said Colony of Victoria, such Colony shall be deemed to be established, and the legislative authority of the Governor and Council of New South Wales, and the powers of such Governor over and in respect of the Territories comprised in the said Colony of Victoria, and the Revenues thereof shall cease; and whereas by a certain Act of the said Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales, passed in the fourteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act to provide for the division of the Colony of Victoria into Electoral Districts, and for the Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Council,*" the several provisions required by the said recited Act of Parliament, to be made before such separation, have been duly made and enacted by the said Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales: Now, therefore, I, Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, the Governor-General and Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare; that in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of Parliament and Act of Council respectively I have this day issued the necessary Writs for the first election of Members of the Legislative Coun-

cil of the said Colony of Victoria; and I do further proclaim and declare, that the Territories hitherto comprised within the said District of Port Phillip, including the Town of Melbourne, and bounded as aforesaid, have thereupon been, and now are, separated from the Colony of New South Wales, and have been erected into, and will henceforth form, a separate Colony, to be known and designated as the Colony of Victoria, and that the Legislative authority of the Governor and Council of New South Wales, and the powers of such Governor, over and in respect of the Territories comprised in the said Colony of Victoria, and the Revenues thereof, have now ceased

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Government House Sydney, this first day of July, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, and in the fifteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

CHS. A. FITZ ROY.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 30th June, 1851.*

POSTAGE BETWEEN NEW SOUTH WALES AND VICTORIA.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR-GENERAL, having conferred with His Honor the Su-

perintendent of Port Phillip, relative to the Postage which will become chargeable on letters, packets, and newspapers, passing between this Colony and Victoria, on the erection of the latter into a separate Dependency of the Crown, has been pleased to direct, that, pending the necessary legislation on the subject, the same charges for Postage shall continue to be made as at present on all such letters, packets, and newspapers; but it being necessary to make such arrangements, in reference to this matter, as will ensure to each Colony, so far as circumstances will permit, the benefit of its postal Revenue, it is to be understood, that Postage Stamps of each Colony will only be available in posting letters packets, or newspapers in the Colony to which they are issued; but they will nevertheless, if of sufficient value, free them from further charge on delivery in the other Colony to which they may be conveyed. If not prepaid by money or in stamps they will nevertheless be forwarded to their destination, and in such case they will become chargeable (newspapers excepted) with double postage in the Colony in which they may be delivered. If the value of the stamps be insufficient, the difference necessary to make up the proper amount of postage, will also be charged double on delivery of the letters and packets. The amount received for postage on letters, packets, and newspapers not prepaid will be carried to the credit of the revenue of the Colony in which the same is collected.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Sydney, 1st July, 1851.

WRITS OF ELECTION, VICTORIA.

REFERRING to the announcement contained in the GOVERNOR GENERAL'S Proclamation of this date, of the issue of the Writs for the first Election for the Colony of Victoria, His Excellency directs it to be notified for general information, that the following is the arrangement for the holding of the several Elections, viz:—

No.	ELECTORAL DISTRICT.	Date of Writ.	Place of Nomination.	Date of Nomination.	Polling Day.	Return of Writ
		1851.		1851.	1851.	1851.
1	North Bourke.....	1 July.	Richmond ...	8 Sept.	13 Sept.	1 Oct
2	South Bourke, Evelyn, and Mornington ...	" "	Brighton	9 "	15 "	" "
3	Grant	" "	Geelong	10 "	16 "	" "
4	Normanby, Dundas, and Follet	" "	Portland	4 "	13 "	" "
5	Villiers and Heytesbury.....	" "	Warrnambool	5 "	15 "	" "
6	Ripon, Hampden, Grenville, and Polwarth	" "	Colac	6 "	17 "	" "
7	Talbot, Dalhousie, and Anglesey	" "	Kyneton	8 "	18 "	" "
8	Gipps Land	" "	Alberton	4 "	16 "	" "
9	The Murray	" "	Benalla.....	5 "	17 "	" "
10	The Loddon	" "	Carisbrook ...	5 "	17 "	" "
11	The Wimmera	" "	Horsham	4 "	16 "	" "
12	Melbourne	" "	Melbourne ..	10 "	11 "	" "
13	Geelong	" "	Geelong	12 "	13 "	" "
14	Portland	" "	Portland	9 "	10 "	" "
15	Belfast and Warrnambool	" "	Belfast.....	8 "	11 "	" "
16	Kilmore, Kyneton, and Seymour	" "	Kilmore	9 "	13 "	" "

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

Government Offices,

Melbourne, 7th July, 1851.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the instructions received, the ceremony of opening Her Majesty's Commission appointing his Excellency Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria, and also, Her Majesty's Commission, under sign manual, appointing a Lieutenant-Governor in and over the said Colony, will take place at the Government Offices, Melbourne at 11 o'clock, on Tuesday next, the 15th instant, with the usual ceremonies; on which occasion His Honor the Resident Judge, the Chief Officers of Government, the Clergy, Magistrates, Civil, Naval, and Military Officers, and such of the Inhabitants as may think proper to be present are invited to attend.

EDWARD BELL,
Secretary for Port Phillip.

Government Offices
Melbourne 8th July, 1851.

LEVEE

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor will hold a Levee at the Government Office, Melbourne on Tuesday the 15th Instant, at Two o'clock P. M.

By Command,
EDWARD BELL,
Acting Aide de Camp.

Regulations for the Levee of the 15th instant.

All persons attending the Levee are requested to appear in full evening costume.

Each Gentleman to be provided with two cards with the name legibly written thereon. One card to be left on the table at the entrance facing William-street, and the other to be given to the Acting Aide de Camp.

By Command,
EDWARD BELL,
Acting Aide de Camp.

ROAD AT "DOUBLE CORNER" NEAR PORTLAND.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Saturday the 2nd August next, from parties willing to contract for making the road at "Double Corner" near Portland, in accordance with the terms of plan and specification to be seen at the Police Office, Portland, and the undermentioned office.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Road at Double Corner," 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.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest tender.

By order of His Honor, the Superintendent
DAVID LENNOX,
Superintendent of Bridges.
Bridge Office,
Melbourne, 8th July, 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 twenty-first, and following days of July 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 seventh day of July next.

Defences or set-offs must be filed on or before Tuesday, the fifteenth day of July next.

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 forms prescribed by the Rules of Court.

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

Melbourne,
June 30th, 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 twenty-first day of August next, and following days, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Plaints must be delivered at the Office of the Registrar, on or before Thursday, the 7th day of August next.

Defences or set-offs must be filed on or before Friday, the fifteenth day of August next.

Every plaint, 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, June 30th, 1851.

Custom House, Melbourne,
8th July, 1851.

CONDEMNED GOODS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned "condemned goods," will be sold by public auction, at the Custom House, on Friday, the 11th instant, at twelve o'clock, noon.

131 lbs. manufactured Tobacco
JAMES CASSELL,
Collector.

IMPOUNDED at Bulleen Upper Yarra.

By Messrs Thompson & Sons.
1 Red bullock branded W near rump HK (con-
D
joined) off ribs.

By Charles Newman Esq.,

- 1 Brindled cow \hat{c} and illegible letter near ribs
 heifer calf at her side
 1 Bay horse star in forehead saddle marked sup-
 posed F neck off side

If not claimed on or before the 1st of August
 1851 they will be sold at the Pound.

DAVID BELL.

Poundkeeper.

5s 6d Bullen 9th July 1851.

IMPOUNDED at Tarra Vale June the 27th
 1851.

- 1 red cow brand illegible
 1 strawberry and white ballock on ribs HM ear
 2

marked

- 1 white poley steer brand illegible off ear mar-
 ked
 1 black hoifer off ear marked brand illegible
 1 strawberry steer unbranded
 1 brindle cow on near rump M off ear marked
 1 white steer unbranded
 1 red and white cow brand illegible
 1 yellow and white cow brand illegible
 1 strawberry steer unbranded
 1 black heifer unbranded off ear marked
 1 white cow brand illegible
 1 yellow and white steer unbranded

If not claimed on or before the 21st of July
 next they will be sold in accordance with Act of
 Council.

PHILIP O'MARA.

Poundkeeper.

7s 3d

IMPOUNDED at the River Leigh July 2nd
 1851.

- 1 brindle and white steer, H with figure below off
 rump

Also on June 3rd.

- 1 light grey mare, switch tail, F near shoulder
 YH off shoulder filly foal at foot
 1 light chestnut mare, star on forehead long tail
 like C near shoulder, supposed brand of
 neck, horse foal at foot
 1 chestnut colt, white blaze down face, no legible
 brand
 1 brown mare, white star on forehead, white on
 nose, long tail, hind fetlocks white, spectacle
 with other brand off neck, horse foal at
 foot
 1 bay filly rising 2 years old, long switch tail
 brand indistinet supposed \square or \square near
 neck.
 1 dark brown mare, switch tail, white star on
 forehead IE near shoulder TJ off neck
 1 bay horse, star on forehead, switch tail IE near
 shoulder like C or horseshoe off shoulder
 1 bay mare black points, switch tail T5 off shoul-
 der
 1 light grey filley, long switch tail long blotched
 brand supposed \square under mane
 1 bay filley, rising two year old, white streak
 down face switch tail F near shoulder
 1 bay mare, black points bang tail star on fore-
 head white snip on nose A off neck.
 1 grey roan filley, rising 2 year old black points
 long tail light about head no legible brand
 1 black filley, rising 2 year old long tail white
 star on forehead no legible brand

- 1 bay colt rising 2 year old star on forehead
 black points long tail no legible brand
 1 bay horse, switch tail fired on off hock has had
 a fistula like 1 or 7 under mane.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
 July the 28th will be sold at the pound yard ac-
 cording to Act of Council.

JOHN PEARCE

Poundkeeper.

12s 6d

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne on July 3rd
 1851

Tresspass 6d each

- 1 red and white steer, near ribs GR
 1 red cow, off ribs W

- 1 red and white spotted bullock, off rump TB
 near rump supposed AP

Impounded on July 4th

- 1 strawberry heifer, slit in near ear, near ribs
 WB

- 1 red sided cow, white head, off ribs HL (con-
 5
 joined) off rump SJS

- 1 red sided steer off ribs P off rump WP
 1 red sided cow, slit in near ear, near ribs WH
 in a circle off hip EC

Impounded on July 5th

- 1 strawberry cow, off rump HP with cross in
 2

centre a young white heifer calf
 1 blue sided heifer calf

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
 Monday the 28th day of July will be sold at the
 pound according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH.

8s 3d

Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus' Marsh July 1st
 1851

- 1 chestnut mare, star in forehead switch tail
 branded E near shoulder

- 1 chestnut filley star in forehead about 12
 months old no brand supposed her progeny.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
 the 24th day of July will be sold at the pound
 according to the Act of Council.

JAMES E CROOK.

4s 3d

Poundkeeper

NOTICE

THE horse advertised branded R off side and
 blotch under W near side—should be like
 BE under W near side

To be sold July 16th if not claimed

T. REDISH,

Poundkeeper

3s 6d Wangaratta July 1st 1851

IMPOUNDED at the Deep Creek, 1st July,
 1841—

- 1 red and white spotted poley cow, brindle face,
 slit in off ear, like RC or PC off ribs

- 1 magpie cow, like IIN and another letter near
 ribs, like RC off ribs

- 1 red sided bullock, cock horns, bald face, picco
 of green hide round neck, no visible brand

- 1 light bay or chesnut horse \bar{C} near shoulder