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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of  
Victoria, and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Governor and  
Legislative Council of New South Wales,  
passed in the fourteenth year of the Reign of Her  
present Majesty Queen Victoria, called "*The  
Victoria Electoral Act of 1851*," it was  
amongst other things enacted that such other  
Polling Places should be Polling Places for the  
several Electoral Districts in the said Act more  
particularly mentioned as should be appointed for  
that purpose by the Governor by Proclamation,  
to be issued by him and published in the  
*Government Gazette* of the Colony: Now there-  
fore I, the Lieutenant Governor aforesaid, in  
pursuance of the power and authority so vested in  
me by the said in part recited Act, do by this,  
my Proclamation, hereby appoint that the fol-  
lowing shall be Polling Places for the Electoral  
District specified in connexion therewith, in  
addition to the Polling Places appointed by the  
said Act, that is to say:

LODDON DISTRICT—Melbourne, Castle Don-  
nington, Mr. Ross's Station, Campaspe  
Creek, and Bayes's Inn, Lower Loddon:

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the  
said Colony, at Melbourne, in the said  
Colony, this twenty-seventh day of May,  
One thousand eight hundred and fifty-  
three.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. LONSDALE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

No. 30.—MAY 28TH, 1853.—1.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c.,  
&c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant  
Governor and Legislative Council of the  
Colony of Victoria, made and passed in the six-  
teenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty,  
intituled, "*An Act for making and improving  
Roads in the Colony of Victoria*," it is amongst  
other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the  
Lieutenant Governor by Proclamation in the  
*Government Gazette* to declare that Tolls should  
be payable and collected at any Punt or Ferry  
which should be constructed, repaired, or sup-  
ported at the public expense. And also that it  
should be lawful for His Excellency the Lieuten-  
ant Governor, with the advice of His Executive  
Council, by Proclamation in the *Government  
Gazette*, to declare the Tolls to be payable at  
such Punts and Ferries, and the same from time  
to time to vary and alter, and any such Proclama-  
tion to revoke. And whereas by Proclamations  
under my hand and the seal of the said Colony,  
bearing date respectively the twenty-fourth day  
of January, 1853, the twenty-third day of April,  
1853, the twenty-third day of April, 1853, and  
the second day of May, 1853, I, as such Lieuten-  
ant Governor as aforesaid, did declare that  
Tolls should be payable and collected at the Punt  
or Ferry situate at Wangaratta, in the said  
Colony; Studley, in the parish of Jika Jika, in  
the County of Bourke, in the said Colony; at the  
Punt or Ferry situate at Seymour, Goulburn  
River, in the said Colony; and at the Punt or

Ferry situate at Richmond, in the said parish of Jika Jika, respectively. And whereas it is expedient that the Tolls specified below should be payable and collected at the above-mentioned Punts or Ferries respectively: Now therefore I, Charles Joseph La Trobe, Esquire, as such Lieutenant Governor as aforesaid, by and with the advice of my Executive Council as aforesaid, do hereby Proclaim and Declare that the Tolls mentioned and specified below shall be payable and collected at the Punts or Ferries respectively situate at Studley, in the parish of Jika Jika and County of Bourke; at Seymour, Goulburn River, in the said Colony of Victoria; and at Richmond, in the said parish of Jika Jika, in the said Colony of Victoria, that is to say,—

	£	s.	d.
For every foot passenger ... ..	0	0	1
For every horse, mare, gelding, ass, or mule, drawing or not drawing ...	0	0	3
For every gig, dray, or cart, with two wheels only ... ..	0	0	6
For every waggon, carriage, or other vehicle with four wheels ... ..	0	1	0
For every ox, or head of neat cattle, drawing or not drawing, being more than ten in number ... ..	0	0	2
For every ox, or head of neat cattle, drawing or not drawing, not exceeding ten in number ... ..	0	0	3
For every sheep, lamb, pig, or goat... ..	0	0	$\frac{1}{4}$

Given under my Hand, and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, in the said Colony, this twenty-sixth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.  
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 23rd May, 1853.  
SETTLED DISTRICTS.

ALL persons occupying land under the 16th and 22nd clauses of the Regulations of the 29th March, 1848, are hereby called upon to take out their Annual Leases for 1853, and to pay up all arrears which may be due for past years; in default of which, the Leases of the Lands so forfeited, will be put up to Public Auction, in conformity with the Regulations.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint  
WILLIAM PIPER, Esquire,  
to be Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Murray District, in the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint  
WILLIAM PIPER, Esquire,  
to be Police Magistrate at Benalla, in the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

DAVID AITCHISON,  
WILLIAM PIPER,  
HUGH JAMIESON, and  
ROBERT SIMSON, Esquires,

to be Magistrates for the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

G. W. HARRIS, Esquire,

to be Inspector General of Roads in the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDMUND LASKEY SPLATT, Esquire,

to be Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the Pastoral District of Murray, in the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th May, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct it to be notified for public information that

JOSEPH AUGUSTUS HENRIQUES, Esquire,

has been appointed by the President of the United States of America to be Consul at Melbourne, for the United States of America, and that Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of such appointment.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

FLOATING LIGHT, HOBSON'S BAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Floating Light Vessel (the equipment of which will be completed in a few weeks) will be moored at the North End of the West Channel, at the place at present occupied by the Upper Fairway Black Buoy.

Mariners will observe that on board this vessel two (2) Fixed Lights will be exhibited on a yard 25 feet apart, and 40 feet above the level of the water.

Due notice of the night on which the Lights on board this vessel will be first exhibited, together with its exact position, will be hereafter published.

CHARLES FERGUSON,  
Port and Harbor Master.

Port and Harbor Office,  
Williamstown, 25th May, 1853.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF THE TOWN  
OF GEELONG.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, 16th Vic., No. 29, intituled, "*An Act to alter the Victoria Electoral Act of 1851, and to increase the number of Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria,*" a Writ for the election of one Member to serve in the Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria for the Electoral District of the Town of Geelong, was issued, bearing date the eleventh day of April, 1853, under the hand and seal of His Excellency Charles Joseph La Trobe, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, and addressed to the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of the Town of Geelong.

Now therefore I, James Cowie, Esquire, Mayor, and Returning Officer for the said Electoral District, do hereby notify that the Writ of Election so issued by the Lieutenant Governor as aforesaid, was received by me as such Returning Officer: and I do hereby give notice that, in pursuance of the directions therein contained, I will preside at a meeting to be holden on Wednesday, the eighth day of June now next ensuing, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Yarra-street, in the Town of Geelong, for the nomination of a Member to serve in the Legislative Council of Victoria during the remainder of the continuance of the said Council, and no longer. And I do hereby further give notice,

that if there be at such meeting no more than one candidate proposed, I shall declare such candidate to be duly elected, and make my return accordingly; but in the event of there being more than one candidate proposed, I shall call for a show of hands separately in favor of each candidate, and shall thereupon declare the person on whom the election has fallen, and return the same accordingly, unless a poll be then and there demanded by some one of the candidates, or by not less than six of the Electors of the said Electoral District on his behalf, in which case the poll will be taken on the ninth day of June now next ensuing, at the different polling places in the said Electoral District, to be hereafter notified, commencing at Nine o'clock in the forenoon and finally closing at Four o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my Hand, at Geelong, this twenty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

JAMES COWIE,  
Mayor and Returning Officer.

By order of the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of the Town of Geelong.

WM. WEIRE,  
Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,  
Geelong, 21st May, 1853.

