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GOLD FIELDS COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY.

*VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of
the Faith, &c.*

To our trusty and well-beloved WILLIAM CLARK HAINES, WILLIAM WESTGARTH, JOHN PASCOE
FAWKNER, JOHN O'SHANASSY, WILLIAM HENRY WRIGHT, and JAMES FORD STRACHAN,
Esquires :

GREETING,—

Whereas complaints have arisen among the Mining Population of the nature and operation of the laws and regulations under which the revenue derived from them is raised, and of the manner in which those laws and regulations have been administered, and of the inadequate representation of their interests in the Legislature by whom those laws are framed ; And whereas the Government is earnestly desirous to inquire into the grounds of such complaints, with a view to ascertain how far they are well founded, and to devise and carry out a system which, while it makes due provision for an adequate revenue with the least possible expenditure of public funds, shall afford every facility for the development of the mineral wealth of the Colony and prove the least harassing and vexatious to the Miners ; and further to inquire into the manner in which the law at present in force has been administered, with a view to ascertain whether unnecessary harshness or undue partiality has been shewn by the administrators ; and generally to inquire into all complaints relating either to the privileges or pecuniary interests of the Mining Population : Now know ye that we, with the advice of the Executive Council of the Colony, confiding much in your fidelity, knowledge, and ability, do, by these presents, nominate, constitute, and appoint you, our trusty and well-beloved WILLIAM CLARK HAINES, WILLIAM WESTGARTH, JOHN PASCOE FAWKNER, JOHN O'SHANASSY, WILLIAM HENRY WRIGHT, and JAMES FORD STRACHAN, to be our Commissioners for the purposes herein mentioned : And we do, by these presents, grant unto you full power and authority to enquire into the laws and regulations now in force affecting the mining population, and their operation, and also to recommend such alterations in those laws and regulations as may seem necessary for the public advantage and convenience, and to enquire into the manner in which these laws and regulations have been administered, and in general to enquire into all complaints, and to recommend such measures as may have the effect of removing all such as shall be shewn to be just : And we do by these presents, grant unto you, our said Commissioners, power and authority to call before you such persons by whom you may be the better informed upon the subject of this our Commission, and also to call for, have access to, and examine all such books, documents, registers, and records, as may afford the fullest information on the subject, and to enquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever ; and for your further

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assistance in the execution of the premises, we do hereby appoint our trusty and well-beloved CHARLES WARBURTON CARR, Esquire, to be Secretary to this our Commission, whose services you may use from time to time as occasion may require: And we do hereby direct and appoint that you do report to us in writing, under your hands and seals, your proceedings, and also your opinions on the subject herein referred to you: And lastly, we do by these presents, ordain that this our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, shall and may, from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

In witness whereof our trusty and well-beloved SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of our Colony of Victoria, hath hereunto affixed the Seal of our Colony, at the Government Offices, in Melbourne, in our said Colony, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of our Reign.

(L.S.)

CHAS. HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

CASTLEMAINE LAND SALE, 23RD JANUARY, 1855.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies*," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the twenty-third day of January next, the following Suburban and Town Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Government Auction Room, Market-square, Castlemaine, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit—10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

TARNAGULLA.

At Catto's Bridge, on the Lower Loddon, about twenty-two miles east of Sandhurst, twenty-six miles north of Carisbrook, and twenty-one miles north-west of Lockwood, on the road to the Murray.

1. County unnamed, 26a. 1r. 1p., Twenty-six acres one rood one perch, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 1 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.
2. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty-acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 2 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.
3. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 3 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.
4. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 4 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.
5. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 5 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.
6. County unnamed, 13a., Thirteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 6 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

7. County unnamed, 13a., Thirteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 7 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

8. County unnamed, 13a., Thirteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 8 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

9. County unnamed, 19a. 3r. 32p., Nineteen acres three roods thirty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 9 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

10. County unnamed, 16a. 0r. 34p., Sixteen acres thirty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 10 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

11. County unnamed, 12a. 0r. 13p., Twelve acres thirteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 11 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

12. County unnamed, 8a. 2r., Eight acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 12 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

13. County unnamed, 6a. 1r. 32p., Six acres one rood thirty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 13 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

14. County unnamed, 6a. 3r. 28p., Six acres three roods twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 14 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

15. County unnamed, 9a. 3r. 7p., Nine acres three roods seven perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 15 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

16. County unnamed, 12a. 2r. 25p., Twelve acres two roods twenty-five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 16 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

17. County unnamed, 15a. 2r. 4p., Fifteen acres two roods four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 17 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

18. County unnamed, 10a. 3r. 21p., Ten acres three roods twenty-one perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 18 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

19. County unnamed, 20a. 0r. 18p., Twenty acres eighteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 19 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

20. County unnamed, 10a. 3r. 28p., Ten acres three roods twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 20 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. 10*s*. per acre.

21. County unnamed, 10a. 3r. 28p., Ten acres three roods twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 21 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. 10*s*. per acre.

22. County unnamed, 15a. 0r. 22p., Fifteen acres twenty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 22 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

23. County unnamed, 10a., Ten acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 23 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. 10*s*. per acre.

24. County unnamed, 18a. 0r. 26p., Eighteen acres twenty-six perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 24 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

25. County unnamed, 16a. 2r. 26p., Sixteen acres two roods twenty-six perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 25 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

26. County unnamed, 16a. 0r. 25p., Sixteen acres twenty-five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 26 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

27. County unnamed, 27a. 2r. 26p., Twenty-seven acres two roods twenty-six perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 27 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

28. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 28 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

29. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 29 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

30. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 30 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

31. County unnamed, 18a., Eighteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 31 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

32. County unnamed, 25a. 3r. 5p., Twenty-five acres three roods five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 32 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

33. County unnamed, 17a., Seventeen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 33 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

34. County unnamed, 17a., Seventeen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 34 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

35. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 35 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

36. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 36 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

37. County unnamed, 18a., Eighteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 37 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

38. County unnamed, 18a., Eighteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 38 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

39. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 39 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

40. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 40 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

41. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 41 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

42. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 42 of section 2. Upset price 2*l*. per acre.

TOWN LOTS.

NEWBRIDGE.

At Catto's Station, on the Lower Loddon.

1. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 1 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

2. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 2 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

3. Newbridge, 36p., Thirty-six perches, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 3 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

4. Newbridge, 1r. 8p., One rood eight perches, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 4 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

5. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 5 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

6. Newbridge, 32p., Thirty-two perches, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 6 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

7. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 7 of section 1. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

8. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 7 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

9. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 8 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

10. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 9 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

11. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 12 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

12. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 13 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

13. Newbridge, 1r., One rood, county unnamed, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 14 of section 2. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) CHAS. HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

LAND SALE AT CASTLEMAINE.—24TH JANUARY, 1855.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies*," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Wednesday,

the twenty-fourth day of January next, the following Suburban Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Government Auction Room, Market-square, Castlemaine, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit—10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

TARNAGULLA.

At Catto's Bridge, on the Lower Loddon, about twenty-two miles east of Sandhurst, twenty-six miles north of Carisbrook, and twenty-one north-west of Lockwood, on the road to the Murray.

43. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 43 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

44. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 44 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

45. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 45 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

46. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 46 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

47. County unnamed, 19a., Nineteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 47 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

48. County unnamed, 19a., Nineteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 48 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

49. County unnamed, 19a., Nineteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 49 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

50. County unnamed, 19a., Nineteen acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 50 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

51. County unnamed, 19a. 2r., Nineteen acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 51 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

52. County unnamed, 19a. 2r., Nineteen acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 52 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

53. County unnamed, 19a. 2r., Nineteen acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 53 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

54. County unnamed, 19a. 2r., Nineteen acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 54 of section 2. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

55. County unnamed, 23a., Twenty-three acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 1 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

56. County unnamed, 23a., Twenty-three acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 2 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

57. County unnamed, 25a., Twenty-five acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 3 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

58. County unnamed, 25a., Twenty-five acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 4 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

59. County unnamed, 25a., Twenty-five acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 5 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

60. County unnamed, 25a., Twenty-five acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 6 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

61. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 7 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

62. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 8 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

63. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 9 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

64. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 10 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

65. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 11 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

66. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 12 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

67. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 13 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

68. County unnamed, 20a., Twenty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 14 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

69. County unnamed, 15a. 0r. 24p., Fifteen acres twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 15 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

70. County unnamed, 18a. 0r. 34p., Eighteen acres thirty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 16 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

71. County unnamed, 21a. 1r. 4p., Twenty-one acres one rood four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 17 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

72. County unnamed, 24a. 1r. 13p., Twenty-four acres one rood thirteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 18 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

73. County unnamed, 19a. 0r. 4p., Nineteen acres four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 19 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

74. County unnamed, 22a. 0r. 14p., Twenty-two acres fourteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 20 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

75. County unnamed, 25a. 0r. 24p., Twenty-five acres twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 21 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

76. County unnamed, 28a. 0r. 33p., Twenty-eight acres thirty-three perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 22 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

77. County unnamed, 30a. 1r. 13p., Thirty acres one rood thirteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 23 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

78. County unnamed, 30a. 1r. 39p., Thirty acres one rood thirty-nine perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 24 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

79. County unnamed, 25a. 3r. 39p., Twenty-five acres three roods thirty-nine perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 25 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

80. County unnamed, 27a. 0r. 32p., Twenty-seven acres thirty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 26 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

81. County unnamed, 25a. 1r. 24p., Twenty-five acres one rood twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 27 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

82. County unnamed, 25a. 1r. 19p., Twenty-five acres one rood nineteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 28 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

83. County unnamed, 20a. 1r., Twenty acres one rood, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 29 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

84. County unnamed, 18a. 0r. 8p., Eighteen acres eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 30 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eleventh day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) CHAS^s HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

LAND SALE AT CASTLEMAINE.—25TH JANUARY, 1855.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies*," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of January next, the following Suburban, Special Country, and Country Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Government Auction Room, Market-square, Castlemaine, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit—10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

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85. County unnamed, 24a. 2r., Twenty-four acres two roods, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 31 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

86. County unnamed, 23a. 0r. 1p., Twenty-three acres one perch, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 32 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

87. County unnamed, 21a. 2r. 2p., Twenty-one acres two roods two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 33 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

88. County unnamed, 20a. 0r. 3p., Twenty acres three perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 34 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

89. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 35 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

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90. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 36 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

91. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 37 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

92. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 38 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

93. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 39 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

94. County unnamed, 22a., Twenty-two acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 40 of section 4. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

SPECIAL COUNTRY LOTS.

TARNAGULLA.

Similarly situated to the preceding Lots.

95. County unnamed, 47a. 0r. 28p., Forty-seven acres twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 3 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

96. County unnamed, 55a. 3r. 37p., Fifty-five acres three roods thirty-seven perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 4 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

97. County unnamed, 74a. 0r. 14p., Seventy-four acres fourteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 5 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

98. County unnamed, 31a. 2r. 17p., Thirty-one acres two roods seventeen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 9 of section 1. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

99. County unnamed, 67a. 1r. 8p., Sixty-seven acres one rood eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 14 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

100. County unnamed, 71a. 2r. 28p., Seventy-one acres two roods twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 15 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

101. County unnamed, 32a. 2r. 16p., Thirty-two acres two roods sixteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 6 of section 5. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

102. County unnamed, 71a. 0r. 28p., Seventy-one acres twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 8 of section 5. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

103. County unnamed, 51a. 3r. 35p., Fifty-one acres three roods thirty-five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 9 of section 5. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

104. County unnamed, 57a. 3r. 30p., Fifty-seven acres three roods thirty perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 13 of section 5. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

105. County unnamed, 66a. 3r. 32p., Sixty-six acres three roods thirty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 15 of section 5. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

106. County unnamed, 75a. 0r. 12p., Seventy-five acres twelve perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 16 of section 5. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

COUNTRY LOTS.

TARNAGULLA.

Similarly situated to the preceding lots.

107. County unnamed, 150a., One hundred and fifty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 1 of section 1. Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

108. County unnamed, 150a. Or. 100p., One hundred and fifty acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 2 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

109. County unnamed, 103a. 3r. 24p., One hundred and three acres three roods twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 6 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

110. County unnamed, 104a. Or. 24p., One hundred and four acres twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 7 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

111. County unnamed, 89a. 3r. 25p., Eighty-nine acres three roods twenty-five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 8 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

112. County unnamed, 133a. 1r. 4p., One hundred and thirty-three acres one rood four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 12 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

113. County unnamed, 81a. Or. 17p., Eighty-one acres seventeen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 13 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

114. County unnamed, 91a. 2r. 37p., Ninety-one acres two roods thirty-seven perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 16 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

115. County unnamed, 267a. Or. 24p., Two hundred and sixty-seven acres twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 17 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

116. County unnamed, 267a. Or. 24p., Two hundred and sixty-seven acres twenty-four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 18 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

117. County unnamed, 274a., Two hundred and seventy-four acres, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 19 of section 1. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

118. County unnamed, 243a. Or. 4p., Two hundred and forty-three acres four perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 1 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

119. County unnamed, 272a. 3r. 20p., Two hundred and seventy-two acres three roods twenty perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 2 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

120. County unnamed, 290a. 3r. 8p., Two hundred and ninety-six acres three roods eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 3 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

121. County unnamed, 116a. 1r., One hundred and sixteen acres one rood, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 5 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

122. County unnamed, 96a. Or. 37p., Ninety-six acres thirty-seven perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 10 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

123. County unnamed, 91a. 1r. 28p., Ninety-one acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 11 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

124. County unnamed, 122a. 1r. 38p., One hundred and twenty-two acres one rood thirty-eight perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 12 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

125. County unnamed, 81a. 2r. 26p., Eighty-one acres two roods twenty-six perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 14 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

126. County unnamed, 96a. Or. 35p., Ninety-six acres thirty-five perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 17 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

127. County unnamed, 145a. Or. 22p., One hundred and forty-five acres twenty-two perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 18 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

128. County unnamed, 188a. 2r. 16p., One hundred and eighty-eight acres two roods sixteen perches, parish of Tarnagulla, allotment 19 of section 5. Upset price 1*l*. per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twelfth day of December, in the year Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.)

CHAS. HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PENDING LAND SALES.

CROWN Lands have been proclaimed in previous numbers of the *Gazette*, for sale at the undermentioned places. Each sale will commence at Eleven o'clock, A.M., viz. :—

ALBERTON—	PAGE.
Thursday, 28th December	2333, 2440
Friday, 29th December	2335
Saturday, 30th December	2660
BALLAARAT—	
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CASTLEMAINE—	
Monday, 15th January, 1855	2721
CARRISBROOK—	
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CRESWICK'S CREEK—	
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HEATHCOTE—	
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WARRNAMBOOL—	
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By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

VICTORIA.

RETURN of LANDS which can be SELECTED under the 12th Clause of the Act of Parliament, 5th and 6th Victoria, Chapter 36, and Regulations of 1st March, 1843, at the Colonial Treasury, Melbourne, on payment of the price affixed to each Lot respectively.

Special Country Lots.	Country Lots.	Date of Proclamation.	Date of Auction.	Parish or Locality.	Allot- ment.	Section or Portion.	Extent.	Price per Acre.	Amount.	Remarks.
97	...	1854. 25th August	1854. 20th October	Wombat, about three miles south-east from the Camp, at Spring Creek	2	5	A. R. P. 46 0 0	£ s. d. 1 10 0	£ 69 0 0	No offer.
98	...	"	"	"	3	5	43 2 32	1 10 0	65 2 8	"
99	...	"	"	"	4	5	43 2 32	1 10 0	65 2 8	"
5	...	8th Sept.	26th October	Mordiallock, south of the parish of Mulgrave, about fourteen miles from Mel- bourne	10	1	79 0 0	1 12 0	113 8 0	Being minus £13 deposit forfeited.
6	...	"	"	"	6	2	79 0 0	1 10 0	106 10 0	"
19	...	"	"	"	1	5	318 0 0	1 12 0	457 16 0	"
24	...	"	"	"	3	6	318 0 0	1 6 0	371 8 0	"
42	...	"	"	"	3	12	160 0 0	1 0 0	144 0 0	"
22	...	15th Sept.	31st October	Dunedon, near Hindborough's Station, about twelve miles south-west of Geelong	E	36	17 0 0	2 0 0	30 0 0	"
23	...	"	"	"	F	36	68 2 0	1 11 0	95 3 6	"
27	...	"	"	"	E	43	56 2 0	1 11 0	78 11 6	"
32	...	"	"	"	D	23	80 2 8	1 7 0	97 14 0	"
33	...	"	"	"	E	23	80 0 0	1 3 0	82 0 0	"
37	...	"	"	"	F	35	116 0 0	1 9 0	150 4 0	"
24	...	"	"	"	B	43	62 2 0	1 10 0	83 15 0	"

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 9th December, 1854.

ANDREW CLARKE,
Surveyor General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1854.
**CRESWICK'S CREEK LAND SALE.—18TH
DECEMBER, 1854.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 3rd November last, relative to a Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Creswick, on the 18th December: Notice is hereby given that the upset price of Lot 17 has been fixed at the rate of £50 per acre, and the improvements situate on the said Lot have been valued at £600, which amount is to be added to the upset price, and must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1854.
**CRESWICK'S CREEK LAND SALE.—18TH
DECEMBER, 1854.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 3rd November, relative to the Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Creswick, on the 18th December: Notice is hereby given that Lots 42 and 43 will be submitted for sale in one Lot at an upset price of £50 per acre, and that the improvements situate upon the said Lots have been valued at £900, which amount is to be added to the upset price and must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1854.
CRESWICK LAND SALE.—18TH DECEMBER, 1854.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 31st October last, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Creswick, on the 18th December: Notice is hereby given that Lot 44 has been withdrawn from the said Sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1854.
KILMORE LAND SALE.—29TH DECEMBER, 1854.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 10th of November, relative to a Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Kilmore, on the 29th of December: Notice is hereby given that Lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 20, and 21 have been withdrawn from the said Sale.

By his Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1854.
NOTICE TO PATENTEES.

THE undermentioned Patentees are requested to take notice that their respective Letters Patent are now ready for delivery, viz. :—

MR. EDWIN GORDON,
MR. CHARLES KINNEAR,
MR. WILLIAM BEAUGLARE OTWAY,
MR. WILLIAM LOCKHART MORTON,
MESSRS. JOHN SIMPSON POWERS AND HENRY CLOUGH.

J. MOORE,
Assistant Colonial Secretary,
and Officer for Patents.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.

For what purpose Contract is required.	177. Civil Commissariat.— Hay for General Issue	Number of Tenders offered and Names of Tenderers.	(4) Messrs. E. L. Ifould, J. Keale, Alexander Smith and C. Jones, H. Fowler	Particulars of each Tender.	Hay. Lanneston oaten hay, fresh and green, 30 tons	Amount recommended for Acceptance.	£23 10s. per ton	Name for Approval.	Alexander Smith and C. Jones	Has the person recommended been a Contractor previously?	No	How did he fulfil his Contract?	...	General Remarks.	Approved 8th December—13,647.
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By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1854.

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Melbourne, 12th December, 1854.

APPOINTMENT.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CLARK HAINES, Esquire,
to be Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Victoria,
subject to the approval of Her Majesty, in the
room of John Vesey Fitzgerald Foster, Esquire,
resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. MOORE,
Assistant Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st November, 1854.

LICENSES TO WORK COAL FIELDS.

APPPLICATION having been made to the Government by Charles Black, Esquire, on behalf of Richard Davis and John Watkins, the reputed discoverers of a workable coal field in the vicinity of Cape Paterson, for a lease of such portion of land in that locality as may lead to a thorough test of the usefulness of the discovery, and some doubt having arisen as to the power of the Local Government to grant more than annual licenses, and that such licenses should be offered by auction, the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased, pending the decision of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State (to whom application has been made respecting the leasing of mineral lands not auriferous), and with a view to determine without delay the actual benefit of this discovery, to order that annual licenses to occupy the sections of lands hereafter described and said to contain coal shall be put up to auction at an upset price of £10 per section.

The purchaser of the section now in the occupation of the said Charles Black shall pay over to the present occupant the value of his improvements, the amount whereof will be notified in the *Government Gazette* prior to sale.

At the expiration of the annual license, should the occupant be dispossessed by another licensee, an amount equal to the value of the improvements actually made by him, *bona fide* in working for coal, shall be paid by the incoming occupant to the person so dispossessed—such amount in case of dispute to be ascertained by two competent persons, one to be appointed by the person dispossessed, and the other by the Government, and in case of their differing, to be decided by an umpire, appointed by the said arbitrators.

The Sale will be held at Twelve o'clock, on Tuesday, the second of January, 1855, by Messrs. W. M. Tennent and Co., Collins-street, Melbourne. Deposit—10 per cent.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

BOUNDARIES OF SECTIONS.

SECTION 29.

Commencing at a point on the sea coast near Cape Paterson, where the Coal Creek enters the sea, thence on the south by the sea coast in a westerly direction to a road one chain wide, which is the eastern boundary of section 16; on the west by that road bearing north 43 chains; on the north by a line bearing west 79 chains; on

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the east by a road one chain wide bearing south 90 chains 50 links to the sea coast; and again on the south by the sea coast to the mouth of Coal Creek, the commencing point, containing 482 acres, more or less, and known as section 29, parish unnamed, county of Mornington.

SECTION 16.

Bounded on the east by a road one chain wide, being the western boundary of section 29, bearing north 43 chains; on the north by a line bearing west 57 chains to the sea coast; and on the west and south by the sea coast to commencing point, containing 188 acres, more or less, and known as section 16, parish unnamed, county of Mornington.

SECTION 17 B.

Bounded on the south by the northern boundary of section 16; thence on the east by a road one chain wide 40 chains, being a continuation of the road forming the eastern boundary of section 16; on the north by a line bearing west 79 chains; on the west by a road to the sea coast 8 chains; on the south-west by the sea coast to commencing point, containing 284 acres, more or less, and known as section 17 B, parish unnamed, county of Mornington.

SECTION 17 A.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain (1 chain) wide, being a continuation of the road forming the western boundary of section 17 B, bearing north forty chains (40 chains); on the north by a line bearing east seventy-nine chains (79 chains); on the west by a road bearing south forty chains (40 chains), being a continuation of the road forming the boundaries of sections 29, 16, and 17 B; and on the south by the northern boundary of section 17 B, containing three hundred and sixteen acres (316 acres), more or less, and known as section 17 A, parish unnamed, in the county of Mornington.

SECTION 28 A.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain (1 chain) wide, which is the eastern boundary of section 17 A; thence on the north by a line bearing east seventy-nine chains (79 chains); on the east by a line bearing south forty chains (40 chains); on the south by a line bearing west seventy-nine chains (79 chains), containing three hundred and sixteen acres (316 acres), more or less, parish unnamed, in the county of Mornington.

SECTION 28 B.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain wide, forming the eastern boundary of section seventeen B (17 B); on the north by the southern boundary of section eighteen A (18 A); on the east by a line bearing south forty chains (40 chains); and on the south by the northern boundary of section twenty-nine; containing three hundred and sixteen acres (316 acres) more or less, and known as section twenty-eight B, parish unnamed, in the county of Mornington.

SECTION 31 B.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain (1 chain) wide, bearing north forty chains (40 chains), forming a part of the eastern boundary of section 29; on the north by the southern boundary of section 31 A; on the east by a line bearing south forty chains (40 chains); on the south by a line bearing west seventy-nine chains (79 chains), containing three hundred and six-

teen acres (316 acres) more or less, and known as section 31 B, parish unnamed, in the county of Mornington.

SECTION 30.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain (1 chain) wide, bearing north eleven chains (11 chains), being a part of the eastern boundary of section 29; on the north by a line bearing east seventy-nine chains (79 chains), being the southern boundary of section 31 B; on the south by a line bearing south fifty-three chains (53 chains) to the sea coast, and on the south by the sea coast to the road first mentioned, the commencing point, containing two hundred and thirty-six acres (236 acres) more or less, and known as section 30, parish unnamed, county of Mornington.

SECTION 31 A.

Bounded on the west by a road one chain wide, bearing north 40 chains, forming a part of the eastern boundary of section 29; on the north by a line bearing east 79 chains, being a continuation of the southern boundary line of sections 17 B and 28 B; on the east by a line bearing south 40 chains; and on the south by a line bearing west 79 chains, containing 316 acres more or less, and known as section 31 A, parish unnamed, county of Mornington.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1854.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS HUSTLER, of Sandhurst, in the District of Bendigo, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate Grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*," praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto him for the exclusive privilege of making, using, and applying, in the Colony of Victoria, "A Machine or Engine for the purpose of crushing quartz and all other auriferous rocks by means of stampers," of which machine a specification and drawings have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the granting to the said THOMAS HUSTLER of such Letters Patent, or Instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office, within two calendar months from and after this twelfth day of December, a statement in writing, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant, subscribed with his name and address.

J. MOORE,

Assistant Colonial Secretary and
Officer for Patents.

K.13,692.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1854.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that JACOB BRACHE, of Collins-street west, Melbourne, Civil Engineer, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate Grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*," praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto him

for the exclusive privilege of making, using and applying, in the Colony of Victoria, a machine for searching in alluvial and other deposits to ascertain their auriferous qualities, and also to be used in geological surveys; capable of being worked by hand, or by horse or steam power; of which machine a specification and drawings have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the granting to the said JACOB BRACHE of such Letters Patent, or Instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office, within two calendar months, from and after this third day of November, a statement in writing, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant, subscribed with his name and address.

J. MOORE,

Assistant Colonial Secretary, and
Officer for Patents.

12118.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th November, 1854.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD POTTS, of Mount Alexander, in the Colony of Victoria, gold-digger, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*," praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto the said EDWARD POTTS and JOSEPH SAYCE, of the Bank of New South Wales, for the exclusive privilege, in the Colony of Victoria, of making, using, and applying an invention being a machine and apparatus for pulverizing and amalgamating auriferous and argentiferous ores, of which invention a specification, drawings and model have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the grant to the said EDWARD POTTS and JOSEPH SAYCE of such Letters Patent, or instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office within two calendar months from and after this seventh day of November, a statement in writing, subscribed with his proper name and address, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant.

J. MOORE,

Assistant Colonial Secretary and
Officer for Patents.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th September, 1854.

THREE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS THOMAS DREW and JOSEPH BEVIS were, on or about the 23rd day of August last, attacked, robbed, and wounded by three men near Bacchus Marsh, and the said THOMAS DREW has since died of his wounds: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £100 will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of any of the parties concerned. To an accomplice, by whose evidence the others shall be convicted, a free pardon will also be extended.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 4th November, 1854.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS a female infant, about a month old, was found exposed in the yard of St. John's School, at the corner of Elizabeth and La Trobe-streets, Melbourne, about Nine o'clock in the evening of Monday, the 30th of October: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Twenty-five pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information at the Detective Police Office, Swanston-street, Melbourne, as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the mother of the said infant.

By His Excellency's Command,
12142. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION.

The child was dressed in a long white frock, white cap, white flannel hood, and was wrapped in a blue and green checked shawl.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st November, 1854.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS on or about the 14th day of September last a Treasury Cheque on the Union Bank of Australia, dated 14th September, 1854, No. 55, C.B.J., in favor of H. C. Peters, or bearer, for the sum of £27 17s. 2d., signed "For the Colonial Treasurer, W. H. Hull," countersigned "A. H. Constable," was abstracted from a letter addressed to "H. C. Peters, Esquire, Clerk of the Peace, Heathcote," and presented for payment and cashed at the Union Bank, in Melbourne, about noon on Saturday, the 16th day of September last: Notice is hereby given that a reward of One Hundred Pounds will be paid to any person (not being the principal in the abstraction of the said cheque) who will give such information as shall lead to the discovery of the person by whom the said cheque was abstracted.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1854.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

DANIEL MURPHY having effected his escape from Beechworth Gaol on the morning of Saturday, the 7th October, a reward of £10 will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the said Daniel Murphy.

By His Excellency's Command,
11,520. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION.

The above-named *Daniel Murphy* is a native of Ireland, about 5 feet 7 inches in height, with black hair (which is rather short behind), complexion sallow and slightly freckled, face flat about the mouth, with rather prominent cheek bones, teeth small, and in the upper jaw three or four of the front teeth are rather wide apart, eyes grey and small, no whiskers, has been a soldier in the 24th Regiment, has a peculiar manner of speaking: sentenced to two years' imprisonment.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
23rd October, 1854.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS HUGH MUNRO was found in a dying state near the Flagstaff, Melbourne, on the morning of the 9th of September last, and stated that he had been beaten by a soldier on the previous night; and the said HUGH MUNRO has since died through the injuries inflicted on him: Notice is hereby given that a Reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offender.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1854.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS GEORGE WILLIAMS effected his escape from the gang belonging to the Marine Stockade employed on the streets of Williamstown, on Tuesday, the 17th instant: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Five pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the said GEORGE WILLIAMS.

By His Excellency's Command,
11762. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION.

George Williams, thirty-eight years of age, sallow complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, 5 feet, 2 inches in height, native place, Birmingham, trade, laborer. *Particular marks*—Large scar inside left elbow, several scars on right forefinger, and on the left thumb and little finger. Shipped to the Colony in the *Recovery*, in 1837, as a convict. *Offence*—rogue and vagabond. *Sentence*—Two years imprisonment. Date of conviction, 9th August, 1854, at Sandhurst. *Remarks*—Three times convicted in this Colony. Date of last discharge, 19th July, 1854.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 18th October, 1854.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

£50 REWARD.

WHEREAS two persons were stopped and robbed on the Plenty Road, about seven miles from Melbourne, between the hours of six and seven in the evening of Wednesday the 11th instant, by two men armed: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information at the Detective Office, Melbourne, as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offenders.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.

One man about 5 feet 10 inches in height, with long features, dark complexion, large whiskers, is supposed to be pockmarked, and wore moleskin trousers, a pea jacket, and blue cloth cap. He was armed with a double-barrelled gun and a pistol.

The other man low-sized (about 5 feet 6 inches), of stout build, wore a wide-awake hat, and was armed with a double-barrelled gun.

Property stolen.—£8 in notes and thirty shillings in coin.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th November, 1854.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

£100 REWARD.

WHEREAS LAZARUS BERLOWITZ, while proceeding along the Plenty Road, at about four o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, the 6th of November instant, was stopped and robbed by four armed men: Notice is hereby given that a reward of One hundred pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information to the Police as may lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offenders.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.13,122. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.

One man about 26 years of age, and about 5 feet 7 inches in height, pockpitted, and without whiskers, wore a blue shirt and straw hat

One man about 5 feet 5 inches in height, full faced, without whiskers, and wore a blue shirt and black wideawake hat.

The other two men were each about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches in height, and wore shooting coats and wideawake hats.

Property stolen.—A jewellery box containing four gold English lever watches, Nos. 16,704, 57,409, 89,005, 7,678, maker's name Dent, London; two chronometers, Nos. 56,959, 78,900, no maker's name; two lady's gold English $\frac{3}{4}$ plate lever watches, Nos. 25,174, and 3,456, maker's name Murray, London; two silver hunting watches, Nos. 78,006, and 10,088, maker's name Harrison, Liverpool; twenty-four silver watches, numbers not now known; ninety-two Colonial and other gold rings, eight gold chains, and seven Albert chains. Also a quantity of other property, consisting of brooches, earrings, gold and silver pencil-cases, gold and silver thimbles and bracelets; a revolving pistol, makers' names Dean and Adams, and £11 in cash. Estimated total loss, £700.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1854.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS EDWARD RYDER effected his escape from the Main Depot, at Pentridge, on the morning of Sunday, the 3rd of December, disguised in female clothing: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Five Pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the said EDWARD RYDER.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.13,556. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF EDWARD RYDER.

Twenty-three years of age, fresh complexion, black hair, grey eyes; height, five feet, four inches; native place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; trade, seaman; particular marks, scar over left eyebrow, wart between forefinger and thumb of the right hand, scar on forefinger of left hand and on fourth finger, scar under the cap of the left knee; ship to the Colony, *Maitland*, in 1846; offence, horse stealing; sentence, seven years on the roads; date of conviction, 20th December, 1853, at the Melbourne Sessions.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1854.

FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD FOR THE APPREHENSION OF FREDERICK VERN.

WHEREAS a man known by the name of Vern has unlawfully, rebelliously, and traitorously levied and arrayed armed men at Ballaarat, in the Colony of Victoria, with the view of making war against our Sovereign Lady the Queen: Notice is hereby given that whoever will give such information as may lead to the apprehension of the said Vern shall receive a Reward of £500, being the Reward offered by Sir Robert Nickle.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF VERN.

Tall, about 5 feet 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, long light hair hanging heavily on the side of his head, little whisker, a large flat face, eyes light grey or green and very wide asunder. Speaks with a strong foreign accent. A Hanoverian by birth, about 26 years of age.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23th November, 1854.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS a newly-born Female Infant was found on the morning of Sunday, the 26th day of November instant, wrapped up in some old rags and a black and white silk handkerchief, and deposited on a heap of rubbish in William-street, Melbourne, nearly opposite to the Exhibition Building: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £100 will be paid to any person who will give such information at the Detective Police Office, Swanston-street, Melbourne, as may lead to the apprehension of the Mother or other person who exposed the said Infant.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

REMARKS.

Shortly before the child was found a female was seen sitting on a stone close to the spot. She was pale faced, with dark hair, and wore a black silk gown, and white straw hat (bonnet?). She had a red shawl in her lap and something underneath it like a child.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 5th September, 1854.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS Thomas Byrnes effected his escape from the Richmond Stockade, on Wednesday, the 23rd of August last: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Five Pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the said Thomas Byrnes.

By His Excellency's Command,
H.9521. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THOMAS BYRNES.

Thirty-eight years of age, ruddy complexion, black hair, brown eyes; medium nose, mouth, and chin; height, five feet four inches; native place, Dublin; trade, laborer; particular marks, slightly pockmarked, scar or burn under left eye; ship to the Colony, *Planter*, in 1833; offence, stealing from the person; sentence, eighteen calendar months; date of conviction, 7th November, 1853, at Bourke General Sessions.

Audit Office,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1854.

WARRANTS for the Payments described in the accompanying Schedule (shewing the name of Claimant, Department, and nature of the service) have been passed to the Colonial Treasury during the week from the 4th to the 9th December, 1854, inclusive.

EDWARD GRIMES,
Auditor General.

Geo. Sutherland and Another, Powder Magazine, salary
A. Ferguson, Police, Medical attendance
R. S. Moody, Public Works, sign boards
Thomas Clarke, Administration of Justice, salary
Thomas Edwards, Administration of Justice, salary
R. A. Selwyn, Geological Surveyor, salary
R. Hoddle, Surveyor General, retired allowance
Porter, Thomson and Rees, Surveyor General, flooring boards
J. Douglass, Surveyor General, materials
A. R. C. Selwyn, Geological Surveyor, allowance in lieu of equipment
A. R. C. Selwyn, Geological Surveyor, allowance in lieu of rations
A. R. C. Selwyn, Geological Surveyor, allowance in lieu of forage
National Board of Education, Monthly proportion of Grant
William Jennings, Coroner, horse shoeing
A. Ross, Public Works, travelling expenses
W. J. Hassel, Public Works, travelling expenses
H. B. Lane, Public Works, travelling expenses
E. Painter, Public Works, work at Toorak
J. McCallum, Public Works, cranes Geelong Jetty
Growden and Grenfell, Public Works, repairs and additions, Geelong
W. Gates, Public Works, repairs and additions, Geelong
T. Gubby, Public Works, repairs and additions
Bradshaw and Clarke, Public Works, examining shed, Williamstown
T. Simons, Education, school house
Mrs. Colville, Miscellaneous, refund
W. S. Urquhart, Miscellaneous, travelling expenses
John Stoker, Coroner, salary
Geo. Foster, Post Office, conveyance of mails
H. S. H. Moody, Military, furniture
T. Bell, Public Works, fittings, Supreme Court
D. Claney, Public Works, rent (2)
R. H. T. Moody, Public Works, repairs and additions
Sir Charles Hotham, Lieutenant Governor, salary
John Pearl, Colonial Secretary, engrossing, &c.
John Lysaght and others, Administration of Justice, salary
A. N. Wrixon, Administration of Justice, travelling expenses
A. N. Wrixon, Administration of Justice, Assessors' fees
Travers Adamson, Administration of Justice, travelling expenses (2)
John Geo. Forbes, Administration of Justice, travelling expenses (2)
H. S. Stawell, Administration of Justice, travelling expenses
H. F. Gurner, Administration of Justice, travelling expenses
J. Prendergast and Another, Crown Lands, salary
J. Bidwell, Crown Lands, salary
F. Harding, Surveyor General, stationery
W. N. Crawford, Surveyor General, travelling expenses
B. S. Homan, Crown Lands, commission on sale
John McLeod, Crown Lands, travelling expenses

Imprests.

W. H. Hull, Colonial Treasurer, remittance to Sydney
J. Feres and F. W. Johnson, Government Printer, wages
Claud Farie, Sheriff, contingencies
W. McCrea, Medical, salaries
F. Muspratt, Colonial Barrack Master, salaries
Edwd. Bell, Immigration, gratuities, &c.
Claud Farie, Sheriff, salary
H. F. Gurner, Administration of Justice, witnesses' expenses
H. Howlett, Coroner, salaries and contingencies
W. McCrea, Medical, contingencies
C. Pasley, Colonial Engineer, wages, &c.

No. 116.—DECEMBER 12TH, 1854.—4.

J. S. Griffin, Sub-Treasurer, Portland, general expenditure
L. McLachlan, Crown Lands, improvements on Crown lands
C. Ferguson, Chief Port and Harbor Master, repairs to *Anomya*
H. C. E. Childers, Collector of Customs, drawbacks, &c.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hobart Town, 24th November, 1854.

VAN DIEMEN'S LAND GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

No. 144.

THE Lieutenant Governor directs the publication, for general information, of the following directions prepared by the Port Officer, for entering Port Frederick, on the River Mersey, in Van Diemen's Land.

By His Excellency's Command,
W. CHAMP.

Directions for entering Port Frederick, on the River Mersey, in Van Diemen's Land.

When approaching from the westward or from the northward, vessels will first see the high land over the River Don—a high bluff, with cultivated land on the east side of it, with a patch of red earth to seaward.

The Mersey Bluff bears E.S.E. by compass from the Don $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles, a bold front, with deep water to within half a mile seaward.

To enter the River Mersey, keep the Don Bluff open of the Mersey Bluff half a mile, until you bring two white beacons on the western bank of the river in one. By keeping these beacons in one, the vessel will be taken to the eastward of the white buoy upon the shoal on the western end of the bar. A large tree, stripped of its branches and painted white, forms one of the beacons; the other, also painted white, is fixed upon sleepers on the bank of the river, near a smaller beacon with a pointer on it, which has been placed upon the Muscle Rock. When the vessel is near the latter, which must not be approached too near, she will, by keeping the west side of the river on board, go safe to her anchorage.

Vessels approaching from the eastward, after passing Port Sorell, will observe Wright's Island $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the westward of Port Sorell, and 4 miles to the eastward of the Mersey Bluff. This island has a dangerous reef, known as the "Horse Shoe Reef," extending a mile to the northward, upon which the sea breaks with great violence. Vessels must pass to the northward, giving them a good berth.

The Mersey is the first opening to the westward of Wright's Island, and may be known by the first bold headland to the westward after passing the Horse Shoe Reef; then steer for that bluff till you bring the two beforenamed beacons in one.

With westerly winds there is good anchorage in five fathoms with the Don Bluff just open of the Mersey Bluff; the water shoaling from thence gradually to the bar, upon which at high water there is, average tides, 16 feet of water. High water at full and change, half-past 11. Rise and fall, spring tides, from 10 to 12 feet.

GEO. KING,
Port Officer.

November, 1854.

Custom House,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1854.

CUSTOM HOUSE SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless within One Month from this date payment is made of the Rent due upon the Goods specified in the Schedule herewith annexed, warehoused in the Bonded Warehouse known as "NICHOLSON'S," the said Goods will be sold, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 17, sec. 16, at the said Warehouse, on Friday, the 12th January, 1855, at One o'clock P.M.

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS,
Collector of Customs.

NICHOLSON'S BONDED WAREHOUSE.

Date of Entry.	Date of Warehousing.	Ship.	Master.	Whence.	Merchant Warehousing.	Packages.	Description.	Marks.	Numbers.	Total Quantity.
1853.										
Oct. 18	Oct. 25	William Miskin	Noel	London	Heynemann, West & Co.	kegs	tobacco	VB in hf. cir.	1, 2	2 kegs tobacco
" 18	Oct. 25	William Miskin	Noel	London	Heynemann, West & Co.	box	tobacco	same brand	3	1 box tobacco
" 21	Nov. 16	Adm. J. Everts	Kuyper	Liverpool	Marshall, Kirk & Co.	hlds.	Geneva	VV in hf. cir.	1 to 10	10 hlds. Geneva
" 27	" 12	Euphrates	Barrow	Liverpool	P. Rawlinson	cases	cigars	XB in hf. cir.	1 to 4	4 cases cigars
Nov. 1	" 16	Euphrates	Barrow	Liverpool	T. Cooper & Co.	cases	Geneva	2A in hf. cir.	...	89 & 1 ull. cases Geneva
Oct. 21	" 16	Northumberland	Gill	London	John Orr & Co.	cases	Geneva	VQ in hf. cir.	1	98 cases Geneva
" 3	" 16	Northumberland	Gill	London	John Orr & Co.	cases	brandy	same brand	2	1 case brandy
Nov. 4	" 19	Viola	Shuckleford	New York	Elliot & Co.	cases	tobacco	ZW in hf. cir.	44, 56 to 79, 81 to 97	42 cases tobacco
" 4	" 19	Viola	Shuckleford	New York	Elliot & Co.	cases	snuff	same brand	47 to 53	7 cases snuff
" 5	" 25	Kangaroo	Pickering	London	James Henty	boxes	tobacco	in circle	6 to 9	4 boxes tobacco
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	brandy	in circle	...	14 cases brandy
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	wine	same brand	1	6 cases brandy
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	wine	same brand	2	18 & 1 ull. cases brandy
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	wine	same brand	3	6 & 1 ull. cases wine
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	tobacco	same brand	37	1 case tobacco
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	bottled wine	same brand	1 to 9	9 casks bottled wine
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	bottled wine	same brand	10	1 cask bottled wine
" 5	" 16	Julia	Zeygelir	London	T. Vasey	cases	whisky	same brand	20 to 22	3 barrels whisky
Oct. 28	" 26	Tarolinta	Griffin	New York	Rogers, Winfield & Co.	barrels	gin	XL in hf. cir.	24 to 41	18 octave pipes gin
" 28	" 26	Tarolinta	Griffin	New York	Rogers, Winfield & Co.	pipes	brandy	same brand	36, 41 to 43, 58	5 octave pipes brandy
" 28	" 26	Tarolinta	Griffin	New York	Rogers, Winfield & Co.	cases	wine	XM in hf. cir.	2, 3	2 casks wine
" 28	" 26	Tarolinta	Griffin	New York	Rogers, Winfield & Co.	4 pipes	wine	same brand	68 to 71	4 4 pipes wine
Nov. 14	" 28	Duquay Tronito	Bardie	Bourbon	Wm. Beyfus	casks	brandy	in circle	31 to 51, 58 to 75, 82	40 casks brandy

Nov. 17	Nov. 22	Sea Ranger	Lowthrop	New York	Hursey, Bond & Hale	cases	cigars	$\frac{c}{j}$ in circle	1 to 4	4 cases cigars
Oct. 28	"	Tarolinta	Griffin	New York	Rogers & Co.	cases	cigars	XM in hf. cir.	11 to 16	6 cases cigars
Nov. 26	Dec. 5	Desdemona	Simo	London	John Orr & Co.	kog	tobacco	$\frac{1}{1}$ in circle	1	1 keg tobacco
"	"	Dumaris	Chapman	Liverpool	McFarlane, Bogle & Co.	hhd.	brandy	$\frac{1}{s}$ in circle	8	1 hhd. brandy
"	"	Waterlily	Philips	Colombo	James Henty	packages	cheroots	$\frac{c}{n}$ in circle	1 to 4	4 packages cheroots
"	"	Courseur	Wilson	Bombay	McKindoe, Taylor & Co.	case	tobacco	$\frac{d}{n}$ in circle	210	1 case tobacco
"	"	Courseur	Wilson	Bombay	McKindoe, Taylor & Co.	boxes	cigars	same brand	317 to 333	17 boxes cigars
"	"	Enna	Kelly	Sydney	J. Rennie	cases	cigars	$\frac{1}{v}$ in circle	3 to 5	3 cases cigars
"	"	Gil Blas	Cowper	Adelaide	Wallen & Sons	hlds.	wine	$\frac{a}{n}$ in circle	30 to 31	2 hlds. wine
"	"	Gil Blas	Cowper	Adelaide	Wallen & Sons	hhd.	gin	$\frac{d}{n}$ in circle	37	1 hhd. gin
"	"	Gil Blas	Cowper	Adelaide	Wallen & Sons	case	cigars	same brand	31	1 case cigars
"	"	Gil Blas	Cowper	Adelaide	Wallen & Sons	$\frac{1}{4}$ casks	brandy	same brand	40, 41	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ casks brandy
"	"	Gil Blas	Cowper	Adelaide	Wallen & Sons	punchn.	whisky	$\frac{1}{v}$ in circle	1, 2	2 punchns. whisky
"	"	Courseur	Wilson	Cochin	McKindoe, Taylor & Co.	cases	cigars	$\frac{d}{n}$ in circle	1 to 7	7 cases cigars
"	"	Andromeda	Bent	Dundee	W. J. Boyd	cases	Geneva	$\frac{n}{n}$ in circle	1 to 9	9 cases Geneva
"	"	Helena	Cave	New York	Falconer & Co.	pipes	brandy	$\frac{n}{n}$ in circle	9 to 14	6 $\frac{1}{2}$ pipes brandy
"	"	Helena	Cave	New York	Falconer & Co.	$\frac{1}{4}$ casks	brandy	same brand	15 to 24	10 $\frac{1}{4}$ casks brandy
"	"	Norma	Rowley	New York	H. A. Smith & Co.	cases	tobacco	$\frac{d}{n}$ in circle	...	50 cases tobacco
"	"	Padang	...	London	P. Aylwin	cases	gin	$\frac{a}{c}$ in circle	2	10 cases gin
"	"	Padang	...	London	P. Aylwin	cases	Geneva	same brand	3	2 cases Geneva
"	"	Sea Ranger	Lowthrop	New York	Rogers & Co.	cases	tobacco	$\frac{n}{n}$ in circle	2, 4	2 cases tobacco
Dec. 7	"	Alexander	Burrow	Mauritius	McMicking & Co.	cases	brandy	$\frac{n}{n}$ in circle	1	10 cases brandy
"	"	Norna	MacAllan	Glasgow	Dennistoun Brothers	hlds.	Geneva	$\frac{n}{q}$ in circle	1 to 15	15 hlds. Geneva
"	"	Henry IV.	Numbin	Bourbon	W. Beyfus	cases	tobacco	$\frac{n}{n}$ in circle	1, 2	2 cases cigars

NICHOLSON'S BOND.—Continued.

Date of Entry.	Date of Warehousing.	Ship.	Master.	Whence.	Merchant Warehousing.	Packages.	Description.	Marks.	Number.	Total Quantity.
1853.	1853.									
Dec. 9	Dec. 28	Henry IV. ...	Mumblin ...	Bourbon ...	W. Beyfus	cases ...	brandy ...	$\frac{M}{N}$ in circle ...	7	10 cases brandy
" 24	" 28	Henry IV. ...	Mumblin ...	Bourbon ...	J. Furney	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{S}{N}$ in circle ...	1 to 8	8 cases cigars
" 12	" 29	Aberfoyle ...	Huddard ...	London ...	Broadfoot Brothers	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{S}{N}$ in circle ...	1 to 10	10 cases cigars
" 12	" 30	William & Jane	Hunter ...	Liverpool ...	D. Moore	$\frac{1}{2}$ tierces	tobacco ...	$\frac{N}{T}$ in circle ...	7, 8	2 half tierces tobacco
" 22	" 31	Lady Franklyn	Smith ...	New York ...	Rogers & Co.	barrels	brandy ...	$\frac{S}{C}$ in circle ...	76 to 80, 85 to 99	20 barrels brandy
" 22	" 31	Lady Franklyn	Smith ...	New York ...	Rogers & Co.	barrels	rum ...	same brand	18 to 19, 25, 26	4 barrels rum
" 21	1854.	Oriental ...	Duggan ...	London ...	Aylwin & Jobson	cases ...	gin ...	$\frac{N}{R}$ in circle ...	...	29 & 1 ullage case gin
" 13	" 7	Ocean Wave ...	Marrion ...	Cape Town ...	Bright Brothers	keg ...	tobacco ...	$\frac{P}{A}$ in circle ...	8	1 keg tobacco
" 17	" 9	Blackheath ...	Powell ...	Cape Town ...	E. Evans	cases ...	brandy ...	$\frac{Q}{N}$ in circle ...	...	117 & 1 u. c. brandy
" 29	" 9	Ontario ...	Dow ...	London ...	J. B. Were, Kent & Co.	hhd. ...	brandy ...	$\frac{V}{D}$ in circle ...	1	1 hhd. brandy
" 29	" 9	Ontario ...	Dow ...	London ...	J. B. Were, Kent & Co.	qr. cask	brandy ...	same brand	2	1 qr. cask brandy
" 9	1853.	Henry IV. ...	Mumblin ...	Bourbon ...	W. Beyfus	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{M}{T}$ in circle ...	136 to 141	6 cases cigars
" 9	1854.	Launceston ...	Betts ...	London ...	Wymond & Varly	cases ...	brandy ...	$\frac{L}{S}$ in circle ...	...	78 & 1 ull. c. brandy
" 9	" 14	Launceston ...	Betts ...	London ...	Wymond & Varly	cases ...	brandy ...	same brand	1	45 & 1 ull. c. brandy
" 9	" 14	Launceston ...	Betts ...	London ...	Wymond & Varly	case ...	tobacco ...	same brand	1	1 case tobacco
" 11	" 16	Septima ...	Toole ...	Bombay ...	J. B. Were, Kent & Co.	casks ...	arrack ...	$\frac{A}{U}$ in diamond	1 to 4	4 casks arrack
" 31	" 23	Macedon ...	Taylor ...	Calcutta ...	J. S. Andrews	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{V}{N}$ in circle ...	1, 2	2 cases cigars
" 23	" 19	Ocean Wave ...	Marrion ...	Cape Town ...	Bright Brothers	keg ...	tobacco ...	$\frac{S}{T}$ in circle ...	2	1 keg tobacco
Jan. 12	" 24	Paradise ...	Patterson ...	Adelaide ...	McLachlan & Gorton	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{P}{V}$ in diamond	1 to 5	5 cases cigars

	12	"	24	Paradise	Patterson	Adelaide	McLachlan & Gorton	robin	coffee	same brand	2	1 robin coffee
"	4	"	24	Belee	Forsyth	Cape Town	James Henty	kegs	brandy	W in circle	...	20 kegs brandy
"	4	"	24	Belee	Forsyth	Cape Town	James Henty	kegs	brandy	same brand	1	50 kegs brandy
"	4	"	24	Belee	Forsyth	Cape Town	James Henty	kegs	brandy	same brand	2	48 kegs brandy
"	4	"	24	Belee	Forsyth	Cape Town	James Henty	hhds	brandy	same brand	1 to 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 12	10 hhds. brandy
"	10	"	23	Lily	Touloure	Bordeaux	Bellet Freres	cases	brandy	Z in circle	2	40 cases brandy
"	10	"	23	Lily	Touloure	Bordeaux	Bellet Freres	cases	brandy	same brand	3	243 & 1 ull. c. brandy
"	14	"	23	Gulnare	Copeland	Liverpool	Wm. Dunn	cases	brandy	G in diamond	...	130 cases brandy
"	12	"	28	Maria Soames	Davis	London	J. Brown & Co.	cases	brandy	H in diamond	...	145 & 1 ull. c. brandy
Dec. 24	"	"	30	Ratcliff	Long	London	E. Phillipson	cases	brandy	S in diamond	1	339 cases brandy
Jan. 23	"	"	8	Omega	Batten	London	J. Davis	cases	geneva	H in diamond	...	248 cases geneva
"	9	"	3	Eleutheria	Smith	Glasgow	Reed, Dickson & Co.	boxes	tobacco	Z in circle	114, 115, 118	3 boxes tobacco
"	9	"	3	Eleutheria	Smith	Glasgow	Reed, Dickson & Co.	1 tierce	tobacco	same brand	220	1 1/2 tierce tobacco
"	18	"	13	Moorsfoot	Comhurst	Liverpool	Droughes Jarvis	boxes	tobacco	G in diamond	1, 2	2 boxes tobacco
Feb. 1	"	"	18	Primogenet	Keroozore	Bordeaux	Espion & Co.	cases	brandy	N in diamond	1	43 & 1 ull. c. brandy
Jan. 27	"	"	14	Hopo	Dewar	London	E. Westby & Co.	cases	spirits	K in diamond	2	11 cases spirits
"	30	"	16	Gen. Van de Bosch	Parlerbert	London	Link & Bentson	kegs	tobacco	M in diamond	11, 14, 15, 42	4 kegs tobacco
Feb. 2	"	"	18	Orestes	Ceyzer	London	Astin & Co.	hhds.	wine	N in diamond	5 to 7	3 hhds. wine
"	2	"	18	Orestes	Ceyzer	London	Astin & Co.	1 casks	wine	same brand	8 to 10	3 qr. casks wine
Dec. 31	"	"	24	Oriental	Heard	Boston	Kidston, Harvey & Co.	kegs	tobacco	V in diamond	76 to 95	20 kegs tobacco
"	31	"	24	Oriental	Heard	Boston	Kidston, Harvey & Co.	cases	tobacco	same brand	96, 98, 105 to 107, 109, 111 to 113, 115 to 118	13 cases tobacco
Feb. 3	"	"	27	Presto	Gragher	Colombo	Wm. Nicholson	punchns.	rum	O in diamond	5, 6, 9 to 20	14 puncheons rum
"	14	"	23	Dorothea	Kolk	London	Brooks and McDougall	cases	gin	P in diamond	...	107 & 1 ull. cases gin
"	4	"	24	Good Success	Thomas	Cochin, Bombay	Mackindoe & Co.	cases	wine	P in diamond	1 over 1	20 cases wine
"	4	"	24	Good Success	Thomas	Cochin, Bombay	Mackindoe & Co.	cases	wine	same brand	...	8 cases wine

NICHOLSON'S BOND.—Continued.

Date of Entry.	Date of Warehousing.	Ship.	Master.	Whence.	Merchant.	Packages.	Description.	Mark.	Number.	Total Quantity.
1854.	1854.									
Feb. 4	Mar. 24	Good Success...	Thomas ...	Cochin, Bombay	Mackindoe and Co. ...	hhds. ...	brandy ...	$\frac{p}{x}$ in diamond	220	1 hhd. brandy
" 14	" 7	North Star ...	Cameron ...	Dundee ...	W. J. Boyd	cases ...	ginger wine	$\frac{t}{s}$ in diamond	...	4 cases ginger wine
" 14	" 7	North Star ...	Cameron ...	Dundee ...	W. J. Boyd	cases ...	wine ...	...	1	13 & 1 ull. cases wine
" 14	" 7	North Star ...	Cameron ...	Dundee ...	W. J. Boyd	cases ...	wine ...	...	2	5 cases wine
" 14	" 7	North Star ...	Cameron ...	Dundee ...	W. J. Boyd	cases ...	wine ...	...	5	18 & 1 ull. cases wine
" 14	" 7	North Star ...	Cameron ...	Dundee ...	W. J. Boyd	cases ...	wine ...	...	6	15 cases wine
" 14	" 8	Hong Kong ...	Harker ...	London ...	Dingle and Co.	cases ...	brandy ...	$\frac{t}{x}$ in diamond	...	30 cases brandy
Jan. 18	" 11	Madras ...	Parfitt ...	Singapore ...	D. A. Hughes	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{g}{x}$ in diamond	1 to 31	31 cases cigars
Mar. 4	" 20	Josephine ...	Godard ...	Mauritius ...	Bellet Freres	barrels	rum ...	$\frac{z}{x}$ in diamond	1 to 5	5 barrels rum
Dec. 24	April 5	Ratcliff ...	Long ...	London ...	E. Phillipson	cases ...	Geneva ...	$\frac{s}{y}$ in circle	...	260 cases Geneva
" 24	" 5	Ratcliff ...	Long ...	London ...	E. Phillipson	hhds. ...	gin ...	$\frac{s}{y}$ in circle	3 to 14	12 hhds. gin
" 24	" 5	Ratcliff ...	Long ...	London ...	E. Phillipson	cases ...	Geneva ...	$\frac{s}{y}$ in circle	3	41 cases Geneva
April 25	" 18	Atalanta ...	Wood ...	Liverpool ...	Begy and Co.	cases ...	brandy ...	$\frac{A}{113}$	...	90 & 1 ull. c. brandy
" 25	" 26	Borderer ...	Alexander	Calcutta ...	H. P. Sawell	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{B}{102}$	1 to 17	17 cases cigars
" 29	May 26	Indian Queen	Mills ...	Liverpool ...	W. Barker	cases ...	cigars ...	$\frac{B}{121}$	1 to 5	5 cases cigars
" 29	" 26	Indian Queen	Mills ...	Liverpool ...	W. Barker	cases ...	Geneva ...	$\frac{D}{121}$	1 to 5	36 & 1 ull. c. Geneva

VICTORIA STEAM NAVIGATION BOARD.
16 VICT., No. 25.

To the Owners and Masters of Steam Vessels trading to or from, or plying in any Port, Harbor, Creek, or River, in the Colony of Victoria.

NOTICE is hereby given that under the fifth clause of the above cited Act the owner of every steam vessel employed as stated is bound to have the vessel, and the whole of her machinery, surveyed by the engineer and shipwright surveyors appointed for that purpose by the Victoria Steam Navigation Board, in the manner and at the times following:—

Low Pressure.—Vessel and machinery—June and December.

High Pressure—Vessel—June and December.
Machinery—March, June, September, and December.

The declarations of the surveyors having been obtained, the owner is to transmit them within fourteen days after the date thereof to the Secretary of the Board, addressed to the Custom House, Melbourne. A penalty of £5 is fixed by the Act for every day that the sending of any such declaration is delayed beyond fourteen days.

Engineer Surveyor appointed by Board—
MR. THOMAS OULTRAM, Williamstown.

Shipwright Surveyor appointed by Board—
MR. CHARLES CHESSELL, Melbourne.

By Order of the Board,
JOHN J. SHILLINGLAW,
Secretary.

Water Police Guardship,
Hobson's Bay, 29th November, 1854.

MORANG POUND.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Act, 4 William IV., No. 3, the magistrates have appointed

MR. JOSEPH HUTCHINSON

to be Poundkeeper at the above Pound, in place of Mr. Malachi Foley, resigned.

(By Order of the Bench)

EDWARD BATHURST,
Clerk of the Bench.

Waringall, 5th December, 1854.

Chief Medical Officer's Office,
Lonsdale-street west, 29th November, 1854.
VACCINATION.

PERSONS desirous of being appointed Public Vaccinators in the various districts of the Colony are requested to send their applications, in writing, if by post, prepaid, to the Chief Medical Officer, Melbourne.

Candidates must be legally qualified Medical Practitioners, possessing the Certificate of the Victoria Medical Board.

The fee for each successful case of vaccination will be 2s. 6d.

W. McCREA, M.D.,
Chief Medical Officer.

Courts.

THE holding of the undermentioned Courts has been duly notified in previous numbers to the *Gazette*, viz.:—

Supreme Court.

NISI PRIUS SITTINGS—Enlarged to Thursday, 14th December, 1854. (p. 2590.)

Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court.

MELBOURNE—On Friday, 15th December, at 10 A.M. (p. 2591.)

PORTLAND—On Wednesday, 20th December, at 10 A.M. (p. 2591.)

*In the Supreme Court of the }
Colony of Victoria. }*

In the Goods of WILLIAM NAIRN GRAY, late of Hamilton, Commissioner of Crown Lands, deceased, intestate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to a rule of this Honorable Court, all persons having claims on the Estate of the abovenamed deceased person are requested to come in and prove them, before me, at my Office, No. 28, William-street, in the City of Melbourne, on or before Saturday, the twenty-third day of December next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from all benefit accruing from the said Estate.

AUGUSTUS FARLEY,
Acting Registrar of the Supreme Court,
and Curator of Intestate Estates.

Supreme Court Registry,
Melbourne, 25th November, 1854.

Personal Information.

ROBERT MANN, formerly of Dunstable, in Bedfordshire, and last of Galt, in West Canada, aged about thirty-eight years, who sailed from New York to Australia about three years. Information respecting him is requested, on behalf of his mother, at the Office of the Colonial Secretary, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.13,635. JOHN FOSTER.

MR. WILLIAM IRWIN, formerly of Stratford, in Canada West, and now believed to be at Ballarat, is requested to apply at the Office of the Colonial Secretary, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.13,635. JOHN FOSTER.

HENRY LORAIN and JAMES POPPLEWELL, late of Newcastle upon Tyne. Information respecting the above (the former of whom arrived in this Colony as mate of the *Mary Clarke*, and was last heard of about two years ago, at the Goulburn Gold Diggings, and the latter arrived about two years ago), will be received on behalf of their relatives, at the Secretary's Department, General Post Office, Melbourne, where communications are requested to be addressed.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.13,694. JOHN FOSTER.

GEORGE KINGSLEY, formerly of Biggleswade, in Bedfordshire, aged 20, who came to this Colony by the *Isabella Watson*, in 1852, and is reported to have died at the Ovens on 13th March, 1853. Information respecting any property left by him is requested, on behalf of his family, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.13,607. JOHN FOSTER.

MR. JOHN VINCENT, of North Wales, England, about twenty-nine years of age, who sailed from Liverpool in the *Edmond* in 1850, and was last heard of in Melbourne. Intelligence respecting him is requested on behalf of his family, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne; or at the Office of the Inspector of Police, Swanston-street, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
11850. JOHN FOSTER.

WILLIAM REID NICOLL, formerly of Dundee, N.B., and reported to have died on 28th December, 1852, at Lake Colac, aged about twenty-three. Intelligence respecting any property or will left by him is requested at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
11729. JOHN FOSTER.

MR. HENRY RUMSEY TURNER, son of Mrs. Turner, of Leamington, Warwickshire, about 20 years of age, who sailed from England for Adelaide, in March, 1850, and was last heard of at the Bendigo Gold Fields, in June, 1852. Intelligence respecting him is requested on behalf of his family, to be communicated at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
H.10,230. JOHN FOSTER.

ANGUS MACDONALD, formerly of Ardnachurchan, Argyleshire, seaman on board the *Culdee*, of Glasgow, in 1851, reported to have been killed through an accident at Ballarat, on 1st November, 1852, age about 27 at the time of his death. Messrs. DUNCAN McDUGGAL, and JAMES HENDERSON, or any persons possessing information relative to property left by the deceased, are requested to communicate the same at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.12640. JOHN FOSTER.

JOHN DIXON, from Northumberland, or any party acquainted with him, is requested to forward his address to the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

JAMES KELLY, about 40 years of age, and a native of Limerick, Ireland, which place he left about seven years ago. He left Sydney about two years since to go to the Gold Fields, and is believed to have died in Melbourne. Intelligence respecting him is requested, on behalf of his family, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, or at the office of the Inspector of Police, Swanston-street, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
J12,159 JOHN FOSTER.

ALEXANDER S MURRAY and **ROBERT F. MURRAY**, from Nova Scotia, who arrived in this Colony by the ship *Fanny*, from Boston, U.S., early in the year 1853, are requested to communicate their present address to the Secretary of the General Post Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
11543. JOHN FOSTER.

MR. JOSEPH JOHN GOODHART, son of C. F. Goodhart, Esq., of Langley Lodge, Walkerville, South Australia, last heard of at Bendigo. Intelligence respecting him is requested on behalf of his family, to be communicated at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
G.9856. JOHN FOSTER.

WILLIAM S. PATRICK, about 17 years of age, formerly of Warwick-square, Kensington, London, who sailed from England in January, 1853. He proceeded to the Ballarat Gold Fields in company with four young men (brothers) of the name of "TEMPLE," at the end of 1853, and was last heard of in January, 1854. Mr. Patrick, or any party acquainted with him, is requested to communicate with CAPT. FYANS, Geelong, who is in possession of information of much importance to him.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.12.616. JOHN FOSTER.

GEORGE FELIX DAVIES, passenger by the *Washington Irving* in 1852, last heard of five months since on the Forest Creek Gold Fields, supposed to have gone to Simpson's Ranges or Avoca. Information respecting him is requested on behalf of his family, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

JOSEPH WILLIAM HALES, a member of the Mounted Police Force at Ballarat, in 1853, will hear of something to his advantage by applying to the Inspector of Police, at Ballarat.

By His Excellency's Command,
9737. JOHN FOSTER.

RICHARD KERR, who sailed from the Clyde in the ship *Aberfoyle*, on the 24th August, 1852. Information respecting him is requested at the Immigration Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.12151 JOHN FOSTER.

WILLIAM POOLE, known by the name of "Old Derby," about 52 years of age, formerly of Finden, in Derbyshire, laborer, who left Derby in April, 1829, and sailed from England in the ship *Manless the Second*. He lodged at Mr. Croft's, Queen-street, Melbourne, and is reported to have died in January, 1854. Intelligence respecting any property left by him is requested at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.12.647. JOHN FOSTER.

HENRY CARROLL, formerly of Watling-street, Dublin, boot and shoe maker, who sailed from Kingstown, near Dublin, in the ship *Royal Admiral*, in October, 1834, and was last heard of in Melbourne, in 1843. Intelligence respecting him is requested on behalf of ROSANNA READ, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
K.12.648. JOHN FOSTER.

AGNES AND HELEN LAURIE, who arrived in Portland Bay about the middle of October last, in the ship *Indian Ocean*, are requested to communicate their address to the Colonial Secretary, Melbourne, or to their brother **JAMES LAURIE**, care of Mr. Robertson, settler, Campaspe River.

By His Excellency's Command,
J.13444. **JOHN FOSTER.**

SANITARY STATION.

SALE OF CONDEMNED STORES.

THE undermentioned condemned Stores will be sold by auction at the Sanitary Station, on Monday, the 1st January next, at Twelve o'clock.

	Cwt.	qrs.	lbs.	
6 Casks Oatmeal, wt. gross	9	3	0	heated and
	tare	1	0	8 [musty
	net	8	2	12

3 Casks Oatmeal, wt. gross	4	0	16	heated and
	tare	0	2	4 (sour
	net	3	2	12

37 Boxes Raisins, lbs. 1204	13½	ozs. fermented
10 Bags Biscuit ...	lbs. 779½	mouldy
4 Jars Pickles ...	galls. 16	heated

K.13508. **W. McCREA, M.D.,**
Chief Medical Officer.

Custom House,
Melbourne, 11th November, 1854.
THE accompanying Notice has been received in this Department from the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses.

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

NORTHERN LIGHTHOUSES.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

North Unst, Shetland—Temporary Lighthouse.

The Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses hereby give notice that, with the view to a permanent light being ultimately established in the same locality, a temporary Lighthouse tower has been erected off the North End of the Island of Unst, in Shetland, and that the Light will be exhibited therefrom for the first time on the night of Wednesday, 11th October, 1854, and every night thereafter, from the going away of day-light in the evening till the return of daylight in the morning.

The following is a specification of the Light-house, and the appearance of the Light, by **MR. DAVID STEVENSON**, Engineer to the Commissioners:—

The Temporary Lighthouse is erected on Muckle Flugga, being one of the group of rocks called the Burra Fiord Holms, which lie off the headland of Hermaness, being the northern extremity of the Island of Unst. The Lighthouse is in N. Lat. 60° 51' 20", and W. Long. 0° 53' 3".

The small rock called the "Out Stack," which is the most northern rock of the Shetland Isles, bears from the Lighthouse about E. b. N. ½ N. by compass, and is distant about half a nautic mile.

No. 116.—DECEMBER 12TH, 1854.—6.

The North Unst Light will be known to mariners as a fixed light, of the natural color. It is elevated about 165 feet above the level of high-water of ordinary spring tides, and may be seen at the distance of about 19 nautic miles, and at lesser distances according to the state of the atmosphere.

The Commissioners further give notice, that by Order in Council, dated the 3rd day of July last, the following Tolls are authorised to be levied in respect of the said Lighthouse, viz.:—

For every vessel belonging to the United Kingdom (the same not belonging to Her Majesty, her heirs or successors, nor being navigated wholly in ballast), and for every foreign vessel privileged to enter the ports of the United Kingdom upon paying the same duties of tonnage as are payable by British vessels which may pass or derive benefit from the Light, the Toll of Two-sixteenths of a Penny per Ton of the burthen of every such Vessel for every time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom, if on a Coasting Voyage.

For each time of passing or deriving benefit on an Oversea Voyage, One penny per Ton for every such Vessel.

For every Foreign Vessel not navigated wholly in ballast, and not privileged in manner before specified, double the respective Tolls above set forth.

Which Tolls are liable to the following abatements on payment:—For a Coasting Voyage, Ten per cent., for an Oversea Voyage, Twenty-five per cent.

By Order of the Board,
(Signed) **ALEX. CUNINGHAM,**
Secretary.

Northern Lighthouse Office,
Edinburgh, 20th September, 1854.

Tenders.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th November, 1854.

NEW POST OFFICE, GEELONG.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 9th January, 1855, for the erection of a New Post Office at Geelong.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Colonial Engineer's Office, Melbourne, or at the Clerk of Works' Office, Geelong.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for New Post Office, Geelong," and addressed, prepaid, to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

No Tender will be entertained unless accompanied by the names of two responsible parties willing to enter into a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The decision of the Government will be made known on 23rd January, 1855.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1854.

SUPPLY OF MEDICINES FOR THE COLONIAL SERVICE.

TENDERS will be received until Friday, the 22nd instant, at noon, from persons willing to contract for the Supply of Medicines for the Colonial Service during the year 1855.

All the articles must be of the best quality, and the cost of all packages, bottles, pots, &c., will be included in the price agreed upon.

The lowest Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for the Supply of Medicines," and to be deposited in the Tender Box, at the Audit Office, Lonsdale-street Melbourne.

Further particulars may be ascertained on application to the Chief Medical Officer, in Lonsdale-street west, Melbourne.

The decision of the Government will be made known on 28th December.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th November, 1854.

NEW CUSTOM HOUSE, GEELONG.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 9th January, 1855, for the erection of a new Custom House at Geelong.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Colonial Engineer's Office, Melbourne, or at the Clerk of Works' Office, Geelong.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for New Custom House, Geelong," and addressed (prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

No Tender will be entertained unless accompanied by the names of two responsible parties willing to enter into a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The decision of the Government will be made known on 23rd January, 1855.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1854.

RATIONS FOR THE MILITARY MOUNTED ESCORT.

TENDERS will be received up to Twelve o'clock of Wednesday, the 20th December, for the supply of Rations to the Military Escort at Gisborne for twelve calendar months, commencing 1st January, 1855, according to the following scale:—

No. 2.

To all officers and men, to whom rations are allowed:—

Flour, 1 lb.
Meat (fresh), 1 lb.
Sugar, 4 oz.
Tea, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Tobacco $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Vegetables, 8 oz.
Candles (composition), 1 lb. to each officer per week, and to every four men 1 candle (tallow) per night

Or in lieu thereof, if preferred:—

Best wheaten bread, 24 oz.
Meat (fresh) 1 lb.
Sugar, 4 oz.
Tea, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Vegetables, 8 oz.
Candles (composition), 1 lb. to each officer per week, and 1 candle (tallow) to every four men per night.

The Forms of Conditions and all other information relating thereto can be obtained upon application at the Civil Commissariat's Office, Great Bourke-street west.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Rations for the Military Mounted Escort," and addressed, prepaid, to the Civil Commissary General, or deposited in the Tender Box, at the Civil Commissariat's Office, Great Bourke-street west.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 26th December.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th November, 1854.

ERECTION OF SUPREME COURT HOUSE, GEELONG.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 9th January, 1855, for the erection of a Supreme Court House, Geelong.

Plans and specification may be seen at the Colonial Engineer's Office, Melbourne, and at the Office of the Clerk of Works, Geelong.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for the erection of Supreme Court House, Geelong," and addressed, prepaid, to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

No Tender will be entertained unless accompanied by the names of two responsible parties willing to enter into a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The decision of the Government will be made known on 23rd January, 1855.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

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Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th December, 1854.

WASHING BARRACK BEDDING.

TENDERS for washing the Barrack Bedding in use of the troops in this place, from the 1st January to 31st December, 1855, will be received at the Barrack Office (opposite the Barracks, 40th Regiment), at or before Twelve o'clock of Thursday, the 21st instant, viz.:—

Bed cases
Bolster cases
Blankets
Rugs
Sheets
Pillow cases
Towels
Night Caps
Gowns
Trousers
Waistcoats

Also for repairing the above when required.

The contractor will be required to remove the dirty articles and deliver the clean ones either at the Barrack Store, or Immigrants' Barracks, South Yarra, at his own expense.

The description of articles required to be washed or repaired can be seen on application at the Barrack Master's Office, where all information required will be given.

Two securities in the sum of £150 each will be required for the due performance of the contract, and also against loss by fire or otherwise.

Payment for this service will be made quarterly.

The Tender to contain the name of the Tenderer and the sureties, with their place of residence, at full length.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 26th instant.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

SEWERAGE AND WATER COMMISSION, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS addressed to the President of this Commission, will be received at this Office until Eleven o'clock of Friday, 5th January, 1855, for the construction of about 25 chains lineal of the Main Sewer of Melbourne, according to plans and specification, which may be seen at the Office of the Commissioners' Engineer, at the Town Hall, Melbourne.

For the information of parties at a distance, it is notified that this contract will comprise upwards of 100,000 cubic feet of masonry, and that it is No. 1 contract of a series which will extend to about 85 chains in length.

JOHN LANKTREE,
Secretary.

Secretary's Office, Town Hall,
3rd November, 1854.

NOTICE.

ADVERTISEMENTS forwarded by Poundkeepers and others, intended for insertion in the "VICTORIA GOVERNMENT GAZETTE," must be sent under cover Post paid, addressed to the Government Printer.

Advertisements will be charged for at the following rates, viz.:—One shilling for each of the first six lines and sixpence for every additional line above six.

The GOVERNMENT GAZETTE is published on TUESDAY and FRIDAY in each week, and Notices for insertion must be received by the Government Printer, at or before Ten o'clock of the day preceding the day of publication.

* * All Advertisements intended for publication in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE must be paid for prior to insertion.

Private Advertisements.

TENDERS FOR FENCING.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Twelve o'clock of Saturday, the twenty-third day of December instant, for grubbing and fencing in ten acres of land for the Yan Yean Cemetery. The fence is to be of stringy bark, with two rails, the posts of which must be seven feet high and the rails nine feet long.

The trees and stumps must be grubbed, the timber burnt, and the holes filled in in a proper manner.

By Order of the Trustees,
GEORGE SHERWEN.

Yan Yean,
4th December, 1854.

GEELONG AND MELBOURNE RAILWAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Council incorporating this Company, the second half-yearly General Meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Company, at the Railway Terminus, Geelong, on Tuesday, the second day of January, 1855, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

And notice is also hereby given that immediately after the disposal of the business of the said General Meeting, a Special General Meeting of the said Company will be held for the election of a Director thereof in the room of Samuel John Cooke, Esquire, resigned.

(Signed) CHARLES N. THORNE,
President.

Geelong, 2nd December, 1854.

Holders of twenty shares or more are eligible as Directors. Gentlemen willing to serve, if elected, are requested to communicate with the Secretary on or before the 30th day of December instant.

(By Order) MARTIN SHOLL,
Secretary.

MELBOURNE AND HOBSON'S BAY RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the provisions of the Act of Council incorporating the Company, a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at their Office, in Flinders-street, on Saturday, 23rd December, at Twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of implementing the said Act, particularly section 30, by the appointment of four Directors in the place of Messrs. George Annand, John Goodman, A. F. A. Greeves, and George Winter, who have resigned. All holders of ten shares or more are eligible as Directors. Those gentlemen who are willing to serve, if elected, are requested to signify their intention to the Secretary on or before Wednesday, 20th instant. The retiring Directors eligible for re-election. The voting will close at Two P.M. The meeting will also have under consideration the propriety of leasing the line or applying for power to enable them to do so.

By Order of the Directors,
WILLIAM LAWRENCE,
Secretary.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, GEORGE GORDON DOUGLAS COUPER and RICHARD BOYER, of No. 106, Russell-street, in the City of Melbourne, drapers and outfitters, heretofore carrying on business under the firm of, "COUPER AND BOYER," was on the first day of December instant dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will for the future be carried on, and all the debts due and owing to or by the said partnership, are to be received and paid by the said RICHARD BOYER.

Dated this first day of December, 1854.

GEO. G. D. COUPER,
RICHARD BOYER.

Witness—

W. H. RIGBY,
Clerk to Mr. John Bell, solicitor,
97, Swanston-street.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE business formerly conducted by MESSRS. DONNOLLY and FAIRBAIRN, auctioneers, Geelong, will in future be carried on by MR. DONNOLLY, under the firm of "DONNOLLY AND FAIRBAIRN," MR. FAIRBAIRN having retired from the business by mutual consent. All accounts due to and by the above firm will be discharged and received by MR. DONNOLLY.

Geelong, 16th October, 1854.

P. J. DONNOLLY,
ROBT. W. FAIRBAIRN.

Witness—

D. GILLIES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THIS is to give notice that the partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, under the firm of "LINARD AND WHITE," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated the 28th November, 1854.

HENRY LINARD,
SILVANUS WHITE.

Witness—

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned under the style of "GOTTREUX AND WILSON," terminated on 1st August last, by mutual consent, and that all debts due to and by the said firm will be paid by MR. HENRY GOTTREUX.

HENRY GOTTREUX,
JAMES DARLING WILSON.

Witness—

H. FLOWER.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition will be presented and application made to the Honorable the Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, during the present session of the said Council, for leave to bring in a Bill to amend an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the said Colony, passed in the sixteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "An Act to amend an Act, intituled 'An Act to incorporate the proprietors of a certain Banking Company, called the Bank of New South Wales, and for other purposes therein mentioned,' by repealing certain provisions of the first mentioned Act, and by regulating the extent of the issue of the notes of the said Bank, and for other purposes therein contained.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

DUERDIN AND BRONCKHORST,
Solicitors for the said Company,
Collins-street, Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM RICHARD MILLS, of Geelong, in the Colony of Victoria, licensed victualler, hath, by an Indenture or Deed of Assignment, dated the second day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects unto WILLIAM STEPHEN, of Geelong aforesaid, merchant, and THOMAS BELL, of Geelong aforesaid, grocer, and WILLIAM HARDING, of the same place, merchant, and the sur-

vivor of them, and the heirs, executors, and administrators of such survivor, upon the trusts in the said Indenture contained, for the benefit of all the creditors of him the said WILLIAM RICHARD MILLS; and that the said Indenture of Assignment was duly executed by the said WILLIAM RICHARD MILLS, WILLIAM STEPHEN, THOMAS BELL, and WILLIAM HARDING, on the said second day of December instant, in the presence of and attested by ANDREW JAMES LEARMONTH, Justice of the Peace; and that the said Indenture of Assignment now is at the Office of MESSRS. WALLACE AND LANE, solicitors, Market-square, in the town of Geelong aforesaid, for the inspection and execution of the several creditors of the said WILLIAM RICHARD MILLS.

Dated this second day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. RICHD. MILLS,
WILLIAM STEPHEN,
THOMAS BELL,
WILLIAM HARDING.

Signed by the said WILLIAM
RICHARD MILLS, WIL-
LIAM STEPHEN, THOMAS
BELL, and WILLIAM
HARDING, in the presence of

A. J. LEARMONTH, Justice of the Peace.

In the Supreme Court of the } No. 4634.
Colony of Victoria.

AT LAW.

Between THE BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES,
Plaintiffs, and

GEORGE BELL GALLOWAY, Defendant.

WHEREAS an Action at Law has been commenced in this Honorable Court by the abovenamed BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES, against the abovenamed GEORGE BELL GALLOWAY, to recover the sum of One thousand and fifty pounds, being the amount of three several Bills of Exchange accepted by the defendant, and duly endorsed to and now held by the plaintiffs, one of such Bills being for the sum of Four hundred and fifty pounds, dated the seventeenth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and payable four months after date; one other of such Bills being for the sum of Three hundred pounds, dated the twentieth day of June, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and payable three months after date; and the remaining one of such Bills being for the sum of Three hundred pounds, and payable three months after date, and also interest on the said Bills from the time the same respectively became due: And it having been alleged that the said GEORGE BELL GALLOWAY does not reside within this Colony, a Writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued, returnable on the twenty-first day of December, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, wherein ALEXANDER WILLIAMSON HILL, ROBERT KENT, and HALL, are garnishees: Notice thereof is hereby given, and if at any time before final judgment in this Action the said GEORGE BELL GALLOWAY, or any person on his behalf, will give the security and notice, and file the appearance and plea required by law, the Attachment may be dissolved.

Dated this seventh day of December, in the year of Our Lord 1854.

DUERDIN AND BRONCKHORST,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
Colony of Victoria.

EDWARD DE CARLE,
v.

WILLIAM S. DURIE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold, under the above writ of *Fieri Facias*, by public auction, on Wednesday, 20th December next, at Twelve o'clock at noon, at the Supreme Court Hotel, La Trobe-street, Melbourne, all the right, title, and interest of the abovenamed defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land situated, lying, and being about two acres of land in the parish of Prahran, county of Bourke, Colony of Victoria, and Government section, No. 168 A, and buildings thereon, being a five-roomed brick house, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

Dated 23rd November, 1854.

W. H. McMILLAN,
Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
Colony of Victoria.

JOHN HOOD v. EDWARD BOYD ADAMS.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the above writ of *Fieri Facias*, the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Supreme Court Hotel, La Trobe-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 12th December next, at Twelve o'clock at noon, all the right, title and interest of the abovenamed defendant in and to three weather-boarded houses, together with quarter of an acre of land to each and on which they now stand, situate near the Grange Hotel, on the road from Brighton to Dandenong, near Irish Town, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

Dated 17th November, 1854.

W. H. McMILLAN,
Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
Colony of Victoria.

JAMES KINDER,
v.

THOMAS THRELFALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the above writ of *Fieri Facias*, the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, on Wednesday, 20th December next, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, at the Walmer Castle Hotel, Prahran, on the Dandenong Road, all the right, title, and interest of the abovenamed defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in the parish of Windsor, having a frontage of forty-one feet to Peel-street, and eighty-one feet to St. David-street, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

Dated 24th November, 1854.

W. H. McMILLAN,
Sheriff's Officer.

No. 115.—DECEMBER 12TH, 1854.—7.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

POUNDKEEPERS, auctioneers and others are cautioned not to sell a dark bay horse, sixteen hands high, branded A on off shoulder, black points with the hair cut off, long tail. Was stolen on 11th October, 1854, near Five Mile Creek and Jeffrey's Dairy Station.

£10 reward if strayed, and £50 on conviction of the thief or thieves will be paid if stolen. Any person bringing the said horse to the undersigned will receive the above reward.

FRANCIS LUKEY.

Napier-street, Collingwood.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Sydney Road, Brunswick, 21st November, 1854, a dark bay horse, with black points, switch tail, branded JB conjoined on off shoulder. A reward of £5 if strayed, and £10 if stolen, will be paid on conviction of the thief, on application to MR. PENGLASSE, No. 16, Lonsdale-street west, or MR. IVEY, Cornish Arms, Brunswick.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed on the night of the 21st October, a bay horse, branded CM near shoulder, GW cut in the hair off shoulder.

Apply to F. HULL, Carisbrook; or J. LOVE, Brunswick-street, Melbourne.

5th December, 1854.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN from MR. WILLIAM MCCLELLAND'S, King Parrot Creek, on 13th September, 1854, a black mare, stripe down the face, hind feet white, branded JF near shoulder, C off JC shoulder, draught breed.

A reward of £15 will be paid on delivery of the mare to MR. JAMES WATSON, salesman, Great Bourke-street, Melbourne, and £50 on conviction of the thief.

LOST, stolen or strayed

1 large brindle bullock, white back, branded DUNN near ribs, QML (the ML conjoined) off shoulder, F in circle off ribs

1 large red poley bullock, same brand

1 yellow and white bullock, branded DUNN near ribs, AM off shoulder, HL conjoined near neck

1 small bull stag, black with white back and tail, branded M near rump, SW both horns.

Address MR. SAMUEL DUNN, storekeeper, Daisy Hill, P.O., Burn Bank.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed from near Pike's Water Holes, about 20th November last, a black draught mare, branded M near shoulder, S on each cheek, with star on forehead; also, a black draught mare, branded O near shoulder, with a large scar above the tail. £5 reward will be given for information that will lead to their recovery.

GEO. P. GREENSHIELDS,
Near Epping Hotel.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS
AND OTHERS.

STOLEN from Bacchus Marsh, on 23rd June,
a bay horse, branded TA near shoulder,
IN

RD off shoulder, face and two hind legs white.
£10 will be paid on conviction of the thief;
£5 for information that will lead to the recovery
of the horse, on application at Watson's (late
Kirk's) Bazaar, Great Bourke-street, Melbourne,
or to ROBERT DENHOLM, Ballan.

ROBT. DENHOLM.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS AND
OTHERS.

LOST stolen or strayed from near the Public
Pound, Gisborne, on or about the 1st and
10th November.

1 roan mare, IT near saddle, RF off saddle, Z
near shoulder, 2 near jaw, 2 off shoulder, blaze
on face, bang tail

1 chesnut mare, P near shoulder, 2 near shoulder

and thigh, JH off shoulder, switch tail
Stolen from Mr. Ross Watts' Paddock, Gisborne,
on the night of 27th November, 1854.

1 grey mare, HO near shoulder, HO off neck,
switch tail

1 light grey mare, RE conjoined (the R re-
versed) near shoulder, W off shoulder, 2 near
cheek and off shoulder

Five pounds reward for each horse will be
given for such information as may lead to their
recovery, and ten pounds per head on conviction
of the thief or thieves.

JAMES MCGILCHRIST ROBERTSON,
Poundkeeper.

Impoundings.

IMPOUNDED at Gisborne, 7th December,
1854, from Clarke's Survey.

1 red sided bullock, cock horns, white back and
belly, C near ribs, JS off rump

1 yellow heifer, cock horns, JB conjoined near
ribs and rump

1 strawberry bullock, cock horns, near horn
drooped, HD conjoined off rump, W near rump,

J near shoulder, E near ribs, notch off ear

JS

JS

1 yellow bullock, cock horns, heart off ribs and
rump, HA conjoined near ribs, blotch near
rump, top off near ear

1 red sided bullock, white back, cock horns, near
ear quartered, X near shoulder, SM off ribs

1 red bullock, white flanks, cock horns, near horn
broken, diamond with C under near ribs

1 yellowish roan stag, ON off ribs, TT near horn,
TB back of near shoulder, whip marked

1 yellow bullock, cock horns, Z near ribs, IB
near rump

1 black bullock, hoop horns, like L near back,
GP off ribs, WH in circle off rump

1 brown and white spotted bullock, cock horns,
L near ribs, C over illegible brand like near
5

shoulder, slit near ear

1 black bullock, cock horns, top off near horn,
KK off ribs

E

1 white steer, straight horns, MC near ribs, slit
off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act
of Council.

JAMES MCGILCHRIST ROBERTSON,
23s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at South Geelong, 6th Decem-
ber, 1854.

1 brown mare, collar and saddle marked, black
points, short tail, small white spots over eyes
and elsewhere, sore back, short broken knees,
blotch brand off neck like C, 2 near shoulder,
like S reversed

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
5th January, 1855, will be sold according to Act
of Council.

W. F. B. BOHUN,
9s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Warrandyte, Anderson's
Creek, by Mr. James Hussey, of Elgar's
Survey.—Damages 6s. 6d. each.

1 cream colored pony mare, black points, saddle
and collar marked, shod all round, branded R
near neck

1 black mare, saddle and collar marked, branded
GU near shoulder, like MC near neck, JH off
shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act
of Council.

JOHN JAMES.
10s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Wangaratta, 1st December,
1854.—Trepas and driving 3s. each on the
horses.

1 brown mare, saddle marked, IT near ribs, TT
like OC ST
near shoulder, I near hip, JC off shoulder,

brown filly foal at foot

1 bay colt, little white on near hind foot, BY
near 28 off shoulders

1 cream colored filly, no visible brand

1 black colt, near hip down, SB near shoulder

1 brown horse, star, EP near shoulder, 53 off neck
DB

1 black yearling colt, off hind foot white, EL
off shoulder

1 black filly, white hind fetlocks, no visible brand

1 red bullock, CHE (the HE conjoined) near
shoulder, 9 near rump

1 brindle and white bullock, WR off rump, 3 off
ribs, † off loin

1 black bullock, star, same brands

1 brindle and white bullock, snail horns, same
brands

1 black bullock, white on back, same brands

1 black cow, white on back, 55 off ribs

1 red cow, strawberry face and back, Q off ribs,
J near ribs, red and white bull calf at foot

1 brindle cow, off ear slit, HY off rump

1 red bullock, white on back, three legs of man
off ribs

1 strawberry cow, NC off thigh, red bull calf at
foot

- 1 yellow cow, white back, JW off shoulder
- 1 white cow, like WT near ribs
- 1 strawberry cow, NC off thigh, strawberry bull calf at foot
- 1 black bullock, anchor and S reversed over AR
2
off rump
- 1 old red worker, IJT off rump, M off ribs
- 1 red bullock, A near ribs, 5 off shoulder, like H
JW near shoulder
- 1 red bullock, PL in circle near rump, TSP off ribs
- 1 red and white bullock, large horns, I near ribs, blotch near rump, like spyglass off rump
- 1 strawberry bullock, down horns, off ear slit, A
5
off ribs
- 1 white bullock, red cheeks, off ear slit, A off ribs
5
- 1 red bullock, white spots on flanks, I I near ribs, JR near rump
7
- 1 strawberry bullock, like A in square near ribs, H † P off rump
- 1 brown and white bullock, piece off off ear, 2
BC
off rump
- 1 red bullock, S off rump, like I I off ribs
2
- 1 yellow bullock, white back, PH off ribs, H off shoulder
- 1 red cow, WR off rump, 3 off ribs, JP conjoined near ribs
- 1 red and white cow, same brands
- 1 red cow, same brands
- 1 red cow, white on back, same brands
- 1 yellow bullock, white on back, JW off ribs
2
- 1 brindle and white cow, T near ribs, † near RH
rump, JL off ribs, 6 off rump
- 1 red and white bullock, O off ribs
- 1 black bullock, snail horns, off ear marked, AR off rump
7
- 1 white cow, C off ribs
- 1 blue strawberry bullock, MAC off ribs, 22
F
(each in circle) off rump
- 1 strawberry bullock, JSJ off rump, 5 off ribs
- 1 red bullock, IJT off rump, M off ribs
- 1 black bullock, white back, like LL near horn, A near ribs, IB near rump
- 1 red cow, WR off rump, 3 off ribs
- 1 red and white bullock, both ears marked, like O near ribs, C off ribs, like C off rump
- 1 brindle bullock, like CY off rump
6
- 1 red and white steer, near ear slit, J and writing M conjoined off ribs, like R off shoulder
- 1 red bullock, 55 off ribs
- 1 red bullock, JR near rump
7
- 1 strawberry poley bullock, MC off ribs
- 1 red and white steer, near ear slit, J and writing M off ribs conjoined, like B off shoulder

On 4th December, 1854.

- 1 brown horse, star, off hind fetlock white, saddle marked, D near shoulder
- 1 bay horse, near hind fetlock white, tanned muzzle, SM near shoulder
- 1 brown filly, star, white hind fetlocks, R near shoulder
- 1 roan filly, streak down face, R near shoulder
- 1 cream colored entire colt, near hind fetlock white, R near shoulder—Damages £3.
- 1 grey mare, saddle marked, S near shoulder, MF
K off shoulder, shoes on
- 1 chesnut mare, streak down face, three white fetlocks, T near shoulder, bay horse foal at foot
- 1 roan horse, three shoes on, IS on both shoulders
- 1 chesnut filly, streak down face, white hind fetlocks, H near shoulder
- 1 black cob, star, short tail, top off off ear, illegible brand like J off shoulder
- 1 bay mare, star, little white on three fetlocks, like R off shoulder, like MC near shoulder
SJ

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JAMES BLAKE,

70s. 6d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Winchelsea, 30th November, 1854.

- 1 bay horse, branded 3M near shoulder, near hind fetlock white, bang tail, star
- 1 old chesnut mare, blind near eye, RA near shoulder, V off shoulder, white face, collar marked
- 1 bay horse, short tail, JM (the JM conjoined) B
near shoulder, X near side saddle, short tail, ringbone on fore leg
- 1 bay horse, A off shoulder, like UU conjoined near shoulder, switch tail, star
- 1 brown horse, switch tail, HA near shoulder, C
star in forehead

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 29th December, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

JAMES O'CONNOR,

14s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Elphinstone Pound, 5th December, 1854.

- 1 bay horse, near hind foot white, star on forehead, sore back, LR conjoined near shoulder, MK conjoined
WG
- P off saddle, gG off shoulder
- 1 black mare, long tail, IJ near shoulder
- 1 bay horse, star on forehead, black points, switch tail, sore back, TJ near shoulder, lame off hip
- 1 small bay rig, black points, blaze down face, HTF conjoined off shoulder
- On 8th December, 1854.
- 1 grey colt, near hind foot white, bang tail, P off shoulder, PT near shoulder
- 1 brindle sided bullock, white back and belly, snail horns, 4 off shoulder, like G-I off ribs, WE off rump, like S in circle near rump
TH (like)

- 1 white bullock, few yellow spots, G[∞] near horn, TN near rump, like HM off rump, off eye out
 1 red and white poley steer, off ear split, DT off ribs, rope and chain round neck

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 3rd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

J. T. PATTERSON,
 Poundkeeper.
 17s.6d.

IMPOUNDED at Pentridge, 6th December, 1854, by Mr. O'Herne.

- 1 strawberry heifer, GK near ribs
 1 brindle bullock, hoop horns, little white both sides and flanks, like [∞] near shoulder, illegible like GI near rump

On 9th December, by Mr. Gibb.

- 1 strawberry sided cow, illegible brand near ribs
 1 yellow brindle bullock, cock horns,)-(off rump, H off ribs

- H
 1 red and white spotted bullock, like)-(off rump, H off ribs

- 1 red cow, white belly, near ear slit, cock horns, like RC off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 5th January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

J. HEWITT,
 Poundkeeper.
 13s.

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus Marsh, 6th December, 1854.

- 1 red cow, VM near ribs, J near rump, 3 near thigh, [∞] near loin, M_X off ribs, JT off rump
 2

- 1 red bullock, a worker, L near and off rump, like X near ribs

- 1 blue strawberry sided bullock, down horns, [∞] off ribs, 4 off shoulder, JO off rump

- 1 light red cow, near ear notched, F near shoulder, 2 near rump, F off shoulder, like [∞] con-

joined off ribs, A off thigh

- 1 red and white spotted bullock, like XJ and two more indescribable letters near ribs

- 1 red and white spotted snaily bullock, J20 off ribs

- 1 dark red worker, JR off ribs, C off shoulder
 J

- 1 yellow bullock, piece out near ear, wide horns, 2 near neck, JR near rump, blotch near shoulder, P off shoulder

- 1 red cow, like [∞] off shoulder and rump, JA off ribs, like HA conjoined near ribs
 C2

- 1 white steer, tips of ears red, about three years, no visible brand

- 1 white yearling bull, no visible brand

- 1 red and white nobby steer, S off ribs

- 1 white bullock, red head and neck, piece out off ear, B in circle near loin, C off shoulder
 F

- 1 red sided cow, strawberry head and neck, DM off rump and thigh

- 1 strawberry cow, no visible brand

- 1 red heifer, white back and belly, no visible brand

- 1 ditto, ditto, ditto

- 1 red cow, white on belly and rump, I off ribs, indescribable brand off rump

- 1 red poley bullock, JD off rump, H off cheek

- 1 red bullock, white flanks, [∞] near neck

- 1 brindle bullock, hoop horns, DN off ribs, M off loin

- 1 red cow, B in circle off ribs, piece out off ear

- 1 red bullock, near horn broken, spyglass off rump, I near ribs

- 1 strawberry bullock, near horn broken, WIN off loin, like RL conjoined near rump

- 1 yellow cow, I off ribs, indescribable brand off rump

- 1 red bullock, white belly and rump, HT off rump, supposed D off thigh

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 31st December, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

R. PYKE,
 Poundkeeper.
 32s.6d.

IMPOUNDED at Elephant Bridge, 1st December, 1854, by Mr. Cameron, of Tranelan.

- 1 yellow cow, Q off rump, 1 near shoulder, calf

at foot

- 1 red steer, bald face, RB near rump

- 1 red and white steer, RB near rump

- 1 saddle backed steer, RB near rump, cut throat

- 1 red cow, cock horns, RB near rump, calf at foot

- 1 red and white snaily bullock, panican top of off ribs, like 49 off ribs, like JFM (the JF conjoined) off rump

- 1 white steer, red ears, JFM (the JF conjoined) off rump, 50 and panican brand off ribs

- 1 blue sided cow, CH off rump

- 1 red cow, like JT off rump

- 1 white strawberry cow, off ear cut off, CB off rump, C off hip

- 1 red cow, AA near ribs

- 1 red cow, no visible brand

- 1 dun colored bullock, DM near ribs, C near rump

- 1 poley strawberry cow, no visible brand

- 1 brown cow, CH off rump, [∞] off ribs, like SJ

under SC top off near ribs

- 1 brindle and white bullock, like 2 in circle near ribs, 2 near rump

- 1 red strawberry steer, like HN near rump

- 1 black bullock, G[∞] off rump, illegible brand near ribs

- 1 red and white steer, like A off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 3rd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

J. DENTON,
 Poundkeeper.
 22s.

NOTICE.

THE timor pony, advertised as branded R off shoulder, is branded TR conjoined off shoulder, PR on near fore foot.

J. DENTON,
 Poundkeeper.
 6s.

IMPOUNDED at Horsham, 4th December, 1854.

- 1 black horse, star on forehead, saddle and collar marked, TH near saddle, scar off shoulder, long tail, and very lame

- 1 black mare, blaze down face, W off shoulder,
 47

switch tail, both hind feet white

1 bay entire horse, black points, star on forehead, short switch tail, like M \odot near shoulder—Damages £5, by Allen Camble, Esq.

1 chesnut mare, small blaze down face, near hind foot white, long tail, EC off shoulder, TC near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

W. SEELEY,
Poundkeeper.
12s.6d.

IMPOUNDED at the Deep Creek, 4th December, 1854.

1 chesnut horse, blaze, near hind fetlock white, switch tail, saddle marked, Δ near shoulder

1 bay horse, small star, switch tail, saddle marked, white spots both shoulders, W over indistinct brands near shoulder, scar or other brand over Δ with crown brand under off shoulder

1 brown bullock, wide horns, GW off rump

1 brindle and white spotted bullock, notch off ear, like EK of rump

1 yellow sided bullock, wide horns, like P near shoulder, JL near rump, JM off rump (bell and hobbles)

1 yellow bullock, wide horns, both ears notched, WD near rump, Δ near thigh

1 red bullock, white on back, stag horns, like P and blotch brands near ribs, DR off rump, like horse shoe off ribs, R off shoulder

1 brown bullock, cock horns, RH or RN near ribs, tip off off ear, hobbled

1 slightly brindled bullock, cock horns, FT off ribs, P near shoulder, HM near ribs, \odot L near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

W. SMITH,
Poundkeeper.
18s.

NOTICE.

THE black horse (advertised 5th December), long tail, white hind fetlocks, \odot near

shoulder, illegible near neck, NP off, has the near hip down, and is branded L near shoulder
JC

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

W. SMITH,
Poundkeeper.
9s.

IMPOUNDED at Kyneton, Mount Macedon, 7th December, 1854, by — Govett, Esq.

1 dark bay entire horse, small star, little white off hind foot, P near shoulder

1 bay horse, black points, ∞ near shoulder

1 bay mare, star, 102 off neck, like writing JP conjoined off neck and shoulder, shod

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 2nd January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

S. WINDRIDGE,
Poundkeeper.
9s.6d.
No. 116.—DECEMBER 12TH, 1854—8.

IMPOUNDED at Gnarwarre, 4th December, 1854, by Mr. Trewin.—Damages 6d. per head.

1 red and white spotted bullock, TA off ribs, A off rump

1 light liver colored bullock, same brand

1 dark red bullock, wide horns, Roman nose, like JR conjoined near shoulder, and other brands

1 red heifer, white belly, like — off rump
H

On 7th December, by Mr. Haines.—Damages 6d. per head.

1 dark brown colt, off hind foot white, blaze down face, IM off shoulder

1 light bay mare, black points, saddle marked, ∇ and a blotch near shoulder, ∇ R conjoined off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 5th January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

J. H. RYLAND,
Poundkeeper.
15s.

IMPOUNDED at Avoca.

1 red bullock, with hobbles on, branded ∇ near shoulder, N near ribs, CN near thigh, 7 near rump, \dagger off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 1st January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

WM. R. COLE BAKER,
Poundkeeper.
8s.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, by Mr. Smith.

1 red cow, ∇ A conjoined near shoulder, J off
SA

rump, illegible brand off ribs

1 white bull stag, TT near horn, TB near ribs and rump

1 white cow, calf by side, TA off ribs and rump
By Mr. Devereux.

1 black bull, no brand

1 brindled cow, like JGL over broad arrow and U off ribs, 5 off shoulder

By I. Byrne.

1 red bull calf, no brand

1 red and white heifer calf, no brand

1 strawberry cow, like 86 near hip, PC off rump, S in circle off hip

1 black bullock, white stripe down back, appears triangle near ribs

1 yellow bullock, ∇ off rump, HO off ribs

1 brown pony horse, hog mane, MS near shoulder, small indescribable brand at top of the M

By Mr. Robertson.

1 chesnut horse, NM near shoulder, ∞ near
PC E

hip, ∇ C or DG off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 4th January, 1855, will be sold according to Act of Council.

IRWIN BYRNE,
Poundkeeper.
19s.6d.

IMPOUNDED at Bate's Ford, 5th December,
1854.

1 strawberry cow, cock horns, like WF off
rump

1 brown sided cow, white back, hoop horns, H off
rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before
1st January, 1855, will be sold according to Act
of Council.

HENRY A. ALEXANDER,

8s. 6d.

Poundkeeper.

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