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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF VICTORIA.

HIS Excellency the Officer administering the Government has directed it to be notified, for general information, that Writs have been returned to His Excellency certifying the return of the undermentioned gentlemen, to serve as Members of the Legislative Council of Victoria, for the several Electoral Provinces specified in connexion with their respective names, viz. :—

Central Province	{ John Hodgson. John Pascoe Fawkner. Henry Miller. John Hood. Nehemiah Guthridge.
South Province	{ Donald Kennedy. Thomas Herbert Power. William John Turner Clarke. Thomas McCombie. John Barter Bennett.
South-Western Province	{ James Ford Strachan. Robert Culbertson Hope. James Henty. William Roope. James Cowie.
Western Province	{ Stephen George Henty. Andrew Rose Cruikshank. Daniel Joseph Tierney. James Frederick Palmer. Charles Vaughan.
North-Western Province	{ John Allan. Dennis Patrick Keogh. George Urquhart. John Hunter Paterson. William Henry Fancourt Mitchell.
Eastern Province	{ Matthew Hervey. James Stewart. Robert Thompson. William Kaye. Benjamin Williams.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th November, 1856.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF VICTORIA.

HIS Excellency the Officer administering the Government has directed it to be notified for general information that writs have been returned to His Excellency, certifying the return of the undermentioned gentlemen to serve as members of the Legislative Assembly of Victoria for the several Electoral Districts specified in connexion with their respective names, viz. :—

Melbourne	{ David Moore. Archibald Michie. William Foster Stawell. John Thomas Smith. John O'Shanassy.
St. Kilda... ..	{ Frederick James Sargood. Thomas Howard Fellows.

Collingwood	{ George Harker. Thomas Embling.
South Melbourne	{ Andrew Clarke.
Richmond	{ George Samuel Evans. Daniel Stodhart Campbell.
Williamstown	{ John Leslie Vesey Fitzgerald Foster.
Brighton	{ Jonathan Binns Were.
Geelong	{ Alexander Fyfe. Charles Sladen. Charles Read. John Henry Brooke.
Portland	{ Hugh Culling Eardley Childers. Daniel Abraham Hughes.
Belfast	{ Francis Edis Beaver.
Warrnambool	{ George Samuel Wegge Horne.
Colac	{ Andrew Rutherford.
Kilmore	{ John O'Shanassy.
Kyneton Boroughs	{ George Walker Johnson.
Murray Boroughs	{ Francis Murphy.
Alberton	{ James Davis.
Castlemaine Boroughs ...	{ Alexander Stenson Palmer. Vincent Pyke.
Sandhurst Boroughs	{ James Macpherson Grant.
North Grant	{ John Basson Humfray.
North Grenville	{ Peter Lalor.
Ovens	{ Daniel Cameron.
Rodney	{ John Dunstan Baragwanath.
Loddon	{ John Downes Owens. Ebenezer Syme.
Talbot	{ Butler Cole Aspinall. David Blair.
East Bourke	{ Robert Dennett. Augustus Frederick Adolphus Greeves.
West Bourke	{ Patrick Phelan. Robert McDougall.
South Bourke	{ Charles Pasley. Patrick O'Brien.
South Grant	{ William Clark Haines. Horatio Spencer Wills. John Myles.
Evelyn and Mornington	{ William Acland Douglas Anderson.
Anglesey	{ Peter Snodgrass.
Dundas and Follett	{ Charles James Griffith.
Normauby	{ Edward Henty.
Villiers and Heytesbury	{ Charles Gavan Duffy. William Rutledge.
Polworth, Ripon, Hampden and South Grenville	{ Jeremiah George Ware. Colin Campbell.
The Murray	{ John Goodman. Travers Adamson.
Gipps' Land	{ John King.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

CROWN Lands have been proclaimed in previous numbers of the Gazette for sale at the undermentioned places and dates. Each sale will commence at Eleven o'clock a.m.

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By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 4th November, 1856.

CASTLEMAINE LAND SALE.—17th NOVEMBER, 1856.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the Government Gazette of the 14th October last, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Castlemaine on the 17th November instant: Notice is hereby given that the improvements on Town Lot 18 have been valued at £70, which amount, added to the upset price, must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 29th October, 1856.

CROWN LANDS WITHIN THE SETTLED DISTRICTS
REQUIRING PAYMENT OF RENT.

HIS Excellency Major-General Macarthur directs it to be notified for the information of all persons concerned, that in pursuance of the 22nd Clause of the Regulations of the 29th March, 1848, His Excellency has been pleased to approve of the claim which has been made by the party hereunder mentioned to the pre-emptive right to leases of the several portions of land referred to.

It is necessary that the rent, at the rate of Twenty shillings per section per annum, for the present quarter of a year, for the lands in question, be paid into the Treasury within one month from the present date, in default of which the leases of the lands will, in accordance with the 26th Clause of the Regulations, be put up to sale by auction.

Name.	Address.	No. of Lots.	Section.	Description.
John Carpenter	Alberton	1 640 2 640 3 640 4 640		Situated on the east of the Jack Rivulet, between the said rivulet and the land at present in the occupation of John Carpenter.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1856.

CROWN LANDS WITHIN THE SETTLED DISTRICTS
REQUIRING PAYMENT OF RENT.

HIS Excellency Major-General Macarthur directs it to be notified for the information of all persons concerned, that in pursuance of the 22nd Clause of the Regulations of the 29th March, 1848, His Excellency has been pleased to approve of the claim which has been made by the party hereunder mentioned to the pre-emptive right to a lease of the several portions of land referred to.

It is necessary that the rent, at the rate of Twenty shillings per section per annum for the present quarter of a year for the lands in question be paid into the Treasury within one month from the present date, in default of which the lease of the lands will, in accordance with the 26th Clause of the Regulations, be put up to sale by auction.

No.	Name.	Address.	No. of Lots.	Extent.	Description.
1	Charles John Denny	Melbourne	1 640		Commencing at a point 2 miles south of Point Haley, and bearing north-westerly 3 miles to the Settled District boundary line; thence along the said boundary to the coast, and by the coast to the commencing point.
2			2 640		
3			3 640		
4			4 640		
5			5 640		
6			6 640		
7			7 640		
8			8 640		
9			9 640		
10			10 640		
11			11 640		
12			12 640		

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1856.

CROWN LANDS WITHIN THE SETTLED DISTRICTS
REQUIRING PAYMENT OF RENT.

HIS Excellency Major-General Macarthur directs it to be notified for the information of all persons concerned, that in pursuance of the 22nd Clause of the Regulations of the 29th March, 1848, His Excellency has been pleased to approve of the claim which has been made by the party hereunder mentioned to the pre-emptive right to leases of the several portions of land referred to.

It is necessary that the rent, at the rate of twenty shillings per section per annum, for the present quarter of a year for the lands in question be paid into the Treasury within one month from the present date, in default of which the leases of the lands will, in accordance with the 26th Clause of the Regulations, be put up to sale by auction.

Name.	Address.	No. of Lots.	Section.	Description.
S. C. Johnson	Goulburn-street east, Sydney.	1 640 2 640 3 640		Three sections bearing immediately along the western shores of the Murrumbidgee Lake, and one section adjoining the above and situated on the coast.
S. C. Johnson	Goulburn-street east, Sydney.	1 640 2 640 3 640 4 640 5 640 6 640		Commencing at a point about N.W. from Gebo Island on the opposite coast, and running north 1 mile, west 4 miles, south 2 miles to the coast, and by the coast to the commencing point.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 4th November, 1856.

TITLE DEEDS.

THE Title Deeds specified below have been transmitted from this Office to the Treasury for delivery to the grantees on receipt of the established fees thereon.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

TOWN LOTS.

Deeds dated 13th October, 1856.

William T. B. J. Harris, 1r. 1p., Sandhurst
George Lock, 1r. 1p., Sandhurst
George Lock, 1r. 1p., Sandhurst
Harry J. Stedman, 1r. 1p., Sandhurst

COUNTRY LOTS.

Deeds dated 13th October, 1856.

John Smith, 91a. Or. 18p., Tarragal
Samuel J. Walker, 9a. 1r. 25p., Tooborac
Thomas Cale, 82a. Or. 25p., Tooborac
Gottlieb L. H. Blümner, 6a. 1r. Lockwood
Gottlieb L. H. Blümner, 6a. 1r., Lockwood
John Steel and John Reed, 38a. Or. 16p., Leichardt
Denis Byrne and John Burke, 26a. 2r. 33p., Eppalock
Patrick Burke, 42a. 1r. 4p., Eppalock
John T. Schleicher, 31a. 3r., Myrning
Charles Vaughan and Edward Wild, 81a., Seymour
Alexander Carnie and James Thomson, 285a. 2r., Seymour
Thomas C. Smith, 80a., Burrumbett
Matthew Newman and George Pilgrim, 27a. 3r. 12p., Shadforth
Donald Cameron, 107a. 2r. 30p., Drumborg
Thomas A. Duke and John Proctor, 80a., Beckworth
Thomas Robertson, 171a. 1r. 17p., Elmore
Thomas Robertson, 74a. 1r. 9p., Elmore
Thomas A. Duke and John Proctor, 80a., Beckworth
Thomas Robertson, 182a. 3r. 39p., Nolan
Thomas Robertson, 187a. Or. 26p., Nolan
Thomas Robertson, 99a. 1r. 33p., Nolan
Patrick Finn, 104a., Burtwarra
John Campbell, 40a. Or. 14p., Axedale
John Burke, 31a. 1r. 23p., Axedale
John Burke, 33a. Or. 26p., Axedale
John Burke, 29a. 1r. 24p., Axedale
Samuel Vaughan, 156a. 1r. 1p., Nalangil
Samuel Vaughan, 158a., Nalangil
James Maiden, 93a. 1r. 24p., Heathcote
James Maiden, 65a. 1r. 20p., Heathcote
James Maiden, 93a. 1r., Heathcote
Frederick G. Arkell, 320a., Bylands
Heinrich L. Holst, 117a. 3r. 20p., South Hamilton
William Jones, 156a., Mordialloc
Patrick Riley, 125a. Or. 11p., Mordialloc
Robert Cay, 66a. 3r. 32p., Tarnagulla
William Steel, 51a. 3r. 3p., Tarnagulla
Jane Adcock, 33a. 1r. 25p., Glenlyon
James Rosoman, 34a. 3r. 8p., Harcourt
Murdo McRae, 79a. 2r. 23p., Gheringhap
Mary Ryan, 48a. 2r., Wangaratta
David M. Williams, 107a. 2r. 33p., Cardigan
Edward A. Wynne, 80a., Cardigan
Edward A. Wynne, 80a., Cardigan
Cornelius S. Haley, 231a. 1r. 36p., Rochford
Cornelius S. Haley, 160a., Rochford
Cornelius S. Haley, 160a., Rochford
John O'Connor, 160a., Rochford
James Brown, 160a., Rochford
Cornelius S. Haley, 162a., Rochford
Cornelius S. Haley, 162a., Rochford
Mathew Fawcner, 320a., Rochford
Mathew Fawcner, 152a., Rochford
John Gordon, 160a., Rochford
William H. Stevens, 50a. 1r. 10p., Muckleford
Dugald McFarlane, 144a., North Hamilton
John Baker and James Wise, 140a. 1r. 24p., North Hamilton
William Morton, 240a., Nunawading
Hector McLean, 144a., North Hamilton
Mitchel Mackey, 57a. Or. 27p., South Hamilton
Terry Evans, 327a. 2r., Warrambino
George Church, 39a., Harcourt
Thomas Maher, 26a. 1r. 24p., Sandon
Joseph Rowe, 78a., Duned
Thomas Spowart, 75a. 3r. 20p., Duned
Joseph Rowe, 78a., Duned
Samuel MacMillan, 99a. 1r. 8p., Merton
Thomas Bennett, 37a. Or. 32p., Merton
David McCann, 80a., Cardigan
John Foster, 100a., Sale
John Foster, 100a., Sale
John Foster, 100a., Sale
John Catimole, 72a. 1r. 11p., Glenlyon
William Kidd, Alexander Kidd, Thomas Mole and Edward Potts, 63a. 1r. 19p., Glenlyon
Lawrence Dyer, 91a. Or. 19p., Glenlyon
Angus Cameron, 12a. 2r. 28p., Boromboram
Angus Cameron, 12a. 2r. 28p., Boromboram
William Sayers, 18a. 1r. 17p., Wyndham
Edward England, 4a. Or. 18p., Wyndham
James Williamson, 15a. 3r. 18p., Wyndham
James Ahern and William Sayers, 22a. 3r. 26p., Wyndham

James Ahern, 19a. 3r. 16p., Wyndham
James Ahern, 12a. 3r. 6p., Wyndham
Charles Beckett, 1a. 3r. 18p., Guildford
Alfred Hill, 24a. Or. 34p., Guildford
William J. Tricks and Frederick C. Tricks, 7a. 3r. 36p., Goornong
James Roberts, 80a., Concwarre
William Scott, 30a., Yarram Yarram
William Scott, 10a., Yarram Yarram
William Scott, 30a., Yarram Yarram
Robert Malseed, 95a. 2r. 10p., Tarragal
William Morton, 205a. 2r., Tylden
Richard Downie and Frederick Downie, 146a. 3r. 31p., Tylden
Thomas L. James, 192a. 1r. 23p., Tylden
Thomas L. James, 125a. 2r. 36p., Tylden
James Thomson, John Thomson, Lewis Thomson, William Thomson and Andrew Thomson, 149a. 1r. 33p., Tylden
Charles Stewart, 316a. 3r. 33p., Tylden
James Thomson, John Thomson, Lewis Thomson, William Thomson and Andrew Thomson, 164a. 2r. 20p., Tylden
Alexander Hardie, 159a., Tylden
Edward Ross, 161a. 3r. 24p., Tylden
Edward Ross, 161a. 1r., Tylden
Moses Watson, 31a. 1r. 5p., Tylden
Moses Watson, 57a. 3r. 4p., Tylden
Ranald McDonald, 234a., Tylden
Thomas Clowes, 96a. 1r. 37p., Tylden
Thomas Clowes, 95a. 3r. 5p., Tylden
Thomas Clowes, 239a. 3r. 35p., Tylden
John Glenn, 182a. 1r. 36p., Tylden
Ben Kenworthy, 133a. 3r. 24p., Tylden
John Goodfellow, 80a. 2r. 33p., Tylden
Robert Hovenden and John Murphy, 253a. 2r. 16p., Tylden
William Morton, 198a. Or. 13p., Tylden
Thomas Clayden, 127a. 1r. 8p., Tylden
Thomas L. James, 81a. 1r. 38p., Tylden
Thomas L. James, 239a. 1r. 9p., Tylden
Sampson McWatters, 40a. 3r. 5p., Strathfieldsaye
Jaems Magee, 20a. 3r. 20p., Shelbourne
James Stansfield, 25a. 3r. 20p., Shelbourne
James Stansfield, 26a. 1r. 19p., Shelbourne
Morris Samuel, 13a. 3r. 28p., Shelbourne
Addison Nicholl, 22a. 2r. 33p., Shelbourne
Morris Samuel, 43a. 2r. 7p., Shelbourne
Morris Samuel, 23a. 2r. 21p., Shelbourne
James Jones, 28a. 1r. 19p., Shelbourne
George Nevinson, 32a. 3r. 17p., Shelbourne
John T. Curry, 19a. Or. 22p., Shelbourne
James McDonald, 30a. Or. 3p., Shelbourne
Joseph Kilgour, 32a. 2r. 34p., Shelbourne
Samuel Brown, 26a. 3r. 34p., Shelbourne
George Nevinson, 52a. Or. 20p., Shelbourne
James Stansfield, 47a. 2r. 23p., Shelbourne
George W. Nicholas, 20a. Or. 36p., Shelbourne
Joseph Kilgour, 13a. 2r. 25p., Shelbourne
Joseph Gilgour, 24a. 3r. 30p., Shelbourne
Jane Adcock, 43a. 2r., Glenlyon

PORTLAND CIRCUIT DISTRICT.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Major-General MACARTHUR, the Senior Military Officer in Command of Her Majesty's Land Forces in the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date the 3rd day of November instant certain portions of the Colony were divided into and appointed as Circuit Court Districts, according to the limits and boundaries therein set forth: And whereas it is expedient to alter the said boundaries and limits so far as regards the Circuit Court District of Portland: Now therefore I, Major-General Macarthur, the Senior Military Officer and Officer administering the Government of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, by virtue of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby order and direct that the said Circuit Court District of Portland shall consist of the parts of Victoria comprehended within the following limits, instead of the limits published and proclaimed in the Proclamation hereinbefore recited, that is to say:—

CIRCUIT COURT DISTRICT OF PORTLAND.—Bounded on the north by a line bearing west from the southern shore of Lake Hindmarsh to the western frontier, and by that frontier to the sea; and thence east by the coast to the west boundary of the county of Villiers, by that boundary and the west boundary of the county of Ripon to the River Glenelg; thence north-west by that river to the most northerly point of the county of Dundas; thence by a northerly line to the Norton Creek, by that creek to the River Wimmera, and by that river to Lako Hindmarsh the commencing point aforesaid.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this sixth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and in the twentieth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.)

EDWARD MACARTHUR,
By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM F. STAWELL,
Attorney General.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

BALLAARAT CIRCUIT COURT SESSIONS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Major-General MACARTHUR, the Senior Military Officer in Command of Her Majesty's Land Forces in the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date the third day of November instant, it was ordered, directed and appointed, that a Court for the Circuit District of Ballaarat should be holden at Ballaarat. And whereas it is expedient to appoint a time for holding the said Court: Now therefore I, Major-General Macarthur, the Senior Military Officer and Officer administering the Government of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby direct and appoint that the aforesaid Court in the said Circuit District shall be holden at the Town of Ballaarat in the said District, on Friday, the twelfth day of December now next ensuing.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this fifth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and in the twentieth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) EDWARD MACARTHUR.
By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM F. STAWELL,
Attorney General.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Attorney General's Chambers,
Melbourne, 5th November, 1856.

SHERIFF OF BALLAARAT CIRCUIT DISTRICT.

His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ROGERS, Esquire,
to be Deputy Sheriff of and for the Circuit District of Ballaarat.
By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM F. STAWELL.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 6th November, 1856.

TRUSTEES OF THE LAND SET APART AT BEECHWORTH FOR CHURCH OF ENGLAND PURPOSES.

His Excellency Major-General Macarthur, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of

MELNETH HALL,
WILLIAM GORE BRETT,
EDWARD GRAVES MAYNE,
CHARLES KING, and
SAMUEL GEORGE HOGG

to be Trustees of the land at Beechworth set apart for the use of the Church of England, under the provisions of the Act 16 Victoria No. 28.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 31st October, 1856.

WILLIAMSTOWN MARKET.

His Excellency Major-General Macarthur, with the advice of the Executive Council, in accordance with the Act of Council 3 Victoria No. 19, has been pleased to approve of the establishment of a general Market in the town of Williamstown, in the county of Bourke, the site whereof is as follows, viz.:-

Bounded on the north-west by Parker-street, bearing north 67 degrees 41 minutes east 5 chains and 3 links; on the north by Cecil-street, bearing south 21 degrees 3 minutes east 3 chains and 80 links, and south 74 degrees 28 minutes east 5 chains and 56 links; on the east by Cole-street, bearing south 15 degrees 27 minutes west 5 chains and 4 links; and on the south by Hammer-street, bearing north 74 degrees 51 minutes west 8 chains and four links, and north 21 degrees 24 minutes west 6 chains and 30 links. And also that piece or portion of land the boundaries whereof are hereinafter described, that is to say :- Bounded on the north-west by Parker-street, bearing north 67 degrees 41 minutes east 6 chains and 67 links; on the east by Cole-street, bearing south 15 degrees 27 minutes west 5 chains and 85 links; and on the south by a reserve bearing north 55 degrees 44 minutes west 5 chains and 54 links.

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By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856.

SUSPECTED MURDER.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the Government that a certain New Zealander, whose name is supposed to be Peter, was engaged, together with a native of Manila, named John Simon, in a fight with one Thomas Moran, at Brown's Diggings, from the effects of which fight the said Thomas Moran subsequently died in last July; And whereas the said New Zealander was apprehended by the friends of the deceased

on or about the 16th of the same month of July, and is reported to have escaped from them on their way to the Police Station at Smyth's Creek, but not having been since seen it is suspected that he has been murdered: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Twenty-five pounds will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who murdered the said New Zealander.

It is hereby further notified that a reward of Ten pounds will be paid to any person for such information as will lead to the discovery of the said New Zealander if he is still alive.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

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Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th November, 1856.

CHILD EXPOSED.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS between Ten and Eleven o'clock on the night of Wednesday, the 29th of October last, a male child was found exposed in La Trobe-street west, Melbourne: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Twenty pounds will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who exposed the said child.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

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PARTICULARS.

A male child, apparently about six weeks old, wrapped up like a bundle in a blanket and Scotch plaid shawl. Several articles of clean clothing were also in the same bundle.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.
REGISTRAR GENERAL'S WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS OCCURRING IN MELBOURNE, THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS, DURING THE WEEK ENDING 1ST NOVEMBER, 1856.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brunswick ...	Joseph George	2	2	The reports from the Deputy Registrars represent their districts as continuing healthy. The increase of mortality over the average results from there having been 9 inquest cases in Melbourne, and 4 accidental deaths in Williamstown.
Boroondara ...	J. D. Braggo	4	...	
Collingwood ...	Samuel Allen	32	9	
Flemington ...	Joseph Paterson	4	...	
Melbourne ...	E. B. Arnold	45	21	
Prahran ...	John Tulloch	6	2	
Richmond ...	W. H. Lagoe	8	4	
Sandridge and } Emerald Hill }	Andrew Plummer	7	1	
St. Kilda ...	F. T. Van Hemert	6	1	
Williamstown...	Edmund Burke	11	5	
		125	45	

NORMAN CAMPBELL,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 6th November, 1856.

Office of Commissioner of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856.

SALE OF FERMENTED LIQUOR BY WHOLESALE IN THE COUNTY OF BOURKE.

His Excellency the Officer administering the Government has been pleased to declare that the county of Bourke (the boundaries of which are stated below) shall come within the operation of the third clause of the Act of Council 13 Victoria No. 29, so far as it amongst other things enacts, that nothing in the said Act contained shall extend to any person who (within a town or place declared by a notice in the Gazette to come within the operation of the third clause thereof) shall dispose of any quantity, not less than two gallons, of any fermented liquor containing a quantity of alcohol not exceeding twenty-five per centum.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES,
In the absence of Hugh C. E. Childers.

DESCRIPTION OF THE BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Bounded on the south-west and west by the Werribee River to its source in the great dividing range; on the north by the great dividing range from the source of the Werribee to that of the Plenty River; on the east by the Plenty River from its source to its confluence with the Yarra Yarra River, thence by the Yarra Yarra River upwards to the confluence with the Deep Creek, thence by the Deep Creek upwards to the point where the main stream commences to run in a north-west direction, thence by a line south two miles and fifty-eight chains from the aforesaid bend to Dandenong Creek, thence by that creek downwards to the Carrum Swamp; on the south by the Carrum Swamp and the Mordialloc Creek to its embouchure at the Long Beach below Ben Ben Gin; and on the remainder of the south by the shores of Port Phillip Bay to the mouth of the Werribee River aforesaid.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED

For what purpose Contract is required.	Number of Tenders offered and Names of Tenderers.	Particulars of each Tender.	Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Name for Approval.	Has the person recommended been a Contractor previously?	How did he fulfil his Contract.	General Remarks.
403. Works and Buildings	(6.) Nation and Lindsay, £139 14s.; Moore and O'Connor, £182; Chuck, £213 13s.; Bell, £254; Reynolds, Carr and Son, for part only	Supply of Furniture for various Government Departments Packing and delivery at out-stations	One hundred and thirty-nine pounds fourteen shillings (£139 14s.) Fifty pounds (£50)	Nation and Lindsay ...	No ...	... ..	Approved 6th November, 1856.—C. Pasley.
404. Ditto.—Ballaarat ...	(10.) Moody, £750, withdrawn; Jones, £810, withdrawn; Johns, £830; Watson, £830 10s.; Diggins and Co., £886; Francis, £992; Cameron, £1073; Smith, £1100; Oakey and Co., £1330; Elliot, £1400	Gold Office and Sub-Treasury, Ballaarat	Eight hundred and thirty pounds (£830)	James Johns ...	No ...	... ..	Approved ditto.
405. Roads. — Sydney Road	(6.) Grange, £3257; Bevan, £3291 13s. 4d.; Sutherland, £3375; Pettitt, £3490; Rigby, £3749; McDonald, £3812	To supply five thousand (5000) cubic yards of metal for the maintenance of the Sydney road, between the Union Hotel, South of Kilmore, and Green's	Three thousand two hundred and ninety-one pounds thirteen shillings and four pence (£3291 13s. 4d.)	James Bevan... ..	Yes ...	Satisfactorily, therefore preferred	Approved ditto.
406. Railway. — Melbourne and Mount Alexander	(6.) Chambers, £5210, for part only; Miller and McQuislan, £8010, for part only; Grant, £14,864; Morgan, £15,200; Garrett, £16,000; Williams, £16,360	Providing rolling stock of colonial manufacture for the Melbourne and Mount Alexander Railway	Fourteen thousand eight hundred and sixty-four pounds (£14,864)	William Grant ...	No ...	... ..	Approved 6th November, 1856.—(By Order) R. Woolley.

Melbourne, 6th November, 1856

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 4th November, 1856.

ST. KILDA MUNICIPALITY.

PETITION FOR ALTERATION OF BOUNDARIES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council, has directed the publication of the substance and prayer of a petition to His Excellency, as hereinafter set forth, signed by three hundred and one householders residing within the municipal district of St. Kilda, and in the portion of St. Kilda at present included within the limits of the city of Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

The petitioners state that the district of St. Kilda, without the city of Melbourne, was, by Proclamation bearing date the 23rd of April, 1855, constituted a municipal district by the name of the Municipality of St. Kilda.

That it has been found that the limits and boundaries of the said municipal district, as defined in the said Proclamation, are not suited for the successful establishment of a municipality therein, and it is desired that they may be altered so as to render them more suitable and at the same time to include the portion of St. Kilda at present comprised within the city of Melbourne, the majority of the householders resident in that locality desiring such inclusion.

And the petitioners pray as follows:—

"Your Excellency's petitioners therefore pray that Your Excellency will be pleased, with the advice of the Honorable the Executive Council, to vary and alter the limits and boundaries of the said municipal district, and to proclaim the limits and boundaries of the land described in the schedule marked A hereto annexed as the limits and boundaries of the municipal district constituting the Municipality of St. Kilda."

Schedule A above referred to.

"Commencing at the boundary post at Hobson's Bay where the boundary of the Municipality of Emerald Hill terminates; thence in an easterly direction following the boundary line of the said municipal district to its junction with the Brighton road; thence across the Brighton road through the centre of the High Holborn road to the centre of the Punt road; thence in a southerly direction along the centre of the same road to Wellington-street, or known as the Great Dandenong road; thence easterly along the centre of the Dandenong road to the north-east angle of allotment 154 B; thence south along the centre of a road unnamed to its junction with the Western Port road; thence in a line along the centre of the same road to the Glen Huntley road; thence westward along the centre of the same road to its junction with the Punt road; thence southerly along the centre of the same road to Hobson's Bay; thence northerly along the high water mark to the commencing point."

(Signed)

John Hood	Wm. Ray
A. Purchas	Thomas Loughhead
Richard Edwards	W. H. Johnson
H. Cooper	Archd. Martin
Richd. Fletcher	G. Sorkell
Edwd. Sydes	A. Stampe
A. E. Alexander	T. M. Harrington
John Evans, M.D.	T. Twislen Hodges
P. E. Matthews	J. L. Smith
William Hockin	Jas. Down
Bayley Rett	James Dowdall, jun.
James D. Hett	Salv Cleve
William Tucker, 4, Grey-street	Wm. Nenstetel
William Moody	C. Ormond
William Brown, Fitz Roy-street	D. Sutherland
H. W. Clements	R. Matheson
E. H. Phillips	John M. Fisher
William McCormick	J. Musson
R. Churchus	J. C. Passmore
Geo. A. Gordon	A. Wheatley
E. Meien	Thomas Dick
James Patterson, M.D.	Wm. Miller
J. Morris Thomas	Hugh Murphy
Francis Litch, Bay View	W. C. Biddle
J. S. Breen	Jos. M. Hall
W. D. Williams	James Hurst
Ch. Ph. Petler	Henry Burge
Wm. Perny	Burton Pynsent
W. H. Rigby, British Hotel	Henry Jennings
H. J. Clarke	Miss Robertson
Thos. Miller, Fitz Roy-street	Henry Smith
Edgar Wright, Fitz Roy-street	Geo. Urquhart
Alex. Dove	John Nugent
James Bunce	George Mansfield
James Keele	James Mooney
H. J. Langdon	William Mooney
Thomas G. James, Beath-road	John Mooney
Edward Steane Harley, Grey-street	Joshua Mooney
And. Hamilton	Thomas Gibson
Robt. H. McColl	Wm. Killick
E. T. Van Hemert, surgeon	Thos. Willoughby Winterton
Fred. Carter	F. Rees

John Rainer	George Gilmore
Michael O'Donoghue	Frederick Spicer
James Mannah	Fras. Jno Bligh
W. J. Buiman	Thomas Loader
G. Brice and Son	J. Matthews
Charles Davis	A. Schlostein
David Hamilton	P. G. Lihuro
William Hamilton	A. Abrahamson
Henry Tullott	A. King
David M. Watson	John Jordan
Edward Yardley	John Griffiths
William Francis	John G. Bates
M. Eddy, for H. Eddy	Andrew Bates
William Chapman	Michael Cannon
M. A. Williams	Chas. W. Barnes
C. Denham	W. Mawbey
A. Regnard	David Johnston
J. H. Taylor	Thomas Cotton
W. Train	Wm. S. Southwood
Walter Randall	Alexr. Bartholomew
Henry Mills	Nathl. Dismorr
Wm. Oliver	H. G. James
James McNicoll, surgeon, &c.	Thomas Feeley
Geo. Robertson	George Coombs
Henry Young	W. S. Gibbons
John Daly	George Coates
Alexander Leslie	John Weisford
Alexander Love	Wm. Broom
John Crate	J. G. Foxton
Charles White	James McCulloch
Jno. McDougall	James R. Hornby
John Alsop	Robert Sellar
L. H. Lepastrier	Archd. Michie
Wm. Wilks	H. T. Chapman
A. Mearn	B. Cowderoy
P. A. Noltenius	S. M. South
H. H. Leman	Alex. Fraser
Adelard Kruge	George Stephen
L. Wiedemann	Robert Caldwell
James Golding	John Trenchard
Sigism. Strakosch	James Anderson
W. B. Hatch	Geo. Nichols
John Walker	Edward Bancroft
M. J. Sugden	J. R. Mekik
J. Lec	J. Broadhurst Tootal
T. Thompson	J. Kidner
H. H. Denham	J. Hadley
J. Ealkins	T. J. Bavin
Sacvil Davis	Thos. C. Stanbrough
George Dunnet	Germain Nicholson
C. G. Bower	Edwin Fowler
J. White and Co.	H. C. Wordsworth
George Grubb	T. Testar
W. Bush	James Callender
Peter Martin	Ernest Carter
Charles Markes	Nelson Polak
S. Marshall	G. Wigg
S. D. Marshall	Alex. Smith
T. Nelson	Thos. Burland
J. Cox	H. W. Farrar
John McFinch, Church-street	W. Heales
A. F. Targett	Jno. R. Pascoe
G. Middleton	James R. Stephens
G. H. Gosbell	Hy. Eason Davis
H. T. Nicholls	C. M. Davies
Geo. Batty	Ed. Davics
Elworthy, Stooke and Co.	Walter Scott
Thos. Earle	Duncan McNaughton
Lumley and Macartney	Richard Hodggets
Thomas E. Lumley	Wm. Merritt
James Spargo	H. A. Bronckhorst
Thomas Young	C. A. Goslett
Edwd. Fisk	Josh. Gosletton
Willm. Arnott	Jno. Watson Carlton, Robe-street
Florence Gardiner	Thos. O'Connor
John Purcell	Jas. Macdonald
Alexander Rose	George Mills Robertson
Brabazon Purcell	H. Marks
W. R. Belcher	John Cross
Wm. C. Northcott	Wm. K. Musmain
Henry McCowen	M. A. Harte
William A. Wilkinson	James Webb Webb
R. Wharton	Wm. Bartlett
Alexr. Young	Geo. Orton Babbie
Thos. Coker	George Dimock
Thos. McCrosbie	T. Shields
E. G. Smith	E. Robins
John Dinwoodie	Alexander Currie
J. S. Dismorr	Jams. Haddy
Jno. Hadfield	H. Kefford
Thos. Wm. Beckwith	Thos. Allen
J. H. Taylor	William Broom
John Draper	James B. McLaren
John Buckley	Alexander Miller, Brighton-road
K. E. Brodribb	Rowland William May
W. C. Brodribb	Angus Anguson
Geo. S. W. Horne	John Anstey
L. Lepastrier	Henry Newell
D. D. Chambers	Jonah Colley

George Garrich, Carlisle-street
Joseph Parker, Fitz Roy-street
Wm. Henderson
George Watson
Andrew Sutherland
Winfield Attenborough
James Little
W. Kenyon
George Mansfield

P. Langwill
Richard Kefford
George Huddy
Henry F. Gurner
Henry Partlam
Ann Grant
M. P. Blundell
Frederick Hayley

CONEWARRE ROAD DISTRICT.

To William Henry Bonsey, Esq., J.P., Police Magistrate of the county of Grant in the Colony of Victoria.

SIR—We, the undersigned, being landowners and householders in the proclaimed Conewarre Road District, hereby request that you will convene a meeting of the landholders and householders in this district, for the purpose of forming a District Road Board for superintending, providing for, and completing the construction, repairs and maintenance of the roads in this district, and for carrying out therein the provisions of the Acts in that case made and provided.

Thos. Guthrie, landholder
W. H. Batten, landholder and householder
Elias Harding, landowner and householder
Alfred Douglass, landholder
Dond. Urquhart, landholder and householder
John Munro, landholder and householder
John Maclean, landholder and householder
John R. Bailey, landholder and householder
Hugh McKinnon, landholder
Samuel Baird, landholder

I hereby convene a public meeting accordingly, at the Breakwater Hotel, on Saturday, the 15th day of November next, at Three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

WILLIAM HENRY BONSEY,
Resident Magistrate.

Police Court, Geelong,
27th October, 1856.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

LOCAL COURT REGULATIONS.

CASTLEMARINE.

REGULATIONS made by the Local Court of the District of Castlemarine:—

i. *Repeal of former Regulations.*—As it is expedient that the mining rules and regulations of this gold field, passed from time to time by the Local Court, and assented to by the Governor, should be revised and consolidated, all rules and regulations therefore which at any time previous to the date hereof have been passed and assented to, shall be repealed, and the following substituted in lieu of them so soon as the repeal of the former and substitution of the present shall have been assented to by His Excellency the Officer administering the Government.

ii. *Interpretation of the word "claim."*—For the purpose of these regulations the word claim shall be understood to mean the portion of Crown land which each person or company shall be entitled to occupy, or to occupy and mine in, under any document, license, or lease, issued by authority; also that portion of land assigned to any person or persons by any Warden, or other competent officer, and which may be occupied by any dwelling-place or stable, with a reasonable amount of ground around them, or by any dam or waterhole, machine, private cart-road, drain, or as drainage ground for the supply of water to any engine, mill, or machine.

iii. *Extent of claim.*—The extent of claim to which each Miner's Right shall entitle the holder, shall be—

For one miner	...	12 feet by 12 feet
For two miners	...	12 " 24 "
For three miners	...	18 " 24 "
For four miners	...	24 " 24 "

beyond which no greater area (except as provided for by rules of the Local Court) will be granted, unless where it can be proved satisfactorily that two or more parties of miners, taking up claims in the usual manner on worked or flooded ground, can, by combining, overcome any natural difficulties which may exist, by means not detrimental to the interests of the public or other authorised miners. Such combination may be authorised under the distinct condition that the ground must be worked by the same number of miners as would be required were it divided into the smaller claims.

Any such combination of miners must be in possession of a written sanction from the Warden, to be produced when required.

iv. *Extent of claim on old workings.*—Old workings, that is ground partially worked and abandoned: first, when the sinking is under thirteen feet, the extent of the claim shall be twenty (20) feet by twenty (20) feet to each miner; secondly, when the working is thirteen (13) feet and upwards, requiring tail race or other expensive outlay, the extent of claim shall be thirty (30) feet by thirty (30) feet to each miner; third, when the ground is wet or flooded, of an average depth of twenty (20) feet at least, and the application of horse, water, or steam power is introduced for the effectual working of the same, forty (40) feet by forty (40) feet shall be allowed to each miner.

v. *Extent of claim for deep sinkings.*—The Local Court wishing to encourage miners in prospecting and working deep and hard hills, extends the claim of each miner to eighteen (18) feet square, provided the depth of sinking exceeds thirty-five (35) feet.

vi. *Working or clearing beds of creeks.*—Where the working or clearing of beds of creeks or water-holes would be no injury to the public, written permission may be granted to parties of miners to undertake the same.

The portion of such beds of creeks or water-holes allowed to each miner will be ten (10) yards in length, irrespective of the breadth.

Such conditions relative to the working of such beds of creeks and water-holes as the interest of the public may require will be imposed, and, if deemed expedient, a sum of money as a deposit may be taken from each miner to ensure the due performance of the same.

vii. *Sluice washing, &c.*—Sluice washing or other water privileges will be allowed only by special sanction, in order that care may be taken to guard against conferring the privilege in places where the permanent supply of water may be injured by the operation.

When a party of miners have received permission for sluice washing or other privilege, they may obtain a written sanction from the officer authorising it.

Such privileges will in all cases be subject to the rules of the Local Court of the District approved of by the Governor.

viii. *Applications.*—All applications for extended alluvial claims shall be made in writing to the Clerk of the Local Court; and prior to such application being entertained, the Warden or other duly authorised person shall inspect such ground, and report thereon to the court.

ix. *Extent of quartz claims.*—The extent of quartz claim for each miner shall be twenty (20) feet along the vein with the dip, to be limited to six men, beyond which no greater claim shall be allowed except by amalgamation of claims or leases.

x. *Amalgamation of quartz claims.*—Parties of miners holding adjoining quartz claims may combine for the purpose of expediting their work by the introduction of machinery. The areas of amalgamated claims shall in all cases be proportionate to the number of men holding miner's rights in such company.

In no case will amalgamated claims be permitted without a written sanction from the Warden.

xi. *Extent of quartz claim to be in proportion to men employed.* Except in cases otherwise provided for, the extent of claim shall be absolutely in proportion to the number of authorised miners then and there actually engaged on the claim, or employed in extracting the gold by any process from any stone, washing stuff, or other substance taken from his or their claim; provided that where any party of miners are only sinking or driving in search of gold, only one-half the number of men in proportion to the extent of claim shall be required to be working upon it; but immediately upon reaching stone, earth, or other substance containing gold, the total number of shareholders or laborers for whom ground is claimed must be employed on the ground as aforesaid.

xii. *Marking of claims.*—All leases, quartz, extended alluvial, and registered claims shall be marked by posts placed firmly in the ground three feet high above the surface, and painted white, with the number of lease or claim, and area occupied, painted on the inner side facing the ground so occupied. All claims held for mining purposes (and not provided for as above) shall be properly marked at the corners by posts or pegs 1½ foot above the surface, and always kept easily distinguishable.

xiii. *Wall between claims.*—In all cases a wall shall be left between the claims of different parties of miners, viz., between quartz claims a wall of three (3) feet; and between alluvial claims a wall of two (2) feet, such wall not to be worked without the consent in writing of both parties. And all parties shall keep their banks and walls properly timbered, to the satisfaction of the Warden or other visiting inspector of mining operations. Should any miner or miners, in marking off a claim, neglect to leave the proper space for the wall, it shall be competent for the Warden to deduct such space for wall from the claim last marked off; and should any miner mark off more than the proper width for such wall, the Warden may curtail such excess, and assign it as he shall deem it advisable, or may order the boundary posts to be removed to their proper relative position.

xiv. *Plurality of claims.*—No miner or party of miners shall hold at one and the same time more than one claim, nor hold any claim in reserve or unworked (except claims specially registered), and if so left for three (3) clear working days, it shall be considered abandoned, unless that in all cases where a miner or company of miners hold more than one claim, he or they employ in a bona fide manner, in or upon such claims, in exact proportion to their extent, the number of authorised miners required by these regulations.

xv. *Registration of claims.*—A party sinking for or on a quartz vein, who are compelled to abandon the same for want of means, shall be allowed to register their claim for one month at a time, provided the claim shall be sufficiently worked to justify the court in allowing such privileges. Any party who shall have expended considerable labor on an alluvial claim, and may be unable to obtain the reward of their labor through flooding or other uncontrollable circumstances, shall be allowed to register such claims as unworkable, but the allowing of such registration shall be at the discretion of the Warden.

xvi. *Prospecting.*—For the encouragement of prospecting, persons discovering any new gold workings may have allotted to them by special sanction an extent of ground equal to double or treble the ordinary area of mining claims, provided the discovery be made public without unnecessary delay.

xvii. *Miners uniting for the purpose of prospecting.*—The holder or holders of any claim on a supposed quartz-reef vein, or lead of gold in alluvial ground, who shall contribute with other miners, and in proportion to the extent of claim, to the common expense of sinking any prospecting shaft, situated within a distance of fifty yards and not more from any part of his or their claim, for the purpose of ascertaining the existence, position and character of such reef, vein, or lead of gold, shall be entitled to hold such claim unworked until the existence, position and true character of the auriferous deposits has been ascertained and determined, or, until such prospecting shall have ceased to be carried on in a satisfactory manner.

xviii. *Auriferous ore to be stacked.*—Any person wishing to retain possession of quartz stone, casing, or other substance containing gold, the product of a claim, shall properly stack such quartz or other substance on ground not supposed to be workable, and erect close to such stack a post with his name, address, and date of stacking, legibly painted thereon. No person shall remove, deface, or damage any post so erected, quartz stone or other substance stacked in accordance with this regulation, and it shall be competent for the Warden of the district to declare relinquished, after twelve (12) months in quartz claims and six (6) months in alluvial claims, any stone, casing, wash dirt, or other substance not so stacked and taken from a claim then abandoned.

xix. *Leases.*—Leases for mining auriferous lands may be approved for periods not exceeding twelve (12) months. Such leases will be renewable, provided the regulations of the Local Court be complied with, but in every case subject to the recommendation of the court. Alluvial lands partially worked and abandoned in square or rectangular blocks, and quartz reefs with the dip or underlay, may be leased in areas proportionate to the number of miners and the description and power of machinery. Applicants for said leases to state in writing to the clerk of the court (having previously pegged the ground as in ordinary cases) the number of hand- they guarantee to employ, and the description and power of machinery they will have actually at work within a given time of the date of application.

xx. *Claims upon which steam or other machinery is employed.*—To encourage the introduction of steam power and machinery in general, the court will grant areas of claim of such extent as shall be considered applicable to the locality applied for, and miners and machinery to be employed; immediately below such grant shall be left an area, not less than that occupied by such engine party, for the benefit of ordinary miners, through the length of which shall the engine party be required to construct a water course to carry off their waste water, that it may not injure the ordinary miner.

xxi. *Deposit of refuse soil.*—All leaseholders shall be compelled to deposit the soil from their excavations within the boundaries of their stakes.

xxii. *Applicants and petitioners' names in full.*—Applicants applying for leases, and petitioners applying, should give their names, surnames, present trade or pursuit, and a particular description of where they live; or the names not to be counted.

xxiii. *Employment of laborers on claims.*—Any storekeeper, merchant, or other persons desirous of holding a quartz or other claim (without working personally on such claim) may do so by placing laborers upon said ground proportionate to the extent of claim.

xxiv. *Erection of machinery.*—Any party requiring ground whereon to erect machinery shall make a written application to the Clerk of the Local Court, notice of such application to be posted on the ground applied for, and on the Court House for eight (8) days. If no sufficient objections to such permission shall have been made in writing, the Court may allow the exclusive possession (except as against the Crown only) by the occupant of such ground.

xxv. *Management of quartz crushing machines.*—All machinists crushing quartz for the public shall keep on the premises a correct weighing machine, and shall weigh the quartz by avoirdupois weight, viz.: 112 pounds to the hundredweight. The premises connected with all such quartz crushing machines shall be enclosed, and the quartz (if circumstances compel it to be detained in the premises over night) shall be deposited under a covered shed, and accommodation afforded for a waterman, when required by the owners of quartz.

xxvi. *Water privileges.*—Any person or persons desirous of making and holding any water-hole, race, or dam, to contain water, shall make application to the Warden, and post a notice of such application on the site applied for one week, when, if it can be satisfactorily proved that no injury will result to the public by conferring such a privilege, a written authority may be given to such applicant. All such reservoirs (where practicable) to be constructed on the side of the gully or flat, and excavated to the bed rock.

xxvii. *Puddling machines, sludge, &c.*—No machine for puddling auriferous earth by horse or steam power shall be erected in any place where any number of miners may be obtaining their livelihood by sinking, nor shall any such machine be placed on workable ground supposed to contain gold in a payable quantity, nor in any place where the sludge from such

machine shall be injurious to other mining operations, or the supply of water.

All parties discharging sludge or water from any engine, mill, machine, or other apparatus, shall make a good and proper drain, to join and fall into the main channel or drain of the gully or flat in which such machine is situated. Should there exist no main channel for the effectual carrying off of sludge or superfluous water, the Warden may direct the owners of such machines to make a general drain, and shall prescribe the course and position, depth and inclination, removal of obstructions, the allotment of work among the different owners, or such other directions as he may deem desirable. In no case shall such water or sludge be allowed to run upon or across any public road or footpath in common use, or on workable ground, to the detriment of other miners.

xxviii. *Written agreements.*—All persons engaged in or entering into any partnership or company for mining purposes shall draw up and attest a written agreement, specifying the intent, terms, and property of such company or partnership; such agreement to be produced when required.

xxix. *Water holes.*—Any person wishing to preserve a water hole for domestic purposes must make application to the Warden, and if deemed by him expedient, an authority in writing will be given to set apart the same, when the applicant must erect an upright pole over the hole, crossed by two bars of wood (thus †); and any person maliciously destroying or injuring the same shall, upon conviction for every such offence, be adjudged to pay a fine not exceeding twenty shillings.

xxx. *Mining in private tents or buildings.*—Any person mining within his private tent or building on the waste lands of the Crown shall, on conviction before any Justice of the Peace, be adjudged to pay a penalty under the 23rd section of the Act 18 Victoria No. 37.

xxxi. *Business area.*—Each Business License shall entitle the holder to occupy an allotment of ground having a frontage of sixteen (16) feet six (6) inches, irrespective of depth, provided such ground be not required for mining purposes; and for every such frontage or portion thereof, in addition, a similar license must be taken out.

In districts in which authorised occupants have erected premises in terms of any regulations previous to the date hereof, on areas not recognised by this notice, the maximum payment will be limited to twenty pounds per annum, or at that rate half-yearly or quarterly, each case of the kind being recorded in the office of the Warden of the District.

With respect to applications of a subsequent date, fifty pounds will be the maximum payment; but in no case will licenses be granted for sites not actually required for business uses by occupants.

The foregoing Regulations Nos. 1 to xxxi, have been assented to by His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council. Gazetted on the 7th day of November, 1856, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 37, sec. 17.

By His Excellency's Command,
W.9015. WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

LOCAL COURT REGULATIONS.

Creswick.

REGULATIONS made by the Local Court of the District of Creswick:—

xxiv. *Applications for extension or amalgamation of claims.*—Applications for grants of extended claims, or for an amalgamation of claims, must be made to the Local Court, who shall have power to allow the same; and notices of such application must be posted on the ground applied for, and on the Local Court House, for a period of not less than seven (7) clear days, before any such will be entertained.

xxv. *Slaughter Yard Hill Lead.*—On the Slaughter Yard Hill lead, on account of the natural difficulties which the miners have to contend with, the claims already marked out shall be extended to one hundred (100) feet by one hundred (100) feet.

The foregoing Regulations, Nos. xxiv. and xxv., have been assented to by His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council. Gazetted on the 7th day of November, 1856, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 37, sec. 17.

By His Excellency's Command,
X.8837. WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

LOCAL COURT REGULATIONS.

Creswick.

(Frontage Series)

REGULATIONS made by the Local Court of the District of Creswick:—

1. *Classification.*—On all established or recognised leads or gutters, claims shall be of an indefinite width until such leads or gutters are found, when the extent of claim shall be according to the classification herein specified:—

Class No. 1, shall embrace all cases where slabbing is required, and the depth of sinking is less than one hundred (100) feet; the size of claim shall be for eight men, 34 feet by 34 feet.

Class No. 2, shall embrace all cases where slabbing is required, and the depth of sinking is over one hundred (100) feet, but shall not embrace cases where there is rock requiring blasting, or where the depth of sinking is more than two hundred (200) feet; the size of claim for eight men shall be 40 feet by 40 feet.

Class No. 3, shall embrace all cases where in sinking there is rock requiring blasting and the depth of sinking is above one hundred (100) feet and under two hundred (200) feet, and where, without rock, the sinking is more than two hundred (200) feet deep; the size of claim for eight men shall be 50 feet by 50 feet.

Class No. 4, shall embrace cases where there is rock requiring blasting if the depth of sinking be more than two hundred (200) feet; the size of claim for eight men shall be 58 feet by 58 feet.

ii. *Granting of frontage claims.*—Upon any lead or gutter where difficulties are to be contended with, frontage claims will be granted on application being made to the Warden of the District, with the sanction of the Local Court, providing that the difficulties to be contended with are deemed of sufficient importance to warrant granting claims on the frontage system.

iii. *Marking out claims.*—Any party or company wishing to take up a claim shall make application to the Surveyor of the lead, but in his absence they shall be allowed to mark off their claim at right angles with the supposed course of the lead, leaving six feet of a wall as hereinafter provided, and shafts, in all instances, to be in the centre of the claim, but where difficulties arise where shafts could not be in the centre of the claim, a special grant from the Warden of the District to be obtained to that effect.

iv. *Registration of claims.*—All claims shall be numbered consecutively, and the members of each company, after taking possession of a claim, shall register their miner's rights at the Surveyor's office, and a duplicate of such registration shall be given to the company obtaining such claim by the surveyor of the lead.

v. *Walls.*—A space of not more than six (6) feet shall be left between each claim as neutral ground, which can be worked by the party or company first down.

vi. *Names of shareholders.*—In all instances after a company receive their registration for a claim, the names of each member in such company to be posted on the most conspicuous part of the claim.

vii. *Time allowed for preparation.*—When a party or company have had their claim registered, ten (10) days from the date of such registration will be allowed to prepare necessary materials for working such claim, and at the expiration of that time the claim to be worked night and day, if such is considered necessary by adjoining claims, and after a notice to that effect is given, any company or party refusing to comply within the space of forty-eight (48) hours, their claim becomes forfeited.

viii. *Working for wages.*—Any miner holding a share, and whose time is not fully occupied in the working of such share, can work for wages.

ix. *Drawing slabs.*—Parties drawing slabs from abandoned or unworked ground, where there is rock, drift, or any other strata from whence water proceeds, must fill up the shaft below such rock, drift or strata, so as to prevent the water from flooding adjoining claims. And when shafts are abandoned or unworked, and by being so are proved injurious to adjoining claims, the Warden of the district shall make such an order as to him may seem just.

x. *Surveyor.*—A practical miner, competent to survey, shall be appointed as surveyor by the Local Court, whose duty it shall be to measure and mark off claims and register the same, transfer claims, shares, share, or any portion of a share, and when the gutter or lead is discovered mark its position on the surface by fixing a flag upon the spot, and perform such duties as legitimately come under his notice as surveyor of the lead.

xi. *Junctions.*—On any established leads or gutters where a junction takes place, the parties or companies duly registered on each lead or gutter shall at and beyond the junction amalgamate; but in instances where one party or company have incurred more expenses than such party or company amalgamating with them, the extra expenses so incurred to be defrayed out of the proceeds of the claim by the party or company so amalgamating.

xii. *Amalgamation.*—No claims can in any instance amalgamate without a grant from the Warden of the district. Should more than two (2) claims wish to amalgamate, application must then be made to the Local Court, who shall have power to grant the same, and notices of such application must be posted on the ground applied for and on the Local Court House, for a period of not less than seven (7) days before such application can be entertained.

xiii. *Form of application for amalgamating more than two claims.*—Applications for amalgamating more than two (2) claims to be made to the Local Court of the district or the clerk of such court, and to specify the following particulars, viz.:—Date of application, with situation and plan of ground; classification of sinking and difficulties to contend with; if to be worked by machinery, and if so, power of the same,

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together with title of company, the number, name and date of each shareholder's miner's right.

xiv. *Objections to amalgamating.*—Any party or parties objecting to amalgamation, in instances where more than two (2) claims have applied for amalgamation, such objection to be made in writing to the clerk of the Local Court of the district within six (6) days after the posting of such application for amalgamation.

xv. *Old Workings.*—On old workings or abandoned ground, the size of claims shall be regulated according to their classification, and shall be four (4) times the size of claims in new or unworked ground.

xvi. *Prospecting on recognised leads.*—Parties prospecting a-head on any recognised lead or gutter may have a double claim, provided the discovery of such lead or gutter be made public previous to the last bottomed shaft in the lead or gutter being thirty (30) claims distant.

xvii. *Prospecting.*—In order to give encouragement to prospecting parties the extent of ground for discovering a new lead shall be in length four (4) times larger than that specified in Classes No. 1 and 2, but where difficulties are to be contended against, arising from sinking specified in Classes No. 3 and 4, the length of claim shall be six (6) times larger than those on an established lead; but in no instance shall the width of claim exceed that mentioned for the classification under which they come.

xviii. *Sulky Gully lead.*—From the 3rd of September, 1856, all claims already registered at Sulky Gully shall be considered as subject to the regulations provided for Class No. 2, provided that such claims do not come under the regulations for Class No. 3.

The foregoing Regulations, Nos. 1. to xviii., (Frontage Series) have been assented to by His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Granted on the 7th day of November, 1856, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 37, sec. 17.

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By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES

Office of Commissioner of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 18th October, 1856.

SALE OF CONDEMNED GOODS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned condemned goods will be sold by public auction, at the Custom House, Melbourne, on Thursday, the 13th November, at Twelve o'clock:—

3 casks gin
1 package cigars
1 case rum
1 keg gunpowder
3 cases cigars.

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

Office of Commissioner of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 18th October, 1856.

SALE OF FORFEITED GOODS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned goods, forfeited under the 69th section of the Customs Regulation Act, will be sold by public auction, at the Custom House, Melbourne, on Thursday, the 13th November, at Twelve o'clock:—

14 cases cigars
1 case tobacco
13 chests tea

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

Police Sales.

BALLAARAT.

CONFISCATED property in store, at Ballaarat, to be sold by auction, at the Police Office, Ballaarat, on Saturday, the 8th of November, 1856:—

1 camp oven
1 frying pan
6 blankets
1 thermometer
1 funnel
2 buckets
1 parcel of nails
5 empty casks
6 empty kegs
7 bags sugar
1 handsaw
1 axe
1 bag flour
1 auger
1 gold scales and weights
1 tin box
1 bar iron

The abovenamed articles were found in a deserted hut in Ballaarat Forest last August.

E. P. S. STURT,
Chief Inspector.

RAGLAN.

THE undermentioned unclaimed property, in possession of the Police, will, unless previously claimed, be sold by public auction at the Station abovenamed, on Saturday, the 15th instant, at Twelve o'clock noon:—

- 1 keg containing brandy
- 3 ditto whiskey
- 2 ditto port wine
- 1 ditto old tom
- 2 ditto sherry
- 6 bottles of porter
- 23 ditto ginger wine

Also at the same time and place the following confiscated property:—

- 25 cases of old tom and brandy
- 1 keg of brandy
- 1 ditto port wine
- 13 bottles of brandy
- 1 ditto old tom
- 2 tumblers
- 2 nobbler glasses
- 1 brass tap

C. MAC MAHON,
Chief Commissioner.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856.

CARISBROOK.

THE undermentioned unclaimed horse, found in the possession of one Edward Brown, arrested on suspicion of robbery, and discharged, will, unless previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the Police Station, Carisbrook, on Monday, 10th November, at Twelve o'clock noon:—

- 1 bay mare, branded W near shoulder, F off shoulder, accompanied by a young foal.

C. MAC MAHON,
Chief Commissioner.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 29th October, 1856.

Courts.

COLAC.

PUBLICANS' TRANSFER MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Justices of the Peace acting in and for the District of Colac, will hold a Special Meeting for the transfer of Publican's Licenses, at the Police Office, Colac, at Twelve o'clock at noon, on Tuesday, the 2nd December next.

(By Order) JAS. S. FARRER,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office, Colac,
29th October, 1856.

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

Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court.

MELBOURNE.—On Monday, 17th November, at 10 a.m. (p. 1787)

County Courts.

GIPPS' LAND.—At Alberton, on Saturday, 15th November, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Monday, 20th October, and defences until Monday, 10th November (p. 1606).

General Sessions.

GIPPS' LAND.—At Alberton, on Wednesday, 12th November, at 10 a.m. (p. 1606).

Licensing Meetings.—Auctioneers.

BALLARAT.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 2 p.m. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1815).

BEECHWORTH.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1815).

BELFAST.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 11 a.m. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1862).

COLAC.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon (p. 1863).

CRESWICK.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon (p. 1863).

GEELONG.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1835).

MELBOURNE.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1815).

PORTLAND.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 11 a.m. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1863).

SANDHURST.—On Tuesday, 25th November, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1835).

WANGARATTA.—On Tuesday, 25th November. Applications filed until Tuesday, 4th November (p. 1863).

Licensing Meeting.—Publicans.

COLAC.—On Tuesday, 2nd December, at 12 noon, for transfers (p. 1863).

Contracts for the Service of 1857.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.

RATIONS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 10th day of November, from persons willing to supply provisions and other articles in such quantities as may be required by the various Departments of the Public Service, except the Military, at the undermentioned places, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1857.

Printed forms of Tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper in Melbourne, the Stipendary Magistrates at Geelong, Portland, Belfast, and Alberton, and from the Resident Warden at each Gold Field, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

The places for which tenders will be received, and the amount of security required for the due fulfilment of each contract, are as follows:—

Place.	Amount of Security.
Melbourne, including Pentridge, Yarra Bend, &c.	£ 1000
Williamstown, including vessels in Hobson's Bay, } except the Victoria S. Sloop }	1000
Geelong	500
Portland, Belfast, and Castlemaine, each	300
Sandhurst, Beechworth, Ballarat, and Alberton, } each }	200

No Tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract; and, in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within fifteen days, failing which the contract will be again advertised, or another tender accepted. The names of the tenderers and of their sureties, together with their places of residence, must be stated at full length.

The tenders must include the whole of the rations and separate articles required in the respective localities, but the tender for each locality must be distinct, and will be accepted or rejected separately. For rations, according to the several scales, the price per ration is to be stated; for other supplies the price of each article. The value of all packages, whether the supplies are in bulk or otherwise, is to be included in the price demanded.

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked, "Tender for Provisions, &c., at _____" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender-box at the Colonial Stores, Great Bourke-street west, or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

DAILY RATIONS OF PROVISIONS.

No. 1.

Immigrants—For each statute adult:—

- Wheaten bread, 1 lb.
- Fresh Meat, 1 lb.
- Potatoes, 8 oz.
- Sugar, 2 oz.
- Tea, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

Children exceeding one year in age, and under twelve years, one-half of the above.

No. 2.

Officers and men in the Government service to whom rations are allowed, also witnesses and persons waiting bail:—

- Best wheaten bread, 24 oz.
- Fresh meat, 1 lb.
- Potatoes, 8 oz.
- Sugar, 4 oz.
- Tea, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 3.

Prisoners confined in Gaol:—

- Wheaten bread, 12 oz.
- Maize meal, 12 oz.
- Fresh beef, 4 oz.
- Potatoes, 8 oz.
- Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 4.

Prisoners in separate confinement on board Penal hulks and at Stockades:—

- Wheaten bread, 16 oz.
- Maize meal, 8 oz.
- Fresh meat, 8 oz.
- Potatoes, 8 oz.
- Sugar, 1 oz.
- Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
- Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 5.
Prisoners at hard labor in Gaol, or on board Hulks and at Stockades:—
Wheaten bread, 16 oz.
Maize meal, 8 oz.
Fresh meat, 16 oz.
Potatoes, 16 oz.
Sugar, 1 oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 6.
Prisoners refractory:—
Wheaten bread, 8 oz.
Maize meal, 8 oz.
Potatoes, 8 oz.
Sugar, 1 oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 7.
Prisoners on probation:—
Wheaten bread, 12 oz.
Maize meal, 8 oz.
Potatoes, 12 oz.
Sugar, 1 oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 8.
Children (under six years) of female prisoners confined in Gaol:—
Wheaten bread, 8 oz.
Fresh beef, 4 oz.
Milk, 1 pint
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 9.
Prisoners confined in Lock-up or Watchhouses:—
Wheaten bread, 24 oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 10.
Prisoners at hard labor in Lock-up:—
Wheaten bread, 24 oz.
Fresh meat, 16 oz.
Salt, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Soap, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.

No. 11.
For Hospitals, Aboriginal establishments, and all other services, in such quantities as may be from time to time required, when ordered:—

Arrowroot	...	...	per lb.
Beef and mutton	...	...	do.
Beef (salt)	...	...	per cwt.
Biscuit, best cabin	...	...	per lb.
Blue	...	...	do.
Brandy	...	...	per gallon
Bread, wheaten, 1st quality	...	...	per lb.
Do. 2nd do.	...	...	do.
Do. 3rd do.	...	...	do.
Butter	...	...	do.
Candles, composite	...	...	do.
Do. mould	...	...	do.
Cotton wick	...	...	do.
Eggs	...	...	per doz.
Flour	...	...	per 100 lbs.
Lime juice	...	...	per gallon
Maize meal	...	...	per lb.
Milk (except at Yarra Bend)	...	...	per quart
Mustard	...	...	per lb.
Oatmeal	...	...	do.
Oil, black whale	...	...	per gallon
Do., neatsfoot	...	...	do.
Do., sperm	...	...	do.
Do., sweet olive	...	...	do.
Pearlash	...	...	per lb.
Pearl barley	...	...	do.
Pepper	...	...	do.
Pipes, tobacco	...	...	per dozen
Porter, bottled	...	...	do.
Pork, salt	...	...	per cwt.
Port wine, bottled	...	...	per dozen
Potash	...	...	per lb.
Potatoes	...	...	per cwt.
Quick lime	...	...	per bushel
Raisins	...	...	per lb.
Rice	...	...	do.
Rum	...	...	per gallon
Sago	...	...	per lb.
Saltpetre	...	...	do.
Salt, fine	...	...	do.
Soda (bread)	...	...	do.
Do. (washing)	...	...	do.
Soap, white or brown	...	...	do.
Do., soft	...	...	do.
Sherry wine, bottled	...	...	per dozen
Starch	...	...	per lb.
Straw	...	...	per cwt.

Suet	...	...	per lb.
Sugar	...	...	do.
Tapioca	...	...	do.
Tea	...	...	do.
Tobacco, best American	...	...	do.
Treacle	...	...	do.
Vegetables, other than potatoes	...	...	do.
Vinegar	...	...	per quart

At Castlemaine, Sandhurst, Ballaarat, and Beechworth, the rations required will be Nos. 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, and also the several articles enumerated in scale No. 11.

At Belfast and Alberton, Nos. 1, 9, 10 and 11.

At Geelong and Portland, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

At Melbourne (including Pentridge, Yarra Bend, &c.), Nos. 1 to 11 inclusive.

At Williamstown (including Hobson's Bay), Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11.

CONDITIONS.

1. All the articles required by this notice are to be of the best quality of their several kinds, in the best condition, and to be delivered in sound packages.

2. The flour and bread must be the produce of prime wheat, from which on ration No. 1, twenty per cent., and on those of prisoners of the Crown, twelve per cent. has been extracted in bran and waste.

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

4. When it may be necessary to substitute one article for another, the following proportions are to be observed, viz.:—

Wheaten flour, 1 lb. or	} equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. of bread.
Best wheaten biscuit, 1 lb. }	
Salt beef, 1 lb. or	} equal to 1 lb. fresh beef.
Mutton, 1 lb. or	
Salt pork, 10 oz. }	

Green vegetables, such as—
Pumpkins, greens free from root. } Equal to 1 lb. of
carrots free from top, &c., 2 lbs. } potatoes.
or onions, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb., }

5. The above substitutions are to be made whenever it may be considered advisable by the Officer authorised to draw the rations, but not otherwise.

6. The supplies are to be delivered direct to the establishment entitled thereto, on the written order of the Officer in charge, except in the case of Aboriginal Stations, which are to be supplied under the Melbourne contract, and the several articles are to be delivered at the Colonial Stores.

7. Should the contractor fail to supply any articles when required, within twenty-four hours, they will be otherwise procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from his account.

8. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form, and on the presentation thereof in a complete state, and signed by the Officer by whom it was incurred, to the Colonial Storekeeper for examination, it will be forwarded through the proper channel for payment at the Treasury, or at the Sub-Treasuries, as the case may be.

9. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies as to the quality, the same is to be decided, in cases where the article is not of a perishable nature, by a Board of Survey, composed of persons named by the Head of Department, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final.

10. If the Board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured by the person requiring it, and the expense charged as in clause 7.

11. In the country districts when a Board of Survey cannot be conveniently assembled, and in all cases when the article is of a perishable nature, or when from some other cause injury would be sustained either by the persons to whom the rations are due, or to the contractor, in waiting for a Board of Survey, the Head of the Department, or Officer in charge of the Station, will have the power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and that the contractor must take back the rejected article, and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 7.

12. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report of the Colonial Storekeeper, to such mulct not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government upon such repetition to terminate the contract forthwith.

13. It will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, or the Contractor on his own behalf, to terminate the contract by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months; it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month and within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.

GENERAL STORES.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 10th November, from persons willing to furnish the under-mentioned supplies in such quantities as may be required by the Colonial Storekeeper, on behalf of the Government, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1857:—

Articles.	Amount of Security.
Ironmongery, &c.	500
Ship chandlery	500
Linen drapery, prisoners' clothing, &c. ...	500
Painters', plumbers' and glaziers' materials ...	200
Leather and shoemaker's materials	200
Timber	200
Stationery	200
Tentage and canvas	100
Tinware	100
Saddlery, &c.	100
Glass and earthenware	50
Seals and stamps	50

Schedules of the articles required, and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering. A large stock of stationery is in store, to a list of which tenderers will be afforded an opportunity of referring, in order to ascertain what articles will and what will not be required.

Separate tenders will be received for each schedule, but they must include the whole of the articles therein mentioned, and one price must be stated for each article. The value of all packages whether bulk be broken or not must be included in the prices demanded.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum specified above for the due fulfilment of the contract; and in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within ten days, failing which, the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The names of the tenderers and of their proposed sureties, together with their addresses, must be stated at full length.

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for—" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender Box at the Colonial Stores, Great Bourke-street west; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

CONDITIONS.

1. All the articles are to be of the best quality of their several kinds.

2. All orders for supplies under these contracts must issue from the Colonial Storekeeper's Department, and unless otherwise specially ordered, the supplies must be delivered to the Colonial Stores. When ordered, they are to be delivered free of charge to any part of Melbourne, and, in the case of Ship Chandlery, Painters', &c., Materials, and Timber, at the Marine Yard, Williamstown.

3. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by any contracts made by the Military Commissariat, or by other departments of the public service. When desirable, raw material will be ordered for the manufacture in the Penal Establishments of articles required by the Colonial Storekeeper. Purchases out of the Police Clothing Fund will not be made under these contracts.

4. All supplies when delivered must be accompanied by the order, which will be receipted at the Colonial Stores, and the order thus receipted must be rendered with the contractor's account. No goods will be received unless accompanied by the order.

5. In the event of supplies ordered under these contracts not being delivered within forty-eight hours, it will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper, should circumstances require it, to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price will be deducted.

6. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form; and on the presentation thereof in a complete state to the Colonial Storekeeper for examination, it will be forwarded through the proper channel for payment at the Treasury.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the Head of Department requiring the supply, as to the quality, the same is to be decided by a Board of Survey, composed of persons named by the Government, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final. Any expense incurred on account of the rejection of supplies by a Board of Survey, will be charged to the contractor.

8. If the Board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 5.

9. The Colonial Storekeeper will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 5.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor upon report from the Colonial Storekeeper, to such mulet, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government upon such repetition to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. It will be competent for either party to terminate the contract by giving a notice in writing of three full calendar months to the opposite party; it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.

FUEL AND WATER.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 10th of November, from persons willing to furnish supplies of Coal, Wood and Water, in such quantities as may be required by the Colonial Storekeeper, on behalf of the Government, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1857.

The following is a schedule of the localities at which these supplies will be required:—

Fuel.

Coal—To be delivered at the various Government Departments in Melbourne, including Richmond, Collingwood, Prahran, St. Kilda, Emerald Hill, and Sandridge	English, per ton of 2240 lbs. N.S.W., ditto. Smiths', ditto.
Ditto—To be delivered at the Penal Establishments, Pentridge and Collingwood	Smiths', ditto.
Ditto—To be delivered at Williamstown	English, ditto. N.S.W., ditto.
Ditto—To be delivered at the moorings in Hobson's Bay, on board Penal Hulks, or other vessels in the Government service	English, ditto. N.S.W., ditto.
Ditto—To be delivered in Geelong, at all the Government Departments	English, ditto. N.S.W., ditto.
Wood—Cut in billets, 2 feet; to be delivered at the various Government Departments in Melbourne	Per ton, 40 cubic feet.
Ditto—To be delivered at Williamstown and on board vessels in Hobson's Bay	Ditto.
Ditto—To be delivered in Geelong at all the Government Departments	Ditto.

Water.

Fresh Water—To be delivered at any of the Government Departments, Melbourne, where it may be required, at per load of 165 gallons.

Ditto—To be delivered at the Stockade, Collingwood, ditto (so long as required).

Ditto—To be delivered at any of the Government Departments, Williamstown, ditto.

Ditto—To be delivered at the moorings in Hobson's Bay, on board Penal Hulks, or other vessels in the Government service, per ton of 252 gallons.

Ditto—To be delivered in Geelong, at any of the Government Departments, per load of 165 gallons.

Tenders will be received for the whole or any portion of the above, and will be accepted or rejected separately. Tenderers are required to insert the rates opposite each locality or department.

The tender for coals in Hobson's Bay may state the price at which the contractor will supply patent Welsh fuel, instead of coals, for the steam sloop *Victoria*.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper Melbourne, the Chief Harbor Master Williamstown, of the Stipendiary Magistrate Geelong, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in any sum not exceeding Five hundred pounds for the due fulfilment of the contract; and, in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within ten days, failing which, the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The names of the tenderers and of their proposed sureties, together with their addresses, must be stated at full length.

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for—" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender-Box at the Colonial Stores, Great Bourke-street west; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

CONDITIONS.

1. The articles to be of the best quality.
2. All orders for wood or coal under these contracts must issue from the Colonial Storekeeper's Department, excepting in the case of the *Victoria*, the supplies for which are to be made on the order of the officer in command.

For water, orders will be issued by the several departments as it may be required.

3. Both fuel and water are to be delivered direct to the Departments requiring them.

4. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by any contracts made by the Military Commissariat or other Departments of the public service.

5. All supplies of fuel, when delivered, must be accompanied by the order, which will be received by the officer requiring it, and the order thus receipted must be rendered with the contractor's account.

6. The contractor, when delivering coal, will be bound to furnish scales and weights, in order that the quantities may be checked.

The contractor for wood will be bound to place it in stacks for measurement.

7. In the event of supplies ordered under these contracts not being delivered within forty-eight hours, it will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper, should circumstances require it, to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price will be deducted.

Supplies of coal for the *Victoria* are to be placed on board either by day or night, in quantities of not less than five tons per hour, reckoning from the time when the order is delivered to the contractor or his agent.

8. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account, monthly, in the prescribed form; and on presentation thereof, in a complete state, and signed by the officer receiving the supply, to the Colonial Storekeeper for examination, it will be forwarded through the proper channel, for payment at the Treasury or Sub-Treasury, as the case may be.

9. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply, as to the quality, the same is to be decided by a Board of Survey, composed of persons named by the Head of the Department, and the decision of the Board is to be considered as final.

10. If the Board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 7.

11. If from any cause injury would accrue to the public service by waiting for a Board of Survey, the Head of Department, or officer in charge of station, will have the power to reject such articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and that the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 7.

12. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Colonial Storekeeper, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

13. It will be competent for either party to terminate the contract, by giving in writing a notice of three calendar months to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.
MEDICINES, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 10th November, from persons willing to furnish Medicines, &c., in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1857.

Schedule of articles required, and printed forms of tender, may be obtained from the Chief Medical Officer, or the Colonial Storekeeper, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

The tenders must include the whole of the articles mentioned in the schedule, and one price must be stated for each article.

The value of all packages, whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices demanded.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum of Two hundred pounds

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for the due fulfilment of the contract, and in the event of a tender being accepted the bond must be executed within ten days, failing which the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The names of the Tenderers and their proposed sureties, together with their addresses, must be stated at full length.

All tenders must be endorsed "Tender for Medicines, &c.," and be deposited in the Tender Box, at the Colonial Stores, Great Bourke-street west, or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any Tender.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

CONDITIONS.

1. All articles must be of the best quality of their several kinds.

2. All orders for supplies under this contract must emanate from the Chief Medical Officer, or from the Colonial Storekeeper, and the articles must be delivered at the office of the Chief Medical Officer, or at the Colonial Stores, as the case may be.

3. All supplies when delivered must be accompanied by the order, which, when receipted, is to be rendered with the contractor's account. No supplies can be received unless accompanied by the order.

4. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form, and on presentation thereof in a complete state to the Chief Medical Officer or the Colonial Storekeeper, as the case may be, for examination, it will be forwarded through the proper channel for payment at the Treasury.

5. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply, as to the quality, the same is to be decided by a Board of Survey, composed of persons named by the Government, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final.

6. If the Board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense (if any) will be deducted from the contractor's account.

7. If from any cause injury would accrue to the public service by waiting for a Board of Survey, the Chief Medical Officer or the Colonial Storekeeper, as the case may be, will have the power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and that the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense (if any) will be charged as in clause 6.

8. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivery or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor to such mulct not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

9. It will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, or the Contractor on his own behalf to terminate the contract by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months; it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.
MILK.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, 10th November, from persons willing to supply Milk in such quantities as may be required at the Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend, from the 1st of January to 31st December, 1857.

The milk must be of the best quality, and is to be delivered upon order of the officer in charge at the Asylum.

Security will be required in the sum of £100 for the due fulfilment of the contract; and the bond must be entered into within ten days from the acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The contract will be terminable by three months notice either from the Colonial Storekeeper on the part of the Government, or from the contractor, such notice to date from the first of any month.

Further particulars and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Milk, Lunatic Asylum," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.

FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Thursday, the twentieth of November, from persons willing to supply Forage, in such quantities as may be required, for the service of the Government, at the undermentioned stations, during twelve calendar months commencing on the 1st January, 1857:—

District.	Station.	Estimated Monthly Consumption.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
		lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Bouke	Frankston	300	30	420	120
	Heidelberg	600	60	840	240
	Caledonia Digging's	600	60	840	240
	Anderson's Creek	300	30	420	120
	Yan Yean	600	60	840	240
	Williamstown	300	30	420	120
	Broadmeadows	300	30	420	120
	Three miles beyond Keilor	2100	210	2910	840
	Keilor	300	30	420	120
	Sunbury	300	30	420	120
	Deep Creek	300	30	420	120
	Aiken's Gap	900	90	1260	360
Geelong	Bacchus Marsh	1200	120	1680	480
	Werribee	600	60	840	240
	Kalkallo	1500	150	2100	600
	Oakleigh	600	60	840	240
	Geelong	4500	450	6300	1800
	Batesford	600	60	840	240
	The Leigh	600	60	840	240
	Inverleigh	300	30	420	120
	Queenscliff	300	30	420	120
	Colac	300	30	420	120
	Steiglitz	600	60	840	240
	Letlibridge	1200	120	1680	480
Ballarat	Meredith	3900	390	5460	1560
	Burntbridge	1260	126	1680	480
	Ballaarat	4800	480	6720	1920
	Buninyong	1500	150	2100	600
	Chepstow	600	60	840	240
	Smyth's Creek	900	90	1260	360
	Creswick	1800	180	2520	720
	Streatham	300	30	420	120
	Linton	300	30	420	120
	Pitfield	300	30	420	120
	Mount Egerton	600	60	840	240
	Brown's Digging's	300	30	420	120
Carlsruhe	Ballan	600	60	840	240
	Carlstube	1800	180	2520	720
	Kyneton	2400	240	3360	960
	Malmesbury	600	60	840	240
	Elphinstone	600	60	840	240
	Taradale	2100	210	2940	840
	Woodend	2100	210	2940	840
	Black Forest	600	60	840	240
	Blackwood	1200	120	1680	480
	Gisborne	6000	600	8400	2400
	Lancefield	300	30	420	120
	Castlemaine	Castlemaine	10800	1080	15120	4300
Maldon		900	90	1260	360
Harcourt		300	30	420	120
Mount Franklyn		1500	150	2100	600
Fryer's Creek		600	60	840	240
Porcupine		1500	150	2100	600
Sandhurst		6000	600	8400	2400
Robinson Crusoe		600	60	840	240
Junction		600	60	840	240
Eagle Hawk		900	90	1260	360
Bullock Creek		600	60	840	240
Lockwood		600	60	840	240
Ovens	Heathcote	1200	120	1680	480
	Marchison	600	60	840	240
	Campaspe	600	60	840	240
	Barrow's Inn	600	60	840	240
	Whroo	300	30	420	120
	Beechworth	3600	360	4200	1200
	Wangaratta	1800	180	2520	720
	Benalla	1800	180	2520	720
	Yackandandah	300	30	420	120
	Porcupinka	600	60	840	240
	Buckland	600	60	840	240
	Wodonga	600	60	840	240
Two Mile Creek	300	30	420	120	
Woolshed	900	90	1260	360	
Kilmore	Kilmore	2400	240	3360	960
	Seymour	1200	120	1680	480
	Avenel	3000	300	4200	1200
	Longwood	1200	120	1680	480

FORAGE—continued.

District.	Station.	Estimated Monthly Consumption.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
Kilmore	Euroa	900	90	1260	360
	Violet Town	900	90	1260	360
	McGuire's Point	300	30	420	120
	Mansfield	300	30	420	120
Avoca	Carisbrook	2400	240	3360	960
	Avoca	2400	240	3360	960
	Maryborough	2100	210	2910	840
	Amherst	900	90	1260	360
Wimmera	Burnt Creek	900	90	1260	360
	New Bendigo	600	60	840	240
	Weddelburne	900	90	1260	360
	Mount Malingul	300	30	420	120
	Dunolly	1200	120	1680	480
	Raglan	1800	180	2520	720
	Lexton	1200	120	1680	480
	Crowlands	600	60	840	240
	Cathcart (Mount Ararat)	900	90	1260	360
	Glenorchy	600	60	840	240
	Navarre	600	60	840	240
	Horsham	600	60	840	240
Roses Gap	600	60	840	240	
Swan Hill	Serpentine Creek	...	...	840	...
Western	Belfast	1200	120	1680	480
	Portland	1200	120	1680	480
	Warrnambool	900	90	1260	360
	Hamilton	900	90	1260	360
Gipps' Land	Hexham	600	60	840	240
	Dunkeld	600	60	840	240
	Woodford	600	60	840	240
	Alberton	1200	120	1680	480
	Tarraville	300	30	420	120
	Sale	1200	120	1680	480
	Stratford	300	30	420	120
	Mitchell	600	60	840	240

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne, or the officer in charge of the police at each station, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

The tenders for each station must be separate, and will be accepted or rejected separately.

At stations where oats and bran cannot readily be procured, the tenders may be for hay or straw only. When all the supplies are included in one tender, it will, if advisable, be accepted for hay and not for the other articles.

The price must be per ton for hay and straw, and per bushel for oats and bran, including delivery at the stations and all charges.

The net weight only, after deducting the tare, is to be charged.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract in one-third the estimated cost of the entire supply at the station tendered for; and in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within twenty days, failing which, the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The names and addresses of the tenderers and of their proposed sureties must be stated at full length.

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for —" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender Box at the Colonial Stores, Great Bourke-street west, or if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 1st December, 1856.

CONDITIONS.

1. The hay to be eaten, good, sound and sweet; straw to be wheaten, and both to be in all respects of the best quality; oats and bran to be also of the best description, sound and sweet.

2. The delivery to be made at such times, and in such quantities, as may be required by the officer of police in charge of the station. The quantity stated in the schedule must be considered as approximative only, and it must be understood that the Government will draw either more or less than is there given. The excess over the estimate will however in no case exceed 50 per cent.

3. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by any contracts made by the Military Commissariat.

4. The forage when delivered must be accompanied by an invoice of quantity, shewing the gross weight, the tare, and

the net weight. The invoice must be left with the officer in charge of the station, and without it no forage will be received.

5. Whenever forage shall be delivered at a station, a receipt is to be taken from the officer in charge for the net quantity, and the receipt must be rendered in support of the contractor's account.

6. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly, in the prescribed form, and on presentation thereof in a complete state to the Colonial Storekeeper for examination, it will be forwarded through the proper channel for payment at the Treasury, or the Sub-Treasury of the District.

7. Should forage duly ordered under these contracts not be delivered within forty-eight hours from a reasonable time to be fixed by the officer in charge of the station, it will be competent for the Head of the Department, or officer in charge, should circumstances require it, to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price is to be deducted.

8. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the forage as to the quality of the same, it is to be decided by a Board of Survey, composed of persons named by the Head of a Department, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final.

9. If the Board shall decide that the forage is not of proper quality it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 7.

10. When a Board of Survey cannot be conveniently assembled, or when from some other cause injury would accrue either to the public service or to the contractor by waiting for a Board of Survey, the officer in charge will have the power to reject such supplies as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and the contractor must take back the rejected forage and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 7.

11. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the forage, or of delay in delivering or replacing it when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Colonial Storekeeper, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

12. It will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper, on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months to the contractor, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.
FUNERALS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on the 10th November from persons willing to undertake Funerals as may be required in the several departments of the Government during the year 1857, at the undermentioned places:—

Melbourne, including Collingwood, Pentridge, Williamstown and Hobson's Bay.
Geelong and suburbs.

Separate prices must be stated for children under ten years of age, and for adults; one sum is to be named for each, including interment and minister's fees, conveyance, and all charges.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract; the amount of security required will be for Melbourne £100, and for Geelong £50.

The contract will be terminable by three months notice either from the Colonial Storekeeper on the part of the Government, or from the contractor, such notice to date from the first day of any month.

Orders will be made on the contractor by the departments in which the funeral may be required; and the accounts are to be rendered to the same. Payments will be made in the usual manner at the Treasury, Melbourne, or Sub-Treasury, Geelong.

Further particulars and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne, or from the Stipendiary Magistrate, Geelong.

The tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Funerals, Melbourne," or "Geelong" (as the case may be), and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1856.

PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR THE VICTORIA.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 10th November, from persons willing to supply Provisions and other articles in such quantities as may be required for the officers and crew of the Steam Sloop *Victoria* during the year 1857.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, by whom also any information will be afforded to persons tendering.

Security will be required in the amount of £250 for due fulfilment of the contract, and the bond must be entered into within ten days from the date of acceptance, failing which the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The tenders must include the ration scale, and the whole of the sea stores. The charge per ration is to be stated; and for sea stores the price of each article, in which the value of packages must be included, whether bulk be broken or otherwise.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Provisions, Steam Sloop *Victoria*," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 21st November, 1856.

DAILY RATION IN HARBOR.

Wheaten bread	1½ lb.	} per ration.
Fresh meat	2 "	
Potatoes	1 "	
Vegetables	5 oz.	
Sugar	2½ "	
Tea	½ "	
Salt	½ "	
Rum, West India (duty free)	½ gill	

SEA STORES, WHEN ORDERED.

Arrow root	per lb.
Beef and mutton	"
Beef, salt	per cwt.
Biscuit	per 100 lbs.
Candles, composite	per lb.
Candles, tallow	"
Cotton wick	"
Flour	per 100 lbs.
Lime juice	per gallon
Mustard	per lb.
Oil, neatfoot	per gallon
Oil, sperm	"
Oil, tea	"
Peas, split	per lb.
Pepper	"
Pork, salt	per cwt.
Potatoes	"
Quick lime	per bushel
Raisins	per lb.
Rum (duty free)	per gallon
Sago	per lb.
Salt	"
Soap, white or brown	"
Soap, soft	"
Soda, washing	per lb.
Suet	"
Sugar	"
Tea	"
Vinegar	per gallon.

CONDITIONS.

All the articles required by this notice are to be of the best quality of their several kinds, in the best condition, and to be delivered in sound packages.

The flour and bread must be the produce of prime wheat, from which 20 per cent. has been extracted in bran and waste.

Fresh beef and mutton are to be supplied in such proportions as may be required, and when the quantity admits, to be delivered in fore and hind quarters alternately.

When it may be necessary to substitute one article for another, the following proportions are to be observed, viz:—

Wheaten flour ... 1 lb., or	} equal to 1½ lbs. of bread.
Best wheaten biscuit 1 "	
Salt beef 1½ lb., or	} equal to 2 lb. fresh meat.
Salt pork 1½ "	
Coffee 1½ oz., or	} equal to ½ oz. of tea.
Cocoa 1½ "	

Green vegetables, such as—

Pumpkins, greens free from root, carrots free from top, &c. 2 lbs., or	} equal to 1 lb. of potatoes.
Onions ½ lb.	

The above substitutions are to be made whenever it may be considered advisable by the officer authorised to draw the rations, but not otherwise.

The supplies are to be immediately placed on board by the contractor by day or night if so required, on the written order of the officer in command, failing which, they will be otherwise

procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from the contractor's account.

The contractor will be bound to put on board rations either for one day or one month, or more or less as may be required.

When the vessel shall be in any harbor of the Colony except Hobson's Bay, the officer in command will be at liberty, without reference to this contract, to procure fresh provisions in such manner as he may be empowered by the Government.

The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form, and on the presentation thereof in a complete state, and signed by the officer in command, to the Colonial Storekeeper for examination, it will be forwarded for payment at the Treasury.

In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies, as to quality, the matter is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the officer in command, and the decision of the board is to be final; but if, from the perishable nature of the goods, this course cannot be adopted, the officer in command will have power to reject such article or articles, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing.

It will be competent for the Colonial Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, or the Contractor on his own behalf, to terminate the contract by giving a notice in writing of three full calendar months to the opposite party; it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1856.

MEDICAL ATTENDANCE ON PRISONERS AND IMMIGRANTS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 1st day of December next, from legally qualified Practitioners willing to contract for Medical Attendance on Immigrants and Prisoners at the undermentioned places, during the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1857, viz. :—at

Castlemaine	... Prisoners.
Sandhurst	... Ditto.
Ballaarat	... Ditto.
Beechworth	... Ditto.
Kyneton	... Ditto.
Portland	... Immigrants and Prisoners.
Belfast	... Ditto.
Warrnambool	... Ditto.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tenders for Medical Attendance at" and forwarded to the Chief Medical Officer, Melbourne.

Tenders are to be made at so much per annum; and where there are both Immigrants and Prisoners, one sum is to be named for the performance of the entire service.

Information as to the probable number of Immigrants and Prisoners may be obtained from the officers in charge at the respective places.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 12th December.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. To give medical attendance, and the necessary medicines, to such Immigrants or Prisoners as may require the same, for one year from the first day of January, 1857.

2. To forward to the Chief Medical Officer, Melbourne, all such Returns, &c., as may be required, and to follow all instructions given by that officer with reference to the performance of the contract.

3. It will be competent for either party to terminate the contract by giving a written notice of one calendar month to the opposite party—such to be given from the first day of a month within the period for which the contract is made.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1856.

POSTAGE STAMPS AND PLATES.

TENDERS are required for—

Two million (2,000,000) impressions of one penny stamp	} To be struck off from a plate in the possession of the Postmaster General :
One million (1,000,000) impressions of twopenny stamp	
Two million (2,000,000) impressions of fourpenny stamp: and For Postage Stamp Plates, of the following description, namely:—	

For a Penny Stamp,
" Twopenny do.,
" Fourpenny do.

designs for which must accompany each offer. The plates after use to become the property of the Government.

The person or persons contracting for the striking off of the several Postage Stamps will be required to take certain quantities of paper, coloring and gum from the Government, at the English invoice cost (particulars of which can be obtained on

application to the Postmaster General), and to deliver impressions of each class of stamps in monthly portions of not less than 500,000, the first portion to be delivered on or before the 1st day of January, 1857.

Offers for the above services, or any portion thereof, endorsed, "Tender for Postage Stamps and Plates," or Postage Stamps only, as the case may be, must be deposited in the Tender-Box, at the Audit Office, Melbourne, at or before Eleven a.m. of Tuesday, the 18th day of November next.

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

Any further information can be obtained on application at the General Post Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Public Works' Office, Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856. ERECTION OF AN ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH STATION AT GISBORNE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, the 25th November, 1856, for the erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Gisborne.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Road Engineer, at Gisborne.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Electric Telegraph Station, at Gisborne," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office, Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856. ERECTION OF AN ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH STATION AT KYNETON.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 25th November, 1856, for the erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Kyneton.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Kyneton.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Electric Telegraph Station at Kyneton," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office, Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856. ERECTION OF AN ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH STATION AT CASTLEMAINE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 25th November, 1856, for the erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Castlemaine.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Resident Warden, Castlemaine.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Electric Telegraph Station at Castlemaine," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office, Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856. ERECTION OF AN ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH STATION AT SANDHURST.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 25th November, 1856, for the erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Sandhurst.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Resident Warden, Sandhurst.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Electric Telegraph Station at Sandhurst," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office, Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856. ERECTION OF AN ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH STATION AT BALLAARAT.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 25th November, 1856, for the erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Ballaarat.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Resident Warden, Ballaarat.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Electric Telegraph Station at Ballaarat," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1856.

ADDITIONS TO THE WATCH-HOUSE AT BELFAST.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 11th November, for the erection of Additions to the Watch-house at Belfast.

Plan and specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, Belfast.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Additions to Watch-house, Belfast," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1856.

**ADDITIONS TO THE POLICE QUARTERS,
WARRNAMBOOL.**

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 11th November, for the Additions to the Police Quarters at Warrnambool.

Plan and Specification may be seen at this Office, and at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, Warrnambool.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Additions to Police Quarters, Warrnambool, and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works' Office,
Melbourne, 5th November, 1856.

TIMBER.

FRESH tenders will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 11th instant, for the supply of a quantity of Hardwood Timber, to be delivered at the Penal Jetty, Gellibrand's Point, Williamstown.

Specification may be seen at this Office.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Timber," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 31st October, 1856.

OATS AND BRAN.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, 10th November, for the supply of—

5000 bushels good sound sweet Feeding Oats
1000 bushels good sweet Bran

The Tenders must be accompanied by samples, and will be received for quantities of not less than 500 bushels of Oats or Bran. Delivery is to be made within four days from the date of acceptance. The price stated to include carriage to the Government Stores, and bags of a strong description suitable for transport.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Oats (or Bran)," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on Friday, 14th November, 1856.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1856.

CONVEYANCE OF PRISONERS.

TENDERS will be received up to the 10th November, 1856 for the conveyance of prisoners from Ballarat and the intermediate stations, Buninyong and Meredith, to Geelong; and from Sandhurst and the intermediate stations, Castlemaine, Elphinstone, Kyneton and Gisborne, to Melbourne.

The prisoners will start from Sandhurst and Ballarat once a fortnight.

Those from Sandhurst will start on Saturdays, halting on the Sunday at Castlemaine, on the Monday at Kyneton, on the Tuesday at Gisborne, and arriving in Melbourne on the Wednesday following. Those from Ballarat will leave on Fridays, arriving at Meredith the same evening, and proceeding to Geelong on the following day.

In every case an Escort will be provided.

The tenders should specify how much per head the whole distance; also, how much per head for prisoners taken up at intermediate stations, and the description of vehicle to be used, with the number of horses to draw it.—Four wheeled waggons preferred.

No tender will be entertained unless it contains the names of two respectable parties who are willing to become securities for the proper performance of the contract.

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Tenders, which must be prepaid, to be endorsed, "Tenders for the conveyance of Prisoners," and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Audit Office, Melbourne.

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By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Surveyor General's Department,
Mining Commission,
Assay Office, Melbourne,
19th September, 1856.

BORING FOR COAL.

TENDERS will be received until One o'clock on Saturday, the 9th of November, for the execution of certain borings between Brighton and Point Nepean.

Specifications to be seen on application at this Office, from Ten o'clock till Four p.m., daily.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Boring," and addressed to the Chairman of the Mining Commission, Assay Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
Melbourne, 6th October, 1856.

TO LANDSCAPE GARDENERS AND OTHERS.

A PREMIUM of One hundred pounds is hereby offered for the best designs for laying out the

Royal Park,
Prince's Park,
South Park, and the
Government House Reserve, South Yarra,

tracings of which can be procured at this Office.

All designs must be executed on separate sheets of drawing paper, transmitted attached or not, at discretion, to strainers or backings, but without varnishing, ornamental borders, margins, or mountings.

Each design to be distinguished by a device or motto only, marked on the right hand lower corner of each respective drawing, and accompanied by a letter with the motto or device marked on the envelope, and containing the author's name and address.

The designs to be the property of the Government.

All designs to be forwarded, under cover, to this Office, on or before the first day of November next.

N.B. The time for receiving the above designs has been extended to the fifteenth day of November.

NOTICE.

ADVERTISEMENTS forwarded by Poundkeepers and others, intended for insertion in the "VICTORIA GOVERNMENT GAZETTE," must be legibly written, on one side of the paper only, and 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.

PROVIDENT INSTITUTE OF VICTORIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that Valentine Hellicar, Esq., has retired from the trust and direction, and that Thomas Comer, Esq., has retired from the direction of this Institute.

JOSEPH MACARDY,
Managing Director.
No. 1331.

30, Queen-street, Melbourne.

TEMPLESTOWE BRIDGE COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Legislature of the Colony of Victoria, for leave to bring in a Bill or Act to incorporate a certain Joint Stock Company, called, "The Templestowe Bridge Company," and to enable the said Company to maintain a bridge erected by them over the River Yarra Yarra at Templestowe, and to levy such tolls as to the said Legislature shall seem fit, and with such further and other powers as may be granted by the said Legislature for the purposes aforesaid.

Dated the fifth day of November, 1856.

(For the Committee) JAMES R. HORNBY.
No. 1389.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE undersigned will not be accountable for any debts contracted by his son James Goulbourne Davies.

JOHN DAVIES,
Of the Hermitage, Harrow, and
Compton House, Geelong.

Harrow,
21st October, 1856.

No. 1379.

MUNICIPALITY OF WILLAMSTOWN.

A Certified Account of all Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipal Council of Williamstown, for the half-year ending the 11th October, 1856.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
First moiety of Legislative Grant	2000	0	0
Moiety of Police Fines incurred under the 18th Victoria No. 14	23	8	0
Fines of Inspector of Nuisances	2	12	6
Amount of Town Rate collected to 11th October, 1856	809	0	0
Discounts	1	11	3
Balance overdrawn at English, Scottish and Australian Chartered Bank	65	9	0
	£2902	0	9

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Preliminary expenses incurred at the first election of Councillors	21	11	0
Public Works	2332	11	1
Furniture for Council Chambers and Surveyor's sundries	51	4	6
Advertising, printing and stationery	65	6	3
Candles, fuel, postage and sundries	23	15	7
Five months' rent of Council Chambers	62	10	0
Salaries—			
Town Clerk, to 30th September inclusive	125	16	8
Municipal Surveyor, ditto	122	3	10
Inspector of Nuisances, ditto	20	1	10
Servant, cleaning offices	5	0	0
Assessor, on account of commission on assessment	47	0	0
Engraving Corporation Seal, and press for ditto	25	0	0
	£2902	0	9

Audited and found correct, 20th October, 1856.

WM. H. LITCHEFIELD, } Auditors.
D. McNAB TAYLOR, }

STATEMENT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF WILLAMSTOWN FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING ON THE 11TH OCTOBER, 1856.

His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, by a Proclamation dated the 12th day of March, 1856, duly declared Williamstown a municipal district within the meaning of the Act 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, "An Act for the Establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria."

The following gentlemen were elected as members of the Council, viz.:—Messrs. Stewart, Mason, Armstrong, Verdon, Maclean, Moxham and Langford. The Council elected Councillor Thomas Mason as Chairman, and during the last six months thirty-seven general meetings have been held, of which

The Chairman has attended	37
Councillor Stewart	35
Councillor Armstrong	26
Councillor Verdon	34
Councillor Maclean	29
Councillor Moxham	35
Councillor Langford	37

The absence of Councillor Verdon from two meetings was due to his presiding at the time as Chairman of the Conference of Municipal Delegates. The weekly meetings are held on Thursdays, at half past three p.m.

The following officers have been appointed:—1. Town Clerk and Collector of Rates; 2. Surveyor; 3. Solicitor; 4. Assessor; 5. Inspector of Nuisances; 6. Town Herd; 7. Servant. The Council engaged suitable chambers for one year at a rental of £150.

Three permanent committees have been formed for Public Works, Finance and Markets.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The total length of footpaths formed and being formed is 6½ miles, of which 4½ miles are metalled, in addition to which 600 yards in length of paved crossings of streets, and 404 yards of paved gutters are completed or well advanced. For effecting the above works the following materials have been purchased, viz.:—

3650 cubic yards of broken stone,
81,000 pitching stones for crossings, gutters, &c.

The formation of the principal carriage ways will be proceeded with immediately.

FINANCE.

The Council appointed his Worship the Chairman Treasurer, and opened an account with the English, Scottish and Australian Chartered Bank. Of the Legislative grant to this district of £4000, one moiety only has been received. The estimates of public works necessary to be undertaken during the current year amounted to £10,000. The assessment represented 1457 rateable properties, and amounted to £68,444. This was reduced by appeals to £62,910. A rate of one shilling in the pound was struck, of which, to the 11th October last, the sum of £809 had been collected. Negotiations are in progress for a loan of £5000, to be applied to the formation of portions of leading thoroughfares.

RATE-PAYERS' ROLL.

The Rate-payers' Roll has been carefully compiled, revised, and will shortly be printed.

BYE-LAWS.

The assent of His Excellency has been given to ten bye-laws; other bye-laws of an important character are under consideration.

ENDOWMENT, &c.

The question of municipal endowment having been introduced for the consideration of this Council, it was considered expedient to submit this, together with some other important questions, to the deliberations of a Conference of Municipal Delegates, which, at the suggestion of this Council, was held in August last. All the then existing municipal districts were represented at it, and the report of the proceedings of the Conference is now under the consideration of the various Councils, whose renewed deliberations upon it will, it is confidently hoped, tend to the immediate practical benefit and progressive development of municipal institutions in Victoria generally.

(Signed) THOMAS MASON,
Chairman.
JOHN REES,
Town Clerk.

Municipal Council Chambers,
Williamstown, 30th October, 1856.

No. 1362.

NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have this day entered into co-partnership, under the style and firm of "Rogers, Carrere and Co.," for the purpose of conducting a commission business.

116, Collins-street west, Melbourne, 1st November, 1856.
NATHAN ROGERS, JUN.,
WILLIAM CARRERE,
W. KENT HALL,
ROBERT N. WRIGHT,
By his attorney,
WILLIAM CARRERE.

No. 1376.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE firm of "Rogers, Warfield, Lord and Co.," expires by limitation this day. The business will be closed by the partners, either of whom is authorised to sign in liquidation only.

116, Collins-street west, Melbourne, 1st November, 1856.
NATHAN ROGERS, JUN.,
HENRY M. WARFIELD,
By his Attorneys,
SAML. P. LORD,
WILLIAM CARRERE,
SAML. P. LORD,
WILLIAM CARRERE.

No. 1377.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Thomas Bray, Joseph Bray and James Wood, and carried under the name of the "Trial Saw Mills Company," is this day dissolved by mutual consent, in so far as the said James Wood is concerned. The business will in future be carried on by Thomas and Joseph Bray, who will receive all moneys due, and discharge all liabilities on account of the said company.

Geelong, 1st October, 1866.

THOS. BRAY,
JAMES WOOD,
JOSH. BRAY.

Witness—
GEORGE WRIGHT.

No. 1350.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership subsisting under the style of "Lumley and Macartney," store-keepers, St. Kilda, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business for the future will be conducted by Macartney Brothers, by whom all the debts of the late firm will be paid and all debts due received.

17th October, 1856.

JOS. B. MACARTNEY,
THOMAS E. LUMLEY.

Witness—
JAMES D. MACARTNEY.

No. 1388.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between William Payne and James Crow, under the style or firm of "Payne and Crow," Spring Creek, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the firm to be paid to William Payne.

Beechworth, 24th October, 1856.

WILLIAM PAYNE,
JAMES CROW.

Witness—
ALEXANDER BAGNALL.

No. 1370.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between Thomas Latham Reynolds, Eli Abbott, Nehemiah Guthridge, and Richard Guthridge, trading under the style or title of "Reynolds, Abbott and Co.," as merchants and general storekeepers, at Beechworth, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The liabilities of the late firm will be discharged by E. Abbott, who will also receive all debts due to the firm, and his receipt will be a sufficient discharge of the same.

29th October, 1856.

THOMAS LATHAM REYNOLDS,
ELI ABBOTT,
NEHEMIAH GUTHRIDGE,

Witness to the signatures of T. L. Reynolds, E. Abbott and N. Guthridge—
JOHN GREGORY.

RICHD. GUTHRIDGE.

Witness to the signature of Richd. Guthridge—
EDGAR WRIGHT.

No. 1371.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned Noah Raper and George Crossley Smith is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and all debts and credits of the said firm will be received and paid by the said Noah Raper.

NOAH RAPER,
G. C. SMITH.

Witness—
GEO. CANN.

No. 1374.

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

Between HELEN QUARRY, Plaintiff,
and
JOHN HUNTER AND ANOTHER, Defendants,
For Defendants' costs.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction at the Star Inn, Swanston-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the Twenty-ninth day of November, 1856, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, the right, title and interest (if any) of the abovenamed plaintiff in and to all that piece or parcel of land situate and having frontages to Queen-street and Collins-street, in the City of Melbourne, known as Annand's Chambers, &c., and being allotment No. 1 of section 13, together with all buildings erected thereon and rights attached thereto, situate in the county of Bourke and parish of Jika Jika, Colony of Victoria, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

GEORGE BURNS,
Sheriff's Officer.

No. 1395.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alexander Qualtrough, of the city of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, has by indenture bearing date the twenty-first day of October last, assigned to John Cunningham, of the city of Melbourne, gentleman, all his estate and effects (wearing apparel and necessities only excepted), in trust, for the general benefit of his creditors, and the said indenture is attested, as to the execution thereof, by the said Alexander Qualtrough and John Cunningham, before Samuel Edward Freeman, of Melbourne, aforesaid, one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said Colony of Victoria, and is now lying for inspection and execution by the creditors at the Office of Messrs. Cunningham and Creswell, 13, Swanston-street, Melbourne.

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

JOHN CUNNINGTON,
A. QUALTROUGH.

Signed by the said Alexander Qualtrough and John Cunningham, in the presence of—
S. E. FREEMAN, J.P.

No. 1392.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST on the 26th October, from Creswick's Creek, a bay horse, branded a off shoulder, long tail, in good condition, had a rope attached to neck when lost. Above reward given if delivered at C. Meyer and Co.'s, in Creswick's Creek. No. 1372.

NOTICE.

THOMAS DOBSON, give notice that I have purchased a bullock, branded apparently at the time only G.D. Since then I have observed another brand on the near shoulder C.T. If any person can give a legal claim to the same bullock before the expiration of one calendar month from this date, he may have it by applying to me.

THOMAS DOBSON.

Glenfern Saw Mills,
5th November, 1856.

No. 1375.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Green Gully, 28th October last, Bendigo road, a bay horse, about fifteen hands high, switch tail, branded JB near shoulder, 60 under saddle near side, [] with bar through centre off shoulder. Whoever will bring the said horse to Mr. Neville's Hotel, Harcourt, or to James Bosustow, Harcourt-street, North Melbourne, shall receive £5 reward.

No. 1373.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST, stolen or strayed from Moorabbin, near Queenstown, on Monday night, the 3rd November, 1856, a chesnut mare, white face, branded BI near shoulder, S near thigh, diamond

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diamond off neck. The above reward will be paid to any person returning the same to Wm. Durgess, near Queenstown, and Five pounds in addition on conviction of the thief. No. 1378.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or stolen, about 14th September, from Murghe-boluc, a black mare, branded GM near shoulder, and under saddle near ribs, JS off shoulder. Twenty pounds reward will be paid on conviction of the thief if stolen; or Ten pounds on recovery of the mare, if strayed. Apply to Messrs. O'Farrell and Son, Geelong, or Mr. James Stout, Murgheboluc.

No. 1351.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Armstrong's Diggings, a dark bay horse, branded I-C near shoulder, switch tail, stands over LL sixteen hands, carriage stamp. Five pounds reward will be paid on recovery of the same.

Apply to Messrs. Earl and Walton, Mount Ararat.

No. 1383.

NOTICE.

STRAYED into my paddock, a black mare, long switch tail, white face, near hind fetlock white, brands 48 off neck, JP conjoined off shoulder. Will be restored to owner by paying reasonable expenses. Apply E. S. Plummer, Preston Arms, Preston.

No. 1382.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Captain Adams's Station, Sunday Creek, Sydney road, on the 19th October:—
1 bay mare, branded WCD—40 near neck
1 bay horse, branded BBg near shoulder
Five pounds reward will be paid on delivery of the horses to John Finlayson, Sunday Creek.

No. 1380.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.
STOLEN or strayed from Mount Ararat, on the 24th October, a bay horse, about sixteen hands high, short square tail, branded diamond and M near neck, diamond near shoulder with blotch underneath the diamond. £5 reward will be paid if strayed, £10 if stolen, on conviction of the thief. Application to be made to Mr. R. Gibbs, storekeeper, Mount Ararat.

No. 1386.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mount Ararat, about 1st September, a chesnut mare, hollow backed, scar on breast, branded AG or HG near shoulder, and heavy in foal. £5 reward will be paid on recovery. Apply to Messrs. Earl and Walton, Mount Ararat.

No. 1384.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Hard Hill, Armstrong's Diggings, on the 27th October, a dark iron grey filly, brand A in horse shoe near shoulder, A off neck, sand crack near hind hoof. Any person bringing the same to Messrs. Jones and Low, Mount Ararat, or Mr. Wakeham, Pleasant Creek, will receive the above reward.

No. 1387.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mount Ararat, on the 1st November, 1856, a draught horse, color black, branded GL near saddle, small star in forehead, inside of off hind fetlock white, white mark behind each ear. Five pounds reward will be paid on recovery of the same. Application to be made to Mr. Tomkins, Lone Star Store, Mount Ararat.

No. 1385.

JNO. ROBERTSON,
Owner.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Fiery Creek, about the 28th of November last, a black horse, small star, white near hind foot, branded like \bar{H} near shoulder. £5 on recovery of the horse, or £10 on conviction of the thief. John Burns, at J. and E. Hogan's Store, Mount Ararat. No. 1391.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Bridge Inn, River Plenty, on the night of Sunday the 2nd instant, a chesnut mare, branded M near shoulder, and 1 bay mare, blaze down face, one hind foot white, natural light colored spot off neck, branded M near shoulder, diamond near jaw, both are draught, HN, (conjoined) breed, the chesnut being the heaviest. The above reward will be paid on conviction of the thief, if stolen, and recovery of the horses; if strayed, £5 each will be paid upon delivery of the horses at Wright's Stable, or to the owner, Bridge Inn, River Plenty. MOSES THOMAS. No. 1390.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST on or about the 5th October, a dark grey mare, aged five years, fifteen and a half hands high, light face, saddle marked, branded star near shoulder, no shoes when missed on hind feet. The above reward will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the recovery of the said mare. Address Mr. John Foster, Old House at Home, Dunolly. No. 1393.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS.

STRAYED from Chinaman's Flat, near Maryborough, since the 24th ultimo, a mouse colored mare mule, with four white legs. The above reward will be given to any party bringing the above mule to Messrs. Harbison and Watson's Store, Alma, Dunolly, or Chinaman's Flat. No. 1397.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST on Friday night, 31st October, from Sawpit Gully, a large black draught mare, branded CB near shoulder, and CB near hip, besides other brands not very distinct on the off neck. £5 reward will be given for information leading to her recovery, or £10 if stolen on conviction of the thief. Apply to Cox Butcher, Bridge Inn, Bet Bet, or to the York Hotel, Sawpit Gully. No. 1396.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or stolen:—
1 bay mare, dark points, branded F near saddle
1 black horse, branded L near shoulder, white near hind fetlock, small star on forehead, long switch tail
Twenty pounds reward will be given on conviction of the thief if stolen, or £10 if strayed, when brought to Mr. Stevenson, storekeeper, Black Hill, Ballarat. No. 1398.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or stolen from Coolart Station, Western Port:—
1 bay horse, two hind feet white, stripe face, \bar{M} in circle near shoulder, JH off shoulder
1 brown horse, DB near shoulder, \bar{JH} off shoulder
1 bay horse, stripe face, sixteen hands high, four years, JH off shoulder
1 chesnut horse, fifteen hands, five years, JH off shoulder
1 black mare, foal at foot, aged, JH off shoulder
The above reward will be paid upon recovery of the horses and conviction of the thief, or £5 each if strayed.
JOSEPH HAM,
No. 1299. Or at Mr. Dougharty's Yards, Melbourne.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or strayed from near Kyneton, a bay entire colt, yearling, no brand, white face, three white fetlocks. Any person returning the same to Thomas Flynn, near Kyneton, or to John McCormick, Sawpit Gully, will receive the above reward.—28th October, 1856. No. 1340.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed from Mount Ararat, on the 7th October, a brown horse, four white legs, blaze down face, white patch near side, branded JB near neck. If stolen, the above reward will be paid on apprehension and conviction of the thief; or if strayed, five pounds will be paid on recovery of the same. Application to be made to Messrs. Hogan and Co., or Messrs. Scallan and Co., storekeepers, Mount Ararat. No. 1359.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO AUCTIONEERS AND POUNDKEEPERS.

LOST on the 20th October instant, a black horse, branded GHI near shoulder, WE or WF near rump, blaze down the face. The above reward will be paid on recovery of the horse, by John Watson, Rushworth. No. 1349.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

LOST between Kilmore and Seymour, on Thursday, 25th September, a leather mail bag, containing letters and newspapers directed for Benalla. The above reward will be given to any person restoring the same to the Postmaster General, Melbourne, or to any of Foster and Vingo's agents. No. 1324.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED from Nuggety Gully, on the 13th October, two horses, viz:—a dark bay horse, branded TP near shoulder, and B off jaw; and a light bay horse, branded IIE conjoined near shoulder, II near thigh, with a bob tail. Any person bringing the same horses to Mr. Rutledge's Store, Rushworth, Goulburn Diggings, will receive the above reward. No. 1305.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Lake Learmonth, on the 21st instant:—
1 bay draught horse, branded CK off shoulder, \bar{A} near shoulder, like CS near neck, scar near ribs
1 bay saddle horse, JP (JP conjoined) near shoulder
1 bay pony, branded P off shoulder
£20 reward will be given on conviction of the thief or thieves, or £10 if strayed on delivery of the same, or giving such information as will lead to their recovery, to Easson Brothers, Carse of Gowrie Farm, near Lake Learmonth. No. 1322.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Hard Hill, Creswick, on or about Monday, the 27th October, a black mare, branded horse-shoe near shoulder, 91 off shoulder, long switch tail, white blaze down forehead, off hind fetlock white.
If stolen, £20 reward on conviction, or £5 on recovery of the mare if strayed.
GEORGE SAUNDERS,
No. 1355. Hard Hill, Creswick.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Tea Tree Creek, on Sunday, 19th October, a bay horse, branded \bar{J} B (the \bar{J} conjoined)
near shoulder, BL off shoulder; also a bay draught horse, branded S near neck, C near shoulder, SM off neck. The above reward, upon conviction of the thief, if stolen; or a reward of £5 each on restoration to Mr. Thos. McPherson, blacksmith, Flemington. No. 1328.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED on the 15th October, from Mr. Ganly's, Serpentine Station, a bay mare, in foal, branded BD near shoulder, may have MK conjoined also on near shoulder, was also marked on the near stifle, where she was wounded. The above reward will be paid on delivery to Mr. Harris, superintendent, at the station, or Mr. Casey, at the Advertiser office, Sandhurst. No. 1357.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mount Ararat, a grey horse, branded C near neck, S near shoulder, saddle and collar marked; also, a bay horse, heavy draught, star on forehead, black feet, branded small w near shoulder. The finder will be paid £10 for each of the above horses on information and recovery, at Mr. Fairley's store, Mount Ararat, or Messrs. Sheppard and Gosling, storemen, Geelong. No. 1358.

Impoundings.

IMPOUNDED at Murchison Pound, 28th October, 1856.

1 bay mare, switch tail, branded WW near shoulder, L off neck, like E or P off neck, scar off shoulder
1 grey horse, long tail, branded like EM near shoulder conjoined, M near cheek
1 chesnut horse, switch tail, shod, branded like S hook near shoulder, small star, like \bar{O} off neck
1 black horse, switch tail, shod, branded like L O near shoulder
1 yellow sided poley cow, branded O (stroke through the O) JH
off ribs, O with stroke through it near rump, 4 near ribs

1 red and white cow, J off rump, IC off ribs
 1 brindle cow, RE blotched near rump, R near ribs, like CA conjoined or 2 near back
 1 red and white bullock, like MD near rump

1 brindle bullock, 155 off ribs, TRP near ribs, HG conjoined near shoulder, PR near rump
 1 red sided cow, AL off rump
 1 red sided steer, white face, AL near rump
 1 red bullock, crump's horn, like T off rump

1 red and white bullock, JB (tail of J to right) off rump, TL conjoined over MK near ribs, MK near thigh
 1 dark red cow, WB off rump and thigh
 1 brown sided poley steer, S off rump, S off thigh
 1 yellow and white cow, short tail, CP off rump, 129 near rump, like OD conjoined near back

1 red steer, 1 off ribs
 1 strawberry heifer, VJ near rump, J off rump
 1 red bullock, WZM off ribs
 1 black and white cow, JV off rump, K near rump
 1 brown snaily horn bullock, branded like toasting-fork off rump, O blotch near ribs

1 white and red bullock, JL near rump, like inverted heart off ribs, like wideawake hat brand off back
 1 brindle steer, IH off rump, IH off thigh, 2 off ribs
 1 strawberry cow, WK conjoined near ribs, MW near rump, RPW off ribs
 1 brindle sided bullock, PH off rump and thigh, B near shoulder, blotch under

1 red sided snaily bullock, M off ribs, M off shoulder
 1 white cow, J off rump, JV near rump
 1 red sided steer, J off rump, JV near rump
 1 brindle sided poley cow, TH off rump

1 mouse colored steer, CAY near ribs, diamond off shoulder
 1 red and white bullock, GH off rump, ORR off ribs
 S hook in circle under
 1 brindle and white bullock, qT off rump, T off thigh, C near ribs, W near neck

1 red and white cow, HW off rump and thigh
 1 red cow, SS hooks off ribs
 1 strawberry bullock, W hook off ribs
 1 black and white bullock, like HC conjoined near rump, G near neck

1 red cow, CT off ribs, like TC near rump, 47 off rump
 1 red and white cow, invisible brand off and near rump, off horn broken
 1 strawberry steer, like HP conjoined near shoulder and thigh
 1 red stag, TW near ribs and rump, JV off rump
 1 hoop horn red and white bullock, M near rump, blotch near ribs, like CK off ribs

1 yellow steer, JV near rump, J off rump
 1 brindle cow, JV near rump, J off rump
 1 red sided cow, LJS off ribs
 1 red sided cow, JV off rump, J near rump

On 3rd November
 1 light grey mare, saddle and collar marked, g near shoulder, g off neck, g off shoulder, g near rump

1 brown mare, long tail, scar near rump, EG near ribs, EW near shoulder, B off shoulder, EG near neck, shod

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.
 N. R. DUNCOMBE BOND,
 Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

THE horses advertised in *Government Gazette* of 31st October to be sold on 19th November, should be 3rd December, 1856.

N. R. D. BOND,
 Poundkeeper, Murchison.

IMPOUNDED at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 28th October, 1856.

1 brown snail horn bullock, white back and belly, slit off ear, OB off rump, X off thigh, AJ upside down off ribs, like two small hearts near back, heart near rump
 1 red strawberry sided bullock, snail horns, off horn broken, blotch like OO near rump, illegible near ribs

1 brindle sided bullock, white back and belly, 3 off ribs, illegible like T and blotch or TT off rump, 3 off thigh, IS off back

1 yellow sided steer, white back and belly, EAV off ribs
 1 dark red bullock, large cock horns, spotted belly, slit off ear, OJ off rump, X off thigh, AJ upside down off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.
 ARCH. MACDONALD,
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Carisbrook, 3rd November, 1856, by J. Bucknall, Esq.—Damages £s. each and the entire £5.

1 bright bay horse, star and snip, near hind foot white, little white off hind foot, TM near shoulder
 1 bay mare, star, streak and snip, near hind foot white, sore wither, W near shoulder
 1 dark brown mare, black points, no visible brands, scars off and near saddle
 1 dark brown mare, like blotched AS near shoulder, JL off shoulder, star, black points
 1 chesnut horse, blaze, hind feet white, sore back, supposed 1120 near saddle, TP and supposed ET below off shoulder
 1 roan or iron grey entire, little white both hind feet, hook and a supposed brand above off shoulder, star, streak and snip
 1 roan horse, remarkably mettled, little white off hind foot, blotch brands both shoulders, S off neck, new brand JQ near neck

By H. N. Simpson, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

1 bay horse, star, speckled on body and off fore leg, like D near shoulder, S off shoulder, and a supposed near rump, broken hobbles

1 black horse, little white near hind coronet, star and streak running down off nostril, JA near ribs, scars near rump and off saddle, broken hobbles—Damages 20s.

1 dun colored mare, like FJ or EJ near shoulder, near fore and both hind feet white, little white off fore foot, small star, streak and snip, off hind foot cut and tied up, broken hobbles

By D. Campbell, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

1 bay mare, JS near shoulder (the tail of the J turned to right), star, small snip, little white near hind foot
 1 bay horse, black points, saddle marked, C4 near shoulder, H off neck, P.S.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.
 JAMES B. RHODES,
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Braybrook Pound, 2nd November, 1856.

1 large bay mare, branded TR off shoulder, JCR near shoulder, rope and chain round neck
 1 dapple grey mare, near hip down, lump under jaw, like X near shoulder
 1 dark chesnut gelding, off hind fetlock white, hobble chains on, B near shoulder
 1 bay mare, near hind fetlock white, switch tail, W near shoulder, W under saddle

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

CHAS. M. WILLIAMS,
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Newbridge, 30th October, 1856.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

1 red sided cow, JT off ribs, X off rump
 1 roan strawberry cow, cock horns, Q off ribs, 2 near rump, TS off rump

1 black cow, gCS near ribs
 1 red cow, cock horns, H near loin, T off shoulder, L off ribs, O with dot in centre off rump
 1 red bull calf, progeny of above, no visible brand
 Damages £1 each.

1 bay filly, black points, SB (the S a hook) near shoulder
 1 light bay filly, blaze, near hind foot white, grizzly mane and tail, SB (the S a hook) near shoulder
 1 chesnut roan yearling colt, no visible brand
 1 bay horse, blaze, near eye walled, white legs, long tail, like illegible brands before B near shoulder, like 1K off shoulder

1 dark bay horse, black points, long switch tail, collar marked, shod, PG near shoulder
 JM

On 1st November.

1 bay horse, blaze, near fore foot white, long switch tail, scars about neck, O—O near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

WILLIAM STEEL,
 For JOHN PALMER,
 Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Ballan:

1 bay mare, black points, hobbled, like O—CS near shoulder
 1 black cow, white back and belly, AS (the S a hook) near ribs, like 1 off thigh

1 red calf, progeny of above

1 red cow, white face, 7 near ribs, JE near rump
 1 strawberry poley cow, like S near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

HENRY A. COOPER,
 Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.
 IMPOUNDED at Wangaratta, 30th October, 1856.

1 chestnut horse, white face, pulled tail, shod, slightly collar marked, GH off, indistinct brand over near shoulder
 1 bay mare, roan hairs through her, three white feet, white face, collar marked, shod, GH off, WI near shoulder
 1 black horse, white face, near fore and hind foot white, near, GH off shoulder
 1 bay mare, JM near side under saddle, GH off shoulder
 1 dark bay or brown mare, long tail, small white speck in forehead, collar marked, SM near shoulder

1 dapple grey horse, saddle and collar marked, like R off, C in circle near shoulder, like T off ribs
 1 bay horse, saddle and collar marked, docked tail, JL near shoulder, JL off shoulder, JL near, oz off neck
 like □
 R

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

ALEXANDER TONE,
 Poundkeeper.

15s. 6d.
 IMPOUNDED at Wattle Creek, 28th October, 1856, by R. Blackwood, Esq.

1 roan mare, star, switch tail, W near shoulder, scar near hip, scar off thigh
 1 black horse, shod on three feet, RN near shoulder, HI near back, 5 off back, short tail, collar marked
 1 light bay horse, switch tail, saddle marked, shoe on off hind foot with leather under it, MS near neck, near shoulder
 1 dark bay or brown mare, switch tail, star, white near hind coronet, collar marked, near shoulder, S off shoulder
 1 bay horse, black points, large scar near loin, CY near neck, triangle over D blotch and Y under near shoulder, CY off shoulder
 1 light bay horse, switch tail, hind fetlocks white, I across J near shoulder, like EC below, off fore fetlock swollen
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

A. BARKER,
 Poundkeeper.

14s.
 IMPOUNDED at Longwood, 1st November, 1856, by William Furlonge, Esq.

1 black and white steer, illegible brand near loins, like EP near ribs and rump, like C off rump
 1 red and white cock horned bullock, F in heart off rump
 1 yellow and white poley cow, CPR near ribs, JG near rump, like KC off ribs, HC off rump
 1 red and white wide horned bullock, 4 off ribs, AK conjoined off thigh
 1 red bullock, white on rump and chest, both ears marked, no brand
 1 red bullock, white on rump, down horns, M near rump, like W off rump, like off thigh
 1 white bullock, BW off ribs
 1 black and white cock horned bullock, near rump, WB off rump, 7 off loins, blotch near side
 1 red bullock, three legs of man off ribs, T off hip
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

J. ARTHUR SYMONDS,
 Poundkeeper.

18s.
 IMPOUNDED at Avoca, 31st October, 1856.

1 bay mare, collar marked, sore back, H near shoulder, off neck and shoulder
 1 red steer, near ear marked, B near back
 1 black and white poley cow, near ear marked, B near back
 1 red and white steer, near ear marked, blotch near back
 1 yellow and white steer, near ear marked, blotch near back
 1 red and white heifer, ears marked, near back, cross c mpasses near rump
 1 white cow, off ear marked, AM near shoulder and rump

1 roan bull, ears marked, G off shoulder
 1 red bull, P off ribs and rump, off loin
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

WM. R. COLE BAKER,
 Poundkeeper.

11s.

NOTICE.

THE following horses were impounded at the Avoca Pound on the 8th October, 1856, but did not appear in the *Government Gazette*, in consequence of the letter going astray:
 1 bay filly, black points, JC near shoulder
 1 bay draught mare, star, hind and near fore feet white, shod, in two places near neck, sq near shoulder, I in circle over UU off shoulder
 1 dark grey mare, blaze, off hind foot white, E and cross off shoulder, HO near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

WM. R. COLE BAKER,
 Poundkeeper.

10s.

IMPOUNDED at Deep Creek, 31st October, 1856.

1 bay horse, star, docked tail, saddle marked, near hind foot white, near hip down, (the JH conjoined and partly on the S) near shoulder, OO (a small o inside the lower O) off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

W. SMITH,
 Poundkeeper.

9s.

IMPOUNDED at the River Leigh, 1st November, 1856.—Damages claimed £5.
 1 dappled iron grey horse, long switch tail, saddle and collar marked, enlargement off hind leg, C or G off neck, reversed off shoulder, T, E near shoulder

On 3rd November.

1 yellow bullock, A near horn, CHE (the HE conjoined) near shoulder, I near rump, HR conjoined near thigh
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

ALFRED DENHAM,
 Poundkeeper.

9s. 6d.

NOTICE.

THE red and white bullock formerly impounded, advertised as branded MK (the MK conjoined) near ribs, should also have like small M near shoulder. Will be sold on the 19th November, 1856.

ALFRED DENHAM,
 Poundkeeper.

Leigh Pound,
 1st November, 1856.

8s.

IMPOUNDED at Horsham, 29th October, 1856.

1 iron grey entire horse, blaze in face, long switch tail, saddle marked, GU near shoulder—Damages £10, laid by Mr. Cameron
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd December, 1856.

W. SEELEY,
 Poundkeeper.

7s.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER acknowledges the receipt of the undermentioned sums:—

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November 6.—N. R. D. Bond	1	0	0

J. FERRIS,
 Government Printer.

6th November, 1856.

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