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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

[1857.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

I HEREBY notify that I have this day received a return to the writ issued by me on the fourteenth day of August last, for the election of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria for the Electoral District of West Bourke, in the place of Robert McDougall, Esquire, resigned, and that by the endorsement on such writ it appears that
JOSEPH WILKIE, Esquire,
was duly elected member for the said electoral district.

FRANS. MURPHY,
Speaker.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

TRUSTEES OF THE GROUND SET APART AT AVOCA AS A GENERAL CEMETERY.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of

FRANCIS KNOX ORME,
JAMES BASTIAN RICHARDS,
WILLIAM BARNETT,
GEORGE JENNINGS,
HENRY KNOTT, and
GEORGE BHOWS,

to be Trustees of the ground set apart at Avoca as a site for a General Cemetery, under the provisions of the Act 17 Victoria No. 12.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

TRUSTEES OF THE GROUND SET APART AT LONG GULLY AS A CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL SITE.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of

JOHN WILSON,
ABRAHAM ROBERTS,
THOMAS NOBLE,
JONATHAN COLENSO, and
WILLIAM BANNERMAN,

to be Trustees of the ground set apart at Long Gully as a site for a Church of England School, under the provisions of the Act 16 Victoria No. 28.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 3rd August, 1857.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

WILLIAM TURNER, Esquire,
to be the Secretary to the Post Office of Victoria;

HENRY PRESCOTT BANCE, Esquire,
to be an Inspector of Country Post Offices.

By His Excellency's Command,
W. H. F. MITCHELL.

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Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

MELBOURNE LAND SALE.—28TH SEPTEMBER, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 25th August last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at Melbourne on the 28th September instant: Notice is hereby given that suburban lots 7 and 8 have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 3rd September, 1857.

CASTLEMAINE LAND SALE.—9TH SEPTEMBER, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 4th August last, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Castlemaine on the 9th September instant: Notice is hereby given that lots 35 to 40 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

MARYBOROUGH LAND SALE.—10TH SEPTEMBER, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 4th August last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at Maryborough on the 10th September instant: Notice is hereby given that the improvements on lots 18 and 42 have been valued respectively at £16 and £14, which amounts must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

MARYBOROUGH LAND SALE.—11TH SEPTEMBER, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 4th August last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at Maryborough on the 11th September instant: Notice is hereby given that the upset price of town lots 1 and 2 has been fixed at £40 per acre.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

MALDON LAND SALE.—15TH SEPTEMBER, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 4th August last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at Maldon on the 8th September instant, since postponed to the 15th: Notice is hereby given that one month from the day of sale will be allowed to remove improvements from lot 24; also the improvements on lot 25 have been valued at 80*l.*—the upset price of the said lots have been fixed at 8*l.* and 400*l.* respectively, which amounts must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

LAND PURCHASED BY SELECTION.

RETURN of Lands purchased by Selection during the period from the 1st to the 31st day of August, 1857, inclusive.

Lot.	Acreage.	Section.	Date when offered for Sale.	County.	Parish.	Extent.	Price per acre.	When Selected.	PURCHASERS.		Residence.	Deposit Forfeited.	Amount Paid.
									Name.	Residence.			
45	12	W	21st Dec., 1855	Williers	Warrong	A. 320 0 0 R. 0 0 0 P. 0 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	1st August...	W. N. Hosking	Belfast	No offer	220 0 0	
14	14	N	8th Aug., 1855	"	Boranboram	25 1 16	1 0 0	3rd "	Joseph Porter	"	"	25 7 0	
56	7	7	18th July, 1856	Dalhousie	Goldie	118 0 0	2 1 0	"	Robert Stewart	Campbellfield	Minus £25	241 18 0	
23	6	1	7th March, 1855	Talbot	Franklin	10 0 0	2 10 0	5th "	Robert Moore	Oakleigh	No offer	25 0 0	
7	6	6	27th June, 1855	Unamed	Shelburne	32 1 16	2 13 0	"	J. Conolon and T. Hogan	Sandhurst	Minus £9	78 10 0	
34	8	C	31st May, 1855	"	Avenel	67 2 0	1 0 0	6th "	Richard Shelton	Pakenham	No offer	67 10 0	
55	10	6	30th July, 1856	Mornington	Pakenham	414 2 26	1 0 0	"	James Batho	"	"	414 13 3	
10	2	3	19th May, 1857	Normanby	Drumburg	100 0 0	1 0 0	3rd "	Donald Cameron	Drumburg	"	100 0 0	
3	3	3	30th March, 1857	Unamed	Glenpatrick	49 3 0	2 0 0	"	C. W. Fryatt	Wimmera	Minus £10	91 10 9	
14	1	1	29th Dec., 1856	Normanby	Barrowatha	58 0 0	1 4 0	"	Lindsay Clarke	Woolshed	Minus £7 2s	62 13 3	
15	3	16	23rd Feb., 1857	Talbot	South Hamilton	160 0 0	1 0 0	6th "	W. J. T. Clarke	Portland	No offer	160 0 0	
24	24	39	4th Oct., 1855	"	Beckworth	160 0 0	1 0 0	7th "	W. J. T. Clarke	Melbourne	"	160 0 0	
25	40	50	5th Oct., 1855	"	"	160 0 0	1 0 0	"	John Webb	Reohard	"	167 5 6	
98	10	1	6th Dec., 1856	Normanby	Rochard	87 1 4	1 0 0	10th "	H. M. and T. Cahill	Sandhurst	"	156 0 0	
30	2	8	1st August, 1854	Unamed	Strathfeldsaye	156 0 0	1 0 0	"	J. Conolon and T. Hogan and M. Ready	"	Minus £18	112 3 2	
8	7	1	27th June, 1854	Bourke	Shelburne	5 1 3	2 14 0	12th "	J. D. Tweedale	Melbourne	Minus £3	100 0 0	
41	17	4	30th May, 1854	Greenville	Macedon	37 1 18	3 7 0	"	J. D. Tweedale	"	No offer	187 12 6	
25	1	2	15th Jan., 1855	Mornington	Cardigan	100 0 0	1 0 0	"	J. D. Tweedale	"	"	45 12 6	
19	3	9	23rd July, 1855	Talbot	Wanaeane	187 2 20	1 0 0	"	George Turroy	Franklin	"	160 0 0	
37	3	5	7th March, 1855	"	Franklin	22 3 10	2 0 0	"	Marin Kelly	Carisbrook	"	192 0 0	
17	5	16	15th Jan., 1855	Normanby	Baringrup	150 0 0	1 0 0	14th "	Lindsay Clarke	Portland	"	124 0 0	
26	2	2	3rd July, 1855	Grant	South Hamilton	192 0 0	1 0 0	"	James Dunn	Geelong	"	100 0 0	
10	20	4	15th Jan., 1856	Greenville	Corindhap	124 0 0	1 0 0	"	Daniel Hutchins	Cardigan	"	279 8 5	
29	9	3	6th August, 1855	Talbot	Cardigan	100 0 0	1 0 0	17th "	James and Robert Gilmour	Farady	"	50 0 0	
13	8	B	3rd July, 1855	"	Faraday	279 1 27	1 0 0	"	Thomas Morgan	"	Minus £17	147 12 4	
10	10	60	13th June, 1856	Ripon	Burrumbeet	50 0 0	1 0 0	"	J. Dadds and J. Thomson	Burrumbeet	No offer	817 3 11	
21	3	1	7th June, 1857	"	Carllsruhe	33 1 1	4 19 0	"	John Jobson	Kyneton	"	93 0 0	
22	4	1	24th Oct., 1855	"	Tallarook	93 0 0	1 0 0	18th "	T. W. Finniger	Tallarook	"	87 7 6	
151	1	1	26th May, 1854	Grant	Waddialah	73 1 38	2 18 0	"	Elizabeth Cole	Geelong	Minus £23	191 2 4	
14	3	51	6th July, 1856	"	Carrah	317 0 0	1 0 0	19th "	Thomas E. Richardson	Portland	No offer	40 17 0	
23	8	2	4th July, 1855	Normanby	Trewalla	40 3 16	1 0 0	20th "	W. C. Smith	Bellarat	"	160 0 0	
48	8	8	4th Oct., 1855	Talbot	Beckworth	160 0 0	1 0 0	"	John Cameron	Branxholme	"	72 10 0	
33	15	6	30th April, 1856	Normanby	Normanby	72 2 0	1 0 0	21st "	Angus Cameron	Hanilton	"	68 8 0	
30	23	1 A	20th Nov., 1854	Dundas	North Hamilton	45 2 16	1 10 0	22nd "	William and James Hay	Sandhurst	"	79 9 8	
49	1	5	27th Nov., 1855	Unamed	Eppalock	79 1 37	1 0 0	24th "	John Robinson	Azedale	"	248 0 0	
16	11	1	"	"	"	44 0 11	1 0 0	"	David Meickle	Flemington	"	30 0 0	
42	2	35	29th Dec., 1854	Talbot	Yarram, yarram	30 0 0	1 0 0	25th "	John Carter	Melbourne	"	72 0 0	
29	29	44	24th Sept., 1856	Unamed	Cragie	60 0 0	1 0 0	24th "	Mark Hayes	Tooboroa	"	24 18 6	
10	9	25	14th July, 1857	"	Tooboroa	60 0 0	1 0 0	"	Mark Hayes	"	"	60 0 0	
8	8	23	"	"	"	60 0 0	1 0 0	"	Mark Hayes	"	"	39 17 6	
0	0	21	"	"	"	39 3 20	1 0 0	"	Mark Hayes	"	"		

4	19	22nd May, 1857	Grant	Puebla...	30	0	9	1	0	Mark Hayes	...	...	...	30	1	2
11	50	14th July, 1857	Unamed	...	160	0	6	1	10	James Noble	...	...	...	223	0	0
33	48	"	"	...	61	3	23	1	0	P. L. M. S. Chauncey	...	...	...	61	17	11
28	43	"	"	...	72	0	0	1	0	William Freeman	...	...	...	72	0	0
13	50	8th July, 1856	Grant	...	317	0	0	1	0	H. Mitchell and H. Greer	...	...	...	317	0	0
22	118	3rd July, 1855	"	...	83	1	90	1	0	Thomas Middleton	...	...	...	83	8	9
16	4	23rd Feb., 1857	Ripon	...	160	0	0	1	0	Wilhelm Schurmann	...	...	...	160	0	0
6	1	7th Jan., 1857	"	...	36	3	12	5	3	Richard F. Fennelly	...	...	...	166	8	3
16	21	M	Bourke	...	351	2	12	1	6	J. V. A. Bruce	422	1	0
5	9C	6th Aug., 1855	Unamed	...	74	0	16	1	0	Courtenay Sprye	66	2	0
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Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

DAVID MOORE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—1857.

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?	Approved.	Charged against Vote for—
513. Post Office...	(7)	Conveyance of mails from 1st September to 31st December, 1857; between Melbourne and Penritge, by way of Brunswick, daily	For sixteen pounds (£16)	Samuel Phillips ...	No	...	29th August, 1857.—W. H. F. Mitchell	Mail conveyance, 1857.
514. Ditto	(6)	Ditto ditto, between Melbourne and Dandenong, weekly	Ninety pounds (£90) per annum	Thomas Dunbar ...	Yes	Satisfactorily	Ditto ...	Ditto.
515. Ditto	(3)	Ditto ditto, between Dandenong and Cranbourne, weekly	Forty-five pounds (£45) per annum	Thomas Dunbar ...	Yes	Satisfactorily	Ditto "	Ditto.
516. Ditto	(1)	Ditto ditto, between Preston and Epping, twice weekly	Eighty pounds (£80) per annum	Robert Simmers ...	No	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
517. Supply of rations during the remainder of 1857 to prisoners confined in the lock-up at Mount Ararat	(3.) Hofmann, Colyer, Wilson	Scale No. 1.—24 oz. bread, 16 oz. meat, 4 oz. salt, 4 oz. soap Scale No. 2.—24 oz. bread ...	Two shillings (2s.) per ration One shilling and twopence (1s. 2d.) per ration	Gerhard D. Hofmann	No	...	2nd September, 1857.—C. H. Ebdon	Police contingencies (provisions for prisoners).

Melbourne, 4th September, 1857.

LANDS OPEN FOR SELECTION AT BEECHWORTH.

RETURN of LANDS which can be selected under the 19th Clause of the Act of Parliament 5th and 6th Victoria, chapter 36, and Amended Regulations, dated 24th October, 1856, at the District Survey Office, Beechworth, on and after Friday, the 25th day of September, 1857, at Ten o'clock a.m.

Special Country Lots.	Country Lots.	Date of Proclamation.	When offered for Sale.	Parish and Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Extent.	Price per Acre.	Amount.	Remarks.
	10	1857. July 13	1857. Aug. 18	South Wangaratta, Owens River ...	4	4	A. R. F. 45 1 30	£ s. 1 0	£ s. d. 45 8 9	No offer.
	11	" "	" "	" "	1	5	51 0 36	1 0	51 4 6	"
	12	" "	" "	" "	1	6	60 3 20	1 0	60 17 6	"
	22	" "	" "	" "	3	10	126 3 0	1 0	126 15 0	"
	23	" "	" "	" "	4	10	101 1 30	1 0	101 8 9	"
	24	" "	" "	" "	1	11	197 0 32	1 0	197 4 0	"
	30	" "	" "	" "	3	13	73 2 14	1 0	73 11 9	"
	33	" "	" "	" "	1	15	135 0 0	1 0	135 0 0	"
	34	" "	" "	" "	2	15	135 0 0	1 0	135 0 0	"
	38	" "	" "	" "	1	17	162 0 0	1 0	162 0 0	"
	39	" "	" "	" "	2	17	144 0 0	1 0	144 0 0	"
	40	" "	" "	" "	3	17	144 0 0	1 0	144 0 0	"
	41	" "	" "	" "	4	17	129 1 8	1 0	129 6 0	"
	14	1857. July 22	1857. Aug. 25	Barnawartha, on the east bank of the Indigo Creek, near its junction with the Murray River, between 6 and 9 miles north-east of Chiltern, Black Dog Creek, and distant from Beechworth about 22 miles	1	21	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	15	" "	" "	" "	2	21	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	16	" "	" "	" "	3	21	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	17	" "	" "	" "	4	21	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	18	" "	" "	" "	1	22	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	19	" "	" "	" "	2	22	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	20	" "	" "	" "	3	22	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	21	" "	" "	" "	4	22	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	22	" "	" "	" "	1	23	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	23	" "	" "	" "	2	23	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	24	" "	" "	" "	3	23	160 0 0	1 0	160 0 0	"
	25	" "	" "	" "	4	23	156 0 0	1 0	156 0 0	"
	26	" "	" "	" "	...	A	205 3 34	1 0	205 19 3	"
	31	" "	" "	" "	...	F	392 2 38	1 0	392 14 9	"
	32	" "	" "	" "	...	G	332 1 16	1 0	332 7 0	"

NOTE.—In accordance with the Amended Regulations, dated 24th October, 1856, 3rd Clause, those lots of the above Return which remain unsold on the 25th day of December, 1857, will, on and subsequent to that date, be open for selection at the Public Lands Office, La Trobe street west, Melbourne, only.

DAVID MOORE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

PUBLIC 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.

Place	Date	No.	Page.
BALLARAT—			
Tuesday, 8th September	...	90	1442
Wednesday, 9th September	...	90	1444
Monday, 21st September	...	90	1444
Tuesday, 22nd September	...	90	1446
Wednesday, 23rd September	...	90	1447
Thursday, 24th September	...	90	1447
Friday, 25th September	...	90	1448
Monday, 28th September	...	97	1588
Tuesday, 29th September	...	97	1589
Thursday, 1st October	...	100	1637
BELFAST—			
Friday, 18th September	...	95	1546
Monday, 28th September	...	97	1589
Thursday, 1st October	...	100	1637
Friday, 2nd October	...	100	1638
CARISBROOK—			
Wednesday, 30th September	...	97	1591
CASTLEMAINE—			
Monday, 7th September	...	90	1449
Tuesday, 8th September	...	90	1451
Wednesday, 9th September	...	90	1452
Thursday, 10th September	...	90	1453
Friday, 11th September	...	90	1454
GEPLONG—			
Monday, 7th September	...	81	1277
Tuesday, 8th September	...	90	1455
Friday, 18th September	...	95	1544
Monday, 21st September	...	95	1545
Thursday, 1st October	...	100	1636

HEPBURN—										
Monday, 28th September	...	...	...	97	1590					
KYNETON—										
Monday, 21st September	...	...	...	92	1495					
MALDON—										
8th September (postponed to Tuesday, 15th September)	...	...	...	90	1436					
9th September (postponed to Wednesday, 16th September)	...	...	...	90	1437					
MARYBOROUGH—										
Tuesday, 8th September	...	...	...	90	1439					
Wednesday, 9th September	...	...	...	90	1439					
Thursday, 10th September	...	...	...	90	1440					
Friday, 11th September	...	...	...	90	1441					
MELBOURNE—										
Monday, 21st September	...	...	...	95	1544					
Monday, 28th September	...	...	...	97	1586					
Tuesday, 29th September	...	...	...	97	1587					
SALE—										
Monday, 5th October	...	...	...	100	1639					
Tuesday, 6th October	...	...	...	100	1640					
TARRAVILLE—										
Monday, 12th October	...	...	...	100	1640					
Tuesday, 13th October	...	...	...	100	1641					
WANGARATTA—										
Tuesday, 8th September	...	...	...	90	1438					

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,
Melbourne.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 4th September, 1857.

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS ON 31st AUGUST, 1857.
THE undermentioned persons are requested to apply as
early as possible for the payment of accounts due to them,
and now lying at the Pay Office, Melbourne.

C. H. EBDEN.

Armstrong, E.	Clay, A. B.	Halpin, James	Moore, John
Anderson, W.	Coller, A.	Hammond, Henry	Muller, F.
Anderson, R. S.	Carter, Jos.	Hopkins, J. R.	Morgan, R.
Angus, Geo.	Crisp, Charles	Holmes, G. and Co.	Maddison, G. T.
Alloo, John	Carlisle, William	Hunt, Thomas	Martin, John
Arbuckle, A.	Conroy, Richard	Henry, B. F.	Meyer and Co.
Anderson, John	Chamberlain, J. C. and Co.	Hewitt, Isaac	Miles, Henry
August, J. S.	Cooke, R. S.	Hughes, James	Murray, Patk.
Amis, Benjn.	Crowther, T. H.	Hogarth, William	Mitchell, Thos.
Armstrong, Wm.	Carr, Richard	Hyland, Thomas	Mulholland, T.
Adams, William	Cowdroy, John	Henderson, Wm.	Marshall, C.
Anderson and Edwards	Caldwell, A.	Hadfield, R.	Meighan, W.
Avery, John	Campbell, H. V.	Hill, James	Mason, John
Adeney, Wm.	Childers, H. C. E.	Hallaran, Michael	Morey, W.
Anderson, Hy.	Colley and Tanbernan	Hinsby, F. G.	Murray, A.
Algie, Robert	Cantwell, L.	Hall, William	Manson, Wm.
Beechworth Wesleyan Chapel	Cameron, John	Hennessy, J.	Mitchell, E.
(Treasurer of)	Campbell, A. M.	Hackett and Co.	Murnane, M.
Bayles, W. and Co.	Dalgety and Others	Higgins, William	Meyer, Chas.
Benson, W.	Dove and Oswald	Haines, R.	Molony, C.
Bandy, Wm.	Dobbyn, William	Horton, Henry	Murphy, Peter
Byrne and Lindsay	Duff, Alexr.	Heaney, Thomas	Mills, Ellen
Blower, Hy.	Deacon, James	Hamond, Charles	McCulloch and Douglas
Burlingame and Co.	Dowling, Patk.	Heffernan, Thos.	McIver, J.
Broughton, Chas.	Dwyer, Denis	Howley, Thos.	McLean, Hugh
Brennan, Jas.	Dennis, A. J. and W.	Hill, Henry	McLean, J.
Bascombe, W.	Dennett, John	Harris, William	McGuire, John
Beaton, Wm.	Dooly, Henry	Hassall, Thos.	McRae, D.
Blower, Henry	Doxey, John	Haverfield, Mitchell and Co.	McKinnon, J.
Bayley, T.	Dobson, John	Hodder, M. A.	McMeckan, Blackwood and Co.
Bull, Wm.	Dier, James	Harris, T. L.	McCraith, J. F.
Burke, Robt.	Davy, E.	Hodges, Henry	McInner, W.
Buchanan, Wm.	Dennistoun, John	Hammill, W.	McIntyre, Peter
Bennie, J.	Dawson and Mitchell	Hammill, W. and Co.	McBean, Duncan
Buckley, Patk.	Darker, John	Hodson, Henry	McGrath, T.
Bayley, John	Easey, W. and Co.	Homan, B. S.	McDonell, John
Boylan, P.	Edens, Thomas	Hcaley, T. P.	McKinlay, A.
Bird, Geo.	Elliott, S.	Hanna, Andw.	McCaghan, R.
Dassett, W.	Emanuel, E.	Hutton, C.	McCarthy, J.
Bird, John	Edwards, Henry	Handra, Thos.	McCormack, W.
Barker, G. W.	Evans, Isaac	Henry, A.	McCulloch, James
Brack, Wm.	Edwards and Formby	Jennings and McRoberts	McLeod, A.
Bennett, J.	English, Edwd.	Johnson, Robt.	McAlister, A.
Burke, Richd.	Edwards, William	Johnston, T.	McDonald, J.
Baker, Wm.	Elliott, John	Jones, F. J.	McNicol and Gibb
Bragge, J. de La R.	Elliott, Jos.	Jamieson, G.	Macan, C.
Burton, O. S.	Evans, Henry	Jackson, S. and W.	Macgregor, S.
Bate, John	Everett, Chas.	Joyce, John	Macfarlane, P. A.
Bates, S.	Egan, Francis	Jamieson, H.	Mackay and Co.
Brewer, A. G.	Ford, James	Jones, John	Maguire, William
Byron, J. B.	Forbes, Thos.	Jones, William	Macdonald, H.
Cunningham, B. A.	Ferguson, C.	Johnson, John	Neon and Jones
Cassels, John	Farmer, Chas.	Kelly, Edward	Nicholas and McLean
Carder, Wm.	Fullerton, John	Knight, Jas. and Sons	Nicholson, G.
Chauncey, P.	Fellows, T. H.	Kingsford, J.	Nicolson, D.
Cox, Rutledge and Co.	Forbes, J. G.	Keating, Thos.	Nott, John
Campbell, H. C.	Fairley, William	Keohane, James	Noonan, D.
Clark, Thos.	Forsyth, James	Kennedy, Owen	Neill, Ed.
Craven Brothers	Fairfax, J. and Sons	King, Bernard	Nicholson, Jas.
Cooper, Fredk.	Flint, H.	Kinnear, Geo.	Norris, William
Clarke, John	Ferris, Jacob	Kilmore Examiner (Proprietors	Nankivell, H. E.
Champ, W.	Ferguson, G.	of)	O'Brien, P.
Carkett, Wm.	Flanner, J.	Kennedy, P.	O'Donnell, M.
Crowle, Jas.	Ford, Alfred	Kennedy, Jas.	O'Reilly, M.
Carige, Henry	Gleeson, M. S.	Keene, Robt.	O'Slaughessy, P.
Curren, Jas.	Grave, W. G., sen.	Kilmore Hospital (Treasurer of)	Phin, Margaret
Clark, Richd.	Guerin, Patk.	Latham and Co.	Probert, W. P.
Caroy, J. L. M.	Gurner, H. F.	Lyon and Ferrers	Powell, W.
Colvin, James	Goldsmith, H.	Liddiard, W. W.	Pholan, James
Cairns, A. and Co.	Gibson, Thomas	Lindsay, John	Priestley, A.
Crane, E.	Galbraith, James	Learmonth, T. and S.	Fercivall, W.
Cumberland, A.	Green, William	Lewis, William	Pitley, George
Campbell and Thompson	Guthridge, N.	Lane, D.	Pasley, C.
Cole, G. W.	Geary, Henry	Lacey, H. W.	Phillips, Job
Clarke, W. J. T.	Garde, John	Lassen, P. T.	Powell, J.
Carr, John	Gascoyne, B.	Lamb, W. F.	Piper, William
Creagh, B. B.	Glennie, W.	Lyle, James	Pierce, W. C.
Campbell, Donald	Gordon, John	Lau-Yu	Paton, John
Crichton, Peter	Gore, Wm.	Laidlaw, W. T.	Pearson, H. M.
Carr, Thomas	Grier, Chas.	Laidlaw, Walter	Palling, H. R.
Clark, Duncan	Gibson, Geo.	Low, George	Perkins, Alfred
Connor, Thomas	Glynn, John	Lonnie, Jas. (Estate of)	Pearson, C.
Callanan, M.	Gidney, Isaac	Lanigan, M.	Pasco, C.
Cameron, Chas.	Garrett, Maurice	Lawrie, E.	Peet, T. H.
Crowley, William	Gale, John	Lightfoot, John	Paterson, Adam
Chadwick, Wm.	Harper, John	Lewis, John	Purris, J.
Cromey, James	Harker, George	Law, James	Quirke, T.
Carver, J. S.	Harvey, James	Mason, Thomas	Bookidge and Hetherington
Cowan and Bland	Holm, J. C.	Miller, Henry	Russell, E.
Cotter, Michael		Moubray, Lush and Co.	Roycroft, John
		Mayne, Robert	Richardson, P.
		Meagher, M.	Robertson, A. P. L.
		Miller and Macquistan	Reid, John
		Makepeace, W.	Rennie, T. W.
		Morton, W. N.	Ross, Andrew
		Moffatt, D.	Ryan, Patk.
		Mouritz, Poole and Co.	Robinson, C.
		Miller, G.	Ross, W. M.
		Miller, John	Rogers, John

Ronald, William
Rutledge, W. and Co.
Ridley, A.
Russell, John
Souef, W. Le
Syme, E. and D.
Story, Joseph
Sharpe, Andw.
Stephenson, W.
Spicer, F.
Skurdall, J. F.
Slater, John
Stott, Mary
Sanders, E. J.
Seekamp, H.
Scott, A. M.
Spicé, Thos.
Stanley, E.
Stone, Henry
Stanton, John
Sloane, Wm.
Sanders, John
Sharpe, Andw.
Smith, C. and J.
Smith, Fredk.
Smith, J. T.
Smith, John
Smith, Hugena
Smith, W. A.
Smith, Wm.
Stanbridge, W. E.
Stodart, D. E.
Stewart, Jas.
St. Luz Hoden, A. V.
Sturt, E. P. S.
Slee, Edgar
Stirling, Wm.
Thomson, J. C.
Thane, Wm.
Thompson, G. J.
Thomas, James
Taggart, Thos.
Thomas, W. K.
Taylor, Saml.
Tyers, C. J.
Tracey, John
Tate, H. H.
Tonge, Wm.

Turnbull, David
Thomson, Robt.
Thompson, G.
Templeton, W.
Turner, R. H.
Tennent, W. M. and Co.
Thomas, Henry
Turner, C. J.
Tuckwell, Jos.
Trangmar, G.
Venables, Hannah
Van, O. C.
Walters, John
Walker Brothers
Wall, William
Williams, O.
Watson, Geo.
Withy, H. A.
Wardlaw, R. R.
Warren, J. and Co.
Willcombe, J. L.
Whitecombe, W. P.
Woolridge, Arthur
Wrixon, E.
Walsh, F. A.
Walton, F.
Warden, R. W.
Watchorn, R.
Wilson, John
Wright, Robt.
Watts, William
Wilder, J. W.
Webb, Henry
Wright, W. H.
Waller, W. N.
Wilson, Andw.
Wilson, John
White, John
Wigmore, Richd.
Williams, James
Williams and Morgan
Wilmore and Co.
Warren, Richard
Whicelo, Geo.
Youl, Richard
Youngusband, W. and Co.
Young, James

John Grieve, householder, Kyneton
William Robertson, householder, Kyneton
John Nelows, householder, Kyneton
Sam. Turphy, freeholder, Kyneton
John Watson, householder, Kyneton
John Byng, householder, Kyneton
Thomas Cox, householder, Kyneton
Edmund Croggon, freeholder
James Alderson, householder, Kyneton
Horace Burkitt, householder, Kyneton
Ben. Kenworthy, householder, Kyneton
William Davidson, freeholder, Kyneton
James Taylor, householder, Kyneton
George Lugton, householder, Kyneton
Ellen Dixon, householder, Kyneton
Thomas Brown, householder, Kyneton
Alfred Carpenter, householder, Kyneton
John Bennie, householder, Kyneton
John Apperly, householder, High street, Kyneton
James J. Kearney, householder, Hutton street, Kyneton
Edward Worn, householder, Hutton street, Kyneton
Mary Cochrane, householder, Kyneton
R. Burton, householder, Baynton street, Kyneton
J. P. Pulbrook, householder, High street, Kyneton
Edw. Welsh, householder, High street
W. Swanwick, householder, High street, Kyneton
J. Blakeley, householder, High street, Kyneton
George Christie, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
Alexr. Christie, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
William Murray, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
Joseph Lowther, householder, High street, Kyneton
John Bland, householder, High street, Kyneton
Thos. F. Healy, Piper street, Kyneton
Matthew Norman, householder, High street, Kyneton
Wm. Stephenson, householder, High street, Kyneton
Alex. Somerville, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
John Menzies, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
James Farquhar, householder, High street, Kyneton
Timothy Coughlan, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
Richard Hovenden, householder, High street, Kyneton
Andrew May, freeholder, Kyneton
John Orr, sen., freeholder, High street, Kyneton
John Orr, jun., freeholder, High street, Kyneton
W. Bates, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
Dowling Brothers, householders, Kyneton
Fred. Fitzgerald, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
John Flanagan, householder, Piper street, Kyneton
William Comely, householder, Yaldwin street, Kyneton
B. J. Wheeler, freeholder, Kyneton
Wm. H. Barry, householder, Kyneton
William E. Barry, householder, Kyneton
Horatio Geoghegan, householder, Kyneton
William O'Brien, householder, Kyneton
C. E. Merchant, householder, Kyneton
A. Hewitt, freeholder, Kyneton
E. Smith, householder, Kyneton
Wm. Wells, householder, Kyneton
John Henderson, householder, Kyneton
William Ward, householder, Kyneton
The mark of Josh. Tibbles, householder, Kyneton
Henry Stevens, householder, Kyneton
The mark of James Knight, householder, Kyneton
James Isaac, householder, Kyneton
M. H. Roberts, householder, Kyneton
John Parkes, householder, Kyneton
Samuel Attwood, freeholder and householder, Kyneton
Chas. Hy. Orr, householder, Kyneton
Elizabeth Blunden, for Henry Blunden, householder, Denis street, Kyneton
John Fahey, householder, Kyneton
Alexr. Rodger, householder, Kyneton
Samuel Kelley, householder, Kyneton
J. Frencham, householder, High street, Kyneton
Archibald Chisholm, freeholder, Kyneton
Henry Weigall, freeholder, Kyneton
Gabriel Fleck, freeholder, Kyneton
Geo. Lewis, freeholder, Kyneton
Alex. Archer, householder, Kyneton
Wm. F. Strong, householder, Kyneton
John White, householder, Kyneton
Henry Kingswell, householder, Kyneton
Humphrey Bellamy, householder, Kyneton
George Wymer, householder, Kyneton
George Wilson, surgeon, householder, Kyneton
Henry Geary, freeholder, Kyneton
Willm. Lasslett, freeholder, West Kyneton
Robt. B. Tucker, householder, Kyneton
John Boundy, householder, Kyneton
William Boundy, householder, Kyneton
Charles Milledge, householder, Kyneton
Bridgett Higgins, householder, Kyneton
David Nowlan, householder, Kyneton
William Bennett, householder, Kyneton
Elizabeth Wilkinson, householder, Kyneton
John Chester, householder, Kyneton
James Hockey, householder, Kyneton
John Kelly, freeholder, Kyneton
Patrick Kelly, householder, Kyneton
Rowland Freeman, householder, Kyneton

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st August, 1857.

PETITION FOR MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS.

KYNETON.

IN pursuance of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has directed the publication of the substance and prayer of a petition to His Excellency hereinafter set forth, signed by one hundred and fifty-six householders of the town of Kyneton, in the county of Dalhousie.

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

A.5832.

The petitioners state that the town of Kyneton has of late vastly increased in population and importance, and may now be classed among the most flourishing inland towns in Victoria.

That it is contained within an area of nine square miles, and comprises a population of householders of one hundred and fifty and upwards, and that no one point in such area is distant more than six miles from any other point.

That several local improvements and institutions are being introduced into the said town, as lighting it with gas, and the petitioners believe that it would tend materially to the stability, progress and improvement of the town if it were constituted a municipal district.

That a considerable portion of the roads and streets of the town are still unformed, and owing to the rich alluvial soil are almost impassable in the wet season, and the petitioners are desirous of metalling, lighting and draining the same.

And the petitioners pray as follows:—

"Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that Your Excellency may be pleased to take into your favorable consideration the subject matter of this petition, and to declare by Your Excellency's proclamation the town a municipal district, according to the proclaimed boundary of the town of Kyneton, under the name of 'The Kyneton Municipal District,' pursuant to the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15."

(Signed)

William Lavender, householder, Kyneton
E. W. Kelly, freeholder, Kyneton
Wm. Douglas, freeholder, Kyneton
T. L. James, householder, Kyneton
George J. Sands, freeholder, Kyneton
D. H. Fleming, householder, Kyneton
Charles Turner, householder, Kyneton
William Alexander, freeholder, Kyneton
William Ellis, householder, Kyneton

R. D. Thompson, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Peter Weltie, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 Malkolm Kelly, householder, High street, Kyneton
 James Rogers, householder, High street, Kyneton
 John R. Cheshire, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Stephen Behlr, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Charles Hollis, saddler, householder, High street, Kyneton
 George Johnson, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Chas. C. Steele, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Sept. Allen Leete, freeholder, Kyneton
 Benju. Leete, householder, Kyneton
 John Johnson, freeholder, Kyneton
 George Embleton, householder, Kyneton
 Andrew Minchin, householder, Kyneton
 Martin Kilgellan, householder, Kyneton
 John McGawan, householder, Kyneton
 Patrick Kinna, householder, Kyneton
 James Dodkin, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 John Duggan, householder, Bodkin street, Kyneton
 James C. Hart, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Henry Porogh, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Thomas Hanna, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 James McAlpin, householder, High street, Kyneton
 John Maxwell, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Jas. Thomson, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 Adam Yule, householder, Baynton street, Kyneton
 Anne G. Clinton, householder, Ebdon street
 William O'Brien, householder, Chapel reserve
 Robert Scott, householder, Kyneton, Piper street
 Wm. H. Barry, Professor of Music and English, householder,
 Kyneton
 Wm. E. Barry, carpenter and householder, Kyneton
 G. R. Barry, gold digger and householder, Kyneton
 Martin Gardint, C. E., householder, Kyneton
 Margaret T. Shirdan, householder, Kyneton
 William Thirkettle, householder, Kyneton
 G. J. Forster, Master of National School, Kyneton
 Septimus Allen Leete, householder, Kyneton
 Clemson, Gardner, householder, Kyneton
 Patrick Murphy, freeholder, Kyneton
 James Shaw, freeholder, Kyneton
 William Anderson, householder, Kyneton
 William Southern, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 Andrew Welsh, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 Godfrey Praagst, householder, High street, Kyneton
 Joshua Morris, freeholder, Kyneton
 William Wall, freeholder, Kyneton
 William Sandford, freeholder, Kyneton
 James Hutcheson, freeholder, High street, Kyneton
 Alexander Ferguson, freeholder, High street, Kyneton

Chief Secretary's Office,
 Melbourne, 11th August, 1857.

RICHMOND MUNICIPALITY.

SECOND PETITION FOR ALTERATION OF BOUNDARIES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has directed the publication of the substance and prayer of a petition as hereinafter set forth, signed by two hundred and eight householders resident within the municipal district of Richmond.

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

B.5334.
 The petitioners state that by a Proclamation bearing date 18th February, 1857, the boundaries of the municipal district of Richmond were declared to be as follow:—"Commencing at a point in the centre of Victoria street due north of the eastern boundary of Hoddle street; thence by a line passing through the centre of Victoria street, and produced thence due east to the River Yarra; thence by the western and northern banks of the River Yarra to the Punt road; and thence by the eastern side of the Punt road and Hoddle street to the commencing point."

That the Punt road and Hoddle street from the Yarra to Victoria street are at present within the city of Melbourne, but have hitherto been under the control and management of the Central Road Board.

That several of the petitioners represented to the municipal council of Richmond the impassable condition of Hoddle street, and were informed that that street being beyond the municipal limits, the council could not legally expend its funds in making it.

That applications have also been made to the Central Road Board and the Government by the municipal council and by the inhabitants of the district respecting the state of Hoddle street, and the petitioners are informed that it has been arranged between the Government and the municipal council to place the control and management of the Punt road and Hoddle street, and also of the Richmond punt, in the hands of the municipal council.

That they are desirous that such arrangement should be at once carried into effect, Hoddle street being impassable, and access to the premises adjoining it nearly impracticable, and all the residents on the eastern side of that street being rated in the municipal district.

That in order to enable the municipal council to apply its funds to making or repairing the said road and street, they are

informed the municipal boundaries will require to be altered so as to include such road and street; and in order to give the council the proper control and management of the punt, a portion of the road on the south side of the Yarra opposite the punt should also be included within the municipal boundary.

Lastly, that the area of the municipal district, if extended as proposed, will still not be nine square miles.

And the petitioners pray as follows:—

"Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that the limits and boundaries of the municipal district of Richmond may be extended to the western side of the Punt road and Hoddle street, between the north side of the River Yarra and the south side of Victoria street, and thence further north across Victoria street to a point parallel with the commencing point referred to in the before-mentioned Proclamation of 18th February, 1857, and thence east to such commencing point, and that the boundary may be extended to the south side of the river, so as to include so much of the road there opposite the punt as may be necessary (say one square chain) for the proper working of the punt and collecting the tolls."

(Signed)

Henry Miller, chairman
 D. S. Campbell, Darlington parade
 P. Johnson, councillor, Clifton street
 Henry Johnson, councillor, Swan street
 Thomas Lambert, River street
 Eneas Mackenzie, James street south
 George Henry Batten, Lennox street
 Matthew Harris, Church street
 Henry Lancaster, Richmond terrace
 Samuel Howden, Harvey street, Richmond
 William Harrison, Harvey street, Richmond
 James Bryan, Newton street, Richmond
 D. Clancy, off Swan street
 Peter McEvoy, Brighton street
 James Wills, Harvey street, Richmond
 William Wilden, Lesney street, Richmond
 Henry Box, Church street, Richmond
 Richard Fitzgerald, Catherine street
 James Farrell, Yarraberg
 Christopher Cutter, Stephenson street
 Henry Vanheems, Catherine street
 Wm. Davis, Kent street
 Frederick Thomas Cadman, Rose street
 Edwd. Jn. Wilson, 131, Church street
 Jas. C. D. Wilson, Catherine street
 Samuel Pettit, Swan street
 Edwd. Hill, Little Clifton street
 Edward Howchin, Colbert street
 George Savage, Catherine street
 Robert Macquaid, Brighton street
 Joseph Nevison, Brick street
 William Green, Richmond road
 B. Little, Punt road
 John S. Perring, Swan street
 Thomas Lawn, Swan street
 Robt. Heavyside, Catherine street
 James Hudson, Grove street
 Josiah Barnett, Shamrock street
 John Cutter, Stephenson street
 Saml. Clay, Duke street
 W. H. McMillan, Victoria street, Richmond
 Thos. Rennison, Hoddle street
 Thomas Smith, Hoddle street
 Fredk. Osborn, Hoddle street
 Samuel Jeffs, Hoddle street
 Henry Robert Atkins, Hoddle street
 Thomas Dunn, Hoddle street
 Mary Snead, Hoddle street
 John Taylor, Hoddle street
 Maurice Hall, Hoddle street
 Edw. Peers, Elizabeth street
 Michael Collins, Hoddle street
 James Richardson, Elizabeth street
 Stephen Jefferies, Simpson's road
 John Jervis, Hoddle street
 Benjamin Dobbin, Hoddle street
 Thomas Jeffrey, Regent street
 John Barter, Rowena parade
 George Linch, Waterloo road
 John Sheedy, Church street
 James Thomas Frost, Stephenson street
 Vincent Hill, Docker street
 Thomas Halfpenny, Richmond flat
 John Whittle, Brougham street
 V. Cameron, Brougham street
 William Phenix Rooney, Charlotte street
 Jon. Aynsley
 Chas. Morris, Bridge road
 William Rooney, Tanner street
 William G. Adamson, Rowena parade
 H. G. Cameron, Brougham street
 John Smedley, Church street
 Henry Sansom, Bridge road
 Edwin Dickenson, Bridge road
 Wm. Gregory, jun., Church street
 Francis Greenway, Gipps street
 John Bennett
 Robert Dickason

Chas. Musker
 M. Deale and Son, Bridge road
 Peter Murphy
 Alfred Lewis
 Patk. Smith, Bridge road
 Bailey Griffith, Bridge road
 Thomas Cowlishaw, Bridge road
 Geo. Fincham, Bridge road
 G. M. Newman, Bridge road
 Henry Smith, Bridge road
 John G. Dikason, Bridge road
 William Joyce, Bridge road
 Thos. Lillycrop, Bridge road
 Benjamin Moore, Bridge road
 Raymond R. Tovell, Bridge road
 Fred. Barnes, Bridge road
 John Stillman, Little Lennox street
 H. Katsen, Rotherwood street
 S. Arthur, Rowena parade
 Chs. Bowser, Rotherwood street
 R. Cross, Bridge road
 William Goldsmith Buttolph, Richmond road
 S. J. Church, Bridge road
 Robert Foreman, Bridge road
 E. L. Harris, Bridge road
 G. Magnus and Co., Rowena parade
 John Bate, Rowena parade
 W. H. Lagoe, Rowena parade
 Samuel Hart
 William Pinniger
 William Brough
 G. Pontin, Richmond
 T. B. Westaway, Richmond
 James Rose, Richmond
 Jno. Bedford Tate, Rowena parade
 Henry Neustadt, Richmond
 Jno. Cuthbert, Lennox street
 F. Wrentmore, Lennox street
 John Sheedy, Church street
 William Lyford, Church street
 James Roberts, Church street
 Edmund Palmer, Church street
 Thomas Lodge, Richmond
 George Keste, Richmond
 William McAraes, Swan street, Richmond
 Geo. Hardy, Swan street
 Adam Scott, Swan street
 Geo. Gordon, Swan street
 Hugh McDermott, Wellington street
 W. E. Smith, Richmond Hotel
 H. Gibbs, Cremorne street
 Leon Harland, Cremorne street
 William Ryan, Cremorne street
 Edmond Ryan, Cremorne street
 Danl. Ryan
 John Parkin, Cremorne street
 John Aitken Woodmansay, Cremorne street
 George Hatfield, off Swan street
 John Bennett, Cremorne street
 John Hy. Hagg
 Samuel Hogan, Cremorne street
 Wm. Bailey, Cremorne street
 David M. Gillespie, surgeon, Cremorne street
 John Farrell, Buck street
 T. H. Friests, Swan street
 Charles Murphy, Swan street
 John Macken, off Swan street
 Isaac Ovens, Balmain street
 John Patten, off Swan street
 Vincent Hill, Docker street
 Robert Bolton, Docker street
 Edwin Greatbatch, Catherine street
 Michael Sheedy, Swan street
 Daniel McDonnell, Swan street, Richmond
 Isaac Pelling, Church street
 Jonathan Wragg, Rotherwood street
 Henry O'Connor, Docker street
 Francis Watson, Church street
 James O'Fall, Church street
 James M. Dory, Church street
 Mary Ann Smith, Charlotte street
 James Madden, Bridge road
 Patrick Madden, Richmond flat
 James Askenden
 John Stewart, Richmond road
 Joseph Green, Richmond road
 Charles Stewart
 William Newall, Richmond flat
 James McLeod, Richmond road
 William Sharpe, Richmond road
 John Allen, Bridge road
 Frederick Bosworth, Richmond road
 William Kesterson, Bridge road
 E. Wallace, Bridge road
 E. Smith, Bridge road
 J. E. Lumsden, Bridge road
 Joseph Bosisto, Bridge road
 George Stirling, Bridge road
 James Reed, Shore street

Alexander Wright, Bridge road
 Thos. E. Cooper, Church street
 W. A. Garrett, Church street
 Thos. Edwards, Church street
 Thos. Le Sautour, Church street
 William Fox, Church street
 Brand and Crothers
 James Wright, Church street
 Robert Warry, Church street
 Christopher Greatkin, Church street
 William Barrett, Church street
 G. H. Broadbent, Church street
 H. O. Robinson, Church street
 G. Freeman, Church street
 C. Stewart, Church street
 James Gibb, Church street
 John George Baker, 190 and 321, Church street, Richmond
 Charles Britton, Church street
 T. Gilbert, off Swan street
 A. Stephens, off Church street
 Elias Clark, Lesney street
 Andrew Puntun, 112, Church street
 John Mitchell, Church street
 James Pilter, Church street
 Charles Hyland, Church street
 Samuel Thomson, Church street
 William White, Church street
 Richd. Breckenridge, Swan street
 Thomas Fleet, Church street
 J. Joseph Penman, Church street
 Thos. V. Dickins, Swan street

MUNICIPALITY OF MARYBOROUGH.

BYE-LAW No. 1.—A BYE-LAW TO REGULATE BY MEANS OF
 STANDING ORDERS THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL
 COUNCIL OF MARYBOROUGH.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15,
 intituled, "An Act for the Establishment of Municipal
 Institutions in Victoria," it is enacted, "That it shall be law-
 ful for the council of any municipal district to make bye-laws
 for the regulation of their own proceedings:" Be it therefore
 ordered and directed by the municipal council of Maryborough,
 that from and after the date of this bye-law receiving the
 assent of His Excellency the Governor of this colony, the
 proceedings and business of the said council shall be conducted
 according to the following regulations, to be called the Stand-
 ing Orders of the said council, that is to say:—

CHAP. I.—Order of Proceedings.

1. That the business of the council shall on all ordinary occasions be conducted with open doors, but any member present may require the exclusion of strangers during a division upon any question.
2. No business shall be transacted without a quorum, and if, at the expiration of thirty minutes from the time of meeting there is no quorum, the meeting shall be adjourned, and such circumstance and the names of the members present recorded in the minutes.
3. The first business at each meeting of the council shall be to confirm the minutes of the preceding meeting, and no discussion shall take place thereupon except as to the accuracy thereof.
4. At all meetings of the council the reading of correspondence unconnected with the orders of the day, the presentation of petitions, and the bringing up of reports of committees, shall have precedence of the regular business.
5. On the presentation of petitions, no debate shall take place thereon until notice has been given in the usual manner, and the only question that shall be entertained on presentation shall be that the petition be received, and, if necessary, that it be referred to a committee.
6. No motion shall be decided on at any meeting, unless notice in writing, signed by the member protesting, shall have been given to the town clerk at the previous meeting of the council, nor shall any report of committee be adopted without a similar notice, unless in committee of the whole council, or the whole council be present.
7. The order of the day shall include all business of which due notice has been given, and all matters arising out of former meetings of the council.
8. Notices of motion shall come on after the orders of the day, when only the member giving notice may speak, and only in explanation of the motion.
9. No motion entered on the notice paper shall be proceeded with unless the member who has given such notice, or some one authorised by him, be present, when the business is called in order. Notices not so proceeded with shall be struck out of the paper.
10. All communications intended for the council shall be addressed to the town clerk, and all petitions and memorials shall be addressed to the chairman and council, under cover to the town clerk.
11. All contracts, specifications, bonds, or other documents relative to work to be done by or for the municipal council, shall be brought up and approved by the council before they are executed.

12. The mover of any motion which may be referred to any committee shall be (*pro hac vice*) a member of such committee.

13. No bye-law shall be adopted at any meeting without due notice, as in cases of motion, and a copy of such bye-law shall in the *interim* remain open in the town clerk's office for the inspection of ratepayers, free of charge.

CHAP. II.—*Order of Debate.*

1. Any member of council proposing a motion or amendment, or discussing any matter, must rise and address the chairman; and no member when speaking shall be interrupted unless called to order, when he shall sit down, and the member calling to order shall be heard thereon, and the question of order decided before the subject is resumed or any other business entered upon.
2. Any member proposing a motion or amendment shall put it in form, sign and deliver it to the town clerk, who shall add thereto the name of the seconder, and no motion or amendment so made shall be withdrawn without leave of the council.
3. Any member proposing a motion or amendment shall state the nature of it before addressing the council in support thereof.
4. No member shall speak twice on the same question, except by way of explanation, or in reply as the mover of any original motion or amendment, and after such explanation or reply the question shall be forthwith put to the vote.
5. If more than one member rise at one time the chairman for the time being shall decide which is entitled to precedence.
6. No member shall digress from the subject-matter of the question under discussion, or impute improper motives, and all personal reflections shall be considered highly disorderly.
7. Any member who shall use any expression capable of being applied offensively to any other member, shall, if required by the council, withdraw such expression and make a satisfactory apology to the council, under a penalty, in case he refuse or neglect to do so before the rising of the council, of not more than Five pounds.
8. Any member may require the town clerk to take down any particular words used by a member immediately on the same being used.
9. The chairman, when called upon to decide a point of order or practice, shall state the rule or precedent applicable to the case, without argument or comment, and his decision as to what is order or explanation shall be final.
10. The chairman shall arise when addressing the council in discussion of any question.
11. Any member may require the production of any of the documents of the council relating to the subject under discussion.
12. One amendment only shall be discussed at one time, and upon the adoption of any amendment the original motion shall be held to be rejected and the amendment so carried shall be acted upon as an original motion.
13. The chairman shall, in taking the vote on any motion or amendment, put the question first in the affirmative and then in the negative, and the votes of all members shall be entered on the minutes.
14. The council shall vote by shew of hands, except in cases of election, when the vote shall be by ballot.
15. No discussion shall be allowed on any motion for adjournment of the council, but if, on the question being put, the motion be negatived, the subject then under consideration or the next on the notice paper shall be discussed before the question of adjournment shall be again entertained, but if the motion of adjournment be carried the business then undispensed of shall have precedence at the next meeting of the council.
16. Any member may enter his protest against any resolution of the council, provided that such protest is not inconsistent with truth or disrespectful to the council; notice, however, of such intention must be given on the adoption of the resolution, and a notice in writing, signed by the protesting member, and specifying his reasons for so protesting, must be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose in the town clerk's office, the same to be considered as part of the minutes.
17. No motion, the effect of which, if carried, would be to rescind any motion which has already passed the council, shall be entertained during the same municipal year, unless a call of the whole council has been duly made for that purpose.

CHAP. III.—*Elections.*

1. No election to any office at the disposal of the council shall take place until four clear days notice shall have been given in one or more of the local newspapers, inviting applications from candidates properly qualified, and the salary of such office shall, in all cases, be fixed for the municipal year before proceeding to election.
2. No member or officer of the council shall be received as surety for any officer appointed by the council, or for any work done for the council, and in all cases in which security for the due and faithful performance of any duty or contract is required the expense of preparing such security shall be borne by the party giving the same.
3. At all elections and on all occasions of accepting tenders or contracts, the voting shall take place by ballot.

CHAP. IV.—*Miscellaneous Regulations.*

1. For the consideration of any bye-law, or for the raising or appropriating of money, or for the objects contemplated in the standing order, No. 17, chap. 2, it shall be competent for

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any member, without previous notice, to move for a call of the whole council, for the consideration of any such subject at the next or any subsequent meeting, and upon such motion being carried due notice thereof shall be given in the notice paper for the day, or notice of motion for which such call is made is set down for consideration, and any member not in attendance when such order of the day or notice of motion comes under consideration, or not in attendance at the voting upon such question or any amendment thereof, whether of adjournment or otherwise, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, unless reasonable cause for such absence be shown to the satisfaction of the council.

2. The town clerk shall have charge of the common seal of the municipality, and shall be responsible for the safe custody and proper use of the same, each impression thereof being duly verified by the signature of that officer.

3. The town clerk shall not affix the seal to any corporate document without the express orders of the council, nor unless such document bears the signature of the chairman.

4. Any one or more of the standing orders of the council, except No. 17, chap. 2. or No. 1, chap. 4, may be suspended, *pro tempore*, in case of emergency, provided that the majority present deem it necessary.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 1, made by the municipal council of Maryborough, has been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Gazetted on the 4th day of September, 1857, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 15, sec. 33.

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

B.5441.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

DOVE AND OSWALD'S BONDED WAREHOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovementioned warehouse, being a portion of the premises known as No. 93, Flinders street west, is appointed, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor, for the free warehousing and securing of dutiable goods intended for ships' stores therein, under the 61st section of the Act of Council 16 Victoria No. 23, intitled, "*An Act for the general Regulation of the Customs in the Colony of Victoria.*"

JAMES McCULLOCH.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 27th August, 1857.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS on the evening of Tuesday, the 25th instant, Mr. W. Anderson, the agent of the Oriental Bank Corporation at Kilmore, was set upon on the Sydney road, about ten miles on this side of Kilmore, by four men, and robbed of the sum of £3606, in mixed notes of various denominations, and 184 oz. 16 dwts. of gold dust: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £25 will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of each of the offenders.

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

Note.—The reward offered above is in addition to any private reward that may be offered.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th August, 1857.

INCENDIARISM.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS about Three o'clock in the morning of Monday, the 17th of August instant, the premises occupied by Mr. Bradley, hay and corn dealer, situated in High Holborn street, Prahran, were maliciously set on fire and wholly consumed: 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 set fire to the said premises.

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

A.6112.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 27th August, 1857.

GOVERNMENT REWARDS.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE POLICE FORCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that no member of the police force will for the future be entitled to any reward offered by the Government of this colony for any service, unless the officer under whom he may be serving, and the Chief Commissioner of Police shall consider, that in consequence of the skill or tact displayed by him in effecting the object for which the reward may be offered, he shall have rendered himself deserving of some special notice on the part of the Government.

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

B.5634.

No. 26.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED SHIP LETTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 31st AUGUST, 1857.

PARTIES applying for Letters at the General Post Office are particularly requested to give the correct number of the letter, and also the date and number of the list in which they may have observed their names, as such reference will materially facilitate delivery. Persons in the country making written applications, in addition to the number of the letter, and the date and number of the list, are requested to give their christian name or names in full, and state where they expect their letters from, and any information which may tend to prevent an unnecessary transmission of letters.

Application to be made at the General Delivery Department, corner of Elizabeth and Bourke streets. The next List will contain all letters received by Ship up to the 8th September, 1857.

N.B.—Letters posted in any part of the Colony of Victoria are not advertised. The Lists contain only Letters received by SHIP from England, Foreign Countries, and the neighbouring Colonies.

A. McCRAE,
Postmaster General.

A.		
141 Aarons, David	243 Day, George	129 Kenworthy, C. T.
142 Alden, Joseph B.	244 Della Pietra, Pietro	130 Kersey, Wm.
143 Alves, John	245 Denys, Mons.	131 Killy, Margt.
144 Althorpe, Miss	246 Dewey, James	132-3 King, Geo.
145 Amanieu, Madm. V. T.	247 Dick, Robt.	134 Kirk, Jno.
146 Anderson, Mrs. Hanly	248 Disney, Patrick	135 Kyte, Geo.
147 Aram, Alfred J.	249 Dixon, Thos. A.	
148 Armstrong, G.	250 Dodkins, Edward	L.
149 Armit, Charles	251 Douglass, Wm.	185 Lacy, R. W.
150-1 Austin, Wm.	252 Doyall, Johanna	186 Lambert
	253 Drummond, John	187 Langon, Geo.
	254 Duffoy, Catherine	188 Lancelly, Mrs. Jane
	255 Duncan, Wm. B.	189 Landells, Geo.
		190 Laurance, Mr.
		191-3 Leary, E. C.
		194 Leavett, Mrs. T.
		195 L'Estrange, Guy
		196 Lerpimero, Miss
		197 Leponce, E.
		198 Lewis, J. H.
		199 Lewis, S. or T.
		200 Lichtenstein, L.
		201 Lomi, Melziado
		M.
		340 Mace, Jno. C.
		341 Mack, Mrs. G.
		342 Mahony, Jeremiah
		343 Mahoney, Mary
		344 Mahon, Arthur T.
		345 Mallett, Mrs. Ann
		346 Malepa, Poinvo
		347 Mansford, Fredk.
		348 Martinola, Fillyso
		349 Mason, Wm.
		350 Masters, Saml.
		351 Matthew, B. H.
		352 Matches, Mr.
		353 Maycock, Wm.
		354 Meagher, Michael
		355 Megan, Mrs.
		356 Miles, J. E.
		357 Miller, J. T.
		358 Milward, Martha
		359 Monkhouse, Ralph
		360 Montrose, Miss
		361 Moore, Miss M. A.
		362 Moonosawmy, Vanar
		363 Moore, Jno. Jas.
		364 Morris, Miss E. J.
		365 Mulvey, Jno.
		366 Munday, Danl.
		367 Murry, Patrick
		Mc.
		301 McElroy, Michael
		302 McFarlane, Mrs.
		303 McFarlane, Helen
		304-5 McFee, Matthew
		306 McIntyre, Martin
		307 McKay, D.
		308 McNamara, Eliza
		309 McNeil, Margaret
		N.
		80 Nelson, Daniel
		81 Nott, Henry
		O.
		60 O'Brien, Michael
		61 Old, T. T.
		62 Olhroidi, Giuseppe
		63 Olsen, P. B.
		64 O'Shea, Philip
		65 Ottini, Nicolas
		P.
		291 Painter, Mrs. Joseph
		292 Palmer, H.
		293 Papineau, Mrs. J.
		294 Pappin, James
		295 Parsons, Charles
		296 Paske, J. T.
		Q.
		6 Quinne, Mrs.
		R.
		218 Rankin, John
		219 Ratcliff, Jeremiah
		220 Raymond, Bernardo
		221 Read, Susan
		222 Rees, Daniel
		223 Richards, James
		224 Richmond, Jos.
		225 Rice, Wm. H.
		226 Rigoli, Franceos
		227 Rudd, W. T.
		228 Rutherford, F. J.
		229 Ryan, Patrick
		S.
		373 Salter, James
		374 Sanders, Conrad
		375 Sarsfield, Miss H.
		376 Sawyer, Jessie
		377 Schardt, George
		378 Scanel, Mrs.
		379 Sharp, J. W.
		380 Shaw, George
		381 Skipwith, Miss
		382 Slater, John
		383 Small, John
		384 Smith, Mr.
		385 Smith, G. T.
		386 Smyth, Nicholas
		387 Snowdon, Mr.
		388 Speirs, Hendry
		389 Spragg, W. A.
		390 Stapleton, W.
		391-2 Stathler, Harrison
		393 Staples, Richard Chapman
		394 Stephens, Jane
		395 Stephens, John Bray
		396 Stevens, Spencer C.
		397 Steward, Mrs.
		398 Sterndale, Handley
		399 Storey, Fredk.
		400 Street, Francis George
		401 Summers, Joseph
		T.
		190 Taggart, John
		191 Tarver, James
		192 Taylor, James
		193 Tepper, John
		194 Tessay, Auguste
		195 Tersabeck, Wm.
		196 Thomas, John P.
		197 Thompson, Augustus
		198 Thompson, Hamilton
		199 Thompson, John
		200 Tomasini, Filippo
		201 Toschini, Carlo
		202 Torckler, Mrs.
		203 Trappitt, W. T.
		203½ Trittey, David
		204 Trundle, E. W.
		205 Turner, Ann
		V.
		30 Vcal, Miss
		31 Vaughan, Henry
		32 Vascoe, John

W.	352 Wilson, Thos. M.
333 Waitney, John	353 Wilson, Mrs. Wm.
334 Walker, Frederic	354 Wilmot, Mrs.
335 Walker, Wilhelm	355 Wilmot, Mrs. Mary
336 Walton, George	356 Windsor, Benjamin
337 Wannell, Mrs. E.	357 Wood, Henry Haddock
338 Ward, Mary	358-9 Woods, Wm.
339 Watson, Henry	360 Wreden, Mrs. C.
340 Watling, John	Y.
341 Whaley, Horace	20 Young, Murdo
342 Wheeler, David	21 Young, Patrick
343 White, Benj. B. J.	22 Young, Mrs. Thos.
344-5 White, Edwd. W.	
346 Whitelock, Thos. and Miles	MISCELLANEOUS.
347 Wightman, R. W.	5 Secretary, Lodge Stone-
348 Wilkinson, Henry	masons
349 Williams, Ann	INITIALS.
350 Williams, Mrs. H.	8 J. J. S. S.
351 Williams, Mrs. Susan	

LIST OF NON-RETURNABLE LETTERS WITH POSTAGE DUE THEREON, TO BE APPLIED FOR AT THE DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

- 13120 Forlonge, Jessie, Brighton E., 4d.
- 13121 Myers, E. M., Hobart Town, 4d.
- 13122 Campion, Mrs., Launceston, 4d.
- 13123 Abraham, A., Adelaide, 8d.
- 13124 Baine, Felix Rd., Balranald, 4d.
- 13125 Farrar, D., Adelaide, 4d.
- 13126 Pilkington, Mrs., Dublin, 4d.
- 13127 Edwards, M., Newcastle, N.S.W., 8d.
- 13128 Baker, Hannah, Adelaide, 7d.
- 13129 Lower, M., Adelaide, 8d.
- 13130 Johnston, Wm. Campbelltown, 6d.
- 13131 McGrath, Mr., Hobart Town, 4d.
- 13132 Sloane, Wm., Melbourne, 4d.
- 13133 Thompson, T., 2, Melbourne, 8d.
- 13134 McMaster, Robt., Melbourne, 4d.
- 13135 Brownsmith, G. S., Melbourne, 4d.
- 13136 Dearden, Wm. and Ed., Melbourne, 6d.
- 13137 Duck, Hy., Northcote, 4d.
- 13138 Maddin, James, Richmond, 6d.
- 13139 Bradfield, Hy., Campbell's Creek, 6d.
- 13140 Steel, Robt., Rocky Farm, 2d.
- 13141 Denton, Joe, Melbourne, 4d.
- 13142 Palmer, Fredk., Geelong, 6d.
- 13143 Holland, Mrs., South Brighton, 4d.
- 13144 Goodwin, Mrs., Hawthorn, 4d.
- 13145 Mort, John, 2, Macedonia Store, 4d.
- 13146 Daw, G. F., Pleasant Creek, 6d.
- 13147 Saing, T., Ararat, 4d.
- 13148 Corall, M., Ararat, 4d.
- 13149 Hynis, G., Ararat, 4d.
- 13150 Wills, Alfred C., Williamstown, 9d.
- 13151 Fisher, Mr. Williamstown, 6d.
- 13152 Wood, H., Ballarat, 5d.
- 13153 Thompson, Alex. C., Ballarat, 4d.
- 13154 White, John, Warnambool, 6d.
- 13155 Kennan, Noble, Teesdale Creek, 6d.
- 13156 Woodburn, Hugh, Bulleen, 4d.
- 13157 McArthur, Mrs., Heidelberg, 6d.
- 13158 Jaryoli, J., Bendigo, 6d.
- 13159 Fayer, Hy., Melbourne, 6d.
- 13160 Symonds, Mr., Melbourne, 6d.
- 13161 Stanlake, Robt., Melbourne, 6d.
- 13162 Hall, Mrs. C. B., Collingwood, 6d.
- 13163 Nicholson, Peter, Beechworth, 6d.
- 13164 Fitzgerald, Mrs., Dublin, 4d.
- 13165 Northcott, John, Woodside, S.A., 8d.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS. ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS, DURING THE WEEK ENDING 29TH AUGUST, 1857.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Boroondara ...	J. D. Bragge ...	1	1	
Brighton ...	John Simmonds	6	0	
Brunswick ...	Joseph George	5	1	
Collingwood ...	Samuel Allan ...	21	10	
Flemington ...	Joseph Paterson	2	0	
Melbourne ...	E. B. Arnold ...	35	22	
Prahran ...	John Tulloch ...	3	0	
Richmond ...	W. H. Lagoo ...	3	6	
Sandridge and Emerald Hill }	Andrew Plummer	6	2	
South Yarra ...	E. B. Taylor ...	7	0	
St. Kilda ...	F. T. Van Hemert	3	0	
Williamstown...	Edmund Burke	3	1	
		95	43	

NORMAN CAMPBELL, Registrar General. Registrar General's Office, Melbourne, 3rd September, 1857.

POLICE DISMISSALS.

RETURN of Dismissals in the General Police Force since the publication of the last list:—
Foot Constable Keenan, James, T 19
Foot Constable Hilton, Moses
C. MAC MAHON,
Chief Commissioner.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

Courts.

In the Supreme Court of the colony of Victoria.
In the goods of Martin Nelson, late of California Gully, Bendigo; Henry Fleck, late of German Gardens, Buninyong; George Daws, late of Ballarat; William Gibbs, late of Buninyong; Thomas Bassett, late of Ballarat; Hannibal Thomas, late of Ballarat; John Stevens, late of Ballarat; Richard Stanley, late of Melbourne and Geelong road, bullock driver; James Stoker, late of Ballarat; Quak Toi, late of Beechworth; William Royston, late of Geelong; James Coleman, late of Sebastopol; P. Healy, late of Ballarat; John McKay, late of Melbourne, road overseer; Robert Atkinson, late of Chinaman's Flat; John Farmer, late of Maryborough.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to a rule of this Honorable Court, all persons having claims on the estate of any of the abovenamed deceased intestates are requested to come in and prove them, before me, at my office, No. 23, William street, in the city of Melbourne, on or before Monday, the twenty-first day of September, now next ensuing, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from all benefit accruing from the said estate.

For the Curator of Intestate Estates,
G. SHOVELBOTTOM,
Accountant.

Supreme Court Registry,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

THE holding of the undermentioned Courts has been duly notified in previous numbers of the Gazette, viz. —
Supreme Court—Criminal Sessions.

MELBOURNE—On Tuesday, 15th September, at 10 a.m. (No. 97).

County Courts.

BOURKE—On Saturday, 5th September, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Friday, 21st August, and defences and sets-off until Monday, 31st August (No. 95).

CARISBROOK—On Saturday, 26th September, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Friday, 11th September, and defences until Monday, 21st September (No. 97).

CASTLEMAINE—On Wednesday, 16th September, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Tuesday, 1st September, and defences until Thursday, 10th September (No. 95).

SANDHURST—On Thursday, 8th October, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Wednesday, 23rd September, and defences until Friday, 2nd October (No. 95).

General Sessions.

CARISBROOK—On Friday, 25th September, at 10 a.m. (No. 97).
CASTLEMAINE—On Wednesday, 16th September, at 10 a.m. (No. 95).

Licensing Meetings—Hackers and Pedlars.

BALLARAT—On Tuesday, 8th September, at 2 p.m. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 92).

BOURKE—At Melbourne, on Tuesday, 8th September, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 91).

EMERALD HILL—On Tuesday, 8th September. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 92).

GEELONG DISTRICT—At Geelong, on Tuesday, 8th September. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 88).

MELBOR DISTRICT—At Echuca, on Tuesday, 8th September. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 95).

PORTLAND—On Tuesday, 8th September. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 90).

PRAHRAN—On Tuesday, 8th September. Applications filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 92).

WARNAMBOOL—On Tuesday, 8th September (No. 94).

WILLIAMSTOWN—On Tuesday, 8th September, at 12 noon. Application filed until Tuesday, 18th August (No. 90).

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 3rd September, 1857.

TENDERS are required for Quarters and Stabling for the Police at Point Nepean.

Tenders to be opened 18th September. Full particulars at this office.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

CENTRAL GAOL, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 15th September, for the erection of a portion of the second wing of the Central Gaol, Melbourne.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office. Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Central Gaol," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

QUARTERS AT POINT LONSDALE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 15th September, for the erection of Quarters for the Signal Master at Point Lonsdale.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Clerk of Works, Geelong.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Quarters at Point Lonsdale," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 21st August, 1857.

STEAM DREDGE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 13th October, 1857, for the construction of a Double-centre Steam Dredge.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office. Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Steam Dredge," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 21st August, 1857.

IRON MUD PUNTS.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, the 29th September, for the construction of Iron Mud Punts.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office. Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Mud Punts," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

COURT HOUSE, CASTLEMAINE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 15th September, for the erection of a Court House at Castlemaine.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Warden, Castlemaine.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Court House, Castlemaine," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

WARDEN'S OFFICE, SNAKE VALLEY.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th September, for the erection of Warden's Office at Snake Valley.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Warden, Beechworth.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Warden's Office, Snake Valley," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

WARDEN'S OFFICE AT THE WOOLSHED.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 15th September, for the erection of Warden's Office at the Woolshed.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Warden, Beechworth.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Warden's Office at the Woolshed," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

TEMPORARY QUARTERS, ETC., SANDHURST.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Friday, 11th September, for the erection of temporary Gaoler and Turnkey's Quarters and Kitchen for Gaol, at Sandhurst.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Warden, Sandhurst.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Quarters, &c., at Sandhurst," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1857.

COURT OF PETTY SESSIONS, ETC., BUNINYONG.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 15th September, for the erection of a Court of Petty Sessions, &c., at Buninyong.

Drawings and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of a Resident Warden, Ballarat.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Court of Petty Sessions, &c., Buninyong," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
DAVID MOORE.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

TYPE--PRINTING FURNITURE--BOOKBINDERS' MATERIALS--PAPER.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 11th of September, from persons willing to supply the under-mentioned articles for the service of the Government:--

Type	Bookbinders' materials
Printing furniture	Paper

The tenders must state the price per lb., hundred, dozen or each (as the case may be), such prices to include all charges whatsoever, the freight, insurance, shipping charges, cost of packages, and risks of every description being borne by the contractor, all drawbacks, trade allowances, &c., belonging to him.

The articles must be in every respect of the best description (and according to specification), and delivered at the Government Stores, Melbourne, prior to the 1st of May, 1858. They will be subject, on delivery, to the approval of a board of survey appointed by the Government, and payment will be made only upon the certificate of the board that the contract has been faithfully carried out.

To prevent any delay in the completion of the contract which might arise from defective packing, damage from salt water or other causes, the contractor will be bound to cause such goods as are subject to sea damage to be hermetically cased in tin, and will under any circumstances be held liable for expenses incurred by the Government on account of non-fulfilment of the contract within the time specified.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum of £300 each for the due fulfilment of the contract, and the bond must be entered into within five days from date of acceptance, failing which the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

Printed forms of tender and specification can be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, by whom any further information will be given to persons tendering.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Printing and Bookbinders' Materials, &c.," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, King street, 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 Tuesday, the 14th of September, 1857.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. H. EBDEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

STATIONERY.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 11th of September, from persons willing to supply the undermentioned articles for the service of the Government:—

Envelopes	Green silk ribbon
Quills	Green silk cord
Elastic bands	Red wafers
Sealing wax	&c., &c., &c.

The tenders must state the price per lb., hundred, dozen, or each (as the case may be), such prices to include all charges whatsoever, the freight, insurance, shipping charges, cost of packages and risks of every description being borne by the contractor, all drawbacks, trade allowances, &c., belonging to him.

The articles must be in every respect of the best description (and where so ordered equal to pattern), and delivered at the Government Stores, Melbourne, prior to the 1st of May, 1858. They will be subject, on delivery, to the approval of a Board of Survey, appointed by the Government, and payment will be made only upon the certificate of the Board that the contract has been faithfully carried out.

To prevent any delay in the completion of the contract which might arise from defective packing, damage from salt water, or other causes, the contractor will be bound to cause the goods to be hermetically cased in tin, and will under any circumstances be held liable for expenses incurred by the Government on account of nonfulfilment of the contract within the time specified.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum of £300 each for the due fulfilment of the contract, and the bond must be entered into within five days from date of acceptance, failing which the contract will be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

Printed forms of tender can be obtained from the Colonial Storekeeper, by whom any further information will be given to persons tendering.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Stationery," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, King street, 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 Tuesday, the 14th of September, 1857.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. H. EBDEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.
FUEL.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 11th September, from persons willing to furnish such quantities of Coal as may be required during the remainder of the year for the service of the dredge *Wombat* and steam-tug *George Rennie*, employed on the Yarra.

Security in the sum of £300 will be required for the due fulfilment of the contract, and the bond must be executed within five days from the date of acceptance, failing which the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Fuel," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne, at whose office printed forms of tender and further particulars may be obtained.

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

CONDITIONS.

1. The coal to be of the best quality, and to be supplied on the order of the officer in charge of the dredge and tug.

2. The coal for the dredge to be delivered on board from a lighter alongside in the River Yarra or in Hobson's Bay, wherever she may be moored at the time, within the above-mentioned limits, in such quantities as may be ordered.

The coal for the tug to be delivered on board alongside any wharf or hulk the contractor may desire, provided it be within the limits of Hobson's Bay or the River Yarra below Melbourne, in such quantities as may be ordered.

3. The supplies must be accompanied by a delivery note specifying the weight, which note is to be receipted and rendered with the contractor's account.

4. 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 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 named by the Government, and the decision of the board is to be considered as final.

6. If the board shall decide that the coal is not of proper quality it must be immediately replaced by the contractor,

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failing which it will be procured at his risk, and the extra expense, if any, will be deducted from his account.

7. It will be in the power of the Government, upon a repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the coal, or of delay in delivering or replacing it when required, to terminate the contract forthwith.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. H. EBDEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

FORAGE SACKS.

TENDERS, at the risk of the former purchasers, will be received until Noon on Friday, the 11th September, from persons willing to purchase about

1500 Forage sacks.

The sacks may be seen by intending purchasers on application to the Quartermaster of Police, at the Police Barracks, Richmond.

Tenders must state price per sack for the total number. Cash payment will be required within three days from the date of acceptance of tender, and previous to delivery of the sacks to the purchaser.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Forage Sacks" are to be deposited in the box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. H. EBDEN.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 25th August, 1857.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

TENDERS, on the prescribed form, to be had on application at this or any other Post Office in the colony, will be received until Eleven o'clock on Monday, the 21st September, for the Conveyance of Mails, as under, subject to the conditions of contract published under date of the 12th October, 1855.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the Postmaster General, Melbourne.

Contractors in tendering are requested to state the rate per annum for which they are willing to perform the service.

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

SERVICE REQUIRED.

From 1st October to 31st December, 1857.

Between Cathcart or other Post Office on the Ararat Diggings and Pleasant Creek, weekly, via Armstrong's Diggings and any other required intermediate points.

By His Excellency's Command,
W. H. F. MITCHELL.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1857.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

TENDERS, in the prescribed form, to be had on application at this or any other Post Office in the colony, will be received until Eleven o'clock on Monday, the 21st instant, for the conveyance of mails as under, subject to the conditions of contract published under date of the 12th October, 1855.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Honorable the Postmaster General, Melbourne. Contractors in tendering are requested to state the rate per annum for which they are willing to perform the service.

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

SERVICE REQUIRED.

From 1st October to 31st December, 1857.

Between Sandhurst and Echuca, twice weekly.

By His Excellency's Command,
W. H. F. MITCHELL.

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.

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Private Advertisements.

BEECHWORTH MUNICIPALITY.
ANNUAL ELECTION.

I HEREBY convene a public meeting of the ratepayers of this municipality, to be held, under the provisions of the 18 Victoria No. 15, at the Star Assembly Room, Beechworth, on Monday, the 28th day of September next, at the hour of Eight o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of electing three councillors to take the places in the municipal council of Beechworth of councillors Henry Robertson, Charles Williams, and John Cairns Gray, who retire from such council by rotation, as provided by the abovenamed Act. And in the event of a poll being demanded by any candidate or six ratepayers, the same will be taken on the following day, Tuesday, the 29th day of September next, to be opened at the hour of Eight o'clock in the morning, and closed at Four o'clock in the afternoon, at the said Star Assembly Room, in Beechworth aforesaid.

RICHARD MELLISH,
Chairman.

Municipal Council Chambers,
Beechworth, 28th August, 1857. No. 1208.

MUNICIPALITY OF BELFAST.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

IN accordance with the terms of the 18 Victoria No. 15, section 19, I hereby convene a public meeting of the ratepayers of this municipality, for the purpose of electing three members of council to serve in the place of the three who retire by rotation at the expiration of the present municipal year, viz., Joseph Whitehead, David Talbot and Charles Ruffie; such meeting to be held at the Court House, Belfast, on Monday, the 28th day of September, 1857, at the hour of Eight o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Should there be more candidates than vacancies, a show of hands will be taken for each candidate, and the three persons in whose favor the show of hands shall be decided, shall thereupon be declared to be the members of the municipal council accordingly, unless any candidate or six ratepayers shall thereupon dissent from such decision, and shall demand a poll, in which case a poll will be held on the following day, Tuesday, the 29th day of September, 1857, such poll to open at the Court House, at Belfast, at Eight o'clock in the morning, and close at Four o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand at the Municipal Council Chambers, Belfast, this 27th day of August, 1857.

ALEX. RUSSELL,
Chairman Municipal Council, Belfast.
No. 1207.

CASTLEMAINE MUNICIPALITY.

THIRD HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF
CASTLEMAINE.

BY clause 43 of the Municipal Act (18 Victoria No. 15), it is directed that "every municipal council under this Act shall, within one month from and after the lapse of each six months from the date of the election of chairman of such council, publish a full statement in detail of the whole of their proceedings, together with a certified account of the receipts and expenditure for the preceding six months." In accordance with which the following, being the third half-yearly report of the municipal council of Castlemaine, is submitted.

The period of this report extends from the 27th of January to the 27th of July, 1857, both inclusive.

CHANGES IN MEMBERS AND OFFICERS OF THE COUNCIL.

During this term several changes have occurred in the members and officers of the council.

Of the three members, Councillors Smith, Paynter and Hinds, who, having completed their period of office, retired by rotation at the end of the year, the former two were re-elected by the ratepayers, together with Councillor Chapman, and took their seats on the 27th day of January.

Councillor Andrews, the previous chairman, was also at this the first meeting in the second municipal year, unanimously chosen by ballot as chairman, and a vote of thanks was tendered him by the council for his services and urbanity during the preceding year.

At the fourth weekly meeting of the council, Councillor Froomes, who had been elected in the room of ex-Councillor Richards, was introduced and took his seat.

At the seventh weekly meeting, held on Tuesday, April the 7th, Thos. Andrews, Esq. (the chairman of the council), by letter, resigned his seat, both as chairman and councillor. Also, on the same evening, Councillor Paynter resigned in person. Councillor Wheeler was thereupon elected temporary chairman, and Councillor Froomes, treasurer, pending a full complement of members. At the sixteenth weekly meeting, held on the 12th day of May, Councillors Prendergast and Love were introduced, having been elected in the room of ex-Councillors Paynter and Andrews.

A permanent chairman for the residue of the current year was ballotted for at this meeting, the number of members being complete, and the election fell on Councillor Prendergast, the votes being—

For Councillor Prendergast	...	...	4 votes
For Councillor Smith	...	...	2 votes
For Councillor Wheeler	...	...	1 vote

At the twenty-sixth weekly meeting, held on the 21st day of July, Councillor Hitchcock resigned, and the necessary steps to elect a councillor in his stead have been taken.

On the 7th of April, at the seventh weekly meeting, Mr. H. Christophers resigned his position as town clerk, and was replaced on the 12th day of May by Mr. E. Hankins.

On the 4th of April, Mr. A. Price, the municipal surveyor, resigned, and on the 27th day of June, Mr. J. S. Spencer was elected to that post, Mr. Inspector Davis having acted during the interval as surveyor.

On the 14th of April, at the eighth weekly meeting, Mr. E. Martin was elected assessor for the present year for the fixed sum of £100, and on the 16th day of June, Mr. W. Holl was elected messenger and custodian of the municipal chambers at the salary of £3 per week.

ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.

Of the twenty-one general council meetings during the half-year just ended, only one instance occurs (on the 24th of March) of no quorum being present. The attendance of members has been as follows:—

Councillor Smith	...	...	25 out of 26
Councillor Chapman	...	...	24 " 26
Councillor Wheeler	...	...	19 " 26
Councillor Froomes	...	...	21 " 23
Councillor Hitchcock	...	...	16 " 17
Councillor Prendergast	...	...	10 " 11
Councillor Love	...	...	9 " 11
Councillor Andrews	...	...	8 " 10
Councillor Paynter	...	...	8 " 10
Councillor McMillan	...	...	1 " 7

The public works, finance and legislative committees have also been regularly attended.

CORRESPONDENCE, ETC.

The most important correspondence with the Government during the past six months relates to the more frequent sittings of the county court, the formation of a park or botanical gardens at Barker's Creek, which is promised, contingent on the course of the railway, and the position of the station; the protestation of the council against the occupation of 100 acres of land behind the camp for a police paddock; the establishment, by His Excellency's order, of Barker street, instead of Kennedy street, as the Government road through the town to Sandhurst; the consent to, and grant of, a site for a pound, for municipal purposes; the confirmation as to the court houses, &c., being built on block 14; and various communications, with plans, &c., respecting the proposed line of the Melbourne and Murray Railway.

BYE-LAWS, ETC., PASSED AND ASSENTED TO.

During the last six months the following bye-laws have come into operation, and have been carried out:—

Bye-law No. 5.—For the expenditure of the first moiety of £7,500 grant in aid, made by the Act of Council 19 Victoria, No. 17, for the appropriation of revenue. Assented to by the Executive, and gazetted 24th February, 1857.

Bye-law No. 12.—For further regulating certain proceedings of the council, being an amendment on bye-law No. 1. Gazetted 6th February, 1857.

Bye-law No. 14.—For the regulating building operations and licensing builders thereon.—Gazetted 13th March, 1857.

Bye-law No. 15.—For the better prevention of fires, and the dangers to life and property arising thereon.—Gazetted 27th March, 1857.

Bye-law No. 16.—For making public any plans of works, &c., or any bye-law before the same be passed by the council.—Gazetted 13th March, 1857.

Bye-law No. 17.—To prevent the nuisances arising from suffering cattle and other animals to be at large, or to wander in the streets of this municipality.

Bye-law No. 18.—To regulate the erection of shades and awnings, and to prevent any obstruction upon, over or across the public footpaths.—Gazetted 8th May, 1857.

Bye-law No. 19.—Prohibiting damage to the public footpaths and water-courses, and regulating the formation of private drains and crossings.—Gazetted 8th May, 1857.

Bye-law No. 20.—For the expenditure of the second moiety of £7,500 grant-in-aid made by Act of Council 19 Victoria No. 17, for the appropriation of revenue, 1856.—Gazetted 19th June, 1857.

Bye-law No. 21.—For levying a rate of 6d. in the pound for the current year.—Gazetted 26th May, 1857.

Other bye-laws are either forwarded and awaiting assent, or about to be transmitted.

A bye-law for regulating the sale and keeping of gunpowder has been sent down for approval, but returned, after several weeks' consideration, with a notice that the Government was about to introduce a bill for the same object.

PUBLIC WORKS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Besides carrying out the above bye-laws, which have greatly altered and improved the general appearance of the township, the following works have been accomplished during the half-year.

The extension of water channels along Kennedy, Doveton, Campbell, Templeton, Lyttleton, and Hargreave streets.

Forming footpaths through the principal parts of the town, and footpaths and water channels along a portion of Campbell's Creek road.

Enforcing the formation of covered drains across the same.

Placing wooden platforms over the various water channels at the principal crossing places to the number of fifty-four.

Making and forming Union street, formerly a very great nuisance from its undrained and filthy state.

Cutting and forming a cart road through a siding in Lyttleton street east.

The clearing trees, stumps, &c., and filling in holes in Campbell, Doveton, Berkeley, Bull, Hunter, Parker and Hargreave streets, and in parts of Urquhart and Mostyn streets.

Supplying and erecting twenty-two lamp posts and street lamps, together with contract for lighting and maintenance of same for four months.

Instigating enclosure by Government of the old cemetery at Pennyweight Flat, and procuring also the repair of Sheriff's bridge and Forest Creek road.

Erection of cattle yards, complete all but the gates, ready for occupation. The contractor having failed in this contract the council resumed possession and completed them at their own risk, and now there are sufficient funds in hand from the original contract to thoroughly complete the same, probably even with a surplus.

Enclosing manure depot near to the cattle yards. Purchase and erection of weighing machine and house in Market square.

Erection of the new municipal chambers which were taken possession of for council and municipal business early in May; as also furnishing and improving the same, erection of a shed and enclosing the municipal grounds. Contracts have been taken for clearing the ground, and it is intended to be laid out by the council's order, under the direction of the inspector.

A large quantity of metal (2000 yards) has been contracted for by the council, a portion of which has been used in Union street, and other places where required. A small contract for rubble stone has also been entered into and completed by the same contractor.

Tenders were accepted for spreading metal in certain streets, but by a notice of motion by Councillor Smith, the matter was referred for further consideration.

The Government have also been requested to erect a foot-bridge over Governor Hotham's bridge, and they have referred the matter to the district surveyor to report on.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A court for the revision of the ratepayer's roll was held on 10th June, 1857.

A grant of land on block 14 has been made to the Commissioners of Savings' Banks, and a new bank is now erected.

A bonus of £150 has been presented to the Mechanics' Institute by the council.

A testimonial, in duplicate, to Thomas Andrews, Esq., in commemoration of his services as the first chief magistrate of the municipality, has been prepared and awaits presentation.

Two delegates—the chairman of the council and S. Davis, Esq., were deputed by the council, consequent on the request of a large body of ratepayers, to attend the recent Land Convention held at Melbourne, for the purpose of protesting against the proposed Government Land Bill.

REPORTS.

Various reports have been received from the officer of health, the surveyor, and the inspector, and have been duly considered and appropriately treated by the council.

ASSESSMENT, RATES AND APPEALS.

After considerable contrariety of opinion among the members of the council as to the propriety of a sixpenny or a shilling rate for the present year, a sixpenny rate was eventually struck, and assented to by the Executive (as per bye-law 21). Against this assessment about sixty appeals have been sent in, which will be held at a court of petty sessions to be held on Friday, the 31st July. The total amount of the assessment was £85,499, which may possibly be reduced by about £3000 at the court of appeal to be held on the 21st instant, so that we may calculate an increase in the value of property, since the last assessment, to the extent of nearly 25 per cent.

Confirmed.
(signed) M. PRENDERGAST, Chairman.
EDWARD HANKINS, Town Clerk.

CASTLEMAINE MUNICIPALITY.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the Third Half-Year ending 28th July, 1857.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance at Bank at termination of last half-year	2101	2	6			
Ditto in hands of Town Clerk	8	13	4			
				2,109	15	10
Amount received for rate account				291	15	6
Ditto ditto police fines				135	13	0
Ditto ditto licenses, fees, &c.				24	10	0
Ditto received from Government on account of grants-in-aid				6,750	0	0
Ditto received from Government for removal of cemetery				225	0	0
Ditto of interest allowed by Bank to 31st March				8	0	0
Ditto of error in cash account of late Town Clerk				2	0	0
				£9,546	14	4

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Public works (for detail see note*)	2,224	19	0			
Building municipal offices	673	10	0			
Building shed and fencing reserve	130	0	0			
Building weighbridge house	386	10	0			
				3,414	19	0
Carriage of weighbridge				52	7	0
Laborers' wages and extra labor				172	10	0
Rate contract (balance to assessor)				118	7	0
Advertising, printing and stationery				113	4	9
Furniture for municipal offices				177	10	0
Attendance, lighting, &c., survey office				9	4	6
Expenses of delegates to Melbourne				24	0	0
Municipal seal				31	10	0
Publishing second report				37	2	0
Sundry small accounts				12	3	5
Bonus to letter carrier				6	0	0
Bonus to Mechanics' Institute				150	0	0
Insurance of municipal offices				5	6	0
Testimonial to T. Andrews, Esq.				28	7	0
Salaries of officers and messengers' wages				531	1	6
Municipal election expenses				54	15	0
Discount on cheque				0	2	0
Postages, bell-ringing, and sundries				30	8	0
In hand, per town clerk				11	10	4
In hand, per late town clerk				0	17	0
				4,981	4	6
Balance in hand this day				4,565	9	10
				£9,546	14	4

We have examined the above statement of accounts and certify that it is correct.

(Signed) GEORGE RYLAND,
JOHN CHRISTIE,
Auditors.

Castlemaine, 24th August, 1857.

*DETAILS OF PUBLIC WORKS.

	Amount paid.	Amount payable on completion.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cattle Yards	791 4 6	123 15 0
Foot bridges for streets	62 0 0	22 6 0
Gravel for footpaths	83 9 6	
Twenty two lamps and posts	136 10 0	64 16 0
Cutting surface drains, &c., in various streets	465 0 0	
Clearing Templeton street	120 0 0	
Cutting in Templeton street		49 0 0
Metal for streets	252 5 0	1,260 19 0
For spreading metal		195 0 0
Do. do.		378 3 3 1/2
Grubbing trees, and clearing certain streets	300 0 9	680 0 0
Forming Union street		34 0 0
Extra bolts to weighbridge	6 0 0	
Hire of horse and day	3 0 0	
Making gate for municipal reserve	5 10 0	
Lighting and maintaining lamps four months		165 0 0
Erection of messenger's room		30 0 0
Naming streets		13 0 0
No. 1206.	£2,224 19 0	

CASTLEMAINE MUNICIPALITY.

ELECTION NOTICE.

A PUBLIC Meeting of ratepayers is hereby convened to be held at the Theatre Royal, on Monday, the 21st day of September, 1857, at Eight o'clock in the morning, to elect a member to take the place in the municipal council of William Hiltchcock, Esq., resigned, under the Act 18 Victoria No. 15. In case of a poll being demanded, the same will be taken on Tuesday, the 22nd September, 1857, to be opened at Eight a.m. and closed at Four p.m., at the municipal offices.

M. PRENDERGAST,
Chairman.
No. 1193.

Castlemaine, 24th August, 1857.

MUNICIPALITY OF KILMORE.

SECOND HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF KILMORE. STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Council of the municipal district of Kilmore, for the Half-year ending the 13th August, 1857:—

	£	s.	d.
To balance in hand, 14th February, 1857	153	14	7
Moiety of grant from Colonial Government	2000	0	0
Moiety of police fines from July to October, 1856	34	8	9
Ditto ditto to June, 1857	8	10	0
Town rates collected	320	6	9
Interest on deposit	3	18	11
	£2525	18	10

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Public works—				
Paid to Wm. Kettlewell ... ..	...	1251	9	10
Ditto McDermott and Morrison...	...	220	0	0
Ditto Howard Jno. Allt ... ..	...	158	6	0
Ditto Thomas Ryan ... ..	...	90	0	0
Salaries—				
Town Clerk ... ..	...	125	0	0
Surveyor ... ..	...	40	0	0
Miscellaneous—				
Postages, &c. ... ..	...	1	17	8
Refunded chairman ... ..	...	150	0	0
Discount ... ..	...	3	1	2
Advertising in the <i>Government Gazette</i> ...	...	16	18	0
Ditto and printing in <i>Kilmore Examiner</i> ...	...	9	17	3
Paid for use of Mechanics' Hall ... ..	...	6	0	0
		£2072	9	11
Balance in Oriental Bank, Kilmore ... ..	...	453	8	11
		£2525	18	10

Audited this 26th day of August, 1857, by
 WM. SPURLING,
 JAMES W. OSBORN.

MEETINGS AND ATTENDANCE.

There have been twenty-two general meetings held during the half-year, at which the members attended as follows:—

His Worship the chairman	19
Councillor Butler	19
Councillor Trainor	15
Councillor Corboy	15
Councillor McPherson	14
Councillor Biddle	13
Councillor Morris	2

Councillor Biddle tendered his resignation after the fourteenth meeting. Councillor Morris was absent from the district during the greater portion of the half-year. The places of both were filled up at the recent annual election.

COMMITTEES.

The finance committee has held ten meetings, at which the members attended as under:—

His Worship the chairman	10
Councillor McPherson	9
Councillor Trainor	7
Councillor Butler	7

PUBLIC WORKS.

This committee have held nine meetings, all the members present.

The following works have been contracted for:—
 Erection of a substantial bridge over the Kilmore Creek, in Mill street.

Cutting an embankment in Mill street.
 Forming, making, pitching and metalling 6 chains 20 links of Mill street.

Forming, making, pitching and metalling 14 chains of Union street, and cutting and forming 10 chains of Union street.

Forming, filling and pitching 4 chains of Mitchell street.
 Forming and cutting 9 chains 50 links of foot street.

Forming and cutting 11 chains 34 links of Bourke street.
 Forming, making, pitching and metalling 1 chain 25 links of Victoria street.

Cutting and forming 2 chains of Albert street.
 Cutting and forming 2 chains of Fitz Roy street.

Forming and making 2 chains of George street.
 Forming and making 9 chains 80 links of Gipps street. The length of pathways formed is 32 chains 68 links, and of paved water drains 31 chains. The above works are all completed, or very nearly so.

The following works are contracted for, and are now in course of completion:—

Forming, making, pitching and metalling 13 chains 68 links of Rutledge street.

Forming, making, pitching and metalling 3 chains 25 links of Tootal street, and constructing a culvert across a branch of the Kilmore Creek at Tootal street.

Pitching and metalling 10 chains of Union street.
 Pitching and metalling 7 chains of Foot street.

Substantial culverts have been constructed at the under-mentioned places, viz:—

At the junction of Union and Victoria streets.
 At the junction of Bourke and Sydney streets.
 At the junction of Powlett and Rutledge streets.

At the junction of Powlett and Green streets.
 The Central Road Board have, at the request of the council, inserted a culvert across Sydney street, at the junction of Mill street.

The council have it in contemplation to devote a portion of the money at their disposal to the kerbing and channelling of Sydney street, under such regulations as they may deem advisable to adopt.

The erection of a weighbridge, so soon as a suitable site can be obtained, has been determined upon.

Measures have been taken for the purchase of a fire engine. The council have agreed to pay one moiety of the expense provided the other moiety be raised by private subscription.

BYE-LAWS.

The following bye-laws have been framed by the council, viz:—

No. 3.—For the suppression of nuisances, and to regulate noisome and offensive trade, and to preserve the public health.

No. 4.—To regulate the deposit of night-soil, manure, or other offensive refuse.

No. 5.—To regulate the licensing of public carter and nightmen.

No. 6.—For the prevention of fires, and to enforce the cleansing of chimney flues.

No. 7.—For the appropriation of the sum of Two thousand pounds, granted out of the public revenue to the municipality of Kilmore.

No. 8.—To prevent the nuisance arising from suffering cattle to be at large in the streets and other unenclosed places within the municipality of Kilmore.

The foregoing bye-laws were assented to by His Excellency the Governor on the 19th June, 1857.

The following bye-law, No. 9, has been adopted and transmitted for the consideration of His Excellency, viz:—“For the appropriation of a second sum of Two thousand pounds, granted out of the public revenue for the year 1857, to the municipality of Kilmore.”

CORPORATE SEAL.

His Excellency the Governor has given his assent to the design for the above, adopted by the municipal council, viz., in addition to the Royal arms of England, the motto “Semper pro bono publico,” the device of a plough and a wheat-sheaf, and the words, “Kilmore Municipality, Victoria.” It is now in the hands of the engraver.

PUBLIC POUND.

The local bench were more than once communicated with requesting that an order might be made for the removal of the public pound to a more convenient site, and on the 16th of June an order to that effect was made. Believing that to be sufficient, the council have ceased to move in the matter, presuming that the necessary steps to give effect to the order alluded to have since been taken.

PETITION.

A petition, signed by thirty-two ratepayers, praying that Union street, between Melbourne and Sydney streets, might be opened up, was received and referred to the district surveyor, whose report thereon was published in the local paper.

An address was presented to His Excellency the Governor on the occasion of his passing through Kilmore *en route* to Beechworth.

MUNICIPAL REFORM.

The necessity for the amendment of the existing Municipal Act has for some time past engaged the attention of the council. They are now in a position to transmit through the proper channel various suggestions, which they hope will be embodied in the amended act about to be submitted to the Legislative Assembly.

TOWN HERD.

Peter Campbell was appointed to the charge of the town herd on the 24th of April last, subject to such regulations as the council might from time to time deem it necessary to adopt.

In concluding this report the council desire to express it as their opinion that much of the success which has attended the measures undertaken by them for the improvement of the town must be attributed to the steady co-operation of the ratepayers. They hope that a state of things so desirable may be maintained, as it is their earnest desire to exercise the trust reposed in them by their fellow townsmen for the advancement of this important municipality.

Adopted 26th August, 1857.

FREDERICK W. C. BEVAN,
 Chairman.

T. J. RYAN,
 Town Clerk.

No. 1194.

THE COLONIAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Directors hereby give notice, that agreeably to the powers contained in clause No. 9 of the company's deed of settlement, they have made a further call of £1 on each share of the capital stock of the company, and that the same will become payable at the head office in Melbourne, and the country branches, on the 5th October next, 1857.

Shareholders are requested to bring to the bank, at the time of paying the call, their certificates of proprietorship, for the purpose of having a receipt for the payment of the call written thereon.

By Order of the Board,

THOS. G. BOYD,
 General Manager.

Melbourne, 1st September, 1857.

No. 1179.

PATENT FOR AN INVENTION OF "COMPOUND LIQUIDS, AND OF ADEQUATE AND REQUISITE MACHINERY FOR THE PRESERVATION, METALLIZATION AND COLORING OF AUSTRALIAN WOODS."

THIS is to notify that Léonce Richards (a member of the University of France), of Melbourne, did, on the 31st day of August, deposit at the office of the Chief Secretary, in Melbourne, a specification, or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing. And I do further notify that the said Léonce Richards has given notice, in writing, at my chambers, of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday, the 29th day of September next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at my chambers, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such letters patent, to leave before that day, at my chambers in Melbourne, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this 1st day of September, 1857.
 ARCHIBALD MICHIE,
 Attorney General.

No. 1213.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Richard Blundell, James William Muttlebury and Thomas Warner, as attorneys, solicitors, proctors and conveyancers, at 109, Swanston street, in the city of Melbourne, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Richard Blundell, who retires from the firm.

The business will be continued at the same place by the said James William Muttlebury and Thomas Warner, to whom all debts due to the late firm are to be paid.

Dated this 1st day of September, A.D. 1857.
 RICHD. BLUNDELL,
 J. W. MUTTEBURY,
 THOS. WARNER.

Witness—
 MARY BLUNDELL. No. 1214.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

OAKLEY, CREBER AND Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, carrying on business in Armstrong street, Ballarat, as founders and builders, under the above style, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

And notice is further given that such business will in future be carried on by us, the undersigned George Oakley, James Hunt and James W. Opie, under the style or firm of "Oakley, Hunt and Opie," by whom all debts due and owing to and by the said firm of "Oakley, Creber and Co.," will be received and paid.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1857.
 GEORGE OAKLEY,
 WILLM. CREBER,
 JAMES HUNT,
 JAMES W. OPIE,

Witness to the signatures of George Oakley, William Creber, James Hunt and James W. Opie—
 E. DOWARD,
 Articled Clerk to Thos. Randall,
 Solicitor, Ballarat. No. 1203.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership between the undersigned Thomas Stewart and Daniel MacNab Taylor, in the trade or business of merchants and shiphandlers, at Williamstown, in the colony of Victoria, under the style or firm of "Stewart, Taylor and Co.," has been by mutual consent dissolved, as from the 31st day of July last.

All debts owing to the said late partnership are to be paid to their successors, Messrs Stewart, Carrick and Co., who will also discharge all the liabilities thereof.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1857.
 THOMAS STEWART,
 D. M. TAYLOR.

Witness—
 ARTH. SEDDON.

With reference to the above notice, the said Thomas Stewart begs to announce that the said Daniel MacNab Taylor has retired in favor of Mr. Robert Walton Carrick; and that the business will in future be carried on by him the said Thomas Stewart and the said Robert Walton Carrick, under the style or firm of "Stewart, Carrick and Co."

Dated the 31st day of August, 1857.
 THOMAS STEWART,
 R. W. CARRICK.

Witness—
 ARTH. SEDDON. No. 1205.

No. 101.—SEPTEMBER 4TH, 1857.—5.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, as merchants and bonded storekeepers, in Queen street, Melbourne, under the style or firm of "Woolley and Robinson," was by mutual consent dissolved on the 31st July last. All debts owing by or owing to the firm will be paid or received by Mr. Alfred Woolley, and the said business will in future be carried on by the said Alfred Woolley.

Dated the 24th day of August, 1857.
 ALFRED WOOLLEY,
 GEO. L. ROBINSON.

Witness—
 ARTH. SEDDON. No. 1177.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned, carrying on business as surveyors and engineers, &c., in the town of Castlemaine, in the colony of Victoria, under the style of John Phillips and Edward William Bagshawe, was dissolved on the 1st day of November, 1855, by mutual consent. All debts and accounts due to or owing by the said firm to be paid and received by Mr. E. W. Bagshawe, who will carry on the above business on his own account.

E. W. BAGSHAWE.
 Witness—
 JOHN HEDDERWICK,
 Castlemaine, 8th August, 1856.

JOHN PHILLIPS.

Witness—
 EDWIN CUNDY.
 Ballarat, 19th August, 1856. No. 1182.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned William Paterson Muir, Matthew Paterson Muir, Robert Muir, David Muir, John Muir, and James Stirling, carrying on business at Melbourne, and at Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, under the firm of "Muir Brothers and Company," has been, so far as concerns the said Robert Muir only, this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1857.
 WM. P. MUIR,
 MATTHEW P. MUIR,
 By his Attorney,
 WM. P. MUIR.
 JOHN MUIR,
 By his Attorney,
 WM. P. MUIR.
 ROBERT MUIR.

Witness to the signatures of Wm. P. Muir, M. P. Muir, John Muir, and Robt. Muir—
 WM. LINTON,
 Clerk.
 DAVID MUIR,
 JAMES STIRLING.

Witness to the signatures of David Muir and James Stirling—
 J. W. PARSON. No. 1176.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
 colony of Victoria. }
 ENGLISH, SCOTTISH AND AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK v.
 CAMERON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sheriff for the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, under the above writ, at Chanter's Turf Hotel, Swanston street, on Saturday, the 3rd day of October next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock at noon, all the right, title and interest (if any) of the abovenamed defendant in and to parts of lots 18, 19 and 20 in the subdivision of allotment No. 2 of section No. 2, town of Melbourne, parish of Jika Jika, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.
 C. W. STUART.
 Sheriff's Office, Melbourne,
 2nd September, 1857. No. 1212.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
 colony of Victoria. }
 MERRIFIELD v. TEAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sheriff for the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, under the above writ, at Chanter's Turf Hotel, Swanston street, on Saturday, the 3rd day of October next, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title and interest (if any) of the abovenamed defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land situate in the parish of Prahran, near St. Kilda, in the county of Bourke, being part of allotment G of portion 69, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.
 C. W. STUART.
 Sheriff's Office, Melbourne,
 2nd September, 1857. No. 1211.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Vi. Fa.*
colony of Victoria.

COLLYNS v. SALAME.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the above *Vi. Fa.* the sheriff for the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Kangaroo Hotel, Tarrangower, on Saturday, 12th day of September, 1857, at Two o'clock p.m., all and singular the right, title, estate and interest of the abovenamed defendant in and to allotments 19 and 8 of section 1; also allotment 2 of section 2, situate in the township of Maldon, Tarrangower, unless this execution be sooner satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

PHILIP SHIMMIN,
Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Vi. Fa.*
colony of Victoria.

BETWEEN FREDERICK MANTON, Plaintiff,
and

MOSES LAZARUS, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sheriff for the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction (unless the execution be previously satisfied), at the Supreme Court Hotel, La Trobe street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 14th day of September, 1857, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, the right, title and interest (if any) of the abovenamed defendant in and to all that allotment or parcel of land situate in the parish of Jika Jika, in the county of Bourke and colony of Victoria, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, be the same more or less, being allotment No. 11 of section 9, town of Northcote; bounded on the south by allotment 10, bearing east 2 chains; on the east by High street, bearing north 1 chain 25 links; on the north by Cunningham street, bearing west 2 chains; and on the west by part of allotment 12, bearing south 1 chain 25 links; being the land sold as lot No. 131, in pursuance of the proclamation of the 11th day of January, 1854; together with all the rights and appurtenances belonging thereto.

Also, all that allotment or parcel of land in the parish of Jika Jika, county of Bourke and colony of Victoria, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, be the same more or less, being allotment No. 8 of section 4, town of Northcote; bounded on the south by Cunningham street, bearing east 2 chains; on the east by Ross street, bearing north 1 chain 25 links; on the north by allotment 9, bearing west 2 chains; and on the west by part of allotment 7, bearing south 1 chain 25 links, being the land sold as lot No. 118, in pursuance of the proclamation of the 11th day of January, 1854; with all the rights and appurtenances belonging thereto.

Also, all that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the parish of Jika Jika, in the county of Bourke and colony of Victoria, being part of portion No. 17 of the said parish, and being lot 32 of the subdivision of the said portion by the said Thomas Wills, commencing at a point on the east side of a Government road 1 chain wide, forming the western boundary of the said portion, distant 490 north from the south-west corner or angle of the said portion; bounded on the west by the said Government road, in a line bearing further north 200 links; on the north by lot 27 of the said subdivision, in a line bearing east 237½ links; on the east by lot 33 of the said subdivision, in a line bearing south 200 links; and on the south by lot 37 of the said subdivision, in a line bearing west 237½ links, home to the point of commencement; and which said piece or parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan drawn on the margin of these presents; together with the messuages and tenements thereon erected and built.

Terms—Cash.

GEORGE BURNS,
Sheriff's Officer.
No. 1116.

Sheriff's Office, Melbourne.

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

To the Sheriff of the Colony of Victoria, or his lawful Deputy,
GREETING—

WHEREAS upon the petition to their Honors the Judges of our Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, of Peter Mason, of Ballaarat, in the county of Grenville, in the colony of Victoria, merchant, against Dougall McArthur, of Glendaruel, in the said county of Grenville, farmer, it appears to us that the said Dougall McArthur is justly and truly indebted unto the said Peter Mason in the sum of Four hundred and fifty-nine pounds, for goods sold and delivered by the said Peter Mason to the said Dougall McArthur, and that the said Dougall McArthur carried on business as a storekeeper and farmer, and is possessed of property in the colony of Victoria, and that the said Dougall McArthur has committed an act of insolvency by denying himself to his creditors after various appointments have been made by the said Peter Mason and others of his creditors to meet him respecting their claims, which he failed to keep, and that the said Dougall McArthur has also committed an act of insolvency by absenting himself from his place of residence and also by absenting himself from his place of business with intent to defeat and delay his creditors in obtaining payment of their just and lawful debts, and having also committed an act of insolvency by having executed a fraudulent transfer of his farm at Glendaruel to one Dougall

McDougall, with intent to defeat his creditors, whereupon the said Peter Mason prayed their Honors to grant to him an order to sequester the estate of the said Dougall McArthur: And whereas it further appears to us in our said Court that His Honor Robert Molesworth, Esquire, a Judge of our said Court, did, by order under his hand, bearing date the seventh day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, place the estate of the said Dougall McArthur under sequestration in the hands of the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates at Melbourne, until the same should, by the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, be adjudged to be sequestered, or the said petition should be discharged according to law: And whereas it further appears to us in our said Court that by a rule of our said Court made in the matter of the said petition of the said Peter Mason, on the twentieth day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, the said order of His Honor Robert Molesworth, Esquire, bearing date the said seventh day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, was enlarged until Thursday, the seventeenth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven:

Now therefore we command you that you summon the said Dougall McArthur that he be before our Judges of our Supreme Court aforesaid on the seventeenth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, to shew cause, if he have any, why his estate should not, by sentence of the said Court, be adjudged to be sequestered for the benefit of his creditors; and return you then and there this writ with whatever you have done thereupon.

Witness His Honor WILLIAM FOSTER STAWELL, Esquire, our Chief Justice of our said Court at Melbourne, the twenty-first day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and in the twenty-first year of our reign.

(L.S.) FREDK. WILKINSON,
Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates
for the Colony of Victoria.

HENRY GEORGE FREAME, 17, Swanston street,
Melbourne, Agent for Henry Cuthbert,
Lydiard street, Ballaarat, creditors' solicitor.

Mr. Dougall McArthur.

Take notice that within four days after service of this summons you must deliver to Frederick Wilkinson, Esquire, Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates for the Colony of Victoria, at Melbourne, if your residence is within twenty-five miles of Melbourne, and if at a greater distance, then you must, within the said time, put into the nearest Post Office, addressed to such Commissioner, at the Supreme Court House, Melbourne, a statement in writing signed by you of any facts alleged in this summons which you intend to dispute, and all facts, no notice of an intention to dispute which shall be so given, will, upon the hearing of the case, be taken to be admitted by you, and the petitioning creditor will not be required to prove the same.

HENRY GEORGE FREAME.

No. 1187.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from near Mount Scurgeon, on the 17th June, a black horse, branded like writing H on near ribs, white snip in face, three white feet, short tail, and stands fifteen hands high. If stolen the above reward will be paid on conviction of thief, or £5 will be paid to any person on recovery of the horse, by Charles Haig, Hopkins Hotel, Wickliffe.

No. 1097.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Ararat, 10th of August last, a bay mare, with black points, long tail and snip, branded JSE near shoulder. The above reward will be given on recovery, at Crocker's store, Pleasant Creek.

No. 1209.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Ararat, on the 3rd August, a dark bay mare, branded S3 (square top 3) off shoulder, long tail, black points, and small star. The above reward will be given to any person who will bring the same to the Commercial Hotel, near the Camp, Ararat, or Harvey's store, Four Mile Flat, Avoca.

No. 1210.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN on 10th August, a grey mare, branded BB near shoulder; also a bay colt, branded like WC near shoulder. (nearly invisible), short tail mixed with grey. Any person returning the same to Jacob Jenkins, Yuille's Flat, will receive the above reward on conviction of the thief. No. 1203.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Warreencep, Ballaarat, on the night of the 26th August, a brown entire horse, branded WK near shoulder, off O, blind off eye, star in forehead, near hind leg white. £10 reward if stolen on conviction, £2 if strayed on recovery. Apply Messrs. G. and G. Shaw, Madeline street, Melbourne.

No. 1204.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mount Egerton, on or about the 4th of April, 1857, an iron gray mare, branded WG off neck, JC near shoulder. The above reward will be paid to any person or persons returning the said mare to Mr. Jas. Doyl, Ingleston Arms Hotel, at Ballan. No. 1113.

Impoundings.

BACCHUS MARSH.—Impounded at Bacchus Marsh, 29th August, 1857, by Porter Brothers.—Damages 5s. each.
432. Chestnut horse, streak down face, near hind foot white, RP near shoulder, RH near side under saddle, SK off shoulder, long tail
433. Brindle sided bullock, large cock horns, IL off ribs
By H. McLeod, Esq.—Trespass 1s. per head.
434. White steer, about twelve months, no visible brand
435. Red and white spotted cow, small hoop horns, supposed JF off ribs
436. Red and white cow, bald face, JM near ribs, 2 near S
shoulder, writing N off rump
437. White bull, strawberry neck, HO off ribs and rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

ROBERT PYKE,
Poundkeeper.

BATESFORD.—Impounded at Batesford Pound, 25th August, 1857, by Mr. J. Deen.—Damages £1.
813. Black pony mare, star and snip, branded N near shoulder, indescribable brand off neck
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

HENRY A. ALEXANDER,
Poundkeeper.

BRAYBROOK.—Impounded at Braybrook, 29th August, 1857, by J. McLaine, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.
1 roan strawberry bullock, like JD off rump, D off ribs, like heart or n near rump
1 white bullock, near horn down, like OH off rump, point near ear cut off
1 spotted red and white heifer, off ear slit, near ear cut, like ID near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

C. M. WILLIAMS,
Poundkeeper.

BULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 31st August, 1857, by Mr. Foote.—Damages 1s. per head.
442. Bay mare, star in forehead, two hind fetlocks white, m T
conjoined near shoulder, Z off shoulder, saddle and collar
IL
marked
443. Brown cob horse, broken knees, white mark round nose from halter, saddle marked, swelling off hind fetlock joint, m conjoined near back
444. Bay mare, star in forehead, few white spots on rump, saddle marked, no visible brand
On 31st August, by Mr. Donald Campbell.
445. Bay filly, star in forehead, long tail, N near shoulder
446. Brown filly, off hind leg white, blaze down face, lame near fore leg, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

JOHN W. GOWER,
Poundkeeper.

CARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook, 1st September, 1857, by Mr. H. Chalk.—Trespass 1s. 6d.
659. Yellow sided snail horned bullock, N'S near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

JAMES B. RHODES,
Poundkeeper.

ELPHINSTONE.—Impounded at Elphinstone Pound, 24th August, 1857, by Mr. R. H. Turnley, for W. Degraives and Co.
378. Bay horse, RS off shoulder
379. Bay horse, off hind foot white, JB m near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

J. T. PATTERSON,
Poundkeeper.

GISBORNE.—Impounded at Gisborne, 29th August, 1857, by Mr. Palmer.

357. White cow, black muzzle and ears, cock horns, RW off ribs
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358. White heifer, brindle neck and spots, hoop horns, BGOT near ribs, HC conjoined off ribs
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

JAMES M. ROBERTSON,
Poundkeeper.

GUILDFORD.—Impounded at Guildford,
8s. 6d.

581. Bay horse, branded like HS or IIM near shoulder, near hind foot white, large star and small stripe on face, suspected to have been stolen—Impounded by Messrs. Cohen and Richards, Castlemaine.—Damages claimed £8 15s.
No. 526, in page 1487 of the *Gazette*, now appears as RHK conjoined near and off shoulder (the R being reversed)
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

W. II. TAAFFE,
Poundkeeper.

KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 23rd August, 1857, by Messrs. Ebden and Keene.—Damages 2s. 6d. each.

194. Roan mare, black points, long switch tail, saddle marked, been shod all round, N near shoulder, E† off shoulder
195. Bay mare, black points, long switch tail, saddle marked, fore shoes on, like WP or W P near shoulder, P near neck, like AM conjoined and indistinct brand under off shoulder
On 28th August, by Messrs. Ebden and Keene.—Damages 2s. 6d. each.
196. Yellow brindle bullock, cock horns, slit off ear, OB off rump, X off thigh, m off ribs
197. Red bullock, small white spot on face and rump, cock horns, illegible near loin, indistinct like CW near rump
199. Red cow, large star, brown muzzle, WD off ribs
200. Yellow steer, near ear slit, down horns, like C near ribs
201. Blue strawberry cow, piece out of near ear, like GC near ribs
202. Red and white cow, blotch like MC (writing M) near ribs, 2 near rump, A off ribs
CC
203. Small red heifer, piece out of off ear, 1 near back, 4 off rump, 1 DOG off back
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

HUGH STEVENSON,
Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 25th August, 1857, by Thos. Henty, Esq., Muntbam.

241. Chestnut horse, star, docked tail, AC near shoulder
242. Grey horse, JFC (the two first letters conjoined) off shoulder
243. Grey horse, saddle and collar marked, near hind fetlock enlarged, PK or PR near shoulder, indescribable conjoined with C or G off shoulder
244. Brown filly, no apparent brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.

W. LEONARD,
Poundkeeper.

9s. 6d.

NOTICE.

CASTERTON.—No. 224 and 226, advertised 28th August, should have been described thus—the former as a red and white steer, notch near ear, like C off shoulder, and the latter as a strawberry bullock, FE near rump

W. LEONARD,
Poundkeeper.

6s. 6d.

LEXTON.—Impounded at Lexton, 27th August, 1857, by W. R. Stewart, Esq.—Trespass 9d.

551. Bay mare, small star, black points, small scar near neck and shoulder, no visible brand
552. Bay horse, black points, enlargement off fore fetlock, C or G off neck
By G. McLarin, Esq.—Trespass 9d.
553. Red cow, white on face and belly, 5 off thigh, 2B off ribs, G
7 off shoulder, OC off loin

554. White steer, like M near ribs, OC off ribs
555. Red steer, like M near ribs, OC off ribs
556. Red and white heifer, illegible brand off thigh
557. Brindle heifer, illegible brand off ribs
558. Strawberry heifer, BFB off rump
On 27th August, by — Tulloch, Esq.
553. Red steer, O near ribs, O near rump, blotch off rump
WR OO

560. Red and white steer, O near rump, C in diamond off rump
 561. Red and white steer, OO near rump and ribs
 562. Yellow and white steer, O near rump, C in diamond off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 S. P. KEAM,
 Poundkeeper.

MAVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek Pound, 27th August, 1857, by Mr. Speed.—Trespass 1s. each.
 250. Red bullock, cock horns, rope on neck, top off near ear, ID near shoulder, like HD near back
 252. Red and white spotted bullock, cock horns, white face, swallow tail near ear, like MI near ribs and rump
 253. Red stag, top off near ear, like HD conjoined near shoulder
 257. White yearling steer, spotted neck and head, horse shoe off shoulder
 258. Brown cow, cock horns, piece out of off ear, PB off rump, 22 off ribs
 259. Red bull calf, sore round neck, progeny of above, no visible brand
 260. Red cow, cock horns, piece out of both ears, calf at foot, AS near rump
 261. Brown cow, cock horns, white back and belly, L near back, like MO near rump, illegible brand off rump
 262. Red and white poley cow, top off near ear, like HS off rump
 265. White bull calf, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 C. H. NIMMO,
 Poundkeeper.

MURCHISON.—Impounded at Murchison, 25th August, 1857, by F. and A. Burchett, Esqrs.—Trespass 1s.
 467. Red bullock, —H off ribs
 468. Red cow, MM off ribs, R off loin
 469. Red stag, —L off back
 470. Black cow, Q off rump and ribs, MR near ribs and rump
 471. Yellow bullock, C near loin, like CD off rump, like anchor off ribs
 472. Red bullock, JHL conjoined near ribs and rump, writing D off rump
 473. Spotted bullock, WF near ribs, zg off rump
 474. Red bullock, — through O near ribs, HH conjoined off rump
 475. Red bullock, like OC or CC near rump, blotch near ribs
 476. Red bullock, — over W over diamond near rump, blotch like SS near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 N. R. DUNGOMBE BOND,
 Poundkeeper.

NEWBRIDGE.—Impounded at Newbridge, 27th August, 1857, by Mr. Hugh Mackinnon, for Robert Cay, Esq. Trespass 1s. 6d. each.
 198. Roan horse, wry neck, dock tail, cropped ears, sore back, H off shoulder, E off neck
 199. Red bullock, near ear marked, tips of both horns sawn off, RR off loin, Jm off ribs, like N or H off shoulder
 200. White and red spotted bullock, cock horns, like R off rump, IL before, AKEN near ribs
 201. Strawberry bullock, cock horns, near ear marked, like sR conjoined off ribs, like sR conjoined off rump
 202. Red bullock, both ears marked, tips of both horns sawn off, L in square near shoulder, W near ribs, PR conjoined near rump (the bow of P to left)
 203. Black sided bullock, white back and belly, cock horns, both ears marked, short tail, L in square near shoulder
 204. White bullock, black spots, cock horns, L in square near shoulder, s near rump
 205. Yellow bullock, cock horns, piece off near horn, near ear marked, L in square near shoulder, TO near ribs, indistinct brand over O, C near rump, J off rump and ribs
 206. Red bullock, cock horns, L in square near, like pW near rump (tail of p to left)
 207. Yellow bullock, down hoop horns, stumpy tail, L in square near shoulder, C near rump, like W near ribs, indistinct brand off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 JOHN ELLIOTT,
 Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

SKIPTON.—No. 247, the bay mare, short tail, star and snip, near shoulder, blotch, R off shoulder, has a ringbone near fore foot, and near hind fetlock white
 Nos. 255 and 256 should have been damages £5 each.
 J. H. CONLEY,
 For JNO. SANDERS,
 Poundkeeper.
 7s. 6d.

WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta, 28th August, 1857, by Police.—Expenses for forage £1 4s. 6d.
 655. Bay horse, star, streak and snip, short tail, enlargement near fore fetlock, P near crown brand off shoulder, like S blotched near neck, small crown brand off cheek
 The above horse was previously impounded 21st August, and released by Wangaratta Police, 22nd August, and again impounded by them, the condemned brand being found on him.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 ALEXANDER TONE,
 Poundkeeper.
 9s.

WARRNAMBOOL.—Impounded at Warrnambool, 25th August, 1857, by Mr. F. King.
 1 white and red spotted cow, M off ribs, SF off rump, like TN near ribs
 1 red heifer, M near ribs
 1 red and white heifer, M near ribs
 1 white heifer, lately branded A off rump, T off shoulder, calf at foot
 1 strawberry bull calf, progeny of above, A off rump, T off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 T. BEST,
 Poundkeeper.
 11s. 6d.

WARRANTDYTE.—Impounded at Warrantdyte, Anderson's Creek, 29th August, 1857, by Mr. D. Lithgow, Yering.—Trespass 10s.
 483. Dark brown or black horse, large star and snip, off fore and near hind fetlocks white, long tail, white spot on near side neck, saddle marked, WP conjoined near shoulder, illegible brands like FI conjoined under, T rather blotch off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th October, 1857.
 JOHN HUTCHINSON,
 Poundkeeper.
 9s.

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

	£	s.	d.
September 1.—W. H. Taaffe	1	0	0
September 1.—John Hutchinson	1	0	0
September 3.—C. H. Nimmo	2	0	0

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