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DEPASTURE LICENSES, 1857.

LICENSEES of Crown Lands are informed that payment of the License Fees* will be received at any of the District Sub-Treasuries, as well as at the Treasury in Melbourne. In case of payment being made at a Sub-Treasury, a receipt for the amount will be granted, and the License will be subsequently forwarded for delivery.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Crown Lands Office,
Melbourne, 4th February, 1857.

ASSESSMENT ON STOCK.

IN accordance with the Acts of Council 17 Victoria No. 20 and 19 Victoria No. 5, licensees of stations in the colony of Victoria beyond the settled districts are required to furnish to the commissioner of the district, before the 15th March, returns of all stock kept and pastured on their runs on the 1st day of March next.

By His Excellency's Command,
AND. CLARKE.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, Melbourne, the seventh day of February, 1857.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor,
Major-General Edward Macarthur,

Mr. Haines,
Mr. Stawell,
Mr. Sladen,

Mr. Childers,
Captain Clarke, R.E.,
Mr. Fellows.

WHETHERAS by a Proclamation dated the twenty-third day of April, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and published in the *Government Gazette* on the twenty-fourth day of the same month, His Excellency Sir Charles Hotham, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, and Lieutenant Governor of Victoria, did, with the advice of the Executive Council, declare a certain locality to be a municipal district by the name of "The Municipal District of St. Kilda;" And whereas on the twenty-ninth day of October last, His Excellency Major-General Edward Macarthur, then being the Officer administering the Government of the said colony, received a petition, signed by not less than one hundred and fifty householders resident within the district herein-after described, praying that His Excellency, with the advice aforesaid, would vary and alter the limits and boundaries of the said municipal district, so that the same should be as follows, that is to say:—"Commencing at the boundary post at Hobson's Bay where the boundary of the municipality of Emerald Hill terminates, thence in an easterly direction following the boundary line of the said municipal district to its junction with the Brighton road, thence across the Brighton road through the centre of the High Holborn road to the centre of the Punt road, thence in a southerly direction along the centre of the same road to Wellington street, or known as the Great Dandenong road, thence easterly along the centre of the Dandenong road to the north-east angle of allotment 154 b, thence south along the centre of a road unnamed to its junction with the Western Port road, thence in a line along the centre of the same road to the Glen Huntley road, thence westward along the centre of the same road to its junction with the Punt road, thence southerly along the centre of

the same road to Hobson's Bay, thence northerly along the high-water mark to the commencing point:" And whereas there is comprised within the limits and boundaries last aforesaid a certain locality now included within the corporate limits of the corporation of the city of Melbourne, and by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council made and passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, "*An Act for the establishment of Municipal Corporations*," it is enacted, that before the limits of the franchise of the said corporation shall be altered under the provisions of the said Act, the council of the said corporation and the petitioners praying for the establishing of any municipal district within whose limits any portion of the franchise of the said corporation is about to be included, shall adjust the proportions in which the entire liability for the loans therein mentioned shall be borne by such district, and in case of their differing, the Lieutenant Governor, with the advice aforesaid, shall determine such proportions, and every such municipal district shall be bound by such adjustment or determination to be made as aforesaid: And whereas the council of the said corporation and the said petitioners have differed in adjusting the said proportions, and the said petitioners have requested that the same may be determined accordingly to the said Act, and both parties do this day appear here for the purpose of such determination:

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order determine that one equal fortieth part or share of the said loans (the whole into forty equal parts or shares to be divided) shall be borne by the said municipal district of St. Kilda, when and so soon as the limits and boundaries thereof shall be varied and altered as aforesaid.

And the Honorable William Clark Haines, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

J. H. KAY.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, Melbourne, the twelfth day of February, 1857.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor,
Major-General Macarthur,

Mr. Haines,
Mr. Sladen,

Mr. Childers,
Mr. Fellows.

WHETHERAS by the law now in force not more than Four thousand pounds shall be payable at the same time to the judges of the Supreme Court out of the sums set apart for such pensions, and all such pensions shall be granted in accordance with regulations to be framed by the Governor and Executive Council, so that the same shall, as far as may be, accord with the Act of the Imperial Parliament regulating the pensions of the judges of the United Kingdom: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order frame the following regulations for the purpose aforesaid, that is to say:—

It shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, by any letters patent under the public seal of the colony, to give and grant to any person who may or shall have executed the office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, or of Puisne Judge thereof, and shall have resigned the same, an

* For lists of persons liable to these payments, see pp. 168, 192, and 228 ante.

annuity or pension not exceeding one-half part of the salary appertaining to each such office at the period of the resignation thereof, the said several annuities or pensions to commence from and after the period when the person to whom such annuity or pension shall be granted as aforesaid shall have resigned his said office, and to continue from thenceforth for and during the natural life of the person to whom the same shall be granted as aforesaid; and the same shall from time to time be paid and payable quarterly, free and clear of all taxes and deductions whatsoever, on the first day of January, the first day of April, the first day of July, and the first day of October, in each and every year, by even and equal portions, the first payment thereof to be made on such of the said days as shall next happen after such resignation as aforesaid of the person to whom any such annuity or pension shall be granted: Provided always that no such annuity or pension granted to any person having executed the office of Chief Justice or Puisne Judge of the said court shall be valid unless such person shall have continued in one or more of the said offices for the period of fifteen years, or shall be afflicted with some permanent infirmity disabling him from the due execution of his office, which shall be distinctly recited in the said grant.

And the Honorable Charles Sladen, Her Majesty's Treasurer for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

J. H. KAY.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF ST. KILDA ALTERED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Sir HENRY BARKLY, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation, under the Hand of the then Lieutenant Governor and the Seal of the Colony, bearing date the twenty-third day of April, in the year One thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, it was declared and appointed that the several districts therein named should be municipal districts, and amongst others, the boundaries of the municipal district of St. Kilda, in the county of Bourke, were thereby defined: And whereas in compliance with a petition presented to His Excellency the Officer lately administering the Government, signed by not less than one hundred and fifty householders resident in the district hereinafter described, it is deemed expedient to alter the boundaries of the said municipal district of St. Kilda, and to unite thereto a portion of land hitherto comprised within the corporate limits of the city of Melbourne, under the authority of two several Acts of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the colony of Victoria, passed in the eighteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, respectively, "An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria," and "An Act to amend an Act intituled 'An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria,'" Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, the Governor of Victoria, do, by this my Proclamation, with the advice of the Executive Council, alter the said municipal district of St. Kilda and the limits thereof, and with the advice aforesaid, I do declare and appoint that the boundaries and limits hereinafter defined shall be the boundaries and limits of the said municipal district of St. Kilda, that is to say:—

Commencing at a point on the shores of Port Phillip Bay, being the south-east angle of the municipal district of Emerald Hill; thence by a line bearing north twenty-six degrees fifteen minutes east sixteen chains and ninety links to a marked post; thence by a line bearing north fifty-seven degrees east fifty-eight chains to a marked post on the west side of the Main Brighton road; thence by a line easterly and by a line passing through the centre of High street, parish of Prahran, to the Punt road; thence by a line passing through the centre of the Punt road to Wellington street; thence by a line passing through the centre of Wellington street, and through the centre of the Main Dandenong road to the centre of a Government road forming the eastern boundary of portion 154 b, parish of Prahran; thence by a line passing through the centre of the said Government road to the Glen Huntley road; thence by a line passing through the centre of the Glen Huntley road to the Punt road; thence by a line passing through the centre of the Punt road to the shores of Port Phillip Bay; and thence by the shores of Port Phillip Bay to the commencing point aforesaid.

And I do hereby, with the advice aforesaid, direct that the council of the said municipal district shall be called by the name and style of "The Municipal Council of St. Kilda."

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

(L.S.) HENRY BARKLY.

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF EMERALD HILL ENLARGED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Sir HENRY BARKLY, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the eighteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, "An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria," it was amongst other things enacted that it should be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, if he should think fit, on the receipt of a petition signed by the householders purporting to be the majority resident within an area adjoining to any proclaimed municipal district containing an average of thirty-six resident householders for each square mile thereof, praying that such locality by a general description might be united with and form part of such previously proclaimed municipal district, to declare by Proclamation, with the consent of the council of such proclaimed district, such locality to be united with and form part of such previously proclaimed municipal district, and also by the same or any other Proclamation to define the limits and boundaries of such locality, and upon the publication of any such Proclamation in the *Government Gazette* such locality so defined should be and be deemed to be united with and should form part of such previously proclaimed municipal district: Provided that no such Proclamation be issued as above until the substance and prayer of such petition should have been published for at least one month previously in the *Government Gazette*: And whereas by a Proclamation bearing date the twenty-sixth day of May in the year One thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, the municipal district of Emerald Hill was duly constituted: And whereas a petition in conformity with the said Act was addressed to His Excellency the Officer lately administering the Government praying that the portion of Macarthur Ward, in the city of Melbourne, in the said petition described, should be united with and form part of the said municipal district: And whereas the substance and prayer of the said petition have been duly published, and the council of the said municipal district have declared their acquiescence in the prayer of such petition: Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, by virtue of the authority of the said Act, and of all other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this my Proclamation, with the consent of the municipal council of Emerald Hill, declare that the piece or portion of land hereinafter described, hitherto forming the northern part of Macarthur Ward, in the city of Melbourne, shall be detached from the said city and shall from henceforth be united with and form part of the said municipal district of Emerald Hill, that is to say:—

Commencing at a point on the south bank of the River Yarra Yarra, intersected by the south-eastern boundary of the Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Railway reserve; thence southward by the south-eastern boundary of that reserve to a marked post at the western angle of the municipal district of Emerald Hill; thence by a line north-westerly to a point on the south bank of the River Yarra Yarra, intersected by the western boundary of the city of Melbourne; and thence eastward by the south bank of the said River Yarra Yarra to the commencing point.

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

(L.S.) HENRY BARKLY.

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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.

AMHERST, Daisy Hill—	Friday, 20th February	...	...	...	...	120
BELFAST—	Monday, 2nd March	...	...	...	...	165
CASTLEMAINE—	Friday, 27th February	...	...	...	...	145
DAYLESFORD, near Hepburn—	Tuesday, 17th February	...	...	...	...	93
	Wednesday, 18th February	...	...	...	...	94
GEELONG—	Monday, 16th February	...	...	...	...	89
	Tuesday, 17th February	...	...	...	...	90
HAMILTON—	Monday, 16th February	...	...	...	...	91
	Tuesday, 17th February	...	...	...	...	91
	Monday, 23rd February	...	...	...	...	143
	Tuesday, 24th February	...	...	...	...	144
KYNETON—	Monday, 23rd February	...	...	...	...	141
	Tuesday, 24th February	...	...	...	...	142

MALDON, Tarrangower—
 Tuesday, 10th March 263
 Wednesday, 11th March 264
 TARADALE—
 Friday, 27th February 164
 By His Excellency's Command,
 AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
 Melbourne.

LAND SALE AT GEELONG.—13th MARCH, 1857.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR HENRY BARKLY, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Friday, the thirteenth day of March next, the following Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the auction rooms of Messrs. J. B. Hutton and Co., Moorabool street, Geelong, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit—10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

MOORPANYAL.

Situated on Geelong Bay.

1. Grant, 5a. 1r. 17p., Five acres one rood seventeen perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 203. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
2. Grant, 5a. 1r. 17p., Five acres one rood seventeen perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 204. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
3. Grant, 6a. 2r. 32p., Six acres two roods thirty-two perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 210. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
4. Grant, 4a. 2r. 30p., Four acres two roods thirty perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 211. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
5. Grant, 5a. 1r. 17p., Five acres one rood seventeen perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 212. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
6. Grant, 7a. 2r. 25p., Seven acres two roods twenty-five perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 213. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
7. Grant, 6a. 2r. 9p., Six acres two roods nine perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 218. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
8. Grant, 3a. 2r. 36p., Three acres two roods thirty-six perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 219. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.
9. Grant, 5a. 0r. 6p., Five acres six perches, parish of Moorpanyal, allotment 237. Upset price 2l. 10s. per acre.

COUNTRY LOTS.

MORANGHURK.

Fronting the Melbourne and Geelong Railway.

10. Grant, 89a., Eighty-nine acres, parish of Moranghurk, portion 40. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 11. Grant, 81a., Eighty-one acres, parish of Moranghurk, portion 41. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 12. Grant, 67a. 1r. 32p., Sixty-seven acres one rood thirty-two perches, parish of Moranghurk, portion 42. Upset price 1l. per acre.
- ONDIT.
13. Grenville, 50a., Fifty acres, parish of Ondit, portion 2 B. Upset price 1l. per acre.
- WARRION.
14. Grenville, 127a. 2r., One hundred and twenty-seven acres two roods, parish of Warrion, portion 3 B. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 15. Grenville, 93a. 2r. 16p., Ninety-three acres two roods sixteen perches, parish of Warrion, portion 3 C. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 16. Grenville, 60a., Sixty acres, parish of Warrion, portion 12 E. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 17. Polworth, 109a., One hundred and nine acres, parish of Warrion, portion 18 E. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 18. Grenville, 78a., Seventy-eight acres, parish of Warrion, portion 13 F. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 19. Polworth, 353a., Three hundred and fifty-three acres, parish of Warrion, portion 24 B. Upset price 1l. per acre.
 20. Polworth, 335a., Three hundred and thirty-five acres, parish of Warrion, portion 24 C. Upset price 1l. per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twelfth day of February, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and in the twentieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) HENRY BARKLY.
 By His Excellency's Command,
 AND. CLARKE,
 Surveyor General.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Surveyor General's Office,
 Melbourne, 12th February, 1857.

GEELONG LAND SALE.—17th FEBRUARY, 1857.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 16th January last, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Geelong on the 17th February instant: Notice is hereby given that the improvements on suburban lot 9 have been valued at £12, which amount, added to the upset price, must be paid at the time of sale.

By His Excellency's Command,
 AND. CLARKE.

Surveyor General's Office,
 Melbourne, 29th January, 1857.

RICHMOND STREETS.

A PLAN of the municipality of Richmond, shewing the proposed breadth of the carriage and footways thereof, having been submitted to His Excellency the Governor in Council, in accordance with the 12th clause of the Act of Council 18th Victoria No. 14, His Excellency, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to fix and declare the breadth of the carriage and footways of the said municipality, and the distance from the outer edge of such footways within which it shall not be lawful to erect any building or fence, to be the same as are marked on the abovementioned plan, that is to say:—

Nos. on Plan.	Names of Streets.	Total width of Streets.		Width of Carriage-way.		Width of Footpaths on each side.	
		Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.
1	Swan street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
2	Church street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
3	Cremorne street ...	51	0	37	0	7	0
4	Wellington street ...	40	0	29	2	5	5
5	Barney street ...	30	0	21	10	4	1
8	Cubitt street ...	30	0	21	10	4	1
9	Gwynne street ...	30	0	21	10	4	1
10	Stephenson street ...	25	0	18	2	3	5
13	Balmain street ...	30	0	21	10	4	1
36	Lennox street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
42	Rowena parade ...	40	0	29	2	5	5
43	Rotherwood street south	40	0	29	2	5	5
44	Rotherwood street north	33	0	24	0	4	6
48	Goodwood street...	40	0	29	2	5	5
49	Richmond terrace	66	0	48	0	9	0
50	Montgomery street	33	0	24	0	4	6
51	Tanner street east	33	0	24	0	4	6
52	Wangaratta street	33	0	24	0	4	6
53	Boothcrambo street	33	0	24	0	4	6
54	Gipps street south	66	0	48	0	9	0
55	Little Lennox street	33	0	24	0	4	6
56	Stanley street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
59	Little Clifton street	33	0	24	0	4	6
60	Docker street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
61	Little Docker street	33	0	24	0	4	6
62	Rowena street ...	40	0	29	2	5	5
63	Waltham street ...	50	0	36	4	6	10
64	Darlington street north	50	0	36	4	6	10
65	Charlotte street ...	60	0	43	8	8	2
66	Catherine street ...	60	0	43	8	8	2
67	Brougham street...	33	0	24	0	4	6
68	Abinger street ...	33	0	24	0	4	6
69	Lyndhurst street...	33	0	24	0	4	6
70	Charles street south	60	0	43	8	8	2
71	Mary street ...	33	0	24	0	4	6
79	River street ...	50	0	36	4	6	10
20	Yarra street ...	50	0	36	4	6	10
90	Highett street ...	58	0	42	2	7	11
91	York street ...	40	0	29	2	5	5
92	Smith street ...	33	0	24	0	4	6
93	Little Elizabeth street	33	0	24	0	4	6
95	Little James street	33	0	24	0	4	6
94	Elizabeth street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
96	James street north	66	0	48	0	9	0
97	Regent street ...	33	0	24	0	4	6
112	Church street north	66	0	48	0	9	0
121	Kent street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0
127	Bridge road east ...	99	0	72	0	18 north	9 south
126	Burnley street north	66	0	48	0	9	0
128	Campbell parade...	99	0	72	0	18 north	9 south
98	Victoria street east	66	0	48	0	9	0
40	Tanner street ...	24	0	17	6	3	3
41	Brick street ...	24	0	17	6	3	3
31	Brighton street ...	40	6	36	0	6	9
38	McNall street ...	24	0	17	6	3	3
57	Little Stanley street	33	0	24	0	4	6
58	Clifton street ...	66	0	48	0	9	0

By His Excellency's Command,
 AND. CLARKE.

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?	General Remarks.
99. Post Office (1856) ...	Transfer	Conveyance of mails between Maryborough and Amherst, from 1st October to 31st December, 1856	At the rate of Three hundred and sixty-five pounds (£365) per annum	Charles Upham Jones	Not stated ...	... ..	Approved 4th November, 1856.—C. Sladen (in lieu of contract 724 of 1855).
100. Ditto (1856) ...	Transfer	Conveyance of mails between Maryborough and New-bridge, from 1st October to 31st December, 1856	At the rate of Three hundred and ninety-five pounds (£395) per annum	Ditto	Not stated ...	... ..	Approved ditto (in lieu of contract 1856).
101. Ditto	Transfer	Conveyance of mails between Maryborough and Kerang, from 1st October, 1856, until notice of withdrawal	At the rate of Six hundred and twenty-five pounds (£625) per annum	Ditto	Not stated ...	... ..	Approved ditto (in lieu of contract 1856).
102. Works, &c. (1856-7) ...	(1)	Extra work in the erection of lodges at the new Lunatic Asylum	Four hundred and thirty-eight pounds five shillings (£438 5s.)	A. Linaere	Yes	Satisfactorily ...	Approved 12th February, 1857.—C. Pasley.
103. Ditto (1857) ...	(2) Grimwood, £497; Linaere, £510 ...	Steward's quarters, office and store at the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylum	Four hundred and ninety-seven pounds (£497)	Thomas Grimwood ...	Yes	Satisfactorily...	Approved ditto.
104. Ditto (1857) ...	(2) Amos and Co., £147; Williams, £155	Repairs to a portion of the Queen's Wharf, Melbourne	One hundred and forty-seven pounds (£147)	A. Amos and Co. ...	Yes	Satisfactorily ...	Approved ditto.
105. Ditto (1857) ...	(5) Jenner Brothers, 65s.; Stowell, 58s.; Devlin, 60s.; Pattison, 63s.; Burke, 65s.	Supply of five hundred and fifty (550) tons of coals for the steam dredge and tug, Geelong	Two pounds fifteen shillings (£2 15s.) per ton	Jenner Brothers ...	Not stated ...	... ..	Approved ditto.
106. Supply of rations to prisoners confined in the lock-up at Wangarratta during the year 1857	(1)	Scale No. 1. (24 oz. bread, 16 oz. meat, 4 oz. salt, 4 oz. soap). Scale No. 2. (34 oz. bread)	Two shillings and fivepence (2s. 5d.) per ration One shilling and sevenpence (1s. 7d.) do.	Edward Lucas ...	Yes	Satisfactorily ...	Approved 12th February, 1857.—C. Sladen.

Melbourne, 12th February, 1857.

LOCAL COURT REGULATION.

CRESWICK.

(Frontage Series.)

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

xix. *Slaughter Yard Hill Lead.*—The size of claims allowed to be taken up under the frontage system on the Slaughter Yard Hill Lead shall be one hundred (100) feet in length by fifty (50) feet in width.

The foregoing Regulation, No. xix., has been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Gazetted on the 13th day of February, 1857, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 37, sec. 17.

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

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MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.

BYE-LAW No. 14.—FOR LICENSING AND REGULATING BOATMEN, PUBLIC CARRIERS OR CARTERS, AND WATER CARRIERS.

In conformity with the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 14, intitled, "An Act to provide for the management of Towns and other places in Victoria," and with the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intitled, "An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria."

WHEREAS it is expedient and necessary to license and regulate all persons plying for hire within the municipal district of Williamstown, whether as boatmen, or public carriers or carters, or water carriers:—

1. Be it therefore ordered and directed by the council of the municipal district of Williamstown that from and after the date of this bye-law receiving the assent of His Excellency the Governor pursuant to the 18th Victoria No. 15, sec. 33, &c., that if any person shall ply or work for hire within the jurisdiction of the said council, whether as a boatman, or public carrier or carter, or water carrier, without being first duly licensed by the said council in the manner and in accordance with the terms hereinafter contained, such person on conviction thereof before any two or more of the justices of the peace for the district, shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay a sum or penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

2. Be it further ordered and directed that all licenses granted under this bye-law shall be granted for the term of one year, and shall be dated and have effect from the first day of May in every year, and continue in force from the said first day of May until the thirtieth day of April next ensuing; the licenses for the current municipal year to bear date from the first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

3. And be it further ordered and directed that the fees to be paid to the town clerk for issuing, entering, and recording every such license shall be the same as are contained in the table, No. 1, in the schedule unto this bye-law annexed.

4. And be it further ordered and directed, that no person shall be licensed in any capacity as aforesaid until fourteen days after application shall have been made by such person in one of the forms hereinafter described, with certificates as therein described, to the town clerk of the said council, viz.:—

That every application for a boatman's license including a license for one boat shall be in the form marked A in the schedule unto this bye-law annexed.

That every application for a boatman's license to ply in a licensed boat, such boatman not being the owner of a licensed boat, shall be in the form marked B in the said schedule. That every application for a public carrier or carter's license shall be in the form marked C in the said schedule. That every application for a water carrier's license, in addition to a public carrier or carter's license, shall be in the form marked D in the said schedule.

5. And be it further ordered and directed that if it shall appear to the said council that any applicant as aforesaid is a fit and proper person to be entrusted with any license as aforesaid, but not otherwise, it shall be lawful for the said council to direct the town clerk to issue such license, and to attach thereto the common seal of the corporation.

6. And be it further ordered and directed that every such license shall be in one of the forms hereinafter described, viz.: that every boatman's license, including a license for one boat, shall be in the form marked E in the schedule to this bye-law annexed. That every boatman's license to ply in a licensed boat, such boatman not being the owner of a licensed boat, shall be in the form marked F in the said schedule. That every public carrier or carter's license shall be in the form marked G in the said schedule; and that every water carrier's license, in addition to a public carrier or carter's license shall be in the form marked H in the said schedule.

7. And be it further ordered and directed that the boat used for hire by any licensed boatman as aforesaid, shall be duly licensed and registered, both by name and number, at the office of the said town clerk, at the time such license is granted, which name and number shall be painted in legible characters in some conspicuous part of such boat, and it shall at any time be lawful for the said council or for any officer appointed by them for that purpose, to inspect any such boat together

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with the gear thereof, and if it shall appear to the said council or their said officer that any such boat or the gear thereof is not in a seaworthy condition, it shall be competent for the said council or their said officer to give notice, and the said council or their said officer are and is hereby ordered and directed to give notice in writing to the boatman using such boat and gear, to discontinue plying for hire therewith, until such boat and gear shall have been put into good repair and seaworthy condition to the satisfaction of the said council or their said officer, and should any boatman neglect or refuse to comply with the conditions of this clause or any of them, he shall, on conviction thereof as aforesaid, forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

8. And be it further ordered and directed that if any boatman shall ply for hire in any other boat than one licensed and registered as aforesaid, he shall, on conviction thereof as aforesaid, forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding five pounds: Provided that in case of the loss of any licensed boat, or of the necessary repairs thereof, it shall be lawful for the license of such boat to be transferred to another boat, if such other boat be approved of by the said council or their officer as aforesaid; such transfer to be first endorsed on the back of such license.

9. And be it further ordered and directed, that the number of persons allowed to be carried in each boat shall depend on the dimensions thereof, viz.: no boat shall be of a less beam than four feet six inches; boats under five feet beam shall be allowed to carry one person to every three feet in length; boats of five feet beam and of less than five feet six inches of beam shall be allowed to carry one person to every two feet in length, and for every six inches of additional beam above five feet one person in addition may be carried for each two feet in length; the above numbers to include the crew of each boat. Each boat shall carry, if required, eight pounds weight of luggage with every passenger without extra charge, or one hundredweight of luggage in lieu of every person less than the complement allowed, and should any boatman convey any greater number of persons in his boat at one and the same time, or any greater quantity of luggage in lieu of any such person or person than is hereby allowed, or in any other respect violate the provisions of this clause, or any of them, he shall, on conviction thereof, as aforesaid, forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

10. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed boatman as aforesaid, plying for hire within the jurisdiction of the said council is hereby authorised to charge such fares and rates as are contained in the table No. 2 of boatmen's fares and rates fixed by the said council in council assembled, which table is contained in the schedule unto this bye-law annexed, and if any boatman shall at any time charge any greater fares or rates than are by such table allowed, he shall on conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

11. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed boatman as aforesaid shall have at all times a printed copy of the regulations, fares and rates, by this bye-law constituted and allowed, which, together with his license, he shall produce when required to any person about to become a passenger or being a passenger, or having been a passenger in his licensed boat, or in the licensed boat in which such boatman is plying; and if any boatman shall refuse to produce such printed copy or his license when requested so to do as aforesaid, or if any boatman shall assault or use abusive or insulting language to any person about to become a passenger, being a passenger, or having been a passenger as aforesaid, he shall on conviction thereof before any two or more of the justices of the peace for the said district forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding five pounds; and in addition to any such penalty, if any boatman as aforesaid shall have been guilty of dishonest or improper conduct in the exercise of his calling as a licensed boatman, and sufficient proof thereof appear to the satisfaction of the said council, it shall be competent for the said council forthwith to deprive such boatman of his license.

12. And be it further ordered and directed that every public carrier or carter and every water carrier as aforesaid, who shall ply for hire within the jurisdiction of the said council, is hereby authorised and required to ply for hire from such stands, to carry such weights for a load, and to charge such rates for the conveyance of goods, merchandise, furniture, water, wood or other commodities as are contained in the table, number 3 of Carters' Rates and Distances, fixed by the said council in council assembled, which table is contained in the schedule unto this bye-law annexed, and if any public carrier or carter, or any water carrier as aforesaid shall in any case ply for hire from any other stands, or charge any greater rates than are by such table constituted and allowed, or refuse to carry such weights for a load as are by such table directed, he shall on conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

13. And be it further ordered and directed that every public carrier or carter and every water carrier as aforesaid shall be liable when plying for hire to be hired and to go to any place within the boundaries of the municipality of Williamstown, and every public carrier or carter, and every water carrier as aforesaid shall in all cases load and unload his cart or dray himself; and if any public carrier or carter or any water carrier as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect to comply with the directions contained in this clause or any of them, he shall upon conviction

tion as aforesaid, forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding fifty shillings.

14. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed public carrier or carter as aforesaid shall be at liberty to hawk wood, and every water carrier as aforesaid shall be at liberty to hawk water for sale within the limits of the said municipal district.

15. And be it further ordered and directed that every public carrier or carter, and every water carrier as aforesaid, shall in respect of his license be allowed to ply for hire with one cart or dray only, which cart or dray shall be registered when such license is granted, and shall have his name, together with the number of his license, and the words, "Licensed Carter" or "Licensed Water Carrier," as the case may be, legible painted in letters not less than one inch in height, in black letters on a white ground, in some conspicuous place upon the off side of the cart or dray with which he shall ply for hire; and if any public carrier or carter, or any water carrier as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect to comply with the directions, or any of them, contained in this clause, he shall upon conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding five pounds.

16. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed public carrier or carter, and every water carrier as aforesaid, who shall employ any person to drive his registered cart or dray, and to ply with the same for hire, shall endorse the name of such person on the back of his license, and if such driver shall refuse or neglect to produce such license so endorsed when required to do so, such driver shall on conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding fifty shillings.

17. And be it further ordered and directed that to aid in the better prevention and extinguishing of fires, every licensed water carrier as aforesaid shall keep his cart or dray loaded with water during the hours of from sunset to sunrise at every period of the year, and also on Sundays, and on neglect or in default thereof, unless reasonable cause can be proved for the same, every such water carrier shall on conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

18. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed water carrier as aforesaid is hereby required to attend with the utmost despatch with his water cart or dray loaded with water at all fires that may occur within this municipal district, and to cart water thereto, and every licensed water carrier as aforesaid who shall neglect so to do, or who shall when called upon to attend with his water cart at a fire by any police officer, fireman or other duly authorised person, under the direction of the said council, neglect or refuse so to attend, such licensed water carrier shall on conviction thereof forfeit and pay for every such neglect, refusal or offence, a sum or penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

19. And be it further ordered and directed that every licensed public carrier or carter, and every water carrier as aforesaid, shall have at all times a printed copy of the rates, distances and other regulations by this bye-law constituted and allowed, which copy, together with his license, he shall produce when required, to any person about to engage or having engaged the cart or dray with which he shall ply for hire, and if any such public carrier or carter, or any water carrier, shall refuse to produce such printed copy or his license when requested so to do as aforesaid, or if any such public carrier or carter or water carrier shall assault or use abusive or insulting language to any person about engaging or having engaged his said cart or dray, any such public carrier or carter, or any such water carrier shall on conviction thereof as aforesaid forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum or penalty not exceeding five pounds; and further, if any improper or dishonest conduct on the part of any licensed public carrier or carter, or any water carrier as aforesaid, while in the exercise of his calling, shall be proved to the satisfaction of the said council, it shall be competent for the said council, in addition to any such penalties as are hereinbefore provided, forthwith to deprive any such public carrier or carter or water carrier of his license.

20. And be it further ordered and directed that the said council shall from time to time, as they shall see fit, alter and amend any or all of the tables and forms contained in the schedule unto this bye-law annexed, and when such alterations and emendations shall be approved of by His Excellency the Governor, the same shall supersede the fares, rates and regulations in force previous thereto, or such of them as shall by the said alterations and emendations be rendered nugatory, and such altered and amended rates, fares and regulations shall have the same force and effect as those previously in operation.

Schedule of Forms and Tables referred to in Bye-law No. 14 of the Municipal Council of Williamstown.

A.
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Application for a Boatman's and Boat License.

Williamstown, day of 185 .
To the worshipful the chairman and other the councillors of the municipal district of Williamstown.

GENTLEMEN,—In conformity with the provisions of bye-law No. 14 of the municipal council of Williamstown, I hereby apply for a license authorising me to ply for hire with my boat named the (*here state name of the boat*) at any appointed ferry, wharf or landing place within or abutting upon the boundaries

of the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and fares and under the regulations which now are or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the Council of the said municipal district.

(*Signature of Applicant*)

(*Residence*) street.

Certificates.

We the undersigned, being six householders of Williamstown, do certify that we know (*here state name of applicant*) and believe him to be a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman.

Name.

Residence.

(*Signatures of six householders*)

the undersigned do certify that we know (*here state name of applicant*) and believe him to be a competent seaman, and a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman.

(*To be certified either by the chief harbor master, superintendent of water police, resident stipendiary magistrate, assistant harbor master, or by two master mariners.*)

I the undersigned do hereby certify that I have examined the boat named the (*here state name of boat*) and the gear thereof belonging to (*here state name of applicant*) and I consider such boat and gear seaworthy, fit and proper to be licensed to ply for hire.

(*Signature of inspector of boats appointed by the Council*)

B.
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Application for a Boatman's License.

Williamstown, day of 185 .
To the worshipful the chairman and other the councillors of the municipal district of Williamstown.

GENTLEMEN,—In conformity with the provisions of the bye-law No. 14 of the municipal council of Williamstown, I hereby apply for a license authorising me to ply for hire as a boatman in any duly licensed boat, at any appointed ferry, wharf, or landing place within or abutting upon the boundaries of the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and fares and under the regulations which now are or may, from time to time, be fixed and constituted by the council of the said municipal district.

(*Signature of Applicant.*)

(*Residence*) street.

Certificates.

We, the undersigned, being six householders of Williamstown, do certify that we know (*here state the name of applicant*) and believe him to be a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman.

(*Signatures of six householders.*)

The undersigned do certify that we know (*here state name of applicant*), and believe him to be a competent seaman and a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman.

(*To be certified either by the chief harbor master, superintendent of water police, resident stipendiary magistrate, assistant harbor master, or by two master mariners.*)

C.
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Application for a Public Carrier or Carter's License.

Williamstown, day of 185 .
To the worshipful the chairman and other the councillors of the municipal district of Williamstown.

GENTLEMEN,—In conformity with the provisions of the bye-law No. 14 of the municipal council of Williamstown, I hereby apply for a license authorising me to ply for hire with my cart or dray as a public carrier or carter, within the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and under the regulations which now are or may, from time to time, be fixed and constituted by the council of the said municipal district.

(*Signature of Applicant.*)

(*Residence*) street.

Certificate.

We the undersigned, being six householders of Williamstown, do certify that we know (*here state name of applicant*), and believe him to be a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a public carrier or carter.

(*Signatures of six householders.*)

D.
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Application for a Water Carrier's License.

Williamstown, day of 185 .
To the worshipful the chairman and other the councillors of the municipal district of Williamstown.

GENTLEMEN,—In conformity with the provisions of the bye-law No. 14 of the municipal council of Williamstown, I (*here state name of applicant*), being a duly licensed public carrier or carter, do hereby apply for an additional license to ply with my water cart or dray for hire as a water carrier within the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and under the regulations which now are or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the council of the said municipal district.

(*Signature of Applicant.*)

(*Residence*) street.

E.
(License No. . .)
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Boatman's and Boat License.

Whereas of has been recommended by six respectable householders to the municipal council for the district of Williamstown as a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman, and his skill as a seaman and the seaworthiness of his boat and gear have been duly certified to the satisfaction of the said council: Now therefore I, the town clerk of the said municipal council, do, in the name and on behalf of the municipal council of Williamstown, license the said to ply for hire with his boat named the No. at any appointed ferry, wharf, or landing place within or abutting upon the boundaries of the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and fares and under the regulations which now are or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the council of the said district.

Given under my hand and the seal of the council, at the council chambers, in the municipal district of Williamstown, this day of 185 .

Town Clerk.

N.B.—This license will expire on the thirtieth day of April, 185 . Notice of intention to renew the same must be given in writing to the town clerk fourteen days prior to that date.

F.
(License No. . .)
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Boatman's License.

Whereas of has been recommended by six respectable householders to the municipal council for the district of Williamstown, as a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a boatman, and his skill as a seaman has been duly certified to the satisfaction of the said council:

Now therefore I, the town clerk of the said municipal council, do, in the name and on behalf of the said municipal council, license the said to ply for hire in any duly licensed boat, at any appointed ferry, wharf, or landing place within or abutting upon the boundaries of the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and fares and under the regulations which now are or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the council of the said district.

Given under my hand and seal of the council, at the council chambers, in the municipal district of Williamstown, this day of 185 .

Town Clerk.

N.B.—This license will expire on the 30th day of April, 185 . Notice of intention to renew the same must be given in writing to the town clerk fourteen days prior to that date.

G.
(License No. . .)
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Public Carrier or Carter's License.

Whereas of has been recommended by six respectable householders to the municipal council for the district of Williamstown, as a fit and proper person to hold a license to ply for hire as a public carrier or carter, to the satisfaction of the said council:

Now therefore I, the town clerk of the said municipal council, do, in the name and on behalf of the municipal council of Williamstown, license the said to ply for hire with his cart or dray, No. , within the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and under the regulations which now are or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the council of the said district.

Given under my hand and the seal of the council, at the council chambers, in the municipal district of Williamstown, this day of 185 .

Town Clerk.

N.B. If the holder of this license shall employ any person to drive his registered cart or dray, and to ply therewith for hire, the name of such driver must be endorsed on the back of the license, and such driver must produce the license together with a printed copy of the table of rates, distances, and regulations at any time when required. This license will expire on the 30th day of April, 185 . Notice of intention to renew the same must be given in writing to the town clerk fourteen days prior to that date.

H.
(License No. . .)
MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.
Water Carrier's License.

Whereas of being duly licensed to ply for hire as a public carrier or carter, has applied in addition thereto for a license to ply for hire with his water cart or dray as a water carrier: Now therefore I, the town clerk of the said municipal council, do, in the name and on behalf of the municipal council of Williamstown, license the said to ply for hire with his water cart or dray, No. within the municipal district of Williamstown, at the rates and

under the regulations which now are, or may from time to time be fixed and constituted by the council of the said district. Given under my hand and the seal of the council, at the Council Chambers, in the municipal district of Williamstown, this day of 185 .

Town Clerk.

N.B.—If the holder of this license shall employ any person to drive his registered water cart or dray, and to ply therewith for hire, the name of such driver must be endorsed on the back of the license, and such driver must produce the license, together with a printed copy of the table of rates, distances and regulations, at any time when required. This license will expire on the 30th day of April, 185 . Notice of intention to renew the same must be given in writing to the town clerk fourteen days prior to that date.

TABLE No. 1.

Table of Fees to be paid to the Town Clerk for issuing, entering and recording the undermentioned Licenses.

	£	s.	d.
For every boatman's and boat license	1	10	0
Every boatman's license to ply in a licensed boat, such boatman not being the owner of a licensed boat	0	5	0
Every public carrier or carter's license	3	0	0
Every water carrier's license in addition to a public carrier or carter's license	0	2	6

TABLE No. 2.

Table of Boatmen's Fares and Rates.

The following fares and rates are to be charged between the hours of six o'clock in the morning and eight o'clock at night, from the first day of June in every year, to the thirty-first day of October next ensuing, and between the hours of five o'clock in the morning and nine o'clock at night from the first day of November in every year to the thirty-first day of May next ensuing.

To or from Williamstown and Sandridge jetty—

	s.	d.
For one person	8	0
„ Two persons, each	6	0
„ Three persons, do.	4	0
„ Four or more persons, do.	3	0

To or from any vessel lying within a line drawn from the Lighthouse to the White Buoy, St. Kilda—

	s.	d.
For one person	6	0
„ two persons, each	4	0
„ three persons, do.	3	0
„ four or more persons, do.	2	6

To or from Williamstown and any vessel lying outside the last mentioned line and within a line drawn from the Black Buoy to the White Buoy, St. Kilda—

	s.	d.
For one person	8	0
„ Two persons, each	6	0
„ Three persons, do.	5	0
„ Four or more persons, do.	3	6

To or from Williamstown and any customary anchorage in Hobson's Bay, if the vessel be nearer to Sandridge than Williamstown—

	s.	d.
For one person	6	0
„ Two persons, each	4	0
„ Three persons, do.	3	0
„ Four or more persons, do.	2	3

To or from Williamstown and any customary anchorage in Hobson's Bay, if the vessel be nearer to Williamstown than Sandridge—

	s.	d.
For one person	4	0
„ Two persons, each	3	0
„ Three persons, do.	2	6
„ Four or more persons, do.	2	0

To or from Williamstown and any customary anchorage in Hobson's Bay to Spottiswoode's ferry—

	s.	d.
For one person	10	0
„ Two persons, each	6	0
„ Three persons, do.	5	0
„ Four or more persons, do.	4	0

All fares outside the Black Buoy and above Spottiswoode's ferry to be by agreement.

Every boatman shall be at liberty to charge double fares from the first day of June in every year to the thirty-first day of October next ensuing, if he shall be required to ply his boat between the hours of eight o'clock at night and six o'clock in the morning, and he shall also be at liberty to charge double fares from the first day of November in every year to the 31st day of May next ensuing, if he shall be required to ply his boat between the hours of nine o'clock at night and five o'clock in the morning.

Any crew consisting of four men, when required by any person or persons, shall be entitled to charge double fares.

Any person desirous of returning by a boat which he has engaged may do so by paying half fare, in which case he may detain the boat for thirty minutes and no longer without incurring any extra charge, and any person detaining any boat over thirty minutes shall pay two shillings, and an additional two shillings for every additional half hour's detention.

Whenever a chequered flag is hoisted at the mast head of the Williamstown flagstaff every boatman may charge one-half more than the fares herein specified, and in foul weather, when a blue flag is hoisted, he may charge double fares.

TABLE No. 3
Table of Carters' Rates and Distances.

	From 1st June to 31st Oct.		From 1st Nov. to 31st May.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
For every load conveyed to or from the Old Wharf and to or from any place or distance not beyond Stevedore street to the north-west and Hammer street to south-west	4	0	3	0
For every load conveyed to or from the Old Wharf, and to or from any place or distance beyond Stevedore street and not beyond Yarra street	6	0	5	0
For every load conveyed to or from the Old Wharf and to or from any place or distance beyond Yarra street, and within the town boundary	8	0	7	0
For every load conveyed beyond the town boundary—by agreement.				

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 14, made by the municipal council of Williamstown, has been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.
Gazetted on the 13th day of February, 1857, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 15, sec. 33.

By His Excellency's Command,
Z.293. WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 12th February, 1857.

MEMORIAL FOR A ROAD DISTRICT.
WOODEND AND TYLDEN.

THE substance and prayer of a memorial presented to His Excellency the Governor, and signed by forty-three agriculturists resident in the districts of Woodend and Tylden, in the county of Dalhousie, praying for the constitution of a road district, are published below for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

The memorialists deem it essential for the welfare and prosperity of the farming community of the districts of Woodend and Tylden that a road district should be proclaimed, which they recommend should include the parishes of Woodend and Tylden respectively, excepting therefrom the town of Woodend as proclaimed, and be called the Woodend and Tylden Road District.

And they pray as follows:—

"Your memorialists therefore humbly pray that your Excellency will be pleased to proclaim by notice in the Government Gazette such road district as aforesaid, or will make such further or other order with respect to the same as to your Excellency may seem meet."

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1857.

PETITION FOR MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS.

BALLAARAT EAST.

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 addressed to His Excellency, as hereinafter set forth, signed by one hundred and eighty-three landowners and householders of Ballarat East, in the county of Grant.

By His Excellency's Command,
Y.361. WILLIAM C. HAINES.

The petitioners state that they are landholders and householders of Ballarat East, in the county of Grant, and are desirous of having the provisions of 18 Victoria No. 15 extended to Ballarat East; and they pray as follows:—

"Your petitioners pray your Excellency to take the necessary steps to proclaim the said Ballarat East a municipal district."

(Signed)

Wm. B. Robinson, freeholder, Main road
Samuel Irvin, freeholder, Main road
Charles Ph. Fassett, freeholder, Main road
George Humphreys, householder, Main road
Charles Fox, householder, Main road
Wm. Dunk, coffeehouse keeper, Main road
P. Madigan, freeholder, Main road
James O'Meara, freeholder, Main road

James Smalley, householder
Robert Carr, M.D., surgeon, freeholder, Main road
Chas. R. Moile, householder, Main road
— Chassiol, householder, Main road
Dennis Smith, householder, Main road
Rossiter and Nicholls, householders, Main road
William Davies, for Francis Bead, householder, Main road
Henry Gilbert, freeholder, Main road
John Brudenell, householder, Main road
R. T. McMaster, freeholder, Main road
Andrew Anderson, householder, Main road
C. H. Herring and Co., householders, Main road
Ebnez. Freeman, householder, Main road
Tunbridge Brothers, householders, Main road
Garth and Smith, householders, Main road
John Russell Grundy, freeholder, Main road
John D. Keane, freeholder
John McAfferty, freeholder
Mitchison Brothers, freeholders
Henry Cae, freeholder
Joseph Moody, householder
Lewis Joseph, householder
John Kelly, Main road, householder
W. W. R. Cooper, freeholder, Main road
Wm. Bridges, freeholder, Pantheon, Main road
George G. Wojnarski, householder
Carpenter Brothers, freeholders, Main road
H. Levenson, freeholder, Main road
Patrick Kean, freeholder
Josiah Howell, freeholder
Carruthers and Netherwood, householders, Main road
W. Kishero, freeholder, Main road
Thos. Oatley, householder, Main road
Charles Dyte, householder, Main road
Oliver Brothers, householders, Main road
Henry Farley and Co., freeholders, Main road
Nott and Laidlaw, householders, Main road
Danby and Crouch, storekeepers and householders
A. Rees, resident freeholder, Main road
Timothy Murphy, freeholder, Main road
Eyles Brothers and Newman, householders, Main road
William Dawling, freeholder
Charles Bedford, storekeeper and householder
A. C. W. Stewart, freeholder, Main road
Evans Brothers, printers and stationers, freeholders, Main road
C. Winsor, freeholder
Geo. Whitfield and Co., freeholders, Main road
Bailey and Thomas, freeholders, Main road
S. Alexander, freeholder, Main road
Benjn. Tazewell, householder, Main road
Archibald Munro, freeholder, Main road
Wm. Hambly, householder, Main road
Wm. McCrea, freeholder, Main road
Graham Carrick, freeholder, Sportsman's Arms Hotel, Main road
S. Cohen, freeholder, Main road
Lemon Lemon, householder, Main road
John Luney, freeholder, Main road
J. Morwiche, freeholder, Main road
F. Smith, householder, Main road
Bruce Speed, householder, Main road
Richd. Jones Hobson, M.B., freeholder, Main road
Henry Warner, druggist, freeholder, Main road
L. Hyman, householder, Main road
Chas. Hewitt, baker, freeholder, Main road
S. Goodman and Co., freeholders
Harriman and Graham, freeholders
Carter and Levy, freeholders
Sidney Abraham, householder
John Godfrey, householder
Henry Hickman, householder, Main road
John Nemecek, freeholder, Main road
Alfred Harris, freeholder
Fridrich Leibning, freeholder
John Fussell Palmer, freeholder
Samuel Feyre, householder, Main road
John Gawsling, householder, Main road
William Polkinhorne, freeholder
George Braham, householder, Main road
R. E. Sherlock, freeholder, Main road
Fussell and Co., freeholders, Main road
Fredk. Atkins, freeholder, Main road
Wm. Latham, householder, Main road
R. and S. Gibbs, merchants and freeholders, Main road
David Ronaldson, freeholder, Main road
William Davies, freeholder, Main road
Robert McClymont, freeholder, Main road
Wm. Young and Co., householders, Main road
Andrew Jno. P. James, householder, Main road
Alex. Malcolm, freeholder, Main road
T. Scharrar, householder, Main road
Alexander Brothers, householders, Main road
Smith, Crisp and Co., householders, Main road
Diggins, builder and householder, Main road
M. H. Crighton, freeholder, Main road
Mitchell and Bredan, householders, Main road
P. Mason, storekeeper and householder, Main road
Robt. Pool, householder, Main road
Thomas Darton, tentmaker and householder, Main road

Lyons and Foley, freeholders, Main road
 Davics Levy, freeholder, Main road
 Henderson and McLean, freeholders, Main road
 William Bauk, freeholder, Main road
 Wm. Pole, freeholder, Main road
 J. H. Watters, freeholder, Main road
 Terence Cummins, householder, Main road
 John Hannon, freeholder, Harp of Erin
 Joseph Willey, storekeeper, Main road
 William Levey, householder, Main road
 J. H. Hammond, householder, Main road
 Thos. Dean, householder, Main road
 Reynolds and English, householders, Main road
 Bernstein and Jacobs, householders, Main road
 James McNie, householder, Main road
 Gilbert Ware, householder, Main road
 Andrew W. V. Kisscock, householder, Bakery Hill
 Jno. Humfray, freeholder, Main road
 George Jackson, freeholder, Main road
 Rich. Dennis, freeholder, Main road
 Edward Aldrich, freeholder, Main road
 Silas Hodges, householder, Main road
 Herrin A. Berger, householder, Main road
 John Armstrong, stationer, Main road
 Jones and Clemesha, householders, Main road
 James Wray, Imperial Hotel, householder, Bakery Hill
 Thos. Mulder, Bakery Hill, householder
 Joseph Hull, bootmaker, Bakery Hill
 Henry Newell, freeholder, Bakery Hill
 William McEwen, householder, Bakery Hill
 D. Lunn, shopkeeper, Bakery Hill
 William Wills, cooper, Main road
 Lilly and Miller, householders, Bakery Hill
 Timothy Regan, householder, Bakery Hill
 John B. Hales, householder, Bakery Hill
 Edwd. Cooney, householder, Main road
 Jarimer Darez, publican, Main road
 W. J. Jackson, timber merchant and freeholder, Main road
 W. C. Numby, householder, Main road
 Alden P. Bowcs, freeholder, Main road
 John Twiss, householder, Main road
 Geo. Armstrong, householder, Specimen Hill
 W. W. Martin, householder, Specimen Hill
 Ishmael Croft, householder, Specimen Hill
 Daniel Millar, householder, Specimen Hill
 J. Shaw, householder, Specimen Hill
 William Denney, householder, Specimen Hill
 Henry Josephs, licensed victualler, Specimen Hill
 Charles Dasset, householder, Specimen Hill
 John Stett, householder, Specimen Hill
 Rees Williams, householder, Specimen Hill
 David Thomas, householder, Specimen Hill
 F. E. Knight, hotelkeeper, Main road
 Nicholas Martin, freeholder, Main road
 Alfred Scantleberry, householder, Main road
 J. Egan, householder, Main road
 George Collins, freeholder, Main road
 J. Phillipson, householder, Main road
 S. Isaacson, householder, Main road
 Aaron Gainsborg, householder, Main road
 J. P. Jamieson, Caledonian Store, Main road
 J. Hawkins, householder, Main road
 J. Hickman, householder, Main road
 Henry Jones, freeholder
 Shaw and Thomas, freeholders
 Reid and Wickerratt, freeholders
 J. and F. Thomas, freeholders
 John W. Emery, freeholder
 Rodier and Rowe, freeholders
 W. Bird, householder
 Edwd. Speed, householder
 Colonial Bank of Australasia, by A. S. Park, Manager, Bal-
 laarat
 Biggs and Shoppee, storekeepers
 Richd. Barton, storekeeper
 Muir Brothers and Co., merchants
 Geo. Pomerhay, Manager, London Chartered Bank
 Hyam and Co., merchants

Chief Secretary's Office,
 Melbourne, 20th January, 1857.

MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS.

COUNTER PETITION, BRUNSWICK.

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 counter petition to his Excellency as hereinafter set forth, presented on the 7th instant, and signed by two hundred and fifty-nine householders resident within the district of Brunswick, in the county of Bourke, such counter petition being in opposition to a petition previously presented from the same locality, and gazetted on the 9th ultimo.

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

The counter petitioners state that they are informed that there was presented to His Excellency the Officer administering the Government, a petition published in the *Government* No. 16.—FEBRUARY 13TH, 1857.—3.

Gazette, of date 12th December, 1856, signed by two hundred and eleven householders resident within the district of Brunswick, in the county of Bourke, as defined in the said petition, as follows:—"Commencing at the Bridge on the Merri Creek, at the village of Northcote, and bounded on the south by a line bearing west to the eastern boundary of the Prince's Park Reserve, by said reserve northerly and westerly to the Sydney road; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the Royal Park Reserve to the Moonee Ponds, by the said ponds north-westerly to the north-western corner of section 126, parish of Jika Jika; thence easterly along the northern boundary of said section and northern boundary of section 127, parish of Jika Jika, to the Merri Creek, and by said creek south-easterly to the point of commencement;" and that such petition prayed that the said district might be proclaimed a municipal district by the name of "The Municipal District of Brunswick," and that the limits and boundaries of such district might be declared by such Proclamation.

The counter petitioners further state that they are of opinion that the inhabitants of the said district of Brunswick would not be at all benefited, but would, on the contrary, be seriously prejudiced by its being constituted a municipal district, and pray as follows:—

"Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that the prayer of the said recited petition be not granted."

(Signed)

Theo. John Sumner, freeholder, Stony Park
 Robert Christie, landholder, Brunswick
 John Ross, freeholder, Merri Creek
 George Smith, Drumearn, freehold of 20 acres
 John Summers, Merri Creek, householder
 William Brown, Merri Creek, householder
 Thomas Conan, Brunswick, householder
 Anthony Ryan, Brunswick, householder
 John Clark, Brunswick, householder
 Archd. MacArthur, Lyndhurst, householder
 William Pryer, Brunswick, householder
 Robert McKay, Brunswick, householder
 James Reynolds, Brunswick, householder
 George Bond, Brunswick, householder
 James Howe, Brunswick, householder
 Thomas Hagg, Brunswick, householder
 Jonathan Hackward, Brunswick, householder
 Michael Zscheek, Brunswick, landholder
 Samuel Pillingier, Brunswick, landholder
 Richard Jones, Brunswick, landholder
 John Barber, Brunswick, landholder
 Joseph Day, Brunswick, householder
 John Lavton, Brunswick, householder
 Robert Roberts, Brunswick, householder
 Chris. Multall, Brunswick, householder
 Edward Rowe, Brunswick, householder
 Robert Decker, Brunswick, householder
 James Minchin, Brunswick, householder
 George Ross, Brunswick, landholder
 Richard Sedgman, Brunswick, landholder
 Charles Pueschel, Brunswick, landholder
 Jas. Alexander, Brunswick, leaseholder
 Thos. Gaynor, Brunswick, leaseholder
 William Biggs, Brunswick, landholder
 John Thomas Wood, Brunswick, landholder
 Wm. Davies, Brunswick, householder
 Saml. Cook, Brunswick, householder
 Edward Searle, Brunswick, householder
 James Tinning, Brunswick, landholder
 Daniel Holden, Brunswick, householder
 Theodore Hentschel, Brunswick, householder and landholder
 John Cousens, Brunswick, landowner, 1½ acres
 James Waters, Brunswick, landholder, 65 acres
 Thos. Moss, Brunswick, landholder, 16½ acres
 Denes & Crolalan, Brunswick, householder
 Elias & Ellis, Brunswick, householder, 10 acres
 H. Kingsford, Brunswick, leaseholder, 10 acres
 Thomas & Kidmore, Brunswick, landholder, 31 acres
 William Manly, Brunswick, householder, 40 acres
 Nathaniel Lorde, Brunswick, landowner, 5 acres
 Thomas & Crawford, Brunswick, landholder, 7½ acres
 Thomas O'Donnell, Brunswick, householder, 10 acres
 John McKillop, Brunswick, landholder, 12 acres
 Abraham & Coles, Brunswick, householder
 Samuel Whan, Brunswick, landholder
 Anthony Spencer, Brunswick, landholder
 James Timmins, Brunswick, leaseholder
 James Kersington, Brunswick, landholder
 Thomas Martin, Brunswick, landholder
 F. Collier, Brunswick, landholder
 Henry Lineham, Brunswick, householder
 Jonathan Bradford, Brunswick, landholder
 Jas. Hood, Brunswick, householder
 John Sloan, East Brunswick, landholder, 7 acres
 William Reilly, East Brunswick, landholder
 James Hall, East Brunswick, landholder
 William H. Cole, East Brunswick, landholder
 James Price, Phillipstown, householder
 Wm. Barnes, Phillipstown, householder
 James Hill, Phillipstown, householder
 Thomas Bonn, Brunswick

W. K. McLean, Brunswick, tollkeeper
 Henry Bennett, Brunswick, draper
 Wm. Myers, Brunswick, householder
 A. Martin, Brunswick, storekeeper
 A. H. S. Brunwick, plumber
 Joseph Walters, Brunswick, householder
 John Myers, Brunswick, householder
 Peter Smith, East Brunswick, householder
 Francis M. Couch, East Brunswick, landholder
 James Ferguson, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Winder, East Brunswick, leaseholder
 Jonas Prior, East Brunswick, landholder
 J. Stewart, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Lobb, jun., East Brunswick, landholder
 C. Clough, East Brunswick, householder
 G. T. Davies, Quarries, East Brunswick, landholder
 George Storie, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Moses Brindle, East Brunswick, landholder
 Philip O'Shea, East Brunswick, householder
 Michael Maher, Brunswick, householder
 Henry S. Lucas, Brunswick, freeholder
 Edward Barns, East Brunswick, landholder
 Joseph Peart, East Brunswick, householder
 Wm. Richardson, East Brunswick, householder
 Edward Davies, East Brunswick, freeholder
 William Warren, East Brunswick, 2 acres of land
 Joseph Hallebone, East Brunswick, 1 acre of land
 William Parry, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Wm. Miles, East Brunswick, householder
 Thomas Clarke, East Brunswick, householder
 William Dale and Sam. East, East Brunswick, freeholders
 William Dale, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Robert McClelland, East Brunswick, freeholder
 John Pyle, East Brunswick, freeholder
 James Haines and Ilim Swede, East Brunswick, freeholders
 James M. Froment, East Brunswick, landholder
 William M. Accles, East Brunswick, householder
 Edward Trotman, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Nester, East Brunswick, landholder
 George Reed, East Brunswick, landholder
 Thos. M. Leech, East Brunswick, landholder
 Pk. M. Weatherly, East Brunswick, landholder
 Th. Phillips, East Brunswick, landholder
 Henry Spear, East Brunswick, householder
 Patrick Joyce, East Brunswick, leaseholder, 70 acres
 John Lobb, East Brunswick, landholder, 9 acres
 William Dods, East Brunswick, landholder, 6 acres
 William Frith, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Rapson, East Brunswick, householder
 George Pither, East Brunswick, landholder
 George M. Ross, jun., East Brunswick, householder
 Richard Nicholis, East Brunswick, landholder
 Samuel Fillingier, East Brunswick, landholder
 George Grant, East Brunswick, landholder, 25 acres
 William Ritchie, East Brunswick, leaseholder, 20 acres
 Thomas Howe, East Brunswick, landholder, 1/2 acre
 Daniel Backett, East Brunswick, landholder, 27 acres
 John Freer, East Brunswick, householder
 J. F. Sedgman, East Brunswick, landholder
 William H. Sedgman, East Brunswick, landholder
 J. H. Wats, surgeon, East Brunswick, landholder
 Wm. Thompson, East Brunswick, landholder
 John McGregor, East Brunswick, 25 acres
 George Wilkes, East Brunswick, 10 acres
 Wm. Corcoran Conroy, East Brunswick, 10 acres
 Edmond Conrick, East Brunswick, 10 acres
 John Conrick, East Brunswick, 10 acres
 George Hyde, East Brunswick, householder
 Alexander Mackenzie, East Brunswick, 10 acres
 Joseph Addis, East Brunswick, householder
 Wm. Thomas, J.P., Merriville Lodge, landowner
 W. J. Thomas, Merri Creek, landowner
 Henry Hooper, Merri Creek, householder
 Richard Pearson, Merri Creek, householder
 John Macnamara, Merri Creek, freeholder
 Alex. C. Sturrockee, Brunswick, householder
 George Clough, Brunswick, householder
 Charles Martin, Brunswick, householder
 Henry Parker, Brunswick, householder
 Benjamin Tattersall, Brunswick, householder
 William Dale, sen., Brunswick, householder
 William Dale, jun., Brunswick, householder
 Dan Dale, Brunswick, householder
 Roderick Rhodes, Brunswick, householder
 Abraham Johnson, Brunswick, householder
 Wm. Jarrett, minister, Brunswick, landholder
 Henry Knight, Brunswick, landholder
 Andrew Forbes, Brunswick, householder
 Michael Keelf, Brunswick, householder
 Chas. Prosser, Brunswick, householder
 John Kyle, sen., East Brunswick, householder
 James Hone, East Brunswick, householder
 George Allen, East Brunswick, householder
 Johann Hempel, East Brunswick, landholder, 18 acres
 P. Knight, East Brunswick, householder
 Joseph Styles, East Brunswick, householder
 Andrew Egan, East Brunswick, householder
 Farewell M. Whittaker, East Brunswick, landholder
 Joseph White, East Brunswick, landholder

James Fisher, East Brunswick, landholder
 James Bingo, East Brunswick, landholder
 Henry Knight, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Knight, East Brunswick, landholder
 Richd. Gillard, East Brunswick, landholder
 Edward Negus, East Brunswick, landholder
 Ebenezer Rosser, Brunswick, landholder
 Archibald Kidd, Brunswick, landholder and householder
 William Ebdon, Brunswick, householder
 Charles E. Hempel, Brunswick, landholder
 John Oliver Ridge, Brunswick, landholder
 Michael Kiffe, Brunswick, landholder
 Hugh Forbes, Brunswick, householder
 Chas. Rosser, Brunswick, householder
 Fredk. J. Marshall, Brunswick, freeholder
 M. Krause, Brunswick, landholder
 Saml. Hollier, Brunswick, householder
 Wm. Britton, Brunswick, householder
 Henry Phillips, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Tho. Gray, East Brunswick, 1 acre
 John Griffiths, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Joseph Addison, East Brunswick, householder
 David Talent, East Brunswick, householder
 John Macannaman, East Brunswick, householder
 E. Wilkes, East Brunswick, freeholder
 E. Wilkes, East Brunswick, freeholder
 George Wilkes, East Brunswick, freeholder
 James Odd, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Elizabeth Knight, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Joseph McCrabb, Brunswick, householder
 Mark Franklin, East Brunswick, householder
 Francis Lokey, East Brunswick, freeholder
 W. C. Conroy, East Brunswick, freeholder
 David Hetherton, East Brunswick, freeholder
 John Alder, East Brunswick, freeholder
 John Pedley, East Brunswick, freeholder
 Michael Sedgman, East Brunswick, freeholder
 William Sargent, Brunswick, landholder
 James Porret, Brunswick, landholder
 Thomas Price, Phillipstown, householder
 David Tylor, Phillipstown, householder
 John Price, Phillipstown, householder
 John Daly, Brunswick
 Matthew Henry Hoare, East Brunswick, landholder, 3 1/2 acres
 James Frogsum, East Brunswick, householder
 Wm. Houlston, East Brunswick, landholder, 2 acres
 James McCarter, East Brunswick, landholder, 2 acres
 Forbes Galbraith Seaton, East Brunswick, householder
 John Sheedy, East Brunswick, landholder, 4 acres
 William Merick, East Brunswick, householder
 Francis Kean, East Brunswick, landholder, 2 acres
 John Wallis, East Brunswick, householder
 Richard Nichols, East Brunswick, landholder
 Robert Stone, East Brunswick, landholder, 8 acres
 Donald McAskel, East Brunswick, landholder, 18 1/2 acres
 Alex. Stewart, East Brunswick, Camp Early, landholder, 7 acres
 John Cameron, Brunswick, landholder
 Charles Cameron, Brunswick, landholder
 James Cameron, Brunswick, landholder
 William Campbell, East Brunswick, landholder, 5 1/2 acres
 Thomas Briggs, East Brunswick, landholder
 John Henry, East Brunswick, landholder, 2 acres
 James Johnston, East Brunswick, landholder, 33 acres
 Wm. Thomas, East Brunswick, householder
 John McCarty, East Brunswick, householder
 William Campbell, East Brunswick, landholder
 James Clough, East Brunswick, landholder, 5 acres
 James Wood, East Brunswick, landholder, 7 acres
 George Bennet, East Brunswick, landholder, 2 acres
 John Robinson, Brunswick, landholder, 4 acres
 John Littlejohn, Brunswick, landholder
 Richard Ryan, Brunswick, householder
 John Adams, Brunswick, householder
 Walter Randall, Brunswick, householder
 John Marshall, Brunswick, landholder, 8 acres
 Joseph Marshall, Brunswick, landholder, 1 acre
 Thomas Brown, Brunswick, householder
 George Marshall, Brunswick, landholder, 1 acre
 John Smith, sen., Brunswick, landholder
 John Smith, Brunswick, carter, householder
 Thomas Wright, Brunswick, householder
 John Kenedy, East Brunswick, landholder, 4 acres
 James Nicholas, Brunswick, landholder
 William Heaton, Brunswick, landholder
 Thomas Hanneton, Brunswick, householder
 John Vanlander, Brunswick, householder
 James Wallis, East Brunswick, householder
 Thomas Saunders, Brunswick, landholder
 William Stanway, Brunswick, innkeeper

Office of Commissioner of Trade and Customs,
 Melbourne, 9th February, 1857.

SALE OF FERMENTED LIQUORS BY WHOLESALE IN
 THE TOWNSHIP OF MALMSBURY.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare that the township of Malmsbury shall come within the operation of the third clause of the Act of Council 13 Victoria No. 29, so far as it, amongst other things, enacts that nothing

in the said Act contained shall extend to any person who (within a town or place declared by a notice in the *Gazette* to come within the operation of the third clause thereof) shall dispose of any quantity, not less than two gallons, of any fermented liquor containing a quantity of alcohol not exceeding twenty-five per centum.

By His Excellency's Command,
HUGH C. E. CHILDERS.

DESCRIPTION OF THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MALMSBURY.

Commencing at a point on the east bank of the River Coliban, being the north-west angle of portion 291, parish of Lauriston; thence by a line bearing east 73 chains and 60 links to a Government road; thence northward by the western side of that Government road to the south-east angle of portion 35, parish of Edgecombe; thence by a line bearing west to the south-west angle of portion 52 in the same parish; thence by a line bearing south 80 chains; thence by a line bearing east to the River Coliban; and thence by the eastern bank of that river to the commencing point aforesaid.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 9th February, 1857.

ENLISTMENT AND ATTESTATION OF SOLDIERS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint EVELYN PITFIELD SHIRLEY STURT, Esquire, (police magistrate at Melbourne) to enlist and attest in this colony any soldiers or persons desirous of enlisting or re-enlisting into the service of Her Majesty, under the authority of the Imperial Mutiny Act.

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

SAVINGS BANK AT PORTLAND.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council, 16 Victoria No. 37, commonly called "*The Savings Bank Act, 1853*," the Commissioners of Savings Banks in the Colony of Victoria hereby give notice that they have appointed—

FRANCIS HENTY, Esquire, J.P.,
to be a Trustee of the Savings Bank at Portland.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
CHAS. FLAXMAN,
Comptroller and Secretary,

Office of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
Melbourne, 11th February, 1857.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 12th February, 1857.

PUBLIC VACCINATORS.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be public vaccinators, viz.:

EDWIN S. MAXWELL, Esquire, surgeon,
for the district of Kangaroo Flat, Sandhurst.

D. N. NICOLSON, Esquire, M.D.,
for the district of Kilmore, vice F. W. C. Beavan, Esq., resigned.

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

WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS OCCURRING IN MELBOURNE, THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS, DURING THE WEEK ENDING 7TH FEBRUARY, 1857.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Boroondara ...	J. D. Bragge ...	4	3	The districts are reported generally healthy; the mortality being two years of age. This 40 number in Melbourne comprises 6 cases of influenza, 12 deaths in the Hospital, and 21 cases of young children.
Brighton ...	John Simmonds	1	4	
Brunswick ...	Joseph George	2	5	
Collingwood ...	Samuel Allen ...	19	13	
Flemington ...	Joseph Paterson	3	1	
Melbourne ...	E. B. Arnold ...	43	40	
Prahran ...	John Tulloch ...	7	4	
Richmond ...	W. H. Lagoe ...	7	6	
Sandridge and Emerald Hill	Andrew Plummer	6	5	
St. Kilda ...	F. T. Van Hemert	3	3	
Williamstown...	Edmund Burke	3	...	
		93	84	

NORMAN CAMPBELL,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 12th February, 1857.

Courts.

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

QUARTERLY TRANSFER LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Justices of the Peace acting in and for the city of Melbourne, will be holden at the Police Office, in Swanston street, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of March next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, to receive applications for the transfer of Licenses, under the provisions of the Act 13 Victoria. No. 29.

Applications for new licenses to be filed on or before Tuesday, the 17th instant.

(By Order)

W. R. BELCHER,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office, Melbourne,
10th February, 1857.

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

HAWKERS AND PEDLERS' LICENSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Justices of the Peace for the city of Melbourne will be holden at the Police Office, in Swanston street, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next, to consider upon applications for Hawkers and Pedlers' Licenses. Applications to be filed on or before Tuesday, 24th instant.

Dated at Melbourne, this 10th February, 1857.

(By Order)

W. R. BELCHER,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

COUNTY COURT OF BOURKE.

JURISDICTION TO £10, AND EXTENDED TO £200.

NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court of Bourke will be holden at the Court House, on Thursday, the 5th day of March next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

All cases in the £10 jurisdiction, and all undefended cases in the extended jurisdiction up to £200, will be set down for the first day.

Plaints must be delivered at this office on or before Wednesday, the 18th instant.

Defences or sets-off must be filed on or before Friday, the 27th instant.

By Order of the Judge.

THOMAS INGRAM.

County Court House, Swanston street,
Monday, 9th February, 1857.

COUNTY OF BOURKE.

HAWKERS AND PEDLERS' LICENSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Justices for the police district of Bourke will be holden at the District Police Office, in the city of Melbourne, on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration all applications for Hawkers and Pedlers' Licenses under the Act of Council 13 Victoria No. 36.

Notice of intention to apply for Hawkers and Pedlers' Licenses must be filed at my office between the hours of Ten o'clock a.m. and Three o'clock p.m. on or before Tuesday, the 17th February, 1857.

(By Order)

ROBERT CADDEN,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

District of Bourke Police Office,
Melbourne, 5th February, 1857.

EMERALD HILL.

HAWKERS AND PEDLERS' LICENSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Justices acting in and for the said district will be holden at the Court House, Emerald Hill, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March proximo, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering applications for Hawkers and Pedlers' Licenses.

Notice of application must be filed on or before Tuesday, the 17th instant.

(By Order)

GEO. F. BARTROP,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Court, Emerald Hill,
7th February, 1857.

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

Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court.

MELBOURNE—On Monday, 16th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 255).

Circuit Courts.

CASTLEMARNE—On Friday, 20th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 65).

SANDHURST—On Friday, 27th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 65).

County Courts.

BEECHWORTH—On Friday, 20th February, 1857, at 10 a.m.

Plaints filed until Thursday, 5th February, and defences or sets-off until Saturday, 14th February (p. 101).

GIRTS LAND (at Alberton).—On Saturday, 14th March, at 10 a.m. Plaintiffs filed until Thursday, 26th February, and defences until Monday, 9th March (p. 179).

VILLIERS (at Belfast).—On Tuesday, 17th February, at 10 a.m. Plaintiffs filed until Monday, 2nd February, and defences until Wednesday, 11th February (p. 47).

WARRNAMBOOL.—On Friday, 20th February, at 10 a.m. Plaintiffs filed until Thursday, 5th February (p. 80).

General Sessions.

BEECHWORTH.—On Monday, 16th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 101).

BELFAST.—On Tuesday, 17th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 47).

GIRTS LAND (at Alberton).—On Saturday, 14th March, at 10 a.m. (p. 179).

WARRNAMBOOL.—On Friday, 20th February, at 10 a.m. (p. 6).

Licensing Meetings.—Publicans.

GEELONG.—On Tuesday, 3rd March, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Wednesday, 11th February (p. 273).

PORTLAND.—On Tuesday, 3rd March, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 17th February (p. 273).

Licensing Meeting.—Hawkers and Pedlars.

BALLAARAT.—On Tuesday, 10th March, at 2 p.m. Applications filed until Tuesday, 17th February (p. 255).

GEELONG.—On Tuesday, 10th March, at 12 noon. Applications filed until Tuesday, 17th February (p. 273).

PORTLAND.—On Tuesday, 10th March. Applications filed until Tuesday, 24th February (p. 273).

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1857.

PATENT SLIP, WILLIAMSTOWN.

FOURTH CONTRACT.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 24th February, 1857, for the construction and fixing of the sunk frame required for the Patent Slip, Williamstown.

Plan and specification may be seen at this office. Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Patent Slip, Williamstown," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Commissioner of Public Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 9th February, 1857.

FIRST PORTION OF KILMORE GAOL.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 24th instant, for the erection of the first portion of the Gaol at Kilmore.

Plan and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Magistrate at Kilmore.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Kilmore Gaol," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Commissioner of Public Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 28th January, 1857.

ADDITIONS TO PORTLAND GAOL.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, the 24th February, 1857, for the erection of Additional Buildings to the Portland Gaol.

Plan and specification may be seen at this office, and at the office of the Resident Magistrate, Portland.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Additions to Portland Gaol," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Commissioner of Public Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1857.

CONSTRUCTING A LINE OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH BETWEEN BALLAARAT AND PORTLAND, VIA RAGLAN, WARRNAMBOOL AND BELFAST.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 3rd March, 1857, for constructing a Line of Electric Telegraph between Ballaarat and Portland, via Raglan, Warrnambool, and Belfast. The tenderers in each case to state:—

1st. The rate per mile for posts, insulators, and wires.

2nd. The rate per set for instruments.

3rd. A gross sum for the supply of a stated number of cells of battery, and a quantity of insulated copper wire, binding screws, &c.

Plan and specification may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of the Electric Telegraph.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for constructing a Line of Electric Telegraph between Ballaarat and Portland," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Commissioner of Public Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1857.

CONSTRUCTING A LINE OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH BETWEEN MELBOURNE AND BELVOIR VIA KILMORE, SEYMOUR AND BEECHWORTH.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 3rd March, 1857, for constructing a Line of Electric Telegraph between Melbourne and Belvoir, via Kilmore, Seymour and Beechworth. The tenderers in each case to state:—

1st. The rate per mile for posts, insulators and wires.

2nd. The rate per set for instruments.

3rd. A gross sum for the supply of a stated number of cells of battery, and a quantity of insulated copper wire, binding screws, &c.

Plan and specification may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of the Electric Telegraph.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for constructing a Line of Telegraph between Melbourne and Belvoir," and addressed (if by post prepaid) to the Commissioner of Public Works, Melbourne.

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

By His Excellency's Command,
C. PASLEY.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 22nd January, 1857.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

CONVEYANCE being required for the Post Office Mails, as under, from the 1st March to the 31st day of December, 1857, persons desirous to contract for providing the same, subject to the conditions of contract published under date of the 12th October, 1855, are invited to deposit their offers in writing, on the prescribed form (to be had on application at the Melbourne or any other post office in the colony), endorsed, "Tender for Conveyance of Mails," with the Postmaster General, Melbourne, at or before Eleven o'clock a.m. of Tuesday, the 17th day of February next ensuing.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender, but the person or persons whose tender may be accepted will be held bound to carry out the service in accordance with the conditions of contract.

SERVICE REQUIRED.

Between Beechworth and the post office on the Buckland River Diggings, weekly, with offers also for a twice weekly communication at £ per annum for each frequency.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 6th February, 1857.

PRINTING PAPER AND PARCHMENT.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 17th instant, from persons willing to supply the under-mentioned quantities of Printing Paper and Parchment for the service of the Government:—

3500 reams double foolscap, blue wove, 28 lbs. (according to pattern)

500 reams double foolscap, yellow wove, 14 lbs. (according to pattern)

20000 skins parchment, 18 x 27 inches

3000 skins parchment, 20 x 25 inches

The tenders must state the price per lb. for paper (actual weight), and per roll of sixty skins for parchment, such prices to include all charges whatsoever; the freight, shipping charges, cost of packages, and risks of every description being borne by the contractor, all drawbacks, trade allowances, &c., belonging to him.

The paper must be, in every respect, of the best description, and equal to pattern; the parchment to be of the best quality. Both paper and parchment are to be delivered at the Government Stores, Melbourne, prior to the first January, 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 £500 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 Paper and Parchment," and to be deposited in the Box at the Colonial Stores, or addressed to the Colonial Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on Friday, the 20th February, 1857.

By His Excellency's Command,
CHARLES SLADEN.

NOTICE.

ADVERTISEMENTS forwarded by Poundkeepers and others, intended for insertion in the "VICTORIA GOVERNMENT GAZETTE," must be legibly written, on one side of the paper only, and sent under cover Post paid, addressed to the Government Printer.

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

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

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

Private Advertisements.

EAST COLLINGWOOD MUNICIPALITY.

THE SECOND HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF EAST COLLINGWOOD.

THE council, without being solicitous for territorial extension, have deemed it their duty to petition and to recommend the inhabitants to petition His Excellency the Acting Governor to proclaim, in accordance with the second clause of the Municipal Institutions Act, the extension of the municipal boundaries from the line of houses and land, their present limits, to the central lines of Heidelberg road, Smith and Victoria streets, and thirty-three feet (including foot and carriage ways) of Victoria parade; also the extension of such boundaries eastward, so as to include therein the Studley Park reserve, which the council desire to hold in trust for the inhabitants of East Collingwood in particular, and the people of Victoria in general. It is believed that the granting such trust to the council as an incorporated body having perpetual succession, would tend to the preservation of the fine timber of the park, and insure its efficient maintenance for purposes of public health and recreation.

BYE-LAWS.

Bye-laws Nos. 3 to 10 inclusive have been adopted by the council, and proclaimed by their Excellencies the late Acting and present Governor.

OPINIONS OF LAW OFFICERS OF THE CROWN.

The council have obtained the opinions of the law officers of the Crown upon several cases submitted to them.

MUNICIPAL CONFERENCE.

The necessity of a permanent legislative endowment of municipalities created under the Municipal Institutions Act having been generally recognised, and amendments in such Act deemed equally desirable by certain municipal councils, a circular sent to each by the Williamstown council, inviting suggestions upon these topics, led to the formation of a municipal conference, composed of a delegate from each municipal council.

The report of the proceedings of the conference is now published.

PUBLIC WORKS.

In progress or about to be commenced by the Government in the municipality:—

COLLINGWOOD BRIDGE.

In Johnston street, over the river Yarra Yarra, in progress; the foundation stone proposed to be laid with Masonic honors by Captain A. Clarke, R.E., M.L.A., the Hon. the Surveyor General, and R. W. Provincial Grand Master of Freemasons for Victoria, under the Grand Lodge of England.*

LOCK-UP.

On the site in Johnston and Perry streets; plan prepared and approved after alteration, and tenders to execute the work advertised for.*

*Lock-up and Bridge now in course of erection (Jan. 1857).
No. 16.—FEBRUARY 13TH, 1857.—4.

CATCHWATER DRAIN.

From Smith street along Reilly street to the Merri Creek. This drain will divert from the sold lands of the municipality the drainage of about eight hundred acres, largely charged with deleterious sewerage matter, resulting from Fitz Roy Ward, &c.

This work is to be commenced forthwith by Mr. Henry Roberts, the contractor. The Government, through the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, undertook to commence the drain in Nicholson street, on condition of receiving £950 from the city council and East Collingwood council. The latter paid £350; the former promised £500 on conditions which were not accepted by the Government, hence the work was commenced at the municipal boundary, Smith street.

PUBLIC WORKS.

By the municipal council, completed, in progress, and projected:—

COMPLETED.

Moiety of cost of site in Johnston and Perry street conjointly with the Government.

Grant in aid towards formation of drain from Smith street along Reilly street to the Merri Creek, to be executed by the Government.

Forming and metalling Peel street.
Forming and metalling Derby street.
Forming and metalling Stanley street.
Forming and metalling Otter street.
Thirteen crossings in the three last named streets.
Forming drain in part, and forming, loaming, and metalling Hoddle street in part.
Forming and metalling Vere street, and repairing the bridge therein.

Forming and metalling Elizabeth street.
Forming and metalling in part Cambridge street.
Forming Oxford street.
Forming Little Oxford street.
Forming Robert street.
Forming Budd, Ryrie, Easey, and Sackville streets.
Forming and metalling in part Napoleon and Little Wellington streets.

Cleansing channel and drain cutting, and partly forming foot and carriage ways of twenty streets of the aggregate length of 3½ miles lineal.

IN PROGRESS.

Forming and metalling Perry street.

PROJECTED.

Forming Northumberland street.
Forming and metalling Hoddle street from termination of metalled portion to Ramsden street.
Forming and metalling Ramsden street to Municipal Quarry Reserve.
Foot or dray bridge over the Gully, Gipps street.
Forming and metalling Hodgson's road from Rokey street to Hoddle street.
Forming and metalling Gipps street from Hoddle street to Gully.
Forming and metalling to reduced level Johnston street, from Smith street to below Wellington street.

Re-forming and metalling Wellington street on improved level to Vere street.

Total length of streets formed and metalled by municipal council from May to October, 1856, about two miles.

Total length of streets formed and finished to proper level by municipal council from July to October, upwards of three miles.

Total length of streets partly formed, &c., June to August, three and a half miles lineal. Grand total length of streets formed, metalled, &c., six and a half miles.

LENGTH OF STREETS.

Total length of metalled streets and roads in the municipality, upwards of ten miles.

Total length of metalled streets in the municipality laid out but not formed to proper level, about twenty miles.

MAPS.

A large block map of the municipality has been presented to the council by the consulting engineer, Clement Hodgkinson, Esq., C.E.

It contains measurements to scale of the footways and carriage ways of ninety-eight streets, lanes, or thoroughfares, a list of numerous bench marks and surface levels for the information of the public.

A skeleton map of the municipality, supplying amongst other details a description of the material of which every building is composed, &c., also prepared under the direction and superintendence of Mr. Hodgkinson, is now being engraved in the offices of the Honorable the Surveyor General.

SANITARY CONDITION OF THE MUNICIPALITY.

On the 30th September, 1856, Andrew C. Livingston, M.D., was appointed by the Council Honorary Officer of Health under the Health of Towns Act, and his appointment has been confirmed by the Central Board of Health.

PROPERTY OF THE MUNICIPALITY.

A lock-up and police court are to be erected on the municipal site in Johnston and Perry streets, the site purchased jointly

by the Government and the municipal council. On the completion of these buildings they and the moiety of the site are to be conveyed by the Government, with stipulations for the use of the building, for the purposes designed, to the municipal council in trust for the municipality.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS FROM RATEPAYERS.

Twenty-six petitions and memorials containing the aggregate number of 530 signatures have been received by the council during the past half-year, the prayer of each of which, it is believed, as far as the council were able, have been complied with.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Ratepayers Roll was printed for the recent municipal election, and the council were then grieved to observe how many ratepayers were under the mistaken impression that though they had neglected to claim in the Municipal Revision Court to have their names inserted on the Roll (by which neglect they will be deprived of the municipal franchise until the next annual Revision Court), yet that by their merely paying rates they became qualified to vote at the said election.

The annual municipal election took place on the 6th of October by poll, and on the 8th of October the presiding deputy returning officer, Councillor Jno. Owen, declared Messrs. Thos. Turner A'Beckett, Thomas Greenwood and Alexander Carnic duly elected members of the municipal council, to supply the vacancies occasioned therein by the retirement by rotation of Councillors Carnic, Myers and Curtis.

On the 14th October the council elected Thomas Turner A'Beckett, Esq., their chairman for the ensuing year.

The Census Commissioners have issued circulars to the council for information respecting the taking the census of East Collingwood, and the council, through the Legislative Committee, have promised their cordial co-operation in the execution of this important work.

ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS AT MEETINGS OF COUNCIL FROM 15TH APRIL TO 7TH OCTOBER INCLUSIVE, 1856:—

There have been twenty-six meetings of council, two of which lapsed for want of a quorum:—

The chairman, A. Carnic, Esq., was present at 21 meetings.	
Councillor Owen	24
Councillor Turner	23
Councillor Curtis	23
Councillor Finlay, from his appointment, meeting	21
Councillor Myers	20
Councillor Coleman	19

FINANCE.

The council refer with confidence to the numerous public works and improvements, and the economical cost of the same, which they have effected since March last, when they received the first proceeds from rates.

The small rate levied has been in general promptly paid.

One Court of Appeal (the closing one) against the valuation for assessments has been held, and some reductions made, chiefly on one description of property.

The legislative grant to the municipality of £5000, less the moiety of cost, namely £375, reserve of municipal site in Johnston street, jointly purchased by the government and council, has been duly received and applied in the grant towards the formation of Reilly street drain, and in the execution of works completed and in progress, and in one case ordered as severally enumerated in the schedule of works annexed to by-law No. 5.

THOMAS T. A'BECKETT,
Chairman of Council.
J. J. MOODY,
Town Clerk.

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipal Council of East Collingwood, for the half-year ending 11th October, 1856.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Municipal rates, first moiety due in advance 1st January, 1856	...	732	12	7			
Ditto, second ditto 1st July, 1856	...	350	5	0			
					1082	17	7
Grant in aid towards cost of forming and metalling Elizabeth street (first instalment)	...				18	3	0
License and registration fees—							
Carts and drays	...	17	0	0			
Private carts and drays	...	0	7	6			
Builders	...	0	10	0			
					17	17	6
Legislative grant to municipality	...	5000	0	0			
					6118	18	1
Balance in bank 12th April, 1856	...	99	15	2			
					£6218	13	3

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Town clerk	125	0	0			
Municipal surveyor	37	10	0			
Rate collector	111	3	9			
Ditto, clerical assistance	5	5	0			
Messenger	5	15	0			
Servant	4	9	0			
Advertisements	64	5	0			
Printing	38	6	6			
Stationery	13	4	6			
Municipal election expenses	11	0	8			
Sundries	5	7	11			
Petty cash	4	8	6			
				425	15	10
Moiety of cost of site of police court, lock-up, &c., Johnston street				375	0	0
Grant in aid towards cost of formation of Reilly street drain				350	0	0
Public works:—						
Formation and metalling Peel street	452	17	6			
Formation and drain, Hoddle street	100	0	0			
Formation and metalling Derby, Stanley, and Otter streets	1547	0	0			
Formation of Budd street, on account	30	0	0			
Formation of Ryrice street	30	0	0			
Formation of Easey street	40	0	0			
Formation of Sackville street	30	0	0			
Formation of Great Oxford street	50	0	0			
Sundry casual public works	20	17	9			
Casual works in nineteen streets—grants to public works committee	319	6	8			
				2620	1	11
Furniture for council chambers				6	15	6
				3777	13	3
Balance				2441	0	0
				£6218	13	3

Audited 6th February, 1857.

JOHN ORR,
JOSEPH RICHARDSON,
Auditors.
THOMAS TURNER A'BECKETT,
Chairman of Council.
J. J. MOODY,
Town Clerk.

No. 235.

MUNICIPALITY OF SANDHURST.

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF SANDHURST FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 10TH JANUARY, 1857.

PUBLIC WORKS.

THE council have used their best endeavors with the funds at their disposal to improve, both for use and in appearance, the streets of the town. In carrying out these works priority has been given to the most frequented and central portions.

The council have been most anxious to carry out the curbing and channelling along the Murray road (High street and Bridge street), but the delay of the Road Board in forming and raising to its permanent level the roadway, has rendered it impossible. Now that this is about to be done, no time will be lost in performing their portion of the work.

The following works have been completed or are in progress:—

- Sundry crossings for foot passengers.
 - Forming a drain at the back of Bridge street, from the old cemetery.
 - Cleaning water table and repairing footpaths in Bridge street, from Harney's bridge to Commissioner's Gully.
 - Making crossings over water courses at White Hills.
 - Repairing Mount Korong road (View Place and Forest street).
 - Removing stumps sundry streets at White Hills.
 - Formations in earth of Mitchell street, filling holes, &c.
 - Curbing, channelling, making footpaths, and part roadway in portions of Williamson street, Bull street, Munday street, McCrea street and Bridge street.
 - Formation in earth in Hargreaves street.
 - Making earthen footpath across the mouth of Commissioner's Gully in Bridge street.
 - Supplying paving blocks and curbing for High street and Bridge street.
 - Levelling the earth in Market square, and cutting water tables, and forming earthen footpaths in parts of Munday street, Bull street, and Williamson street.
 - Forming a part of the McIvor road, removing stumps, &c.
 - Making roadway in Oak street, portion A.
 - Earthwork of High street footpath.
- The following works have been resolved upon, and will be performed as soon as possible:—The completion of High street, Bridge street footpaths, &c., the formation of earthen footpath

from Kangaroo Flat to Golden square, metalling Hargreaves street and part Munday street, cutting water-tables and making footpaths in Rowan and other streets of portion B.

In addition to the works abovenamed, the council had the bridges and other used crossings swept during the winter months; have the water channels kept clean and available have provided pumps in various localities; trenched out manure depot; are having the Botanic Garden reserve fenced; provided a public clock; and carried out other minor works of public utility.

APPLICATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT.

The council has made many applications to the Government in furtherance of the interests of the municipality. The following have been acceded to:—

The taking of levels throughout the whole municipality, preparing sections, &c., so that the best system of drainage, &c., may be laid down.

The payment of second moiety of endowment.

The removal of Junction Camp to White Hills Hamlet.

The grant of reserve for Botanic Garden at White Hills.

A site for a Benevolent Asylum.

The erection of a new Gaol.

Naming the Bendigo district a county, under the name of Bendigo.

The commencement of the railway at the Sandhurst end, simultaneously with the commencement at Melbourne.

Repeated applications for a new channel to be cut for the Creek.

Reclamation of street of westerly side, sec. 12, 13 and 14 White Hills.

The erection of a suitable powder magazine.

The sale of lands at Irishtown.

The establishment of branch Post Offices at White Hills and portion A, subject to the money being voted by the House.

The answers to the following have been deferred:—

A share of the prison labor.

Establishment of a pound (pending a new Act to be brought forward by the Government).

The grant of the Camp reserve to the town.

A money grant for the establishment and maintenance of a Benevolent Asylum.

The erection of a Municipal Court House.

The constituting Market square the site for public buildings.

The appointment of additional magistrates.

The following applications have been refused:—

To erect the new sub-treasury in the town.

To place the money for the public roads, when voted, at the disposal of the municipal council, as they would then (in October) have at once had the necessary works commenced.

To remove the stagnant water lying by the Murray road.

The repair of the McIvor road.

BYE-LAWS.

The bye-laws passed for the better regulation of the town, alluded to in the last report, have, after much correspondence with the Government, been assented to with some slight alterations.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Health of Towns Act was proclaimed in force for the municipality in July, and the town inspector, Mr. Townsend, was appointed by the council, that officer to carry out its provisions.

The office of honorary treasurer has been abolished, and the town clerk engaged to keep the accounts of the municipality, all the monies being paid into and through the bank.

In August a resignation of office was received from Councillor Haycock, and in September Mr. W. H. Neale was elected as councillor in his stead.

In November a court of Petty Session was proclaimed, for all police cases occurring within the municipality, to be presided over by the chairman of the municipal council.

At the request of Government, the council gave consideration to and made suggestions for the taking of the census and amendment of the Public Health Act.

The council has given much attention to the amendment of the Municipal Act, and was most ably represented by Councillor Sullivan, at the municipal conference held in Melbourne.

Many subjects of minor importance have necessarily arisen during the past half year, and had due consideration from the council, but which would needlessly prolong this report to name.

ATTENDANCE.

There have been twenty-four general meetings of the council during the past half year, and the attendance of the several members has been as follows:—

Councillor Emmett,	15	meetings.
Councillor Sullivan,	19	"
Councillor Harney,	15	"
Councillor Harris,	21	"
Councillor Bell,	18	"
Councillor Simons,	22	"
Councillor Neale,	11	(out of 13 meetings.)

Passed by the municipal council, 3rd February, 1857.

GEO. AVERY FLETCHER,
Town Clerk.

MUNICIPALITY OF SANDHURST. Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Half Year ending 10th January, 1857.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance in hand at conclusion of last half-year, as per bank account...	...	2244	15	5
Rates collected	...	1830	19	6
Rent of weighbridge	...	30	0	0
Amount received from Central Road Board for work opposite post office	...	20	0	0
Police court fines	...	213	6	6
Municipal Licenses and permission fees	...	72	13	6
Second moiety of Government endowment for 1856	...	3750	0	0
		£8161	14	11
EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Public works	...	5219	12	0
Payment on account of fire engines	...	200	0	0
Salaries of officers and messenger's wages	...	465	10	5
Printing, advertising, and stationery	...	146	12	6
Sweeping, carting filth, &c.	...	91	16	0
Furniture and tools	...	39	2	6
Amount paid for municipal conference expenses in Melbourne	...	29	11	9
Amount paid for municipal election expenses, and expenses attending perambulation of boundary	...	24	13	6
Supply of water to fire in Bridge street...	...	3	17	0
Postage stamps, fuel, candles, and sundries	...	8	13	0
Balance in bank	...	1932	6	3
		£8161	14	11

We have examined the above statement of accounts, and certify that they are correct.

(Signed) LEWIS MACPHERSON,
HENRY BROWN.

5th February, 1857.

No. 237.

CERTIFICATE OF THE PARTNERSHIP UNDER THE FIRM OF "JAMES MACARTHUR AND OTHERS."

THIS is to certify that the several persons, parties whose names are hereunto subscribed, have formed a partnership to be conducted under the firm of "James Macarthur and Others."

That James Macarthur, of Rosanna, Heidelberg, in the colony of Victoria, is to be the general partner.

That the following persons are to be the special partners, viz.:

Michael Kidston, of the city of Melbourne.
William Atchison, of the city of Melbourne.
James Alexander Lynar, of Heidelberg.
Alfred Locke, of Anderson's Creek.
Thomas Wilkinson Pinniger, of Longwood.
George Sackville Cotter Butler, of Heidelberg.

That the common stock or capital of the said partnership consists of the sum of six thousand pounds sterling, to which the said several partners have contributed the following amounts, that is to say, —

The said James Macarthur, the sum of three thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds.

The said Michael Kidston and William Atchison, the sum of one thousand two hundred pounds.

The said James Alexander Lynar, the sum of three hundred pounds.

The said Alfred Locke, the sum of five hundred and forty pounds.

The said Thomas Wilkinson Pinniger, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds.

The said George Sackville Cotter Butler, the sum of sixty pounds.

That the general nature of the business to be transacted by the said partnership is the crushing of auriferous quartz, and the amalgamation and extraction of the gold therefrom.

That the principal place at which the said business is to be transacted is the Anderson's Creek gold field.

That the said partnership is to commence from the sixth day of December one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and is to terminate on the sixth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

JAMES MACARTHUR,
MICHAEL KIDSTON,
WILLIAM ATCHISON,
JAMES A. LYNAR,
ALFRED LOCKE,
GEORGE S. C. BUTLER,
THOMAS WILKINSON PINNIGER
By his Attorney, MICHAEL KIDSTON.

Acknowledged by the abovenamed James Macarthur, Michael Kidston, William Atchison, James Alexander Lynar, Alfred Locke, George Sackville Cotter Butler, and Thomas Wilkinson Pinniger, at the city of Melbourne, this second day of February, A.D. One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven—

S. E. FREEMAN, J.P.

No. 215.

MELBOURNE AND HOBSON'S BAY RAILWAY
COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Act of the Legislative Council incorporating the company, a second call of £5 on each of the new shares (issued for the construction of the St. Kilda Railway), made on the 9th instant by the Board of Directors, is due and payable at this office on or before Tuesday, the tenth day of March next.
No. 247. JOSEPH WARD, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership existing between Robert Balfour and James Down, as merchants, at Melbourne, under the firm of "Balfour, Down and Co.," was dissolved on the 9th day of January, 1857, by mutual consent. All debts due by and to the late firm will be settled by Robert Balfour.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1857.

Witness to signature—
JOHN LOWE.

Witness to signature—
THOMAS MITCHELL.

ROBERT BALFOUR,

JAS. DOWN.

No. 249.

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

JOHN MCCRAIG and JOHN MCGONIGAL, Plaintiffs,
and
FRANCIS BULLEN, Defendant.

TAKE Notice that under and by virtue of the above writ of *Fieri Facias* the Deputy Sheriff of the Geelong Circuit District will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Black Bull Inn, Malop street, Geelong, on Monday, the twenty-third day of February next, at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title and interest (if any) of the above-named defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land, containing eighty acres, more or less, and situate in the parish of Irrewarre, county of Grant, being portion number 10, of section number 30; bounded on the north by portion number 11, containing eighty acres, bearing west 40 chains; on the west by a road one chain wide, bearing south 20 chains; on the south by portion number 9, containing eighty acres, bearing west 40 chains; and on the west by portions number 6 and 5, containing each forty acres, bearing north 20 chains, together with all improvements thereon, the property of the abovenamed defendant, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Cash on the fall of the hammer.

TEMPLETON BUNNETT,
Sheriff's Officer.

Deputy Sheriff's Office,
Geelong, 22nd January, 1857.

No. 181.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Black Forest Inn, on Sunday, the 5th instant, a large bay horse, branded like A with a cross near shoulder, 3 near side, 5 off side, black points, small star; also an iron grey mare, branded JH conjoined off shoulder. The above reward will be paid on conviction of the thief if stolen, and £5 if strayed, to any person bringing the same to Hunter's Black Forest Inn, or to Michael Duggan, 98, King street, Melbourne.
11th February, 1857. No. 245.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN from near Steiglitz Diggings, a bay horse, branded PC near shoulder, writing G.B. on off shoulder. £2

will be paid on recovery of the horse, and £10 on conviction of the thief, by applying to Alexander McKenzie, Steiglitz.

No. 252.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO AUCTIONEERS, POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.
STOLEN from Tarrangower, on the night of the 3rd February, a dark bay mare, branded FF near shoulder, about fourteen and a half hands high. Any person giving information that will lead to the conviction of the thief or thieves will, on application to the undersigned, receive the above reward.

DAVID KYDD.

Growler's Gully, Tarrangower,
7th February, 1857.

No. 254.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed, from Enfield, on the River Leigh, near Buninyong, on Wednesday, the 4th February, 1857, an iron grey horse, about sixteen and a half hands high, aged, switch tail, and ring bone, branded B_J near neck, PPC near shoulder, WDB off neck; also, a bay horse, sixteen and a half or seventeen hands high, camel backed, branded 2 near shoulder, off hind foot white, a little white on hoof of near foot, star on forehead, switch tail. £10 reward will be paid on recovery of each horse, if strayed, £100 if stolen, on conviction of the thief or thieves, by applying to George King, Enfield; Samuel King, Old Nugget Store, from Eureka, Township, Ballarat; or John Middleton, butcher, Fyansford, Geelong.
No. 250.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Poverty Point, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 3rd instant, two horses:—1 black mare, heavy draught, branded J on off neck, small white spot on near fore leg below the shoulder; the other a bright draught horse, branded J near shoulder, Q near neck, blaze down face, collar marked all round. A reward of £10 on recovery of the horses, if strayed, and £20 on recovery if stolen, and conviction of the thief. Any information will be received and the reward paid at the Star Hotel, Ballarat, Seven Stars Hotel, Melbourne, Crown Hotel, Ashby, Geelong, or William Thomas, store-keeper, Slaughter Yard Hills, Creswick's Creek. No. 246.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from New Hill, Fryer's Creek, on 4th February, a bay mare, branded HJ (J reversed) near shoulder, lump off side belly; also, an iron grey mare, branded HO near shoulder.
M
£5 for each horse on application at Thomas's store, Fryer's Creek. No. 255.

NOTICE.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS, SETTLERS AND OTHERS.
LOST from the Mountain Hut Paddock, Mount Alexander, since 1855:—
11 head of horses, branded TB near shoulder, and other brands
10 head of horses, branded SI near shoulder, and other brands
51
6 head of horses, S near shoulder, and other brands
14 head of horses, P near shoulder, and other brands
9 head of horses, P near neck, and other brands
£5 each will be given on recovery of the same. Apply to
J. T. PATTERSON,
Poundkeeper.
Elphinstone Pound. No. 253.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Petticoat Gully, on the 28th January, a bay mare, star in forehead, hind legs white, collar and saddle marked, scared on off shoulder, EB ribs near side, illegible brand near shoulder like qB conjoined. The above reward will be given to any person bringing her, or giving information which will recover her, to Isaac May, Petticoat Gully, or Mr. Rosekilly, Rogers Hotel, Creswick.
No. 248.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or stolen from Woodend, on the night of Friday, 6th instant, a bay mare, branded A₁ on the near shoulder, white face, two hind feet white, collar and saddle marked, had hobbles and bell on when lost; also a bay mare, branded C₁ on the near shoulder, star on the forehead, near hind foot white, a lump on the back part of the near hind leg. A reward of £5 each will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery if strayed; if stolen £10 each will be paid on conviction of the thief; any person bringing the above described mares to Mr. Thomas Dreden, Woodend, or to Smith, Ramage's Exhibition Stables, Melbourne, will receive the above reward.
No. 251.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Bay of Biscay Hotel, on the 6th instant, a bay mare, branded J_y near shoulder. If strayed, £5 reward on recovery; if stolen, £10 reward on conviction. Information to John Walker, University Stables, North Melbourne.
No. 242.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Bakery Hill, Ballarat, on Sunday, the 1st instant, a grey mare, long switch tail, like A₁ off shoulder; also, a dark bay mare, long switch tail, white spot off neck, black points, W2F near shoulder, Q near ribs. The above reward on information to Mr. Lester, United States Hotel, Ballarat.
No. 225.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Maiden's farm, near Heathcote, McIvor, on the 26th of January, 1857, a chesnut filly, branded 5 near shoulder, and small blaze down face, the property of Richard Yeomans. The above reward on delivery of same at Maiden's farm or Maiden's punt, Murray River.
No. 240.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS AND AUCTIONEERS.
LOST on the 18th January, 1857, from Daisy Hill, a bay horse, branded W3 near shoulder, C off shoulder. The above reward will be paid on recovery of the horse. Apply to Mr. J. F. Cowley, White Horse Hotel, Amherst, 28th January, 1857.
No. 243.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from behind Mr. Burrell's place, Nunawading, three working bullocks with the following brands:—

- 1 roan colored bullock, WH on near shoulder
 1 spotted bullock, red and white, H on off ribs
 1 spotted bullock, red and white, WGD off ribs, on near shoulder

£5 reward will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery, £10 if stolen on conviction of the thief.

OLIVER JOHNSTON,

No. 214. Carriers' Stables, North end street, North Melbourne.

Impoundings.

IMPOUNDED at Bacchus Marsh, 9th February, 1857.

- 1 black mare, star in forehead, small streak down face, both hind fetlocks white, SA off shoulder, anchor brand near shoulder, switch tail
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

7s.

ROBERT PYKE,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Batesford, 27th January, 1857, by Mr. G. Craddock.—Damages £5 each.

- 1 red bullock, few black marks on neck and rump, star, near ear marked, branded AS off shoulder
 1 red bullock, cock horns, M near ribs

On 30th January.—Damages £2.

- 1 red bull, slightly white on back, no visible brand

On 1st February.

- 1 bay mare, hind fetlocks white, star, near ear marked, C off shoulder, EC near thigh
 1 bay horse, off fetlock white, star, saddle marked, like B conjoined near shoulder, like M off shoulder

- 1 black mare, hind fetlocks white, large blaze, illegible brand near shoulder, KF low down off ribs

On 5th February.

- 1 red steer, ball face, near horn turned back, AM near rump, blotch brand off rump

On 6th February.

- 1 black cow, cock horns, F off rump, AH off ribs, like CW
 CW
 K

near ribs, like OLT conjoined near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

17s.

H. A. ALEXANDER,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

FOR chesnut horse, advertised in *Government Gazette* of 9th January, and described, "blaze, saddle marked, near fore foot and hind feet white, switch tail, like † near shoulder,"

heart
 JM

read chesnut mare, &c. Will not be sold till 18th February, 1857.

8s.

HENRY McILLREE,
Poundkeeper, Belvoir.

IMPOUNDED at Benalla, 7th February, 1857, by Mr. Thos. Bond.

- 1 black mare, short switch tail, saddle marked, MH near shoulder
 1 bay mare, 2 near shoulder
 JB

By Mr. Jessie Watts.

- 1 red cow, piece off tail, m off ribs, DI off loin, JN off thigh
 3

- 1 white bullock, small red spots on neck, S near ribs, JH conjoined near rump, | off rump

- 1 red bullock, short broad horns, 2 off ribs, ES off rump, GH near horn, GH near rump

- 1 brown cow, JQ off ribs, DKR near ribs

- 1 light strawberry cow, short tail, II off ribs

- 1 red and white cow, C or G near shoulder

- 1 red poley cow, W off rump and shoulder, J off thigh

- 1 black and white poley cow, O above heart near thigh

By E. L. Splatt, Esq.

- 1 red sided bullock, near horn down, JJ off ribs
 2

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

15s. 6d.

W. C. BOND,
Poundkeeper.

No. 16.—FEBRUARY 13TH, 1857.—5.

IMPOUNDED at Braybrook, 5th February, 1857.

- 1 light grey gelding, branded like writing TD off shoulder, near neck
 J

- 1 brown gelding, near fore knee cut, white off hind leg, like writing T near shoulder, JP conjoined off shoulder

- 1 bay colt, apparently unbroken, a little white off pastern, star, no visible brand

On 7th February.

- 1 brown colt, lump on near side belly, white hind fetlocks, like J near shoulder, L near rump, star, broken halter on

- 1 bay gelding, like PC near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

11s. 6d.

C. M. WILLIAMS,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Buninyong, on 7th February, 1857.

- 1 red strawberry cow, speckled face, short tail, ear marked, off rump JL
 L

- 1 red and white bull calf, no brands, her progeny

- 1 white and yellow brindle cow, off ear marked, blotched brand near shoulder

- 1 yellow brindle bull calf, no brands, her progeny

- 1 white and yellow strawberry cow, off ribs JEL

- 1 strawberry bull calf, no brands, her progeny

- 1 black and white poley cow, off rump, like ITH, with many brands on the back, near ribs MB

- 1 light blue strawberry bull, her progeny, no brands

- 1 white and yellow brindle cow, near shoulder like D

- 1 red and white heifer calf, her progeny, no brands

- 1 black bullock, grey face, white back, blotch off rump, near rump like P (reversed), near shoulder GHE (the HE conjoined)

- 1 yellow poley cow, off rump, CH
 CH

- 1 white heifer calf, her progeny, no brands

- 1 red and white steer, near rump, like A, off loin and rump
 I

same brands

- 1 white and red strawberry steer, ear marked, blotch brand near ribs

- 1 yellow cow, off ribs DMM

- 1 small red cow, white forehead and flanks, off rump D

- 1 dark brindle bullock, star forehead, off rump IS, blotch off ribs, near ribs like IJS

- 1 yellow bullock, grey face, cock horns, illegible brands near rump

- 1 red and white cow, near rump AS, near back JK
 2

- 1 red and white bull calf, her progeny

- 1 light strawberry poley cow, off rump JT, near ribs like 3, near rump EC

- 1 red heifer calf, her progeny, no brands

- 1 light strawberry bullock, red ears, off rump like III, near shoulder JA, off shoulder J

- 1 red or yellow bullock, white spots, cock horns, off rump like M within circle, off ribs like 243, near rump like L

- 1 red stag, near and off shoulder W

- 1 red yearling steer, ear marked, near rump like C

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

27s.

GEORGE INNES,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Carisbrook, 7th February, 1857.

- 1 light bay pony mare, branded like spear head near shoulder, black points, short tail, few white hairs in forehead

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

6s. 6d.

JAMES B. RHODES,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Dandenong, 5th February, 1857.

- 1 black and white bullock, white back, lump under jaws, like 7 near and off ribs, like < near rump

- 1 black bullock, white heels, large cock horns, like S (supposed to be meant for S conjoined) conjoined top of near shoulder, like blotched RS near rump

- 1 white cow, black head and neck, RR near rump, like JH off rump, Z illegible below, ditto off ribs, has—

- 1 yellow and white spotted bull calf, no visible brand at foot

- 1 yellow and white spotted poley cow, red ears, like X off ribs and rump

- 1 dark brindle cow, speckled belly and face, like O off rump,
 O off thigh
 I

- 1 white cow, red ears and face, R off rump, 2 off shoulder, like AW conjoined near rump, like 2 near shoulder

- 1 red and white speckled heifer calf, no visible brand

- 1 white cow, red ears and muzzle, illegible off rump, like blotched Δ near ribs
 1 red and white spotted cow, illegible like J near shoulder
 1 grizzly brown and white spotted cow, tip and slit off ear, no visible brand
 1 dark brindled white spotted heifer, tip off off ear, no visible brand
 1 yellow and white strawberry heifer, slit both ears, like JE near rump
 1 light red cow, white face, three white feet, BT off thigh, \approx off ribs
 1 red and white heifer, no visible brand
 1 blue speckled bullock, down snail horns, white back, tip off near ear, ISH (the S a hook) near ribs
 1 dark strawberry roan steer, white face, illegible like XE or XTE (the TE conjoined) off rump
 1 red and white spotted bullock, near horn down, nick out of off ear, short tail, sore cod, like JA near shoulder, 2 off thigh, like 2 off ribs, blotch near rump
 1 red and white speckled bullock, swallow out of both ears, grizzly face, coupling round neck, like Δ near rump
 1 white speckled bullock, cock horns, red ears, piece of rope round neck, like 'A' off ribs, U with half circle conjoined above near ribs
 1 brindle and white spotted steer, down horns, sore eyes and nose, no visible brand
 1 dark brindle bullock, JD near ribs, little white on belly
 1 dark brindle bullock, little white, Cm off ribs, quarter out of near ear, U with half circle conjoined over near ribs, like AC near rump
 1 red and white spotted poley steer, tip and slit off ear, like \approx off rump
 1 white snail horned bullock, 'A' off ribs, U with half circle conjoined over near ribs, also same below ditto
 1 red bullock, slit and quarter near ear, slit off ear, AC near rump, U with half circle conjoined above ditto near ribs
 1 red and white spotted bullock, nick out of near ear, like Δ near shoulder, like door key near rump
 1 red and white spotted steer, like GR or CR near rump
 1 light brindle and white spotted bullock, down horns, U with half circle conjoined above ditto near ribs, 'A' off ribs
 1 red and white spotted bullock, slit near ear, U with half circle conjoined above ditto near ribs, AC near rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

WILLIAM DAVIES,
 Poundkeeper.

35s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Elphinstone Pound, 10th February, 1857, from Mount Alexander Station.

- 1 chesnut mare, stripe down face, \widehat{RC} off shoulder
 \widehat{RR}
 1 chesnut filly, \widehat{RC} off shoulder, progeny of above
 1 dark grey mare, star, \widehat{RC} off shoulder
 1 dark brown mare, small star, supposed W near shoulder, RC off shoulder
 1 black horse, X off shoulder
 1 black mare, PK near shoulder, near hind foot white
 11
 1 bay mare, hind feet white, W \times near shoulder, star
 1 bay cob, small star, IS near shoulder
 1 chesnut horse, saddle marked, near hind foot white, blaze down face, like 3W near shoulder, crown brand off cheek, supposed AI off neck, two crown brands off shoulder
 87

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

J. T. PATTERSON,
 Poundkeeper.

15s.

IMPOUNDED at Gisborne 7th February, 1857.

- 1 black sided cow, cock horns, white face, \widehat{RA} off rump, L off shoulder
 1 strawberry cow, hoop horns, like H-P conjoined off rump
 1 bull calf, her progeny
 1 red bullock, cock horns, S3 (the 3 reversed) near ribs
 V
 1 brindle bullock, cock horns, HYS near rump, P near shoulder, P near ribs, like \widehat{U} conjoined off back

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

JAMES M. ROBERTSON,
 Poundkeeper.

10s.

IMPOUNDED at Horsham, 2nd February, 1857.

- 1 grey mare, long tail, hog mane, GD in two places near neck, like X off shoulder
 1 iron grey filly, star, long switch tail, no visible brand, progeny of above

- 1 brown cob, short switch tail, star, saddle marked, T near shoulder, like D between that brand and wither, EC μ off neck, indistinct brand (supposed EC) off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

W. SEELEY,
 Poundkeeper.

9s.

IMPOUNDED at Morang, 8th February, 1857, by Alexander Gordon, Esq.

- 1 black horse, switch tail, saddle marked, LO near shoulder, N
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

JOSEPH HUTCHINSON,
 Poundkeeper.

7s.

IMPOUNDED at Murchison, 3rd February, 1857.

- 1 bay mare, black points, short tail, small star, TB near shoulder, \widehat{E} off shoulder, like blotch M off neck
 M

- 1 bay mare, blaze, white hind feet, long tail, ITH near shoulder, TG near hip and off neck
 1 black horse, off hind fetlock white, long tail, like DKR near shoulder
 1 grey horse, switch tail, collar marked, W \curvearrowright near shoulder, a faint illegible brand near neck
 1 bay horse, black points, JB near shoulder, JR conjoined off JB
 1 chesnut mare, short tail, JTM (the JT conjoined) under faint brand like JTM (the JT conjoined) near shoulder, like same brand near shoulder, shod
 1 brown horse, black-points, short tail, shod, JHH conjoined near shoulder, collar marked
 1 black filly, star, long tail, \widehat{R} near shoulder

- 1 bay filly, small star, long tail, HL conjoined off shoulder
 1 black filly, star and snip, long tail, \widehat{R} near shoulder

- 1 light bay horse, star, two hind fetlocks white, short tail, \widehat{R} near shoulder
 1 bay horse, black points, switch tail, like JAT (the JA conjoined) near shoulder
 IF

- 1 chesnut colt, blaze, near hind and fore feet white, long tail, TP near shoulder, T near neck
 1 brown colt, star, long tail, MB off shoulder
 1 black mare, long tail, collar marked, little white on hind fetlock, RT near shoulder
 1 chesnut mare, blaze, hind feet white, shod, 5 near shoulder,
 $\frac{22}{2}$

- L off shoulder
 1 iron grey horse F near shoulder, F near neck, ORR off WJ
 shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

N. R. DUNCOMBE BOND,
 Poundkeeper.

25s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Newbridge, 31st January, 1857, by John Catto, Esq.

- 1 yellow sided bullock, white back and belly, down horns, tip near horn sawn off, branded J near ribs, like JMC (the JM conjoined) off ribs, \widehat{LL} tip near horn
 LL

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th March, 1857.

JOHN ELLIOTT,
 Poundkeeper.

8s.

NOTICE.

THE black horse, switch tail, white on forehead, white spot under saddle, blind near eye, diamond over blotch and p near shoulder, advertised in the *Gazette* of the 23rd January, 1857, has 2 near neck, and small scar or indistinct brand off neck, and will not be sold before the 4th March, 1857.

JOHN ELLIOTT,
 Poundkeeper, Newbridge.

7s.

IMPOUNDED at Skipton, Emu Bridge, 10th January, 1857.

- 1 brown cow, aged, RB near rump, HH off ribs
 1 light red and white cow, 7 off rump, LW off ribs
 1 black cow, down hoop horns, C in circle off shoulder, B near loin
 1 strawberry cow, JM off ribs
 1 black cow, white back, F off shoulder
 1 black and white cow, no visible brand
 1 white cow, RB near rump

1 light strawberry cow, T near back, P off rump
1 red cow, white back, WC near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th March, 1857.

11s. JOHN SANDERS,
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Skipton, Emu Bridge, 3rd February, 1857.
Damages 10s. each.

1 yellow cow, 69 off rump, --- off shoulder
C

1 light red bullock, near horn a little down, R off rump
R

1 yellow bullock, snail horns, J, near rump, C off shoulder

1 red and white cow, JR conjoined near shoulder

1 strawberry bullock, O off ribs, PI off rump, 2 within circle
45

near ribs, 2 near rump

1 red and white spotted cow, like AR near ribs

1 dark red bullock, white on flanks, T near thigh
H

1 red and white bullock, PI off rump, like panican brand near ribs

1 yellow bullock, ID off rump, S off shoulder
5

1 red bullock, A x S off ribs, IC near loin and near rump
2

1 roan bullock, H off ribs, 2 off rump

1 brindle bullock, 9 near rump, like JS back of near shoulder

1 red and white bullock, IC near loin and near rump, 2 off
shoulder, J A off rump

1 red bullock, IC near loin, spur brand off shoulder. JW (the
WW
2

WW conjoined) off rump

1 red and white spotted bullock, IB near rump, H HR (the HR

conjoined) near shoulder, H 2 near shoulder

1 brindle bullock, near horn down, HE conjoined off rump,
IPIH near rump

1 bay horse, switch tail, AS near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March, 1857.

22s. 6d. JOHN SANDERS,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

THE black entire horse advertised as impounded the 2nd
February, MJ off shoulder, has an enlargement near fore
fetlock.

ALEXANDER TONE,
Poundkeeper.
7s.
Wangaratta Pound, 9th February, 1857.

IMPOUNDED at Warrandyte, Anderson's Creek, 9th
February, 1857.

1 bay pony mare, star, black points, switch, ST near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th March,
1857.

6s. 6d. JOHN HUTCHINSON,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

THE two bullocks advertised in the *Government Gazette* of
the 6th February, as having like ML conjoined off
shoulder, should be like ML off shoulder.

6s. JOHN HUTCHINSON,
Poundkeeper, Warrandyte.

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

	£	s.	d.
February 11.—W. Seeley	1	0	0
February 11.—W. C. Bond	1	0	0
February 11.—Jno. Sanders	3	4	8
February 12.—C. M. Williams	1	0	0
February 12.—W. Davies	4	5	8
February 12.—N. R. D. Bond	4	16	0

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