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Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 12th January, 1858.  
**FUND FOR THE RELIEF OF THE SUFFERERS BY  
THE MUTINY IN INDIA.**

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has directed the subjoined letter, with its enclosures, addressed to His Excellency by the Lord Mayor of London, to be published.

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

Mansion House, October, 1857.

Sir,—The disastrous events which have occurred in our Indian territory will already have come to your knowledge. You are also probably aware that a movement has originated in London, which is being seconded with great zeal and liberality throughout this kingdom, for the relief of those, both at home and abroad who are sufferers by this mutiny, and by the sanguinary war to which it has given rise.

We cannot doubt that our fellow-subjects over whom your influence extends, as the representative of the British Government, must sympathise most deeply with the fallen and the bereaved; and that they will feel with us the binding obligation under which, as a nation, we are laid, to alleviate their afflictions and to compensate their wrongs.

Entertaining this conviction, I beg, in the name of the Central Committee in London, most earnestly to request your kind co-operation. We are convinced that you will feel it alike a duty and a pleasure to adopt immediate measures for the augmentation of the Relief Fund which we are laboring to raise, and which we are commissioned to distribute.

I beg to enclose to you some documents which we respectfully request you to circulate, and which will afford to some extent the necessary information, both as to the urgency of the case and as to the principles which will guide the Relief Committee at home in the distribution of those funds which the humanity of their fellow-countrymen may place at their disposal.

Let me beg you to originate immediate measures for obtaining congregational and general subscriptions, and to transmit the amounts contributed to the Bank of England, to the credit of the Indian Mutiny Relief Fund.

I have the honor to be, Sir,  
Your very obedient servant,  
THOMAS Q. FINNIS.

His Excellency Sir Henry Barkly,  
Captain General and Governor-in-Chief,  
Victoria.

[Enclosures.]

ADDRESS TO THE BRITISH PUBLIC FROM THE INDIAN RELIEF COMMITTEE.

The committee for relieving the suffering caused by the Indian mutinies, while acknowledging gratefully the munificent donations already contributed, yet feel it their duty to call attention to the circumstances which necessitate a further appeal to the public.

Throughout the length and breadth of the Bengal Presidency, large numbers, amounting probably to some thousands of civil servants, covenanted and uncovenanted, military officers, chaplains, missionaries, indigo planters, private traders, clerks, civil engineers, persons employed in the department of public works, and others, have lost their moveable property; and, in the present disturbed state of the country, will have difficulty in raising funds. Without some kind of pecuniary aid, therefore, they will be unable to reinstate themselves in their previous mode of life.

The families of persons who have been killed or despoiled of their property, or who, from their being employed in disturbed

districts, are unable to make remittances, are to a great extent without present means of support, whether they are residing in India or in this country; and many children who have been sent to England for education, would have to be removed from school if some assistance were not given.

Considering the greatly increased number of European troops now to be employed in India, numbering probably nearly 100,000 men, and the casualties which are likely to take place among them from war and climate, the pecuniary aid which will be required for their families is certain to amount to a very large sum. This observation applies both to Her Majesty's and to the Honorable East India Company's European troops.

Many other classes of persons might be mentioned who will stand in need of assistance, including those natives of India, civil and military, or their widows or orphans, whose destitution may be distinctly traceable to fidelity and devotion to the cause of the British; but enough has been said to show that, independently of any assistance which may possibly be required in the Bombay and Madras Presidencies, subscriptions are still called for on a scale equal to the greatest efforts of this kind which have been made of late years. In the majority of cases temporary aid will be sufficient; but some claims upon the National bounty will necessarily extend over a considerable period. No sums will be given absolutely where a loan would be sufficient.

The principles according to which the relief will be administered, in concert with the Calcutta and other Committees, are contained in the following resolutions, which were passed at a meeting held at the Mansion House on the 26th September, 1857.

Mansion House,  
30th September, 1857.

At a meeting of the committee held on the 26th of September, 1857, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

1. The object of this committee is to relieve, as far as may be practicable and necessary, the distress caused by the mutinies in India.

2. In so doing, care should be taken not to supersede the assistance which ought to be given by the Government, by the established Widows and Orphans' Funds, or by the relations of the sufferers; but to supplement it to the extent to which it falls short of a just measure of relief.

3. Compensation for losses *as such*, will in no case be given.

4. Subject to the preceding conditions, the efforts of the committee will be specially directed:—

*First.* To enable the sufferers to live with frugality in their respective states of life until other means of subsistence are available.

*Second.* To provide for the maintenance and education of children in cases in which it has been interrupted or prevented by casualties arising out of the mutiny, and in which it cannot be provided for from other sources.

*Third.* To assist the sufferers to come to this country or to go to India, when the circumstances render it proper that they should do so, and the means of paying for their passage cannot be obtained from any other source.

*Fourth.* To afford reasonable aid, by loan or otherwise, to officers and others who have lost their equipments, furniture or other property, by the necessity of sudden flight from their stations or the destruction of their dwellings, when, without such aid, they would be involved in pecuniary embarrassments.

5. That relief according to these principles be given, without distinction of religion or nationality, to every person of whatever rank who has a just claim upon the sympathy and assistance of the British people.

LANDS PURCHASED BY SELECTION.

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

Lot.	Allotment.	Section.	Date when offered for Sale.	County.	Parish.	Extent.	Price per acre.	When Selected.	PURCHASERS.		Residence.	Deposit Forfeited.	Amount Paid.
									Name.	Residence.			
45	4	4	27th Nov., 1857	Unnamed	Fippalock	A. R. P. 80 0 3	£ 1 0	1st December	George H. Campion	Sandhurst	No offer	£ 80 0 3	
26	...	3	7th Nov., 1856	"	Bundalagual...	609 2 3	1 0	"	A. Cunningham	Scotland	"	609 10 5	
29	3	4	6th Dec., 1854	Dundas	North Hamilton	272 0 24	1 0	"	John McGinnikin	Hamilton	"	272 3 0	
33	44	2 B	29th Nov., 1854	Normanby	South Hamilton	152 0 16	1 0	"	Angus Patterson	"	"	152 2 0	
4	28	1 A	4th May, 1854	Dundas	North Hamilton	32 2 20	2 0	"	Archibald Brown	South Hamilton	"	65 5 6	
8	44	2 C	29th Nov., 1854	Normanby	South Hamilton	27 3 14	2 0	"	Roderick Melnes	"	"	55 13 0	
34	2	14	5th Dec., 1857	Unnamed	Stratheldsaye	38 0 5	2 0	"	Henry Backhaus	Sandhurst	"	76 2 0	
42	2	8	7th March, 1855	Talbot	Franklin	58 1 30	1 10	3rd	Boldner and Carleen	Franklin	"	87 13 2	
34	42	4	6th March, 1855	"	"	160 0 0	1 0	7th	J. A. I. and G. Roberts	"	"	160 0 0	
42	4	12	11th Sept., 1857	Unnamed	Eddington	43 2 32	1 10	"	Charles Jones	Burnt Creek	£10	55 16 8	
18	5	2	13th August, 1857	"	"	93 2 4	1 15	"	John Edwards	Charlotte Plains	£20	143 16 3	
36	2	15	1st August, 1857	"	Laanecoorie	151 1 24	1 0	"	Robert Cay	Collingwood	No offer	151 8 0	
91	1	8	1st August, 1857	"	Larnagulla	115 2 37	1 0	"	Robert Cay	Loddon	"	115 14 8	
20	6	9	"	"	"	158 0 0	1 0	"	Robert Cay	"	"	158 0 0	
35	6	9	"	"	"	158 0 0	1 0	"	Robert Cay	"	"	158 0 0	
4	4	3	13th Oct., 1857	"	Murrungee	102 0 35	1 0	"	Alexander Manzio	Woolshed	"	102 4 5	
39	1	16	13th August, 1857	"	Laanecoorie	151 1 24	1 0	"	George Rolfe	Melbourne	"	151 8 0	
42	4	16	"	"	"	151 1 24	1 0	"	George Rolfe	"	"	151 8 0	
35	1	15	"	"	"	151 1 24	1 0	"	Edward Bailey	"	"	151 8 0	
33	3	9	12th August, 1857	"	Bot-bet	40 3 15	1 0	"	John Temlett	Sandhurst	£5	35 17 0	
6	6	1 A	10th Sept., 1857	"	Laanecoorie	69 2 35	1 0	"	Joseph Russell	Boroondara	No offer	69 14 5	
5	10	9	18th August, 1857	"	"	152 3 8	1 0	"	Edward Bailey	Melbourne	"	152 16 0	
97	3	15	"	"	"	151 1 24	1 0	"	John Edwards	"	"	151 8 0	
9	28	2	25th Sept., 1856	Talbot	Craigie	29 0 0	1 0	8th	Henry Churchill	Eitham	"	29 0 0	
11	5	2	22nd May, 1855	Unnamed	Horsham	78 0 0	1 0	9th	Darlot and McLachlan	Horsham	£8	70 0 0	
10	11	2 B	17th Nov., 1856	Grant	Warrion	320 0 0	3 5	10th	Theodore Hancock	Melbourne	£105	922 0 0	
7	3	2	30th March, 1857	Talbot	Glenpatrick	79 3 14	1 0	11th	William S. Snell	Avoca	No offer	79 16 9	
10	13	4	"	"	"	119 3 16	1 0	"	William S. Snell	"	"	119 17 0	
28	3	87	28th March, 1855	Villiers	Yambuk	362 2 0	1 0	12th	J. Finn and J. Mayher	Belfast	"	362 10 0	
3	1	82	29th Oct., 1857	Dalhousie	Bylands	242 0 0	1 0	15th	John Cameron	Bulla Bulla	"	242 0 0	
32	7	10	17th Oct., 1855	Unnamed	Dagshot	115 3 0	1 0	16th	Robert Elder	Mulgrave	"	115 16 11	
50	11	3	4th Oct., 1855	Talbot	Beechworth	160 0 0	1 0	"	Abraham Beamish	Ballaarat	"	160 0 0	
201	18	67	19th Jan., 1854	Talbot	Harcourt	36 0 0	2 15	18th	W. Pope and R. Moody	Castlemaine	£11	88 0 0	
60	4	15	18th July, 1856	Dalhousie	Normanding	240 0 0	1 0	21st	H. and W. Ely and W. Eagle	Moranding	No offer	240 0 0	
1	6	6	9th Feb., 1857	Normanby	Frankholme	118 3 32	1 0	"	John Grey	Braxholme	"	118 19 0	
6	5	5	7th Nov., 1856	Unnamed	Nunta	586 1 30	1 0	"	William Hamilton	Clyde Bank	"	586 8 9	
30	2	3	"	"	"	352 3 32	1 0	"	William Thompson	Scotland	"	352 19 0	
80	4	3	31st July, 1857	"	Woodstock	362 0 0	1 0	"	A. Cunningham	"	"	362 0 0	
27	3	1	3rd August, 1857	Talbot	Spring Hills	180 0 0	1 0	"	J. and E. and T. and C. Kellett	Bendigo	"	180 0 0	
1	1	H	13th Sept., 1857	"	Moorot	175 3 0	1 0	"	J. and E. and T. and C. Kellett	"	"	175 10 0	
26	31	A	25th August, 1857	Unnamed	Barnawartha	680 3 28	1 5	"	John Ross	Geelong	£39	354 15 5	
31	31	H	"	"	"	265 3 34	1 0	"	William Martin	Carisbrook	£10	265 3 2	
32	32	G	"	"	"	382 2 38	1 0	"	David Reid	Barnawartha	No offer	205 19 3	
			"	"	"	332 1 15	1 0	"	Thomas Sutton	"	"	392 14 9	
			"	"	"			"	Thomas Sutton	"	"	332 7 0	

14	14th October, 1855	Mornington	...	559	0	20	1	0	0	23rd	...	Thomas Graham	...	Melbourne	...	559	2	6
13	23rd February, 1857	Normanby	...	407	0	5	1	1	0	24th	...	Thomas Graham	...	"	...	407	0	8
39	31st May, 1854	Ripon	...	66	0	0	1	0	0	30th	...	August Rangott	...	"	...	66	0	0
70	7th March, 1855	Talbot	...	68	1	34	1	0	0	31st	...	Thomas B. Ivey	...	"	...	184	7	9
27	"	"	...	15	0	35	2	0	0	"	...	W. O'B. Smyth	...	"	...	30	8	9
30	"	"	...	20	1	21	1	0	0	"	...	W. O'B. Smyth	...	"	...	20	7	8
31	"	"	...	17	0	8	1	1	0	"	...	W. O'B. Smyth	...	"	...	17	1	0
		TOTAL ACRES	...	9145	0	16					...		...		...	£10,343	2	5

DAVID MOORE, President of the Board of Land and Works.  
 Public Lands Office, Melbourne, 6th January, 1858.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 12th January, 1858.  
**GOLD ESCORT, PLEASANT CREEK.**  
 IT is hereby notified that a Gold Escort for Melbourne will leave Pleasant Creek on the 20th instant and on every alternate Wednesday following.  
 By His Excellency's Command,  
**WILLIAM C. HAINES.**  
 C.8244.

Treasury,  
Melbourne, 7th January, 1858.  
**OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE AUDIT OFFICE.**  
 THE office of Auditor General having been abolished, Heads of Departments and other persons corresponding with the Audit Office are requested in future to address all correspondence as follows:—  
 "To the Commissioners of Audit, Audit Office, Melbourne."  
**C. H. EBDEN.**

Victorian Railways,  
Secretary's Office, La Trobe street west,  
Melbourne, 7th January, 1858.  
**OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE ON RAILWAY MATTERS.**  
 IT is requested that all documents referring to this department that may be addressed to the Honorable the President of the Board of Land and Works, may have the word "Railways" added to the superscription, and be forwarded to the undersigned.  
 (By Order) **JOSEPH WARD,**  
Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1857.  
**SUPREME COURT REGISTRY.**  
 IT is hereby notified that the Office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of Victoria has been transferred from William street, in the City of Melbourne, to the Office of the Registrar General of Victoria, 205, Great Bourke street, west of King street, in the same city.  
 By His Excellency's Command,  
**WILLIAM C. HAINES.**

Public Works Office,  
Melbourne, 24th December, 1857.  
**REWARD FOR THE DISCOVERY OF A SUPERIOR BUILDING STONE.**  
 Notice.  
 AT a meeting of the Board appointed to adjudicate on the reward of £1000 offered by the Government for the discovery of a first-class building stone, it was resolved to extend the time for receiving samples to the 1st March next.  
 Full particulars at this office, or at the Architect's office, Houses of Parliament.  
**C. PASLEY.**

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Melbourne, 7th January, 1858.  
**FANNING, NANKIVELL, AND CO.'S BONDED WAREHOUSE.**  
 IN accordance with the provisions of the 10th clause of "The Customs Act, 1857," it is hereby notified for general information that I have approved of the abovementioned warehouse, situated at the corner of Spencer and Little Lonsdale streets, being licensed for the warehousing and securing of goods therein without payment of duty.  
**JAMES McCULLOCH.**

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 7th January, 1858.  
**MUNICIPALITY OF EAST COLLINGWOOD.**  
 IN accordance with the 33rd clause of the Act 18 Victoria No. 15, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has consented to the valuation of the rateable property within the municipal district of East Collingwood, adopted by the municipal council of the said district on the 22nd ultimo, and amounting on 4350 assessments to £86,403.  
 By His Excellency Command,  
**WILLIAM C. HAINES.**  
 D.9129.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, SHEWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE ENGLISH, SCOTTISH AND AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK, WITHIN THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 28th September to the 28th December, 1857.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.			TOTALS.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation ...	...	...	...	64,427	17	0
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bills in Circulation ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balances due to other Banks	...	...	...	2,387	11	9
Deposits	...	...	...	197,349	18	10
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	£	...	...	264,165	7	7
Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter, ended 28th December, 1857	500,000	0	0	500,000	0	0
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	15,000	0	0	6 per cent.		
Amount of the last dividend declared	7,656	1	1	7,656	1	1
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend	...	...	...	...	...	...

English, Scottish and Australian Chartered Bank, Melbourne, 9th January, 1858.  
F. A. WALSH, Manager.

I, FRANCIS AUGUSTINE WALSH, make oath, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful Account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities of the above Bank, within the Colony of Victoria, during the period specified; and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council, 4 Victoria No. 13. Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } CHARLES VAUGHAN, Justice of the Peace.  
ninth day of January, 1858.

JAS. BENTLEY BAYNE, Accountant.  
of the above Bank, within  
4 Victoria No. 13.  
F. A. WALSH.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, SHEWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA, WITHIN THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to 31st December, 1857.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.			TOTALS.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation ...	514,276	12	4	514,276	12	4
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bills in Circulation ...	18,115	16	10	18,115	16	10
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balances due to other Banks	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deposits	1,428,737	7	10	1,428,737	7	10
{ Not bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	£	...	...	1,961,129	17	0
Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date	900,000	0	0	900,000	0	0
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 6 per cent. and Bonus of 56s. per share, being equal to	90,000	0	0	20 per cent.		
Amount of the last dividend declared	401,777	17	5	401,777	17	5
Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend	...	...	...	...	...	...

D. C. McARTHUR, Manager.

I, DAVID CHARLES McARTHUR, make oath, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful Account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities of the above Bank, within the Colony of Victoria, during the period specified; and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council 4 Victoria No. 13. Sworn before me at Melbourne, this } E. P. S. STURT, Justice of the Peace.  
fifth day of January, 1858.

CHRIST. CALDWELL, Accountant.

D. C. McARTHUR.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 7th January, 1858.

**WILFUL MURDERS.**

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD, AND FREE PARDON TO AN ACCOMPLICE.

WHEREAS on the 30th day of last November, the bodies of two men, named Hugh McLean and Robert Dunlop, were found in a hole between Dunolly and Jones's Creek, and the skulls of both of the said men were fractured: And whereas a coroner's inquest has been held and a verdict returned that death was occasioned by violence caused by some person or persons unknown: Notice is hereby given that a reward of One hundred pounds will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who murdered the said Hugh McLean and Robert Dunlop.

His Excellency the Governor will also extend Her Majesty's free pardon to any person implicated in the said murders (such person not being the actual murderer or one of the actual murderers) who may afford the information sought.

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

**PARTICULARS.**

On the 30th ultimo, the bodies of two men hereafter described were found dead in a hole between Dunolly and Jones's Creek, two and a half miles from Dunolly, and a quarter of a mile from the old Jones's Creek road. Over the bodies were found an opossum rug, repaired in the centre with two pieces of striped calico, a blanket, and two calico caps, one of which had a hole in the crown:—1st, a man 6 feet high, thirty-five years old, very muscular, black hair, and small dark whiskers, had on a pea jacket, blue shirt, trousers, and Blucher boots; and 2nd, 5 feet 10 inches high, forty years old, light hair, reddish whiskers, thick beard and moustache, and sharp features, had on a pea jacket, drawers, moleskin trousers, and Blucher boots. The skulls of both men are fractured, and the bodies are in an advanced stage of decomposition, and appear to have been in the hole in question about five or six weeks.—10th December, 1857.

Treasury,

Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**LICENSED AUCTIONEERS.**

(Supplementary to List published in Gazette of 8th January, p. 51.)

LIST of persons who have taken out Licenses as Auctioneers at the Pay Offices of the Treasury, to the 31st December, 1857.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE OF THE TREASURY,  
MELBOURNE.

W. D. Banks	George Alexander
Thomas Noble	J. B. Chambers
James Prince	James Long
James Wade	E. De Carle
Robert Smith	Jacob Frankel
G. W. MacGill	John Kain
H. A. Coffey	J. S. O'Grady
Daniel Sweeney	William Easey
John Billin	James W. Osborn
L. Levy	M. MacCaw
George Kirk	George Young
E. Rowe	M. P. Blundell
N. Kinsman	Dalmahoy Campbell
Isaac Lyons	William Kissock
Daniel Sattlerman	James Henderson
Samuel Cohen	W. C. Smith
Alexander Fraser	T. H. Jones
Robert Hammond	William Philpott
James Watt	Isaac Hewitt
Hyman Joseph	T. W. Barrington
George Walstab	Edward Marks
William Hurst	Lewis Levy
Samuel Bottomley	A. G. McCombe
R. Purcell	Alexander Young
J. G. Dougherty	John B. Smith
W. W. Tracey	J. E. Brook
Hyam Nathan	James Forsyth
John Kurder	John Courtis
Edmund Jacob	

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, SANDHURST.

S. Jones	W. A. Bucknell
H. Marks	W. H. Neale
F. F. Eicke	William St. Laurence

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, BALLAARAT.

Charles Dyte	John Van Hemert
James Johnston	Alexander Kelley
John Stoneham	William Warner Anslow
A. P. Bowes	F. R. Mitchison
John-Twiss	J. S. Carver

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MARYBOROUGH.

William McO'Boy Wise	Richard Sanders
B. W. Virtue	

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, PORTLAND.

G. G. Crouch	James Fethers
	C. H. EBDEN.

No. 5.—JANUARY 12TH, 1858.—2.

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Melbourne, 9th January, 1858.

**SURVEYORS OF PASSENGER SHIPS.**

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Messrs. C. B. PAYNE (Inspector, &c., under the Steam Navigation Board), and W. WRIGHT (Landing Waiter and Piermaster, Sandridge), to be Surveyors under "The "Passenger's Act, 1855," vice Messrs. Freyer and Stuart.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JAMES McCULLOCH.

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**ARARAT LAND SALE.—25TH JANUARY, 1858.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd December last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at the Police Office, Mount Ararat Gold Fields, on the 25th January instant: Notice is hereby given that lots 1 to 50 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**ARARAT LAND SALE.—26TH JANUARY, 1858.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd December last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at the Police Office, Mount Ararat Gold Fields, on the 26th January instant: Notice is hereby given that lots 1 to 44 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**ARARAT LAND SALE.—27TH JANUARY, 1858.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd December last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at the Police Office, Mount Ararat Gold Fields, on the 27th January, 1858: Notice is hereby given that lots 1 to 46 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**ARARAT LAND SALE.—28TH JANUARY, 1858.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd December last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at the Police Office, Mount Ararat Gold Fields, on the 28th January, 1858: Notice is hereby given that lots 1 to 46 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE.

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 11th January, 1858.

**ARARAT LAND SALE.—29TH JANUARY, 1858.**

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd December last, relative to a sale of certain Public Lands to be held at the Police Office, Mount Ararat Gold Fields, on the 29th January, 1858: Notice is hereby given that town lots 1 to 8 inclusive have been withdrawn from the said sale.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE.

**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.

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By His Excellency's Command,  
Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne.  
DAVID MOORE.

## LANDS OPEN FOR SELECTION AT MELBOURNE.

RETURN of LANDS which can be selected under the 12th Clause of the Act of Parliament, 5th and 6th Victoria, chapter 36, and Amended Regulations, dated 24th October, 1856, at the Public Lands Office, La Trobe street west, Melbourne, only, on and after Tuesday, the 2nd day of February, 1858, at Ten o'clock a.m.

The lot marked thus \* denotes that the deposit has been forfeited.

Special Country Lots.	Country Lots.	Date of Proclamation.	Date of Auction.	Parish and Situation.	Allotment.	Section or Portion.	Extent.	Price per Acre.	Amount to Pay.	Remarks.
	24	1857. Sept. 26	1857. Oct. 29	Chintin, west of Boyd Creek, neigh- borhood of Kilmore	...	21	460 1 14	1 5	517 8 5	Minus £58.*
	1	Nov. 20	Dec. 24	Bylands, situate about 29 miles from Melbourne and 9 from Kilmore	...	78	325 2 16	1 0	325 12 0	No offer.
	3	"	"	"	...	81	321 0 12	1 0	321 1 6	"
	4	"	"	Wallan-wallan, situated between 8 and 10 miles distant from Kilmore, im- mediately south of Bylands and east of Chintin	...	62	456 3 35	1 0	456 19 5	"
	5	"	"	"	...	63	316 1 30	1 0	316 8 9	"
	6	"	"	"	...	64	334 1 27	1 0	334 8 5	"
	7	"	"	"	...	65	320 0 26	1 0	320 3 3	"
	8	"	"	"	...	66	266 0 15	1 0	266 1 11	"
	10	"	"	"	...	70	142 2 12	1 0	142 11 6	"
	11	"	"	"	...	71	204 0 18	1 0	204 2 3	"
	12	"	"	"	...	72	349 1 32	1 0	349 9 0	"
	13	"	"	"	...	73	338 1 4	1 0	338 5 6	"
	14	"	"	"	...	74	370 3 12	1 0	370 16 6	"
	15	"	"	"	...	75	242 1 19	1 0	242 7 5	"
	16	"	"	"	...	76	83 0 14	1 0	83 1 9	"
	19	"	"	"	...	79	254 0 3	1 0	254 0 5	"
	20	"	"	"	...	80	217 1 7	1 0	217 5 11	"

Public Lands Office,  
Melbourne, 6th January, 1858.

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

## BACK CREEK CEMETERY, SANDHURST.

**R**ULES and Regulations of the Sandhurst Public Cemetery,  
Back Creek.

- All charges must be paid when orders are given, or before the ground or vault is opened.
- By the 8th section of the Act "It shall be lawful for the trustees of any such cemetery to permit any vault or grave to be dug and made in such cemetery, and any monument or tombstone to be erected or placed in any parts of any such cemetery as they may think proper, upon payment to them by the person desiring to dig and make such vault or grave, and to erect and place such monument or tombstone of such fees as shall, from time to time, be established by the said trustees; and any person so digging and making such vaults or erections, or erecting and placing such monument in such cemetery by and with such permission as aforesaid, and upon payment of the fees aforesaid, shall be entitled to have maintained and kept up such vault, monument, or tombstone, according to the terms of such permission, to and for the sole and separate use of such person and his representatives for ever."
- Application for such permission to be made at the office of the trustees. A certificate of permission in the form set out in the schedule will be granted to the party applying for such permission on payment of the charges in the schedule.
- The charges will be remitted on the burial of any poor person in such cemetery, on a certificate of a minister of religion, or other evidence, proving to the satisfaction of the trustees that such person was a pauper, or that the relations and friends of the deceased are unable to pay the costs and charges.
- Orders for interment to be given either to the sexton at the lodge, or at the office of the trustees, such notice to be given before Four o'clock p.m. on the previous day; if not, an extra charge will be made.
- The trustees will cause all common graves to be dug, but parties wanting brick graves or vaults will be required to construct them under the direction of the trustees or their surveyor, and in case interment is to be made in any private grave or vault, the consent (in writing) of the party entitled thereto must be left with the order.
- The name, age, late place of residence, and probable cause of death of the deceased must be stated at the time of giving the order.
- The time fixed for the funeral to be the time when the procession is to be at the cemetery, and the same is must punctually observed.
- Until otherwise ordered, the usual hours fixed for the performance of funerals will be from Ten a.m. to Six p.m. in the months of September to April inclusive, and from Ten a.m. to Four p.m. in the other four months, except on Sundays, when the usual and only hours for funerals will be from Two to Five o'clock throughout the year.
- All monuments, vaults, graves, and gravestones to be kept in proper repair and proper condition at the expense of the owners.

- Every coffin in a vault or brick grave to be bricked in, cemented, and covered by a slab of freestone, slate or iron.
- A drawing of every stone, tomb, pedestal, and plan of every monument or tablet proposed to be erected, and a copy of every epitaph or inscription, to be submitted to the trustees for approval, who are required by the 8th section of the Act "to withhold permission and prevent the erection of any monument which shall appear to them inappropriate or unbecoming, and shall determine and fix the position of any monument which may be prepared to be erected, according to the description, size and character thereof, having reference to the general plan for ornamenting the said cemetery in an appropriate manner." In the erection of tablets copper cramps must be used.
- No servant or other person employed by or engaged in any duty on behalf of the trustees will be permitted to receive any gratuity for the discharge thereof.
- The ground will be open daily to the public from sunrise to sunset.
- A plan of the cemetery, shewing the situation of the purchased and other graves, is to be kept at the office, and may be inspected at the charge set out in the schedule, and registers of all grants are kept by the secretary.
- The sexton has orders to turn out or take into custody (as the case may require) any person who shall behave indecorously, or commit any trespass or injury to the trees, flowers, or erections, or otherwise infringe the Act of Council relating to the cemetery or the regulations for protection of the same, and such persons will be proceeded against according to the provisions of the 14th section of the Act.
- The trustees reserve the right to make any alterations from time to time in these charges and regulations.

## SCHEDULE.

*Form of Certificate of right of burial in the Sandhurst Cemetery.*

On the application of \_\_\_\_\_ and upon payment of \_\_\_\_\_ the trustees of the Sandhurst Cemetery, in terms of, and as authorised by the Act of Council 17th Victoria No. 12, have agreed to grant, and do hereby grant unto the said \_\_\_\_\_ permission to dig or make a grave or vault on that piece of ground, \_\_\_\_\_ feet long by \_\_\_\_\_ feet broad, lying within the portion of the said cemetery appropriated for \_\_\_\_\_ burials and marked No. \_\_\_\_\_ compartment \_\_\_\_\_ on the map or plan of the said cemetery kept by the said trustees, with permission to erect or place on the said piece of ground a monument or tombstone, on payment of such charges as may from time to time be established. And it is hereby declared that the said \_\_\_\_\_ shall be entitled to have, maintain and keep up such vault, monument or tombstone, according to the terms of this permission to and for the sole and separate use of the said \_\_\_\_\_ and his (or their) heirs and near relations for ever; provided always and it is hereby declared that this grant is made subject to the terms and conditions following, viz. :—1st That the said piece of ground shall be kept and used by the said

his heirs and near relations solely as a burying place, and that no other use shall be made thereof; 2nd, That no enclosing wall, fence, building, monument, or tombstone shall be erected or placed on said piece of ground, until a plan thereof shall have been exhibited to the said trustees, and their authority given for the erection thereof; 3rd, That the said grave or vault, and the said wall, fence, building, monument, or tombstone, shall be maintained and kept up by the said trustees, and his heirs and near relations, in proper repair to the satisfaction of the said trustees; 4th, That the said trustees, and his heirs and near relations shall in the use of the said piece of ground, and access thereto, be subject in every respect to such rules and regulations as the trustees of the said cemetery may from time to time make, and shall not be entitled to exercise the right to bury or inter therein, except on payment of such charges as shall from time to time be established by the said trustees.

Given under our hands and seals, at Sandhurst, this day of 1855  
Signed by the above trustees,  
in the presence of—

Register No.  
Compartment No.

SCHEDULE OF CHARGES.—SANDHURST CEMETERY.

	£	s.	d.
Single interment in the open ground, including digging the grave, if selected by trustees, adult ...	1	10	0
Ditto, under ten years of age ...	1	0	0
Single interment in the open ground, if site is selected by the applicant ...	2	0	0
<i>Private Graves.</i>			
Land for graves, 8 feet by 4 feet, if selected by trustees ...	2	0	0
Sinking same, 7 feet ...	1	10	0
Ditto, for first additional foot ...	0	7	0
Ditto, for every additional foot ...	0	10	0
Land for family vaults or graves, if selected by applicant, per foot width ...	1	1	0
Sinking common sized grave in ditto, as above	1	10	0
Charge for each interment ...	1	10	0
<i>Miscellaneous Charges.</i>			
For all interments that take place between Six and Ten a.m. an extra charge of ...	0	10	0
For interment at other times not in the usual hours	1	0	0
Extra charge when the order is given after Four p.m. of the day previous to the funeral ...	6	10	0
Charge for permission to erect headstone to grave ...	0	10	0
Ditto fence to private grave ...	1	0	0
Ditto raised stones or tomb ...	1	10	0
Ditto upright pedestal or monument ...	2	0	0
Charge for inspecting plan ...	0	5	0
Ditto for copy of register ...	0	5	0

The foregoing Regulations, made by the Trustees of the Back Creek Public Cemetery, Sandhurst, have been submitted to and approved by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Gazetted on the 12th day of January, 1858, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 15, sec. 33.

By His Excellency's Command,  
DAVID MOORE,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

MUNICIPALITY OF CASTLEMAINE.

BYE-LAW No. 27.—A BYE-LAW TO ENFORCE THE ERECTION OF PROPER PUBLIC URINALS, AND A STRICT ATTENTION TO THEIR CLEANLINESS, BY THE PROPRIETORS OF EVERY LICENSED PUBLIC HOUSE WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF CASTLEMAINE.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria 18 Victoria No. 14, intituled, "An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be competent for the council of any municipal district established under the provisions of the said Act to make bye-laws for the suppression of nuisances and the general good government of the said district; And whereas by a Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, dated the 23rd day of April, A.D. 1855, the district of Castlemaine was duly established a municipal district under the provisions and within the meaning of the said Act; And whereas great nuisance, inconvenience, uncleanness, and personal discomfort result to the inhabitants for want of proper public urinals in this township, and that it is generally recognised as being more particularly the business of licensed publicans to supply this necessary conveniency: Be it therefore ordered and directed by the municipal council for the district of Castlemaine, that from and after the date of this bye-law receiving the assent of His Excellency the Governor of the colony of Victoria as required by the provisions of the said Act, that every licensed publican within the township shall erect in some convenient position on his premises a decent public urinal, according to the plan of the town surveyor, with arrangements to prevent the same from becoming in any way a nuisance, and that the same shall be kept carefully cleansed, or in default thereof he shall on conviction thereof before two or more justices of the peace for the said district forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding Twenty pounds. When-

ever such penalty, costs, expenses, or other payment shall have been imposed, directed or awarded to be paid under the provisions of such bye-law, and the person convicted or awarded to pay such penalty, forfeiture, costs or other expenses, shall not pay the same within such time as the convicting justices may direct, it shall be lawful for the said convicting justices to order that the same be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of such offender.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 27, made by the municipal council of Castlemaine, has been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Gazetted on the 12th day of January, 1858, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 15, sec. 33.

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

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MUNICIPALITY OF EAST COLLINGWOOD.

BYE-LAW No. 17.—FOR IMPOSING A RATE OF ONE SHILLING IN THE POUND ON THE RATEABLE PROPERTY OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF EAST COLLINGWOOD FOR THE YEAR 1858.

(Under 18th and 19th Victoria Nos. 15 and 16.)

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, "An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria," the council of any municipal district is empowered to impose a rate on all houses and lands within the limits of such municipal districts, according to their fair average annual value thereof, such rate not to exceed the sum of Two shillings in the pound of such value: Be it therefore enacted by the municipal council of East Collingwood, that a rate for the current year of eighteen hundred and fifty-eight of One shilling in the pound on the revised assessed annual value of rateable property within the limits of the municipal district of East Collingwood be imposed and levied, and be due and payable in equal portions respectively on the first day of January and July, 1858.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 17, made by the municipal council of East Collingwood, has been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

Gazetted on the 12th day of January, 1858, pursuant to 18 Victoria No. 15, sec. 33.

By His Excellency's Command,

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

A.7839.

Courts.

PORTLAND.  
COUNTY COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next County Court for the Portland District will be holden at the Court House, Portland, on Friday, the 12th day of February, 1858, at the hour of Ten o'clock a.m.

Plaints must be filed with me on or before 28th day of January, 1858.

Defences must be filed on or before Saturday, 6th February, 1858.

ANDREW CASTLE,  
Clerk of the County Court.

Portland, 7th January, 1858.

PORTLAND.  
GENERAL SESSIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next Court of General Sessions for the district of Portland will be holden at the Court House, Portland, on Friday, the 12th day of February, 1858, at the hour of Ten o'clock a.m.

ANDREW CASTLE,  
Clerk of the Peace.

Court House,  
Portland, 7th January, 1858.

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

County Courts.

CARISBROOK—On Friday, 29th January, at 10 a.m. (No. 4).

CASTLEMAINE—On Thursday, 21st January, 1858, at 10 a.m.

Plaints filed until Wednesday, 6th January, and defences until Friday, 15th January (No. 143).

KYNETON—On Monday, 18th January, 1858, at 10 a.m. Plaints filed until Saturday, 2nd January, and defences until Monday, 11th January (No. 148).

SANDHURST—On Friday, 5th February, 1858, at 10 a.m. (No. 152).

General Sessions.

CARISBROOK—On Tuesday, 26th January, at 10 a.m. (No. 4).

CASTLEMAINE—On Thursday, 21st January, 1858, at 10 a.m.

(No. 143).

KYNETON—On Monday, 18th January, 1858, at 10 a.m. (No. 148).

## CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—1857-8.

For what purpose Contract is required.	Number of Tenders offered and Names of Tenderers.	Particulars of each Tender.	Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Name for Approval.	Has the person recommended been a Contractor previously?	How did he fulfil his Contract?	Approved.	Charged against Vote for—
12. Roads and Bridges.— Ballaarat Road	(5.) Davidson, £10,003; Ross, £13,374; Grant, £18,655; Charlton, £13,986 1s.; Woolley, £14,787 12s. 6d.	Making 2 miles and 78 chains of the Ballaarat road, between the Corduroy and Scott's Bridges	Ten thousand and three pounds (£10,003)	John Davidson	Yes ... ..	Satisfactorily	30th December, 1857. — D. Moore	Roads and Bridges, 1857.
13. Ditto.—Lower Western road	(9.) Withers, £1645; Barry, £1552 2s. (declined); Evans, £1750; McKiernan, £1949; Virtue, £2082 2s.; Clark and McLachlan, £2097 3s. 6d.; Owen, £2184 3s.; McLean, £2565; Hinchliff and Walker, £3066	Making 51 chains of the Lower Western road, Campdown section	One thousand six hundred and forty-five pounds (£1645)	George Withers	Yes ... ..	Satisfactorily	Ditto.—Ditto...	Ditto.
14. Ditto.—Moonee Ponds Bridge	(3.) Wakeford and Cowdery, £704 10s.; Sheffield, £1514; Grant, £1900	Erection of Moonee Ponds Bridge on the Pascoevale road (for the masonry and carpenter work of the bridge only)	Seven hundred and four pounds nineteen shillings (£704 19s.)	Wakeford and Cowdery	Yes ... ..	Satisfactorily	Ditto.—Ditto...	Ditto.
15. Ditto.—Pollocksford Bridge	(9.) McLean, £5265; Cragg and Co., £5304 18s. 9d.; Rourke and Munro, £5375; Corbett, £5394; Davidson, £5492; Pettigrew, £5783 7s.; Barry and McKensie, £5800; Charlton, £6028 15s. 1d.; Bate, £7500	The erection of the Pollocksford Bridge, at Geelong	Five thousand two hundred and sixty-five pounds (£5265)	Hector McLean	Yes ... ..	Satisfactorily	Ditto.—Ditto...	Ditto.

Memorandum.—Under Contract No. 949 of 1857, for the contractor's name read "Geo. Wainey" instead of "Geo. Hainey."

Melbourne, 12th January, 1858.



## Tenders.

Treasury,  
Melbourne, 8th January, 1858.

## PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR THE "VICTORIA."

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 22nd instant, from persons willing to supply Provisions and other articles in such quantities as may be required for use on board the Steam Sloop *Victoria*, from the 1st February to the 31st December, 1858.

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

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

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

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

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 26th January, 1858.

## DAILY RATION IN HOBSON'S BAY.

Wheaten bread ... ..	14 lb.	} per ration.
Fresh meat ... ..	2 "	
Potatoes ... ..	1 "	
Vegetables ... ..	5 oz.	
Sugar ... ..	2½ "	
Tea ... ..	¼ "	
Salt ... ..	¼ "	
Rum, West India (duty free) ...	¼ gill	

## SEA STORES, WHEN ORDERED.

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

## CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

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

Green vegetables; such as—		
Pumpkins, greens free from root, carrots free from top, &c.	2 lbs., or	} equal to 1 lb. of potatoes.
Onions ... ..	½ lb.	

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

The supplies are to be immediately placed on board by the contractor by day or night if so required, on the written order of the officer in command, failing which they will be otherwise procured, and the expense, over and above the contract price, will be deducted from the contractor's account.

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

No. 5.—JANUARY 12TH, 1858.—3.

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

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

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

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

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

Treasury,  
Melbourne, 8th January, 1858.

## FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 22nd instant, from persons willing to supply Forage in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government, at the undermentioned Stations, from the 1st February to the 31st December, 1858:—

District.	Station.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
Ovens ...	El Dorado ...	900	90	1260	360
	Woolshed ...	900	90	1260	360

The terms and conditions of contract will be those dated 20th October, 1857, and published in the *Government Gazette*, pages 2063, 2069.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, or from the officer in charge of the Police at each station.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Forage, — Station," are to be deposited in the Box at the Government Stores, or addressed to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 26th January, 1858.

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

Treasury,  
Melbourne, 5th January, 1858.

## OATS AND BRAN.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 15th instant, for the supply of  
5000 bushels good sound sweet feeding Oats  
1000 bushels good sweet Bran

Tenders must be accompanied by samples, and will be received for quantities not less than 500 bushels of Oats or Bran.

Delivery is to be made at the Government Stores, Melbourne, within four days from the date of acceptance, and the price stated must include bags of a strong description suitable for transport.

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

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on Tuesday, the 19th January, 1858.

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

General Post Office,  
Melbourne, 4th January, 1858.

## CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1858.

CONVEYANCE being required for the Post Office Mails as under stated, from the 1st February to the 31st December, 1858, subject to the conditions of contract published under date of 29th October, 1857, tenders, on the prescribed form, to be had on application at this or any other Post Office in the colony, will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. of Tuesday, the 19th instant.

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

Every tender must bear the bona fide signatures of the tenderer, and of two responsible persons willing to become bound with him in double the amount of contract for the due fulfilment of his engagement.

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

**SERVICE REQUIRED.**

To and from Goldborough, Jones' Creek, Sandy Creek, and Newbridge, twice a-week.

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

**VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the President of the Board of Land and Works is prepared to receive tenders for constructing the following Lines and portions of Lines of Railway, that is to say:—

**MELBOURNE AND MURRAY RIVER RAILWAY.**

		Miles.	Chs.
No. 1, or Keilor Plains Contract	Section the first, about in length	17	60
No. 2, or Sunbury Contract	Section the second, about in length	5	22
No. 3, or Bolinda Contract	Section the third, about in length	8	78
No. 4, or Gisborne Contract	Section the fourth, about in length	5	42
No. 5, or Black Forest Contract	Section the fifth, about in length	7	72
No. 6, or Woodend Contract	Section the sixth, about in length	5	79
No. 7, or Kyneton and Malmesbury Contract	Section the seventh, about in length	10	43
No. 8, or Taradale Contract	Section the eighth, about in length	2	15
No. 9, or Elphinstone and Forest Creek Contract	Section the ninth, about in length	6	65
No. 10, or Castlemaine and Harcourt Contract	Section the tenth, about in length	10	40
No. 11, or Porcupine Contract	Section the eleventh, about in length	7	10
No. 12, or Big Hill Contract	Section the twelfth, about in length	3	65
No. 13, or Sandhurst Contract	Section the thirteenth, about in length	4	56
No. 14, or Bendigo Creek Contract	Section the fourteenth, about in length	8	0
No. 15, or Campaspe Plains Contract	Section the fifteenth, about in length	31	0
No. 16, or Echuca Contract	Section the sixteenth, about in length	17	58
No. 17, or Melbourne and Sandhurst Contract	From Footscray Junction to Sandhurst, about in length	97	7
No. 18, or Sandhurst and River Murray Contract	From Sandhurst to the River Murray, about in length	56	58
No. 19, or Melbourne and River Murray Contract	From Footscray Junction to the River Murray, about in length	153	65

**GEELONG AND BALLAARAT RAILWAY.**

No. 20, or Cowie's Creek and Moorabool Contract	Section the first, about in length	8	20
No. 21, or Lethbridge Contract	Section the second, about in length	8	5
No. 22, or Meredith Contract	Section the third, about in length	12	5
No. 23, or Stofy Rises Contract	Section the fourth, about in length	7	10
No. 24, or Burnt Bridge Contract	Section the fifth, about in length	3	50
No. 25, or Warrenheip Contract	Section the sixth, about in length	9	30
No. 26, or Ballaarat Contract	Section the seventh, about in length	4	37
No. 27, or Geelong and Ballaarat Contract	From Cowie's Creek Junction to Ballaarat, about in length	52	77

**MELBOURNE AND RIVER MURRAY, AND GEELONG AND BALLAARAT RAILWAYS.**

		Miles.	Chs.
No. 28, General Railway Contract	From Footscray Junction to the River Murray, and from Cowie's Creek Junction to Ballaarat, being a total length of about	206	62

Further information can be at once obtained on application to the Engineer-in-Chief, and the terms and conditions upon which the abovenamed contracts will be based, together with

printed specifications, schedules of quantities, and forms of tender, may be obtained on application at his office, Batman's Hill, Melbourne, on and after the 14th instant.

Tenders may be sent in in two forms, viz.:—For payment in cash, and for payment in Victorian Railway Debentures bearing six per cent. interest.

The whole of the tenders are to be sent in in a sealed form on or before Twelve o'clock noon of 1st day of February, 1858, and are to be addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, and endorsed on the cover "Tender for No. Contract," stating the number of the contract to which the tender refers.

The President of the Board of Land and Works does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,  
JOSEPH WARD,  
Secretary.

Railway Department, Crown Lands Office,  
8th December, 1857.

Railway Department,  
Melbourne, 24th December, 1857.

**VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an extension of time for the reception of tenders for the formation of Main Lines of Railway has been made from 1st February to 1st March, 1858.

By Order of the President of the Board of Land and Works,  
JOSEPH WARD,  
Secretary.

**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.

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**Private Advertisements.**

**MUNICIPALITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN.**

**ELECTION OF COUNCILLOR.**

IN terms of the 18th Victoria No. 15, sections 19 and 21, I hereby convene a public meeting of the ratepayers of this district for the purpose of electing a member of the council to serve in the place of George Frederick Verdon, resigned, such meeting to be held in the Athenæum, Little Nelson street, on Thursday, the 21st day of January, 1858, at the hour of Eight o'clock on the morning of that day.

Should there be more than one candidate, a show of hands will be taken in favor of each, and the candidate in whose favor the show of hands shall be decided shall thereupon be declared to be elected a member of the council of the said municipality to serve in the place of George Frederick Verdon, resigned, unless any candidate or six ratepayers shall thereupon dissent from such decision, and shall demand a poll, in which case a poll will be held on the following day, Friday, the 22nd day of January, 1858, such poll to take place at the following places, viz.:—At the Athenæum, Little Nelson street, and the wooden building known as the Temperance Hall, situate at the corner of Dover street and Stevedore street, the poll to open at Eight o'clock in the morning and close at Four o'clock on the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand and the seal of the council, this 29th day of December, 1857.

THOMAS MASON,  
Chairman of the Municipal Council.

**CASTLEMAINE MUNICIPALITY.**

**ANNUAL ELECTION NOTICE.**

A PUBLIC meeting of ratepayers is hereby convened to be held at the Criterion Hall, on Thursday, 21st January, 1858, at Eight o'clock in the morning, to elect three members to take the places in the municipal council of James Chapman, Thomas Vincent, and Samuel Love, Esqs., who retire by rotation, under the Act 18 Victoria, No. 15.

In case of a poll being demanded, the same will be taken on Friday, the 22nd day of January, to be opened at Eight a.m., and closed at Four p.m., at the Criterion Hall.

W. HITCHCOCK, J.P.,  
Chairman of the Municipality.  
Castlemaire, 29th December, 1857. No. 49.

**PATENT FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAY AND OTHER WHEELS.**

**T**HIS is to notify that Henry Haughton, of Melbourne, engineer, did, on the 7th day of January, deposit at the office of the Chief Secretary, in Melbourne, a specification, or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing. And I do further notify that the said Henry Haughton has given notice, in writing, at my chambers, of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Monday, the 8th day of February next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at my chambers, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such letters patent, to leave before that day, at my chambers in Melbourne, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this 8th day of January, 1858.  
**ARCHIBALD MICHIE,**  
 Attorney General.

**W. H. RITCHIE,**  
 Agent for petitioner, 79, Chancery lane. No. 70.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**T**HE partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at Sandhurst, under the style of "Watson, Henderson and Co.," and the quasi partnership in this city, under the same style, are this day dissolved by mutual consent.

From and after this date the signature of the partnership will only be used in liquidation.  
 Melbourne, 5th January, 1858.

Witnesses to the signature of  
**George Watson—**  
**A. EDELMAN,**  
**ROBERT HARPER.**

**GEORGE WATSON.**

Witnesses to the signature of  
**J. C. Henderson—**  
**GEO. READE,**  
**A. CARRICK.**

**JOHN C. HENDERSON.**

Witnesses to the signature of  
**A. R. Cruikshank—**  
**J. DUCKLEY,**  
**ALP. PRENDERGAST.**

**AND. R. CRUIKSHANK.**

No. 53.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between Dalmahoy Campbell, William Morris Harper, and William Kissock, under the style or firm of "Dalmahoy Campbell and Company," is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Morris Harper.

Dated this thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

**DAL. CAMPBELL,**  
**W. M. HARPER,**  
**WM. KISSOCK.**

Witness—  
**WM. HELLINS,**  
 Solicitor, Melbourne. No. 1882.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Mr. Duncan McCallum retired from the firm of McCallum, Neill and Co., on the 1st day of January, 1857.

The remaining partners, Henry James Neill and Robert Bruce, with the undersigned John Neill (whom they have admitted into partnership with them), will continue the business under the same firm, and receive and pay all debts and liabilities.

Dated this 1st day of January, 1858.

**HY. JAMES NEILL,**  
**ROBERT BRUCE,**  
**JOHN NEILL.**

Witness—  
**A. CHAMBERS.** No. 18.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Wootton Lansell and George Lansell, of Sandhurst, soap and candle manufacturers, under the name, style and firm of "W. and G. Lansell," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and by the late firm are to be paid to and by the said George Lansell, in whose name the business will be carried on in future.

Dated this 6th day of January, 1858.

**WOOTTON LANSELL,**  
**GEORGE LANSELL.**

Witness—  
**W. H. STMONDS,**  
 Sandhurst, clerk to E. Wrixon, Pall Mall. No. 76.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned Jean Baptiste Loridan, John Parry, and Benjamin Gilberteau, carrying on business at the Sheepwash Creek, district of Sandhurst, under the style or firm of "Loridan and Co.," market gardeners, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said John Parry.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1857.

**J. LORIDAN,**  
**JOHN PARRY,**  
**B. GILBERTEAU.**

Witness—  
**CHAS. EDWD. CUTTEN, Jun.** No. 78

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**T**HIS is to certify that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned John Duggan and James Parker, as blacksmiths and wheelwrights, was dissolved by mutual consent on the twenty-first day of March, 1857.

Witness our hands this fifth day of January, 1858.

Dated Carisbrook.

**JAMES PARKER,**  
**JOHN DUGGAN.**

Witness—  
**JOHN HUDSON.** No. 79.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, trading under the style or firm of R. Carter and Co., ironfounders, Armstrong street, Ballarat, was dissolved this 2nd day of January, 1858, so far as regards the interest of George Threlfall in the said business.

**RICHARD CARTER,**  
**ROBERT HOLDEN,**  
**WILLIAM SHAW,**  
**GEORGE THRELFALL.**

Witness—  
**GEORGE CROSS.** No. 66.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the copartnership carried on for some time past at Madcline street, North Melbourne, by Edward Joseph Prevôt and George Hughes, under the firm of "E. J. Prevôt," was dissolved by mutual consent on the 31st day of December, 1857, and Mr. Edward Joseph Prevôt is empowered to discharge all debts due by the said copartnership concern, and to collect all debts due to the same, and give receipts for same accordingly.

Dated this 11th day of January, 1858.

**E. J. PREVOT,**  
**GEORGE HUGHES.**

Witness present—  
**ROBERT C. GRESSON,**  
 of Melbourne, solicitor. No. 73.

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

**LISTER AND ANOTHER v. JONES.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the above *Fieri Facias*, the sheriff of the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Cumberland Inn, Barker street, Castlemaine, on Saturday, the 23rd day of January, 1858, at One o'clock p.m., all and singular the estate, right, title and interest (if any), of the abovenamed defendant, in and to allotments 2, 3 and 4, of section 6, corner of Berkley and Kennedy streets, Castlemaine, together with the buildings erected thereon known as the Clarendon Hotel; also the defendant's interest (if any) in and to allotment 16 of section 19, Forest street, Castlemaine, together with the buildings erected thereon known as the Albert Hotel, and premises, unless this execution be sooner satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

**PHILLIP SHIMMIN,**  
 Sheriff's Officer.

No. 10.

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

**BANK OF VICTORIA v. MAYOR.**

**SAME v. SAME.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the above writs of *Fieri Facias* the sheriff of the colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Hit or Miss Hotel, Baddaginnie, near Benalla, on Thursday, the 4th day of February, 1858, at Two o'clock p.m., all and singular the right, title and interest (if any) of the above defendant in and to allotments 17, 18 and 19 of section 3, township of Baddaginnie, with the buildings erected thereon, known as the Hit or Miss Hotel, and out offices, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

**E. G. NETHERCOTT,**  
 Sheriff's Officer.

No. 74.

In the Supreme Court of the } *F. Fl.*  
colony of Victoria. }

LANGWILL AND OTHERS v. DRUMMOND.

UNDER and by virtue of the above *Fieri Facias*, the sheriff will cause to be sold at King's Hotel, Wooragee, near Beechworth, on Thursday, the 21st day of January, 1858, at twelve o'clock noon, all and singular the right, title and interest (if any) of the above defendant in and to a fifth share in all that piece of land containing 265 acres 14 perches, more or less, being allotment one of section D, parish of Wooragee, bounded on the north by the Main Sydney road, 35 chains 26 links; on the east by a road one chain wide, 73 chains 20 links; on the south by a road one chain wide, 35 chains; and on the west by allotments two and five, 76 chains 84 links, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

E. G. NETHERCOTT,  
Sheriff's Officer.

No. 1841.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Karlsruhe Flat, on Thursday night, 10th December, a black mare, branded HD conjoined near shoulder, TR near saddle, and TN off side. Any one bringing the above to Mr. J. Facey's, East Kyneton, or to Holland's Hotel, near Flemington, will receive the above reward. No. 1868.

NOTICE.

UNLESS the brown mare, branded MC near shoulder, that was left in my paddock along with her foal, branded DM off shoulder, nine months ago, be claimed within thirty-one days from this date, both will be sold to defray expenses.

ROBERT ARMSTRONG.

Muckleford, 14th December, 1857.

No. 1794.

NOTICE.

FOUND, a bay mare, 9 near shoulder, C off shoulder. The owner can have the same by paying expenses. Apply to Henry Beadman, Glenorchy.

No. 26.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN on 29th September, 1857, from Mr. Alfred Joyce's Station, Norwood, on the Bet-bet, near Alma, a heavy draught bay mare, about 15½ hands high, branded small JF conjoined near shoulder. The men who stole it took away four or five others from the same mob at the same time, and drove them direct to Geelong, where a man in possession of three of the horses was apprehended three days after the theft. The above mare, which was within a few days of foaling, is supposed to have been either abandoned or sold on the road. The above reward will be paid on conviction of the thief, or on the restoration of the mare to Alfred Joyce, Norwood Station, Bet-bet.

No. 38.

THIRTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN from Swan Water Station, near St. Arnaud, Wimmera district, on the 19th day of December, a bright bay horse, two hind feet white, star in forehead, saddle marked, short switch tail, aged, branded O—O with like boot between the strokes near shoulder (the O each side the boot very indistinct), and P near neck, the horse is a very heavy cob—a nearly cart horse. £30 reward will be given on conviction of the thief. Apply to V. N. Mogg, Swan Water Station, or Mr. Chas. Pearson, Avoca Hotel, Avoca.

No. 33.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

To POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed from the Railway Survey Camp, Woodend, on the 18th of October, 1857, a dark roan draught horse, with bald face, white hind legs, ringbone on fore foot, branded T off shoulder; also, a brown pony horse, with long tail and little white on hind fetlock, branded A near shoulder. £5 reward will be paid on recovery of the horses, and a further reward of £10 if stolen on conviction of the thief.

CHAS. E. BARKER,

No. 48.

Assistant Engineer, Railway Department.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Ararat, a chesnut mare, branded BHE (the HE conjoined) near shoulder, white blaze down face, large scar on pole, switch tail. Apply to Trayne's Brewery, Ararat, or Pleasant Creek.

No. 71.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or stolen from the Ararat Bakery, about 29th November, 1857, a dun horse, W off shoulder, I off

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check, collar marked; also, a bay horse, star on forehead, ES near shoulder, light muzzle, switch tail. The above reward will be paid to any person giving information leading to the recovery of the same to James Tuson, Ararat Bakery, Old Deep Sinking, Mount Ararat.

No. 75.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Ararat, two large dapple grey horses, one branded MC off shoulder, blotch near shoulder; the other branded M off side neck under mane; both horses with mane split on both sides of neck. Apply to Pyrenees Store, Main street, Ararat.

No. 72.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO AUCTIONEERS, POUNDKEEPERS AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed from Pleasant Creek, on Saturday evening, 26th December, 1857, a bay mare, star in forehead, branded MC near neck, WH near shoulder; also, a chesnut mare, hind feet white, stripe in face, branded ON (the N reversed) near shoulder. Whoever will bring the same to Mr. Joyce, Hibernia Hotel, Pleasant Creek, shall receive £5 reward each, or £10 if stolen on conviction of thief.

7th January, 1858.

No. 77.

NOTICE.

FOUND on Chinaman's Flat, two months ago, a dark bay horse, saddle and bridle on, sore back, white spots under saddle, near hind foot white, H near shoulder, BOYD near neck. The owner can have him by applying to the Allies Store, Chinaman's, on paying all expenses.

No. 60.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED from Lake Burrumbeet, on Sunday, 3rd January, a dark brown mare, branded E on near shoulder (not very

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legible), scar on near hind leg. Any one finding the same will receive the above reward by restoring it to Robert Brooks, brickmaker, behind Charles Hotham Hotel, Ballaarat.

No. 58.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or strayed from Carngbam, on the night of the 4th January, or early in the morning of the 5th January, 1858, a bay horse, branded PM near check, on the near shoulder X, No. 1 off shoulder, white streak all round body. The above reward on delivery to Ralph Manghan, Mr. A. P. Bowes' sale yard, Main road, Ballaarat.

No. 65.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED, a chesnut mare, between the Honeysuckle and Benalla, on 22nd December, 1857, branded IS near shoulder, M off, blaze down face, switch tail. Whoever will bring the same to Valliere and Hobson, Honeysuckle, or Union Stables, Bouverie street, North Melbourne, will receive the above reward.

No. 57.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed, a brown horse, branded JH conjoined F off shoulder, scar on the thigh; also, bay colt, branded J.W. near shoulder and near hind quarter, S under saddle. The reward for recovery or conviction will be paid by Thomas Maloney, dairyman, Miner's Right, Mount Pleasant Hotel, Ballaarat.

No. 61.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or strayed from near Beechworth, a black draught horse, branded GS on near shoulder, blaze down face, hind feet

white, and long tail. Whoever will return the same to J. and W. Turner, Camp street, Beechworth, will receive the above reward.

No. 64.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Windsor Swamp, near Ballaarat, on the 28th of December, a bay cob horse, branded JH conjoined blotch under near shoulder, JH conjoined near rump, white star on forehead, two hind feet white. Whoever will bring the same to William Wilmot, care of Mr. Anderson, bootmaker, Main road, Ballaarat, will receive the above reward.

No. 59.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or strayed from Pleasant Creek, about the middle of October, 1857, bay colt, branded 3 on near shoulder,

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horse shoe brand on near ribs, near rump, and same on off ribs; also, on the 18th December, bay horse, branded E near shoulder, star in forehead, hind fetlocks white, switch tail, and saddle marked. Whoever will bring the same, or give such information as will lead to recovery, will receive £5 for each horse, by applying to Mr. Sproston, storekeeper, Pleasant Creek.

No. 69.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Farmer Slaeter's Paddock, Guildford, on 6th January, a dark brown mare, branded 12 off

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shoulder, HP or PP conjoined near shoulder. Whoever brings same to Robert Ellis, Red Shirt Store, Pennyweight Flat, will receive £3 reward, and all reasonable expenses if strayed, or £10 reward if stolen on conviction.

No. 62.

## TEN POUNDS REWARD.

**S**TOLEN or strayed from John O'Groat's Hotel, Campbell's Creek, on 3rd January, a grey mare, branded W near S shoulder. £5 reward will be paid on recovery if strayed, or £10 if stolen, on conviction. Apply at the John O'Groat's Hotel, Campbell's Creek. No. 63.

## FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

**S**TOLEN or strayed, 30th December, 1857, from Pleasant Creek, a bay mare, branded AE on off shoulder, B on near shoulder, small star in forehead. Any person bringing the above mare to Glenny Brothers, Pleasant Creek, or Armstrong's Diggings, will receive the above reward. No. 68.

## TEN POUNDS REWARD.

**S**TOLEN or strayed, on the 3rd instant, from Moonee Ponds:—  
1 strawberry cow, MD milking side  
1 red cow, white face, MD milking side rump  
1 red and white spotted cow, V conjoined milking side.

The property of John McNamara, National Hotel, Moonee Ponds.

The above reward will be paid on conviction of the thief, or £5 reward if strayed. No. 56.

## FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

**S**TOLEN or strayed from Pleasant Creek, 25th December, 1857, a bay mare, 16 hands, branded I off shoulder, C

near shoulder, near hind fetlock white, black points, long tail; also, a bay colt, like P near shoulder, blaze down face, near hind fetlock white, being a yearling of the above mare. Information to be given at Cannon's Library, Pleasant Creek. No. 67.

## Impoundings.

**B**ACCHUS MARSH.—Impounded at Bacchus Marsh, 6th January, 1858, by Mr. Porter, Green Hills.—Trespass 5s.

1. Chesnut horse, blaze down face, near fore and near hind fetlocks white, few white spots on belly, GB near shoulder, bang tail

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

ROBERT PYKE,  
Poundkeeper.

8s.

**B**ALLAARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat, 8th January, 1858, by Jas. Carton.

17. Black and white sow, both ears marked—Damages £1 10s.  
18. Black and white hog, both ears marked—Damages £1 10s.  
19. Small black sow, no visible brand—Damages £1.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

Geo. JOHNSTON,  
For J. JOHNSTON,  
Poundkeeper.

8s.

**B**ALLAN.—Impounded at Ballan, 5th January, 1858, by J. Irwin, Esq.

6. Bay horse, small star, collar marked, 2 off hip  
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

HENRY A. COOPER,  
Poundkeeper.

6s. 6d.

**B**ATESFORD.—Impounded at Batesford, 25th December, 1857, by Mr. Geo. Hope.—Damages 10s. each.

1362. Yellow steer, stag horns, ears marked, HW near rump, like N2 near back

1363. Brown bullock, hoop horns, HW near back, WL near thigh

1364. White bullock, down horns, near horn shelled, C off ribs

On 26th December, by Mary Welsh.—Damages £5.

1386. Brindle nobby bull, PC off rump

On 4th January, 1858, by D. Powell.—Paddock expenses and advertising £1 17s. each.

37. Bay mare, off hind foot white, saddle and collar marked, Q off neck, 3 near shoulder

38. Chesnut mare, one white foot, blaze, saddle marked, T near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

HENRY A. ALEXANDER,  
Poundkeeper.

13s. 6d.

**B**EAUMANTO.—Impounded at Beaumanto, Muddy Creek Pound, 5th January, 1858, by Rodck. Murchinson, Esq.

1. Bay mare, small star, G off shoulder

No. 5.—JANUARY 12TH, 1858.—4.

2. Roan horse, star, draught breed, full tail, W near shoulder  
3. Bay horse, collar marked, like C off saddle, star, long switch tail

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

J. WEBSTER,  
Poundkeeper.

8s. 6d.

**B**ENALLA.—Impounded at Benalla, 4th January, 1858, by Mr. Thos. Sullivan.—Trespass 2s. each.

1. Bay horse, star, long tail, saddle marked, like ringbone fore legs, S near shoulder

2. Bay filly, star, off hind leg white, long tail, JG or C near shoulder

3. Brown filly, streak down face, hind fetlocks white, JG or JC near shoulder

4. Bay yearling colt, HG or HC near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

W. C. BOND,  
Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.

**B**RAYBROOK.—Impounded at Braybrook, 4th January, 1858, by Mr. Swatzfeger.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

7. Brown gelding, collar and saddle marked, off hind fetlock white, like I near shoulder, 2 off neck, J off shoulder

By Mr. Higgins.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

9. Brown draught filly, black points, no visible brand

10. Black draught filly, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

C. M. WILLIAMS,  
Poundkeeper.

9s. 6d.

**B**ULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek Pound, 8th January, 1858, by Mr. Simpson, for Mr. John Catto.

3. Light chesnut horse, two hind legs white, white streak down face, collar and saddle marked, like 11 or HZ off shoulder, scar off knee, piece rope round neck

4. Chesnut horse, light colored mane and tail, small white spot on forehead, small snip, WA near shoulder, like WOD very faint near neck, JT off shoulder, collar and saddle marked, piece rope round neck

On 9th January, by Mr. D. Campbell.—Damages 1s.

5. Chesnut entire horse, two white hind legs, star on forehead, like DC near shoulder, newly shod all round

6. Brown mare, A+L off neck, 2 off shoulder, indescribable brand like [ ] near neck, broken hobble, piece rag

round pasterns

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOHN W. GOWER,  
Poundkeeper.

14s.

**B**ULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek Pound, 9th January, 1858, by Mr. James.—Damages £5.

7. Dark brown mare, FM near shoulder, BY near ribs, collar and saddle marked, sore wither

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOHN W. GOWER,  
Poundkeeper.

7s.

## NOTICE.

**B**UNINYONG.—The horses advertised in the *Gazette* of 24th December, 1857, being No. 546, Brown filly; No. 547, Chesnut colt; No. 548, Black colt, have all the same brands,

and will be sold on the 20th January, 1858. No. 543, L

DBJ  
Bright bay mare, near shoulder diamond (the centre of the

diamond being blotched), will be sold same day.

GEO. INNES,  
Poundkeeper.

9s.

**C**ARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook, 6th January, 1858, by Mr. Bucknall.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

25. Bay horse, K with blotched spur brand off shoulder

26. Dark brown horse, near shoulder MI (writing M)

27. Light bay mare, star, M near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JAMES B. RHODES,  
Poundkeeper.

8s. 6d.

**D**ANDENONG.—Impounded at Dandenong, 9th January, 1858, by Mr. McClellan.—Trespass 6d. each.

33. Yellow and white cow, down horns, like  $\overset{cc}{\curvearrowright}$  or  $\overset{oc}{\curvearrowright}$  near ribs, like CO off rump and thigh

34. Red and white spotted steer, supposed  $\overset{oc}{\curvearrowright}$  near ribs, progeny of No. 33

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

WILLIAM DAVIES,  
Poundkeeper.

9s. 6d.

#### NOTICE.

**E**CHUCA.—No. 2, Chesnut horse, long tail, blaze, advertised in the *Government Gazette*, dated the 8th January, 1858, has  $\overset{c}{\curvearrowright}$  near thigh, in addition to the brands therein described, and will not be sold until the 17th January, 1858.

GEORGE JAMIESON,  
Poundkeeper.

Echuca Pound, 6th January, 1858.

7s.

**K**YNETON.—Impounded at Kyneton, 5th January, 1858, by the Carlshuk Police.—Damages 7s.

37. Light bay horse, star, black points, long tail, saddle marked, S off neck, no other visible brand, two fore feet shod

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

W. BATES,  
Poundkeeper.

7s.

**L**EXTON.—Impounded at Lexton, by Mr. Nichol.—Trespass 9d.

1. Red and white steer, LYON near ribs

2. Blue and white steer, LYON near ribs

3. Yellow and white steer, LYON near ribs

4. Red sided steer, LYON near ribs

5. Yellow steer, LYON near ribs

6. Brindle steer, LYON near ribs

7. Brindle and white steer, LYON near ribs

8. Red steer, white spots, LYON near ribs

9. Red steer, LYON near ribs

10. Yellow cow, indescribable brand off neck, white spots, slit in both ears

11. Red steer, DB off side

12. Red and white cow, indescribable brand off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

S. P. KEAM,  
Poundkeeper.

13s.

**L**EXTON.—Impounded at Lexton, by Mr. T. Griffiths.—Damages £1.

13. Dark brown mare, like O off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

S. P. KEAM,  
Poundkeeper.

7s. 6d.

**M**ELIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at Melivor Creek, 6th January, 1858, by Geo. Baynton, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

13. Grey horse, switch tail, saddle marked, like S near shoulder AC

14. Bay horse, black points, short switch tail, 4 near shoulder, 15

like TI off shoulder

15. Chesnut mare, long tail, T near shoulder, like I off shoulder

16. Chesnut filly, progeny of above, no visible brand

17. Bay mare, long tail, black points, T near shoulder, like I off shoulder

18. Bay filly, progeny of above, no visible brand

19. Bay mare, long tail, black points, like I near back, like diamond near rump, 22 off back

20. Bay foal, progeny of above, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

C. H. NIMMO,  
Poundkeeper.

13s. 6d.

**M**ALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury Pound, 6th January, 1858, by H. Moore, Esq.—Trespass damages 8s.

72. Bay horse, S in circle off shoulder, broad arrow near shoulder

On 7th January.—Damages 8s.

73. White horse, speckled face, JP near shoulder, JJ under mane off neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

E. P. RAINY,  
Poundkeeper.

9s.

**M**ELBOURNE.—Impounded at Melbourne, 6th January, 1858, by Constable Collier, for trespass.

50. White poley heifer, red ears,  $\overset{m}{\curvearrowright}$  near shoulder

51. Red and white young bull, star

On 11th January, by Mr. Whittaker, for trespass.

60. Bay horse, draught, cut, saddle marked, a few grey hairs on forehead, white on hind coronets, enlargement of hind fetlock, lately blistered, J near shoulder, MP near ribs, in low condition

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

I. BYRNE,  
Poundkeeper.

10s.

**M**ORANG.—Impounded at Morang, 5th January, 1858, by Mr. Bolland.—Trespass 10s.

18. Red cow, cock horns, R near rump, like blotch off rump

On 6th January, by Mr. Cottle.—Trespass 1s. each.

19. Brindle or dark red bullock, snail horns,  $\overset{m}{\curvearrowright}$  near shoulder,  $\overset{D}{\curvearrowright}$  conjoined  $\overset{DI}{\curvearrowright}$

(the top of the bottom I enclosed in small circle)

20. Red bullock, IB conjoined (writing 1) near ribs,  $\overset{I}{\curvearrowright}$  off loin, JR conjoined off thigh, F off rump

By Mr. McClean.—Trespass 10s.

21. Red cow, hoop horns, white belly, tail and rump, like TF off rump C

On 7th January, by Mr. Turner.

22. Black bullock, near horn off, belly and hind feet white, R near rump, like 15 near thigh, JHS near ribs, PT off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOSEPH HUTCHINSON,  
Poundkeeper.

14s. 6d.

**M**ORANG.—Impounded at Morang, 8th January, 1858, by George Sherwin, Esq., J.P.

23. Bay mare, black points, long switch tail, O and two white spots on near shoulder

24. Light bay horse, black points, long tail, headstall on, RII near shoulder, 5 off shoulder.—Trespass 1s. each.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOSEPH HUTCHINSON,  
Poundkeeper.

8s.

**M**URCHISON.—Impounded at Murchison, 4th January, 1858, by Mr. Stewart.—Trespass 1s. each.

11. Yellow sided bullock  $\overset{M}{\curvearrowright}$  off rump, MJM off back 3

By Mr. Manley.

12. Red sided bullock, cock horns, grey face, SP near ribs, blotch off rump

13. Black stag, diamond off neck, blotch near ribs

14. Red cow, B near back,  $\overset{M}{\curvearrowright}$  off ribs, MC off shoulder

15. Red and white spotted cow, JII off rump

16. Red heifer, progeny of 15

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

N. R. DUNCOMBE BOND,  
Poundkeeper.

11s.

#### NOTICE.

**M**URCHISON.—No. 619, in *Government Gazette*, 27th November, 1857, described as  $\overset{JK}{\curvearrowright}$  near shoulder, has also H near thigh.

No. 658, in *Government Gazette*, 11th December, bay horse, blaze, near fore and two hind feet white, short tail, top off off ear, blind off eye, has  $\overset{G}{\curvearrowright}$  instead of W near shoulder, and will not be sold until 3rd February, 1858.

N. R. DUNCOMBE BOND,  
Poundkeeper.

8s. 6d.

**SKIPTON.**—Impounded at Skipton, by Mr. Hunt.

385. Dark chesnut mare, blaze, off fore coronet white, blotch writing T in circle near shoulder, had on bell and hobbles

386. Grey mare, long tail, OI near cheek, 4 near shoulder

387. Grey horse, collar and saddle marked, A+W near neck,

AAy near shoulder, illegible brand off shoulder, like  
 UP conjoined off neck

By Philip Russell, Esq.

388. Flea bitten grey mare, collar and saddle marked, I near cheek, C near shoulder like u

389. Chesnut mare, saddle marked, JC near shoulder

390. Dark brown mare, small star and snip, near hind foot white, AM near shoulder

391. Dark brown horse, saddle marked, E near shoulder, CT writing TT CT off neck

392. Bay mare, long tail, collar marked, JC near shoulder 2 off shoulder

393. Chesnut mare, blaze, switch tail, JR conjoined near shoulder

394. Bay mare, blaze, little white on hind feet, 329 near neck, RLC near shoulder

395. Bay filly, star and snip, hind foot white, qG conjoined near shoulder, like writing A or ∞ near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

W. G.,  
 For JOHN SANDERS,  
 Poundkeeper.

22s.

**SOMERTON.**—Impounded at Somerton, 8th January, 1858, by P. McKillop, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

19. Brown bullock, wide cock horns, bald face, both ears cut, C off shoulder, TH off ribs, C off rump

20. Red and white sheeted bullock, hoop horns, off ear slit, incision in jaw, blotch over G off ribs

21. Yellow sided bullock, off horn broken short, near horn snail, spur brand near shoulder, W+B near rump, JB (tail of J to right) off rump

22. White and red sheeted cow, wide up horns, bunt tail, cut throat, WV (the V conjoined) off ribs

23. Red cow, cock horns, WV (the V conjoined) off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

I. HEWITT,  
 Poundkeeper.

13s. 6d.

**SOUTH GEELONG.**—Impounded at South Geelong Pound, by Joseph Taylor.—Trespass 1s.

22. Black bullock, white on back, heart off ribs, top off near ear

By J. Murphy.—Trespass £1.

23. Strawberry cow, red neck and head, white on face, cock horns, piece of hide on neck, like < off shoulder, like FW near rump, three teats, slit in off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

H. P. WALLACE,  
 Poundkeeper.

9s. 6d.

**SUGAR LOAF CREEK.**—Impounded at Sugar Loaf Creek, by Mr. Boyd.

925. Bay mare, white face, two hind feet white, saddle and collar marked, E near shoulder, H off shoulder

926. Brown mare, J m near shoulder, B2 near thigh

927. Brown mare, star, little white off hind foot, J m near shoulder, B 2 near shoulder

928. Black mare, ace of clubs near rump, B2 off shoulder

929. White flea bitten mare, like D1 near shoulder, IL near back, HH conjoined off shoulder, scar on rump

930. Bay horse, two hind feet white, saddle and collar marked, TD near shoulder, heart off shoulder

931. Brown mare, star, off hind fetlock white, foal at foot, ace of clubs near rump, R reversed off shoulder

932. Bay mare, foal at foot, ace of clubs near rump, B off shoulder

933. Bay mare, black points, foal at foot, T near shoulder, ace of clubs near rump

934. Bay horse, near hind foot white, star and snip, illegible near shoulder, ace of clubs near rump

935. Bay horse, ace of clubs near rump, R reversed off shoulder

936. Black cob horse, JY near shoulder

937. Brown mare, bang tail, shod, HI near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

J. M. FERRELL,  
 Poundkeeper.

17s. 6d.

**SUGAR LOAF CREEK.**—Impounded at Sugar Loaf Creek, by Mr. Campble.

938. Bay mare, small star, 2 near shoulder, D reversed near rump, W off shoulder

By Mr. Boyd.

939. Iron grey mare, E conjoined off shoulder

940. Iron grey mare, white stripe down face, no visible brands

941. Iron grey mare, blaze face, JB conjoined near shoulder

942. Bay mare, qP conjoined off shoulder

943. Bay mare, star and stripe, like RB off shoulder (the R reversed)

944. Bay horse, star, near fore and off hind foot white, blotch near shoulder

945. Bay mare, JB conjoined near shoulder

946. Bay mare, black points, star, JB conjoined near shoulder

947. Bay horse, JB conjoined near shoulder

948. Black mare, blaze face, off hind fetlock white, H with blotch over near shoulder

949. Roan mare, star, little white near hind foot, B off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

J. M. FERRELL,  
 Poundkeeper.

15s.

**NOTICE.**

**SUGAR LOAF CREEK.**—904. Brown horse, advertised in *Gazette*, 21st December, should have Z under JHC conjoined off shoulder, and like anchor brand near shoulder, and will not be sold until 3rd February.

J. M. FERRELL,  
 Poundkeeper.

Sugar Loaf Creek,  
 9th January, 1858.

7s. 6d.

**WARRNAMBOOL.**—Impounded at Warrnambool, 28th December, 1857, by Mr. John Thistlethwaite.

1. Brindle sided and speckled bullock, blind off eye, MC off rump, S near shoulder, like CC near ribs, and other illegible brands

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

T. BEST,  
 Poundkeeper.

7s. 6d.

**WARRANTYTE.**—Impounded at Warrantyte, Anderson's Creek, 5th January, 1858, by Thos. Cunningham.—Damages £10.

26. Bay entire colt, black points, GH off side neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOHN HUTCHINSON,  
 Poundkeeper.

7s.

**WARRANTYTE.**—Impounded at Warrantyte, Anderson's Creek, 9th January, 1858, by Mr. R. Wilson.

35. Bay mare, star, black points, long switch tail, scar on point of near shoulder, WT near shoulder—Trespass 10s.

36. Brown and grey entire horse, little white on hind fetlocks, off fore leg deformed, H near side neck, shod, rope on neck—Extra damages £10.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

JOHN HUTCHINSON,  
 Poundkeeper.

8s. 6d.

**WATTLE CREEK.**—Impounded at Wattle Creek, 3rd January, 1858, by A. M. Campbell, Esq.—Trespass 1s. per head.

1. Bay mare, long tail, off hind foot white, star and snip, WM near shoulder

2. Chesnut foal, three white legs, white face, no brand, progeny of No. 1

3. Black mare, near fore foot white, collar marked, 4 near shoulder, like J(C) or 5(C) (imperfect) off shoulder, Y

above, switch tail

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1858.

A. BARKER,  
 Poundkeeper.

10s. 6d.

## NOTICE.

**WATTLE CREEK.**—No. 475, advertised in *Gazette* of the 14th December, should have been white snaily bullock, like GU near back,  $\square$  in circle near ribs, II in circle near rump, heart off rump, slope off back right ear. Will not be sold until 3rd February, 1858.

A. BARKER,  
Poundkeeper.  
7s. 6d.

5th January, 1858.

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