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THE ISLAND OF MAURITIUS DECLARED INFECTED.

PROCLAMATION

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

HEREAS information has been received by the Government that the disease called Cholera is prevalent in the Island of Mauritius: Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, the Governor of Victoria, in exercise of the power vested in me in this behalf, do, with the advice of the Executive Council, by this my Proclamation, notify that the Island of Mauritius is infected with the disease called Cholera, and that it is probable such disease may be brought from the said place to this Colony: And with the advice aforesaid I do order and direct that no ships or vessels arriving in Port Phillip Bay from or having touched at Mauritius aforesaid shall be permitted to preceed to their destinations in Port Phillip Bay aforesaid, and that no person or persons shall be allowed to land from such ships or vessels, until the permission of the Health Officer at the Heads shall have been first duly obtained.

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

HENRY BARKLY.

By His Excellency's Command, WILLIAM NICHOLSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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