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Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 22nd December, 1860.
PUBLICATION OF THE "GOVERNMENT GAZETTE."
IT is hereby notified that the *Government Gazette* will be published on
WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF JANUARY, 1861,
instead of Tuesday, the 1st of January.

By His Excellency's Command,
RICHARD HEALES.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1860.
**CLAIMS AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE
AND CUSTOMS.**

ALL persons having claims against this department for the current year are particularly requested to send in their accounts as early as possible, otherwise delay may be occasioned in their liquidation.

ROBERT S. ANDERSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Public Works,
Melbourne, 19th December, 1860.
**CLAIMS AGAINST THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
WORKS.**

ALL persons having claims against this department for the current year are requested to apply for payment of the same without delay.

J. S. JOHNSTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1860.
**CLAIMS AGAINST THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S
DEPARTMENT.**

IT is particularly requested that all claims for the current year against this department may be forwarded to these offices without delay.

Officers of the department are required to exert themselves to comply with the above request.

By Order of the Attorney General,
A. W. CHOMLEY,
Chief Clerk.

Sheriff's Office,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1860.
**CLAIMS AGAINST THE DEPARTMENTS OF
SHERIFF AND GAOLS.**

ALL persons having claims against the above departments for services performed or articles supplied during the current year, are requested to render their accounts now due, immediately; and for the present month, as early as possible in the month of January next.

CLAUD FARIE,
Sheriff.

Office of the Commissioner of Mines,
Queen street, Melbourne, 15th December, 1860.
CORRESPONDENCE ON MINING AFFAIRS.

IT is requested that all letters and correspondence from persons desirous of communicating with the Government on mining affairs may be addressed to the Commissioner of Mines.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

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Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1860.

**LICENSES TO DISTIL SPIRITS FOR CHEMICAL
AND OTHER PURPOSES.**
HOLDERS of Licenses to distil spirits for chemical or other purposes are hereby informed that it will be necessary for them to obtain renewals of their respective licenses at the expiration of the current year, in accordance with the provisions of the 21st clause of the Act 13 Victoria No. 26.

ROBERT S. ANDERSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1860.
TERRITORIAL MAGISTRATE.
THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the name of the undermentioned gentleman, viz.:-

EDWARD CAREY DUNN, Esquire, Skene street, Geelong,
to be added to the Roll of Magistrates for the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. D. IRELAND.

L.O.6723.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1860.
TERRITORIAL MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the name of the undermentioned gentleman, viz.:-

JOHN HENDERSON, Esquire, M.L.A., Carlton Lodge, Lygon street, Carlton,
to be added to the Roll of Magistrates for the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. D. IRELAND.

L.O.6453.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1860.
CITY MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the name of the undermentioned gentleman, viz.:-

JOHN HENDERSON, Esquire, M.L.A., Carlton Lodge, Lygon street, Carlton,
to be added to the Roll of Magistrates for the City of Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. D. IRELAND.

L.O.6453.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1860.
VICTORIA VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Victoria Volunteer Rifle Corps:-

Lieutenant GEORGE WRIGHT
to be Captain of the Geelong Volunteer Rifle Corps.

E. T. HARPER, Esquire,
H. C. EASTWOOD, Esquire, and
JAMES SKENE, Esquire,
to be Captains of the Sandhurst Volunteer Rifle Corps.

EDWARD HUNT, Esquire, M.D.,
to be Assistant Surgeon of the Sandhurst Volunteer Rifle Corps.

JOHN DE LA ROCHE BRAGGE, Esquire, M.R.C.S.,
to be Assistant Surgeon of the Hawthorn and Kew Company of Volunteer Rifles.

By His Excellency's Command,
GEO. VERDON,
Treasurer.

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Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1860.
CORRESPONDENTS OF THE CENTRAL ABORIGINAL
BOARD.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Honorary Correspondents of the Central Board for watching over the interests of the Aborigines, viz.:-

ROBERT D. SCOTT, Esquire, Camperdown,
WILLIAM FERGUSSON, Esquire, Camperdown.

By His Excellency's Command,
L.&S.8825. J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 17th day of December, 1860, to approve of the appointment of

WILLIAM MILLER,
WILLIAM ANDERSON,
PATRICK CURTIN,
GEORGE PEGLAR, and
ALEXANDER CALDER,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart at Smeaton as a site for a Racecourse and for other purposes of public recreation.

By His Excellency's Command,
L.&S.8631. J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1860.

SALE (No. 45) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
AT SMYTHESDALE, ON WEDNESDAY, 9TH JANU-
ARY, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 7th December instant, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Smythesdale on the 9th January next: Notice is hereby given that lot 34 has been withdrawn from sale.

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1860.

SALE (No. 30) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
AT BALLAARAT, ON THURSDAY, 3RD JANUARY,
1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 4th December instant, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Ballarat on 3rd January, 1861: Notice is hereby given that lot 25 has been withdrawn from sale.

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

REGISTRAR GENERAL'S REPORT OF THE VITAL STATISTICS OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS DURING
THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

ACTUAL Daily Mortality of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age in the Statistical District of Melbourne and suburbs, embracing a radius of ten miles, and including the Statistical Sub-districts of Melbourne Proper, East Melbourne, North Melbourne and Carlton, Fitz Roy Municipality, East Collingwood, Richmond, Jika-jika parish (exclusive of North Melbourne, Collingwood, and Richmond), South Yarra and Prahran, Emerald Hill and Sandridge, St. Kilda and Brighton, Doutta Galla and Keilor, and the shipping in Hobson's Bay; also, the Temperature in the shade at Melbourne, deduced from the mean of twenty-four hourly observations taken at the Flagstaff Observatory on each day during the month of November, 1860:—

DAY OF THE MONTH.	BOTH SEXES.			MALES.			FEMALES.			MEAN TEMPERATURE IN MELBOURNE.
	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	
1	11	2	13	10	2	12	1	...	1	61.1
2	15	5	20	8	3	11	7	2	9	71.1
3	14	6	20	10	4	14	4	2	6	62.6
4	12	4	16	5	2	7	7	2	9	56.1
5	9	3	12	7	1	8	2	2	4	55.4
6	14	7	21	6	2	8	8	5	13	55.9
7	11	2	13	7	2	9	4	...	4	57.4
8	12	2	14	6	1	7	6	1	7	61.9
9	16	5	21	9	2	11	7	3	10	64.4
10	15	3	18	6	2	8	9	1	10	56.8
11	9	7	16	3	4	7	6	3	9	49.7
12	8	3	11	5	3	8	3	3	3	52.8
13	13	4	17	8	2	10	5	2	7	56.1
14	17	3	20	5	2	7	12	1	13	56.5
15	11	8	19	5	6	11	6	2	8	59.6
16	9	3	12	7	3	10	2	...	2	59.5
17	8	5	13	3	2	5	5	3	8	62.3
18	17	6	23	8	6	14	9	...	9	64.3
19	17	6	23	9	2	11	8	4	12	63.4
20	14	5	19	6	3	9	8	2	10	60.7
21	14	7	21	11	4	15	3	3	6	65.1
22	13	4	17	5	3	8	8	1	9	74.5
23	13	6	19	9	2	11	4	4	8	67.7
24	12	3	15	8	3	11	4	...	4	57.2
25	11	4	15	6	1	7	5	3	8	57.3
26	5	5	10	3	3	6	2	2	4	57.3
27	11	3	14	5	...	5	6	3	9	59.3
28	10	5	15	1	3	4	9	2	11	59.6
29	8	1	9	4	1	5	4	...	4	63.1
30	5	2	7	3	1	4	2	1	3	67.1
Totals	354	129	483	188	75	263	166	54	220	Mean of the month.
Daily average	11.80	4.30	16.10	6.27	2.50	8.77	5.53	1.80	7.33	60.5

The deaths of all ages in Melbourne and suburbs during the month of November numbered 483, or a daily average of 16.10. This is a higher rate of mortality than has hitherto been recorded in this department as having occurred during any one month. In October the deaths numbered 362, or 11.68 daily, and in the month of November, 1859, they numbered only 271, or 9.1 daily. The increase in November was therefore upwards of 35 per cent. upon the rate for the previous month, and about 78 per cent. upon that for the same month, last year.

The mean temperature of the month in the shade, was 60.5°, against 56.7°, for October, and against 61.0° for the month of November, 1859. The hottest days were the 9th and the 22nd, on the former of which at 1 p.m., and on the latter at 3 p.m., the thermometer had attained a maximum of 85.9°. The lowest temperature (41.6°) was experienced at 5 a.m. on the 11th. The greatest daily range of temperature (34.0°) was on the 9th, from a maximum of 85.9° to a minimum of 51.9°, and the least (10.6°) on the 7th, from a maximum of 63.8° to a minimum of 53.2°. The range between the highest and the lowest of the month was 41.3°, and the mean daily range 19.5°. The barometer reached its highest point during the month (30.268 in.) at 8 a.m. on the 1st, and its lowest (29.503 in.) at noon on the 23rd, the mean atmospheric pressure of the month being 29.83 in., and the range 7.65 in.

For the first four weeks in November the mean temperature, number of deaths, and daily average of mortality were as follow:—

	Mean Temperature.	Number of Deaths.	Daily Mortality.
First week	59.9°	115	16.4
Second week	56.9°	117	16.7
Third week	62.9°	130	18.6
Fourth week	61.8°	105	15.0

Of the total number of 483 deaths which occurred during the month, 263, or about 54 per cent., were of males, and 220, or 46 per cent., of females: 354 of those dying, or no less than 73 per cent., were under 5 years of age, leaving only 129 or 27 per cent. above that age. In spite of the great increase in the total mortality as compared with that which obtained in October, that augmentation has been entirely confined to children under 5 years of age, deaths of these having increased from 223 or 71.9 a day in October, to 354 or 11.80 a day in November. During the same period, deaths of persons over 5 years of age positively diminished in numbers, only 129, or 4.30 a day, having occurred in November, against 139, or 4.43 a day, in October.

The days of greatest mortality were the 18th and 19th, on each of which 23 deaths occurred. Twenty-one persons also died on the 6th, 9th, and 21st; twenty on the 2nd, 3rd, and 14th; and nineteen on the 15th, 20th, and 23rd. During October, the greatest number dying on any one day was 21, and during November, 1859, it was 15.

In the Melbourne Hospital, during the month, 31 deaths occurred; in the Benevolent Asylum, 6; in the Lying-in Hospital 1; in the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylum, 4; in the Immigrants' Home, 12; in the Spencer street Barracks, 11; and in the Prince's Bridge Barracks, 1; making a total in public institutions of 66, or nearly 14 per cent. of the whole number occurring.

The following table shows the number of persons of all ages at the time of last census, the number of deaths of persons under and over five years of age, and the daily average of deaths at all ages during the month of November, in the Statistical District of Melbourne and suburbs, and in each of the sub-districts of which it is composed:—

Sub-districts.	Number of Persons of all ages in each sub-district on 29th March, 1857.	Deaths of both sexes during November, 1860.			
		Under five years.	Over five years.	Totals of all ages.	Daily average number of deaths at all ages.
Melbourne Proper	26,143	74	43	117	3.90
East Melbourne	1,039	1	1	2	.07
North Melbourne and Carlton	12,196	52	13	65	2.17
Fitz Roy Municipality	10,607	45	11	56	1.87
East Collingwood	10,790	36	11	47	1.57
Richmond	9,030	43	9	52	1.73
Jika-jika parish (remainder of)	6,138	6	6	12	.40
South Yarra and Prahran	10,498	17	10	27	.90
Emerald Hill and Sandridge	8,514	46	15	61	2.03
St. Kilda and Brighton	7,495	10	4	14	.47
Doutta Galla and Keilor	2,936	6	2	8	0.27
Boroondara and Heidelberg	4,584	11	1	12	.40
Cut-paw-paw parish	4,466	7	2	9	.30
Shipping in Hobson's Bay	2,777	...	1	1	.03
Total Melbourne and suburbs ...	117,213	354	129	483	16.10

NOTE.—The population of Melbourne and suburbs, as shown by the census of 1857, is given as a guide to the probable relative proportions rather than to the actual numbers of the present inhabitants of the several sub-districts.

Of the 354 children under five years of age who died during the month, 183, or 53 per cent., were males, and 166, or 47 per cent., females: 150 were less than a year old, 111 between one and two years, 36 between two and three, 39 between three and four and 18 between four years and five.

Of the 129 deaths which occurred to persons above five years of age, 75, or 58 per cent., were of males, and 54, or 42 per cent., of females: 37 were between five years and ten, 6 between ten and fifteen, 4 between fifteen and twenty, 9 between twenty and twenty-five, 10 between twenty-five and thirty, 13 between thirty and thirty-five, 14 between thirty-five and forty, 8 between forty and forty-five, 9 between forty-five and fifty, 8 between fifty and fifty-five, 3 between fifty-five and sixty, 2 between sixty and sixty-five, 1 between sixty-five and seventy, 1 between seventy and seventy-five, 1 eighty years of age, and 1 unspecified.

The following table shows the causes of the deaths of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age, and the proportions per cent. of deaths from each cause, during the month of November:—

Causes of Death.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Proportions per cent.
1. Zymotic diseases	188	43	231	47.83
<i>Sporadic diseases:—</i>				
2. Of uncertain seat	48	8	56	11.59
3. Of nervous system	43	7	50	10.35
4. Of respiratory system	46	39	85	17.60
5. Of circulatory system ... ..	...	7	7	1.45
6. Of digestive organs	26	11	37	7.66
7. Of urinary organs ... ..	...	4	4	.83
8. Of generative organs ... ..	...	...	...	...
9. Of locomotive organs	1	1	2	.41
10. Of integumentary system	1	...	1	.21
11. Old age ... ..	...	...	...	...
12. External causes ... ..	...	7	7	1.45
Unspecified	1	2	3	.62
Totals	354	129	483	100.00

- I. Zymotic diseases.—Measles, 79; scarlatina, 64; whooping-cough, 11; diphtheria, 1; croup, 7; diarrhoea, 24; dysentery, 36; typhus fever, 7; syphilis, 2.
- II. Diseases of uncertain seat.—Hæmorrhage, 1; dropsy, 1; abscess, 2; mortification, 1; scrofula, 1; cancer, 3; atrophy, 12; debility, 33; malformation, 2.
- III. Diseases of the nervous system.—Cephalitis, 16; hydrocephalus, 4; apoplexy, 2; paralysis, 1; convulsions, 26; disease of the brain, 1.
- IV. Diseases of the respiratory system.—Laryngitis, 3; bronchitis, 19; pleurisy, 2; pneumonia, 34; phthisis, 27.
- V. Diseases of the circulatory system.—Endo-carditis, 1; aneurism, 1; disease of the heart, 5.
- VI. Diseases of the digestive organs.—Teething, 11; gastritis, 5; enteritis, 4; peritonitis, 1; tabes mesenterica, 7; ascites, 2; hernia, 1; colic, 1; hepatitis, 4; jaundice, 1.
- VII. Diseases of the urinary organs.—Nephritis, 2; stricture of the urethra, 1; disease of the kidneys, 1.
- IX. Diseases of the locomotive organs.—Rheumatism, 1; disease of the joints, 1.
- X. Diseases of the integumentary system.—Ulcer, 1.
- XII. External causes.—Drowning, 2; struck by lightning, 1; accidentally killed, 1; hanging (suicide), 1; injury of head and spine, 1; manslaughter (manner undescribed), 1; lunatic in the Yarra Bend Asylum.

Deaths from zymotic diseases, which numbered 177 in the previous month, increased to 231 in the month under review, but their proportions to the total decreased in the same period about 1 per cent. Scarlatina and measles still remained very high in the latter month, both showing a slight increase upon the former one. Dysentery increased from 6 to 36, and diarrhoea from 8 to 24 fatal cases. Diphtheria decreased from 11 fatal cases to 1. About the average number of deaths occurred from whooping-cough, croup, and fever.

It is worth noticing that not one death from measles, and but 5 from scarlatina, were recorded as occurring to persons above 10 years of age; also that 13 of the deaths from measles and 5 of those from scarlatina were of children under 1 year.

Deaths from sporadic diseases of uncertain seat, and of the nervous and respiratory systems, all increased in numbers in November, but maintained nearly the same proportions to the total as during the previous month. Diseases of the digestive organs showed an increase from 16 to 37 deaths, which augmented their proportion to the total from 4.42 to 7.66 per cent. Deaths from other classes of sporadic diseases being but few in numbers in both October and November, did not much affect the proportions in either of those months.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1860.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 26th November, 1860.
**LAND PROPOSED TO BE PERMANENTLY
RESERVED.**

IN compliance with the terms of the 4th section of the Act of Parliament 24 Victoria No. 117, it is hereby notified that it is intended permanently to reserve from sale the land hereinafter described for the purpose of extending the area of the reservoir for water in connection with the municipal district of Ararat, subject to the conditions that the municipal council of Ararat shall not interfere with the water-shed above the reservoir, and that compensation be made by the said municipal council to parties in legal occupation of the land required for the proposed reservoir at the date of this notification.

It is also hereby notified that the Governor in Council has, in the meantime temporarily reserved such land from sale under the power in that behalf contained in the 3rd section of the said Act, and has also exempted the said land from mining operations within the meaning of the 4th section of the Gold Fields Act 21 Victoria No. 32.

DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND ABOVE REFERRED TO.—County of Ripon, parish of Ararat, Eleven acres one rood sixteen perches: Commencing at a point on the west side of Vincent street, bearing south 29 degrees 45 minutes west two chains one and a half links from the north-west angle of allotment 4 section 3, township of Ararat; bounded on the south by a line bearing west thirteen chains forty links; on the west by a line bearing north 8 chains 47 links; on the north by a line bearing east thirteen chains forty links; and on the east by a line being a prolongation of the west side of Vincent street bearing south eight chains forty-seven links to the point of commencement.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. F. A. GREEVES.

L.S.5597.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 24th December, 1860.

MINING LEASES.

THE Mining Leases, of which the dates and terms, with the lessees' names, extent of ground leased, and annual rent reserved, are as undermentioned, have, since the 30th ultimo, been forwarded to the wardens' offices at the places respectively named, for execution by and issue to the said lessees.

FRYER'S CREEK.
74. 6th December, 1860; 3 years; J. Gaitskell, M. Davidson, J. Walker, W. Braithwaite, J. Davidson; 10 acres; £50.

AMHERST.
79. 6th December, 1860; 10 years; E. Mark, M. J. Samuels; 22a. 3r. 16p.; £114 5s.

SANDHURST.
39. 6th December, 1860; 7 years; T. Harker, N. Harker, J. White, J. P. Motteram, D. Grove; 7a. 2r. 35p.; £38 12s.
263. 6th December, 1860; 10 years; C. I. Corrie, J. Lester, J. Skelton, J. Collis, W. Collis; 2 acres; £10.
280. 6th December, 1860; 10 years; A. Stephens, E. Hunt; 3a. 2r. 22p.; £18 4s.
272. 6th December, 1860; 10 years; J. Garrick, J. Doucherty; 3a. 2r. 22p.; £18 4s.

BALLAARAT.
185. 6th December, 1860; 10 years; J. Lyle, J. Fleming; 56a. 0r. 16p.; £45.

SMYTHESDALE.
191. 6th December, 1860; 7 years; M. Johnston, E. Warne, G. Rand; 10a. 1r. 12p.; £15.
193. 6th December, 1860; 3 years; J. Page, J. Telford, H. Cameron, Thos. Whitelaw; 43a. 0r. 11p.; £215 7s.

J. B. HUMFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

CROWN Lands have been offered in previous numbers of the Gazette for sale and selection at the places mentioned below, viz. :—

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Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 66) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
AT CRESWICK, ON 28TH JANUARY, 1861.**

To be conducted by the POLICE MAGISTRATE.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by an Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, the Board of Land and Works do hereby give notice that a public auction will be held at Eleven o'clock of Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January next, at the Court House, Creswick, for the sale of Special Lands in fee simple.

Such lands will be offered in the lots hereinafter specified, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, and will be sold in fee simple.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and the residue of such price must be paid within one month from that time.

SPECIAL LANDS.

CRESWICK, COUNTY OF TALBOT.

Upset price for unimproved lots 25*l.* per acre, and with improvements attached 50*l.* per acre.

Lot 1. Allotment 1, section A, 1r. Improvements valued at 210 <i>l.</i>	Lot 10. Allotment 1, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 40 <i>l.</i>
Lot 2. Allotment 2, section A, 1r. Improvements valued at 185 <i>l.</i>	Lot 11. Allotment 2, section 27, 1r.
Lot 3. Allotments 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, section 7, 1a. 3r. 33p. Improvements valued at 2660 <i>l.</i>	Lot 12. Allotment 3, section 27, 1r.
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Lot 7. Allotment 16, section 16, 1r. 1.9-10p.	Lot 16. Allotment 7, section 27, 1r.
Lot 8. Allotment 5, section 19, 1r. Improvements valued at 25 <i>l.</i>	Lot 17. Allotment 8, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 30 <i>l.</i>
Lot 9. Allotment 11, section 20, 1r. Improvements valued at 180 <i>l.</i>	Lot 18. Allotment 9, section 27, 1r.
Lot 10. Allotment 1, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 40 <i>l.</i>	Lot 19. Allotment 10, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 150 <i>l.</i>
Lot 11. Allotment 2, section 27, 1r.	Lot 20. Allotment 11, section 27, 1r.
Lot 12. Allotment 3, section 27, 1r.	Lot 21. Allotment 1, section 28, 1r.
Lot 13. Allotment 4, section 27, 1r.	Lot 22. Allotment 2, section 28, 1r.
Lot 14. Allotment 5, section 27, 1r.	Lot 23. Allotment 3, section 28, 1r.
Lot 15. Allotment 6, section 27, 1r.	Lot 24. Allotment 4, section 28, 1r.
Lot 16. Allotment 7, section 27, 1r.	Lot 25. Allotment 5, section 28, 1r.
Lot 17. Allotment 8, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 30 <i>l.</i>	Lot 26. Allotment 6, section 28, 1r.
Lot 18. Allotment 9, section 27, 1r.	Lot 27. Allotment 7, section 28, 1r.
Lot 19. Allotment 10, section 27, 1r. Improvements valued at 150 <i>l.</i>	Lot 28. Allotment 8, section 28, 1r. Improvements valued at 70 <i>l.</i>
Lot 20. Allotment 11, section 27, 1r.	Lot 29. Allotment 9, section 28, 1r.
Lot 21. Allotment 1, section 28, 1r.	Lot 30. Allotment 10, section 28, 38p.
Lot 22. Allotment 2, section 28, 1r.	Lot 31. Allotment 11, section 28, 38 5-10p.
Lot 23. Allotment 3, section 28, 1r.	Lot 32. Allotment 1, section 29, 1r. 6 4-10p.
Lot 24. Allotment 4, section 28, 1r.	Lot 33. Allotment 2, section 29, 1r. 5p.
Lot 25. Allotment 5, section 28, 1r.	Lot 34. Allotment 3, section 29, 1r. 4 5-10p.
Lot 26. Allotment 6, section 28, 1r.	Lot 35. Allotment 4, section 29, 1r. 3 8-10p.
Lot 27. Allotment 7, section 28, 1r.	Lot 36. Allotment 5, section 29, 1r. 3 2-10p.
Lot 28. Allotment 8, section 28, 1r. Improvements valued at 70 <i>l.</i>	
Lot 29. Allotment 9, section 28, 1r.	
Lot 30. Allotment 10, section 28, 38p.	
Lot 31. Allotment 11, section 28, 38 5-10p.	
Lot 32. Allotment 1, section 29, 1r. 6 4-10p.	
Lot 33. Allotment 2, section 29, 1r. 5p.	
Lot 34. Allotment 3, section 29, 1r. 4 5-10p.	
Lot 35. Allotment 4, section 29, 1r. 3 8-10p.	
Lot 36. Allotment 5, section 29, 1r. 3 2-10p.	

- Lot 37. Allotment 6, section 29, 1r. 2 5-10p.
 Lot 38. Allotment 7, section 29, 1r. 2p.
 Lot 39. Allotment 8, section 29, 1r. 1 3-10p. Improvements valued at 50l.
 Lot 40. Allotment 9, section 29, 1r. 6-10p.
 Lot 41. Allotment 10, section 25, 36 3-10p.
 Lot 42. Allotment 11, section 29, 36 1-10p.
 Lot 43. Allotment 1, section 30, 1r.
 Lot 44. Allotment 2, section 30, 1r.
 Lot 45. Allotment 3, section 30, 1r.
 Lot 46. Allotment 4, section 30, 1r.
 Lot 47. Allotment 5, section 30, 1r.
 Lot 48. Allotment 1, section 31, 1r. Improvements valued at 300l.
 Lot 49. Allotment 2, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 50. Allotment 3, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 51. Allotment 4, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 52. Allotment 5, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 53. Allotment 6, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 54. Allotment 7, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 55. Allotment 8, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 56. Allotment 9, section 31, 1r.
 Lot 57. Allotment 10, section 31, 35 6-10p.
 Lot 58. Allotment 11, section 34, 35 6-10p. Improvements valued at 50l.
 Lot 59. Allotment 1, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 60. Allotment 2, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 61. Allotment 3, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 62. Allotment 4, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 63. Allotment 5, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 64. Allotment 6, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 65. Allotment 7, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 66. Allotment 8, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 67. Allotment 9, section 32, 1r.
 Lot 68. Allotment 10, section 32, 35 6-10p.
 Lot 69. Allotment 11, section 32, 35 6-10p.
 Lot 70. Allotment 1, section 33, 33 3-10p.
 Lot 71. Allotment 2, section 33, 29 7-10p.
 Lot 72. Allotment 3, section 33, 35 9-10p.

J. H. BROOKE,
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
 Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 67) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
 AT KYNETON, ON 29TH JANUARY, 1861.**

To be conducted by W. LAVENDER, Esq., Police Magistrate.

IN pursuance of the forty-eighth section of the Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, the Board of Land and Works do hereby give notice that a public auction will be holden at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of January next, at the Court House, Kyneton, for the sale of Special Lands in fee simple.

Such lands will be offered in the lots hereinafter specified, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, and will be sold in fee simple.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and the residue of such price must be paid within one month from that time.

SPECIAL LANDS.

KYNETON, COUNTY OF DALHOUSIE.

Upset price 50l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Town allotment 2, section 37, 1r.
 Lot 2. Town allotment 3, section 37, 1r.
 Lot 3. Town allotment 5, section 38, 1r.
 Lot 4. Town allotment 6, section 38, 1r.
 Lot 5. Town allotment 7, section 38, 1r.

TYLDEN, COUNTY OF DALHOUSIE.

Situated about seven miles southerly from Kyneton.

Upset price 8l. per acre.

- Lot 6. Town allotment 8, section 2, 1r.
 Lot 7. Town allotment 13, section 2, 1r.
 Lot 8. Town allotment 16, section 2, 1r.
 Lot 9. Town allotment 18, section 2, 1r.

COUNTY OF DALHOUSIE, PARISH OF NEWHAM.

Situated from four to six miles easterly from the township of Woodend.

Upset price, with two exceptions, 1l. per acre.

- Lot 10. Portion 10, section 2, 87a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 11. Portion 10 A, section 2, 87a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 12. Portion 23, section 2, 47a. 3r. 23p.
 Lot 13. Portion 23 A, section 2, 28a. 1r. 10p. Improvements valued at 165l. Upset price 2l. per acre.
 Lot 14. Portion 24, section 2, 58a. 2r. 28p. Improvements valued at 2680l. Upset price 2l. per acre.
 Lot 15. Portion 24 A, section 2, 50a. 2r. 38p.
 Lot 16. Portion 25, section 2, 69a. 1r. 16p.
 Lot 17. Portion 26, section 2, 100a. 3r. 12p.
 Lot 18. Portion 27, section 2, 83a. 1r. 7p.
 Lot 19. Portion 28, section 2, 60a. 2r. 12p.

COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF NEWHAM.

Situated as above described.

Upset price 1l. per acre.

- Lot 20. Portion 1, section 4, 112a. 1r. 38p.
 Lot 21. Portion 2, section 4, 81a. 2r. 34p.
 Lot 22. Portion 3, section 4, 100a. 0r. 31p.

J. H. BROOKE,
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
 Melbourne.

No. 168.—DECEMBER 26, 1860.—2.

**SALE (No. 68) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
 AT PALMERSTON, GIPPS LAND, ON 29TH JANUARY, 1861.**

To be conducted by the POLICE MAGISTRATE.

IN pursuance of the forty-eighth section of the Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, the Board of Land and Works do hereby give notice that a public auction will be holden at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of January next, at the Court House, Palmerston, for the sale of Special Lands in fee simple.

Such lands will be offered in the lots hereinafter specified, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, and will be sold in fee simple.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and the residue of such price must be paid within one month from that time.

SPECIAL LANDS.

WOODSIDE, COUNTY UNNAMED.

Situated about twelve miles north-easterly from Palmerston.

Upset price 8l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Town allotment 1, section 8, 2r.
 Lot 2. Town allotment 2, section 8, 2r.
 Lot 3. Town allotment 3, section 8, 2r.
 Lot 4. Town allotment 4, section 8, 2r.
 Lot 5. Town allotment 5, section 8, 2r.
 Lot 6. Town allotment 6, section 9, 2r.
 Lot 7. Town allotment 7, section 9, 2r.
 Lot 8. Town allotment 8, section 9, 2r.
 Lot 9. Town allotment 9, section 9, 2r.
 Lot 10. Town allotment 10, section 9, 2r.
 Lot 11. Town allotment 4, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 12. Town allotment 5, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 13. Town allotment 6, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 14. Town allotment 10, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 15. Town allotment 11, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 16. Town allotment 12, section 10, 2r.
 Lot 17. Town allotment 1, section 12, 2r. 20p.
 Lot 18. Town allotment 2, section 12, 2r. 20p.
 Lot 19. Town allotment 3, section 12, 2r.
 Lot 20. Town allotment 4, section 12, 2r.
 Lot 21. Town allotment 5, section 12, 2r.
 Lot 22. Town allotment 6, section 12, 2r.
 Lot 23. Town allotment 7, section 12, 2r.

COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF WOODSIDE.

Situated to the north of the village of Bruthen.

Upset price 2l. and 2l. 10s. per acre.

- Lot 24. Suburban allotment 2, 10a. 1r. 24p.
 Lot 25. Suburban allotment 3, 10a. 1r. 24p.
 Lot 26. Suburban allotment 6, 14a. 2r. 9p.
 Lot 27. Suburban allotment 7, 14a. 2r. 9p.

(Situated to the east of the village of Bruthen.)

- Lot 28. Suburban allotment 2, 9a. 2r. 30p.
 Lot 29. Suburban allotment 3, 11a. 2r. 33p.
 Lot 30. Suburban allotment 4, 7a. 2r. 4p.
 Lot 31. Suburban allotment 24, 29a.
 Lot 32. Suburban allotment 25, 29a.
 Lot 33. Suburban allotment 28, 23a. 3r. 19p.

COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF BALLOONG.

Situated to the east of the village of Woodside.

Upset price 2l. per acre.

- Lot 34. Suburban allotment 1, 18a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 35. Suburban allotment 3, 18a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 36. Suburban allotment 5, 18a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 37. Suburban allotment 7, 18a. 2r. 28p.
 Lot 38. Suburban allotment 8, 20a. 0r. 25p.

J. H. BROOKE,
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
 Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 69) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE,
 AT TARADALE, ON 28TH JANUARY, 1861.**

To be conducted by the DISTRICT SURVEYOR.

IN pursuance of the forty-eighth section of the Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, the Board of Land and Works do hereby give notice that a public auction will be holden at Eleven o'clock of Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January next, at the Court House, Taradale, for the sale of Special Lands in fee simple.

Such lands will be offered in the lots hereinafter specified, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, and will be sold in fee simple.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and the residue of such price must be paid within one month from that time.

SPECIAL LANDS.

TARADALE, COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF ELPHINSTONE.

Upset price 25l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Town allotment 19, section 6, 32p.

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF ELPHINSTONE.
Situating on the main road from Melbourne to Mount Alexander,
between the townships of Taradale and Elphinstone.

Upset price 2l. 10s., 3l., and 4l. per acre.

- Lot 2. Suburban allotment 2, section 12, 10a.
Lot 3. Suburban allotment 3, section 12, 10a.
Lot 4. Suburban allotment 4, section 12, 9a. Or. 17p.
Lot 5. Suburban allotment 5, section 12, 9a. Or. 32p.
Lot 6. Suburban allotment 6, section 12, 9a. Or. 32p.
Lot 7. Suburban allotment 7, section 12, 9a. Or. 32p.
Lot 8. Suburban allotment 8, section 12, 9a. Or. 32a.
Lot 9. Suburban allotment 9, section 12, 10a.
Lot 10. Suburban allotment 10, section 12, 6a. 3r. 30p.
Lot 11. Suburban allotment 11, section 12, 8a. Or. 29p.
Lot 12. Suburban allotment 12, section 12, 9a. 1r.
Lot 13. Suburban allotment 13, section 12, 9a. 3r. 32p.
Lot 14. Suburban allotment 14, section 12, 9a. 1r. 30p.
Lot 15. Suburban allotment 15, section 12, 9a. 1r. 30p.
Lot 16. Suburban allotment 17, section 12, 4a. 3r. 25p.
Lot 17. Suburban allotment 18, section 12, 9a. 2r. 23p.
Lot 18. Suburban allotment 19, section 12, 8a. 3r. 15p.
Lot 19. Suburban allotment 20, section 12, 4a. 2r. 33p.
Lot 20. Suburban allotment 21, section 12, 4a. 2r.
Lot 21. Suburban allotment 22, section 12, 8a. 3r. 37p.
Lot 22. Suburban allotment 23, section 12, 9a. 2r. 17p.
Lot 23. Suburban allotment 24, section 12, 8a. 1r. 19p.
Lot 24. Suburban allotment 25, section 12, 9a. 3r. 11p.
Lot 25. Suburban allotment 26, section 12, 11a. 1r. 16p.
Lot 26. Suburban allotment 27, section 12, 11a. 2r. 9p.
Lot 27. Suburban allotment 28, section 12, 11a. Or. 27p.
Lot 28. Suburban allotment 29, section 12, 10a. 1r. 34p.
Lot 29. Suburban allotment 30, section 12, 9a. 2r. 37p.
Lot 30. Suburban allotment 31, section 12, 9a. 3r. 19p.
Lot 31. Suburban allotment 32, section 12, 9a. 2r. 3p.
Lot 32. Suburban allotment 33, section 12, 9a. 2r. 30p.
Lot 33. Suburban allotment 34, section 12, 3a. Or. 11p.
Lot 34. Suburban allotment 35, section 12, 3r. 32p.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1860.

LICENSE TO OCCUPY LAND, COMPRISING SALT LAKE, NEAR LAKE BOLOKE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF MANUFACTURING SALT.

THE Board of Land and Works hereby give notice that a license to occupy, for the term of seven years, Two hundred and fifty acres of land surrounding a Salt Lake, situated about 14 miles north-west of Lake Boloke, in the county of Ripon, will be submitted to public auction, at Twelve o'clock of Friday, the 18th day of January next, at the District Survey Office, Ararat, upon the following terms and conditions:—

Rent to be paid quarterly in advance, the first quarter's rent to be paid at the fall of the hammer. License to be forfeited upon the manufacturing of salt being discontinued during the period of twelve months, or on account of non-payment of rent.

Upset price £25 per lot.

Plans showing the position of the lake and adjoining land can be seen at the District Survey Office, Ararat, and the Public Lands Office, Melbourne.

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

COURTS.

HAWTHORN.

— PETTY SESSIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Petty Sessions will be held in Lynch's School-room, Power street, Hawthorn, every Friday, at Ten o'clock a.m.

(By Order)

W. R. MUNCE,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Hawthorn.

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

THE several Courts for the Maryborough District will be held in the first quarter of the year 1861, on the days following:—

	INGLEWOOD.
County Court ...	Monday, 7th January.
Court of Mines ...	Thursday, 10th January.
	CARISBROOK.
County Court ...	Friday, 25th January.
Court of Mines ...	Saturday, 26th January.
	DUNOLLY.
County Court ...	Friday, 1st February.
Court of Mines ...	Monday, 4th February.
	WEDDERBURN.
County Court ...	Friday, 8th February.
Court of Mines ...	Friday, 8th February.
	MARYBOROUGH.
County Court ...	Thursday, 14th February.
Court of Mines ...	Friday, 15th February.
General Sessions ...	Saturday, 2nd March.

M. F. MACBOY,
Judge of the said Courts.

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

THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

(As fixed by the Order in Council of the 19th of November 1860.)

- ARARAT—Tuesday 5 February 1861.
BALLAARAT—Tuesday 12 February 1861.
BEECHWORTH—Monday 1 April 1861.
CASTLEMAINE—Monday 11 February 1861.
GEELONG—Thursday 21 February 1861.
PORTLAND—Saturday 6 April 1861.
SANDHURST—Monday 4 February 1861.

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

- ARARAT—
BEECHWORTH—
BELFAST—
BOURKE—At Melbourne.
BUNINYONG AND BALLAARAT—
CARISBROOK—At Maryborough.
CASTLEMAINE—
GIPPS LAND—At Palmerston.
GRANGE—At Hamilton.
GRANT—At Geelong.
KILMORE—
KYNETON—
PORTLAND—
SANDHURST—
WARRENAMBOOL—

COUNTY COURTS.

- AMHERST—Friday 25 January 1861.
ARARAT—Monday 14 January 1861.
AVOCA—Friday 4 January 1861.
BACCHUS MARSH—
BALLAARAT—
BEECHWORTH—
BELFAST—
BENALLA—
BUCKLAND—Tuesday 15 January 1861.
CARISBROOK—Friday 25 January 1861.
CASTLEMAINE—
COLAC—
CRESWICK—Tuesday 12 February 1861.
DANDENONG—
DAYLESFORD—
DUNOLLY—
FRYERSTOWN—
GEELONG—
GISBORNE—
HAMILTON—
HEATHCOTE—
INDIGO—
INGLEWOOD—Monday 7 January 1861.
KILMORE—
KYNETON—
MALDON—
MARYBOROUGH—
MELBOURNE—Friday 8 February.
PALMERSTON—
PLEASANT CREEK—
PORTLAND—
RAGLAN—Wednesday 20 February 1861.
SALE—
SANDHURST—
TARADALE—
WANGARATTA—
WARRENAMBOOL—
WEDDERBURN—
YACKANDANDAH—
- COURTS OF MINES.**
- ARARAT DISTRICT—
Ararat—Friday 18th January 1861.
Pleasant Creek—
Raglan—Wednesday 20 February 1861.
- BALLAARAT DISTRICT—
Ballaarat—
Buninyong—Friday 28 December.
Creswick—Wednesday 13 February 1861.
Mount Blackwood—Monday 31 December.
Smythe's Creek—
Steiglitz—

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—

Beechworth---
 Buckland---Tuesday 15 January 1861.
 Indigo---
 Omeo---
 Yackandandah---

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—

Castlemaine---
 Fryerstown---
 Hepburn (Daylesford)---
 Maldon---
 St. Andrew's---
 Taradale---

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT--

Amherst---Wednesday 30 January 1861.
 Avoca---Tuesday 8 January 1861.
 Carisbrook---Saturday 26 January 1861.
 Dunolly---
 Inglewood---Thursday 10 January 1861.
 Korong (Wedderburne)---
 Maryborough---

SANDHURST DISTRICT--

Heathcote---
 Kilmore---
 Sandhurst---

LICENSING MEETING—PUBLICANS.

ANDERSON'S CREEK---Thursday 27 December, 12 noon.

Personal Information.

Enquiries having been made for the undermentioned persons by their friends, it is requested that they or any persons acquainted with them will forward their addresses or any information respecting them to the Honorable the Chief Secretary, Melbourne:—

EDWARDS, WILLIAM ARTHUR, stated to be of Creswick Creek, near Ballarat.—10.XII.60.

HUNT, CHARLES (son of Mrs. Rebecca Hunt, and brother of Thomas Hunt who died in Australia some years ago), who is supposed to be at Port Adelaide.—10.XII.60.

JONES, EDMUND JOHN. He arrived at Melbourne by the brig *Viren* in September, 1853, and went to Bendigo, where he was engaged in building by contract. He was last heard from by letter dated "Victoria, 4th April, 1856," wherein he stated his intention of returning home immediately. He is represented to be 55 years of age, 5 feet 11 inches in height, stoutly made, strong and active, with blue eyes, partially bald, with high forehead, hair curling naturally believed to be of a brown color mixed with grey, Roman nose, small mouth, thin lips, long grey beard.—10.XII.60.

PRICE, FOWLER, Esquire, of Melbourne.—10.XII.60.

TUTTIN, RICHARD SIMS; left England ten years ago; is now 32 years of age; was last heard from by letter received in August, 1857, wherein he stated his intention of returning in the autumn of that year. He is a pastry-cook by trade, and married in the colony.—10.XII.60.

Tenders.

Office of the Commissioner of Mines,
 Queen street, Melbourne, 13th December, 1860.

LITHOGRAPHING AND PRINTING THE GENERAL PLAN OF CASTLEMAINE.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Thursday, the 27th instant, for Lithographing and Printing in Colors (500) five hundred copies of the General Plan of the Mining District of Castlemaine.

The tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Mines, and to be marked "Tender for Printing Plan of Castlemaine."

Full particulars at this office.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFRAY,
 Commissioner of Mines.

Department of Public Works,
 Melbourne, 17th December, 1860.

WORKS.

TENDERS are invited for the following Works, &c. Tenders to be delivered up to Twelve o'clock on the date herein-after mentioned.

The Board of Land and Works do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Line of Telegraph between Queenscliff and Point Lonsdale 26th December.

J. S. JOHNSTON,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 22nd December, 1860.

NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

Works on the Pleasant Creek road, north of Read's contract, in the Western district, are withdrawn from tender.

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 17th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Works on the Portland tramway between Portland and Heywood, in the Western district 31st December.
2. Works on the Sydney road, north of Broadford, Kilmore district 31st December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
 President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 22nd December, 1860.

WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Supply and Erection of 103 mile-posts on roads in the Castlemaine district 31st December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineer's office of the district.

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 19th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Street piling, &c., in connection with the bridge over the Yarra at Warrandyte, Anderson's Creek 31st December.
2. Constructing additional Culverts, &c., between Melbourne and Malmesbury, on the Mount Alexander road 31st December.
3. Erection of Fencing between Gisborne and Malmesbury, on the same road 31st December.

4. Works on the Avoca, Crowlands, and Ararat road. Contract No. 4 31st December.
5. Works on the Ballarat and Streatham road. Contract No. 6 31st December.
6. Supply and Erection of 103 mile-posts 31st December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
 President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 14th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Clearing portion of the Point Nepean road, in the Melbourne District 28th December.
2. Works between Sunbury and Lancefield, in the Gisborne District 28th December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
 President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 11th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Works near the Constitution Hotel, on the Deep Creek road, in the Gisborne District 28th December.
2. Erection of two Timber Bridges, with approaches, on the road from Benalla to Mansfield, Wangaratta District 28th December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
 President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned days:—

1. Clearing portion of the Main Western Port road, Melbourne District ... 28th December.
2. Works on the Colac and Camperdown road, Geelong District ... 28th December.
3. Supply and Erection of Mile-posts in the Melbourne District (50) ... 28th December.
4. Ditto, ditto, ditto, the Geelong District (117) ... 28th December.
5. Ditto, ditto, ditto, in the Bacchus Marsh District (45) ... 28th December.
6. Ditto, ditto, ditto, in the Kilmore District (34) ... 28th December.
7. Clearing Two Miles of road at Rushworth, in the Kilmore District ... 28th December.
8. Clearing Road from Helvoir towards Chiltern, Wangaratta District ... 31st December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1860.

ROAD WORKS.

TENDERS for the following Works will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

- Erection of a Timber Bridge, with approaches, over the River Loddon, between Maldon and Dunolly, in the Castlemaine District ... 28th December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineer's office of the district.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
Melbourne, 14th December, 1860.

SUPPLY OF METAL ON THE UNDERMENTIONED ROADS FOR SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1861.

TENDERS for the following Supplies of Metal will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned day:—

1. Five thousand cubic yards between Malmsbury bridge and 6th mile-post, Mount Alexander road.—Contract No. 1 ... 28th December.
2. Five thousand cubic yards between 6th mile-post and Castlemaine, on the same road.—Contract No. 2 ... 28th December. (Both in the Castlemaine District.)
3. Fifteen hundred cubic yards from 6th to 12th mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 2. (Gisborne District) ... 28th December.
4. Fifteen hundred cubic yards from 12th to 18th mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 3. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
5. Two thousand cubic yards, from 18th to 24th mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 4. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
6. Two thousand cubic yards from 24th to 30th mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 5. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
7. Two thousand five hundred cubic yards from 30th to 36th mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 6. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
8. Six thousand cubic yards from 36th to 42nd mile-posts, on same road.—Contract No. 7. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
9. Two thousand cubic yards from 42nd mile-post to the northern end of Mr. Hay's contract, on the same road.—Contract No. 8. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
10. Fifteen hundred cubic yards, between northern end of Mr. Elliott's contract and the 53rd mile-post, on the same road.—Contract No. 9. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
11. Three thousand cubic yards between 53rd mile-post and a point six chains north of the Coliban bridge, on the same road.—Contract No. 10. (Ditto) ... 28th December.
12. Nine thousand cubic yards between the 6th and 15th mile-posts, on the Sydney road. (In the Kilmore District) ... 28th December.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts.

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

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Office of the Board of Science, Queen street,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1860.

TENDER FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A RESERVOIR.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Board of Science, Queen street, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, the 31st December, for the Construction of a Water Reservoir at Blackwood.

Full particulars at the Office of the Board of Science, Melbourne, and at the Warden's office, Blackwood.

Tenders to be sealed and marked, "Tender for Reservoir at Blackwood."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

Melbourne, 8th December, 1860.

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RESERVOIRS.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Board of Science, Queen street, Melbourne, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, the 31st December, for the construction of Water Reservoirs at—

- | | |
|-------------|---------------|
| Maryborough | Fryer's Creek |
| Amherst | Beechworth |
| Lamplough | Yackandandah |
| Dunolly | Indigo |
| Castlemaine | |

Full particulars at the Office of the Board of Science, and at the Warden's office in each district.

Tenders to be sealed, and marked, "Tender for Reservoir, No. — at —."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 18th December, 1860.

PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR THE "VICTORIA."

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 23th December, 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 January to the 31st December, 1861.

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.

DAILY RATIONS IN HOBSON'S BAY.		
Wheaten bread	...	1 1/2 lb.
Fresh meat	...	2 "
Potatoes	...	1 "
Vegetables	...	5 oz.
Sugar	...	2 1/2 "
Tea	...	5 "
Salt	...	1/2 "
Rum, West India (duty free)	...	1/2 gill

} per ration.

SEA STORES, WHEN ORDERED.		
Arrowroot	...	per lb.
Beef and mutton	...	per cwt.
Beef, salt	...	per 100 lbs.
Biscuit	...	per lb.
Candles, composite	...	"
Candles, tallow	...	"
Cocoa	...	"
Coffee	...	"
Cotton wick	...	"
Flour	...	per 100 lbs.
Lime juice	...	per gallon.
Mustard	...	per lb.
Oatmeal	...	"
Oil, neatfoot, in drums	...	per gallon.
Oil, sperm, ditto	...	"
Oil, tea, ditto	...	"
Peas, split	...	per lb.
Pepper	...	"
Pork, salt	...	per cwt.
Potatoes	...	"
Quicklime	...	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 authorised to draw the rations, but not otherwise.

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

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

When the vessel shall be in any harbor of the colony except Hobson's Bay, the officer in command 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 to present the same in a complete state, signed by the officer in command, to the Government Storekeeper for payment.

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.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,

Melbourne, 18th December, 1860.

COLONIAL BEER FOR THE LUNATIC ASYLUM.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 28th December, from persons willing to supply Colonial Beer (Table Ale) of best quality, at the Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1861.

The beer is to be delivered in barrels of 36 gallons, as required by the surgeon superintendent of the asylum.

Security will be required in the sum of £50, and the contract will be terminable by a written notice of three months, either on the part of the contractor, or of the Government Storekeeper on behalf of the Government.

Should a difference of opinion arise between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply as to the quality of the same, the matter will be referred to a board of survey appointed by the Government, and the decision of the board will be final.

In the event of supplies being of inferior quality, or should delivery not be made within forty-eight hours from the receipt of the order by the contractor or his agent, the surgeon superintendent will, should circumstances require it, purchase at the contractor's risk, any extra cost over and above the contract price being chargeable to the contractor.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Beer, Lunatic Asylum," are to be deposited in the box at the Government Stores, or addressed to the Government Storekeeper, who will furnish any further particulars that may be necessary. A sample must also be sent to the Government Stores on the morning of the 28th December.

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

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,

Melbourne, 21st December, 1860.

OATS, BRAN, AND STRAW.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 28th instant, from persons willing to supply

3000 bushels good sound sweet feed Oats
1000 ditto good sweet Bran
10 tons best wheat Straw.

Tenders, for quantities not less than 500 bushels of either oats or bran, must be accompanied by samples, and the price quoted is to include delivery, within four days of acceptance, at the Government Stores, Melbourne, and bags of a strong description, suitable for transport.

The straw is also to be delivered at the Government Stores within four days of acceptance.

Should the contractor fail to supply when required, it is to be understood that the supplies will be obtained elsewhere, and the expense over and above the contract price charged against him.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for ——" (as the case may be), 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.

GEO. VERDON.

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Treasury,

Melbourne, 12th December, 1860.

BRASS MOUNTINGS AND FITTINGS FOR LOCOMOTIVE ENGINES.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 28th December, from persons willing to furnish Brass Mountings and Fittings for Locomotive Engines, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1861.

Specification and full particulars at the Office of the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

GEO. VERDON.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 22nd December, 1860.

TENDERS FOR THE ERADICATION OF THISTLES.

TENDERS will be received at this office until Twelve o'clock on Friday, the 28th instant, for the Eradication of Thistles and the Bathurst Burr, on all the unoccupied lands of the Crown in the parish of Merrimu, in the county of Bourke.

Full particulars can be obtained at this office, and also at the Survey Office of the district.

J. H. BROOKE.

NOTICE.

THE Rules of the Courts of Mines can be obtained at the Government Printing Office. Price 1s. 6d.; by post 2s.

The Rules of the County Courts. Price 1s. 6d.; by post 2s.

Also,

The Mining Surveyors' Reports from January to November, 1860. Price 1s. each No.; by post 1s. 6d.

Two copies can be forwarded without additional postage.

NOTICE.

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

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

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

** All advertisements intended for publication in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE must be paid for prior to insertion, and Postage Stamps cannot be received in payment from any place at which Post Office Orders can be obtained.

Private Advertisements.

AVOCA MUNICIPALITY.

THIRD HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE AVOCA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, ENDING 30TH OCTOBER, 1860.

ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.

THE council held twenty-five general meetings, at which the attendance of members was as follows:-

W. Barnett, Esq. (chairman)	92
Councillor Boyce	21
Councillor Willshire	19
Councillor Pearson	18
Councillor Trevillock	17
Councillor Goodshaw	17
Councillor Holland	17

Those attendances are exclusive of many at committee meetings.

The following bye-law received His Excellency the Governor's assent:-

No. 15.—For assessment of the property within the municipality, and the levying a rate of One shilling in the pound thereon.

APPLICATIONS TO GOVERNMENT GRANTED.

The erection of a powder magazine at Avoca.

The clearing of High street so far as the Adelaide road.

The survey for sale of about fifty thousand acres of land near Natty Yallock, on the Avoca River.

The proclaiming the racecourse, cricket ground, cattle markets, municipal baths, town pump, and manure depot reserves.

The obtaining a site for a town hall.

The expenditure of a portion of the vote for the Avoca and Ararat road in the clearing and metalling of that portion between Avoca Bridge and Messrs. Gazzard and Dodd's, and erecting a stone bridge over No. 1 Creek.

The survey of a road between Avoca and Homebush.

The survey of a road between Avoca and Lamplough.

APPLICATIONS NOT GRANTED OR UNDER CONSIDERATION.

The expenditure of the remainder of the vote for the Avoca and Ararat road in forming the road from Gazzard and Dodd's to Eli Lambert's.—Under consideration.

The proper formation of the road through High street.—Declined, there being no funds.

The survey and clearing of the Avoca and Dunolly road.—Under consideration.

The clearing of the Avoca and Homebush and the Avoca and Lamplough roads.—Under consideration.

The raising of Bridport street to the level of High street.—Declined as inexpedient.
The granting Avoca a town commons of 14,000 acres.—Under consideration.

WILLIAM BARNETT,
Chairman of the Council.
CHAS. EML. PASCOE,
Town Clerk.

Revenue and Expenditure.
RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Bank of Victoria, 30th April, 1860	256	19	9
Government grant for 1860	659	4	3
Rates collected	265	2	0
Police fines	1	15	3
Use of municipal seal	1	1	0
Baths receipts	12	17	0
Rent of cattle yards	12	10	0
Bank interest to 30th June	6	2	4
	£1,215	11	7

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
By Advertising and printing	60	3	4
Office expenses—			
Letterpress	5	18	6
Postage and telegrams	7	2	0
Map of the colony	2	2	0
Rent, fire, and candles	9	10	0
	24	12	6
Law charges	20	0	0
Public works—			
Sundry repairs to High street	3	5	0
Clearing, draining, and metalling a portion of the road from Avoca to Homebush	41	10	0
Cutting, forming, and metalling Cambridge street	20	10	0
Making a ford over the Avoca	8	8	0
Town pump, repairs	2	4	6
Balance of baths contract, and erecting boiler and pump	299	9	6
Cattle yards, erection of the killing yard	30	0	0
	407	7	0
Public library	50	0	0
Cost of municipal conference	5	0	0
Sundry petty charges	4	18	6
Salaries—			
Town clerk	100	0	0
Baths keeper	18	0	0
Inspector	6	0	0
	124	0	0
Balance in Bank of Victoria	519	9	10
	£1,215	11	7

We certify that we have this day audited the above accounts and found them correct, showing a balance to the credit of the Avoca Municipal Council for the half-year ending 31st October, 1860, of Five hundred and nineteen pounds nine shillings and tenpence (£519 9s. 10d.).

F. KNOX ORME, P.M.,
J. H. KELLY,

No. 1821

Auditors.

District Road Board Office,
Woodstock, 3rd December, 1860.

PROPOSED ROAD.

PARISH OF KALKALLO, COUNTY OF BOURKE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a map and survey plan describing the exact course and bearing of, and the admeasurements required for a road in the county of Bourke, proposed to be made by the Woodstock district road board, together with a description of the lands through which the same is proposed to pass, and the name of the owners thereof as far as known, and also an estimate of the expense of the said work, have been deposited at the Surveyor General's Office, Melbourne, the particulars of which are as follows:—

Commencing at the north end of the Government road, between portions 1 and 2 of section xix. parish of Woolert; thence north 10 degrees 41 minutes west through the property of Mr. Donald MacPherson for seventy-three chains eighteen links, being part of section vi. parish of Kalkallo; thence on the same bearing through the property of Mr. John Tydeman for fifty-two chains fifty links, being parts of sections vi. and vii. same parish; thence on the same bearing through the property of Mr. William Dods for seven chains ninety links (in the centre), being part of section vii. same parish; thence on the same bearing through the property of Mr. John Lloyd for seventeen chains eighty-five links (in the centre), being part of section viii. in the same parish, to its junction with the Woodstock road: to be a one-chain road through its whole length.

The quantity of land required for the proposed road is fifteen acres three rods and twelve perches (11a. 3r. 12p.), and the expense of the said work is Five hundred and forty-six pounds fourteen shillings and threepence sterling (£546 14s. 3d.).

All persons affected by the proposed road are requested to set forth in writing, addressed to the Chairman of the Woodstock District Road Board, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, any well-grounded objections they may have to the said road, failing which they will be precluded thereafter from making any such objections or claiming any compensation whatsoever.

(By Order) D. E. MCGREGOR,
Surveyor to the Board.

No. 1811

MUNICIPALITY OF CRESWICK.

FOURTH HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF CRESWICK, ENDING THE 15TH DECEMBER, 1860.

RESIGNATION AND ELECTION.

COUNCILLOR Samuel Lewers resigned his seat as chairman and member of the council on the 26th June, and Councillor J. D. Moore was, on the same day, elected chairman for the remainder of the municipal year. On the 25th July, Alexander Lewers, Esq., was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the above resignation.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

The nomination of candidates to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement by rotation of Councillors Moore, Cheney, and Roskilly, took place at the Council Chambers, on the 13th December instant, Councillor Alexander Lewers in the chair; when Messrs. J. D. Moore, James Fitzgerald, John S. Cheney, Matthew McCormick, James Orr, Joseph House, Robert Macey, William Henry Ayres, and Matthew McCulloch, were duly proposed; the latter gentleman, however, declined to stand. A poll having been demanded, was proceeded with on the following day and resulted as follows, viz.—Mr. James Fitzgerald, 132 votes; Mr. Moore, 126; Mr. Cheney, 116; Mr. Orr, 109; Mr. Ayres, 85; Mr. Macey, 80; Mr. House, 51; and Mr. McCormick, 49. The chairman, therefore, declared Messrs. Fitzgerald, Moore, and Cheney to be duly elected.

ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.

During the half-year the council have held 26 general and 3 special meetings, at which the attendance of members was as follows:—

	General	Special.
The Chairman, J. D. Moore	25	3
Councillor John S. Cheney	22	2
Councillor W. B. Lees	24	3
Councillor James Brawn	19	3
Councillor J. H. McLeod	20	3
Councillor J. Roskilly	16	2
Councillor Alex. Lewers	19	3

The chairman and Councillors Lees and Brawn were absent from one meeting on deputation business.

BYE-LAWS.

The following bye-laws, passed by the council, have been sanctioned by His Excellency, viz.:

Bye-law No. 12.—For the establishment of a toll-bar near the New Slaty Creek Bridge.

Bye-law No. 14.—For the prevention of fires through the occupants of buildings allowing their chimneys to become foul.

Bye-law No. 15.—For the appropriation of the Government grant-in-aid to the Creswick municipality for the year One thousand eight hundred and sixty.

A bye-law for regulating and licensing persons to slaughter certain animals within the municipality has also been passed by the council, but not assented to by His Excellency.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The following contracts have been completed:—

- Forming and metalling the intersection of Cambridge and Victoria streets, removing stumps, &c.
- Metalling 3 chains of road in Bridge street.
- Cutting 3½ chains of sludge channel near the Raglan street Bridge.
- Underpinning Victoria street Bridge, &c.
- Making roadway to Chinese camp.
- Maintenance of roads for 13 weeks.
- Cutting 2½ chains of side-drains in Cambridge street.
- Supplying 371 cubic yards of maintenance metal.
- Forming and metalling 6 chains of road in Victoria street.
- Filling holes near Church of England reserve.
- Addition to culvert on Melbourne road, near Prout's, and forming and metalling about 2 chains of the road.
- Filling hole near the Bridge Hotel.
- Repairing embankment to Slaty Creek Bridge.
- Grubbing and removing stumps on Melbourne road.
- Blinding 33½ chains of road in Victoria, Raglan, and Cambridge streets, and Melbourne road.
- Addition to culvert at corner of Hall street.
- Repairs to portion of sludge channel.
- Grading and metalling west side of Albert street, and forming footpath.
- Grading and metalling the east side of Albert street, and forming footpath.
- Filling holes on Melbourne road.
- Forming and metalling 23 chains of road in Cambridge street.
- Putting backs to seats in council chambers, &c.
- Repairs to Melbourne road on Portuguese Flat.
- Making 280 feet wood kerbing and cutting side drain.
- Blinding 30 chains of road in Albert street.

WORKS IN PROGRESS.

Laying 380 feet of covered box drain in Victoria street.

APPLICATIONS TO GOVERNMENT.

- To have allotments 8, 9, 12, 13 and 14, of section 16, sold, as the Presbyterian body were anxious to purchase for a church site.—In abeyance.
- To have an extension in the survey of town allotments.—Granted.
- To have a county court held every two months.—Reply: Judicial staff insufficient.
- To know if any act regarding weights and measures is in force in the colony.—Reply: Until further legislation on the subject, no action can be taken.
- To have a detective officer stationed on Creswick.—Granted.
- To have Melbourne road gazetted as a main road, and improvements made thereon.—Reply: Cannot be complied with at present.
- For a powder magazine at Creswick.—Refused.
- To have the market site gazetted.—Granted.

- 9. To have certain land in parish of Bungaree sold.—Promised.
- 10. To have Creswick made the place of nomination for the electoral district.—Under consideration.
- 11. To have better arrangements made at the post office.—Under consideration.
- 12. To have a sum placed on the Estimates for straightening the main creek.—Reply: The revenue will not bear the expenditure.
- 13. To have suburban allotments surveyed on the Ascot road. Granted.
- 14. To have allotments surveyed on section 15, fronting to Napier street, leaving a right-of-way.—Promised.
- 15. To be supplied with tracings of proposed gold fields common for Creswick.—Granted.
- 16. To have allotments surveyed along the Melbourne road.—Under consideration.

The council, in submitting this report, regret to state that, during the late floods on the 9th instant, a portion of the Slaty Creek Bridge was washed down, caused by some drift wood carrying away two of the struts. Tenders have been invited for repairing the damage.

The council append a balance sheet of their receipts and expenditure for the half-year.

J. D. MOORE,
Chairman.
JOSEPH REED,
Town Clerk.

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipal Council of Creswick, for the Half-year ending the 15th December, 1860:—

Dr.—16th June.		£	s.	d.
To Balance from last half-year	...	5	12	6
Town rates (1859)	...	0	13	6
Ditto, ditto (1860)	...	79	9	6
Government grant-in-aid	...	1,354	12	7
Licenses	...	67	0	0
Rent of weighbridge	...	40	10	0
Police Court fines	...	34	16	3
Rent of Council Chambers	...	2	10	0
Contract deposits	...	28	9	0
Interest, Bank of New South Wales	...	0	17	1
Rate roll	...	0	5	0
		£1,614	15	5
Cr.				
By Public works	...	938	8	10
Printing and advertising	...	60	7	1
Deputation expenses	...	30	5	0
Office furniture	...	3	7	6
Municipal conference	...	5	0	0
Municipal seal	...	19	5	0
Pound charges	...	3	4	5
Adamson's Acts of Council	...	8	8	0
Contract deposits returned	...	23	9	0
Stationery	...	1	8	6
Surface man	...	24	0	0
Salaries	...	225	15	0
Interest, Bank of New South Wales	...	0	13	4
Petty expenses	...	14	18	0
Balance in Bank of New South Wales	...	251	7	0
Ditto in town clerk's hands	...	2	18	9
		£1,614	15	5

We have examined the above statement, and, having compared books and vouchers, certify it as correct.

W. H. AYRES,
W. SPAIN, JUN.,
Auditors.

No. 1817

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF PORTLAND.

HEREBY convene a public meeting of the ratepayers of the municipal district of Portland, to be held at the Court House, in Portland, on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1861, at Eight o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing three members of council to serve in the places of Messieurs John Bryan Fitzgerald, James Fetters, and William Corney, who retire by rotation.

JAMES TRANGMAR,
Chairman.

No. 1816

MUNICIPALITY OF KILMORE.

SPECIAL ELECTION.

IN terms of the 18th Victoria No. 15, section 21, I hereby convene a Public Meeting of the ratepayers of Kilmore for the purpose of electing one member of the Council, to serve in the place of Councillor Andrew Caldwell, resigned, for the remainder of the municipal year, being the remainder of the term of office of the said Andrew Caldwell.

Such meeting to be held at the Mechanics' Hall, Albert street, Kilmore, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January proximo, at Eight o'clock a.m.

Should there be more than one candidate a show of hands will be taken for each candidate, and the person in whose favor the show of hands shall be decided shall thereupon be declared the member of the municipal council accordingly, unless any candidate or six ratepayers shall thereupon dissent from such decision and shall demand a poll; in such case a poll will be held on Thursday, the 31st day of January proximo, such poll to be open at Eight o'clock in the morning and to close at Four o'clock of the same day.

THOS. DE C. MEADE,
Chairman.

Municipal Chambers,
Kilmore, 17th December, 1860.

No. 1805

SOUTH BARWON MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Public Meeting of ratepayers will be held at the Council Chambers, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1861, at Eight o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of electing a municipal councillor to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John Edward Thomas, Esq.; and in the event of there being more than one candidate proposed, and a poll is demanded such poll will be taken on Monday, the 14th of January, 1861, commencing at Eight o'clock in the morning and terminating at Four o'clock in the afternoon.

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE,
Chairman.

Council Chambers, 18th December, 1860.

No. 1802

CHEWTON MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of the Act of the 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, a public meeting of the landholders and householders, being inhabitants of the Chewton municipality, will take place on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1861, at the Chewton Hall, Chewton, at Nine o'clock in the morning, for the purposes following, that is to say:—

- 1st. For deciding whether the council for the district shall consist of three, five, or seven members.
- 2nd. For deciding whether the members of such municipal council shall or shall not receive any pecuniary remuneration, and, if any, what shall be the amount thereof; and
- 3rd. For electing the members of such municipal council.

At which time and place aforesaid all parties qualified to vote by virtue of the said Act are requested to attend.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1860.

As witness our hands—
Henry Norman
Jno. A. Parkin
Allen O'Hea
Joseph Deery
George Rosevear
Robt. A. Holmes, M.M.B.
Joseph Davis
John Lamb
Wm. McNaught
J. H. Hardy, M.D., M.R.C.S.,
London
Edward Treacher
J. H. Lockwood

No. 1804

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BALLAARAT.

ELECTION NOTICE.

HEREBY convene a meeting of the ratepayers of the municipal district of Ballarat, to be held in the new Police Court, Sturt street, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1861, at Eight o'clock a.m., to elect three members to serve in the place of Councillors William C. Smith, James Stewart, M.D., and Benden S. Hassell, who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election. In the event of a poll being demanded, the same will take place in the said Police Court, on Wednesday, the 16th day of January next, at Eight o'clock a.m. and close at Four o'clock p.m.

WILLIAM C. SMITH,
Chairman of the Municipal Council, Ballarat.

24th December, 1860.

No. 1835

BROADMEADOWS ROAD DISTRICT,

COUNTY OF BOURKE, COLONY OF VICTORIA.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Board for the above district, from the 14th February, 1859, to the 17th July, 1860.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Colonial Bank on 14th February, 1859	133	6	4
Government grant-in-aid	2,285	0	9
Rates, 1858, assessment	7	8	8
Rates, 1859, assessment	696	13	11
Colonial Bank (interest)	14	4	0
	£3,136	13	8

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
By Road works, in seventeen contracts	2,600	16	0
Advertising	10	14	0
Office rent	30	11	6
Stationery and printing	7	7	6
Postage stamps	3	5	0
Auditors' expenses	0	6	0
Surveyor, secretary, and collector	358	17	10
Legal expenses in forming first board	12	13	0
Council's opinions on the validity of the election of members on 15th March, 1859	4	9	0
Balance in Colonial Bank and secretary's hand	107	13	10
	£3,136	13	8

Assessment, 1859.

Total amount of rate assessed 22nd September, 1859	709	18	3
Reduced by board	3	2	0
Outstanding	10	3	4
Collected	696	13	11
	£709	18	3

Broadmeadows, 17th July, 1860.

R. B. STEVENSON,
Chairman.

Examined and found correct—

WM. V. GLOVER,
JAMES ROBERTSON,
Auditors.

No. 1820

THE SISTERS' QUARTZ MINING COMPANY.

I THE undersigned William Ford, hereby make application to register The Sisters' Quartz Mining Company, under the provisions of the Mining Partnerships Limited Liability Act, 1860, and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The Sisters' Quartz Mining Company."
2. The place of operations is Little Bendigo, Ballaarat.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Two thousand four hundred pounds, in twenty-four shares of One hundred pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is Five hundred and four pounds ten shillings.
5. The name of the manager is William Ford.
6. The office of the company is on the claim.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names and Residences.	Shares.
Samuel Irwin, Bakery Hill, Ballaarat	2
John Findlay, Little Bendigo, Ballaarat	1½
John Henry Walters, Main road, Ballaarat	3
David Fitzpatrick, Bakery Hill, Ballaarat	2
James Ford, Little Bendigo, Ballaarat	1½
William Ford, Little Bendigo, Ballaarat	6½
Peter McLintock, Little Bendigo, Ballaarat	1½
James Shields, Raglan street, Ballaarat	2
William Gavin, Raglan street, Ballaarat	1
James Thompson Dowlin, Little Bendigo, Ballaarat	1
Michael O'Malley, Redan Lead, Ballaarat	1
James Dow, Corduroy, Ballaarat	1

WILLIAM FORD,
Manager.

Witness to signature—

HENRY W. ERLAM.

Ballaarat, 13th December, 1860.

No. 1830

BLACK BALL MINING COMPANY.

I THE undersigned Bernard O'Neil, hereby make application to register Black Ball Mining Company, under the provisions of the Mining Partnerships Limited Liability Act, 1860, and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, viz:—

1. The name and style of the company is "Black Ball Mining Company."
2. The place of operations is White Horse Lead, Sebastopol.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Four hundred pounds, in sixteen shares of Twenty-five pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is Sixty-four pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Bernard O'Neil.
6. The office of the company is on the claim.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names and Residences.	Shares.
John Bennett, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
George Cook, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
James B. Stewart, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Erik Rosmussen, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Bernard O'Neil, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Soverni Plough, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Haus Block, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Christian Dahl, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Hans Peter Neilson, White Horse, Ballaarat	1
Anthony Houson, White Horse, Ballaarat	1
David Barkley, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Hans Christianson, Golden Point, Ballaarat	1
Henry Miller, White Horse, Ballaarat	1
James Bornholt, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
William Lonergan, Sebastopol Hill, Ballaarat	1
Charles J., White Horse, Ballaarat	1

BERNARD O'NEIL,
Manager.

Witness—

WILLIAM LONERGAN.

Ballaarat, 22nd December, 1860.

No. 1829

OAKLEIGH AND MULGRAVE ROAD BOARD.

TENDERS will be received by this Board till Four o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 27th instant, for the Erection of a Bridge over the Damper Creek, on the Boundary Road, between Mulgrave and Nunawading.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Board Room, Oakleigh.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(By Order) JAMES BARR,
Secretary.

Oakleigh, 24th December, 1860.

No. 1834

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business at Dunolly and elsewhere, as cattle dealers, under the name, style, and firm of "Ison and Lees," is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the firm to be paid to and by the undersigned Henry Ison, whose receipt alone shall be a sufficient discharge.

Dated 21st day of November, 1860.

H. ISON,
THOS. LEES.

Witness—

JAS. WM. DUNBAR,
Dunolly.

No. 1815

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

PUBLIC ABATTOIRS.

WHEREAS by the second section of an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act to amend an Act intituled "An Act to provide for the establishment of Public Abattoirs in the City of Melbourne, and for preventing certain Nuisances therein,"* it is enacted, that from and after the expiration of twenty days from the completion of any abattoir under the provisions of that Act, notice whereof shall have been given in the *Government Gazette*, it shall not be lawful for any person to slaughter, or cause to be slaughtered, any cattle, or any sheep, lamb, pig, or goat, within the boundaries of the said city, or within one mile of the said boundaries, except at abattoirs erected by the said city council, or any municipal council, either in existing abattoirs or elsewhere, and that any person who shall so offend shall forfeit and pay on conviction for every such offence any sum not exceeding Ten pounds:

Notice is hereby given that an abattoir under the provisions of the hereinbefore recited Act, and situate and being on land in the county of Bourke, parish of Doufa Galla, portion twenty-three and part of portion twenty-four, marked A—commencing at the south-west corner at a point on the east bank of the Saltwater River; bounded on the north-west by the Melbourne and Geelong road, one chain fifty links wide, bearing north forty-two degrees thirty minutes east fifty-one chains ninety-six links; on the north-east by a road one chain wide, bearing south forty-six degrees thirty minutes east twelve chains forty-five links; on the south-east by portion twenty-two, bearing south forty-five degrees west forty-eight chains eighty-five links to the Saltwater River; and on the south-west by that river north-westerly to the commencing point—is now completed.

And it is hereby further notified that the following is the scale of slaughtering fees or dues on payment whereof persons are entitled to the use of the buildings and appurtenances of the abattoirs, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Act, and of the By-law No. 41 of the City Council, viz:—

	s.	d.
For every ox, cow, bull, heifer, steer, or calf	1	0
For every sheep, lamb, or goat	0	3
For every head of swine	1	0

By order of the Council of the City of Melbourne, made and passed on the seventeenth day of December, 1860.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,

Town Clerk.

No. 1819

NOTICE.

THIS is to certify that the undersigned, on behalf of the Great Reef Quartz Mining Company, Yandooit, intends applying for a mining lease of the claims now held by the said company on Forty Foot and Pioneer Reefs, Yandooit, said ground being now held by virtue of miner's rights.

JAMES BLACKMORE MCQUEE,

Manager of said Company.

No. 1824

Ballaarat, 21st December, 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an indenture of release and assignment dated the nineteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty, and made between the undersigned Jeremiah Smith, of Raglan, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper, of the first part; George Rolfe and Henry Miller, both of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, merchants (thereinafter called the said trustees), of the second part; and the several persons and parties whose names and seals are subscribed and affixed to the third schedule thereunder written or thereunto annexed, being several creditors in their own right, or being agents or attorneys of creditors absent from the said colony, of the said Jeremiah Smith, of the third part; for the considerations therein mentioned, the said Jeremiah Smith did convey, assign, and assure unto the said trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all and singular the real and personal estate and effects of him the said Jeremiah Smith, whatsoever and wheresoever, upon trust for the benefit of all his creditors. And notice is hereby further given that the said indenture has been duly executed by the said Jeremiah Smith, George Rolfe, and Henry Miller, and attested in manner and according to the provisions of the Act of Council of the fifth Victoria number nine, entitled, *An Act for the further amendment of the Law and for the better advancement of Justice*. And notice is hereby further given that the said indenture is now lying at the office of Mr. Winfield Attenborough, solicitor, 26, Collins street west, Melbourne, for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said Jeremiah Smith.

Dated at Melbourne aforesaid, this nineteenth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty.

JEREMIAH SMITH,
GEORGE ROLFE,
HENRY MILLER.

Signed by the said Jeremiah Smith,
George Rolfe, and Henry Miller,
in the presence of and attested by
EDWARD COHEN, J.P.

No. 1812

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that from and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted on account of the steamer *Glasgow Citizen*.
Geelong, 4th December, 1860.

JAMES COWIE.

No. 1833

NOTICE.

CHARLES COLE, brickmaker, late of Tarrangower, send your address to your daughter, Harriet, Post Office, Maldon. Business of great importance.

No. 1807

In the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria. } *Ex. Fas. No. 466 and 467.*

H. J. CHAMBERS, Plaintiff,
v.
JAMES HODGKINSON, Defendant;
and
SAME v. SAME.

TAKE notice that under and by virtue of the above writs of *ferri facias*, the sheriff of the Geelong circuit district will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Black Bull Hotel, Malop street, Geelong, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Saturday, the day of January, 1861, all the right, title and interest (if any) of the abovenamed defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land, situate in the parish of Belle-rine, county of Grant, and colony of Victoria, and being portion 16 of block 2, containing 320 acres, more or less, together with all improvements thereon, the property of the abovenamed defendant, unless these executions be previously satisfied.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

JOSEPH IZOD,
Sheriff's Officer.

Sheriff's Office,
Geelong, 22nd December, 1860. No. 1822

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or stolen, a bay horse, branded 207 near shoulder, TK off ditto, collar and saddle marked; also, a black or dark brown mare, broken both knees, star on forehead. A reward of £5 each will be paid on conviction of thief if stolen, and £1 if strayed, to whoever will bring the same to Elliot's Brewery, River Loddon. No. 1532

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST, stolen, or strayed, from the Deep Lead Flat, Pleasant, a dark bay mare, branded W B near shoulder. Whoever shall bring the same to William Ellis, at Croker's Hotel, Hight street, Deep Lead, shall receive the above reward. No. 1814

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO AUCTIONEERS, POUNDKEEPERS, AND OTHERS.
STOLEN or strayed about the 1st November, and last seen near Grattan's Station, Broken River, the following horses:—

Chestnut horse, JR near shoulder

Dark brown mare, $\frac{2}{p}$ near shoulder

Bay horse, JV near shoulder

Bay horse, OG near shoulder.

Any person finding the same and delivering them to James Fieldhouse, Wangaratta, or Henry Carridge, Benalla, will receive £10 reward. No. 1799

NOTICE.

To POUNDKEEPERS, STOCKHOLDERS, AND OTHERS.

THE Commissioners for Inspection of Diseased Cattle have to request from poundkeepers, stockholders, and others such information as may enable them to recover three bullocks described as under, and which were a portion of Connallin's herd, recently destroyed because infected with pleuro-pneumonia disease.

Description.

No. 1. Magpie bullock, branded GH (distinct) on near rump, and M (indistinct) on near ribs.

No. 2. White sheeted bullock, cheek and neck red, branded 1K, on near shoulder.

No. 3. Yellow bullock, branded 1K on near shoulder.

The above bullocks worked in Connallin's teams, driven by Peter Watson; were loaded with wool from beyond the Goulburn for Melbourne; and the three described are supposed to have been diseased, as they were unable to work farther than the Goulburn, and consequently were turned out.

Any information forwarded to the undersigned at the office of the Port Phillip Society, 43, Bourke street west, will be promptly attended to.

(By Order) ARTHUR J. C. SKILLING,
No. 1828

ONE POUND REWARD.

CAUTION TO AUCTIONEERS, POUNDKEEPERS, AND OTHERS.
STOLEN or strayed from Bagshot, on the 12th instant, a bay mare, branded RN off shoulder. Information to Mr. John McLean, butcher, Huntly, Bendigo. No. 1836

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Warrenee, about 27th October, a bay filly, 2 years old, star on forehead, branded LG near shoulder; also, a chestnut filly, year old, hollow backed, white snip, and same brand. The above reward will be paid on conviction of the thief if stolen, £2 if strayed, by Mr. Haines, post-master, Warrenee. No. 1825

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED, from Seven Hills, near Suenaton, on 29th November, a bay mare, branded S near shoulder, and other brands; also, a black mare, branded X near shoulder. £5 reward will be paid on delivery to Mr. Simm, or £2 for such information as will lead to their recovery. They had winkers on when last seen. No. 1818

LOST, a bay horse, fifteen hands, seven years old, black points, D near shoulder. £3 if strayed. Apply to Martin K
Martin, Northcote. No. 1831

No. 168.—DECEMBER 26, 1860.—4.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Hexham, 8th December, 1860, a tall bay horse, switch tail, small star forehead, branded YC No. 1823
J. TOMLINSON.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

LOST or stolen from Mr. John White's Paddock, Mount Alexander, on Sunday, 16th December, 1860, a nutmeg grey colt, branded 1F near shoulder; also, a brown filly, 1F near shoulder, both unbroken. Whoever will deliver same to the owner, William Holley, Castlemaine, or to the undermentioned, will receive the above reward, Richards and Carey, Castlemaine; Edward Rowe and Co., Melbourne; Mr. Pacey, Hay and Corn Store, Kyneton. No. 1827

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mrs. Corker's Farm, Lake Dearmonth, a chestnut mare, blaze down face, near hind leg white, brands HL conjoined near shoulder, SVS near thigh (last S hook). £2 reward to any person giving information that will lead to the recovery of her. No. 1813

Impoundings.

BELVOIR.—Impounded at Belvoir, 19th December, 1860, by Wm. Steel, Esq., for Mrs. D. B. Jones.—Trespass 3s. each.
564. Black or dark brown mare, star, stripe, hind feet white, saddle and collar marked, long switch tail, bell and strap neck, had broken hobbles on, B scar under near shoulder, like R within D off shoulder
565. Black or dark brown mare, small star, had hobbles on, scar off hip, switch tail, like J or bar in circle off shoulder, no other perceptible brand
566. Chestnut mare, star, stripe, small snip, had hobbles on, saddle marked, light points, J near shoulder, no other perceptible brand
EM

567. Light brown horse, aged, star, broken kneed, screwed, saddle and collar marked, long tail, scar off shoulder and ribs, blotched brand like B or S off neck, no other perceptible brand
568. Bay horse, few white hairs forehead, switch tail, $\frac{1}{JF}$ off shoulder, like JF upside down off neck

569. Black mare, star, long tail, piece rope neck, TT near shoulder, no other perceptible brand
Same date, by Wm. Huon, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

570. Bay horse, blaze, black points, saddle and collar marked, halter mark nose, long switch tail, writing NK near shoulder, no other perceptible brand

571. Bay mare, switch tail, little white both hind feet, SA near shoulder, M in circle off shoulder

572. Bay mare, heavy mane, matted tail, little white both hind feet, like SC or G near shoulder, no other perceptible brand

573. Bay mare, star, small stripe, near fore coronet and both hind feet white with black spots, long tail, goose rumped, like JC on top of C, and T under, near shoulder, JC off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

23/6 HENRY McILLREE,
Poundkeeper.

BENALLA.—Impounded at Benalla, 21st December, 1860, by Mr. Thomas Bond.

583. Bay mare, long tail, black points, star, G near cheek, 153 near neck, WN near side under saddle, faint brand like T with left side of top cut off near rump

584. Bay mare, long tail, fore pasterns white, hind fetlocks white, G blotched near cheek, 174 or 6 near shoulder, WN above G or C, and like No. 7 near side under saddle, L near rump

585. Bay filly foal, star, at foot, no visible brand

586. Black mare, long tail, star, G near cheek, 120 near neck, G or CW faint near shoulder

587. Bay mare, docked switch tail, star, snip, hind pastern white, saddle marked, G near cheek, 35 near neck (the 5 blotched), AS near shoulder, JR conjoined off shoulder

588. Bay filly foal, bald face, at foot, no brand

589. Brown mare, long tail, star, fore and near hind coronets white, G near cheek, 154 near neck, WN near shoulder, indistinct brand off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

14/6 GEORGE POWELL,
Acting Poundkeeper.

BULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 19th December, 1860, by Donald Campbell, Esq.—Trespass 1s. per head.

1738. Light grey horse, R-K off and near shoulder (the R reversed), O near neck, very much collar marked

1739. Chestnut horse, collar and saddle marked, S over PS with faint brand like D above on near shoulder

1740. Black mare, white streak down face, off hind fetlock white, like x over H near shoulder, chestnut foal at foot

1741. Chestnut mare, blaze face, 111 over 66 off shoulder, 91 near shoulder

1742. Brown mare, off hip down, -L with illegible brand over near shoulder, illegible brand off shoulder
 1743. Bay colt, hind fetlock white, large black spot near thigh, MK conjoined near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

12/6

JOHN W. GOWER,
Poundkeeper.

CARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook, 15th December, 1860, by Mr. Wm. Cox.—Damages claimed £5.

2319. Brown roan entire colt, near hind foot white, star, no visible brand

By Messrs. Bryant.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

2320. Bay mare, S over S and DJJ under near shoulder, collar marked, fired on off hind fetlock

2321. Brown horse, saddle and collar marked, star, H near thigh, BEL near neck, JA off shoulder

2322. Red cow, like yN off rump and ribs

2323. White and yellow spotted cow, notch near ear, blotch near rump, TE off ribs, MH conjoined near loin

2324. Yellow and white poley cow, piece off off ear, like IW off ribs, loin, and rump, blotch off shoulder and near loin

2325. Yellow and white cow, swallow tail near ear, like JH or W off thigh

2326. Yellow and white bull calf, no visible brand

2327. Yellow and white bull calf, ditto

2328. Red bull calf, bald face, poley, ditto

On 17th December, by E. G. Bucknall, Esq.

2329. Yellow cow, white on back and belly, Hlt near ribs (the

HR conjoined), like C off ribs, swallow tail near ear

2330. Brown bull calf, no visible brand

2331. Brown poley cow, white on back and belly, like IL off ribs, JO near ribs

2332. Strawberry heifer calf, no brands, progeny of 2336

2333. Yellow and white cow, JIO off ribs, JA off shoulder and off rump, like WM blotched near ribs, both ears notched

2334. Yellow heifer calf, white on back and belly, like JS near rump

2335. Red and white bullock, one down horn the other broken, S like IP and a blotch near side, I off ribs, like JM

P TH

off rump

2336. Red and white bullock, like ON off rump, like an illegible brand off shoulder, like HIP near ribs, slit off ear

2337. Red cow, swallow tail near ear, JS near ribs, Oy off rump (tail of y to right)

2338. White bullock with yellow spots, rope on neck, IW off ribs, IW off rump, top off near horn

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Same day, by Mr. Thos. Crawford.—20s. each.

2339. Black snaily steer, P off ribs, piece out off ear

2340. Red and white steer, DC off ribs

2341. Strawberry spotted steer, DC off ribs

2342. White steer, red ears, DC off ribs

By H. L. Prentice, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

2343. Black mare, star, collar and saddle marked, HH conjoined off shoulder

2344. Bay horse, star, hind feet white, SK near shoulder

2345. Bay mare, star, saddle marked, broken hobble on, near hind leg enlarged, 2 near shoulder, TL off shoulder, 7

near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

33/6

FRED. GEO. HULL,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

CARISBROOK.—No. 2260, advertised in *Government Gazette* of 23rd November last as grey horse, scar on near side, T off shoulder, should be a faint A over T off shoulder, and indistinct brand like S near shoulder.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd January, 1861.

7/6

FRED. GEO. HULL,
Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 15th December, 1860, by W. Robertson, Esq., Wando Vale.

309. Light strawberry bullock, C off rump and loin

310. Strawberry cow, blotch on off rump like W

311. Red cow, on both shoulders

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

8/

HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 18th December, 1860, by C. Featherstonhaugh, Esq., Murchison.

312. Bay horse, black points, NH conjoined off shoulder, star, and small stripe down face

313. Bay colt, two hind feet white, no apparent brand, very poor

314. Bay horse, four white feet, stripe down face, RL near shoulder, small blotch on neck, 731 off rump

315. Bay horse, one hind foot white, IN off neck, indescribable off shoulder, M near shoulder (writing M), saddle marked TL

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

10/

HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

DEEP CREEK.—Impounded at Deep Creek, 18th December, 1860, by Capt. Gardner.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

900. Brown cob horse, saddle marked, horned in off ribs, W near, C off shoulder

901. Brown filly, long tail, star, C near shoulder

902. Dark chesnut horse, switch tail, saddle marked, off hind fetlock white, star, like, JP conjoined off shoulder

903. Bay horse, long switch tail, black points, saddle marked, like UUF near Jy off shoulder

904. Bay horse, switch tail, black points, saddle marked, small star, A conjoined near shoulder

905. Black mare, switch tail, off hink fetlock white, collar and saddle marked, blaze, JS near shoulder, near thigh

906. Chesnut mare, switch tail, blaze, collar and saddle marked, G near shoulder, 11 near rump U near neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

15/

WILLIAM BETHELL,
Poundkeeper.

ECHUCA.—Impounded at Echuca, 19th December, 1860, by W. T. Harpham.—Trespass 6d. each.

2224. Chesnut horse switch tail, saddle and collar marked, blaze-down face, shod, off hind fetlock white, C near shoulder

2225. White horse, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, hollow back, w near shoulder

2226. Black mare, long tail, collar marked, C near rump

2227. Brown horse, long tail, star, collar marked, JM near ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

9/6

GEORGE JAMIESON,
Poundkeeper.

ELPHINSTONE.—Impounded at Elphinstone, 19th December, 1860, by Messrs. Dainty and Bentley.—Trespass 4s. each.

816. Black colt, MG off shoulder, MG near rump—Notice sent to Mr. Gibbs, Taradale

817. Chesnut mare, PH near shoulder, saddle marked and shod

818. Grey horse, HM near shoulder, shod

819. Bay mare, star, near shoulder, saddle marked, broken, W

halter on

On 20th December, by Mr. Bennett.—6d. each.

820. Bay horse, small stripe, BURT near shoulder, saddle marked

821. Bay mare, four white feet, W off shoulder, saddle marked

Same date, by Mr. Williamson.—Trespass 4s.

822. Chesnut mare, white face, 2 near shoulder, old sore on back

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

15/

J. T. PATTERSON,
Poundkeeper.

HAMILTON.—Impounded at Hamilton, 18th December, 1860, by Mr. Robt. Corse, Hamilton.—Damage 2s.

4521. Bay mare, saddle marked, black points, switch tail, white spot near side under saddle, O in circle near shoulder

On 19th December, by Mr. A. Reid, for J. A. McPherson, Esq., Croxton.—Trespass 9d.

4586. Black and white poley cow, piece out of both ears, writing EB conjoined near ribs and rump, 2 off rump and thigh

BC or G

4587. Strawberry steer, wide horns, piece out of near ear, like near rump

W (writing W)

4588. Light strawberry steer, piece out of both ears, like S x B or H blotched off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

12/

RICHD. BLOOMFIELD,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

HAMILTON.—No. 4330, bay colt, star, hind feet white, cart breed, long tail, blotched brand near shoulder, like LM or LM off shoulder, should be WL reversed off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

7/

RICHD. BLOOMFIELD,
Poundkeeper.

HEXHAM.—Impounded at Hexham, 19th December, 1860, by H. De Little, Esq., Carunat.—Trespass 1s. each.

1272. Grey horse, switch tail, saddle marked, near hind fetlock enlarged, like SM near shoulder (the S blotched)

1273. Dark brown or black mare, star forehead, no visible brand, appears a little chest foundered

1274. Bay colt, star forehead, like JK sideways near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

8/6

JOHN TOMLINSON,
Poundkeeper.

KENSINGTON.—Impounded at Kensington, 19th December, 1860, by Mr. John Richardson.—Trespass 6d. each.
 806. Red steer, white spots, off ear marked, cut throat, H in circle near shoulder, like Dn near rump, indescribable brand near loin
 807. Yellow red heifer, white back and tail, white in forehead, like TA near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

D. J. MÖLLER,
 Poundkeeper.

8/6

KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 20th December, 1860, by Alexr. McMillan, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

- 700. Black bullock, white on belly, tail, and rump, off ear marked, like MC off rump
- 701. Black bullock, white face, back, and belly, both ears marked, like W near ribs, VW near rump
- 702. Blue strawberry sided bullock, red ears, black muzzle, off ear marked, JW off rump, BTJ near horn
- 703. White cow, red ears, large cook horns, black spots on head and neck, like OM off rump
- 704. Yellow cow, white on shoulder and rump, off horn broken, TX off ribs
- 705. Yellow poley cow, CU near ribs, IL off ribs

- 706. White cow, red ears, near one marked, RVP near ribs
- 707. White cow, red ears, both marked, small hoop horns, Z near ribs, S off rump, G off thigh
- 708. Red cow, small down hoop horns, tip off off ear, Δ near rump, C off rump, m off ribs

709. Black cow, both ears marked, JF off rump, 4 off thigh, blotch off rump and shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

HUGH STEVENSON,
 Poundkeeper.

16/6

KILMORE.—Impounded at Kilmore, 21st December, 1860, by Mr. Fisher.—8s. each.

- 1 roan mare, switch tail, collar marked and shod, JF near shoulder
 - 1 chesnut horse, switch tail, star on forehead, saddle mark, off hind foot white, broken knees and shod, HT near shoulder
- If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

C. G. ANDERSON,
 Poundkeeper.

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NOTICE.

McIVOR CREEK.—No. 413, advertised in *Gazette* of 7th instant, should be BB off rump

464 in *Gazette* of 7th instant, should be oy off ribs, and will be sold on 2nd January, 1861.

C. H. NIMMO,
 Poundkeeper.

7/

MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury, 19th December, 1860, by Mr. J. R. Graham.—Trespass 9d. each.

- 2314. Bay mare, small star, black points, spotted back, bell on three shoes on, 18 near neck, like M2 near shoulder
- (square-topped S), like TI off shoulder

2315. Steel grey mare, star, piece of hide with hobble chain attached round neck, JB near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

GORDON EVANS,
 Poundkeeper.

9/

MELTON.—Impounded at Melton, 19th December, 1860, by Mr. Mens.—Trespass 6d.

- 1 black gelding, saddle marked, enlarged near fore fetlock, like 7 near shoulder, C near rump

By J. Melaine, Esq.—Trespass 6d.
 1 black mare, cart breed, star, near hind fetlock white, like JC near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

C. M. WILLIAMS,
 Poundkeeper.

9/6

NOTICE.

MEREDITH.—No. 765, advertised in No. 152 *Gazette* as dark grey horse, M near shoulder, should be dark grey

mare, same brands
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

THOMAS CONNOR,
 Poundkeeper.

7/6

NEWBRIDGE.—Impounded at Newbridge, 19th December, 1860, by J. Catto, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

- 1102. Brown horse, switch tail, heavy shod all round, T near shoulder

1103. Chesnut mare, blaze down face, switch tail, heavy shod all round, white patch on near saddle, rope on neck, OD near shoulder, HO near thigh
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

JAMES CALVERT,
 Poundkeeper.

9/

SKIPTON.—Impounded at Skipton, 20th December, 1860, by Mr. McKay, for H. Macdonald, Esq., Carnbullac.

- 1098. Brown horse, star, near hind foot white, long switch tail, saddle marked, two small white spots on near ribs, S near shoulder
- On 21st instant, by W. R. Scott, Esq., Charle Combe.—Trespass 9d. each.

- 1079. Chesnut horse, switch tail, shod, hobble, collar and saddle marked, SB near shoulder

- 1080. Bay horse, long tail, both hind feet white, lame off fore leg, saddle marked, TK over writing M over half circle or scar near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

JOHN DALY,
 Poundkeeper.

11/6

NOTICE.

SKIPTON.—No. 1010, bay mare, star, switch tail, collar marked, partly shod, advertised in *Gazette* of 27th November, should be like W or M near shoulder (seems as if put on twice), and if not claimed and expenses paid will be sold on the 16th January, 1861.

JOHN DALY,
 Poundkeeper.

Skipton Pound, 21st December, 1860.

7/6

WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta, 19th December, 1860, by Frederick Moore, Esq.—Trespass 2s. 6d.

- 957. Grey horse, saddle and collar marked, F near shoulder, O off neck, Xy off saddle

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

ALEXANDER TONE,
 Poundkeeper.

7/

WARRANTDYTE.—Impounded at Warrantdyte, Anderson's Creek, 21st December, 1860.

- 429. Bay mare, black points, long tail, saddle marked, near fore foot enlarged and lame, like 3 near shoulder, shoes on
- If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

JOHN HUTCHINSON,
 Poundkeeper.

7/

WARRANTDYTE.—Impounded at Warrantdyte, Anderson's Creek, 20th December, 1860, by Mr. C. Newman.—Damages 10s. each.

- 427. Dark bay or brown mare, black points, saddle marked, switch tail, hook or reversed near shoulder, J near cheek
- 428. Dark brown mare, star, head and legs nearly black, short switch tail, collar and girth marked, 3 near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

JOHN HUTCHINSON,
 Poundkeeper.

8/6

WEDDERBURNE.—Impounded at Wedderburne, 19th December, 1860, by David Coutts, Esq.

- 535. Strawberry bullock, hoop horns, like JB near horn, JF off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th January, 1861.

G. R. BRUCE,
 Poundkeeper.

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

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December 26.—Hy. McIlree	1	0	0
December 26.—R. Bloomfield	1	0	0

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