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TERRITORIAL MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the name of the undermentioned gentleman to be added to the Roll of Magistrates for the colony of Victoria, viz. :—

WILLIAM ARTHUR CALLANDER A'BECKETT, Esquire, Cochrane street, Brighton.

By His Excellency's Command,
B. COLE ASPINALL.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861. 4561.

PUBLIC VACCINATORS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Public Vaccinators, viz. :—

MR. R. B. MATTHEWS,
for the district of Wedderburne, *vice* Jas. W. King, Esq., surgeon, resigned.

ARCHIBALD M. WYLLIE, Esq., surgeon,
for the district of Mount Doran, *vice* J. McG. McIntyre, Esq., surgeon, resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. HEALES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861. 7933.

DEPUTY REGISTRARS OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Deputy Registrars of Births and Deaths, viz. :—

DANIEL KENNEDY FITZGERALD,
for the district of Glenorchy, *vice* H. W. Frood, resigned.

JOSEPH SATTERTHWAITE,
for the district of St. Leonard's, *vice* T. S. Coulthard, resigned.

EDWIN MITCHELL,
for the district of Growler's Creek.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. HEALES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861. 7977.

INSPECTORS OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned members of the Police Force to be Inspectors of Slaughter-houses and of Cattle intended for slaughter, &c., viz. :—

Senior Constable CLEMENT PERRON (1039),
for the district of Kilmore, at Seymour, *vice* Walsh.

Mounted Constable JOHN WESTERDALE (1276),
for the district of Kilmore, at Kilmore, *vice* Evans.

Sergeant BERNARD KING (612),
for the district of Omeo, at Omeo, *vice* White.

Mounted Constable RODERICK McLEAN (819),
for the district of Wimmera, at Horsham, *vice* Hall.

Mounted Constable JOHN KEYTE (1680),
for the district of Ballarat, at Lake Learmonth, *vice* Black.

Mounted Constable W. L. EDWARDS (373),
for the district of Beechworth, at Beechworth, *vice* Wilson, transferred.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. HEALES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861.

No. 159.—OCTOBER 25, 1861.—1.

LANDS TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of the 4th section of the Act 24 Victoria No. 117, that, upon the expiration of one month from the undermentioned dates, it is the intention of the Governor in Council to permanently reserve from sale the lands hereinafter described, for the several purposes specified in connection with each description.

The temporary reservation of such of the said lands as have been temporarily reserved will from henceforth be revoked.

BALLAARAT—The site at Soldiers' Hill, Ballaarat, to be permanently reserved as a site for Wesleyan Church purposes (pursuant to Order in Council of 23rd September, 1861), upon the expiration of one month from the 11th of October, 1861, viz.—Half acre, county of Grenville, parish of Ballaarat: Commencing at the south-east angle of the land to be reserved, being a point bearing north three chains fifty links from the north-east angle of allotment 4, section C, Soldiers' Hill; thence north two chains twenty-three links; thence west two chains twenty-five links; thence south two chains twenty-three links; thence east two chains twenty-five links to the point of commencement.—(61.C.8321.)

CASTLEMAINE—The Gaol reserve at Castlemaine, to be permanently reserved (pursuant to Order in Council of 30th September, 1861), upon the expiration of one month from the 11th of October, 1861, viz.—Two acres two roods thirty-two perches, county unnamed, town of Castlemaine, parish of Castlemaine, part of block 113: Commencing at the north-west angle, being a point bearing south eight chains, more or less, from the south-west angle of block 110, Castlemaine; bounded on the north by the south side of a street, bearing east five chains forty links; on the east by the west side of a proposed road, one chain fifty links wide, bearing south five chains; on the south by the north side of a street (separating the Gaol reserve from block 114), bearing west five chains forty links; and on the west by the east side of a street, bearing north five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.5637.)

CASTLEMAINE—The land reserved for a road adjoining the Castlemaine Gaol reserve, to be permanently reserved (pursuant to Order in Council of 30th September, 1861), upon the expiration of one month from the 11th of October, 1861, viz.—Three roods, county unnamed, town of Castlemaine, parish of Castlemaine, part of block 113: Commencing at the north-east angle of the Gaol reserve; thence east one chain fifty links; thence south five chains; thence west one chain fifty links; and thence north five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.5637.)

By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

GRANTS OF LAND WITHOUT PURCHASE.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Lands Act, 24 Victoria No. 117, § 87, it is hereby notified that, upon the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is the intention of the Governor to grant to trustees, without purchase, the lands hereinafter referred to, in accordance with the 5th clause of the said Act, viz. :—

EMERALD HILL—The site for a Temperance Hall at Emerald Hill, described in the *Gazette* of 11th April, 1860.

PLEASANT CREEK—The land set apart in 1858, and the land reserved in 1861, for the Hospital at Pleasant Creek (Stawell).

SANDRIDGE—The site set apart in 1857 for a General Market, and the site set apart in 1860 for Municipal Council Chambers, at Sandridge, to be granted to the municipal council of Sandridge.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 25th October, 1861.

CASTLEMAINE MINING DISTRICT.

BYE-LAWS.—[11th July, 1861.]

At a meeting of the mining board of the mining district of Castlemaine, begun and holden at the Board Room, Camp, Castlemaine, in the said district, on the 11th day of July, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, it is ordained by the said board as follows, that is to say:—

That the bye-laws heretofore enacted, and gazetted 6th November, 1860, and numbered 4, 5, 6, 9, 16, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, 29, 36, 39, 59, 64, 74, 75, 79, and schedule 3 inclusive, shall be and they are hereby repealed, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

4. *Extent of claims on new reefs.*—The extent of claim on any new reef shall not exceed sixty feet in length for each miner employed.

6. *Quartz prospecting.*—Any party prospecting in or for quartz reefs, whether old or new, or partially worked, shall be enabled to mark off and hold a claim of 240 feet along the line of reef, provided that he prospects and works the same efficiently, and that such claim be not within 500 feet of any other claim, or worked by less than two men.

9. *Limitation of width on surface.*—The boundaries of quartz claims on the surface shall be restricted to 100 feet on each side of the base line, and it shall be competent for the alluvial miner to search and mine for gold outside such boundary, but he shall not be entitled to hold any quartz reef or vein which he may discover within the boundaries authorised by bye-law 8, or to interfere with any plant thereon; provided always that quartz miners shall be allowed any distance necessary outside the 100 feet to sink a shaft or shafts, and to deposit stuff taken from their claim, and that said deposit shall be considered part of the plant of the said claim.

ALLUVIAL WORKINGS.

10. *Marking.*—In marking out claims, all parties shall do so by placing a substantial peg at each corner of the claim, which shall stand at least one foot out of the ground; they shall also cut a V trench which shall extend at least two feet from each post along each boundary line of said claim. Claims in alluvial workings shall be taken and admeasured, where practicable, in square or rectangular blocks, and not exceeding in length thrice the breadth thereof, except as otherwise provided for in these bye-laws. A wall of three feet shall be left between each claim, which may be wrought by either party, who shall properly secure and timber the ground while removing the said wall.

19. *Rock sinking.*—When the sinking shall be principally in basaltic or other rock, and shall exceed a depth of forty feet, the extent of claim for each miner employed shall not exceed fifty feet by fifty feet; and when the sinking shall exceed one hundred feet in depth, seventy feet by seventy feet. Under this and bye-law 18 a double claim may be held for each miner employed until three days after the day on which the shaft on such claim shall have been bottomed, when the full number shall be employed.

20. *Old workings.*—The extent of claim for each miner employed on old or abandoned ground shall not exceed eighty feet by eighty feet.

21. *Associated mining claims.*—To encourage combined action among miners, and the introduction of machinery on the gold fields, any party of miners shall be entitled to hold a claim of one acre for every four miners employed, but in no case shall a greater area than twenty acres be allowed in one claim, and such claim shall not exceed in length twice its breadth, except as hereinafter provided for; and further, no such claim under this bye-law shall be allowed except on partially worked or abandoned ground. Any party or parties may employ the miners forming such party or parties on the ground or in connection with the machinery as shall be most expedient. The extent of ground worked out shall be considered relinquished. At the expiration of three calendar months after the machinery of any such party or parties as hereinbefore described, shall have been in efficient working order, the full number of miners shall be employed, but the warden may, where satisfactory evidence shall be given that they cannot be advantageously employed, authorise the reduction of the number. Applications under this bye-law shall be made by affixing schedule No. 1, on a conspicuous part of the ground applied for twenty-one consecutive days, and by advertising a copy thereof in some newspaper circulating in the division in which the said ground shall be situated, at least fourteen days before the day fixed for the hearing of such application.

25. *Puddling and sluicing claims.*—In ground deemed old or worked, and in new ground where the average depth from the surface shall not exceed four feet, and where steam, horse, or water power shall be employed in connection with puddling, the extent of claim shall not exceed one quarter of an acre for each miner employed. Every claim held under this bye-law shall, where practicable, not exceed in length twice its breadth. Application according to bye-law 75.

26. *Puddling or sluicing extended claims.*—In cases where an unusual amount of labor and expense shall be found requisite, an extended claim may be granted in proportion to the expense to be incurred; the area allowed shall not exceed fifty yards square for each miner employed. Application according to bye-law 75.

27. *Puddling and sluicing claims in narrow gullies.*—Notwithstanding anything hereinafter contained, it shall be lawful for any party taking up ground under bye-laws 25 and 26 in narrow gullies to mark the same in any form they may think fit, provided the whole width of the, previously abandoned ground in such gullies be taken in the admeasurement of such claim. And further, the surveyor shall on no account survey any claim to be applied for under this bye-law unless the provision above stated be strictly complied with. Application according to bye-law 75.

36. *Tunnelling ground.*—Hills where the sinking shall exceed forty feet in depth, and principally through rock or cement, shall be considered tunnelling ground, and may be wrought

on the frontage system either by sinking or tunnelling. The extent of claim shall be forty feet in frontage by two hundred feet in depth for each miner employed. Parties taking up claims under this bye-law shall peg off their frontage and give notice to the surveyor, who shall properly mark the claim by two rows of pegs parallel to each other and at right angles with the supposed lead or frontage of the hill, and carried to whatever length may be necessary. The pegs in said parallel lines shall be within twenty yards of each other. All parties shall run their tunnels within their own parallels, and shall be allowed twelve feet on each side from the centre of their tunnel as a protection to the same for any distance necessary outside their tunnel, and sufficient space at the mouth thereof on which to deposit all materials taken from said tunnel. Parties may work their claims with one-half the number of miners until payable gold shall have been obtained, after which the full number shall be employed. When payable gold shall have been found, the owners shall mark off their claims in depth by two cross lines of pegs two hundred feet apart and at right angles with the side parallel lines, after which any party may take up a claim between the same parallels. All block claims on tunnelling hills taken up under bye-laws 18 and 19 shall be exempted from survey. Application (for frontage claims only) to be made according to bye-law No. 75.

59. *Erection of machinery.*—Parties requiring ground whereon to erect machinery, or for purposes in connection therewith, shall mark the ground to be applied for by a post at each corner thereof standing at least three feet out of the ground, and post a notice thereon stating the area and purpose for which such ground shall be required. If no sufficient objection shall be urged at the hearing of the case, such ground shall be granted to the applicants; such grant, however, shall be forfeited on the removal of the machinery therefrom, or when it shall have ceased for three months to be applied to the purpose for which it shall have been granted. Application to be made according to bye-law No. 75.

74. *Mode of taking possession of claims.*—Every claim in this district shall be taken possession of by pegging off the ground in the manner prescribed by these bye-laws, and in case of dispute the party who shall have first marked it accordingly shall have the prior title to such claim. If application to a warden for any claim is required to be made by these bye-laws, it shall be made within a reasonable time after such claim shall have been marked as aforesaid, and in case there should be two or more applications for the same claim, the warden shall award it to the applicant holding the prior title as aforesaid. Any claim may be marked off or applied for by any miner, his agent, or any person authorised on his behalf. Any party having made an application as aforesaid shall be protected in his possession as aforesaid until the warden shall have determined on such application, but no second "notice of application" by the same parties shall so protect them unless sanctioned and signed by the warden.

75. *Applications.*—Applications for claims or other privileges under these bye-laws shall be made, except when otherwise provided, by affixing schedule No. 1 on a conspicuous part of the site of the claim or privilege applied for, for a period of not less than seven consecutive days previously to the hearing of the application, and a copy of such schedule shall be delivered to and filed by the warden of the division. On granting such claim or privilege, the warden shall deliver to the party applying a certificate as per schedule No. 2, than which no other document to hold grants or privileges shall be legal. In all grants of registration two schedules No. 2 shall be delivered to the applicant, one to be affixed by him on a conspicuous part of the ground so protected, and one to be retained in his possession.

79. *Surveyor's fees.*—The scale of fees to be paid for survey and plan shall be as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Under bye-law 7	1	0	0
Under bye-law 8	1	10	0
To be paid in equal proportions amongst the miners interested within the limits of such base line.			
Under bye-law 21, five acres and under	2	0	0
For every additional acre	0	5	0
Under bye-laws 25, 26, 27, exceeding one acre and under three acres	1	10	0
Every additional acre	0	5	0
All claims not exceeding one acre shall be exempt from survey unless required by the miner.			
Bye-laws 20, 31, 32, for report on application	1	0	0
Bye-laws 36 and 37, a claim for eight men and under	1	0	0
A claim exceeding the authorised area for eight men	1	0	0
Additional area for each miner	0	2	6
Bye-law 39	1	0	0
Bye-law 41	2	0	0
Bye-law 51, report on each application	1	0	0
Bye-law 57	1	0	0
Bye-law 59, one acre and under	1	0	0
For every additional acre or part of an acre	0	10	0
When a conjoint application is made for a claim of an acre, with a site for dam and machinery, the fee shall be	1	10	0
Every additional acre, or portion thereof	0	5	0

Where not otherwise provided for by these bye-laws, the surveyor, whenever called upon to fulfil duties or officiate in his capacity of mining surveyor, shall be entitled to a fee of Ten shillings for a report, and Ten shillings more if a plan be necessary. Any surveyor who shall exact or receive any fee for the performance of any duty under these bye-laws in excess of those herein provided, shall be dismissed by the board.

DRAINAGE.—BYE-LAW FOR REGULATING AND ENFORCING THE DRAINAGE OF CLAIMS UNDER CERTAIN REGULATIONS.

1. When it shall appear desirable to the board to adopt measures for the purpose of draining any ground situated in any division or portion of a division of the district, the surveyor

shall, on receiving instructions from the board, post a notice or notices, in the form of schedule 1, in a public place or places on the ground proposed to be drained; and at the expiration of fourteen days from the time of posting such notice or notices, the board may proceed to adopt the necessary measures to carry out and effect such drainage, unless a petition shall have been presented to the board before such expiry, in the manner and for the purposes hereinafter mentioned. On receipt of such petition, proceedings shall be stayed until the prayer of such petition shall have been determined on by the board.

2. Upon the petition of not less than six claimholders, being holders of miners' rights, interested in claims liable to be interfered with by the proposed drainage, praying for the appointment of a committee to carry out and exercise the powers and privileges in respect to drainage conferred upon mining boards by the Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, No. 115, notices, in the form of schedule No. 2, shall be posted in the manner aforementioned, calling upon all persons who may object to such appointment to urge their objections at a place and time set forth in such notice before the board, and any parties objecting shall be heard, and the petitioners shall also be heard in support of their petition, and the board may either grant or refuse the prayer of such petition; and if granted, shall fix the number constituting such committee, but not to exceed seven members.

3. Attached to the petition there shall be a map prepared by the mining surveyor of the ground over which the petitioners desire the committee to have jurisdiction, showing the number of claims liable to be assessed, the area therein unoccupied, also a sectional plan, showing the natural water level, drawn to a scale of 1 inch to 2 chains, and a report on the general features and drainage requirements of the ground, and also a specification from the petitioners of the manner or mode by which they propose to drain the said ground, whether by machinery or otherwise. The surveyor shall define the boundaries of the ground aforesaid, by placing at each angle of the same substantial posts four feet high, and cutting a V. trench extending three feet therefrom showing the boundary lines. The board may require any further information from the petitioners that may be deemed necessary.

4. The petitioners shall deposit with the clerk of the board the sum of £6 before the petition shall be entertained, to defray any expenses which may be incurred by the board in determining on such petition, the balance (if any) to be returned.

5. The objectors shall lodge the sum of £3 with the clerk of the board previous to making their objections, and the board shall have power to award that sum, or any portion of it, to the petitioners, should such objections be deemed frivolous or vexatious.

6. Any claimholders being holders of miners' rights, liable to be assessed in respect of the drainage proposed as aforesaid, may nominate such claimholders for appointment on such committee, and in case the nominations should exceed the number previously determined by the board to constitute such committee, the board shall proceed to elect from such number a committee as aforesaid at the first following meeting of the board.

7. In case of the death, refusal to act, or resignation of any member of committee, the board will receive nominations and elect another member in his stead in the manner aforesaid.

8. When such committee shall have been appointed, they shall elect a chairman from their own number, who shall be responsible to the board.

9. A majority of such committee shall constitute a quorum, and all acts and deeds shall be determined by a majority present at a meeting duly held at a time and place previously agreed on. In case of an equality of votes, the chairman shall have the casting vote.

10. The board reserves to itself the right to resume the powers conferred on any such committee on the requisition of a majority of claimholders liable to assessment, and on proof of maladministration by such committee.

11. The committee shall keep a correct record of their proceedings, and an account of their receipts and expenditure.

12. A copy of all contracts made by the committee with any person or persons for the purpose of drainage, as aforesaid, certified by the chairman of such committee, shall be deposited with the clerk of the board, and no contract shall be valid until this condition has been complied with.

13. A statement showing the same, certified by an auditor or auditors appointed by the board, at the expense of such committee, shall be furnished to the board up to and within ten days of the 31st day of January or October next after their appointment, and on the corresponding days in each year, and shall also be published three times in some newspaper circulating in the neighborhood of their jurisdiction.

14. The board at its next sitting, after having received a notice from such committee to do so, shall frame and pass a bye-law imposing such a periodical and reasonable fee or charge on all claims, except as hereinafter mentioned, within the ground over which such committee shall have jurisdiction, as in their opinion will meet the approximate expenses, and such fee or charge shall be collected and disbursed for the purpose of drainage as aforesaid by such committee, or such officers as they may from time to time appoint.

15. The fees or charges shall be payable monthly in advance, and the first payment shall become payable on the day which shall be stated in the bye-law imposing such fee or charge.

16. The chairman of such committee shall be and he is hereby empowered to sue on behalf of this board for any fees or charges imposed by the board, should the same remain unpaid after the expiration of fourteen days' notice, in writing, requiring any party liable to pay the same.

17. Parties who shall have been working below the water level, whose claims shall not be worked, shall be required to pay only half the fee or charge which shall have been imposed during the period such claim shall remain unworked.

18. The holders of claims who shall be working above the

water level fixed by the board, on the appointment of such committee, shall be exempt from payment.

19. Any party abandoning workings under the water level for more than one month, who shall return again to work under the said level, shall pay one-third of the fees or charges which such party would have been liable to pay if they had continued to work under said level.

20. The chairman of any such committee may authorise any person to enter any claim or descend any shaft at any reasonable time in the presence of one or more of the holders thereof, for the purpose of ascertaining whether mining shall have been carried on below the water level as aforesaid, and in case any person so appointed shall be molested or obstructed in the performance of such duty by any other person, the chairman shall be authorised to prosecute such person on behalf of this board for a breach of this bye-law.

21. In case any claim shall have been abandoned or assigned by the holders thereof, or awarded to any other party by any decree of the judge of the court of mines or any warden, on which such committee shall have any claim for arrears of fees or charges, the parties taking possession of such claim, or to whom such claim shall have been assigned or awarded, shall be responsible to such committee for such arrears as aforesaid, and shall pay such arrears or arrange with such committee for their payment before taking possession of such claim. Any party failing to do so, and taking possession, shall be deemed to be in unlawful possession.

22. The board may, on cause being shown, extend, limit, or alter the area of the jurisdiction of such committee.

23. The surveyor shall be entitled to demand from any such petitioners as aforesaid the amount of fees hereby prescribed for making the survey, duplicate plans (one of which shall be filed with the clerk of the board by the petitioners), ascertaining and reporting, on the water level, and affording such other information as may be required by the board.

When the area is under 20 acres	£	s.	d.
Exceeding 20 and under 30	5	0	0
30	6	0	0
40	7	0	0
50	8	0	0
Above 50	10	0	0

FIRST SCHEDULE.

V. R.

CASTLEMAINE MINING BOARD.

Drainage.

Notice is hereby given that the Mining Board for the District of Castlemaine propose to effect the drainage of the ground situate at

and at the expiration of fourteen days from the date hereof the board may proceed to adopt the necessary measures for that purpose, unless a petition in accordance with "the drainage bye-law" shall have been lodged with the clerk of the board, within the said fourteen days, praying for the appointment of a committee under the said bye-law. Dated the day of

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Clerk of the Board.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

V. R.

CASTLEMAINE MINING BOARD.

Drainage.—Appointment of a Committee.

Whereas a petition has been received from praying for the appointment of a committee under "the drainage bye-law" to have jurisdiction over the ground which has been marked by posts, and is thus described:—

Notice is hereby given that on the day of at the hour of o'clock, at the office of the board, the said petition shall be considered; and all parties objecting to the appointment of such committee are hereby required to attend and urge their objections at the time and place above mentioned. In case the prayer of such petition shall be granted, the board will receive nomination, at the time and place aforesaid, from parties liable to assessment of persons to serve on such committee, and should the nominations exceed the number to be appointed the selection shall be made by the board. Dated the day of

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Clerk of the Board.

The undersigned members of the said mining board concurred in making the foregoing bye-laws.

WILLIAM AMER (except No. 74),
JAMES TREWABETHA (except No. 19, 79),
THOMAS HART (except No. 6, 9, 74),
HENRY HUNT (except No. 25, 26, 27, 75, and
the drainage bye-law),
EDWARD DAY (except No. 36),
SAMUEL SCOTSON (except No. 9, 25, 36, 75),
WILLIAM JOHN MONTGOMERY (except
No. 6, 25, 26, 27, 79),
JAMES BAIRD,
JOHN RAMSAY, Chairman.

Members.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing bye-laws of the mining board for the district of Castlemaine have been made in the form and have been signed in the manner prescribed by law; and any person desirous to dispute the validity of such bye-laws is hereby required to do so in accordance with the provisions of 21 Victoria No. 32, sec. 112.
Gazetted on the 25th day of October, 1861.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

R. HEALES.

8342.

SANDHURST MINING DISTRICT.

SLUDGE BYE-LAW.—[27th September, 1861.]

At a meeting of the mining board of the mining district of Sandhurst, begun and holden at Sandhurst, in the said district, the 27th day of September, 1861, it is ordained as follows:—

That the words "and the first assessment shall be due and payable on the tenth day of January (1861) One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one," be struck out from the 5th clause of the sludge bye-law, and that the following be inserted as an additional clause in the said bye-law:—

Sluicing.—Whenever for sluicing purposes a greater amount of labor and expense than usual in such operations shall be incurred, the party undergoing such shall be entitled to mark off as a claim an extended area of ground not exceeding one hundred (100) yards in length by one hundred and sixty (160) yards back measurement.

The undersigned members of the said mining board concurred in making the foregoing alteration in and addition to the sludge bye-law.

PETER KILBRIDE,
MARK GUINAN,
PATRICK CANAVAN, } Members.
JAMES ABBERTON,
EDWARD NOLAN, Chairman.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing bye-law of the mining board for the district for Sandhurst has been made in the form and has been signed in the manner prescribed by law; and any person desirous to dispute the validity of such bye-law is hereby required to do so in accordance with the provisions of 21 Victoria No. 32, sec. 112.

Gazetted on the 25th day of October, 1861.
8343.

R. HEALES.

PETITION UNDER THE MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS ACT.
INGLEWOOD.

IN pursuance of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has directed the publication of the substance and prayer of a petition addressed to His Excellency as hereinafter set forth, signed by one hundred and fifty-seven householders resident at Inglewood, praying for the erection of their locality into a municipal district.

R. HEALES.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1861.

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The petitioners state that they reside within the area hereinafter defined.

That the town of Inglewood is in the centre of a large mining district, and that it contains a mining and trading population who have invested large sums in permanent buildings.

That the land in the township has been lately sold, some of it at a high price, and notwithstanding the large sums paid by the inhabitants to the Government no provision has been made for roads or approaches to the town, and that the streets are now almost impassable.

That the township contains over three hundred householders.

They further state that they are of opinion that the erection of their locality into a municipal district will greatly advance its interests and prosperity and conduce to its permanent improvement and good government, and they suggest the following boundaries for the district, viz.:—Commencing at the south-west angle of the Inglewood township reserve; thence by a line bearing north one hundred and sixty chains; thence by a line bearing east one hundred and sixty chains; thence by a line bearing south one hundred and sixty chains; and thence by a line bearing west one hundred and sixty chains to the commencing point.

And the petitioners pray as follows:—

"We, the undersigned householders and landowners resident within the area above set forth, most respectfully pray your Excellency will cause the said area to be proclaimed a municipal district, in accordance with the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, under the style and title of 'The Municipality of Inglewood.'"

[The signatures to the above-mentioned petition appeared in Gazette No. 149, page 1922 ante.]

DEPASTURING LICENSES, 1861.

THE Governor in Council has approved of the undermentioned reductions in License Fees for the current year, 1861:—

District.	Name of Run.	Gazetted license fee for 1861.	Reduced fee for 1861.
		£ s.	£ s.
Warrnambool	Narob-nareb	35 0	26 0
Warrnambool	Merang	35 0	26 0
Warrnambool	Mount Sturgeon Plains North	37 10	15 0
Grant	Borhornyghurk East...	25 0	19 0
Gisborne	Glenhope	25 0	10 0
Portland	Merino Downs	50 0	17 10
Ballaarat	Kurucaruc	37 10	10 0*

* This being a second reduction allowed upon this station for 1861.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1861.

ROAD IN THE PARISH OF BET-BET.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has confirmed the Order of the Bet-bet District Road Board hereto subjoined.

J. H. BROOKE.

Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861.

2186.

Order of the Bet-bet District Road Board, made the 23rd day of September, 1861.

That whereas all necessary forms prescribed by the Act 16 Victoria No. 40 have been complied with in respect of the proposed deviation of road in the parish of Bet-bet through allotments 4 and 5 of section 2 A: And whereas no objections have been received thereto: This board orders that the necessary works be proceeded with and executed according to the plans and specifications deposited in the Surveyor General's Office, subject to the consent of H. E. the Governor, and that the compensation to Messrs. Bowman and Freemantle be paid at the rate of Seven pounds per acre for all land required for the said road.

CHARLES CAMERON,
Chairman.

ROADS IN THE METCALFE ROAD DISTRICT.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has confirmed the following Order made by the Metcalfe District Road Board, in accordance with the Act of Council 16 Victoria No. 40.

J. H. BROOKE.

Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861.

2187.

Order of the Metcalfe District Road Board relative to altering certain roads.

Be it ordered, that the alterations to certain roads, as described and referred to in the *Government Gazette* of 27th May, 1861, be opened to the public under the provisions of 16 Victoria No. 40, § 33.

WM. DOUGLAS,
Chairman of the Metcalfe Road Board.
Metcalfe Road District, 23rd September, 1861.

SALE (No. 402) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT STANLEY, ON WEDNESDAY, 6th NOVEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 4th October instant, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Stanley, on 6th November next: Notice is hereby given that the improvements on lot 35 have been valued at £630.

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1861.

SALE (No. 404) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT COLAC, ON FRIDAY, 8th NOVEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 8th October instant, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Colac, on 8th November next: Notice is hereby given that lots 1 to 14 inclusively have been withdrawn from sale.

J. H. BROOKE,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 22nd October, 1861.

INCENDIARISM.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS on the morning of Sunday, the 22nd day of September last, the premises known as Hunter's Forest Hotel, situate at Kyneton, were destroyed by fire: And whereas the evidence adduced at the inquest held on the said fire showed that the walls had been daubed with tar, and that paper saturated with tar had been inserted between the walls and the papering: And whereas confirmatory evidence of the guilt of certain suspected persons is required: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Fifty pounds will be paid for such additional information as will lead to the conviction of the guilty person or persons.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. HEALES.
Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1861.

8420.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

INCENDIARISM.

WHEREAS a store belonging to Robert Almond, situate on the Woodstock road, Wallan-wallan, was destroyed by fire in the night of Sunday, the 13th of October instant, under circumstances which excite strong suspicion that the said store was wilfully and maliciously set on fire: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Fifty pounds will be paid for such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person who set fire to the said store.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. HEALES.
Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1861.

8413.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, AND AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK, WITHIN THE COLONY OF VICTORIA.
Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st July to the 30th September, 1861.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.			TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.			TOTALS.
	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	
{ Not bearing Interest	47,484 17 2	Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metals...	...	...	...	51,496 13 7
{ Bearing Interest	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars ..	...	...	...	16,900 9 4
{ Not bearing Interest	Landed Property ..	...	...	...	26,561 15 6
{ Bearing Interest	Notes and Bills of other Banks ..	...	...	...	7,196 4 8
{ Not bearing Interest	9,060 8 5	Balances due from other Banks ..	...	...	...	10,992 13 10
{ Bearing Interest	252,554 19 6	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including	...	...	...	...
{ Not bearing Interest	Notes, Bills, of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	102,917 11 7	Funded Debts of every description, excepting	...	...	...	...
{ Not bearing Interest	149,937 7 11	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank	...	...	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	from other Banks ..	...	...	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	360,120 5 1		...	...	...	396,219 10 1
Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th					Total Amount of Assets ..	...	...	...	509,367 0 0.
September, 1861 ..									
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders ..									
Amount of the last dividend declared ..									
Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend ..									

JOHN YOUNG, Manager.
 I, FREDERICK AUGUSTUS STRATFORD, make oath, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful Account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities of the above Bank, within the colony of Victoria, during the period specified; and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council, 4 Victoria No. 13.
 Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } WILLIAM PERRY, Justice of the Peace.
 twenty-first day of October, 1861.

F. A. STRATFORD, Accountant.
 F. A. STRATFORD.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

SPECIAL LANDS.
(For sale by Auction at 11 a.m.)

	No. of Gazette.
ARARAT, on—	
Friday, 15th November	152
Saturday, 16th November	152
BENALLA, on—	
Tuesday, 12th November	151
CAMPERDOWN, on—	
Friday, 15th November	152
Saturday, 16th November	152
Monday, 18th November	155
CARISBROOK, on—	
Monday, 11th November	151
CASTERTON, on—	
Friday, 1st November	146
CASTLEMAINE, on—	
Tuesday, 29th October	144
Wednesday, 13th November	151
CHILTERN, on—	
Friday, 1st November	146
COLAC, on—	
Friday, 8th November	149
Saturday, 9th November	149
COLERAINE, on—	
Wednesday, 30th October	144
Thursday, 31st October	144
DAYLESFORD, on—	
Tuesday, 5th November	147
HAMILTON, on—	
Monday, 23rd October	144
HEATHCOTE, on—	
Friday, 1st November	146
Saturday, 2nd November	146
LINTON'S, on—	
Friday, 1st November	146
MELBOURNE, on—	
Friday, 8th November	149
SALE, on—	
Wednesday, 20th November	155
Thursday, 21st November	155
SANDHURST, on—	
Tuesday, 5th November	147
STANLEY, on—	
Wednesday, 6th November	147
WARRNAMBOOL, on—	
Monday, 11th November	151
WOODEND, on—	
Thursday, 7th November	147

COUNTRY LANDS.

(Applications for purchase and lease received until 11 a.m.)

BENALLA, until—	
Friday, 22nd November	2017
PORTLAND, until—	
Friday, 22nd November	2018

Lands and Survey Office,
 Melbourne.

SALE (No. 423) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT BALLAARAT, ON 26TH NOVEMBER, 1861.

To be conducted by THOMAS ADAIR, Esq., 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, intitled, *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-sixth day of November next, at the District Survey Office, Sturt street, Ballarat, 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.

COUNTY OF RUPON, PARISH OF LILLERIE.

Situated north of the Elm Creek, near its junction with Baillie's Creek, and near Mr. G. Brown's pre-emptive section, about nine miles south-west of Carnham.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Portion 101, 48a. 2r. 24p.
- Lot 2. Portion 102, 110a. 1r. 23p.
- Lot 3. Portion 103, 198a. 0r. 3p.
- Lot 4. Portion 104, 32a. 2r. 31p.
- Lot 5. Portion 105, 106a. 0r. 2p.
- Lot 6. Portion 106, 118a. 0r. 3p.
- Lot 7. Portion 107, 131a. 3r. 32p.
- Lot 8. Portion 108, 36a. 2r. 2p.
- Lot 9. Portion 120, 74a. 3r. 9p.
- Lot 10. Portion 121, 91a. 0r. 23p.
- Lot 11. Portion 122, 65a. 0r. 32p.

COUNTY OF RIPON, PARISH OF NANIMIA.

Situated west of the Emu Creek, and adjoining the pre-emptive sections of Messrs. Brown and Ailkin, and from one to six miles north and north-east of Skipton.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 12. Portion 73, 158a. 2r. 17p.
- Lot 13. Portion 74, 148a. 3r. 20p.
- Lot 14. Portion 75, 111a. 2r. 25p.
- Lot 15. Portion 76, 67a. 0r. 29p.
- Lot 16. Portion 77, 112a. 1r. 5p.
- Lot 17. Portion 78, 140a.
- Lot 18. Portion 79, 136a. 3r. 4p.
- Lot 19. Portion 80, 148a. 0r. 11p.
- Lot 20. Portion 81, 96a. 3r. 26p.
- Lot 21. Portion 82, 112a.
- Lot 22. Portion 83, 146a. 3r. 24p.
- Lot 23. Portion 84, 139a. 2r.
- Lot 24. Portion 94, 116a. 1r.
- Lot 25. Portion 95, 144a. 0r. 30p.
- Lot 26. Portion 96, 144a. 0r. 24p.
- Lot 27. Portion 97, 116a. 0r. 20p.
- Lot 28. Portion 107, 159a.
- Lot 29. Portion 108, 180a.
- Lot 30. Portion 109, 186a.
- Lot 31. Portion 110, 150a. 0r. 24p.
- Lot 32. Portion 111, 83a. 2r. 7p.
- Lot 33. Portion 112, 120a.
- Lot 34. Portion 113, 160a.
- Lot 35. Portion 114, 160a.
- Lot 36. Portion 115, 160a.
- Lot 37. Portion 116, 160a.
- Lot 38. Portion 117, 160a.
- Lot 39. Portion 118, 160a.
- Lot 40. Portion 119, 129a. 0r. 34p.
- Lot 41. Portion 120, 68a. 3r. 8p.
- Lot 42. Portion 121, 111a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 43. Portion 122, 80a. 0r. 32p.

COUNTY OF RIPON, PARISH OF EBCILDOUN.

Situated to the south of the White Stone Lagoon, about eighteen miles north-west from Ballaarat.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 44. Allotment 6, section 42, 156a. 0r. 20p.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 423) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT BENALLA, ON 27TH NOVEMBER, 1861.

To be conducted by THOMAS NIXON, Esq., 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 Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of November next, at the District Survey Office, Benalla, 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.

COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF BOHO.

Situated from half a mile to three miles east and south-east of the township of Violettown.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Portion 26 A, 102a. 2r. 32p.
- Lot 2. Portion 26 B, 102a. 2r. 32p.
- Lot 3. Portion 27, 100a.
- Lot 4. Portion 28, 100a.
- Lot 5. Portion 29 A, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 6. Portion 29 B, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 7. Portion 30, 241a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 8. Portion 31, 216a. 3r. 24p.
- Lot 9. Portion 32, 327a. 1r. 14p.
- Lot 10. Portion 33, 177a. 1r. 23p.
- Lot 11. Portion 34, 182a. 1r. 36p.
- Lot 12. Portion 35, 225a. 1r. 29p.
- Lot 13. Portion 36, 482a. 0r. 13p.
- Lot 14. Portion 37, 80a. 0r. 6p.
- Lot 15. Portion 38, 80a. 0r. 20p.
- Lot 16. Portion 39, 80a. 1r. 12p.
- Lot 17. Portion 40, 100a. 3r. 26p.
- Lot 18. Portion 41 A, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 19. Portion 41 B, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 20. Portion 42 A, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 21. Portion 42 B, 100a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 22. Portion 43 A, 100a.
- Lot 23. Portion 43 B, 100a.
- Lot 24. Portion 44, 110a. 2r. 5p.
- Lot 25. Portion 45 A, 93a. 2r. 5½p.
- Lot 26. Portion 45 B, 93a. 2r. 5½p.
- Lot 27. Portion 46, 100a. 3r. 6p.
- Lot 28. Portion 47, 96a. 3r. 27p.

- Lot 29. Portion 18, 88a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 30. Portion 19, 88a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 31. Portion 20, 88a. 0r. 32p.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 424) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT CASTLEMAINE, ON 25TH NOVEMBER, 1861.

To be conducted by THOMAS COUCHMAN, Esq., Acting 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-fifth day of November next, at the Government Auction Room, Market square, Castlemaine, 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.

CASTLEMAINE, COUNTY OF TALBOT.

Situated in Fletcher street.

Upset price for unimproved lots 50*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 1, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 2. Allotment 2, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 4. Allotment 4, section 55, 1r. Improvements valued at 100*l.* Upset price 100*l.* per acre.
- Lot 5. Allotment 11, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 6. Allotment 12, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 7. Allotment 13, section 55, 1r.
- Lot 8. Allotment 1, section 56, 1r. 9p.
- Lot 9. Allotment 2, section 56, 1r. 13½p.
- Lot 10. Allotment 3, section 56, 1r.
- Lot 11. Allotment 4, section 56, 1r. 4p.
- Lot 12. Allotment 5, section 56, 1r.
- Lot 13. Allotment 1, section 57, 30p.
- Lot 14. Allotment 2, section 57, 1r. 31-5p.
- Lot 15. Allotment 3, section 57, 1r. 2p.
- Lot 16. Allotment 4, section 57, 1r. 2p.
- Lot 17. Allotment 5, section 57, 1r. 2p.
- Lot 18. Allotment 6, section 57, 1r. 2p.
- Lot 19. Allotment 7, section 57, 1r. 2p.
- Lot 20. Allotment 6, section 58, 1r.
- Lot 21. Allotment 18, section 58, 1r.
- Lot 22. Allotment 19, section 58, 1r.
- Lot 23. Allotment 20, section 58, 1r.
- Lot 24. Allotment 18, section 59, 1r.
- Lot 25. Allotment 20, section 59, 1r.
- Lot 26. Allotment 2, section 60, 2r.
- Lot 27. Allotment 3, section 60, 2r.
- Lot 28. Allotment 4, section 60, 2r.
- Lot 29. Allotment 6, section 60, 2r.
- Lot 30. Allotment 11, section 60, 1r. 10p.
- Lot 31. Allotment 12, section 60, 1r. 10p.
- Lot 32. Allotment 13, section 60, 1r. 10p.
- Lot 33. Allotment 14, section 60, 1r. 26 3-5p.

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF FRYERS.

Situated near New Year's Flat, on the road from Chapel Hill to Bald Hill.

Upset price for improved lots 15*l.* and for unimproved lots 4*l.* per acre.

- Lot 34. Allotment 2, section 11, 2r. 32p. Improvements valued at 100*l.*
- Lot 35. Allotment 3, section 11, 2r. 32p.
- Lot 36. Allotment 4, section 11, 2r. 30½p.
- Lot 37. Allotment 5, section 11, 3r. 23p.
- Lot 38. Allotment 6, section 11, 3r. 21p.

Situated on and near Bubble and Deadman's Flats.

Lot 39. Allotment 9, section 17, 1r. 27½p. Improvements valued at 650*l.*

Lot 40. Allotment 19, section 18, 2r. 4p.

Lot 41. Allotment 3, section 19, 1r. Improvements valued at 25*l.*

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF TARENGOWER.

Situated on the Loddon River, near the township of Newstead.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

Lot 42. Allotment 21, section 6, 10a. 0r. 38p. One month allowed to remove fencing.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 425) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT KILMORE, ON 26TH NOVEMBER, 1861.

To be conducted by A. McCRAE, Esq., Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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-sixth day of November next, at the Court House, Kilmore, 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.

COUNTY OF ANGLESEY, PARISH OF KILLINGWORTH.

Situated near the township of Yea, on the Muddy Creek, and adjacent to the pre-emptive sections of Killingworth and Switzerland.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Portion 23, 212a. 1r. 35p.
- Lot 2. Portion 37, 108a.
- Lot 3. Portion 39, 116a. 2r. 13p.
- Lot 4. Portion 40, 116a. 2r. 13p.
- Lot 5. Portion 41, 94a. 1r. 37p.
- Lot 6. Portion 42, 97a. 1r. 23p. One month allowed to remove fence.
- Lot 7. Portion 43, 65a. 2r. 8p.
- Lot 8. Portion 44, 106a. 3r. 1p.
- Lot 9. Portion 46, 311a.
- Lot 10. Portion 47, 196a. 0r. 33p.
- Lot 11. Portion 52, 101a. 0r. 26p.
- Lot 12. Portion 53, 104a. 3r. 30p.
- Lot 13. Portion 54, 130a. 3r. 23p.
- Lot 14. Portion 55, 212a. 3r. 6p.
- Lot 15. Portion 56, 99a. 1r. One month allowed to remove fence.
- Lot 16. Portion 57, 120a. One month allowed to remove fence.
- Lot 17. Portion 58, 184a. 1r. 28p.
- Lot 18. Portion 59, 259a. 3r. 19p.
- Lot 19. Portion 60, 172a. 1r. 39p.
- Lot 20. Portion 61, 107a. 2r. 1p.
- Lot 21. Portion 62, 71a. 2r. 12p.
- Lot 22. Portion 63, 206a. 3r. 38p.
- Lot 23. Portion 65, 107a. 0r. 38p.
- Lot 24. Portion 67, 87a. 3r. 26p.
- Lot 25. Portion 68, 93a. 1r. 20p.
- Lot 26. Portion 69, 88a. 2r. 6p.
- Lot 27. Portion 70, 35a. 1r. 28p.
- Lot 28. Portion 71, 45a. 0r. 16p. One month allowed to remove fence.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 426) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT WARENAMBOOL, ON 28TH NOVEMBER, 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 Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of November next, at the District Survey Office, Warrnambool, 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.

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN, PARISH OF LIGAR.

Situated to the east of the Salt Creek, and on and near the road from Morillake to Ararat, and about seven miles north-east of Hexham.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Portion 66, 147a. 2r.
- Lot 2. Portion 67, 142a. 2r. 16p.
- Lot 3. Portion 68, 107a. 3r. 8p.
- Lot 4. Portion 69, 122a.
- Lot 5. Portion 71, 200a.
- Lot 6. Portion 72, 194a. 3r. 39p.

COUNTY OF VILLIERS, PARISH OF YETH YOUNG.

Situated on and near the west bank of the River Hopkins, near the junction of Mutton's Creek, and adjoining Mrs. Scales' pre-emptive section, and from three to twelve miles south of Hexham.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 7. Allotment 1, section 3, 93a. 1r. 24p.
- Lot 8. Allotment 2, section 3, 105a. 1r. 34p.
- Lot 9. Allotment 3, section 3, 60a. 3r. 27p.
- Lot 10. Allotment 4, section 3, 61a. 1r. 35p.
- Lot 11. Allotment 1, section 4, 39a. 2r. 8p.
- Lot 12. Allotment 2, section 4, 33a. 3r. 11p.
- Lot 13. Allotment 3, section 4, 50a. 1r. 19p.

- Lot 14. Allotment 4, section 4, 65a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 15. Allotment 5, section 4, 43a. 2r. 3p.
- Lot 16. Allotment 6, section 4, 43a. 2r. 3p.
- Lot 17. Allotment 1, section 5, 27a. 1r. 12p.
- Lot 18. Allotment 2, section 5, 58a. 0r. 8p.
- Lot 19. Allotment 3, section 5, 90a.
- Lot 20. Allotment 1, section 6, 38a. 2r. 22p.
- Lot 21. Allotment 2, section 6, 104a. 1r. 18p.
- Lot 22. Allotment 4, section 6, 119a. 0r. 21p.
- Lot 23. Allotment 5, section 6, 114a. 1r. 35p.
- Lot 24. Allotment 1, section 7, 98a. 1r. 8p.
- Lot 25. Allotment 2, section 7, 161a. 3r. 14p.
- Lot 26. Allotment 3, section 7, 125a. 0r. 7p.
- Lot 27. Allotment 4, section 7, 122a. 3r. 22p.
- Lot 28. Allotment 1, section 8, 119a. 0r. 1p.
- Lot 29. Allotment 2, section 8, 182a. 1r.
- Lot 30. Allotment 2, section 17, 111a. 3r. 24p.
- Lot 31. Allotment 3, section 17, 183a. 2r. 16p.

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN, PARISH OF EILYAR.

Adjoining the pre-emptive sections of Messrs. Austin and Anderson, on the Salt Creek, and from nine to fifteen miles north of Hexham.

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 32. Portion 91, 70a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 33. Portion 91 C, 70a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 34. Portion 92, 82a. 2r. 29p.
- Lot 35. Portion 93, 197a. 1r. 24p.
- Lot 36. Portion 107 C, 29a. 0r. 23p.
- Lot 37. Portion 108, 67a. 0r. 32p.
- Lot 38. Portion 109, 26a. 2r. 21p.
- Lot 39. Portion 112, 121a. 2r.
- Lot 40. Portion 113, 109a.
- Lot 41. Portion 114, 64a. 3r. 8p.
- Lot 42. Portion 115, 84a.
- Lot 43. Portion 116, 94a. 2r. 29p.
- Lot 44. Portion 116 C, 102a. 3r. 25p.
- Lot 45. Portion 117, 41a. 2r. 22p.
- Lot 46. Portion 118, 104a. 0r. 25p.
- Lot 47. Portion 119, 139a. 0r. 3p.
- Lot 48. Portion 121, 32a. 1r. 6p.
- Lot 49. Portion 123, 50a. 1r. 24p.
- Lot 50. Portion 124, 55a. 3r. 11p.
- Lot 51. Portion 73, 90a.
- Lot 52. Portion 73, 56a. 2r. 27p.
- Lot 53. Portion 76, 110a. 0r. 27p.

J. H. BROOKE,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS. ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS DURING THE WEEK ENDING 19TH OCTOBER, 1861.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.
Boroondara	J. D. Bragge	5	0
Brighton	S. P. Simmonds	5	1
Brunswick	Joseph George	1	0
Collingwood	Samuel Allen	37	6
Flemington	Joseph Paterson	1	1
Kew	F. Barnard	2	0
Melbourne	D. J. Tierney	58	23
Prahran	John Tulloch	4	1
Richmond	W. H. Lagoe	8	6
Sandridge and Emerald Hill	Andrew Plummer	8	6
South Yarra	E. B. Taylor	6	3
St. Kilda	F. T. Van Hemert	6	2
Williamstown	Edmund Burke	3	1
		144	50

All the districts are remarkably healthy.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1861.

Courts.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS. MELBOURNE.

IT is ordered that a Criminal Session and General Gaol Delivery of the Supreme Court of the colony of Victoria be holden at the Court House, La Trobe street, in the city of Melbourne, on Friday, the fifteenth day of November now next ensuing, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which all parties concerned are requested to give their attendance.

Dated this nineteenth day of October, A.D. 1861.

WILLIAM F. STAWELL,
REDMOND BARRY,
EDWARD EYRE WILLIAMS,
ROBT. MOLESWORTH.

CAMPERDOWN.

ANNUAL MEETING FOR THE LICENSING OF AUCTIONEERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Meeting for the Licensing of Auctioneers will be holden at Twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, the 26th day of November next, at the Court House, Camperdown.

Applications must be lodged with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 5th day of November next.

(By Order) WM. FERGUSON,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House,
Camperdown, 16th October, 1861.

DAYLESFORD.

AUCTIONEERS' ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Court House, Daylesford, on Tuesday, the 26th day of November next, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration applications for Auctioneers' Licenses, in accordance with the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 23.

Applications must be filed with the undersigned on or before Tuesday, the 5th day of November next.

(By Order) JAMES COFFIN,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House,
Daylesford, 21st October, 1861.

LINTON.

ANNUAL MEETING FOR THE LICENSING OF AUCTIONEERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of Justices of the Peace residing in the district, will be held at the Court House, Linton, on Tuesday, 26th November next ensuing, at Eleven o'clock a.m., for the special purpose of taking into consideration applications for District Auctioneers' Licenses.

(By Order) THOMAS TAYLOR,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House,
Linton, 21st October, 1861.

TARNAGULLA.

ANNUAL MEETING FOR THE LICENSING OF AUCTIONEERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Court House, Tarnagulla, on Tuesday, the 26th November next, at Eleven o'clock a.m., for the purpose of considering applications for District Auctioneers' Licenses.

Applications to be lodged with me on or before Tuesday, the 5th November next.

(By Order) J. A. G. FORBES,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House,
Tarnagulla, 19th October, 1861.

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

THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

(Pursuant to the Orders in Council of 19 November 1860, 6 May and 9 September 1861.)

ARARAT—

BALLAARAT—

BEECHWORTH—

CASTLEMAINE—

GEELONG—

MARYBOROUGH—

PORTLAND—

SANDHURST—

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

(Pursuant to the Governor's Proclamations of 20 December 1860 and 21 January 1861.)

ARARAT—Friday 13 December.

BEECHWORTH—Tuesday 10 December.

BELFAST—

BOURKE—At Melbourne Friday 1 November.

BUNINYONG AND BALLAARAT—At Ballarat Tuesday 3 December.

CASTLEMAINE—Wednesday 20 November.

GRANGE—At Hamilton Friday 20 December.

GRANT—At Geelong Monday 2 December.

KILMORE—

KYNETON—Tuesday 26 November.

MARYBOROUGH—Tuesday 13 November.

PALMERSTON—Thursday 7 November.

PORTLAND—

SALE—Monday 11 November.

SANDHURST—Wednesday 13 November.

WARRENAMBOOL—

COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—Friday 29 November.

ARARAT—Friday 6 December.

AVOCA—Saturday 23 November.

BACCHUS MARSH—

BALLAARAT—Thursday 21 November.

BEECHWORTH—

BELFAST—

BENALLA—Thursday 19 December.

BUCKLAND—Wednesday 4 December.

CARISBROOK—

CASTLEMAINE—Monday 2 December.

CHILTERN—Tuesday 5 November (*in lieu of 29 October*).

COLAC—

CRESWICK—

DANDENONG—

DAYLESFORD—Saturday 30 November.

DUNOLLY—

FRYERSTOWN—Thursday 28 November.

GEELONG—Thursday 5 December.

GISBORNE—

HAMILTON—Friday 20 December.

HEATHCOTE—Wednesday 6 November.

INGLEWOOD—Thursday 28 November.

KILMORE—

KYNETON—Wednesday 27 November.

MALDON—Friday 22 November.

MARYBOROUGH—Friday 1 November.

MELBOURNE—Friday 8 November.

PALMERSTON—Thursday 7 November.

PLEASANT CREEK—Friday 8 November.

PORTLAND—

RAGLAN—Tuesday 5 November.

SALE—Monday 11 November.

SANDHURST—Monday 18 November.

TARADALE—Monday 25 November.

WANGARATTA—Friday 20 December.

WARRENAMBOOL—

WEDDERBURN—Monday 28 October.

YACKANDANDAH—

COURTS OF MINES.

ARARAT DISTRICT—

Ararat—Monday 9 December.

Pleasant Creek—Friday 3 November.

Raglan—Tuesday 5 November.

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—

Ballarat—Tuesday 29 October.

Buninyong—Monday 11 November.

Creswick—

Mount Blackwood—

Smyth's Creek—Wednesday 13 November.

Steiglitz—

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—

Beechworth—

Buckland—Wednesday 4 December.

Chiltern—Wednesday 6 November (*in lieu of 30 October*).

Omeo—

Yackandandah—

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—

Castlemaine—Monday 2 December.

Fryerstown—Thursday 28 November.

Hepburn (Daylesford)—Saturday 30 November.

Maldon—Friday 22 November.

St. Andrew's—Tuesday 10 December.

Taradale—Monday 25 November.

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—

Amherst—Monday 2 December.

Avoca—Monday 25 November.

Carisbrook—

Dunolly—

Inglewood—Friday 29 November.

Korong (Wedderburne)—Monday 28 October.

Maryborough—Tuesday 5 November.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—

Heathcote—Wednesday 6 November.

Kilmore—

Sandhurst—Monday 25 November.

LICENSING COURTS—AUCTIONEERS.

AVOCA—Tuesday 26 November.

BALLAARAT—Tuesday 26 November.

BELFAST—Tuesday 26 November.

CARISBROOK—Tuesday 26 November.

COLAC—Tuesday 26 November.

GEELONG—Tuesday 26 November.

INGLEWOOD—Tuesday 26 November.

MARYBOROUGH—Tuesday 26 November.

RUTHERGLEN—Tuesday 26 November.

LICENSING COURTS—PUBLICANS.

AVENEL—Saturday 9 November.

REDBANK—Tuesday 29 October.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED—(Series 1861).

For what purpose Contract is required.	No. of Tenders.	Particulars of each tender, and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	If a Contractor previously.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorised by the Governor.
1110. Reservoir	...	Extra on contract No. 119, for the construction of a water reservoir at Indigo. £7 10s.	£ s. d. 7 10 0	Smith and Banks	Yes*	Division 61, subdivision 14, item 1	J. B. Humfray.
1111. Ditto ...	1	Cutting catchwater drains to reservoirs at Indigo. £60	60 0 0	John Stewart McKay	No	Ditto ...	Ditto.
1112. Roads	7	Heidelberg: erection of fencing. £171	171 0 0	Jenkin Rees	Yes*	No. 38 of 1860, subdivision 2, No. 6 (in lieu of contract 61/212, see cancellation 61/433)	J. H. Brooke.
1113. Ditto ...	10	Dandenong road: erection of bridge, construction of culverts, &c., between 7 and 10 mile-posts. £760 5s.	760 5 0	Hector McKenzie	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 1, No. 1	Ditto.
1114. Ditto ...	8	Main Gipps Land road: erection of bridge at Burrow's Flat. £259	259 0 0	Flanagan and Brazenor	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 1, No. 2	Ditto.
1115. Ditto ...	2	Smythesdale to Brown's and Italian Gully: erection of a bridge and construction of 1250 chains of road. £317 1s. 6d.	317 1 6	D. M. Barry	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 2, No. 9	Ditto.
1116. Ditto ...	5	Smythesdale to Ballarat: clearing 24 miles. £157 10s.	157 10 0	D. M. Barry	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 2, No. 10	Ditto.
1117. Ditto ...	10	Melbourne to Ballarat: construction of 40 chains between Keilor road railway station and Melton. £416	416 0 0	Michael Connell	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 5, No. 1	Ditto.
1118. Ditto ...	8	Pleasant Creek road: construction of 20 chains through Stawell. £479 11s. 6d.	479 11 6	J. K. Evans and Co.	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 11, No. 10	Ditto.
1119. Ditto ...	2	Lower Western road: fencing at Cressy. £91 16s.	91 16 0	Charles Ross	Yes*	No. 55 of 1861, subdivision 14, No. 2	Ditto.
(1050 of 1860.) (742 of 1861.) See note.†							

* Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

† Contract No. 1050 of 1860 has been transferred from H. S. Fish to A. T. Stevens.—GEO. VERDON.
Contract No. 742 of 1861 should be in the name of D. McLarty and Co., not D. McLarty and Co.

Melbourne, 25th October, 1861.

Police Sales.

GISBORNE.

THE following seized and confiscated property will be sold by auction, at the Police Barracks, Gisborne, on Monday, the 28th instant, at One p.m.:—

- 1 keg containing about 10 gallons of ale
- 1 keg containing about 2 gallons of rum
- 1 keg containing about 4½ gallons of brandy
- 2 cases containing together 2 dozen of whiskey
- 3 cases containing together nearly 4 gallons gin
- 1 cask containing 10 bottles of ale

LESLEY A. MOODY,
Chief Inspector of Distilleries.

Office of Chief Inspector of Distilleries,
Melbourne, 21st October, 1861.

Tenders for the Service of 1862.

TYPE, BOOKBINDERS' MATERIALS, PRINTING PAPER, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 29th instant, for the supply of—

1. Type, printing furniture, and printing ink.
2. Bookbinders' materials and leather.
3. Printing paper, parchment, and writing paper.

Schedules of the articles required and forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

Tenders must be made in strict conformity with the printed schedule, and the rates quoted must include all charges whatsoever; the freight, insurance, shipping charges, cost of packages, and risks of every description being borne by the contractor, who will also be liable for any expense incurred by the Government owing to the non-fulfilment of the contract within the time specified. The packages will become the property of the Government without extra charge.

The articles must be in every respect of the best description, and according to specification or sample. The paper will be paid for at actual net weight.

Delivery is to be made at the Government Stores, Melbourne prior to the 31st July, 1862, and payment will be made only on certificate of a board of survey, appointed by the Government, that the contract has been satisfactorily carried out.

Security will be required to the extent of one-third of the amount of the contract; and the bond must be entered into No. 159.—OCTOBER 25, 1861.—3.

within seven days from date of acceptance, failing which, the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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, who will furnish any further information that may be necessary.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

The decision of the Government will be made known on or before Tuesday, the 5th November, 1861.

*Treasury.

GEO. VERDON.

Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

STATIONERY, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 29th October, from persons willing to supply certain quantities of Stationery, &c., required for the service of the Government.

Schedules of the articles and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

Tenders must be made in strict conformity with the printed schedule, and the rates quoted must include all charges whatsoever; the freight, insurance, shipping charges, cost of packages, and risks of every description being borne by the contractor, who will also be liable for any expense incurred by the Government owing to the non-fulfilment of the contract within the time specified. The packages will become the property of the Government without further charge.

The articles, which must be in every respect of the best description (and where so ordered in accordance with sample), are to be delivered at the Government Stores, Melbourne, prior to the 31st July, 1862. They will be subject on delivery to the approval of a board of survey appointed by the Government, and payment will be made only upon certificate of the board that the contract has been satisfactorily carried out.

Security will be required in the sum of £1000 for due fulfilment of the contract; and the bond must be entered into within seven days of acceptance, failing which, the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on or before the 5th November, 1861.

Treasury.

GEO. VERDON.

Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

GENERAL STORES.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 8th November, from persons willing to furnish the under-mentioned supplies, in such quantities as may be required by the Government Storekeeper, on behalf of the Government, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1862.

Articles.	Amount of Security.
Ironmongery, &c.	500
Iron, steel, and nails	200
Linendrapery, prisoners' clothing, &c.	500
Painters', plumbers', and glaziers' materials	200
Leather and shoemakers' materials	200
Timber	200
Tentage and canvas	100
Tinware	50
Saddlery, &c.	100
Glass and earthenware	50
Seals and stamps	50

Schedules of the articles required, and printed forms of tender, may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering. A stock of stationery is in store, to a list of which tenderers will be afforded as opportunity of referring, in order to ascertain what articles will and what will not be required.

Separate tenders will be received for each schedule, but they must include the whole of the articles therein mentioned, and one price must be stated for each article. The value of all packages, whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices demanded.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum specified above for the due fulfilment of the contract; and in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within ten days, failing which, the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for ——" (as the case may be), and be deposited in the Tender Box at the Government Stores, King street; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on or before the 19th November, 1861.

CONDITIONS.

1. The supplies are in all cases to be of the best quality and description, and should articles of any particular manufacture be ordered, the same are to be furnished at the rates set forth in the contract.

2. All orders for supplies under these contracts must issue from the Government Storekeeper's Department, and unless otherwise specially ordered, the supplies must be delivered to the Government Stores. When ordered, they are to be delivered free of charge to any part of Melbourne, and in the case of Ship Chandlery and Oil for Lighthouses, at the Marine Yard, Williamstown.

3. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by the importation of stores for the Government service, or by any contracts made by the military commissariat, or by other departments of the public service. When desirable, raw material will be ordered for the manufacture in the penal establishments of articles required by the Government Storekeeper.

4. All supplies when delivered must be accompanied by the order, which will be receipted, and must be rendered with the contractor's account. No goods will be received unless accompanied by the order.

5. In the event of supplies ordered under these contracts not being delivered within forty-eight hours, it will be competent for the Government Storekeeper, should circumstances require it, to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price will be deducted.

6. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form, and present the same to the Government Storekeeper for payment at the Treasury.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the head of the department requiring the supply, as to the quality, the same is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the Government, and the decision of the board is to be considered final. Any expense incurred on account of the rejection of supplies by a board of survey, will be charged to the contractor.

8. If the board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 5.

9. The Government Storekeeper will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and the contractor must take back the rejected article, and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged as in clause 5.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the

Government Storekeeper, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. It will be competent, either for the contractor on his own behalf, or for the Government Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract by giving a notice in writing of three full calendar months 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, 16th October, 1861.

MEDICINES, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 8th November, from persons willing to furnish Medicines, &c., in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1862.

Schedule of articles required, and printed forms of tender, may be obtained from the Chief Medical Officer, or the Government Storekeeper, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

The tenders must include the whole of the articles mentioned in the schedule, and one price must be stated for each article.

The value of all packages, whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices demanded.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum of Two hundred pounds for the due fulfilment of the contract; and in the event of a tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within ten days, failing which, the contract will be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

All tenders must be endorsed, "Tender for Medicines, &c.," and be deposited in the Tender Box at the Government Stores, King street; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 19th November, 1861.

CONDITIONS.

1. All articles must be of the best quality of their several kinds.

2. All orders for supplies under this contract must emanate from the Chief Medical Officer, or from the Government Storekeeper, and the articles must be delivered at the office of the Chief Medical Officer, or at the Government Stores, as the case may be.

3. All supplies, when delivered, must be accompanied by the order, which, when receipted, is to be rendered with the contractor's account. No supplies can be received unless accompanied by the order.

4. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly in the prescribed form, and to present the same in a complete state to the Chief Medical Officer, or to the Government Storekeeper, for payment at the Treasury, Melbourne, or District Pay Office, as the case may be.

5. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply, as to the quality, the same is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the Government, and the decision of the board is to be considered final.

6. If the board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense (if any) will be deducted from the contractor's account.

7. If from any cause injury would accrue to the public service by waiting for a board of survey, the Chief Medical Officer, or the Government Storekeeper, as the case may be, will have the power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and that the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense (if any) will be charged as in clause 6.

8. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivery or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

9. 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 in writing a notice of three full calendar months; 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.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

GEO. VERDON.

FUNERALS AT MELBOURNE AND GEELONG.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on the 8th November, from persons willing to undertake Funerals, as may be required in the several departments of the Government during the year 1862, at the undermentioned places:—

Melbourne (including Collingwood, Pentridge, Williams-town and Hobson's Bay).
Geelong and suburbs.

The funerals are to be of the most economical description consistent with propriety.

Separate prices must be stated for children under ten years of age, and for adults; one sum is to be stated for each, including interment and minister's fees, conveyance, and all charges.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount of security required will be for Melbourne One hundred pounds, and for Geelong Fifty pounds.

The contract will be terminable by three months' notice, either from the Government Storekeeper on the part of the Government, or from the contractor; such notice to date from the first day of any month.

Orders will be made on the contractor by the departments in which the funeral may be required; and the accounts are to be rendered to the same. Payments will be made in the usual manner at the Treasury Pay Office, Melbourne, or Pay Office, Geelong.

Further particulars and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, or from the Stipendiary Magistrate, Geelong.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Funerals, Melbourne," or "Geelong" (as the case may be), and to be deposited in the Box at the Government Stores, or addressed to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 19th November, 1861.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

FUNERALS IN COUNTRY DISTRICTS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 8th November, from persons willing to undertake Funerals, as may be required in the undermentioned districts, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1862:—

Ballaarat
Beechworth
Castlemaine
Inglewood
Maryborough
Sandhurst

Full particulars and forms of tender may be obtained on application to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, or to the Warden of the district.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 19th November, 1861.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

MEAT FOR SANITARY STATION.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 8th November, from persons willing to supply Fresh Meat (Beef and Mutton), in such quantities as may be required at the Sanitary Station, Point Nepean, during the year 1862.

The meat is to be of the very best description, and to be delivered in fore and hind quarters alternately, on order from the surgeon superintendent.

The contractor or his agent must reside at Point Nepean, and should he fail to supply when required, the meat will be otherwise procured, the expense over and above the contract price being chargeable to the contractor.

The contract will be terminable by three months' notice, either from the Government Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, or the contractor; such notice to date from the first of a month.

Security will be required in the sum of £100 for due fulfilment of the contract, and the bond must be entered into within ten days from date of acceptance.

Further information may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, or from the medical officer in charge at the Sanatorium.

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

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

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

MILK.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 8th November, from persons willing to supply Milk, in such quantities as may be required at the Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend, from the 1st January to 31st December, 1862.

The milk must be of the best quality, and is to be delivered upon order of the officer in charge at the asylum.

Security will be required in the sum of £100 for the due fulfilment of the contract; and the bond must be entered into within ten days from the acceptance of the tender, failing which, the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

The contract will be terminable by three months' notice, either from the Government Storekeeper on the part of the Government, or from the contractor; such notice to date from the first of any month.

Further particulars and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Milk, Lunatic Asylum," and to be deposited in the Box at the Government Stores.

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

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 19th November, 1861.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

BREAD, MEAT, GROCERIES, AND VEGETABLES.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 19th November, from persons willing to supply Bread, &c., Meat, Groceries, and Vegetables, in such quantities as may be required by the various departments of the Public Service, except the military, at the undermentioned places, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1862.

The places for which tenders will be received, and the amount of security required for the due fulfilment of each contract, are as follows:—

Melbourne (including Pentridge, Yarra Bend, Richmond, and Collingwood)	£500
Williamstown (including vessels in Hobson's Bay except the <i>Victoria</i> s.s.)	£300
Geelong	
Portland	
Belfast	
Castlemaine	£200
Sandhurst	
Beechworth	
Ballaarat	
Albion	
Kilmore	
Warrnambool	£100
Maryborough	
Ararat	

Contract No. 1.

Bread, fine wheaten, 1st quality	per lb.
Bread, wheaten, 2nd do.	do.
Bread, do., 3rd do.	do.
Flour, 1st do.	per 100 lbs.
Ditto, 2nd	do.
Maize meal	do.

No. 2.

Fresh meat (beef or mutton)	per lb.
Ditto (ditto), when ordered free from bone for Lunatic Asylum	do.
Suet	do.
Salt beef	per cwt.
Salt pork	do.

No. 3.

Arrowroot	per lb.
Biscuit, best cabin	do.
Blue	do.
Brandy	per gallon
Butter, fresh	per lb.
Butter, salt	do.
Candles, composite	do.
Candles, mould	do.
Cheese	do.
Coffee	do.
Eggs	per dozen
Lime juice	per gallon
Milk (except at Yarra Bend)	per quart
Mustard	per lb.
Oatmeal	do.
Oil, neatfoot	per gallon
Pearlash	per lb.
Pearl barley	do.
Pepper	do.
Pipes, tobacco	per dozen
Porter, bottled	do.
Port wine, ditto	do.
Potash	per lb.
Quicklime (except in quantities for building purposes)	per bushel
Raisins	per lb.
Rice	do.
Rum	per gallon
Sago	per lb.
Saltpetre	do.
Salt, fine	do.
Soda, bread	do.
Soda, washing	do.
Soap, white or brown	do.
Soap, soft	do.
Sherry wine, bottled	per dozen
Starch	per lb.
Sugar	do.
Tapioca	do.
Tea	do.
Tobacco, best American	do.
Treacle	do.
Vinegar	per quart

No. 4.

Potatoes	per cwt.
Onions	per lb.
Carrots, free from top	do.
Turnips	do.

It is to be understood that potatoes will be usually drawn, other vegetables being ordered only in exceptional cases.

Tenders for bread, &c., meat, groceries, and vegetables, will be accepted or rejected separately.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

The value of all packages, whether in bulk or otherwise, is to be included in the price demanded.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties for due fulfilment of the contract; and in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within seven days, failing which, the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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.

The decision of the Government will be made known on or before the 29th November, 1861.

CONDITIONS.

1. All the articles are to be of the best quality of the several kinds, in the best condition, and to be delivered in sound packages.

2. The flour and bread must be the produce of prime wheat, from which twenty per cent. has been extracted in bran and waste for second quality, and twelve per cent. for third quality of bread.

3. Fresh meat (except when ordered for the Lunatic Asylum free from bone) is 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 shins of beef form a portion of the supply, a fair proportion of the bone, not less than five inches, must have been cut off.

4. The supplies are to be delivered direct to the establishment entitled thereto, on the written order of the officer in charge, or at the Government Stores, on the order of the Government Storekeeper.

5. Should the contractor fail to supply any articles when required within twenty-four hours, they will be otherwise procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from his account.

6. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly, in the prescribed form, and forward the same, in a complete state, to the Government Storekeeper, for payment at the Treasury, Melbourne, or District Pay Office, as the case may be.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies, as to the quality, the same is to be decided, in cases where the article is not of a perishable nature, by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the head of the department, and the decision of the board is to be considered final.

8. If the board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which, it will be procured by the person requiring it, and the expense charged as in clause 5.

9. In cases where the article is of a perishable nature, or when from some other cause injury would be sustained either by the persons to whom the rations are due, or to the contractor, in waiting for a board of survey, the head of the department, or officer in charge of the station, will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and that the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense charged as in clause 5.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivery or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report of the Government Storekeeper, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth the amount of the monthly account, as the Government may direct; it will also be in the power of the Government to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. 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 in writing a notice of three full calendar months; 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, 16th October, 1861.

PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR THE "VICTORIA."

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 19th November, 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, 1862.

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 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.

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

SEA STORES, WHEN ORDERED.

Arrowroot	...	per lb.
Beef and mutton	...	"
Beef, salt	...	per cwt.
Biscuit	...	per 100 lbs.
Candles, composite	...	per lb.
Candles, tallow	...	"
Cocoa	...	"
Coffee	...	"
Cotton wick	...	"
Flour	...	per 100 lbs.
Lime juice	...	per gallon.
Mustard	...	per lb.
Oatmeal	...	"
Oil, neatfoot, 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 ... 1 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 at the Treasury, Melbourne.

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.

Treasury,

Melbourne, 16th October, 1861.

GEO. VERDON.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1862.

TENDERS are hereby invited and will be received until Noon of Friday, the 1st November, 1861, for the Conveyance of Post Office Mails, as undermentioned, for one year, from 1st January to 31st December, 1862.

2. All tenders are required to be written on the prescribed form, printed copies of which may be had gratuitously on application at any post office in the colony, and may be forwarded (if by post prepaid) addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster General, with the words "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails" endorsed on the cover, or placed in the tender box at the General Post Office.

3. Tenderers are requested to describe by their numbers, as below, the mail services for which they tender.

4. Every tender must bear the *bond fide* signatures of the tenderer and two responsible persons willing to become bound with him in such sum as the Honorable the Postmaster General may direct, not exceeding the gross amount of the contract.

5. Persons tendering are requested to state the description of the vehicle they intend to use, and the number of horses by which it is to be drawn.

6. Contractors, if required, to provide free conveyance by every journey for a mail guard, an officer of the Post Office, who will have special custody of the mails in course of transit.

7. In cases where it may, at any time, be practicable to convey mails by railway, a rateable reduction will be made in the amount of the contract, and contractors will be required to take up the mails at any part of the roads to which railway communication may extend.

8. The mails to Castlemaine, Sandhurst, Maryborough, and Dunolly will be required to be conveyed by night.

9. No tender will be entertained unless the tenderer either resides in Melbourne or submits the name of an agent resident there.

10. Persons tendering, or their agents, must be prepared when called on forthwith to pay to the Secretary of the Post Office a sum equal to 20 per cent. of the amount of their tenders respectively; the said sum to be absolutely forfeited to the Government, unless the persons whose tenders may be accepted shall, within fourteen days after notice of acceptance, execute with sureties the usual bond and contract to the satisfaction of the Postmaster General.

11. On the opening of the railway to Ballarat, contractors for the services numbered 4, 5, 6, and 11, will be required to leave that place on the arrival of the night mail train.

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

SERVICES REQUIRED.

1. To and from Melbourne and Beechworth, by way of Campbellfield, Somerton, Donnybrook, Wallan-wallan, Kilmore, Broadford, Tullaroak, Seymour, Avenel, Longwood, Euroa, Violetown, Benalla, Wangaratta, and Tarravongee, with a branch mail to and from Wangaratta and Albury, by way of Chiltern, Barnawartha, and Belvoir, daily, and to and from the Springs and Rutherglen daily.

The mails to Beechworth not to occupy more than twenty-four hours in course of transit for eight months of the year, and not more than twenty-seven hours for the remaining four months of the year.

2. To and from the Woodend railway station and Sandhurst, by way of Carlsruhe, Kyneton, Malmesbury, Taradale, Elphinstone, Chewton, Castlemaine, Barker's Creek, Harcourt, Ravenswood, Big Hill, and Kangaroo Flat, with branch mails to and from Castlemaine and Maryborough, by way of Muckleford, Maldon, Baringhup, and Carisbrook, and to and from Maldon and Dunolly, daily.

3. To and from the Keilor road railway station and Ballarat, by way of Melton, Bacchus Marsh, Pentland Hills, Ballan, Gordon's, and Warrenep, daily, with a branch mail to and from Gordon's and Mount Egerton three times a week.

4. To and from Ballarat and Pleasant Creek (Deep Lead), by way of Cardigan, Burrumbet, Beaufort, Ararat, Armstrong's, Great Western, and Quartz Reefs, daily.

5. To and from Ballarat and Maryborough, by way of Sulky Gully, Creswick, Clunes, Back Creek, and Amherst, daily.

6. To and from Ballarat and Avoca, by way of Minersrest, Muir's Hotel, Lake Learmonth, Mount Bolton, Springs, Lexton, and Lamplough, daily.

7. To and from Maryborough and Ararat, by way of Avoca, Lamplough, Amphitheatre, and Eversley, daily, with a branch mail to and from Eversley and Crowlands three times a week.

8. To and from Castlemaine and Creswick, by way of Strathloddon, Guildford, Yandoit, Sneaton, and Kingston, daily, with a branch mail to and from Yandoit and Daylesford, by way of Franklinford and Hepburn, daily.

9. To and from Geelong and Belfast, by way of Murgheboluc, Inverleigh, Cressy, Darlington, Mortlake, Framlingham, Woodford, and Warrnambool, twice a week, with branch mails to and from Mortlake and Hexham twice a week, and to and from Hexham and Hamilton, by way of Caramut and Popshurst, once a week.

10. To and from Geelong and Camperdown, by way of Duneed, Winchelsea, Birregurra, Colac, and Larport, three times a week, with branch mails to and from Duneed and Modewarre three times a week; to and from Camperdown and Warrnambool, by way of Ternang and Allansford, twice a week, and to and from Warrnambool and Portland, by way of Belfast, Yambuk, and Naravong, weekly.

11. To and from Ballarat and Linton's, by way of Smythe's, daily, and to and from Linton's and Portland, by way of Skipton, Streatham, Wickliffe, Dunkeld, Hamilton, Brunxholme, and Heywood, three times a week, with the following branch mails:—To and from Hamilton and Apsley, by way of Cavendish, Balmoral, and Harrow, twice a week; to and from Hamilton and Penola, by way of the Wannon, Coleraine, and Casterton, twice a week; to and from Hamilton and Belfast, by way of

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of the Eumerella, weekly; to and from Casterton and Heywood, by way of Merino, Digby, and Hotspur, three times a week; to and from Heywood and Lindsay, by way of Dartmoor and Lyons, weekly; to and from Wickliffe and Ararat, weekly; and to and from Wickliffe and Belfast, by way of Caramut, Woolsthorpe, Korait, and Warrnambool, weekly.

12. To and from Melbourne and Dandenong, by way of Oakleigh, daily, and to and from Dandenong and Sale, by way of Berwick, Pakenham, and Rosedale, three times a week.

The mails to and from Melbourne and Sale not to occupy more than sixty-seven hours in course of transit.

13. To and from the General Post Office and post offices at Sandridge and Williamstown to vessels in Hobson's Bay, or other anchorage taken by vessels entering into or departing from the port of Melbourne, and from such vessels to the above-mentioned offices, as often as required: the landing and shipping of mails to be accomplished by a steamer. Tenderers to state the name, tonnage, and horse-power of the steamer proposed to be employed in this service.

Also conveyance of mails to and from Melbourne and Sandridge, by way of Emerald Hill, twice a day, and to and from the General Post Office and ships at any of the wharves, as often as required.

JOHN MACADAM, M.D.,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 18th September, 1861.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS DURING 1862.

TENDERS are hereby invited and will be received until Noon of Friday, the 8th November, 1861, for the Conveyance of Post Office Mails, as undermentioned, for one year, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1862.

All tenders are required to be written on the prescribed form, printed copies of which may be had gratuitously on application at any post office in the colony, and may be forwarded (if by post prepaid) addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster General, with the words "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails" endorsed on the cover, or placed in the tender box at the General Post Office.

Tenderers are requested to describe by their numbers, as below, the mail services for which they tender.

Every tender must bear the *bond fide* signatures of the tenderer and of two responsible persons willing to become bound with him in such sum as the Honorable the Postmaster General may direct, not exceeding the gross amount of the contract.

Persons tendering are requested to state whether they propose to convey the mails on horseback or in a carriage; in the latter case they are to state the description of vehicle they intend to use, and the number of horses by which it is to be drawn.

In the performance of the services numbered 14, 15, 16, and 17, contractors will be required to provide free conveyance, by every journey, for a letter carrier, who will have special custody of the letters, &c., in course of transit.

The mails between Kyneton and Heathcote will be required to be conveyed by night.

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

SERVICES REQUIRED.

14. To and from the General Post Office and the railway station, Batman's Hill, as often as required.

15. For the clearance of the Post Office letter boxes in the city of Melbourne, six times a day.

16. For the clearance of the Post Office letter boxes in Carlton and Hotham, six times a day, and for the conveyance of four letter carriers from the General Post Office to Carlton and Hotham, once a day, also for the conveyance of mails to and from the General Post Office and Hotham, three times a day.

17. For the clearance of the Post Office letter boxes in Fitz Roy and Collingwood, six times a day, and for the conveyance of six letter carriers from the General Post Office to Fitz Roy and Collingwood, once a day, also for the conveyance of mails to and from the General Post Office and Fitz Roy and Collingwood, three times a day.

18. To and from Melbourne and Prahran, by way of South Yarra, twice a day, with branch mails to and from South Yarra and Toorak, twice a day, and to and from Toorak and Malvern, six days a week.

19. To and from Melbourne and Hawthorn, by way of Richmond, twice a day, with branch mails to and from Hawthorn and Kew, six days a week, and to and from Hawthorn and Hartwell, three days a week.

20. To and from Melbourne and Pentridge, by way of Brunswick, six days a week.

21. To and from Melbourne and Bulla, by way of Tallamaine and Broadmeadows, six days a week.

22. To and from Melbourne and Keilor, by way of Flemington, Moonee Ponds, and Essendon, six days a week.

23. To and from Melbourne and Preston, by way of Northcote, six days a week, with branch mails to and from Preston and Whittlesea, by way of Janefield and Morang, three days a week, and to and from Preston and Merriang, by way of Epping and Woodstock, three days a week.

24. To and from railway station, Footscray, and Braybrook, by way of Maidstone, six days a week.

25. To and from St. Kilda railway station and Cheltenham, by way of Elsteruwick, Brighton, East Brighton, and South Brighton, six days a week.

26. To and from Melbourne and Heidelberg, by way of Alphington, six days a week, and to and from Heidelberg and Templestowe, three days a week.

27. To and from Melbourne and St. Andrew's, by way of Eltham and Kangaroo Ground, three days a week, with branch mails to and from Eltham and Greensborough, and to and from Kangaroo Ground and Yarra Flats, three days a week.
28. To and from Kew and Warrandyte, by way of Doncaster, three days a week, and to and from Kew and Lillydale, by way of Box Hill, three days a week.
29. To and from Cheltenham and Tootgarook, by way of Frankston, Snapper Point, and Dromana, two days a week.
30. To and from Dandenong and Cranbourne, two days a week, and to and from Cranbourne and Corinella, by way of Yallock, once a week.
31. To and from Sale and Lucknow, by way of Stratford, two days a week, and to and from Stratford and Crooked River diggings, once a week.
32. To and from Lucknow and Omeo, once a week.
33. To and from Port Albert and Sale, by way of Tarraville, three days a week, and to and from Port Albert and Welshpool, once a week.
34. To and from Port Albert and Yarram Yarram, by way of Alberton, two days a week.
35. To and from Beechworth and Stanley, six days a week.
36. To and from Beechworth and the Woolshed, six days a week.
37. To and from Beechworth and Wahgunyah, by way of Chiltern, Indigo, and Rutherglen, six days a week.
38. To and from Beechworth and Yackandandah, six days a week, and to and from Yackandandah and Albury, by way of Belvoir, three days a week.
39. To and from Yackandandah and Snowy Creek, by way of Sandy Creek, once a week.
40. To and from Beechworth and the Buckland, by way of Bowman's Forest and Myrtle Creek, three days a week, with a branch mail to and from Port Punga and Growler's Creek, by way of Morse's Creek, three days a week.
41. To and from Tarraville and El Dorado, three days a week.
42. To and from Benalla and Shepparton, once a week.
43. To and from Longwood and Gaffney's Creek, by way of Merton, Mansfield, and the Jamieson, two days a week.
44. To and from Broadford and the Reedy Creek, six days a week, and to and from the Reedy Creek and Yea, by way of King Parrot Creek, three days a week, and to and from Yea and the Tea-tree Creek, three days a week.
45. To and from Kilmore and Heathcote, by way of Pyalong, three days a week.
46. To and from Heathcote and Murchison, by way of Redcastle, Whroo, and Rushworth, three days a week.
47. To and from Heathcote and Sandhurst, by way of Axedale, three days a week.
48. To and from Sandhurst and Moama, by way of the Clare Inn, Runnymede, and Echuca, six days a week.
49. To and from Sandhurst and the Whipstick, by way of the White Hills, Epsom, and Huntly, six days a week.
50. To and from Sandhurst and Swan Hill, by way of the Serpentine, Durham Ox, and Kerang, two days a week.
51. To and from Swan Hill and Wentworth (N.S.W.), by way of Euston and Mildura, once a week.
52. To and from Sandhurst and Myer's Flat, by way of Long Gully and Eaglehawk, six days a week.
53. To and from Sandhurst and Inglewood, by way of Marong, six days a week.
54. To and from Sandhurst and Lockwood, three days a week.
55. To and from Castlemaine and Spring Gully, by way of Campbell's Creek, Strathloddon, Vaughan, and Fryerstown, six days a week.
56. To and from Castlemaine and Clydesdale, by way of Newstead, six days a week; and to and from Newstead and Glegower, by way of Joyce's Creek, three days a week.
57. To and from Kyneton and Heathcote, by way of Barfold and the Mia-mia, six days a week.
58. To and from Kyneton and the Green Hills, three days a week; and to and from Kyneton and Tylden, three days a week.
59. To and from Woodend and Newham, two days a week.
60. To and from the Gisborne railway station and Gisborne, six days a week.
61. To and from the Lancefield road railway station and Lancefield, by way of Romsey, six days a week.
62. To and from Sunbury and the Gap, six days a week.
63. To and from Daylesford and Glenlyon, three days a week; and to and from Daylesford and the Deep Creek, three days a week.
64. To and from Woodend and Hepburn, by way of Glenlyon and Daylesford, six days a week.
65. To and from Maryborough and McCullum's Creek, six days a week.
66. To and from Maryborough and the Alma, six days a week.
67. To and from Maryborough and Dunolly by way of the Bet-bet, six days a week.
68. To and from Dunolly and Old Inglewood, by way of Jones and Sandy Creeks and New Inglewood, six days a week; and to and from Sandy Creek and Newbridge, three days a week.
69. To and from Dunolly and Wedderburne, by way of Moliagul, McIntyre's, and Kingower, three days a week, to and from Kingower and Jericho, three days a week, and to and from Wedderburne and East Charlton, two days a week.
70. To and from Dunolly and St. Arnaud, by way of Cochran's and Peter's, three days a week, and to and from St. Arnaud and Mount Jeffcott, two days a week.
71. To and from Avoca and Hind's, by way of Mountain Creek and Redbank, six days a week, and to and from Mountain Creek and Navarre, by way of the Navarre Rush, three days a week.
72. To and from Pleasant Creek and Horsham, by way of Glenorchy, two or three days a week.
73. To and from Horsham and Lake Hindmarsh, by way of the Upper Regions, two days a week, and to and from the Upper Regions and Nhill, two days a week.
74. To and from Horsham and Werracknebeal, two days a week.
75. To and from Ararat and Campbell's Reef, by way of Cathcart, six days a week.
76. To and from Beaufort and Surface Hill, three days a week.
77. To and from Ballarat and the Brown Hills, six days a week.
78. To and from Ballarat and Bullarook, six days a week.
79. To and from Ballarat and Sebastopol, by way of Mount Pleasant, six days a week.
80. To and from Smythe's and the Staffordshire Reef, by way of Brown's and Italian Gully, six days a week, and to and from Smythe's and Carngham, by way of Preston Hill, six days a week.
81. To and from Linton's and Happy Valley, three days a week.
82. To and from the Pentland Hills and Mount Blackwood, six days a week.
83. To and from Creswick and Dean, six days a week.
84. To and from Creswick and Coghill's Creek, by way of the Bald Hills and Ascot, six days a week.
85. To and from Clunes and Glendaruel, six days a week.
86. To and from Buninyong and the Whim Holes, three days a week, and to and from Buninyong and Hardie's Hill, three days a week.
87. To and from Clarendon and the railway cutting, Mount Doran, six days a week.
88. To and from Meredith and Morrison's, six days a week.
89. To and from Batesford and the Moorabool, six days a week.
90. To and from Geelong and Steiglitz, by way of Sutherland's Creek, six days a week, and to and from Steiglitz and the Anakies, three days a week.
91. To and from Geelong and St. Leonard's, by way of Drysdale, Bellarine, and Port Arlington, three days a week, and to and from Geelong and Mount Pollock, by way of Ceres and Gnawwarre, three days a week.
92. To and from Geelong and Fyansford, six days a week.
93. To and from Geelong and Germantown, by way of Belmont, six days a week, and to and from Germantown and the Freshwater Creek, by way of Puebla, three days a week, and to and from Puebla and Conewarre, three days a week.
94. To and from the Railway Station and Post Office, Geelong, as often as required.
95. To and from Geelong and Queenscliff, by way of Kensington, six days a week, and between the Post Office and landing places, Queenscliff, and from Queenscliff to Geelong with mails whenever landed; also special mail conveyance to and from Geelong and Queenscliff, as often as may be required, at per trip.
96. To and from Geelong and Skipton, by way of Shelford, Rokewood, and Pitfield, two days a week.
97. To and from the Warrnambool Post Office and the landing place, as often as required.

JOHN MACADAM, M.D.,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 25th September, 1861.

Tenders.

TENDER FOR RUN.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Twelve noon of Tuesday, the 19th day of November next, for a Depasturing License, to the end of the current year 1861, for the following forfeited run.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Run, Rowe's Plains," and to be deposited in the Crown Lands Tender-box at this office.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Description.—Swan Hill District; names of runs, Rowe's Plains, A, B, and C; area, 144,000 acres. Commencing at the south-west corner of Rank Run; thence west along the south boundary of Tallarook to its south-west corner; thence south partly along the east side of Caprera to the north-east corner of Cow; thence east along the north side of Cow and part of Salt Lakes to the west side of Cargains; thence northerly along the west side of Cargains to the commencing.

Upset price £30.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 14th October, 1861.

J. H. BROOKE.

WORKING PUNT ON THE SALTWATER RIVER.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Noon on Tuesday, the 29th of October next, for working a Punt and levying Tolls, during the year 1862, on the Saltwater River, where crossed by a road to Geelong and Braybrook, in accordance with conditions to be seen at this office.

Applications to be endorsed, "Tender for working Punt, &c., on Saltwater River."

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 26th September, 1861.

LAND ON McALISTER RIVER, GIPPS LAND.

TENDERS will be received at this office until Twelve o'clock Noon on the 29th day of October next, for a License to occupy for a period of one year, for depasturing purposes only, that portion of land situated upon the McAlister River, Gipps Land, known as the Black Police Reserve, and containing about 640 acres. The Government reserve the right to mark off roads through the same, and to resume the possession of the whole or any portion of the land if required for public purposes.

Tenders to be deposited in the tender box at the door of the Crown Lands Office, and endorsed, "Tender for Land on the McAlister River."

The highest or any tender need not be necessarily accepted.

Plans of the land to be seen at the office of the District Surveyor at Sale, and at the Plan-room at this office.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 26th September, 1861.

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STORING ALLOTMENT, NEAR THE AUSTRALIAN WHARF.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Twelve o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 19th of November next, for License to occupy for storing purposes an allotment of land situated near the Australian Wharf, Melbourne, together with the use of the buildings thereon, now in the occupation of Mr. Macfarlane, and known as the Abattoirs.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Abattoir allotment, near the Australian Wharf," and to be deposited in the tender box at this office.

Terms and conditions, together with plan, may be seen at this office.

Minimum price £200 per annum.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 17th October, 1861.

ROADS AND BRIDGES OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Twelve o'clock on the days and for the purposes undermentioned.

Particulars may be learnt at the office of Roads and Bridges, Melbourne, and at the office of the road engineer of the district named in each case.

The Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

Tenders are to be endorsed with the subject-matter tendered for, as "Tender for ———."

(107.) Until Friday, 8th November, for the purchase of the McLennan's Straits punt, Gipps Land district (24.9).

(117.) Postponed from 25th October to 8th November, for repairs of sundry bridges and road near Stratford, on Main Central road, Gipps Land district (21.10).

(124.) Until Friday, 1st November, for erecting bridge and constructing portion of the Ballarat to Castlemaine road, contract No. 13, in the Ballarat district.

(125.) Until Friday, 1st November, for erecting two bridges and constructing portion of the Creswick to Clunes road, contract No. 4, in the Ballarat district.

(126.) Until Friday, 1st November, for works required to be executed near the Hibernian Hotel, Sandhurst, in the Castlemaine district.

(127.) Until Friday, 1st November, for making further portions of the Bendigo road, between Castlemaine and the Big Hill, in the Castlemaine district.

(128.) Until Friday, 8th November, for erecting bridge, &c., over Grange Burn, at Hamilton, in the Western district.

(129.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works on the Main Central road, between Sale and Stratford, in the Gipps Land district.

(130.) Until Friday, 1st November, for repairs to Sunbury Bridge and approaches, in the Gisborne district.

(131.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works on the Melbourne road, between the Morewell and the Moe, in the Gipps Land district.

(132.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works on the Melbourne road, between Shady Creek and the Tarwin, and at the Fern-tree Gullies, in the Gipps Land district.

(133.) Until Friday, 8th November, for fencing through McLachlan's land, on the Smythesdale to Ballarat road, in the Geelong district.

(134.) Until Friday, 8th November, for supply of planking for maintenance of the Geelong to Buninyong road, contract No. 11, in the Geelong district. Particulars of this service also ascertainable at the Road Engineer's Office, Ballarat.

(135.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works on the Maryborough to Mount Korong road, contract No. 5, in the Ballarat district.

(136.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works on the Sydney road, south of Benalla, in the Wangaratta district.

(137.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works between Wangaratta and Chiltern, in the Wangaratta district.

(138.) Until Friday, 8th November, for works between Benalla and Wangaratta, in the Wangaratta district.

(139.) Until Friday, 15th November, for improving approaches to bridge over Merriman's Creek at Gifford, in the Gipps Land district.

(140.) Until Friday, 15th November, for erecting bridge at Moira, on the Heathcote to Rushworth road, in the Kilmore district.

J. H. BROOKE.

SUPPLYING AND LAYING PIPES, ETC.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Mining Department, Queen street, Melbourne, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, the 18th of November next, for Supplying and Laying Pipes, Stand Pipes, &c., for Reservoirs at

Ararat,
Pleasant Creek,
Raglan.

Full particulars at the Office of the Mining Department, and at the Warden's Office in each district.

Tenders to be sealed, and marked "Tender for Water Pipes, &c., at ———."

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 12th October, 1861.

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SLUDGE CHANNELS, ETC.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Mining Department, Queen street, Melbourne, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, the 18th of November next, for the construction of New Works and Repairs to the present Sludge Channels at Ballarat.

Full particulars at the Office of the Mining Department, and at the Warden's Office, Ballarat.

Tenders to be sealed, and marked, "Tender for Sludge Channels," addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Mines.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 25th October, 1861.

CONSTRUCTION OF RESERVOIRS.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Mining Department, Queen street, Melbourne, until Twelve o'clock, on Monday, the 18th of November next, for the Construction of Water Reservoirs at

Ballarat,
Maryborough,
Tarnagulla,
Yackandandah,
Redbank.

Full particulars at the Office of the Mining Department, and at the Warden's Office in each district.

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

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. B. HUMFFRAY,
Commissioner of Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 12th October, 1861.

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, 1860, to September, 1861. Price 6d. each No.; by post 1s. Two copies can be forwarded without additional postage.

POUNDKEEPERS' MONTHLY RETURNS.—JULY, 1861.

THE following Abstract of the Monthly Returns received from the several Poundkeepers for the month of July, 1861, showing what Impounded Cattle have escaped, strayed, or been stolen from Pounds, and Impounded Cattle recovered (if any) after being lost, at the dates named in the annexed Schedule, is published for the information of all persons concerned.

Name of Pound and Poundkeeper.	No. on Pound Book.	Description, with brands and marks.	Impounded.	Escaped, strayed, or stolen.	Recovered.
Amherst: E. B. Stanworth	1085	1 bay horse, collar and saddle marked, hobbled on off fore foot, star, like broad arrow W § near shoulder, like W off shoulder, shod all round	1861. 24th June	1861. Escaped 4th July	1861. 28th July.
Ararat: T. Paico	1093	1 bay mare, star, like G under . off shoulder	3rd July	Escaped 25th July	Nil.
Avoca: J. Batchelor	988	1 bay mare, star and snip, switch tail, D near shoulder (No return.)	23rd June	Nil Died 16th July	Nil.
Axe Creek: G. S. O'Loughlin	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Bacchus Marsh: Robt. Pyke	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Ballaarat: H. A. Cooper	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Ballaarat: G. Johnston	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Balmoral: T. H. Peet	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Batesford: J. J. Buckland	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Beechworth: J. C. Garnett	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Belfast: W. Witton	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Belvoir: Hy. McIlree	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Benalla: G. Powell	462	1 dark bay mare, switch tail, black points, has had sore wither, near hind fetlock enlarged, very low condition, C off rump	24th June	Died 17th July	Nil.
Broadmeadows: W. H. Hill	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Bullock Creek: J. W. Gower	1680	1 chesnut mare, star, small snip, little white off hind coronet, 5 over 1M like AC near shoulder, bang tail	1860. 15th Sept.	1860. 1st October	31st July.
Buninyong: G. Innes	668	1 brown goat, in low condition, no brands...	1861. 5th July	1861. Died 14th July	Nil.
Camperdown: T. A. White	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Carisbrook: F. G. Hull	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Casterton: H. Davis	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Castlemaine: M. Pogson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Chiltern: J. Strickland	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Colac: W. Archer	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Creswick: H. Carpenter	1015	1 brown filly, off hip down, star, streak and snip, JB near shoulder	19th June	Destroyed 4th July, leg broken from a kick	Nil.
Dandenong: W. Davies	1058	1 fawn and white nanny goat, rope on neck	27th June	Escaped 4th July	Nil.
Daylesford: N. S. Hailes	191*	1 bay horse, black points, long tail, star, saddle marked, large JB on near shoulder, ML on off shoulder	27th July	Escaped 28th July	Nil.
Deep Creek: Wm. Bethell	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Digby: A. T. Farley	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Drysdale: J. Woods	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Dunolly: G. H. Findlay	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Echuca: G. Jamieson	580	1 bay mare, switch tail, shod, saddle marked, JHP near shoulder, N near neck, HK off shoulder	13th June	Escaped 2nd July	Nil.
	589	1 dun colored colt, long tail, star and stripe, off hind coronet white, indistinct brand like G or 7 near shoulder	15th June	Ditto	Nil.
	588	1 grey mare, HH near shoulder	Ditto	Died 9th July	Nil.
Elephant Bridge: D. C. Macpherson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Elphinstone: J. T. Patterson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Eltham: T. Batt	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Forest Creek (see now Heathcote)	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Gisborne: John F. Fletcher	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Glass's Creek: J. Oakes	230	1 dark bay mare, FW near shoulder	9th July	Escaped 11th July	18th July.
Glenorchy: D. K. Fitzgerald	415	1 red bullock, little white on back, snaily horns, like HO near ribs, blotch and like D off ribs	8th June	Escaped 12th July	Nil.
Guildford: T. H. Taaffe	367	1 red cow, cock horns, top near horn broken, large udder, like BOYD near neck, 7 near rump, 2 near ribs	20th July	Escaped 27th July	Nil.
Hamilton: R. Bloomfield	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Heathcote: J. Forsyth	99	1 bay mare, black points, star, 2 near neck, GD near shoulder	15th June	Escaped 16th June	9th July.
Hexham: J. Tomlinson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Heywood: F. W. Ullithorne	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Horsham: J. Mussen	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Kalkallo: G. Mitchell	584	1 bay mare, star and snip, MD near shoulder, † near cheek, — off shoulder	7th July	Stolen 10th July	Nil.
Keilor: E. Bonfield	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Kensington: D. J. Möller	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Kerang: H. Stevenson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Kilmore: C. G. Anderson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Kyneton: W. Bates	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Lancefield: J. Franklin	...	(No return.)	...	Nil	Nil.
Lexton: T. Nicholls	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Longwood: D. MacDonald	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Malmsbury: G. Evans	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.

* Returned to owner, Mr. Doyle, at Kidd's Gully.

IMPOUNDED CATTLE ESCAPED, ETC.—continued.

Name of Pound and Poundkeeper.	No. on Found Book.	Description, with brands and marks.	Impounded.	Escaped, strayed, or stolen.	Recovered.
McIvor Creek: C. H. Nimmo	...	...	1861.	1861.	1861.
Melbourne: F. Hewitt	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Melton: C. M. Williams	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Meredith: T. Connor	341	1 old brown and white spotted bullock, poley, JE near ribs, OA off rump (No return.)	7th June...	Strayed 3rd July	Nil.
Moorabbin: H. Fraser	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Morang: J. Hutchinson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Mount Moriac: J. H. Ryland	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Muddy Creek: G. Webster	...	(No return.)	...	...	...
Murchison: N. R. D. Boud	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Newbridge: J. Calvert	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Oakleigh: T. Rees	578	1 red sided bullock, WD near ribs	27th July	Escaped 29th July	Nil.
	579	1 brindled and white steer, WD off rump	Ditto	Ditto	
	580	1 black and white cow, up horns, JD in diamond and HS on rump	Ditto	Ditto	
	581	1 brindled sided heifer, white on forehead, no brand	Ditto	Ditto	
	582	1 red and white young bull, no brand visible	Ditto	Ditto	
	583	1 light red cow, white on forehead, rump, and tail, like ND near rump	Ditto	Ditto	
	584	1 brown sided cow, PS near rump	Ditto	Ditto	
	585	1 brindled heifer, short horns, no brand visible	Ditto	Ditto	
	586	1 white and red young cow, D near shoulder	Ditto	Ditto	
	556, 606	1 white heifer, strawberry neck, SA near shoulder (the SA across A), J off rump	25th July	Escaped 26th July	27th July.
Pentridge: F. W. Buzaglo	2092	1 black he goat	26th July	Escaped 28th July	Nil.
Portland: S. Hazeldine	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
River Leigh (or Shelford): H. M. Wilson	757-773	17 bullocks and cows, no brands	8th July	Escaped 8th July	Nil.
Rokewood: D. McAndrew	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Rothwell: L. Durant	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Sale: H. M. Pearson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Sandhurst: D. Mackey	...	(No return.)	...	...	...
Shepparton: J. Parsons	84	1 chesnut horse, switch tail, star, snip, and small blaze down face, saddle marked, fired on both fore legs, HS near shoulder	27th May...	Escaped 2nd June	27th July.
Skipton: J. Daly	476	1 red cow, very old, PM off ribs	29th June	Died 3rd July	Nil.
Somerton: C. M. Blakey	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
South Geelong: H. P. Wallace	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
St. Arnaud: F. H. Massey	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
St. Kilda: M. Hunt	579	1 white pig	13th July...	Died 23rd July	Nil.
Sugar Loaf Creek: J. M. Ferrell	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Swan Hill: J. Broad	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Triden: A. H. Clayton	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Wallan-wallan: H. Barber	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Wangaratta: A. Tone	326	1 yellow bullock, JS off rump, indistinct brand off ribs	20th July	Died 23rd July	Nil.
Warrandyte: J. Hutchinson	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Warrnambool: J. Hitcho	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Wattle Creek: A. Barker	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Wedderburne: G. R. Bruce	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Wickliffe: F. W. Dodd	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Williamstown (Kororoit Creek): A. Burke	...	...	...	Nil	Nil.
Winchelsea: G. Wiltshire	697	1 red and white heifer, C-C off rump	8th July...	Died 25th July	Nil.

Treasury, Melbourne,
Gazetted 25th October, 1861.

Personal Information.

INFORMATION as to the present address of the under-mentioned persons, or as to their death (if deceased), is requested, at the instance of their relatives, to be forwarded to the Honorable the Chief Secretary, Melbourne:—

ARMSTRONG, PATRICK, who was discharged as a private soldier from the 40th regiment about two years ago, afterwards employed as a turnkey at the Melbourne Central Gaol, and now supposed to be at Castlemaine, is requested to call at the Barracks or send his address to the Officer commanding the 40th detachment, as some pension papers have recently arrived for him from the Chelsea Hospital, a receipt for which is required on delivery.—(S.5510.) 23rd July, 1861.

AUCLAIRE, CHARLES, from Canada, supposed to have died on the 22nd of September, 1859, at Lucky Woman's, in the Ballarat district, leaving property. Further information is requested on behalf of a relative.—(S.5580.) 10th September, 1861.

CURTIS, MICHAEL and SARAH. Michael Curtis and his wife Sarah (whose maiden name was Mulloy), came to Australia fourteen or fifteen years ago; they then had six children, and are both now about forty years of age. Michael Curtis when last heard of was a laboring man, working within three or four miles of Melbourne.—(U.7427.) 11th October, 1861.

No. 159.—OCTOBER 25, 1861.—5.

HEASMAN, HENRIETTA (maiden name Page), who left England with two sisters in 1855, and when last heard of was living at the station of a Mr. Darlow. Information regarding her is requested at the instance of her friends, or she is requested herself to communicate her address, at the Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne.—20th August, 1861.

HILSON, PETER, a native of Biggar, Lanarkshire, Scotland, stated to have come to Australia fifty-five or sixty years ago, and to have died, leaving property. Further information is requested on behalf of his relatives.—(G.L.T.6534.) 10th September, 1861.

MCLONE, THOMAS, house-painter, formerly of George street, Portland place, London; who came to this colony in 1852, on board the *Marlborough*; and was last heard from by letter dated July, 1856, Dunolly diggings.—(G.L.T.2385.) 14th June, 1861.

O'HALLORAN, WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, aged 26, 5 feet 9 inches in height, slight build, with dark eyes and hair, and dark complexion. He was last heard of about five years ago, when he was on his way to Forest Creek.—(G.L.T.6413.) 27th September, 1861.

PARISH, JOHN ROBISON, formerly of Plymouth, England, who sailed from Liverpool for this colony about three years since, and is supposed to be employed in the coasting trade.—(G.L.T.2373.) 14th June, 1861.

No. 37.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED SHIP LETTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 23RD OCTOBER, 1861.

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

Application to be made at the General Delivery Department, entrance from Little Bourke street.

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

WILLIAM TURNER,
Secretary.

A.
68 Adamson, Thos.
69 Adam, Wm. or Hm.
70 Allen, H.
71 Anderson, Alex.
72 Archer, George
73 Arberry, Mr.
74 Arberry, John
75 Armstrong, Thos. D.
76 Argall, Wm.
77 Arkless, Peter
78 Arnold, W. A. B.
79 Arnold, Mrs.
80 Arwell, Miss
81 Ashton, Mrs. Hannah
82-4 Attwood, Tom
85 Austin, Mrs.
86 Avarne, Julian

B.
161 Bacot, Anne
162-4 Batley, Robt.
165-6 Bailey, John
167 Bell, Thos.
168 Bennett, James
169 Benjamin, B.
170 Birnsteele, Mrs. Jane
171 Bonfield, Patrick
172 Boden, Jas.
173 Bowker, Mrs. Walter
174-6 Brand, C. H.
177 Brown, Thos. McCallum
178 Bruce, Thomas
179 Bunting, Wm.

C.
174 Carlton and Harknell
175 Cattermole, H.
176 Chambers, Thos. John
177 Chambers, R.
178 Christy, A. C.
179 Chrisp, Jas.
180 Clark, C.
181 Clarke, Mary
182 Colliers, Ada
183 Cooper, Peter
184 Cotter, John
185 Cox, John
186 Crowley, John
187 Crouley, John
188 Cumming, J. S.
189 Curtis, John

D.
91 Dare, John George
92 Davis, Mary
93 Dawson, Alex. Baird
94 Dempster, Alexander
95 Dineley, Miss M. L.
96 Dixon, Mrs.
97 Doyle, Mrs.
98 Duncan, Edwd. Gray
99 Dyer, E.

E.
38 Ellison, James

F.
72 Fenwick, Robert
73 Fenwick, Thos.
74 Flanagan, Annie
75 Flanagan, Michael
76 Flynn, Michael
77 Folan, Julia
78 Foley, Florence
79 Foley, John
80 Ford, Kate
81 Futter, Eliza

G.
88 Gardner, Joseph
89 Gibson, Samuel
90 Good, James
91 Gordon, Robert
92 Graham, J. G.
93 Griffs, William

H.
170 Hall, Edward
171 Hanly, Michl.
172 Hegarty, R.
173 Hill, E. Geo.
174 Hindmarsh, W. M.

175 Holl, Chas.
176 Hunter, James

I. AND J.
89 Jennings, F.
90 Jones, Miss C. A.
91 Jones, D.
92 Jones, Wm.

K.
64 Kelly, Geo.
65 Kemp, Mrs. E.
66 Kewley, G. W.

L.
76 Lancaster, R.
77 Langan, Patk.
78 Latt, Corpl. S.
79 Leadbitter, Jao.
80 Lindsay, Mr.

M.
118 Mack, Pt. Joseph
119 Manks, John
120 Michel, Jacob
121 Milner, Jane Ann
122 Molloy, Mrs.
123 Monaghan, Bridget T.
124 Morton, Thomas
125 Maurant, Giffard
126 Muggeridge, C. J.
127 Myers, Abraham

Mc.
109 McCarthy, Samuel
110 McConnachie, James
111 McGlyn, Peter, or Maglyn
112 McGlinn, Margt.
113 McGrath, John
114 Mellpin, Eliza
115 McKay, John
116 McKeen, Mrs. Allen
117 McLean, Mrs.
118 McFie, Alexander
119 McDulan, Mr.

N.
Nil.
87 O'Boirne, James
88 O'Donnell, Anthony
89 O'Neill, Jeremiah
40 Overton, Miss J.

P.
99 Pallay, Jean Louis
100 Parry, W.
101 Phillips, Mr.
102 Pim, Chs. B.
103 Potter, Helena
104 Pourie, Hy. W.
105 Preston, Josiah
106-7 Price, Granville S.
108 Pritchard, Mrs. J.
109 Prufer, Mr.
110 Ptolomey, George

Q.
Nil.

R.
103 Ray, Edward
104 Raleigh, David
105 Read, Sophia R.
106 Riley, Denis
107 Rooney, Patk.
108 Ross, Christina
109 Russell, Mr.
110 Ryan, Michael

S.
185 Sadler, Stephen
186 Schaefer, Carl
187 Scott, Huntly
188 Scott, Wm.
189 Sinclair, Charles
190 Skeete, Miss
191 Smith, George B.
192 Smith, Wm. W.
193 Snowdon, Wm.
194 Sonderson, Rasmus
195 Spargo, Wm.

196 Stop, Martimus
197 Sullivan, A.
198 Sutherland, W. D.

T.
87 Thomson, James S.
88 Thorn, Miss
89 Tightbown, Wm.
90 Tobey, J. H.

U.
Nil.

V.
Nil.

W.
159 White, Andrew
160 Whitedead, Joseph
161 Williams, W.
162 Williamson Bros. and Co.
163 Wilson, M.

Y.
Nil.
Z.
Nil.
MISCELLANEOUS.
INITIALS.
6 T.K.

LETTERS DETAINED AT THE DEAD LETTER OFFICE, WITH THE AMOUNT OF POSTAGE CHARGED, INCLUDING 2d. FOR ADVERTISING.

APPLICANTS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE THE DATE ON WHICH THE LETTERS ARE DETAINED.

16th October, 1861.

Budd, R. H., Esq., Melbourne, 1s.
Matthews, Mrs., Heidelberg, 4d.
Cghlan, W., Kyneton, 4d.
Brownrigg, Mrs., Albury, 4d.
Darley, Esq., Albury, 4d.
Henty, T., Esq., Albury, 4d.
Moffitt, Messrs., Albury, 4d.
Evans Brothers, Albury, 4d.
Mate and Co., Albury, 4d.
Clarke, Esq., Beechworth, 10d.
Inch, Josiah, Chewton, 4d.
Keith, Augustus, Esq., (two newspapers) Sandhurst, 5s. 2d.
Fisher, C., South Adelaide, 8d.
Brown, Chas., Scotland, 5d.
McCann, Jno., Flanery, Otago, N.Z., 4d.
Sexton, G., Port Royal, Jamaica, W.I., 7d.
Paterson, Simons and Co., Singapore, 8d.
Johnston and Co., A. L., Singapore, 8d.
Russell, H. V., Esq., R.N., Hong Kong, 8d.
Russell, Thos., R.N., Hong Kong, 8d.
McNeil and Co., Sumarang, 8d.
Odman and Co., A. M., Bangkok, 8d.

17th October.

The Editor of the *Argus*, Melbourne, 4d.
The Building Surveyor, Melbourne, 4d.
Newman, T., Melbourne, 3d.
Basedald, Peter, Melbourne, 4d.
Whitmore, Mr., Melbourne, 6d.
Bancroft, Richd., Esq., St. Kilda, 4d.
Hall, John, Ascot, 6d.
Holden, Wm., Yelta, *via* Swan Hill, 6d.
O'Farrell, Philip, Deniliquin, 4d.
Broadbent, Wm., England, 8d.
Andersen, P., Norway, 1s. 3d.
Morrish, Joseph, Moreton Bay, 8d.
Rieve, Mrs., Williamstown, 4d.

18th October.

A. D., office of the *Argus*, Melbourne, 2d.
To the Editor of the *Australian Evangelist*, Melbourne, 6d.
Macfarlane, J. A., Brighton, 4d.
Jacobs, Edward, Pentridge, 4d.
McCann, Edwd., Kilmore, 2s. 1d.
Steel, W. C., Albury, 4d.
Henty, Esq., Richmond, 4d.
Guomsey, Mrs., Shelbourne, near Bendigo, 4d.
Robertson, Mrs., Musquito Plains, 4d.
Chester, John, Sale, 2s. 4d.
Sharpley, Anna, Asliby, 3s. 2d.
Mars, Mr., Casterton, 2s. 2d.
Headlam, Esq., Moama, 4d.
Wallis and Co., A., Adelong, 4d.
Smith, David Corbitt, Rushworth, 5d.
Blewett, Mr., Hay, 1s. 2d.
Rowe, John P., Esq., Whipstick, 5s. 7d.
Bernicke, G. A., Sandhurst, 2s. 4d.
Hobbs, Geo., Esq., Auckland, N.Z., 6d.

19th October.

Rappa, Melbourne, 1d.
Lewis, Joseph, Pentridge, 4d.
Desailly, Frs., Esq., Corree, near Billyong, 4d.
Disher, Wm. Jno., Esq., Hay, 4d.
Davis, William, Beechworth, 6d.
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21st October.

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22nd October.

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23rd October.

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 Hillas, Mrs. T., Ballarat, 2s. 2d.
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 Fraunce and Co., J., Albury, 4d.
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 Robertson, Jane, Albury, 4d.
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 The District Surveyor, Camperdown, 2s. 6d.
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In the Insolvent Estate of MARGARET LOW, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, boarding-house keeper.

WHEREAS the estate of Margaret Low, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, boarding-house keeper, was, on the tenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Margaret Low, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Margaret Low exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,

For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
 Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1589

In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS NICHOLAS, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, licensed victualler.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Nicholas, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, licensed victualler, was, on the seventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Nicholas, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Thomas Nicholas exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,

For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
 Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1587

In the Insolvent Estate of ROBERT THOMAS FAIRBRIDGE, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of Robert Thomas Fairbridge, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the seventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Thomas Fairbridge, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Robert Thomas Fairbridge exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,

For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
 Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1592

In the Insolvent Estate of **WILLIAM WAUGH and JAMES FERGUSON**, of Bullarook, in the colony of Victoria, timber merchants.

WHEREAS the estate of William Waugh and James Ferguson, of Bullarook, in the colony of Victoria, timber merchants, was, on the seventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Waugh and James Ferguson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Waugh and James Ferguson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1588

In the Insolvent Estate of **WILLIAM KEDDIE PATERSON**, of Warrnambool, in the colony of Victoria, builder and contractor.

WHEREAS the estate of William Keddrie Paterson, of Warrnambool, in the colony of Victoria, builder and contractor, was, on the eighth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Keddrie Paterson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Keddrie Paterson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1590

In the Insolvent Estate of **ANSLEM FREDERICK GORING**, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, coach driver.

WHEREAS the estate of Anslem Frederick Goring, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, coach driver, was, on the tenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Anslem Frederick Goring, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Anslem Frederick Goring exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1591

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS AYERST**, of Spring Hills, county Grenville, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Ayerst, of Spring Hills, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, was, on the twenty-fourth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Ayerst, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1629

In the Insolvent Estate of **JOHN SMITH**, of Chilwell, near Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, butcher.

WHEREAS the estate of John Smith, of Chilwell, Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, butcher, was, on the eleventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said John Smith, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said John Smith exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1595

In the Insolvent Estate of **JAMES NORMAN**, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, laborer.

WHEREAS the estate of James Norman, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, laborer, was, on the twenty-eighth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Williams, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Norman, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James Norman exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1596

In the Insolvent Estate of **JAMES HENDERSON**, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietor.

WHEREAS the estate of James Henderson, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietor, was, on the ninth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Henderson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James Henderson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1593

In the Insolvent Estate of **HENRY JONES HENDERSON**, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietor.

WHEREAS the estate of Henry Jones Henderson, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietor, was, on the ninth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Jones Henderson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Henry Jones Henderson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1594

In the Insolvent Estate of **WILLIAM HENRY BILTON**, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

WHEREAS the estate of William Henry Bilton, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, was, on the twentieth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Williams, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Henry Bilton, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Henry Bilton exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1601

In the Insolvent Estate of **JOSEPH WILKS**, of Fyansford, in the colony of Victoria, wheelwright.

WHEREAS the estate of Joseph Wilks, of Fyansford, in the colony of Victoria, wheelwright, was, on the twenty-fourth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Wilks, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Joseph Wilks exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1598

In the Insolvent Estate of **ROBERT LUCAS**, of Colac, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

WHEREAS the estate of Robert Lucas, of Colac, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, was, on the twenty-fifth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Lucas, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Robert Lucas exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1597

In the Insolvent Estate of **HARVEY WOOD**, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, chemist.

WHEREAS the estate of Harvey Wood, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, chemist, was, on the third day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Williams, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Harvey Wood, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Harvey Wood exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1600

No. 159.—OCTOBER 25, 1861.—G.

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS KNEESHAW**, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Kneeshaw, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the twenty-sixth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Kneeshaw, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Thomas Kneeshaw exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1602

In the Insolvent Estate of **PETER HOEY**, of Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, blacksmith.

WHEREAS the estate of Peter Hoey, of Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, blacksmith, was, on the twenty-fourth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Peter Hoey, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Peter Hoey exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1599

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS ANDREW FISKE** and **ANDREW CHEAP TURNER**, of Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, butchers.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Andrew Fiske and Andrew Cheap Turner, of Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, butchers, was, on the twenty-fifth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Andrew Fiske and Andrew Cheap Turner, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1630

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS BRITTEN MALLET**, of Ballarat and Buninyong Forest, in the colony of Victoria, timber merchant.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Britten Mallet, of Ballarat and Buninyong Forest, in the colony of Victoria, timber merchant, was, on the eleventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Britten Mallet, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1631

In the Insolvent Estate of **GEORGE GRASS**, of Little River, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of George Grass, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1636

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS TOWLE**, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, draper.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Towle, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, draper, was, on the twenty-seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Towle, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1623

In the Insolvent Estate of **WILLIAM HUTCHINSON**, of Quartz Reef, Pleasant Creek, in the colony of Victoria, miner and storekeeper.

WHEREAS the estate of William Hutchinson, of Pleasant Creek, in the colony of Victoria, miner and storekeeper, was, on the second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Hutchinson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1634

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS ROBERTSON**, and **JOHN CARMICHAEL**, trading as "Robertson and Carmichael," of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, bakers.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of Thomas Robertson and John Carmichael, the abovenamed insolvents: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvents will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1635

In the Insolvent Estate of **ANDREW GLENN**, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, late innkeeper.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of Andrew Glenn, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1639

In the Insolvent Estate of **JOHN FRASER**, of Smythe's Creek, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of John Fraser, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1640

In the Insolvent Estate of **JAMES MADDISON**, of Brown's Diggings, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of James Maddison, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1641

In the Insolvent Estate of **THOMAS GASH**, of Tower Hill, near Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, wheelwright.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Gash, of Tower Hill, near Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, wheelwright, was, on the nineteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Gash, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Thomas Gash exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1614

In the Insolvent Estate of **FREDERICK TERRIER**, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, restaurant keeper.

WHEREAS the estate of Frederick Terrier, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, restaurant keeper, was, on the ninth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick Terrier, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Frederick Terrier exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1612

In the Insolvent Estate of **JOHN MOORE**, of Windermere, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of creditors in the above estate will be holden before me, at my office, Union street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven in the forenoon, at which day and hour the said meeting will be holden before me for proof of debts on said estate.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1617

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM MAYNARD, of Linton's Diggings, in the colony of Victoria, coach driver.

WHEREAS the estate of William Maynard, of Linton's Diggings, in the colony of Victoria, coach driver, was, on the second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Maynard, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Maynard exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1608

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES WHEELER, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, cabinetmaker.

WHEREAS the estate of James Wheeler, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, cabinetmaker, was, on the seventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Wheeler, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James Wheeler exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1613

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES DEVELING, of Modewarre, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

WHEREAS the estate of James Develing, of Modewarre, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, was, on the twenty-second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Molesworth, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Develing, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James Develing exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1615

In the Insolvent Estate of ANGUS McDONALD, of Colac, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

WHEREAS the estate of Angus McDonald, of Colac, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, was, on the twenty-seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Angus McDonald, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Angus McDonald exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1621

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN THOMAS WALKER, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, saddler.

WHEREAS the estate of John Thomas Walker, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, saddler, was, on the twenty-seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said John Thomas Walker, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said John Thomas Walker exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1619

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES MAY, late of Spring Hill, and now of the Loddon, in the colony of Victoria, late a storekeeper, but now out of business.

WHEREAS the estate of James May, late of Spring Hill, in the colony of Victoria, late a storekeeper, was, on the eleventh day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James May, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James May exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1616

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM ARMSTRONG, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, laborer.

WHEREAS the estate of William Armstrong, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, laborer, was, on the second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Armstrong, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Armstrong exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1620

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM THOMPSON, of Lake Learmonth, in the colony of Victoria, hotelkeeper.

WHEREAS the estate of William Thompson, of Lake Learmonth, in the colony of Victoria, hotelkeeper, was, on the eighteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said William Thompson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said William Thompson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1613

In the Insolvent Estate of HENRY GRATER, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, carrier.

WHEREAS the estate of Henry Grater, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, carrier, was, on the twenty-sixth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Grater, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Henry Grater exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1624

In the Insolvent Estate of HENRY ABBOTT, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, licensed victualler.

WHEREAS the estate of Henry Abbott, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, licensed victualler, was, on the second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Abbott, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Henry Abbott exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1617

In the Insolvent Estate of EDWARD HENRY JONES, of Buninyong, in the colony of Victoria, fruiterer.

WHEREAS the estate of Edward Henry Jones, of Buninyong, in the colony of Victoria, fruiterer, was, on the first day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Williams, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Edward Henry Jones, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Edward Henry Jones exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1623

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES HARRISON, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, printer.

WHEREAS the estate of James Harrison, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, printer, was, on the twenty-first day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Harrison, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1626

In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS BRAY and JOSEPH BRAY, formerly of Geelong, drapers, and since of Moorecep, farmer, in the colony of Victoria.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Bray and Joseph Bray, of Moorecep, in the colony of Victoria, farmers, was, on nineteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Bray and Joseph Bray, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1625

In the Insolvent Estate of RICHARD ANSTIS, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, butcher.

WHEREAS the estate of Richard Anstis, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, butcher, was, on the twenty-seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Molesworth, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Anstis, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1627

In the Insolvent Estate of GEORGE MADDERN, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, quarryman.

WHEREAS the estate of George Maddern, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, quarryman, was, on the twenty-eighth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Mr. Justice Williams, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said George Maddern, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said George Maddern exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.
No. 1623

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN BARTLETT, of Clarendon, near Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, publican and contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an account and plan of distribution of available assets in the above estate now lies at the office of the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates for the Circuit District of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, at the Insolvent Court, Myers street, Geelong, for the inspection of the creditors thereof; and that any creditors or other person interested therein objecting to the same must lodge a caveat, stating the grounds of such objection, at the office of the said Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, within sixteen days from the date hereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

GEORGE WEBSTER,
Official Assignee.
No. 1649

In the Insolvent Estate of PETER MASON, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, farmer and publican.

NOTICE is hereby given that an account and plan of distribution of available assets in the above estate now lies at the office of the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates for the Circuit District of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, at the Insolvent Court, Myers street, Geelong, for the inspection of the creditors thereof; and that any creditors or other person interested therein objecting to the same must lodge a caveat, stating the grounds of such objection, at the office of the said Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, within sixteen days from the date hereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

GEORGE WEBSTER,
Official Assignee.
No. 1650

COMPULSORY SEQUESTRATION.
In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN GILLOGLY, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of John Gillogly, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,

No. 1642 For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN LAMBERT CRAWLEY, of Smythesdale, in the colony of Victoria, publican.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of John Lambert Crawley, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1633

In the Insolvent Estate of ALEXANDER EDWARD FELLINGER, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, tobacconist.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of Alexander Edward Fellingier, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1645

In the Insolvent Estate of George Chisholm, of Warrnambool, in the colony of Victoria, late hotel keeper.

WHEREAS the estate of George Chisholm, of Warrnambool, in the colony of Victoria, late hotel keeper, was, on the tenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said George Chisholm, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1632

In the Insolvent Estate of ALDEN PARTRIDGE BOWES, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, auctioneer.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of Alden Partridge Bowes, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1637

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES HENDERSON and HENRY JONES HENDERSON, trading under the style of "Henderson and Company," of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietors.

WHEREAS the estate of James Henderson and Henry Jones Henderson, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, newspaper proprietors, was, on the ninth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint

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George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Henderson and Henry Jones Henderson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1633

COMPULSORY SEQUESTRATION.

In the Insolvent Estate of EDWARD MALCOLM, of Carnham, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of Edward Malcolm, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1644

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM BRYAN, late of Geelong and Queenscliff, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of creditors in the above estate will be holden before me, at my office, Union street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at which day and hour the said meeting will be holden before me for proof of debts on said estate.

Dated at Geelong, the 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1648

In the Insolvent Estate of SARAH TAYLOR, administratrix of the estate of John Walwyn Taylor, late of Belfast, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper, deceased.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of John Walwyn Taylor, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1646

COMPULSORY SEQUESTRATION.

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM GRANT, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper.

GEORGE WEBSTER, Esq., of Geelong, being the official assignee appointed for the estate and effects of William Grant, the abovenamed insolvent: Notice is hereby given that all debts due to the estate are to be paid to him, the said official assignee; and that the third public meeting of the creditors of the said insolvent will be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, to receive the report of the official assignee as to the condition of the said estate, and to give him directions as to the future management thereof.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1643

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN KIRBY, of Buninyong, in the colony of Victoria, butcher.

WHEREAS the estate of John Kirby, of Buninyong, in the colony of Victoria, butcher, was, on the second day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, who, by further order under his hand, did appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said John Kirby, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts; and another public meeting will be holden before me, at the same place and time, for the like purpose, and if the creditors think fit, to elect an assignee of their own choice to act with the official assignee.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1611

In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS WEST, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas West, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the twelfth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas West to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Thomas West exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1603

In the Insolvent Estate of JAMES ENNSON, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of James Enns, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the third day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said James Enns, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said James Enns exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1609

In the Insolvent Estate of SAMUEL WATTERSON, of the Black Hill, Smythesdale, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of Samuel Watterson, of the Black Hill, Smythesdale, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the twenty-sixth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Samuel Watterson, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Samuel Watterson exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1604

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN McHUGH, of Brown's, near Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

WHEREAS the estate of John McHugh, of Brown's, near Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, was, on the twenty-sixth day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said John McHugh, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said John McHugh exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1607

In the Insolvent Estate of GEORGE JENKINS, of Bellerine, in the colony of Victoria, butcher.

WHEREAS the estate of George Jenkins, of Bellerine, in the colony of Victoria, butcher, was, on the fourteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said George Jenkins, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said John Mellugh exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1606

In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS DOYLE, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, clerk.

WHEREAS the estate of Thomas Doyle, of Ballaarat, in the colony of Victoria, clerk, was, on the twenty-seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Doyle, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said Thomas Doyle exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1610

In the Insolvent Estates of GEORGE JENKINS and GEORGE BIGWOOD, trading under the firm of "Bigwood and Jenkins," of Bellerine, in the colony of Victoria, butchers.

WHEREAS the estates of George Jenkins and George Bigwood, of Bellerine, in the colony of Victoria, butchers, was, on the fourteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, placed under sequestration in my hands, by order of His Honor Sir Redmond Barry, Knt., one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and who did, by further order under his hand, appoint George Webster, Esq., of Geelong, one of the official assignees of insolvent estates for the colony of Victoria, to be the official assignee of and for this estate: I hereby appoint a public meeting of the creditors of the said George Jenkins and George Bigwood, to be holden before me, at my office, Myers street, Geelong, on Thursday, the thirty-first day of October instant, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts, and for the election of an assignee, if necessary, to act with the official assignee; and unless it shall be shown at such meeting that the goods and effects of the said George Jenkins and George Bigwood exceed the sum of One hundred pounds, I shall summarily proceed to rank the debts which shall then be proved upon the said estate, and direct the proceeds to be distributed accordingly.

Dated at Geelong, this 23rd day of October, A.D. 1861.

H. H. ROBERTS,
For the Commissioner of Insolvent Estates,
Circuit District of Geelong.

No. 1605

MISCELLANEOUS.

MELBOURNE AND HOBBSON'S BAY RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that in terms of the Act of the Legislative Council incorporating the company, a Special General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the offices, in Flinders street, on Tuesday, the 5th day of November next, at Twelve o'clock noon, to appoint a director in place of the Honble. Stephen George Henty, Esq., resigned.

Holders of 10 or more shares are eligible as directors; and those gentlemen who are willing to serve are requested to signify their intention in writing to the secretary on or before Monday, the 28th October, in terms of the provisions of by-law No. 37:—"That every shareholder who shall hereafter become a candidate for the office of director shall give notice thereof to the board of directors, in writing, to be delivered to the secretary of the company, at the office of the company, seven days at the least before the day of election; and the secretary for the time being shall, as soon as can be, cause an advertisement to be inserted in one or more of the Melbourne daily newspapers, of the names of such candidates."

By Order of the Board of Directors,
THOMAS FINLAYSON,
Secretary.

Melbourne, 23rd October, 1861.

No. 1586

ALBERTON ROAD DISTRICT.

To CHARLES J. TYERS, Esq., J.P., Palmerston.
WE, the undersigned landowners and householders in the road district of Alberton, hereby request that you will convene a Meeting of the Landholders and Householdors of the said road district, to be holden at the Royal Hotel, Tarraville, on Monday, the 25th day of November next ensuing, for the purpose of electing members for the said road board for the year then commencing, and for fixing the rate of assessment upon lands, messuages, and tenements in such road district, in accordance with the 10th clause 16 Victoria No. 40.

Dated at Palmerston, this 15th day of October, 1861.

Landholders.
 William Howden
 Jacob Ferris
 John L. Roberts
 W. H. Disher
 John J. Lear

Householders.
 T. E. Fisher
 I. F. Liston
 Thomas H. Smith
 William B. Ross
 John Williams

In compliance with the foregoing requisition, I hereby convene a meeting of the ratepayers within the Alberton road district, to be holden at the Royal Hotel, Tarraville, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 25th day of November next ensuing, for the abovementioned purposes, under and in conformity with the 10th section of the Act 16 Victoria No. 40.

CHARLES J. TYERS, J.P.

SANDRIDGE MUNICIPALITY.

SECOND Half-yearly Report of the Municipal Council of Sandridge, up to 8th August, 1861.

RESIGNATIONS AND ELECTIONS.

The following changes have taken place in the council during the past half-year. On the 7th March Henry Glynn, Esq., resigned, and on 1st May Frederick Poolman, Esq., was elected in his stead. On 25th April David Thomas, Esq., resigned, and on 21st May John Murphy, Esq., was elected in his stead. On 4th July Richard Elworthy, Esq., resigned, and on 27th July John Pickles, Esq., was elected in his stead.

MEETINGS AND ATTENDANCE.

The following table shows the attendance of councillors, and the number of meetings of council and committees that have been held:—

NAMES.	Council, 22 meetings.	Committee of the whole council, 4 meetings.	Public works committee, 18 meetings.	Finance committee, 16 meetings.	Legislative committee, 4 meetings.	Hackney carriage committee, 1 meeting.	Fire committee, 3 meetings.	Health committee, 1 meeting.	Total council and committees, 69 meetings.
W. Morley, Esq., J.P., chairman	22	4	17	*	*	*	3	1	47
Councillor Thomas	9	3	*	8	3	*	2	0	25
Councillor Murphy, vice Thomas	9	1	*	1	*	*	1	0	12
Councillor Swallow	21	4	17	*	4	1	3	1	51
Councillor Elworthy	16	4	*	8	3	0	2	0	33
Councillor Isaacs	14	2	1	*	*	*	3	1	21
Councillor Allen	22	4	17	14	*	*	1	3	62
Councillor Glynn	0	0	*	0	0	*	*	*	0
Councillor Poolman, vice Glynn	12	1	5	8	*	*	1	0	27
Councillor Pickles, vice Elworthy	There were no meetings held subsequent to the election of Councillor Pickles.								

NOTE.—The asterisk denotes that the councillor against whose name it is placed does not belong to the committee named at the head of the column.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The following public works have been carried out:—

- Kerbing, channelling, and making up footpaths in Graham street.
- Draining into the lagoon swamps lying westward of Bay street.
- Kerbing and making up footpaths on the east side of Bay street, from Trinity Church to Raglan street.
- Circular stone kerbing at corners of streets.
- Making up footpaths in Heath street, from Raglan street to Ingles street.
- Alteration of level of North street, from Graham street to Beach street.
- Building municipal offices.

BYE-LAWS.

Bye-law No. 5.—For the regulation of public vehicles, has been assented to by the Governor in Council. Several other bye-laws of great importance to the district were forwarded by the council for His Excellency's assent, but were returned, although precisely the same provisions are in force in other districts, under the vice-regal sanction.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The council is taking steps towards the formation of an efficient fire brigade, and the establishment of the most ready means for extinguishing fires in the district. The propriety of establishing local gas works has been discussed by this council in conference with the council of Emerald Hill, but no result has yet accrued. The police fines belonging to the council have been devoted to charitable purposes, under the supervision of

the chairman. Efforts have been made by the council to have a level crossing established over the Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Railway, at the west end of Graham street, but without success as yet.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

At the annual election on 2nd August, Messrs. Andrew Plummer, Frederick Poolman, and Robert Byrne, were elected members of the council, in the place of Messrs. Samuel George Isaacs, Joseph Weaver Allen, and Frederick Poolman, who retired by rotation.

At the first meeting subsequent to the annual election, Councillor Swallow was elected chairman for the ensuing municipal year.

THOS. SWALLOW,
 Chairman.
 EDWARD CLARK,
 Town Clerk.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipal Council of Sandridge, for the Half-year ending 8th August, 1861.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Feb. 18. To Balance at Bank of New South Wales	646	14	0
Mar. 13. Amount contributed by Messrs. W. Cruikshank and others toward formation of drain	41	14	6
Mar. 27. James McGuigan, cash security	20	0	0
June 6. Government grant (instalment)	616	7	7
Aug. 7. Police fines	23	9	9
Town rates	1,451	5	1
	2,152	16	11
	£2,799	10	11

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Feb. 22. By Graham and Duncan, cash security returned	10	0	0			
Mar. 8. Fees to auditors	4	4	0			
Mar. 22. Furniture and fittings	5	5	0			
May 24. James McGuigan, cash security returned	20	0	0			
June 28. Interest on Gabrielli loan	280	17	6			
Aug. 7. Police fines given in charity	3	10	0			
Printing and stationery	25	3	6			
Advertising	55	18	4			
Sundries	31	14	6			
Salaries	145	16	8			
Gas account	134	7	0			
Commission on collection of rates	38	2	5½			
Public works—						
Contracts	1,161	1	3½			
Wages	85	0	6			
Hire of horses and carts	141	4	7			
	1,390	6	4½			
	2,145	5	4			
Balance at Bank of New South Wales	634	5	9			
Ditto in hands of town clerk						
20s., and rate collector 1d.	1	0	1			
Ditto in hands of chairman	18	19	9			
	654	5	7			
	£2,799	10	11			

We, the undersigned, having examined the foregoing account, together with the books and vouchers in connection therewith, hereby declare the same to be correct.

H. B. DONALDSON,
 THOMAS STEWART,
 Auditors.

NOTE.—The total actual revenue and expenditure for the entire year, exclusive of amounts deposited by contractors as cash security, stand as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Revenue	3,513	2	1
Expenditure	2,858	16	6
Balance in hand, as above	£654	5	7

Supposing the balance of the Government grant, amounting to £1504 13s. 7d. (which amount really belongs to this year, as being given upon rates collected up to 30th June ultimo), to have been received previously to 8th August, the total revenue would have been £5017 15s. 8d. No. 1569

METCALFE ROAD DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the survey plan of a proposed deviation road through portions 2 and 3 of section 1, parish of Hawkstone, the property of the Honorable Wm. Degraives, M.L.C., is deposited for inspection in the Surveyor General's Office, Melbourne; and any persons having objections thereto are required to forward such, in writing, to the Metcalfe Road Board, within forty days from publication hereof.

(By Order)

THOS. B. MUNTZ,
 Surveyor.

Metcalfe Road Board Office,
 Green Hill, 19th October, 1861.

No. 1585

HEATHCOTE AND WARANGA ROAD DISTRICT. (1) To **WILLIAM WILLOBY, Esq., P.M.,** Heathcote.

SIR—We, the undersigned landowners and householders within the Heathcote and Waranga Road District, proclaimed 15th October, 1861, request that in compliance with 16 Victoria No. 40, clause 10, you will be pleased to convene a Meeting of Landowners and Householdors, to appoint a chairman and elect members to conduct the business of the said board.

<i>Landowners and Householdors.</i>	
William Dove	James Routledge
Patrick Cunningham	William Duncan
William Carter	James Hay
W. H. Robertson	Edwin Walker
George Smith	Thomas Craven

Heathcote, 17th October, 1861.

In compliance with the above requisition, I hereby convene a Public Meeting of Landowners and Householdors within the Heathcote and Waranga Road District, to be held at the Heathcote Hotel, Heathcote, on Monday, the 4th day of November next, at One o'clock-p.m.

WILLIAM WILLOBY, P.M.
Heathcote, 17th October, 1861. No. 1570

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE—The partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned James Callaghan, Robert Callaghan, and Edwin Watts, trading under the style or firm of "Callaghan and Watts," as outfitters, clothiers, &c., at 161, Swanston street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the firm are to be paid to J. and R. Callaghan, 159, Swanston street, who will also discharge all liabilities of said firm.

Dated 8th October, 1861.

**J. CALLAGHAN,
ROBT. CALLAGHAN,
EDWIN WATTS.**

Witness to the signature of James Callaghan, Robt. Callaghan, and Edwin Watts—

JOHN BROMLEY.

No. 1537

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE—The partnership between James Walter Nye and Henry Genders, grocers, Collingwood, under the firm of "Nye and Genders," is this day dissolved. All debts due to and by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Nye.

7th October, 1861.

**HENRY GENDERS,
JAMES WALTER NYE.**

Witness—

ALEX. P. ADCOCK,
Notary public, 46, Elizabeth street south.

No. 1534

NOTICE is hereby given that by an indenture of assignment bearing date the twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and made between William Meates and William James Wells, of Tarravangee, in the colony of Victoria, now or lately trading in copartnership under the name or style of "Meates and Wells," farmers, of the first part; George Graham, of Beechworth, in the colony of Victoria, and Robert Mackenzie, of Beechworth, of the second part; and the several persons and parties whose names and seals are subscribed and affixed to the third schedule hereto annexed (being severally creditors in their right, or being agents or attorneys of creditors absent from the said colony, of the said William Meates and William James Wells) of the third part; all and singular the goods, wares, merchandise, bills, notes, and other securities for money, debts, rights, credits and other choses in action, stock-in-trade, chattels, and all the other personal property and estate whatsoever and wheresoever the same may be, and particularly mentioned in the second schedule to the said indenture annexed (except wearing

apparel and necessaries to the extent of pounds), were assigned, transferred, and set over unto the said George Graham and Robert Mackenzie upon trust for the benefit of all the creditors of the said William Meates and William James Wells. And notice is further given that the said indenture was duly executed by the said William Meates and William James Wells, and the said George Graham and Robert Mackenzie, in the presence of and attested by Thomas Crawford, Esq., one of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the colony of Victoria, and is now lying at the office of Alfred U. Kipling, solicitor, of Beechworth aforesaid, for inspection of and execution by the said creditors.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

**WILLIAM MEATES,
WILLIAM JAMES WELLS,
GEORGE GRAHAM,
ROBERT MCKENZIE.**

Witness—

THOMAS CRAWFORD, J.P.
ALFRED U. KIPLING, solicitor, Beechworth. No. 1582

NOTICE is hereby given that by an indenture bearing date the sixteenth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, made between Samuel Smart, of Castlemaine, in the county of Talbot, and colony of Victoria, grocer, of the first part; Joseph Myring, of Castlemaine aforesaid, merchant, and William Peterson, of the city of Melbourne, in said colony, merchant, of the second; and the several persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being severally creditors of the said Samuel Smart, of the third part; the said Samuel Smart did assign, transfer, and set over unto the said Joseph Myring and William Peterson, their executors, administrators, and assigns, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Samuel Smart, all and singular the household goods, books, outstanding debts, books of account, credits, furniture, stock-in-trade, bonds, bills, securities for money, and other property and effects of him the said Samuel Smart, a true and particular account whereof is annexed to said deed (wearing apparel and necessaries to an amount not exceeding Twenty-five pounds only excepted), and that the said indenture was executed by the said Samuel Smart and Joseph Myring, in the presence of and was attested by William Froome, Esq., one of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the colony of Victoria, and also by the said William Peterson, in the presence of and attested by George Rolfe, Esq., one of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the district of St. Kilda, in the county of Bourke, and colony of Victoria; and that the said indenture is now lying for inspection and execution at the counting-house of Messrs. Myring and Halford, Forest street, Castlemaine aforesaid, merchants.

As witness our hands this sixteenth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

**SAMUEL SMART,
JOS. MYRING,**

Signed by the abovenamed Samuel Smart and Joseph Myring, in my presence—

WILLIAM FROOME,
One of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the colony of Victoria.

WM. PETERSON.

Signed by the abovenamed William Peterson, in my presence—

GEO. ROLFE,
One of Her Majesty's justices of the peace for the district of St. Kilda, in the county of Bourke and colony of Victoria.

No. 1578

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from the Hard Hills, on Wednesday night, 16th October, a chestnut pony horse, star and stripe, branded J. near shoulder, long switch tail, little skin off the hind hock. The above reward will be given on the recovery of the horse and conviction of the thief if stolen, or £2 if strayed, by applying to Thos. Armstrong, Hard Hills, Creswick.

No. 1577

TOWN COUNCIL OF GEELONG.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales, 14 Victoria No. 35, intituled, *An Act for regulating the formation, drainage, and repair of Streets, Courts, and Alleys on private property within the Town of Geelong*, it is amongst other things enacted, that where any street, court, or alley on private property, in the town of Geelong, shall not be or shall not have been sufficiently paved, flagged, macadamized, levelled, drained, and sewered, or otherwise completed or repaired to the satisfaction of the council of the said town, it shall be lawful for the said council at any time, and from time to time, by any order under the hand of the mayor or town clerk of the said town for the time being respectively, to order that any such street, court, or alley, or any part thereof, shall be freed from obstruction, paved, flagged, macadamized, levelled, drained, and sewered, or otherwise completed or repaired, in such manner and within such time as to the said council may appear expedient; and thereupon the owners of the tenements adjoining or abutting upon such street, court, or alley on each side thereof, shall, in such manner and within such time as shall be expressed in such order, at their respective costs, charges, and expenses, remove all obstructions, and well-and-sufficiently pave, flag, macadamize, level, drain, and sewer, or otherwise complete or repair so much of the said street, court, or alley to the centre thereof as may be opposite to, and co-extensive with their respective tenements adjoining or abutting on such streets, courts, or alleys respectively: And whereas the streets, courts, and alleys enumerated in the schedule to this order annexed, marked C, have not been sufficiently paved, flagged, macadamized, levelled, drained, and sewered, or otherwise completed or repaired to the satisfaction of the town council of Geelong: Be it now ordered by the council of the said town, that the streets, courts, and alleys enumerated in the schedule to this order annexed, marked C, shall, within twenty days from the date of this order coming into operation, be freed from obstruction, paved, flagged, macadamized, levelled, drained, and sewered, in such manner as is expressed in the schedule to this order annexed, marked D; and it is hereby notified to the owners respectively of the tenements adjoining or abutting upon the streets, courts, and alleys enumerated in the schedule to this order annexed, marked C, that if they or any of them shall neglect or omit to remove the obstructions, and pave, flag, macadamize, level, drain, and sewer, or otherwise complete or repair the street, court, or alley on which their tenements respectively adjoin or abut, in the manner and within the time expressed in this order, then the council of the said town will remove all obstructions in the said streets, courts, and alleys, and pave, flag, macadamize, level, drain, sewer, and otherwise complete or repair the same, or such parts thereof as shall not have been so done pursuant to this order; and will thereupon ascertain, determine, and charge such respective owners with their several proportionate parts of the costs, charges, and expenses thereof, according to and

co-extensive with their respective tenements adjoining or abutting on such street, court, or alley, having regard in such apportionment to the state and condition of the pavement, flagging, macadamizing, levelling, drainage, and sewerage in which such streets, courts, or alleys respectively, or any part thereof, shall or may be at the time of making this order.

Made and passed by the council of the town of Geelong, this nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one.

WILLIAM WEIRE,
Town Clerk.

SCHEDULE C, REFERRED TO IN THIS ORDER.

Return of Streets, Courts, and Alleys, ordered to be freed from obstruction, paved, flagged, macadamised, levelled, drained, and sewered, in the Town of Geelong, under the Private Streets Act, 14 Victoria No. 35.

No.	Locality.	Name of Street, Court, or Lane.	Ward in which situate.	Block.	Allotment.
1	Corio street, south side	Gore place	Villamanata	36	16, 17, 18
2	Corio street, north side	Gore place	Villamanata	36	1, 2
3	Corio street, south side	Printer's lane	Villamanata	36	15, 16
4	Corio street, north side	Treacy place	Bellerine	9	1, 2
5	Corio street, south side	Treacy place	Bellerine	9	17, 18
6	Corio street, south side	Blair's place	Bellerine	9	13, 14
7	Corio street, north side	O'Connell place	Bellerine	10	7, 8
8	Corio street, south side	O'Connell place	Bellerine	10	11, 12
9	Corio street, north side	Fyfe place	Bellerine	11	1, 2, 3, 4
10	Corio street, south side	Fyfe place	Bellerine	11	17A, 18
11	Corio street, south side	Hotham place	Bellerine	11	11, 12
12	Corio street, north side	Prospect lane north	Bellerine	11	4, 4A, 5
13	Corio street, south side	Prospect lane south	Bellerine	11	14, 15
14	Corio street, north side	Pevensy lane	Bellerine	58A	9, 10, 11
15	Corio street, north side	Thacker's lane	Bellerine	58A	5, 6, 7, 8, 9
16	Corio street, south side	Corio lane	Bellerine	59	4, 5, 6, 7
17	Malop street, south side	Wheeler's lane	Bellerine	61	3, 4, 5
18	Malop street, south side	Weeks's lane	Bellerine	61	6, 7
19	Little Malop street, north side	Little Malop place	Bellerine	61	15
20	Little Malop street, north side	Short's place	Villamanata	35	1, 2
21	Little Malop street, south side	Short's place	Villamanata	35	17, 18
22	Little Malop street, south side	Minn's lane	Villamanata	35	14, 15, 16
23	Little Malop street, south side	Bank place	Bellerine	24	16, 17, 18
24	Little Malop street, south side	Rock of Cashel lane	Bellerine	24	11, 12, 13
25	Little Malop street, south side	Kirk place	Bellerine	23	17, 18
26	Little Malop street, north side	Kirk place	Bellerine	23	1, 2, 3
27	Little Malop street, south side	Burrow place	Bellerine	23	11, 12
28	Little Malop street, north side	Burrow place	Bellerine	23	7, 8
29	Little Malop street, south side	Swanston place	Bellerine	12	17, 18
30	Little Malop street, north side	Swanston place	Bellerine	12	1, 2
31	Little Malop street, south side	Board's place	Bellerine	12	11, 12
32	Little Ryrie street, north side	O'Farrell place	Kardinia	34	11, 12
33	Little Ryrie street, south side	O'Farrell place	Kardinia	34	7, 8
34	Little Ryrie street, north side	Lawrence lane	Kardinia	34	5, 6
35	Little Ryrie street, south side	Lawrence lane	Kardinia	34	13, 14
36	Little Ryrie street, north side	Baylie place	Kardinia	34	1, 2
37	Little Ryrie street, south side	Baylie place	Kardinia	34	17, 18
38	William street, east side	Phillips lane	Kardinia	34	15, 16
39	Little Ryrie street, south side	Collins lane	Barwon	25	17, 18
40	Little Ryrie street, north side	Forster place	Barwon	22	6, 7, 8
41	Little Ryrie street, north side	Sydney lane	Barwon	68	4, 5, 8
42	Little Ryrie street, north side	Burn's lane	Barwon	68	3, 8
43	Argyle street, west side	Argyle place	Barwon	22	4, 5, 6
44	Little Ryrie street, north side	Wesley place	Kardinia	46	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
45	Little Myers street, north side	Cullen's place	Kardinia	33	1, 2
46	Little Myers street, south side	Cullen's place	Kardinia	33	17, 18
47	Little Myers street, south side	Wimmera street	Kardinia	33	{ 14A, 16A 14B, 14B
48	Little Myers street, north side	Warrenheip place	Kardinia	33	4A, 5A
49	Little Myers street, north side	Winchester place	Kardinia	33	6A, 7A
50	Little Myers street, north side	Martin's lane	Kardinia	33	{ 8A, 8B 9A, 9B
51	Little Myers street, south side	McKillop lane	Kardinia	52	3, 4, 15, 16
52	Swanston street, east side	Brown's lane	Bellerine	61	8, 9
53	Maude street, north side	Upton's lane	Barwon	20B	6, 7, 14, 15
54	Maude street, north side	Tyne Head place	Kardinia	32B	5, 6, 15, 16
55	Maude street, north side	Colac place	Kardinia	32B	7, 8, 13, 14
56	Maude street, north side	Carr place	Kardinia	32B	8, 9, 10, 11, 12
57	Maude street, north side	Pardon place	Kardinia	53	12, 25, 26, 27, 28
58	Kilgour street, north side	Noble lane	Barwon	20A	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
59	Cavendish street, west side	Cavendish place	Villamanata	40	7, 8
60	Smythe street, south side	Smythe lane	Villamanata	38	7, 8, 13, 14
61	Smythe street, south side	Brougham lane	Villamanata	38	2, 3
62	Smythe street, south side	Captain's lane	Villamanata	38	12, 13
63	Smythe street, north side	Ogilvie's lane	Villamanata	39	5, 6, 12, 13
64	Brougham lane, north side	Foundry lane	Villamanata	37	6, 7, 8, 9, 10
65	Malop street, north side	Knight place	Bellerine	59	5

SCHEDULE D, REFERRED TO IN THIS ORDER.

Specification of manner in which the Streets, Courts, and Alleys, enumerated in Schedule D, referred to in this Order, are ordered to be freed from obstruction, paved, flagged, macadamised, levelled, drained, and sewered, in the Town of Geelong.

The natural soil is to be reduced or made up, as the case may require, so that the longitudinal section of the whole right-of-way shall in no part have an inclination of less than one foot in one hundred and thirty-two feet; and where practicable, the entire length is to form one incline. The transverse section of the right-of-way is to show a roadway whose crown shall not be more than three inches above the kerbs of the footway; and the fall, from the crown to the water-channels, is to be at the rate of one foot in twenty-four feet. On either side of the roadway there is to be a water-channel two feet wide, consisting of three rows of bluestone pitchers eight inches deep and eight inches wide, made square on the ends, with upright sides, set in sand, and well rammed, so as to subside two inches; the bottom of such channel is to be six inches below the top of the kerbs. On either side of the roadway there is also to be a footway not more than four feet wide, which is to be separated from the roadway by a hardwood plank, ten inches by three inches, set on edge, and fastened with half-inch bolts to piles four inches by four inches, three feet long, driven into the ground not more than six feet apart. These footways are to receive a coat of gravel three inches thick, having a slope towards the kerb of one foot in twelve feet. The roadway is to be covered with a coat of metal broken to two and a half inches in size, laid on six inches thick at the channel, and nine inches thick at the crown, and this, when necessary, is to be covered with a blinding of loam or sand, one and a half inches thick. Wherever private entrances lead from the rights-of-way they are to be paved the full width with bluestone pitchers, in the same manner as the channels; the paving and kerb are to extend from the channel towards the line of houses or fences, so as to cross the entire footway. The whole work must be done to the satisfaction of the town surveyor, who is authorised to order any deviation from these general principles, which the peculiarities of any case may require.

Town Hall, Geelong, 19th September, 1861

No. 1554

In the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria.

In the Estate of DANIEL BUNCE, of Geelong, in the colony of Victoria, gentleman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed insolvent intends to apply to Arthur Nicholas Wrixon, Esq., Commissioner of Insolvent Estates for the Circuit District of Geelong, on Wednesday, the fourth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, at the hour of Ten o'clock forenoon, in the Supreme Court House, Myers street, Geelong, that a certificate of discharge from all his debts and liabilities, pursuant to the Acts of Council of Victoria in such case made and provided, be granted to him the said Daniel Bunce.

Dated at Geelong, this 22nd day of October, A.D. 1861.
HARVEY E. COMBE,
Attorney for the said Daniel Bunce.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.
STRAYED from Steele's Paddock, Bullock Creek:—

1 dark brown mare, branded IH near shoulder, and No. 9 off SD (the S a hook)

Whoever will bring the mare to Mr. Hudson, Ironbark, Sandhurst, will receive £2 reward. No. 1581

THREE POUNDS REWARD.
LOST from Nuggety Flat, Tarrangower, on the 13th instant, a bay mare, branded J.C. off shoulder, small star on forehead. Any person giving information leading to her recovery at Cushen's Hotel, Maldon, will receive the above reward. No. 1579

TWO POUNDS REWARD.
STOLEN or strayed from Drummond street, Ballarat, on the 30th September, a dark bay saddle horse, branded IE or HE conjoined near shoulder. The above reward will be given to any person bringing the same to Thomas Semple, Drummond street, Ballarat. No. 1583

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.
CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS, ETC.
LOST from the Campaspe River, a well-bred black mare, branded JA near shoulder, near hind foot white. Apply Heffernan and Crawley, Shamrock Hotel, Sandhurst. No. 1580

STRAYED or stolen, a dark brown horse, short tail, white faced, JC near shoulder; also, a light bay mare, branded 29 on the near side, two hind legs white, very much saddle marked on off side, and collar marked on near side. £2 reward will be given for recovery, and a further reward on conviction of the thief. Information to the Pick and Shovel Hotel, McIvor, or to Thomas Brown, University Hotel, Lygon street, Carlton, Melbourne. No. 1651

Impoundings.

AMHERST.—Impounded at Amherst, 2nd October, 1861, by John White, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.
1228. Brown mare, L near; saddle, indescribable brand off shoulder

1229. Bay horse foal, progeny of 1228, no brand
On 18th October, by same party.—Same trespass.

1231. Bay horse, like O15 conjoined near neck, saddle and collar marked

On 23rd October, by Isaac Falkner, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

1235. Black horse, collar and saddle marked, SD off shoulder, shod

1236. Bay mare, star, collar and saddle marked, J-L near shoulder, C off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

E. B. STANWORTH,
Poundkeeper.

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BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat, 19th October, 1861, by Mr. Charles Vaughan.—Trespass 6d. each.

1297. Bay mare, G near side, JH or JN conjoined over W near shoulder, EB near neck, HB off shoulder

1298. Chesnut mare, blaze, white feet, halter on neck, JHG conjoined over H or M near shoulder, GI or GJ off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

G. JOHNSTON,
Poundkeeper.

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BALLAN.—Impounded at Ballan, 21st October, 1861, by John Edols, Esq.

339. Bay colt, star, blotch like JX near shoulder

340. Chesnut horse, blaze, writing EdL near hip (the dL conjoined)

341. Chesnut mare, stripe, D off shoulder

By Mr. E. T. Edwards.

342. Bay colt, IC near shoulder, JTP off shoulder (the JT conjoined)

343. Bay filly, like AMP, conjoined near shoulder

344. Bay mare, star, A near shoulder

345. Black filly, blaze, near fore and hind feet white, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

HENRY A. COOPER,
Poundkeeper.

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BELVOIR.—Impounded at Belvoir, 19th October, 1861, by William Huon, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

219. Brown horse, snip, saddle marked, switch tail, grey patch near hind fetlock, F near shoulder (F in circle), J-P off

LI

shoulder, scar off rump

220. Black horse pony, grey hairs near fore and hind fetlock, long pulled tail, saddle marked, JH near shoulder

221. Bay horse, saddle marked, long tail, piece out under part off ear, X near saddle

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

HENRY McILLREE,
Poundkeeper.

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BENALLA.—Impounded at Benalla, 19th October, 1861, by James Moore, Esq.—Trespass 2s. each.

595. Brindle and white spotted bull, piece out near ear, very much scarred, blotch brand near back and off rump

596. Red and white bullock, off thigh broken, (R off ribs and rump, MP near ribs

597. Brown cow, white streak long back, white about head, tops off ears, JC off neck, blotch brand off loin, illegible brand off rump

598. White nobby cow, dark ears, HC or G off back and rump

600. Yellow and white poley cow, indescribable brand over JH above circle blotched off ribs

On 21st October, by Thomas Bond, Esq.

601. Yellow and white spotted nobby working bullock, top off, off ear, coupling rope round neck, JB conjoined near

rump and thigh

602. Blue strawberry cow, like cross or I and B near rump, diamond off rump

603. Dark brown bull calf at foot, no visible brand

No. 598—Notice sent to supposed owner.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

GEORGE POWELL,
Acting Poundkeeper.

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BULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 20th

October, 1861, by Mr. Donald Campbell.—Damages 1s. each.

455. Chesnut horse, star, near hind leg white, collar marked, JHK conjoined near shoulder

456. Light chesnut mare, white stripe down face, inside off hind fetlock white, collar marked, P3 near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JOHN W. GOWER,
Poundkeeper.

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BULLOCK CREEK.—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 16th

October, 1861, by Mr. Frank Fenton.—Damages 1s. each.

449. Bay mare, star, white on both hind coronets, C off back, GAY near neck, RA off shoulder, broken hobble on

450. Light bay mare, collar and saddle marked, W over 23 near neck, like B near shoulder

451. Brown mare, few white hairs in face, near hind fetlock white, TL near neck and off shoulder, like 23 over J near

shoulder (square topped 3)

452. Bay colt, star and stripe down face, no visible brand

453. Grey mare, short tail, collar marked, M near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JOHN W. GOWER,
Poundkeeper.

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NOTICE.

BULLOCK CREEK.—The three heifer calves, advertised

27th September, as having no visible brands, should be as follows, viz.:

412. Blue and white heifer calf, like P off shoulder

413. Strawberry heifer calf, red neck and ears, H off thigh

414. White heifer calf, strawberry spots, red neck and ears, H off thigh

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th November, 1861.

JOHN W. GOWER,
Poundkeeper.

9/

CARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook, 19th October, 1861, by William Yuille, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

1304. Brown mare, M over D or like M over FC conjoined near shoulder (the C reversed)

On 21st October.

1306. Brown horse, like WM or WW near shoulder

1307. Bay mare, like AKN or NW near shoulder, star

1308. Black horse, off hind foot white, stripe on face, saddle marked, like C reversed off neck

1309. Bay horse, JP near shoulder

1310. Bay colt, star, near hind foot white, E off shoulder

1311. Iron grey filly, star, E off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

FRED. GEO. HULL,
Poundkeeper.

11/

CHILTERN.—Impounded at Chiltern, 18th October, 1861, by J. J. Bould, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

984. Bay mare, 3 or 5 over H near shoulder

987. Black mare, little white both hind fetlocks, shod, 3 G near shoulder

988. Dark bay or brown draught horse, grey hairs near hind leg, S near shoulder

989. Dark chesnut mare, star and stripe, rope on neck, BQ off shoulder

990. Chesnut filly foal, progeny

991. Bay mare, switch tail, shod, BQ near shoulder.
 992. Bay mare, switch tail, little white near fore fetlock, both hind feet white, $\frac{1}{2}$ near shoulder (the / over $\frac{1}{2}$ is the tail of an R)
 993. Bay cob horse, little white near fore fetlock, like AH or JAH conjoined over AS over ID near shoulder, ID near neck
 994. Bay horse, stripe down face, dock switch tail, little white near hind fetlock, F near shoulder (the S hook)
 RS

On 21st October, by Thomas Gidley, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

1014. Brown sheeted bullock, JC off rump and back, L off loin, illegible near ribs
 1015. Dark red nobby bullock, JT near ribs and rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JOHN STRICKLAND,
 Poundkeeper.

18/

DAYLESFORD.—Impounded at Daylesford, 19th October, 1861, by Mr. Parker.—Trespass 1s. each.
 372. Bay mare, star, black points, switch tail, near fore shoe on, branded blotch like o o off neck
 V

373. White horse, long tail, enlargement near knee and fetlock, branded T on near shoulder, ES or IS off shoulder
 JM

(bottom of T touching r)
 374. Bay draught horse, star, switch tail, two hind feet white, shod, saddle and collar marked, branded D on near
 NM

- shoulder
 375. Black mare, star, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, mark of strap on off neck, F near shoulder, O off neck
 376. Black mare, very lame off fore leg, branded V on near.

shoulder
 377. Fleabitten grey mare, switch tail, branded blotch like 2 near shoulder, S in circle under

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

N. S. HAILLES,
 Poundkeeper.

15/6

DUNOLLY.—Impounded at Dunolly, 12th October, 1861, by Mr. A. Boyd.—Damages £1.

534. Bay horse, collar marked, streak and snip, near hind fetlock white, JM near ribs
 Same date, by A. C. McDougall, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

535. Grey mare, collar marked, like JLL near shoulder, like WE off shoulder
 536. Black filly, star, S near shoulder
 On 16th October, by same.—Trespass 6d. each.

540. Strawberry bullock, HE conjoined near ribs
 541. Red and white bullock, top off off ear, MH conjoined near back, K off ribs and back

542. Roan steer, HE conjoined near ribs
 543. Strawberry cow, both ears marked, \square near ribs
 544. Red and white cow, both ears marked, MH conjoined near back, Z off back, BX off rump

545. Yellow and white cow, off ear notched, like B off back and rump
 546. Red and white poley steer, top off off ear, HE conjoined near ribs

547. Maggie cow, both ears marked, like \square near ribs
 548. Brown and white cow, off ear notched, indescribable brand near and off ribs

549. Strawberry heifer calf, progeny of No. 548, no visible brand
 550. Red and white heifer, top off off ear, HE conjoined near ribs

551. Strawberry cow, both ears marked, like HE conjoined near ribs
 On 22nd October, by Mr. Geo. Barnett.—Damages 5s.

554. Roan strawberry cow, cock horns, top off near ear, like W off rump, like B off shoulder
 555. Strawberry heifer calf, progeny of No. 554, no brands

556. Red and white heifer, top off off ear, HE conjoined near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

GEO. H. FINDLAY,
 Poundkeeper.

21/6

NOTICE.

DUNOLLY.—No. 519, bay horse, black points, collar marked, JP conjoined off shoulder, gazetted 8th October, 1861, has also like C3 off neck.
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If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th November, 1861.

GEO. H. FINDLAY,
 Poundkeeper.

7/6

ECHUCA.—Impounded at Echuca, 15th October, 1861, by H. C. Jeffrey, Esq.—No trespass.

772. Chesnut horse, switch tail, stripe down face, hind legs white, near fore fetlock white, saddle marked, shod, like $\frac{1}{2}$ off shoulder
 CI

773. Bay mare, switch tail, near hind cornet white, MG near
 IT

shoulder, 22 near neck
 Same date, by P. O'Dea.—Trespass 6d. each.

774. Red and white bullock, top off horns, IB near rump, 3 near thigh, W off back

775. Red bullock, cock horns, 2 slits off ear, AR near rump, AIA off rump

776. Black bullock, cock horns, slit off ear, $\frac{1}{2}$ conjoined near

- ribs, JC off rump

777. Red and white bullock, cock horns, piece out near ear, HD conjoined near rump, D off rump, like D off ribs

778. Strawberry bullock, cock horns, RC near and off rump

779. Red cow, cock horns, swallow tail off ear, L within circle near neck, like L near thigh

780. Brown sided bullock, hoop horns, slit near ear, JH conjoined near rump, HF conjoined near thigh, RN near back

781. Black bullock, cock horns, slit near ear, OVL off rump (the VL conjoined), 2 off thigh

782. Yellow and white bullock, snail horns, piece off and slit near ear, TW off rump and ribs, \square off back, writing D off loin

783. Strawberry cow, cock horns, top off and slit off ear, K near back, $\frac{1}{2}$ off ribs
 JR

784. White bullock, black spots, $\frac{1}{2}$ conjoined near back, CR

- off ribs

785. Black and white bullock, cock horns, piece out off ear, ICK off ribs, JT off back

On 17th October, by P. O'Dea.—Trespass 6d. each.

786. Grey horse, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, H near neck, M near shoulder, B2 off neck, WH off shoulder

787. Brown horse, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, off hind fetlock white, writing T near shoulder, JP conjoined off

- writing V
 shoulder, like 46 off neck

788. Chesnut mare, long tail, off hind cornet white, G near shoulder

789. Bay mare, long tail, G near shoulder
 On 21st October, by J. G. Chrisp.—Trespass 6d. each.

809. Dark bay or brown mare, switch tail, saddle marked, WM near shoulder

810. Chesnut and white piebald horse, four legs white, blotch like 4 HE near shoulder (the HE conjoined)

811. Chesnut horse, switch tail, star, off fore fetlock white, saddle marked, lump top of off fore arm, broken hobbles on, J near shoulder

812. Brown mare, long tail, stripe down face, near fore cornet white, saddle and collar marked, RBA near neck, $\frac{1}{2}$

- near shoulder

813. Bay filly, star, W near shoulder

814. Blue roan mare, switch tail, TM near shoulder (writing T), T

- T, near ribs (writing T)
 815. Bay horse foal, star, rope round neck, progeny of No. 814, no brand

816. Bay mare, dock tail, saddle, collar, and spur marked, PM near neck, HM conjoined near shoulder, O off shoulder
 JK very faint

817. Brown horse, switch tail, star, saddle and collar marked, shod, rope round neck, SD near shoulder

818. Bay horse, switch tail, small star, saddle marked, WT near
 2

- shoulder, blotch like bottle brand off shoulder
 On 22nd October, by P. O'Dea.—Trespass 6d. each.

819. Bay mare, switch tail, star, IR near shoulder, C or GW off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

GEORGE JAMIESON,
 Poundkeeper.

45/

ELPHINSTONE.—Impounded at Elphinstone, 18th October, 1861, by Mr. Bennett.—Trespass 6d.

569. Roan horse, H and blotch near shoulder, collar marked
 Same date, by Mr. Bentley.—Trespass 4s. each.

570. Black cow, MM off rump, WER off ribs, poor

571. Strawberry cow, LL off rump, 2 off loin

572. Yellow cow, CUO near ribs, 5 off rump, $\frac{1}{2}$ near rump, poor
 P

On 19th October, by Mr. Creamean.—4s. each.

573. Black horse, hind feet white, star, collar marked and saddle marked, no visible brands, three shoes on

574. Bay mare, star, $\frac{1}{2}$ near saddle, rope on neck
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

J. T. PATTERSON,
 Poundkeeper.

11/

GISBORNE.—Impounded at Gisborne, 20th October, 1861, by Mr. Bourke.—Trespass 9d.

962. Bay draught gelding, Δ F conjoined near shoulder, collar marked, sore back, has been injured in near fore foot

On 21st October, by Mr. Murray.—Trespass 2s. each.

963. Yellow bullock, cock horns, very wild, illegible brand off ribs

964. White bullock, bell on neck, LW off and near rump
 On 22nd October, by Mr. Bourke.—Trespass 9d.

965. Black and tan bullock, WT off ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JOHN F. FLETCHER,
 Poundkeeper.

10/

HORSHAM.—Impounded at Horsham, 18th October, 1861, by Alexander Wilson, Esq.—Trespass £5.
109. Dark bay rig, black points, dock tail, white hairs about near fore fetlock, SD off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JAS. MUSSEN,
Poundkeeper.

7/

KALKALLO.—Impounded at Kalkallo, 19th October, 1861, by Thos. Laidlaw, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

753. Strawberry bullock, like W^g blotched near ribs, wide spread horns

764. Brown bullock, XT near ribs, white on belly, old and poor

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

GRAHAM MITCHELL,
Poundkeeper.

8/6

KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 19th October, 1861, by Messrs. Booth and Holloway.—Trespass 1s.

100. White bullock, yellow neck and ears, wide cock horns, near ribs, WR off rump, 7 off rump, 2 off shoulder

101. Strawberry steer, near eye marked, snail horns, AD near and off rump

102. Strawberry cow, cock horns, near ear slit, RUP near ribs

103. Strawberry sided cow, white back and belly, cock horns, Δ off rump and shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

HUGH STEVENSON,
Poundkeeper.

11/

LONGWOOD.—Impounded at Longwood, 15th October, 1861, by E. Henderson, Esq.

175. Bay mare, black points, JH near shoulder (the JH conjoined), like † off saddle

176. Bay mare, black points, JB near shoulder

177. Brown filly, same brand

178. Chesnut horse, star, HR near shoulder

On 19th October, by Arthur Wheeler, Esq.

179. Fleabitten grey mare, RF conjoined near shoulder (the R to left), JA near saddle, 2 near cheek, 1 near thigh

Same day, by — Prentice, Esq.

180. Red and white bull, (14 near rump

181. Light strawberry bullock, B off ribs

182. Red bullock, strawberry flanks, E off rump, 2 off shoulder

183. White bullock, hoop horns, JO off ribs

184. Yellow and white bullock, T off rump

185. Brindle bullock, INO off ribs

186. Red bullock, top off off horn, WV off ribs

187. Yellow cow, JWC off ribs

188. White cow, 17 off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

DON. MACDONALD,
Poundkeeper.

18/6

MORANG.—Impounded at Morang, 20th October, 1861, by Mr. E. Poole.

382. Iron grey mare, 2 off shoulder, WG off neck, H6 near shoulder, whip marked—Trespass 3s.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JOSEPH HUTCHINSON,
Poundkeeper.

7/

MOUNT MORIAC.—Impounded at Mount Moriac, 14th October, 1861, by Geo. Beatty.—Damages 6d. per head.

243. Red and white poley bullock, very old, off ear marked, blotched brand near shoulder

249. Strawberry cow, red neck, very old, near ear marked, blotched brands near ribs and rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

J. H. RYLAND,
Poundkeeper.

8/

NEWBRIDGE.—Impounded at Newbridge, 12th October, 1861, by P. C. Willan, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

473. Grey mare, black hairs on mane and tail, switch tail, FH above OX near shoulder

474. Piebald mare, black and white, long tail, like 1VT near shoulder (the 1V conjoined)

475. Dark brown or black horse, hind feet white, switch tail, rope on neck, indescrutable brand above blotch near shoulder, G above 2 off shoulder

On 15th October, by R. Cay, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

480. Dark grey horse, white streak down face, near hind and off fore feet white, switch tail, like S— above large HD conjoined near shoulder, RT off neck

482. Brown horse, switch tail, lame on near fore leg, like S near neck, nn near shoulder, like 1SO off neck (the S hook), M off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

JAMES CALVERT,
Poundkeeper.

13/

OKLEIGH.—Impounded at Oakleigh, October, 1861, by Mr. John Connell.—Damages 6s.

798. Strawberry young cow, small horns, no brand visible

On 21st October, by W. Caughey.—Trespass 1s.

808. Strawberry cow, up horns, slit near ear, blotch off neck, PI off ribs

810. Large ginger colored cow, tail and belly white, star, grey hairs about head and neck, up horns, supposed WC near rump (the C not plain)

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

THOS. REES,
Poundkeeper.

9/6

SANDHURST.—Impounded at Sandhurst, 22nd October, 1861, by Mr. John Cunneen, who claims 10s. each for paddocking and advertising.

385. Black horse, rope on neck, lame off hind leg, collar and saddle marked, shod, RW near shoulder

386. Chesnut mare, blaze, hind fetlocks white, WH near shoulder

387. Bay mare, star, stripe and snip, near fore and both hind fetlocks white, WS off shoulder, blotch off neck

On 23rd October, by Thos. Milner.—Trespass 5s. each.

390. Bay horse, star, hind fetlocks white, blister marked off shoulder, JUL near neck, Y with blotch near shoulder

391. Dark brown horse, screwed, off hind heel white, collar and saddle marked, like S— near shoulder (S hook)

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

DANL. MACKEY,
Poundkeeper.

12/6

SHELFORD.—Impounded at Shelford, 21st October, 1861, by Mr. McKay, for George Russell, Esq., of Golfhill.—Trespass 1s. each.

5015. Small chesnut horse, star on forehead, scar on off hip, collar marked, JJ on near shoulder

5016. Grey mare, collar and saddle marked, shod, TG on off neck and near rump, anchor and like JR under it on near shoulder. Notice sent to owner.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

HUGH MAY WILSON,
Poundkeeper.

9/6

SWAN HILL.—Impounded at Swan Hill, 15th October, 1861, by S. Watson, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

192. Steel grey filly, star, switch tail, rope on neck, like N near shoulder

193. Dark chesnut mare, switch tail, B near shoulder

194. Roan chesnut filly, progeny of above, white face, near fore foot and two hind feet white, no visible brand

195. Chesnut horse, white stripes down face, four white feet, saddle and collar marked, short switch tail, GF near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

WM. M. WALKER,
Poundkeeper.

11/6

WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta, 21st October, 1861, by Messrs. Reid Brothers.—Trespass and toll 2s. 3d. each.

509. Bay mare, black points, —M near shoulder, JT conjoined

with S off shoulder

510. Black horse, collar marked, like large 2 over 2 near shoulder, no other visible brand

511. Chesnut mare, star, near hind fetlock white, H 2 off cheek, W off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

ALEXANDER TONE,
Poundkeeper.

10/6

NOTICE.

WANGARATTA.—No. 473, brown horse, dock tail, OX near shoulder, like RA near neck, the R not plain, should be BA near neck, ringbones both fore feet.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

ALEXANDER TONE,
Poundkeeper.

Wangaratta Pound, 21st October, 1861.

7/6

WICKLIFFE.—Impounded at Wickliffe, 18th October, 1861, by William Macpherson, Esq.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.

3963. Red cow, JB near shoulder, B off shoulder
 3964. White heifer calf, hide rope on neck, no brands, progeny of above
 3965. Brindle and white cow, D off ribs, G off shoulder
 H
 3966. Strawberry bull calf, rope and chain on neck, no visible brand, progeny of above
 3967. Red heifer, strawberry face, like blotched J near shoulder
 3968. Strawberry heifer, no visible brands
 3969. Red and white heifer, off ear slit, large blotch near shoulder
 On 21st October, by A. McKinley, Esq.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.
 3970. Black horse, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, broken knees, shod, \odot near shoulder, like \odot off shoulder
 X
 3971. Bay mare, small star, near hind pastern white, long tail, sore back and girth galled, shod behind, \odot near shoulder,
 6
 WH

der, JH off shoulder
 30

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

18/ FREDK. WM. DODD,
 Poundkeeper.

WEDDERBURNE.—Impounded at Wedderburne, 18th October, 1861, by Henry Davis and Co.

225. Brown bullock, near horn down, nick of both ears and piece off both ears, illegible brand near loin, Tg near rump, D near hip, \square off ribs
 226. Blue and strawberry bullock, grey face, cock horns, near ear slit, \odot near horn (\square 's to right), \odot near rump, \odot near neck
 like GF off rump, 4 off thigh, like F off neck
 227. White bullock, strawberry spots on neck, hoop horns, red ears, \odot near horn (first \odot to right), MH conjoined near loin, FC off rump, 2 off thigh, RH off loin, \square off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th November, 1861.

12/ G. R. BRUCE,
 Poundkeeper.

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October 24.—G. H. Findlay	4	0	0
October 24.—Hy. A. Cooper	2	2	10
October 24.—Geo. Jamieson	3	0	0
October 24.—Jas. Calvert	0	12	0
October 24.—John Strickland	1	0	0
October 24.—Hy. McIlree	1	0	0
October 24.—F. W. Dodd	1	0	0
October 24.—N. S. Hailes	1	0	0
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