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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

I HEREBY notify that I have this day received a return to the writ issued by me on the nineteenth day of November last, for the election of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria for the Electoral District of Warrnambool, in the place of Thomas Manifold, Esquire, resigned; and that by the return endorsed on such writ it appears that

The Honorable JOHN DENNISTOUN WOOD
was duly elected member for the said Electoral District.

FRANS. MURPHY,
Speaker.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Melbourne, 9th December, 1861.

NOTICE TO LESSEES OF SUBDIVISIONS OF ALLOTMENTS UNDER THE LAND SALES ACT.

IT is hereby notified, for the information of persons who have rented subdivisions of allotments under the 34th section of the Land Sales Act, that the yearly rentals, in advance, at the rate of One shilling per acre, must be paid at the District Survey Offices where the leases may have been granted, within one month from the date on which such rentals will fall due.

In the event of such payments not being made within the prescribed period, the leases will, under the provisions of the Act, be considered forfeited, and the land will be liable to be sold by public auction, without further notice and without any valuation for improvements.

Rents will fall due during the month of December next on account of subdivisions situated in the following parishes:—

Parish.	County.	Payable at.
Bittern	Mornington	Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.
Ondit	Grenville	} District Survey Office, Geelong.
Cressy	Grenville	
Yarima	Grenville	
Craigie	Talbot	District Survey Office, Castle-maine.
East Hexham	Hampden	} District Survey Office, Camper-down.
Kolora	Hampden	
Wooriwyrite	Hampden	
Langi Ghiran	Ripon	District Survey Office, Ararat.
Winton	Unnamed	District Survey Office, Beechworth.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23th November, 1861.

OPENING OF TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION WITH TARADALE.

IT is hereby notified that telegraphic communication has been established with Taradale, and the office at that place is now available to the public.

Rates of charges and further information may be obtained upon application at any of the telegraph offices in Victoria.

SAMUEL MCGOWAN,

General Superintendent of Electric Telegraph.

Department of Electric Telegraph
(Office of the General Superintendent),
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

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UNSETTLED ACCOUNTS.

ALL persons who have claims against the Departments of Sheriff and Gaols, for articles supplied or services performed prior to the 1st instant, are requested to send in their accounts for settlement immediately, and accounts for the service of the present month as soon after the 1st of January next as possible.

CLAUD FARIE,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1861.

LAND TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED AND GRANTED TO TRUSTEES WITHOUT PURCHASE.

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 date hereof, it is the intention of the Governor in Council to permanently reserve from sale the land hereinafter described, for the purpose specified in connection with the description; the said land to be then conveyed to the Trustees appointed on the 11th of July, 1859, whose names are specified in page 1675 ante.

THE LAND AT EAST MELBOURNE APPROPRIATED AS A SITE FOR SCOTS COLLEGE.—Melbourne East, 2a, two acres, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne, allotments 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 of section 4: Commencing at the north-east corner of the section; bounded on the east by Lansdowne street, bearing south five chains; on part of the south by Gipps street west, bearing east three chains; on part of the west by allotment 6, bearing north two chains fifty links; on the remainder of the south by said allotment 6 and allotment 5, bearing west two chains; on the remainder of the west by allotment 15, bearing north two chains fifty links; thence on the north by Grey street west, bearing east five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.9540.)

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 29th November, 1861.

LAND 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 date hereof, it is the intention of the Governor in Council to permanently reserve from sale the land hereinafter described, for the purpose specified in connection with the description, the said land to be thereupon conveyed to trustees without purchase.

The temporary reservation of the said land will from thenceforth be revoked.

DAYLESFORD—SITE FOR WESLEYAN CHURCH PURPOSES.—Daylesford, One acre, county of Talbot, parish of Wombat, allotments 9 and 10 of section 9: Commencing at the north-east angle of said allotment 10; bounded on the east by Camp street, bearing south two chains; on the south by allotment 8, bearing west five chains; on the west by Duke street, bearing north two chains; and on the north by Victoria street, bearing east five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.7303.)

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 19th November, 1861.

THE METROPOLITAN CRICKET GROUND.

IN pursuance of the 4th section of the Crown Lands Act, 24 Victoria No. 117, it is hereby notified that it is intended to permanently reserve from sale the Crown land hereinafter described, upon the expiration of one month from the date hereof, and to convey the same to trustees on condition that the rules of admission of the public thereto be subject to the approval of the Government, viz.:-

THE METROPOLITAN CRICKET GROUND (formerly designated by the name of the Melbourne Cricket Ground), containing nine acres one rood thirty-seven perches: Commencing at a point in the Richmond Police Paddock distant fourteen chains south from another point on the south side of Wellington parade, the last mentioned point being distant two chains fifty-eight links east from the north-west angle or corner of the Richmond Police Paddock formed with its junction with Wellington parade and the purchased property of C. J. La Trobe, Esq.; and bounded on the north by a curve of six hundred and two links radius, the chord of which bears N. 77° 30' E. nine chains forty links; bounded on the east by a curve of four hundred and sixty-three links radius, the chord of which bears E. 77° 30' S. six chains ten links; bounded on the south by a curve of six hundred and two links radius, the chord of which bears S. 77° 30' W. nine chains forty links; and bounded on the west by a curve of four hundred and sixty-three links radius, the chord of which bears W. 77° 30' N. six chains ten links home to the commencing point.

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 10th December, 1861.

TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 9th day of December, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

The Honorable WILLIAM CLARKE HAINES,
JOHN GOODMAN, Esquire, and
THOMAS FERBIER HAMILTON, Esquire,

to be the Trustees of the Metropolitan Cricket Ground.

By His Excellency's Command,
C. GAVAN DUFFY.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

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PUBLIC VACCINATOR.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

R. STEPHENSON, Esquire,

to be Public Vaccinator for the district of Berwick, *vice* M. Brisbane, Esq., resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

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APPOINTMENTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz.:-

H. ELLIS

to be Operator in charge of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Taradale, from 15th November, 1861, inclusive.

R. B. HODGSON

to be Manager of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Beechworth, from 1st December, *vice* Horace Burkitt, resigned.

KYNASTON L. MURRAY

to be Manager of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Ararat, from 1st December, 1861, *vice* Hodgson, transferred.

FREDERICK DORE

to be Manager of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Streatham, from 1st December, 1861, *vice* Murray, transferred.

ALBION C. CROFT

to be Assistant Operator in charge of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Sandridge, from 1st December, 1861, *vice* Dore, transferred.

G. E. GROVES

to be Assistant in charge of Electric Telegraph at Carisbrook, from 16th November, 1861, also Collector of Imposts from same date, *vice* Banks, transferred.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Corrigendum.

The Christian name of the Manager of Electric Telegraph at Chiltern, is Edmund, *not* Edwin.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 6th December, 1861.

CLERK OF PETTY SESSIONS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, was pleased, on the 5th of November last, to appoint

D. G. STOBIE (C.P.S., &c., Blackwood)

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions at Mount Egerton (Gordon), *vice* R. Quinan, relieved, and Mr. Stobie commenced duty on the 1st instant accordingly.

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

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 10th December, 1861.

REGISTRAR OF MARRIAGES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM PHIPPS

to be Registrar of Marriages for the district of Omeo, in the room of J. D. L. Houghton, who has removed from the district.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

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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.:-

WILLIAM PHIPPS,

for the district of Omeo, *vice* J. D. L. Houghton, who has removed out of the district.

THOMAS LEWIS GINN,

at Sunbury, *vice* J. McIntyre, resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

RESIGNATION OF A TERRITORIAL MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has accepted the resignation of the commission of the peace by

SOLOMON IFFLA, Esquire, Melbourne,

as a Territorial Magistrate, and has, at Mr. Iffla's own request, directed his name to be removed from the Roll of Magistrates for the colony of Victoria.

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

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

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SALE (No. 446) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT HAMILTON, ON 13TH DECEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 12th November last, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Hamilton, on 13th December instant: Notice is hereby given that the said sale has been postponed to 10th January next.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

SALE (No. 455) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT BALLAARAT, ON 23RD DECEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 22nd November last, relative to a sale of certain Special Lands to be held at Ballarat, on 23rd December instant: Notice is hereby given that the said sale has been postponed to 14th January next.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

SALES (Nos. 454 AND 456) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT COLAC, ON 21ST AND 23RD DECEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 19th and 23rd of November last, relative to sales of certain Special Lands to be held at Colac, on 21st and 23rd December instant: Notice is hereby given that the said sales have been postponed to 10th and 11th January next.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

SALES (Nos. 450 AND 460) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT SANDHURST, ON 27TH AND 28TH DECEMBER, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 26th November last, relative to sales of certain Special Lands to be held at Sandhurst, on 27th and 28th December instant: Notice is hereby given that the said sales have been postponed to 14th and 15th January next.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

APPLICATION FOR LEASE IN THE MINING DISTRICT OF SANDEHURST.

IT is hereby notified that the intimation of the intention to grant a lease of auriferous Crown land, in the mining district of Sandhurst, to William Clay, published in the *Gazette* of the 14th May, 1861 (page 948), has been cancelled.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Parliament, 31 Victoria No. 32, section 11, it is hereby notified that upon the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is intended to grant Leases of the portions of ground under-mentioned, in the Mining Districts specified in the first column of the annexed Schedule.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne, 10th December, 1861.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President.

Names of Mining Districts.	Names of Applicants, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	Extent of Ground applied for.	Description of Ground.			Capital and Machinery proposed to be employed.		Precise locality, and period of time for commencing operations.	Term of Lease and General Remarks.
			Quartz Recr.	Deep Sinking.	Surfacing.	Amount of Capital proposed to be invested.	Value and general description of the Machinery.		
Ararat	William Tregoe and Others, Alluvial Mining Company, (No. 16, Ararat)	A. B. P. 5 0 0	...	...	...	£1500	£700. Steam machinery with stamps of 12-horse power	Lower end of Deep Lead, Pleasant Creek. To commence operations when lease is granted	5 years.
Beechworth	William Tobelman, (No. 11, Beechworth)	3 1 8	Quartz	...	...	£1500	Steam crushing mill	Eagle Reef, Yackandandah. To commence operations 1st December, 1861	6 years.
Maryborough	Robert William Hammond and Others, Sandy Creek, Specimen Hill, Quartz Mining Company, (No. 117, Maryborough)	4 0 0	Quartz	...	...	£1500	...	Specimen Hill, Sandy Creek. To commence operations as soon as lease is granted	10 years.
	William Keloid and Company, Strangers Gold Mining Company, (No. 123, Maryborough)	4 2 0	Quartz and Alluvial	...	...	£2000	Horizontal engine of 14-horse power and battery of 12 stamps	Bristol Reef, St. Arnaud. To commence operations immediately when lease is granted	10 years.

FARMERS' COMMONS.

PROCLAMATION.

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

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament holden in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of Her present Majesty's reign, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, upon the petition of not less than ten occupiers of not less than five hundred acres of adjacent purchased land, to proclaim that any Crown lands within five miles of such purchased land (the area of such Crown lands not being more than three times the area of the purchased land) shall be a common for the use of such occupiers of the said purchased land as shall cultivate at least one-fourth of his or their purchased land, and every such common shall be called a "Farmers' Common;" provided that nothing in the now reciting section shall be deemed or taken to prevent any such lands from being sold under the said Act upon the application of persons desirous of purchasing the same; and it is also enacted, that the Governor in Council shall have full power from time to time to make any rules and regulations for imposing any conditions or limitations on the exercise of the right of common upon any Farmers' Common: And whereas the occupiers of purchased land in or near the localities hereinafter mentioned have petitioned for Farmers' Commons in accordance with the said Act: Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the Crown lands hereinafter described to be FARMERS' COMMONS for the use of the occupiers of purchased land within the meaning and intent and subject to the provisions of the said Act, and also under and subject to such conditions or limitations on the exercise of the right of common as are or may be prescribed, that is to say:—

FARMERS' COMMON AT SOUTH BARNAWATHA.—2300 acres, more or less, parish of South Barnawatha. Commencing at north-west angle of allotment 1, section 5, South Barnawatha; thence by a road bearing S. 54° 7' W. ninety-six chains fifty links, more or less, to the boundary line between the parishes of South Barnawatha and Chiltern; thence by said parish boundary south fifty-four chains, more or less, to the north boundary of Chiltern Gold Field Common; thence east along said boundary forty-six chains, more or less; thence south by some eighty-four chains, more or less, to the boundary of the parishes of South Barnawatha and Wooragee; thence east along said boundary one hundred and forty chains, more or less, to the margin of the sold land; thence by the margin of the sold land and the main line of road north-westerly to the point of commencement. Deducting from above described area all sold or appropriated lands.—(61.C.9206.)

FARMERS' COMMON AT SOUTH WOORAGEE.—4224 acres, more or less, county unnamed, parish of North Wooragee: Commencing at the south-east corner of allotment 4, section 33, parish of South Barnawatha; thence along the south boundaries of the last-named parish and Belvoir West N. 37° 10' E. one hundred and ten chains, more or less; thence by a line bearing about S. 46° E. two hundred and ninety chains, more or less, to a point bearing due north of the north-east angle of allotment 1, section C, North Wooragee; thence south one hundred and sixty chains, more or less, to the north-east angle of allotment 1, section C; thence by the northern boundaries of allotments 1 and 2, section C, westerly to the road from Yackandandah to Barnawatha, and by road north-westerly to the south boundary of South Barnawatha, and by the last-named boundary N. 87° 10' E. to the point of commencement.—(61.C.9772.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in the twenty-fifth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

HENRY BARKLY.

By His Excellency's Command,

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SANDHURST GOLD FIELDS COMMON ENLARGED.

PROCLAMATION.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council at any time to increase, diminish, alter, or abolish any town common, gold fields common, or farmers' common: And whereas by a Proclamation under the hand of the Governor and the seal of the colony, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of January in the present year, a certain area, therein described under the designation of Sandhurst, was proclaimed to be a gold fields common: And whereas it is expedient to increase the said common by adding thereto the area hereinafter described: Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the Crown lands here-

inafter described to be an addition to the gold fields common described in the said Proclamation under the designation of Sandhurst, for the use of all holders of miners' rights, business licenses, carriers' licenses, and other residents on the gold fields situate at and near Sandhurst aforesaid, in like manner and to all intents and purposes as if the said additional area had been included within the area described in the said Proclamation, that is to say:—

THE ADDITION TO THE SANDHURST GOLD FIELDS COMMON.—702 acres 2 roods 36 perches, more or less, county unnamed, parish of Lockwood: Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 44, section 4, parish of Lockwood; thence east sixty chains, more or less, to a point due north of the north-east angle of allotment 15, section 1; thence south one hundred and thirty-seven chains, more or less, to the north side of the main road from Melbourne to the Loddon; thence by that side of the main road north-westerly to a point due south of the commencing point; thence north ninety-six chains, more or less, to the point of commencement.—(G.L.C.10089.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in the twenty-fifth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) HENRY BARKLY,
By His Excellency's Command,
C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolventcies, during the week ending 6th December, 1861:—

Dates, names, trades, addresses, and official assignees.

2nd Dec.	James Ingram, joiner, Carlton, Jacomb
	Patk. Kennedy, deceased, publican, Melbourne, Jacomb
	Geo. McFarlane, miner, Fryerstown, Shaw
	Charles Colclough, engineer, Melbourne, Laing
	George Ashmore, laborer, Phillipstown, Courtney
3rd Dec.	John Tuite Downes, compositor, Sandhurst, Goodman
	Henry Moore, station master, Diggers' Rest, Goodman
	David Wilson, draper, Maldon, Laing
	Wm. Henry Smith, gentleman, Richmond, Shaw
	Wilm. Insull Burman, contractor, Melbourne, Courtney
	John Beauland, quarryman, Bulleen, Jacomb
	Alexander Walker, clerk, Melbourne, Shaw
4th Dec.	Walter Isaac Donchaise, compositor, Melbourne, Jacomb
	James E. Rowland, miner, Daylesford, Laing
5th Dec.	Alexr. McPherson, farmer, Kyneton, Goodman
	James Limon, livery-stable keeper, St. Kilda, Courtney
	John R. Needham, scrivener, Richmond, Jacomb
6th Dec.	Charles Davis, commission agent, Melbourne, Shaw
	John Hawkesly Lockwood, storekeeper, Chewton, Laing
	James Lowes, publican, Sandhurst, Goodman
	Henry Smith, laborer, Melbourne, Courtney
	Thomas Barnett, miner, Creswick, Shaw
	John Bass Skardon, boot and shoe merchant, Melbourne, Jacomb
	Denny and Wills, hay and corn store keepers, Rutherglen, Laing
	Thomas Wills, livery-stable keeper, Rutherglen, Laing
	William W. Wilson, solicitor, Melbourne, Courtney
	GEORGE BROUGHAM AUSTIN, Chief Clerk.

ASSESSMENT, 1861.

REFERRING to the Assessment List for the second half-year of 1861, contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 21st November, No. 171: It is hereby notified that the amount placed opposite to the name of Wm. Webster, Nooroolum Station, upon page 2244 *ante*, should be £69 13s. 8d., and not as therein stated.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

ASSESSMENT ON STOCK, 1861.

IT is hereby notified that the Glenmore Run, in the Omeo district, stated in pages 1508 and 2211 *ante* to be in the occupation of Campbell, Kiscook, and Gibson, as licensees, should have been stated as being in the occupation of J. Campbell.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 9th December, 1861.

CANCELLATION OF DEPASTURING LICENSE FOR 1861.

REFERRING to the notice contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th May last, page 897 *ante*, headed "Depasturing Licenses for 1861." It is hereby notified that Nipo Run being identical with Brimin, the license for the former has been cancelled.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1861.

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.		No. of
(For sale by Auction at 11 a.m.)		Gazette.
BALLAARAT, on—		
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CASTLE DONNINGTON, on—		
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COLAC, on—		
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Friday, 13th December	165
INGLEWOOD, on—		
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SANDHURST, on—		
Friday, 27th December	173
Saturday, 28th December	173

COUNTRY LANDS.

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

BENALLA, until—		
Friday, 27th December ... ..	...	173
HAMILTON, until—		
Tuesday, 17th December ... ..	...	165
Wednesday, 18th December ... ..	...	165
Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.		

COURTS.

CLUNES.

POLICE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that from this date the Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the above Court House every Wednesday, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, instead of Two o'clock on Thursday as heretofore.

(By Order) MOSES BOLGER,
Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office,
Clunes, 6th December, 1861.

DUNOLLY.

COUNTY COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next sittings of the County Court at Dunolly will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, 1862.

(By Order) JOHN MISKELLY,
Clerk of Court.

Court House,
Dunolly, 6th December, 1861.

DUNOLLY.

COURT OF MINES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the next sittings of the Court of Mines for the Mining District of Maryborough, to be holden at Dunolly, will take place on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1862.

(By Order) JOHN MISKELLY,
Clerk of Court.

Court House,
Dunolly, 6th December, 1861.

RAGLAN.

COUNTY COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that a County Court will be holden at the Court House at Raglan, on Thursday, the 6th day of February next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

(By Order of the Judge) C. W. MINCHIN,
Clerk of the said Court.

Court House,
Raglan, Beaufort, 6th December, 1861.

RAGLAN.

COURT OF MINES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Mines for the Mining District of Ararat will be holden at the Court House, at Raglan, on Thursday, the 6th day of February next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

(By Order of the Judge) C. W. MINCHIN,
Clerk of the said Court.

Court House,
Raglan, Beaufort, 6th December, 1861.

SANDHURST.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held in the Municipal Police Court, Sandhurst, on Saturday, the 14th day of December next, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of revising the Third Supplementary Lists for the Sandhurst Boroughs and that portion of the North-Western Province.

(By Order) ALFRED M. BEWS,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

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

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

MELBOURNE—Monday 16 December.

CIRCUIT COURTS.

ARARAT—
BALLAARAT—
BEECHWORTH—
CASTLEMAINE—
GEELONG—
MARYBOROUGH—
PORTLAND—
SANDHURST—

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

(Pursuant to the Governor's Proclamation of 20 December 1860.)

ARARAT—Friday 13 December.

AVOCA—
BEECHWORTH—
BELFAST—
BOURKE—At Melbourne.
BUNINYONG AND BALLAARAT—At Ballaarat.
CASTLEMAINE—
GRANGE—At Hamilton Friday 20 December.
GRANT—At Geelong.
INGLEWOOD—
KILMORE—
KYNETON—
MARYBOROUGH—
PALMERSTON—
PORTLAND—
SALE—
SANDHURST—
WARRENAMBOOL—

COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—
ARARAT—
AVOCA—Friday 28 February 1862.
BACCHUS MARSH—
BALLAARAT—Tuesday 4 February 1862.
BEECHWORTH—Tuesday 17 December (adjourned from 14 December).
BELFAST—Monday 17 February 1862.
BENALLA—Thursday 19 December.
BUCKLAND—
CARISBROOK—
CASTLEMAINE—Wednesday 5 February 1862.
CHILTERN—Wednesday 5 February 1862.
COLAC—
CRESWICK—Tuesday 28 January 1862.
DANDENONG—
DAYLESFORD—
DUNOLLY—
FRYERSTOWN—
GEELONG—
GISBORNE—Tuesday 4 February 1862.
HAMILTON—Friday 20 December.
HEATHCOTE—
INGLEWOOD—Thursday 13 February 1862.
KILMORE—
KYNETON—
MALDON—
MARYBOROUGH—
MELBOURNE—
PALMERSTON—
PLEASANT CREEK—Tuesday 11 February 1862
PORTLAND—
RAGLAN—
SALE—
SANDHURST—
TARADALE—

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WANGARATTA—Friday 20 December.
WARRENAMBOOL—
WEDDERBURN—
YACKANDANDAH—

COURTS OF MINES.

ARARAT DISTRICT—
Ararat—
Pleasant Creek—Wednesday 12 February 1862.
Raglan—

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—
Ballaarat—
Buninyong—Thursday 20 February 1862.
Creswick—Thursday 30 January 1862.
Mount Blackwood—Friday 21 March 1862.
Smythe's Creek—Friday 21 February 1862.
Steiglitz—Tuesday 24 June 1862.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—
Beechworth—Monday 16 December.
Buckland—
Chiltern—Thursday 6 February 1862.
Omso—
Yackandandah—

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—
Castlemaine—Wednesday 5 February 1862.
Fryerstown—
Hepburn (Daylesford)—
Maldon—
St. Andrew's—
Taradale—

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—
Amherst—
Avoca—Thursday 27 February 1862.
Carisbrook—
Dunolly—
Inglewood—Tuesday 18 February 1862.
Korong (Wedderburne)—
Maryborough—

SANDHURST DISTRICT—
Heathcote—
Kilmore—
Sandhurst—Monday 16 December.

LICENSING COURTS—HAWKERS.

AVENEL—Saturday 14 December.
DAYLESFORD—Saturday 14 December.
SEYMOUR—Wednesday 11 December.

REVISION COURTS—ELECTORAL.

ARARAT—Saturday 14 December.
BALLAARAT—Saturday 14 December.
BALLAN—Saturday 14 December.
BELFAST—Saturday 14 December.
BRIGHTON—Saturday 14 December.
BUCKLAND—Saturday 14 December.
BUNINYONG—Saturday 14 December.
CARAMUT—Saturday 14 December.
CARISBROOK—Saturday 14 December.
DANDENONG—Saturday 14 December.
DUNOLLY—Saturday 14 December.
ECHUCA—Saturday 14 December.
ELTHAM—Saturday 14 December.
EMERALD HILL—Saturday 14 December.
GARDINER—Saturday 14 December.
HEIDELBERG—Saturday 14 December.
HORSHAM—Saturday 14 December.
LEARMONTH—Saturday 14 December.
MARYBOROUGH—Saturday 14 December.
PALMERSTON—Saturday 14 December.
PRAHRAN—Saturday 14 December.
RICHMOND—Saturday 14 December.
SANDHURST—Saturday 14 December.
SNAPPER POINT—Saturday 14 December.
ST. KILDA—Saturday 14 December.
STEIGLITZ—Saturday 14 December.
TARNAGULLA—Saturday 14 December.
WARANGA—Saturday 14 December.
WEDDERBURN—Saturday 14 December.
WILLIAMSTOWN—Saturday 14 December.

Tenders for the Service of 1862.

FORAGE, 1862.
TENDERS will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 7th January, 1862, from persons willing to supply Forage in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government at the undermentioned stations, from the 1st February to the 31st December, 1862.

District.	Station.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption.				
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	
Ararat	Ararat, and } Green Hills	10800	1080	15120	4320	
	Buanga	900	90	1260	360	
Avoca	Campbell's Reef	900	90	1260	360	
	Crowlands	1800	180	2520	720	
	Raglan	1800	180	2520	720	
	Wickliffe	1800	180	2520	720	
	Avoca	5400	540	7560	2160	
Ballaarat	Amphitheatre	900	90	1260	360	
	Lexton	900	90	1260	360	
	Moonambel	1800	180	2520	720	
	Redbank	2700	270	3780	1080	
	St. Arnaud	1800	180	2520	720	
	Ballaarat	10800	1080	15120	4320	
	Bullbrook	1800	180	2520	720	
	Buninyong	1800	180	2520	720	
	Burrumbet	1800	180	2520	720	
	Carrngam	900	90	1260	360	
	Clarendon	1800	180	2520	720	
	Clunes	900	90	1260	360	
	Coghill's Creek	900	90	1260	360	
	Creswick	2700	270	3780	1080	
	Gordon's	1800	180	2520	720	
Belfast	Kingston	1800	180	2520	720	
	Lake Learmonth	900	90	1260	360	
	Linton's	900	90	1260	360	
	Minersrest	900	90	1260	360	
	Pitfield	900	90	1260	360	
	Skipton	900	90	1260	360	
	Smythesdale	2700	270	3780	1080	
	Whim Holes	900	90	1260	360	
	Belfast	1800	180	2520	720	
	Camperdown	1800	180	2520	720	
	Caramut	1800	180	2520	720	
	Cavendish	900	90	1260	360	
	Dunkeld	900	90	1260	360	
	Hamilton	2700	270	3780	1080	
	Hexham	900	90	1260	360	
Benalla	Mortlake	900	90	1260	360	
	Penshurst	900	90	1260	360	
	Warnambool	1800	180	2520	720	
	Woodford	900	90	1260	360	
	Benalla	6300	630	8820	2520	
	Euroa	900	90	1260	360	
	Jamieson's Flat	2700	270	3780	1080	
	Mansfield	1800	180	2520	720	
	Mulwala	900	90	1260	360	
	Shepparton	1800	180	2520	720	
	Tarrngower	900	90	1260	360	
	Violetown	1800	180	2520	720	
	Wangaratta	9000	900	12600	1900	
	Bourke	Richmond Depot	22500	2250	31500	9000
		Dandenong	3600	360	5040	1440
Point Nepean		1800	180	2520	720	
Aitken's Gap		900	90	1260	360	
Anderson's Creek		900	90	1260	360	
Brighton		1800	180	2520	720	
Broadmeadows		900	90	1260	360	
Campbellfield		900	90	1260	360	
Cranbourne		900	90	1260	360	
Etilham		900	90	1260	360	
Essendon		900	90	1260	360	
Heidelberg		1800	180	2520	720	
Keilor		1800	180	2520	720	
Malvern		900	90	1260	360	
Melton		900	90	1260	360	
Carisbrook	Oakleigh	900	90	1260	360	
	Queenstown	900	90	1260	360	
	Sandy Point	900	90	1260	360	
	Snapper Point	1800	180	2520	720	
	Sunbury	1800	180	2520	720	
	Yan Yean	1800	180	2520	720	
	Carisbrook	8100	810	11340	3240	
	Amherst	900	90	1260	360	
	Back Creek	1800	180	2520	720	
	Dunolly	4500	450	6300	1800	
	Inglewood	3600	360	5040	1440	
	Kingower	1800	180	2520	720	
	Maryborough	5400	540	7560	2160	
	Tarnagulla	1800	180	2520	720	
	Wedderburne	1800	180	2520	720	
Castlemaine	Castlemaine	12600	1260	17640	5040	
	Daylesford	2700	270	3780	1080	
	Elphinstone	5400	540	7560	2160	
	Fryerstown	900	90	1260	360	
	Malden	1800	180	2520	720	
	Newstead	4500	450	6300	1800	
	Porcupine	900	90	1260	360	
	Taradale	900	90	1260	360	
	Yandoit	900	90	1260	360	

FORAGE—continued.

District.	Station.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption.				
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	
Geelong	Geelong	9900	990	13860	3960	
	Colac	900	90	1260	360	
	Drysdale	900	90	1260	360	
	Inverleigh	900	90	1260	360	
	Lethbridge	1800	180	2520	720	
	Little River	900	90	1260	360	
	Meredith	12600	1260	17640	5040	
	Queenscliff	900	90	1260	360	
	Rokewood	900	90	1260	360	
	Shelford	900	90	1260	360	
	Steiglitz	900	90	1260	360	
	Viaduct	900	90	1260	360	
	Winchelsea	900	90	1260	360	
	Wyndham	900	90	1260	360	
	Gipps Land	Alberton	3600	360	5040	1440
Dargo		1800	180	2520	720	
Mitchell		2700	270	3780	1080	
Livingstone Creek		1800	180	2520	720	
Palmerston		900	90	1260	360	
Sale		1800	180	2520	720	
Stradbroke		900	90	1260	360	
Stratford		900	90	1260	360	
Tambo		900	90	1260	360	
Taralgon		900	90	1260	360	
Tarraville		900	90	1260	360	
Kilmore		5400	540	7560	2160	
Avenel		4500	450	6300	1800	
Broadford		900	90	1260	360	
Donnybrook		900	90	1260	360	
Longwood	2700	270	3780	1080		
Pyalong	900	90	1260	360		
Seymour	5400	540	7560	2160		
Yea	1800	180	2520	720		
Kyneton	Kyneton	4500	450	6300	1800	
	Bacchus Marsh	1800	180	2520	720	
	Ballan	1800	180	2520	720	
	Black Forest	900	90	1260	360	
	Blackwood	1800	180	2520	720	
	Carlsruhe	900	90	1260	360	
	Gasborne	1800	180	2520	720	
	Lancefield	1800	180	2520	720	
	Malmsbury	900	90	1260	360	
	Tylden	1800	180	2520	720	
	Woodend	6300	630	8820	2520	
	McIvor	Heathcote	3600	360	5040	1440
		Hexuca	900	90	1260	360
		Murchison	900	90	1260	360
		Redcastle	900	90	1260	360
Rannymede		1800	180	2520	720	
Rushworth		3600	360	5040	1440	
Beechworth		12600	1260	17640	5040	
Ovens		Belvoir	1800	180	2520	720
		Buckland	900	90	1260	360
		Chiltern	3600	360	5040	1440
		Morso's Creek	2700	270	3780	1080
		Rutherglen	1800	180	2520	720
		Snowy Creek	1800	180	2520	720
		Wahgunyah	900	90	1260	360
		Woolshed	900	90	1260	360
	Yackandandah	1800	180	2520	720	
	Portland	Portland	1800	180	2520	720
		Balmoral	900	90	1260	360
		Branxholme	1800	180	2520	720
		Casterton	1800	180	2520	720
		Coleraine	900	90	1260	360
		Digby	1800	180	2520	720
Harrow		1800	180	2520	720	
Heywood		900	90	1260	360	
Dartmoor		900	90	1260	360	
Sandhurst		Sandhurst	9000	900	12600	3600
		Axedale	1800	180	2520	720
		Bullock Creek	1800	180	2520	720
		Durham Ox	1800	180	2520	720
		Eaglehawk	900	90	1260	360
		Elysian Flat	900	90	1260	360
	Huntly	900	90	1260	360	
	Lockwood	900	90	1260	360	
	Mandurang	1800	180	2520	720	
	Myer's Flat	900	90	1260	360	
	Robinson Crusoe	900	90	1260	360	
	Serpentine Inn	900	90	1260	360	
	Wimmera	Stawell	2700	270	3780	1080
		Glenorchy	900	90	1260	360
		Great Western	900	90	1260	360
Horsham		1800	180	2520	720	
Navarre		2700	270	3780	1080	
Rose's Gap		900	90	1260	360	

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, or of the officer in charge of the police at each station, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.
The tenders for each station will be accepted or rejected separately.
Tenders may be for either of the supplies required, oats, bran, hay, or straw, only, and if all be included in one tender it will be accepted for one article only if advisable.

Contractors will be allowed to deliver a two months' supply on the 1st February, a six months' supply on the 1st April for a winter's stock, and the remainder on the 1st October, subject to the provisions contained in clause 2, Conditions of Contract.

The price must be per ton for hay and straw, and per bushel for oats and bran, including delivery at the stations and all charges; bags to be returned when empty.

The net weight only, after deducting the tare, is to be charged. No bond will be required if the whole supply in value will not exceed £150, but if more, 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 in one-third the estimated cost of the entire supply at the station tendered for; and in the event of the tender being accepted, the bond must be executed within twenty days, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for —" (as the case may be), and 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 17th January, 1862.

CONDITIONS.

1. The hay to be oaten, good, sound, and sweet; the straw to be wheaten, and both to be in all respects of the best quality; oats (colonial grown) and bran also to be sound and sweet and of the best description.

2. The supplies to be delivered on the requisition of the officer in charge of the district or station, the quantities stated in the schedule being, however, only approximative, and it must be understood that the Government will draw either more or less than stated. The excess over the estimate will, however, in no case exceed 50 per cent.

3. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by any contracts made by the military commissariat.

4. The forage when delivered must be accompanied by an invoice of quantity, showing the gross weight, the tare, and the net weight (this should be on the back of the requisition or order), which, when signed by the officer in charge of the station for the net quantity received, will be returned to the contractor, and by him rendered in support of his account.

5. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account, monthly, in the prescribed form, and on presentation thereof to the officer in charge of the station or district, it will be forwarded for payment at the Treasury, Melbourne, or the Pay Office of the district, as may be indicated on the account.

6. Should forage duly ordered under these contracts not be delivered within forty-eight hours from a reasonable time to be fixed on the order, it will be competent for the department, 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 is to be deducted.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the forage, as to quality of the same, it is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the head of a department, and the decision of the board to be considered final.

8. If the board shall decide that the forage is not of a proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra cost, if any, will be charged as in clause 6.

9. When a board of survey cannot be conveniently assembled, or when from some other cause injury would accrue either to the public service or to the contractor by waiting for a board of survey, the officer in charge will have the power to reject such supplies 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 forage and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 6.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the forage, or of delay in delivering or replacing it when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Government Storekeeper, to such mulct, not exceeding one-fourth 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 for the Government Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, or for the contractor on his own behalf, to terminate the contract, by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months to that effect, it being understood that such notice only can be given from the first day of a month, and provided that no such notice can be given before the 30th April, 1862.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th December, 1861.

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GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

COAL.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 20th instant, from persons willing to supply Coal at Melbourne and Geelong, in such quantities as may be required by the Government Storekeeper for Government Railways from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1862.

The quantity required at Melbourne will be not less than twenty tons, and at Geelong nine tons daily on the average of the year.

The coal is to be delivered at such part of the station ground as may be pointed out, in bags, each containing 1½ cwt. net, weighed at the expense of the contractor; separate rates are to be stated for daily delivery, and for delivery in bulk, not bagged, from time to time, the contract for each station being separate.

Should the contract be taken for delivery daily, the bags will be returned to the contractor on the day following.

The coal must be either Australian Agricultural Company's or of other description to be approved by the Government. Tenderers to specify the description of coal they propose to supply.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, the Superintendent of the Locomotive Department at Williamstown, or the Foreman of Locomotives at Geelong.

No tender can be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties each in the sum of £500 for due fulfilment of the contract; and the bond must be executed within five days of acceptance, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Coal, Railways," 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 24th December, 1861.

CONDITIONS.

1. The coal is to be the very best of its kind, and must be either screened before delivery over a screen with bars at least one inch apart and ten feet long, set to an angle of forty-five degrees to the ground level, or handpicked so as to be of the same size as if screened in the above manner, and be quite free from shale or other impurities.

2. The orders will be issued by an officer of the Railway Department, if the contract be for delivery daily, and should an order not be complied with within twenty-four hours it will be competent for the local officer who ordered to purchase at the contractor's risk. Should the contract be taken for supplies in bulk the Government Storekeeper will issue orders, and one month from date of order will be allowed for completing delivery, failing which the coal will be obtained by the Government Storekeeper at the contractor's risk.

3. Coal when delivered is to be accompanied by the order, which will be received by the officer receiving the supply, and must be rendered with the contractor's account.

4. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly on the prescribed form, and present the same in a complete state, signed by the officer receiving the supply, to the Government Storekeeper for payment, at the Treasury, or at a 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 engineer-in-chief of railways, and the decision of the board is to be final.

6. If the delay necessary for obtaining the decision of a board of survey should be detrimental to the public service, the engineer-in-chief, or officer in charge at the station, will have the power to reject coal which is 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 coal and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense charged as in clause 2.

7. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government to terminate the contract forthwith.

8. It will be competent for the contractor, or for the Government Storekeeper on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract by giving in writing a notice of three calendar months, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month.

J. S. JOHNSTON.

Secretary's Office, Victorian Railways,
6th December, 1861.

BREAD, MEAT, GROCERIES, AND VEGETABLES.

FRESH tenders will be received until Noon on Friday, the 20th instant, for the Supply of Bread, &c., Meat, Groceries, and Vegetables, in such quantities as may be required at the undermentioned places, during the year 1862:—

Geelong
Belfast
Warrnambool
Kilmore

The terms and conditions of contract will be those dated 16th October, 1861, published in the *Government Gazette*, pages 1479, 1980.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for —" (as the case may be), are to be addressed to the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne.

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

WILLIAM C. HAINES.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd December, 1861.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1862.

TENDERS are hereby invited, and will be received until Noon of Thursday, the 19th instant, for the Conveyance of Post Office Mails, &c., as undermentioned, for one year, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1862.

Forms of tender may be had gratuitously upon application at any post office in the colony, and must be forwarded (if by post, prepaid) addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster General, or placed in the tender box at the General Post Office.

Tenderers for the service, No. 2 (between Sandhurst and Swan Hill), or their agents, will be required to be present when the tenders are opened, and the person whose tender may be accepted (or his agent) will be required forthwith to deposit a sum equal to twenty per cent. of the amount of his tender, the said sum to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in the event of the required contract and bond not being completed to the satisfaction of the Postmaster General within seven days after notice of acceptance.

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

SERVICES REQUIRED.

1. To and from Belvoir and Walwa, by way of the Murray River, once a week; or to and from Belvoir and Towong (Gravel Plains), once a week.
2. To and from Sandhurst and Swan Hill, by way of the Serpentine Creek, Durham Ox, and Kerang, once or twice a week.
3. To and from the Big Hill post office and Lockwood, six times a week.
4. For the clearance of the receiving boxes at Sandhurst, six times a week.
5. For the clearance of the receiving box at Mariner's Reef, Maryborough, six times a week.
6. For the clearance of the receiving box at Argyle Gully, Heathcote, six times a week.
7. To and from Guildford and Kangaroo, six times a week.
8. To and from Maldon and the Welshman's, six times a week.
9. To and from Avoca and Navarre, six times a week, by way of Mountain Creek and Navarre Rush, with branch to Hind's, by way of Redbank, six times a week.
10. To and from the post office and railway station, Riddell's Creek, twice a day.
11. From Ballarat to Ballarat East, six times a week.
12. To and from Glenorchy and Avon Plains, two days a week.
13. To and from the Snapper Point post office, and the landing place, whenever required.

JOHN O'SHANASSY,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1861.

LEASES OF TOLL-GATES.

SEPARATE tenders will be received until Twelve o'clock, on Thursday, 19th December instant, for Leases of the undermentioned Toll-gates, from 1st January to 30th June, 1862 both inclusive—

ON GEELONG TO BALLAARAT ROAD.

225. Fyansford and Batesford, together with check-gate to latter, in the Geelong district.
226. Burnt Bridge, or Burhoneyghork, ditto.
227. Meredith, ditto.
228. Mount Buninyong, ditto.
229. Mount Clear, in the Ballarat district.

The above tolls will be let subject to the several conditions (including special one) of lease which may be seen at this office, or at the Road Engineers' offices of the respective districts in which they are situated.

The Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

Persons tendering for the above, or any of them, must be in attendance at the opening of the tenders, or be represented by an authorised agent, in the Board Room at the Crown Lands Office, otherwise their tender will be passed over.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
Melbourne, 2nd December, 1861.

LEASES OF TOLL-GATES AND PUNTS.

SEPARATE tenders will be received until Twelve o'clock on Thursday, 19th December proximo, for Lease of the undermentioned Toll-gates and Punts, from 1st January to 30th June, 1862, both inclusive:—

GISBORNE DISTRICT.

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| 166. Flemington, with check gates at Macaulay's road | } Mount Alexander road. |
| 169. Keilor | |
| 170. Keilor Plains | |
| 171. Aitken's Gap | |
| 172. Gisborne | |
| 173. Black Forest | |
| 174. Woodend | |
| 175. Carlsruhe (with check gate) | |
| 176. Boggy Creek | |
| 177. Pascoe Vale | |
| 178. Deep Creek | |

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

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| 179. Taradale | } Mount Alexander road. |
| 180. Golden Point | |
| 181. Harcourt | } Castlemaine to Sandhurst road. |
| 182. Mandurang | |
| 183. Campbell's Creek, Castlemaine to Ballarat road. | |

KILMORE DISTRICT.

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| 184. Campbellfield | } Sydney road. |
| 185. Kinlochewe | |
| 186. Wallan-wallan | |
| 187. Kilmore | |
| 188. Willowmavin | |
| 189. Seymour Punt | |
| 190. Bradford | |
| 191. Avenel | |
| 192. Moranding, Heathcote road. | |

WANGARATTA DISTRICT.

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| 193. Bonalla | } on the Sydney road. |
| 194. Wangaratta | |

GEELONG DISTRICT.

195. Inverleigh.
196. Shelford.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

197. Northcote.
198. Janefield.
199. Brighton.
200. Point Nepean.
201. Mulgrave.
202. Dandenong.
203. Johnston street bridge.
204. Richmond punt.
205. Church street bridge.
206. Hawthorn bridge.

BACCHUS MARSH DISTRICT.

207. Djerrirwarrah Creek.
208. Ballan.

WESTERN DISTRICT.

209. Woolsthorpe.
210. The Gap.
211. Dobie's bridge (with check gate)
212. The Junction.

GIPPS LAND DISTRICT.

213. La Trobe River bridge.
214. McLennan's Straits punt.
215. Mitchell's River punt.
216. Tarraville.

The above tolls will be let subject to the several conditions of lease, which may be seen at this office or at the road engineer's offices of the districts in which they are respectively situated; and of those in the Western district, at the office of the resident warden, Ararat.

The Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

Persons tendering for the above, or any of them, must be in attendance at the opening of the tenders, or be represented by an authorised agent, in the board room, at the Crown Lands Office, otherwise their tenders will be passed over.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Roads and Bridges Office,
Melbourne, 29th November, 1861.

MEDICAL ATTENDANCE ON PRISONERS AND GOVERNMENT IMMIGRANTS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Monday, the 16th day of December next, from legally qualified medical practitioners willing to contract for the supply of Medical Attendance and Medicines for Prisoners and Government Immigrants, at the undermentioned places, during the year 1862, viz.:—Alberton and Palmerston, Gipps Land, prisoners and Government immigrants; Ararat, prisoners; Inglewood, prisoners.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Medical Attendance," and forwarded to the Chief Medical Office, Melbourne.

Tenders to be made at so much per annum, one sum being named for the performance of the entire service.

Information as to the probable number of prisoners and immigrants may be obtained from the officers in charge at the gaol and depot respectively, or from the Chief Medical Officer, Melbourne.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. To give medical attendance and the necessary medicines to such immigrants and prisoners as may require the same, for the period above stated.
2. To examine all persons charged with lunacy, and to give the necessary evidence respecting the same.
3. To forward to the Chief Medical Officer all such returns, reports, &c., as may be required, and to follow all instructions given by that officer with reference to the performance of the contract.
4. It will be competent for either party to terminate the contract by giving a written notice of one calendar month to the opposite party, such notice to be given from the first day of a month within the period for which the contract is made.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 25th November, 1861.

Tenders.

GOLD FIELDS RESERVOIR.

TENDERS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF EMBANKMENT AT DAYLESFORD, AT THE RISK OF THE FORMER CONTRACTORS, MESSRS. BACON AND CUPIT.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Mining Department, Queen street, Melbourne, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, the 16th December, for the Reconstruction of Embankment at Daylesford, at the risk of the former contractors, Messrs. Bacon and Cupit.

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

Tenders to be sealed, and marked, "Tender for Reconstruction of Embankment at Daylesford," and addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. S. JOHNSTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Mining Department,
Melbourne, 22nd November, 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 ———."

(161.) Extended to Friday, 13th December proximo, the date being extended in consequence of amendments in the plan, &c., for erection of a bridge and road works at Yackandandah and on the Beechworth road, Wangaratta district (9.11).

(164.) Until Friday, 13th December, for works on the Ballarat and Amherst road, contract No. 7, Ballarat district (23.11).

(165.) Until Friday, 13th December, for constructing a paved channel, &c., at Malmesbury, Gisborne district (23.11).

(166.) Until Friday, 13th December, for construction of a timber bridge, &c., over the Reedy Creek on the Upper Goulburn road, Kilmore district (23.11).

(167.) Until Friday, 13th December, for construction of roads leading to the Lethbridge and Meredith railway stations, contract No. 1, Geelong district (23.11).

Until Friday, 20th December, 1861.

(217.) For works on the Raglan road, near Beaufort, Western district.

(218.) For works on the Ballarat to Geelong road, No. 13, Ballarat district.

(219.) Works between Sandhurst and the Murray, Castlemaine district.

N. B. The specification of these works may be seen at the Office of the District Surveyor, Sandhurst, in place of the Road Engineer's Office, Castlemaine.

(220.) Erection of bridge over Ovens Delta Creek, Wangaratta district.

Until Friday, 27th December, 1861.

(221.) Works between Snakes Ridge and Rosedale, on the Melbourne road Gipps Land district.

(222.) Works near Thompson's River Bridge, on same road, same district.

Until Friday, 20th December, 1861.

(223.) For construction of a stone bridge, &c., at the Five-mile Creek, Woodend, Gisborne district. 2/12.

(224.) Erection of additional room and verandah to toll-house at Campbellfield, Kilmore district. 2/12.

Until Friday, 27th December, 1861.

(230.) For works on the Sydney road, north of Longwood, Kilmore district. 3/12.

(231.) For works on same road, near Seymour, Kilmore district. 3/12.

(232.) For works on same road, between Albury and Wooragee, Wangaratta district. 3/12.

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

No. 43.

General Post Office, Melbourne.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED SHIP LETTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 7TH DECEMBER, 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.	2 Gleason, Con.	2 Perrall, W. H.	5 Tidy, Mrs. Wm.
1 Abbott, John	3 Graves, Thomas	3 Prestney, George	6 Tobey, J. H.
2 Allan, Mary Ann	4 Green, Mrs. M. A.	4 Proley, H. B.	7 Tracy, Winifred
3 Allen, Joseph	5 Griffin, James	Nil.	8-9 Triand, Mons.
4 Anns, Mrs.	6 Grunwald, J.	Q.	10 Tucker, W. G.
5 Arnold, G.	H.	R.	U.
6 Atkinson, Miss	1 Hamilton, James	1 Rendall, David	Nil.
7 Austin, Henry	2 Harrison, T. S.	2 Ridley, George	V.
B.	3 Horks, W.	3 Roach, Michael	W.
1 Bell, Edward Wood	4 Helmling, Miss	4 Ryan, Edward	1 Wallis, J.
2 Bevan, Frank	5 Heslop, W. E. R.	1 Sherbutt, Maryann	2 Walsh, Richd.
3-4 Black, J. R.	6 Hewitt, Robt. Wm.	2 Smethurst, Ed.	3 Walton
5 Blair, John B.	7 Himpfretone, James	3 Smiley, Shepherd P.	4 Weeks, Jos.
6 Blow, Henry	8 Higon, F.	4 Smith, Thos.	5 Weeks, Thos.
7 Bruce, Miss S.	9 Honeyman, A. P.	5 Spear, A.	6 Welby, Oswald
8 Brunsden, John	10 Hood, Jno. R.	6 Stowe, Richard	7 White, C., and O'Neill, Danl.
C.	11 Howard, Robt. C.	7 Sullivan, Ellen Mary	8 Whitaker, Thos. W.
1 Carr, Wm. Stanley	K.	8 Sullivan, Bridget	10 Williams, W. H.
2-3 Carter, J.	1 Keogh, Mchl.	9 Swain, Mrs.	11 Wise, E.
4 Chubb, Laverance	L.	T.	Y.
5 Conway, Maurice	2 Lawton, Sarah Ann	1 Taylor, Mrs.	Nil.
6 Cooper, T. C. N.	M.	2 Taylor, Howes	Z.
7 Cosburn, George Henry	1 Machen, S.	3 Thompson, Geo.	Nil.
8 Cotton, George Henry	2 Manley, John	4 Thompson, Mrs. Yealfe	
9 Croker, S. H.	3 Morton, Mrs.		
10 Crossland, George	Mc.		
11 Cumming, Miss	1 McCall, Mrs. Samuel		
12 Curtis, Emma J.	2 McCrossen, John		
D.	3 McNamara, Mathew		
1 Dennier, Alfred	4 McPherson, Miss A.		
2 Dudgeon, Frank	N.		
3 Duffy, Thomas	1 Natelery, Mrs. Fanny		
E.	2 Nightingale, Miss F. A.		
1 Earp, James	3 Nixon, Mrs. G. R.		
2 Edmunds, Adam	4 Martin, Mrs.		
F.	O.		
1 Fenn, William	1 O'Brien, Jeremiah		
2 Fletcher, George F.	P.		
3 Forscutt, Mr.	1 Pawson, Chas.		
G.			
1 Gillan, Michael			

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.

2nd December, 1861.

Everest, Mr., Melbourne, 3d.
McCarty, Melbourne, 3d.
Hughes, Mrs., Brighton, 4d.
Pursel, Sarah, Little Brighton East, 4d.
Henty, Susan, Portland, 2s. 4d.
Goode, Little Bendigo, Ballarat, 1s. 8d.
Brebner, Mrs., Albury, 4d.
Hobbs and Bowe, Albury, 4d.
Moffatt, Hy., Albury, 4d.

Glasgow and Thunder, Sandhurst, 1s. 8d.
 Brewer, C. B., Esq., Sandhurst, 4d.
 Swaine, Jas., Bendigo, 6d.
 Cole, Stephen, Esq., J. P., Euston, 4d.
 Alexander, Messrs. J. N., Deniliquin, 4d.
 McDonnell, Wm., Porcupine, 6d.
 Dean and Co., Wm., Sydney, 8d.
 Brellet, Chas., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Griffith, Fanning and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Barker and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Furlong and Kennedy, Sydney, 8d.
 Howe, Walker and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Gilchrist, Watt and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Merriman, Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Ford, E. T., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Smith, Chas., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Andrews, Wm., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Clarke, Hy., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Malcolm, Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Willis, Merry and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Smith Brothers and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Thacker, Daniell and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Buchanan, Skinner and Co., Sydney, 8d.
 Macnamara and Phillips, Sydney, 8d.
 Simmens, Mrs. Mary Jane, Sydney, 8d.
 Cowie, Henry, Esq., Adelaide, 8d.
 Murphy, J. P., Dunedin, 4d.
 Moody, Mrs. R. W., Auckland, N.Z., 4d.
 Meyer, J. W., Dunedin, N.Z., 4d.
 Cassius, M., Esq., Dunedin, N.Z., 8d.
 White, Mrs. J., Perth, Tasmania, 4d.
 Hart, Grattan Barry, Esq., England, 8d.

3rd December.

Barry, D.D., The Rev. J., Melbourne, 4d.
 Finellay, Mrs. J. H., Melbourne, 4d.
 Levingston, Mr., Williamstown, 4d.
 Ashling, Wm., Williamstown, 4d.
 Bust, Robt, Esq., New Inglewood, 4d.
 Mate, T. H., Esq., Albury, 4d.
 Lay, C. H., Woodend, 6d.
 Morgan, Miss, Deniliquin, 4d.
 Tierman, Jas., Deniliquin, 4d.
 Niall, Daniel, Beechworth, 2s. 1d.
 Howes, D. J., Esq., Belfast, 1s. 8d.
 Dowling, Chas., Darlington, 1s. 8d.
 Young, Chas. B., Dunedin, N.Z., 8d.
 Ich, Chas. Thos., Dunedin, N.Z., 4d.
 Canterbury, Thos., Otago, N.Z., 8d.
 Dilemore, Mrs. Emma, England, 8d.

4th December.

Gifford, John, Melbourne, 3d.
 A. S., Melbourne, 4d.
 Foulkes, Jno., Melbourne, 4d.
 Barnes, William, Williamstown, 4d.
 Lawrance, Esq., Williamstown, 4d.
 Egan, S., Esq., Pentridge, 4d.
 Lang, Dr., Brighton, 4d.
 Murray, Mr., Bulla, 4d.
 Watt, Miss, Dunkeld, 5d.
 McKillop, P., Somerton, 4d.
 Parkin, Thos., Sunbury, 4d.
 Syer, F. J. M., Smythesdale, 4d.
 Taitte, Thos., Melton, 6d.
 Rogers, D., Conargo, 4d.
 Rose, J. H., Kingswer, 2s. 4d.
 Hoffman, Hy., Esq., Sydney, 8d.
 Ranzau, T. P., Tinbarra, N.S.W., 8d.
 Bell, B., Esq., Ten-mile Creek, N.S.W., 4d.
 Walch and Sons, Launceston, 4d.
 Renton, Jas., Otago, N.Z., 4d.

5th December.

Cookman, —, Esq., Melbourne, 3d.
 Young, G. and J., Heidelberg, 4d.
 Burns, Martin, Navarre, 4d.
 Macdonald, Duncan, Keilor, 3d.
 Bome, Miss, Albury, 8d.
 The Town Clerk, Castlemaine, 4d.
 Moffatt and Co., Otago, 8d.
 Lightfoot, James, Dunedin, 4d.
 Sorley, D. B., Esq. (2), Dunedin, 1s. 4d.
 Derham, Wm., Dunedin, 4d.

6th December.

Ahron, Miss, Melbourne, 4d.
 Scott, Mrs., Williamstown, 4d.
 Arnott, Mr., Williamstown, 4d.
 Grant, Miss, South Yarra, 4d.
 Gladstones, John, Poorak, 4d.
 McLeon, Wm., Brown's Diggings, 4d.
 Ryder, Mrs., St. Arnaud, 6d.
 Young, John, Esq., Geelong, 4d.
 The Superintendent of Police, Alberton, 2s. 9d.
 Staunton, Patrick, Taradale, 5d.
 Evans, W. B., Esq., Albury, 8d.
 Mate and Co., Albury, 4d.
 Greene, Wm., Esq., Albury, 4d.
 Pogue, Miss, Ballan, 4d.
 Sparkes, Mrs., Conargo, 4d.
 Cohen, J., Hay, 4d.
 Noyes, Dr., Deniliquin, 4d.
 Roberts, James, Deniliquin, 4d.
 Greville, Esq., Goulbourne, 4d.
 Hutton, Geo., Belfast, 4d.

R. H. M., Maldon, 4d.
 Madagam, Miss, Daylesford, 6d.
 Headlam, Esq., Echuca, 1s. 5d.
 Withers, G. W., Beechworth, 6d.
 Chadwick, Nichs. C., Esq., Balranald, 1s. 2d.
 Ford, Mrs., Sydney, 4d.
 Russell and Co., P. N., Sydney, 4d.
 Sprange, Daniel, England, 4s. 1d.

7th December.

Oocleston, Mr., Melbourne, 3d.
 Lyford, Mr., Melbourne, 4d.
 Simmons, Maria, Williamstown, 5d.
 Landers, Ann, Fitz Roy, 3d.
 Porter, Esq., Gardiner's, 4d.
 Clark, Mrs. J., Gardiner's Creek, 4d.
 Eades, Miss, Branxholme, 1s.
 The Manager, Telegraph Station, Kilmore, 4d.
 Evans, Morgan, Port Albert, 4d.
 Carstairs, J. G., Esq., Geelong, 1s. 8d.
 Matthews, Mrs., Geelong, 1s. 5d.
 Lintot, J. P., Esq., Snapper Point, 1s.
 Goroty, Esq., Cowie's Creek, 6d.
 Grant, James, Sandhurst, 4d.
 Rickards, H. J. F., Esq., Dunolly, 4d.
 Binder, Wm., Jamieson's Creek, 6d.
 Linn, Hy., Terang, 4d.
 Perkins, E., Kyneton, 2s. 4d.
 Flemyng, Esq., Maryborough, 4d.
 Mate and Co., T. H., Albury, 4d.
 Fallon Bros., Albury, 4d.
 Ingram, Edwd., Esq., Albury, 4d.
 Sparkes, Mrs., Conargo, 4d.
 The Editor of *Pastoral Times*, Deniliquin, 4d.
 Baird, The Rev. C. J., Penrith, 8d.

NON-RETURNABLE LETTERS DETAINED FOR POSTAGE AT THE DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

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7th December, 1861.

1874 Fitzgerald, Thos., Melbourne, 4d.
 1875 Anderson, Mr., Melbourne, 3d.
 1876 Coate, Benju., Melbourne, 3d.
 1877 Megerath, Jane, Glendaruel, 5d.
 1878 Thompson, Freshwater Creek, 4d.
 1879 Burton, Mr., Burnt Creek, 6d.
 1880 Inch, Young, Buckland, 3d.
 1881 Heung, Hung, Ballarat, 4d.
 1882 Davis, Mrs. Elizth., Tarrongower, 3d.
 1883 Shearer, J. S., Creswick Creek, 1s. 8d.
 1884 Barry, David Geo., Gisborne, 3s. 11d.
 1885 Barry, Patrick, Gisborne (2 newspapers), 2s. 1d.
 1886 O'Donnell, Michael, Gisborne (newspaper), 2s. 1d.
 1887 Shean, John, Gisborne (newspaper), 2s. 1d.
 1888 Douglass, Messrs., Geelong (newspaper), 1s.
 1889 Bryant, S. A., Esq. (2), Geelong, 4s. 10d.
 1890 Levy, Mrs. N., Maryborough (parliamentary papers), 3s. 6d.
 1891 Auck, Ing. A., Snowy River, 4d.
 1892 Weaver, W. H., Murchison, 9d.
 1893 Walker, Wm., Wangaratta, 5s.
 1894 Wilkinson, D., Esq., Adelaide, 1s. 10d.
 1895 Reid, Capt., Hobart Town, 3s. 1d.
 1896 Crafford, John, Launceston, 8d.
 1897 Donnelly, E., Ireland, 1s. 1d.
 1898 Edmondston, John, Scotland (newspaper), 8d.

Police Sales.

MEREDITH POLICE STATION.

THE undermentioned unclaimed horses, found in the possession of Alexander McGregor, charged with horstealing, will be sold by auction, at the abovenamed Police Station (unless previously claimed), at Noon on Saturday, the 14th of December, 1861:—

1 grey mare, branded R off shoulder, 14 hands
 1 black mare, branded TMK conjoined over IMP off shoulder, 11P near shoulder

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
 Chief Commissioner.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
 Melbourne, 25th November, 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 October, 1861. Price 6d. each No.; by post 1s.
 Two copies can be forwarded without additional postage.

POUNDKEEPERS' MONTHLY RETURNS.—OCTOBER, 1861.

THE following Abstract of the Monthly Returns received from the several Poundkeepers for the month of October, 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.
				1861.	1861.	
Amherst: E. B. Stanworth	...	...	...	Nil	...	1861. Nil.
Ararat: T. Paice	144	1 yellow and white snaily cow, both ears marked, —P off rump, 11 off loin	4th Oct. ...	Escaped	19th Oct.	} Nil.
	145	1 yellow and white bullock, —P off rump, 11 off loin	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
	146	1 red cow, cut throat, —P off rump, 11 off loin	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
	147	1 strawberry steer, MC off ribs	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
	148	1 brown cow, cut throat, AJ both rumps	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
	149	1 brindle cow, cut throat, AJ near rump, like JHP conjoined near ribs	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
	150	1 blue sided bullock, like P off rump	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
Avoca: J. Batchelor	1151	1 white horse, bang tail, saddle and collar marked, H in circle over V conjoined, and T	1st Oct. ...	Supposed to have been stolen	20th October	} Nil.
	1154	WW over TD near shoulder 1 bay filly, star, no visible brand	Ditto ...	Escaped	10th Oct.	
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	572	1 strawberry cow, cock horns, arrow off ribs, heart off rump	1st Oct. ...	Escaped	20th Oct.	} Nil.
	580	1 yellow cow, RW off back, LL off rump	3rd Oct. ...	Ditto	...	
	581	1 black cow, top off off ear, S off shoulder, HPL conjoined off rump	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
Broadmeadows: W. H. Hill	252	1 black barrow pig, no brands	4th Oct. ...	Stolen	4th October	} Nil.
	253	1 black sow pig, no brands	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
Bullock Creek: J. W. Gower	454	1 bay horse, collar marked, winkers on, HC over MH near shoulder (each MH conjoined)	16th Oct. ...	Escaped	16th Oct.	Nil.
Buninyong: G. Innes	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Camperdown: T. A. White	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Carisbrook: F. G. Hull	1306	1 brown horse, like WW or WM near shoulder	21st Oct. ...	Escaped	31st Oct.	} Nil.
	1308	1 black horse, off hind foot white, stripe on face, saddle marked, like O off neck	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	
Casterton: H. Davis	334	1 dark bay mare, JM near shoulder	3rd Oct. ...	Escaped	20th Oct.	} Nil.
	339	1 brown horse, star and snip, switch tail, C or GH near shoulder, JJ conjoined off shoulder	13th Oct. ...	Ditto	...	
Castlemaine: H. G. Close	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Chiltern: J. Strickland	944	1 bay mare, star, near hind fetlock white, had a fistula, AB off shoulder	12th Oct. ...	Escaped	13th Oct.	} Nil.
	698	1 red heifer calf, like W off shoulder	28th August	Ditto	...	
Colac: W. Archer	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Creswick: H. Carpenter	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Dandenong: W. Davies	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Daylesford: N. S. Hailes	351	1 dark bay draught horse, shod, long tail, little white near hind foot, near knee broken, NA on near shoulder	12th Oct. ...	Stolen	13th Oct.	Nil.
Deep Creek: Wm. Bethell	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Digby: A. T. Farley	261	1 strawberry bullock, PC near horn, skin brands not visible	3rd Oct. ...	Died	6th Oct.	Nil.
Drysdale: J. Woods	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Dunolly: G. H. Findlay	361	1 iron grey mare, short tail, like JJ near shoulder, indescribable brand near rump	25th Oct. ...	Escaped	27th Oct.	Nil.
Echuca: G. Jamieson	2	1 brown cob horse, star, dock tail, TR near shoulder	2nd Jan. ...	6th February	...	7th Oct.
	5	1 black horse, long tail, stripe down face, hind legs white, JV near shoulder, J near cheek	Ditto ...	Ditto	...	Ditto.
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 P. Fletcher	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Glass's Creek: J. Oakes	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Glenorchy: D. K. Fitzgerald	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Guildford: T. H. Taaffe	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Hamilton: R. Bloomfield	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Heathcote: J. Forsyth	197	1 bay horse, short switch tail, black points, saddle marked, like PC conjoined off shoulder, BX near shoulder	12th Oct. ...	Escaped	16th Oct.	Nil.
Hexham: J. Tomlinson	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.
Heywood: F. W. Ullithorne	...	...	...	Nil	...	Nil.

AVOCA MUNICIPALITY.

FIFTH HALF-YEARLY REPORT, ENDING 30TH OCTOBER, 1861.

THE Council have held 25 meetings during the half-year, at which the attendance of members was as follows:—Councillor W. Barnett (chairman), 19; Councillor Boyce, 16; Councillor Pearson, 16; Councillor Thoeneman, 15; Councillor Wiltshire, 13; Councillor Trevehick, 10; and Councillor Goodshaw, 9.

Applications were made to the Government for the following purposes, and with the results opposite each expressed:—

1. Opening the Powder Magazine.—Granted.
2. Cutting a portion of High street, and altering culverts in Bridport street.—Promised, and tenders called for.
3. Altering hours for arrival and departure of mails from and to Melbourne.—Granted.
4. Reduction of price of land.—Granted.
5. For plants and shrubs for Baths Reserve.—Granted.
6. For 1st and 2nd moiety of grant-in-aid.—Granted.
7. For £2000 to be placed on the estimates for Avoca, Moomabel, Redbank, and Navarre roads.—This application is still under consideration of Government.
8. For the establishment of a Court of General Sessions at Avoca.—Promised.

With reference to the Court of General Sessions, this establishment was prayed for so long ago as 1860, when the council were informed that no suitable buildings were available for the purpose, and that the Government would not provide them.

To meet this objection, the council erected a town hall of greater capacity than the present indispensable municipal requirements, and offered its use to the Government for general session purposes; and with the view of urging this suggestion two members of the council were deputed to visit Melbourne, and having done so, they obtained from the Honorable the Attorney General, R. D. Ireland, Esq., a promise that the court should be established forthwith.

The proclamation of the court was from some cause delayed until that honorable gentleman retired from office, and the council at once resumed their application to his successor, the Hon. B. C. Aspinall, who has been so good as to assure the council his predecessor's promise should be carried into effect.

The council consider it their duty to here record their sense of obligation to J. M. Grant, Esq., M.L.A., and B. G. Davies, Esq., M.L.A., for their ready and most valuable assistance in all matters in which their aid has been solicited.

The council much regret that in consequence of their feeling called upon to erect the town hall, they have been unable to undertake any other public works of importance during the last half-year.

W. BARNETT,
Chairman of the Council.

Town Clerk.

Receipts and Expenditure.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Bank of Victoria, 30th April, 1861	...	776	12	3			
Cash in hand of town clerk, ditto	...	4	19	2			
Government grant-in-aid for 1861	...	1,004	18	6			
Fees for use of municipal seal	...	3	3	0			
Fees from municipal baths	...	34	7	0			
Police fines	...	2	7	6			
Municipal rates	...	263	9	0			
					2,090	16	5
					£2,090	16	5
EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Deposit on town hall return	...				137	0	0
Repairs to municipal seal	...				0	7	0
Public works, viz.—							
Town hall, erection and opening	...	1,409	4	3			
Ditto, accounts of furniture	...	50	5	3			
Sundry repairs to streets, &c.	...	19	19	0			
Incidental expenses	...				1,475	8	6
Rates remitted	...				14	17	0
Baths, current expenditure	...				6	0	0
Office charges, paper, postage, &c.	...				20	7	0
Deputation expenses	...				16	18	9
Advertising and printing	...				55	15	0
Law charges	...				44	4	1
Salaries—					1	12	0
Town clerk	...	100	0	0			
Baths keeper	...	36	0	0			
Hall keeper	...	4	7	6			
					140	7	6
Balance	...				1,920	3	10
					170	12	7
					£2,090	16	5

We certify that we have this day audited the above accounts, and found them correct, showing a balance to the credit of the Avoca Municipal Council, for the half-year ending 31st October, 1861, of One hundred and seventy pounds twelve shillings and seven-pence (£170 12s. 5d.)

F. H. ORME,
JOHN F. KELLY.
No. 1911

Avoca, 3rd December, 1861.
No. 179.—DECEMBER 10, 1861.—4.

FRYERS ROAD DISTRICT.

To T. D. S. HERON, Esq., J.P. and P.M., Fryerstown.
WE, the undersigned householders and landholders resident within the Road District of Fryers, hereby request you to convene a Public Meeting of Householders and Landholders, being ratepayers and residents in the said road district, for the purpose of electing a District Road Board fixing the rate of assessment, and generally for carrying out the provisions of the Acts 16 Victoria No. 40 and 17 Victoria No. 29.

As witness our hands, this 28th day of November, 1861.

- David Rimmington, householder
Moore Brothers, householders
Bell and Holmes, householders
Robert Warburton, householder
J. Burn Malcolm, householder
J. S. Mackenzie, householder
J. C. Linney, householder
S. Keast and Co., householders
Benjn. Edhouse, landholder
James Williams, landholder
John Wylie, landholder
Frede. Miller, landholder
Robt. P. Adley, landholder
John Bridge, landholder
Geo. Beckham, landholder

In compliance with the foregoing, I hereby convene a Public Meeting in accordance with 16 Victoria No. 40 and 17 Victoria No. 29, same to be held at the Police Court Fryerstown, on Monday, the 23rd day of December, 1861, at Two o'clock in the afternoon.

T. D. S. HERON, P.M.
To Messrs. Rimmington, Bell, and others. No. 1909

CLUNES MUNICIPALITY.

THE SECOND HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF CLUNES, ENDING 13TH NOVEMBER, 1861.

THERE have been thirteen ordinary and five special meetings of the council, and seven meetings of committees, at which the attendance has been as follows:—

	Ordinary.	Special.	Committees.
The Chairman, P. Mark, Esq., J.P.	8	1	4
Mr. Councillor Morrison	9	5	7
Mr. Councillor Connell	7	1	0
Mr. Councillor Pleasants	7	4	4
Mr. Councillor Nichol	9	3	2
Mr. Councillor Gubbins	11	5	5
Mr. Councillor Rose	7	3	1

The following applications have been made to the Government:—

1. For the survey of a road through the Clunes pre-emptive section.—Left to the action of the council.
2. For a tracing of the recent surveys in the township.—Supplied.
3. For a transfer to this council for expenditure, under their superintendence, of the balance, if any, of the vote passed for the erection of a bridge across the Tullaroop Creek.—In reply, it was stated that the whole of the vote was intended to be expended on the bridge and approaches.
4. For the extension of the Dog Act to Clunes.—Granted.
5. For a site for a manure depot.—Under consideration.
6. For the establishment of a county court at Clunes.—Under consideration.

The following works have been completed, in addition to those in progress at the commencement of the current half-year:—

- Contract No. 10.—4 chains 74 links footpath formed, kerbed, and gravelled in Service street.
- Contract No. 11.—3 chains footpath gravelled in Fraser street.
- Contract No. 1 (extra).—2½ chains road formed, pitched, metalled, and drained in Service street.
- Contract No. 13.—A crossing-place from Fraser street to Back street constructed, pitched, and gravelled.
- Contract No. 14.—One wide culvert, constructed at the Blind Creek, near the Criterion Company's works, and making 5½ chains of road adjacent thereto.
- Contract Nos. 12 and 15.—Supplying 125 yards bluestone maintenance metal.

The regulation for the town common of Clunes, passed by this Council, has been approved of by His Excellency the Governor, and a bye-law "For the removal of Obstructions from the surveyed line of streets and the reserves," has been adopted, and forwarded for His Excellency's assent.

P. MARK,
Chairman.
J. HOARE SMITH,
Town Clerk.

14th November, 1861.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure.

1861.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
May 13.	Balance in Union Bank	283	13	3			
	Ditto in town clerk's hands	5	1	9			
					288	15	0
Nov. 13.	Town rates collected for the assessment 1860-61				317	17	0
	Government grant-in-aid on the amount collected to 31st July				914	13	7
	Licenses				0	10	0
	Moiety of police fines				13	5	0
	Stone sold				2	10	0
	Advances per Union Bank	525	0	0			
	Less repayments	400	0	0			
					125	0	0
					£1,662	10	7

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Public works (on contracts)	...	1,271	8	7			
Ditto (maintenance)	...	35	17	0	1,307	5	7
Contingencies—							
Printing, advertising, stationery, and newspapers	...	49	17	0			
Salaries	...	120	5	4			
Petty cash, including postage	...	10	11	9			
Assessor's commission	...	8	0	0			
Election expenses	...	2	2	6			
Notice boards	...	0	15	0			
Sundries—							
Rent	...	17	17	6			
Interest and commission	...	12	3	7			
Grant to Clunes Hook and Ladder Company	...	25	0	0			
Donation to Ballarat District Hospital	...	20	0	0			
Expenses on the visit of His Excellency the Governor	...	5	15	6			
Engrossment of statistical account of the municipality for the Great Exhibition, London, 1862	...	10	10	0			
Balance at Union Bank	...	87	18	4			
Less cheque not presented	...	20	0	0			
		67	18	4			
In town clerk's hands	...	4	8	6			
					72	6	10
					£1,662	10	7

We have examined the foregoing accounts, with the vouchers, and find the same correct.

WILLIAM LAMBLE,
FREDC. HAMILTON,
Auditors.
No. 1895

Clunes, 13th November, 1861.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto existing between Frederick William Drevermann, James Cameron, and Alphonse Alibert, under the style of "Drevermann, Cameron and Co.," storekeepers, Gipps Land and Omeo, has this day been dissolved, in so far as concerns Alphonse Alibert, who retires from the firm.

The business will in future be carried on by Frederick William Drevermann and James Cameron, under the same style heretofore, who will pay and receive all debts due by and to the firm.

Bairnsdale, Gipps Land, 15th November, 1861.

FREDERICK WILLIAM DREVERMANN,
JAMES CAMERON,
ALPHONSE ALIBERT.

Witness—
JOHN O. ROSE. No. 1906

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto subsisting between Thomas Brownell and William Freeman Brownell, carrying on business at Beechworth and Rutherglen as general drapers, under the style or firm of "Brownell Brothers," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing by the said firm will be discharged by Thomas Brownell, to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.
Beechworth, 14th November, 1861.

THOMAS BROWNELL,
WILLIAM FREEMAN BROWNELL.

Witness—
JOHN B. BROWNELL. No. 1912

EAST COLLINGWOOD MUNICIPALITY.

TWELFTH HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF EAST COLLINGWOOD, FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 12TH OCTOBER, 1861.

MEETINGS OF COUNCIL.

TWENTY-TWO meetings of council were held during the half-year.

Councillor Greenwood (chairman)	attended 18 meetings
Councillor Houghton	... .. 22 "
Councillor Petherick	... .. 21 "
Councillor Newlands	... .. 22 "
Councillor Payne	... .. 21 "
Councillor Noone	... .. 18 "
Councillor Turnbull	... .. 21 "

COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The Public Works Committee held 31 meetings.—Councillor Petherick (chairman) attended 30; Councillor Newlands, 29; Councillor Noone, 27; Councillor Houghton, 4.

The Finance and Rate Committee held 25 meetings.—Councillor Greenwood (chairman) attended 21; Councillor Houghton, 24; Councillor Turnbull, 21; Councillor Newlands, 3.

The Legislative Committee held 5 meetings.—Councillor Newlands (chairman) attended 3; Councillor Petherick, 5; and Councillor Noone, 5.

The Health, Library, and Museum Committee held 2 meetings.—Councillor Payne (chairman) attended 1; Councillor Newlands, 2; and Councillor Turnbull, 2.

The Markets Committee held 1 meeting, at which Councillor Noone (chairman) and Councillor Turnbull attended.

Twenty-nine Special Committee meetings were held.—Councillor Newlands attended 29; Councillor Turnbull, 25; Councillor Payne, 12; Councillor Noone, 10; Councillor Petherick, 8; Councillor Houghton, 2; and Councillor Greenwood, 1.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Public works undertaken and completed during the half-year—

Kerbing and channelling Oxford, Little Oxford, Cambridge, Down, and a portion of Smith streets.
Gravelling footpaths of Victoria, Church, Hoddle, Albert, Charles, Sackville, Liverpool, Wellington, Campbell, Rupert, Ferguson, Easey, Little Oxford, Burlington, Elizabeth, Thomson, Emerald, Greenwood, Vere, Perry, Gipps, Nicholson, Park, Reilly, and Smith streets, Victoria parade, Victoria crescent, and Glass-house road.

Forming and metalling Nicholson, Charles, Greenwood, Albert, Liverpool, and Russell streets.

Constructing crossings in Murray, Princes, Sackville, Easey, Ryrie, Hotham, South Audley, Bond, Duke, and Grosvenor streets, and Brick lane.

Metal supplied, 3306 yards.
Public works undertaken, but not completed at 12th October, 1861—

Kerbing and channelling portion of Hoddle street.
Gravelling footpaths of Oxford and Cambridge streets.
Forming and cutting Johnston street.

Constructing crossings in Wellington and Hoddle streets.
Supplying 500 yards metal.

Erecting municipal abattoirs; and
Cleansing the district by means of scavenger carts.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for half-year ending 12th October, 1861.

RECEIPTS.

Municipal rates—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Arrears (1856-1860)	...	266	3	8		
First portion, 1861	...	2,388	9	3		
Second ditto, ditto	...	989	9	3		
					3,639	2 2
Grants-in-aid—						
First instalment from Government	...	2,474	14	0		
Second ditto ditto	...	3,373	12	3		
Insurance Companies to Fire Brigade	...	15	0	0		
					5,863	6 3
Fitz Roy Council, moiety of maintenance of Smith street	...				245	2 2
Licenses, fees, fines, &c.	...				129	14 9
Rooney and Mackay, overpaid deposit returned	...				11	0 0
					£9,888	5 4

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Overdrawn account	...			87	4	0
Loan repaid to National Bank	...			500	0	0
Public works	...			5,080	0	7
Laborers' wages	...			443	14	9
Salaries	...			238	18	10
Deposits returned	...			206	13	0
Stationery, printing, and advertising	...			96	13	4
Election expenses	...			16	6	6
J. Mahoney, scavengering	...			134	0	0
Fire plugs, first instalment and repairs	...			197	18	0
Fire bell	...			31	10	0
Bell tower	...			25	15	6
Fire Brigade, services and uniform	...			54	0	0
Commission on rates	...			121	2	5
Melbourne Gas Company	...			8	17	6
Public lamps—						
Erecting and repairing	...			62	4	6
Oil	...			33	14	6
Lighting	...			8	6	0
					104	5 0
Plans of district	...				19	7 6
Expenses at abattoirs	...				35	7 6
Architect's fees	...				25	0 0
Improvement bill, agent for fees	...				50	0 0
Statistics of the district	...				6	6 0
Donations—						
East Collingwood Rifle Brigade	...	25	0	0		
Health officer of the district	...	25	0	0		
Ladies' society	...	13	0	0		
Soup kitchen	...	10	0	0		
Benevolent committee	...	41	4	6		
					114	4 6
Rewards on convictions destroying footpaths	...				3	10 0
B. Gibson, auditing last accounts	...				4	0 0
Expenses auditing rate books	...				25	0 0
Law expenses—						
Municipal solicitor	...	100	0	0		
Award in re Grimwood and Carter	...	29	8	0		
Council fees in re Moody	...	15	16	6		
					145	4 6
Incidental expenses—						
Town clerk's assistant	...	22	0	0		
Summonses, &c., Police Court	...	14	7	6		
Sundry small accounts	...	12	19	9		
Petty expenses	...	17	0	10		
					66	8 1
Interest on overdrawn account	...				1	1 0
Interest on Ebi Perry's old account	...				14	6 11
Balance in National Bank	...				1,971	8 3
Cash in hand	...				0	1 8
					£9,888	5 4

Examined the above with vouchers, and found correct.

FINLAY J. McDOUGALL,
Auditor.

Exchange Buildings,
Melbourne, 29th November, 1861.

JOHN NOONE,
Chairman.
HENRY N. BOOTH,
Town Clerk.

No. 1903

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto subsisting between William Barker and Henry Francis Cox, under the style of "Barker and Cox." is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 16th day of November, A.D. 1861.

WM. BARKER,
H. F. COX.

Witness—

GEORGE MERRIFIELD,
Solicitor, Castlemaine.

No. 1904

In the Supreme Court of the } *Ex. Fas.*
Colony of Victoria. }

Between THOMAS TURNER A'BECKETT, JOHN BADCOCK, and
JOHN DIGHT, and Other, *Plaintiffs*,
and

TIMOTHY AUGUSTIN HORGAN, *Defendant*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, on Monday, the 13th day of January, 1862, at the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, at the Supreme Court Hotel, La Trobe street east, in the city of Melbourne, under these executions, unless previously satisfied, all the right, title, and interest of the defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the city of Melbourne, being portion of allotment No. 11 of section No. 26, being lot No. 5 of the plan of subdivision of said allotment No. 11: Commencing at the south-west corner of La Trobe street, by a line running southerly 42 feet along Stephen street, then by a line at right angles with the last line, running westerly 70 feet along other portion of allotment No. 11; then by a line at right angles with the last line, running northerly 42 feet along a road or way 16 feet in width; and then by a line at right angles to the last line, running easterly 70 feet along La Trobe street to the commencing point; together with all houses, buildings, and erections thereon, situate in the county of Bourke, in the colony of Victoria.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.
Dated the 6th day of December, 1861.

ANTHONY BRADY,
Sheriff's Officer.

No. 1905

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED from Carugham Diggings, on the 29th October last, a small bay mare, short switch tail, saddle marked, JMP conjoined off shoulder. The above reward will be paid on information that will lead to her recovery. Apply Neil Ferguson, storekeeper, Snake Valley. No. 1910

STRAYED from Big Hill, Sandhurst, 30th November, 1861, a bay mare, G near shoulder. Apply to D. and W. McCloud, contractors, Big Hill, Sandhurst. No. 1903

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from the Windermere Farmers' Common, a black filly, two years old, one hind foot white, small star, QD off shoulder. The above reward will be paid on delivery to Mr. David Draffin, farmer, Burrumbet. No. 1896

Impoundings.

AVOCA.—Impounded at Avoca, 2nd December, 1861, by J. Rose, Esq.

1257. Brindle bullock, near ear marked, like S hook near jaw, blotch brand near shoulder, like S blotched off ribs

1258. Red steer, white on thighs, BY near ribs

Same day, by F. Godfrey, Esq.

1259. Brown horse, long tail, collar and saddle marked, CM

near shoulder, P off rump, near fore foot deformed

1260. Dark brown horse, short tail, collar marked, H_C near

shoulder

On 4th December, by F. Godfrey, Esq.

1266. Brindle bullock, bell on, R near ribs, like JT off ribs

1267. Yellow bullock, white belly and back, 2 off shoulder, L

off rump (the L reversed), ES near rump, C near shoulder

1268. Red and white cow, MK conjoined off thigh, P off ribs

1269. Red and white bull calf, progeny of 1268, unbranded

1270. Brown cow, white back and belly, CW like JK under off

back

1271. Red and white spotted bull calf, progeny of 1270, un-

branded

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January,

1862.

JOHN BATCHELOR,

17/ Poundkeeper.

BATESFORD.—Impounded at Batesford, 28th November, 1861, by Mr. F. Locke.—Trespass 6d.

1280. White cow, red ears, HC or HG near rump

1281. Red sided bull calf, white back and belly, strawberry head,

unbranded, progeny 1280

Same date, by Mr. W. Grant.—Trespass 6d.

*1282. Light bay horse, near hind fetlock white, white spots

under saddle, lame, like 15 near shoulder, JH conjoined

JE JH (the JH conjoined)

JE

JH conjoined

near ribs, WJ near rump

On 6th December, 1861, by Mr. John S. Brown.—Trespass 6d.
a head.

1328. Yellow or light red cow, white belly, tip off both ears, like ELS near ribs

1329. Strawberry sided bull, white belly, back, and head, no visible brand

1330. White fleabitten bullock, snail horns, tip off both ears, like FR or FK off rump

1331. Brown bullock, star, white belly, little white on back, notch off ear, WE off rump

1332. Brindle bullock, white belly, spotted head, like 6EA off ribs, in circle off shoulder

1333. Red and white spotted bullock (the white fleabitten), near horn broken, tip off off ear, PI or PL off rump

1334. Red bullock, hoop horns, white belly, like H near rump

1335. Brown bullock, white belly, slit both ears, FH off rump, FH off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

JOHN J. BUCKLAND,

20/ Poundkeeper.

BELVOIR.—Impounded at Belvoir, 30th November, 1861, by Messrs. P. and T. Connor.—Trespass 1s. each.

386. Black four year old draught horse, seventeen hands high, little white near hind foot, off hind foot white, switch tail, collar marked, crooked lip, JP conjoined near shoulder

On 4th December, by Wm. Huon, Esq.—Trespass 1s.

389. Bay pony mare, black points, bang tail, saddle marked, strap and bell neck, B near rump, PB off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

HENRY McILLREE,

9/6 Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

BELVOIR.—No. 251, advertised in *Gazette* of 8th November, as light brown horse, star, stripe and snip, saddle marked, switch tail, off fore and both hind feet white, enlargement off hind fetlock, 2 near neck, G or CD near shoulder, should be mare, and will not be sold till 1st January, 1862.

HENRY McILLREE,

7/ Poundkeeper.

BROADMEADOWS.—Impounded at Broadmeadows, 3rd December, 1861, by Mathw. Darmody.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

376. Bay draught horse, GC near shoulder, white star and snip, sore near saddle

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

W. H. HILL,

7/ Poundkeeper.

CARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook, by Wm. Yuille, Esq.—Trespass 3s. each.

1437. Strawberry bullock, off horn broken, like WH over I or blotch over S off ribs

1438. Black horse, near hind foot white, like IF or FF over LC near shoulder, Q over Q off shoulder, short switch tail

1439. Red and white spotted bullock, like JM near ribs, illegible brand under — near rump

By John Menzies, Esq.

1440. Chesnut mare, off hip down, saddle marked, S near shoulder

1441. Bay colt, CK or GK near shoulder

1442. Iron grey colt, both off feet white, star and stripe, like I near neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

FRED. GEO. HULL,

12/6 Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

CARISBROOK.—No. 1334, advertised in *Gazette* of 5th November, as brown mare, star, stripe and a spot on forehead, saddle marked, short switch tail, F off shoulder, has also

a small □ over the F.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th December, 1861.

FRED. GEO. HULL,

8/6 Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 2nd December, 1861, from Springbank.

390. Chesnut mare, star, switch tail, R near shoulder, like 70 K

near cheek, little white on near hind fetlock

391. Brown horse, switch tail, swelling near fore foot, C or G over R near shoulder

On 5th December, by G. Carmichael, Esq., Retreat.

392. Bay horse, star, switch tail, lump on near neck, near hind and off fore feet white, HS near shoulder, swelling under saddle

393. Brown horse, switch tail, near hind fetlock white, blaze partly down face, A C

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

HENRY DAVIS,

12/ Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick, 4th December, 1861, by Danl. Crosbie, for Wm. Sim, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.
1548. Red heifer calf, rope round neck, no visible brand
1549. White heifer, strawberry head and neck, red calf at side, TB near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

7/6

HENRY CARPENTER,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

DIGBY.—No. 325 should be a brown bullock, white belly and flank, HC off rump, 4 or L off thigh, 9 off back and not the near side as previously described.

No. 318 now shows RC on the off thigh, with SN off rump, D near shoulder.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th December, 1861.

8/

ALFD. T. FARLEY,
Poundkeeper.

DEYSDALE.—Impounded at Drysdale, 4th December, 1861, by Mr. T. Ryan.—Trespass 5s.

1119. Red and white bullock, hoop horns, brand TV near back

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

6/6

JAMES WOODS,
Poundkeeper.

ECHUCA.—Impounded at Echuca, 3rd December, 1861, by J. G. Chrisp.—Trespass 6d. each.

961. Chesnut mare, switch tail, star and snip, saddle and collar marked, shod, spur marked, like HAP near shoulder (the P branded on the A), like $\begin{matrix} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{C} \end{matrix}$ off shoulder, scar or brand

like J on the edge of off jay bone

962. Bay mare, switch tail, near hind fetlock white, 2 near cheek

963. Brown mare, dock tail, saddle marked, scar on rump and off loin, fistula, W near shoulder, E in bottle off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

10/6

GEORGE JAMIESON,
Poundkeeper.

GISBORNE.—Impounded at Gisborne, 4th December, 1861, by Messrs. Fillingham.—Trespass 9d. each.

1039. Blue and white cow, piece off near ear, D near ribs

1040. White bullock, both ears marked, like fs, supposed to be IS with half circle over, off ribs

1041. Yellow bullock, piece off near ear, SI off rump, like JM off $\begin{matrix} \text{back} \\ 22 \end{matrix}$

1042. Red and white bullock, piece off off ear, piece off tail, supposed IS with half circle over off ribs

1043. Yellow and white bullock, both ears marked, $\diamond \times$ off rump,

$\diamond \times$ off ribs

1044. Red bullock, both ears split, MP near ribs and near rump, — near shoulder

1045. Red and white bullock, off ear marked, RH off rump

1046. Roan and white bullock, WH off rump and ribs, blotch brand over near ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

14/6

JOHN F. FLETCHER,
Poundkeeper.

GLENORCHY.—Impounded at Glenorchy, 30th November, 1861, by Mr. A. K. Beal, for Messrs. Ayrey and Nicoll.—Trespass 6d. each.

528. Bay filly, dock tail, little white on off hind fetlock, S near $\begin{matrix} \text{shoulder} \\ \text{V} \end{matrix}$

529. Chesnut filly, large star, switch tail, two hind fetlocks white, A near shoulder $\begin{matrix} \text{S} \\ \text{R} \end{matrix}$

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

10/

D. K. FITZGERALD,
Poundkeeper.

HEATHCOTE.—Impounded at Heathcote, 4th December, 1861, by Messrs. W. H. and J. H. Robertson.—Trespass 1s. each.

334. Bay mare, short switch tail, white legs and spots on body, bald face, L off neck, collar and saddle marked

335. Cream colored horse foal, illegible blotch like OO near neck

On 6th December, by Robinson Cocks, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

336. Brown mare, switch tail, saddle marked, like BD near shoulder, like $\begin{matrix} \text{= across I} \\ \text{near thigh} \end{matrix}$

337. Black colt, blaze, hind feet white, RC^o near shoulder

338. Bay entire yearling colt, blaze, fore feet and off hind foot white, TC^o near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

11/6

JAMES FORSYTH,
Poundkeeper.

HEXHAM.—Impounded at Hexham, 30th November, 1861, by Mr. Montgomery, for R. Burke, Esq., J.P.—Trespass 1s.

4306. White bull, unbranded

4310. White cow, indistinct off shoulder

4311. Red and white heifer calf, progeny 4310, unbranded

4314. Brindle heifer, no visible brand

4315. Black and white heifer, brands indistinct

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J. TOMLINSON,
Poundkeeper.

LEXTON.—Impounded at Lexton, 4th December, 1861, by Colin Simson, Esq.—Trespass 9d. each.

419. Black horse, saddle and collar marked, small star, shod, A near rump

420. Bay horse, saddle and collar marked, off hind pastern and near hind coronet white, blaze, FC or FG off shoulder, SH near shoulder, broken hobble on

421. Grey horse, R to left near shoulder blotched, broken hobbles

422. Chesnut horse, fore and near hind fetlocks white, blaze, and saddle marked, M near shoulder

423. Chesnut horse, saddle marked, broken knees, JTR near shoulder (the JT conjoined)

424. Bay mare, star, saddle marked, enlargement off fore fetlock, H near shoulder, F off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

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T. NICHOLLS,
Poundkeeper.

MCIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek, 29th November, 1861, by Mr. Lloyd.—No trespass.

381. Chesnut mare, long tail, TW near shoulder, H near neck, $\begin{matrix} \text{T} \\ \text{I} \end{matrix}$

I off shoulder

382. Bay foal, progeny of above, no brand

On 30th November, by Geo. Baynton, Esq.—Trespass 1s.

383. Bay horse, switch, stripe down face, hind and near fore fetlocks white, collar marked, like JP conjoined off shoulder, 187 off neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

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C. H. NIMMO,
Poundkeeper.

MCIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek, December, 1861, by E. Walker, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

384. Black horse, hind feet white, blaze down face, M in circle near shoulder

385. Brown horse, black points, star, collar marked, A near $\begin{matrix} \text{RM} \\ \text{W} \end{matrix}$

shoulder (the M writing capital)

386. Chesnut horse, blaze down face, collar marked, RO near $\begin{matrix} \text{HO} \\ \text{HO} \end{matrix}$

shoulder, W off shoulder

387. White cob mare, collar marked, H near shoulder (the HD $\begin{matrix} \text{HD} \\ \text{HD} \end{matrix}$

conjoined), 82 near saddle, HH conjoined off shoulder

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C. H. NIMMO,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

MCIVOR CREEK.—No. 355, advertised in *Government Gazette*, should have been bay mare, J-C conjoined in circle near shoulder, like SB off shoulder

C. H. NIMMO,
Poundkeeper.

McIvor Creek, 4th December, 1861. 6/6

MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury, 4th December, 1861, by J. Pearman, Esq.—Damages 5s.

562. Strawberry or roan bull, both ears marked, like A near rump

On 5th December, by P. Cuthbert, for H. Glass, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

563. Brown and white bullock, bald face, like \times near ribs, like $\begin{matrix} \text{WB} \\ \text{WB} \end{matrix}$ near thigh

564. Red heifer, white on belly, like KK off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

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R. DAVIDSON,
Poundkeeper.

MORANG.—Impounded at Morang, 4th December, 1861, by Mr. John McKemie.—Trespass 8s.

445. Light red or yellow and white bullock, off ear marked, hoop horns, short tail, $\begin{matrix} \text{V} \\ \text{V} \end{matrix}$ near thigh, S within circle off $\begin{matrix} \text{ribs} \\ \text{ribs} \end{matrix}$

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JOSEPH HUTCHINSON,
Poundkeeper.

OKLEIGH.—Impounded at Okleigh, 4th December, 1861, by Mr. J. H. Clayton.
 968. Iron grey mare, switch tail squared at the top, shod, white marks under saddle, C near shoulder
 969. Lame dark bay or light brown horse, long switch tail, hair cut off side the same, small star, near fore leg white, off fore pastern white, shod, CN near shoulder (the N reversed)
 On 6th December, by J. Chamian.—Trespass 1s.
 978. Blue strawberry heifer, near ear topped, short tail, like C near rump
 979. White heifer, like C near rump
 980. Red yearling bull, like HJ off ribs
 On 8th December, by Mr. J. Fleming.
 981. Strawberry heifer, no brand visible
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

THOS. REES,
 Poundkeeper.

PENTRIDGE.—Impounded at Pentridge, 4th December, 1861, by Mr. Ivens.—Trespass 6d. each.
 2596. Brown pony mare, sore back, white spots under saddle, short switch tail, ON off shoulder
 CM
 2597. Roan horse, black points, long switch tail, JB near shoulder
 2598. Bay horse, near hind foot white, lame off fore leg, collar marked, CH near shoulder (the P to left and top stroke off)
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 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

F. W. BUZAGLO,
 Poundkeeper.

SANDHURST.—Impounded at Sandhurst, 7th December, 1861, by Mr. H. S. Hulkes.—Trespass 5s. each.
 457. Brown steer, bell on, no brands
 458. Red steer, no brands
 459. Red heifer calf, near ear slit, like BO off ribs
 460. Red and white heifer calf, illegible near and off ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

DANL. MACKEY,
 Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

SKIPTON.—No. 810, yellow and white spotted bullock, off ear marked, SW off rump, advertised in *Government Gazette*, No. 137, 26th November, shows, in addition to brands advertised, 5 off thigh, M in circle near rump

JOHN DALY,
 Poundkeeper.

Skipton Pound,
 7th December, 1861. 7/6

SMYTHE'S CREEK.—Impounded at Smythe's Creek, 7th December, 1861, by Mr. Newcomer, Brownsvale.—Trespass 4s. each.

- 7. White cow, strawberry neck, writing CC near side, B near rump, T near loin, CD off rump, top off near ear and piece out, top off ear
 - 8. Red and white spotted cow, H near rump
 - 9. Red bull calf, progeny of above, a few white spots, no visible brand
 - 10. Red bald faced cow, one down horn, white belly, JN off rump, heart off shoulder, large G near rump, near ear slit
 - 11. Red heifer, white belly and star, H near rump
 - 12. Red steer, white face, white under belly, H near rump
 - 13. Red cow, white back and belly, cock horns, H near rump
 - 14. Red and white sheeted bull calf, progeny of above, no visible brand
 - 15. Brindle policy cow, white face and belly, H near rump
 - 16. Black and white spotted heifer calf, progeny of above, no visible brand
 - 17. Yellow steer, white back and belly, star, H near rump
 - 18. Red and white spotted cow, H near rump
 - 19. Red bull calf, progeny of above, no brand
- If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

HENRY SANDERS,
 Poundkeeper.

WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta, 5th December, 1861, by F. T. Moore, Esq.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.

- 585. Chesnut colt, star, near hind fetlock white, GW near shoulder
- 586. Black colt, TW near shoulder
- 587. Bay colt, HG near shoulder
- 588. Brown horse, streak, saddle and collar marked, has had a fistula, M near, off shoulder, speck on near eye
 N

589. Bay draught horse, star, near hind fetlock white, mealy muzzle, MC or G near shoulder, off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

ALEXANDER TONE,
 Poundkeeper.

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WARRNAMBOOL.—Impounded at Warrnambool, 27th November, 1861, by Alex. Rollo.

- 623. Black and white heifer, horseshoe near rump—Trespass 9d.
- On 30th November, by Robert Jones.
- 624. Yellow and white cow, off ribs, off thigh—9d.

On 3rd December, by Michl. Coyle.

635. Red and white spotted bullock, illegible brand off rump—Damages 6s.

On 6th December, by David Paterson, for David Wilson.

641. Grey horse, long tail, illegible brand near shoulder, WS off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

J. HITCHIN,
 Poundkeeper.

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WICKLIFFE.—Impounded at Wickliffe, 5th December, 1861, by Mr. Young, for J. D. Wyselaskie, Esq., Narrapumelap.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.

4050. Yellow working bullock, cock horns, stump tail, small BFB top of near shoulder, like SP over blotch and M near ribs, W off rump (tail of J turned up)

On 6th December, by same.

4051. Bay mare, switch tail, saddle marked, off fore and hind pasterns white, JR conjoined near shoulder, EY off shoulder

4052. Bay mare, long tail, near hip down, little white off hind pastern, like B conjoined near shoulder

4053. Bay yearling filly, blaze, RY off shoulder

4054. Dapple grey colt, short switch tail, white face, off hind fetlock white, like JS near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st January, 1862.

FREDK. WM. DODD,
 Poundkeeper.

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NOTICE.

WICKLIFFE.—No. 4043, strawberry steer, tin muzzle on, previously advertised as having no visible brand, now shows faint TH near ribs. To be sold on 1st January, 1862.

FREDK. WM. DODD,
 Poundkeeper.

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