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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 twenty-sixth day of April last, for the election of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria for the electoral district of Castlemaine, in the place of John Macadam, Esquire, whose seat became vacant by reason of his acceptance of an office of profit under the Crown; and by the return endorsed on such Writ it appears that

ALEXANDER JOHN SMITH

was duly elected member for the said electoral district.

FRANS. MURPHY,  
Speaker.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,  
Melbourne, 15th May, 1861.

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

I HEREBY notify that I have this day received a return to the Writ issued by me on the twenty-seventh day of April last, for the election of a member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria for the electoral district of Wimmera, in the place of Robert Tarver Firebrace, Esquire, who had resigned; and that by the return endorsed on such Writ it appears that

SAMUEL WILSON

was duly elected member for the said electoral district.

FRANS. MURPHY,  
Speaker.

Legislative Assembly Chamber,  
Melbourne, 16th May, 1861.

## NOTICE TO MAGISTRATES.

FREQUENT complaints having been made that some justices of the peace do not sufficiently attend to the duties of their office, and that an undue amount of labor consequently devolves upon others, it is hereby notified that the Government expects every justice of the peace to perform a share of the magisterial business of the district in which he resides.

Magistrates are requested to notify to the clerk of petty sessions of their districts their correct addresses, in order that they may be duly summoned when their attendance is needed. The several clerks of petty sessions will be instructed to make returns of the attendance of each magistrate, in order that the Government may have information as to the names of those magistrates who neglect to discharge the duties with which they are entrusted.

The attention of the Government having also been called to cases in which magistrates have interfered in matters connected with licensing and other business of a purely local character in districts with which they are unconnected, it is further notified that the Government regards this practice with the strongest disapprobation, and that in future, if any magistrate be guilty of such interference, his name shall be removed from the commission of the peace.

R. D. IRELAND,  
Attorney General.

Crown Law Offices,  
9th May, 1861.  
No. 76.—MAY 17, 1861.—1.

## GRANT FOR FENCING, ETC., PUBLIC PARKS, GARDENS, AND LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the distribution of the Vote for 1861, for Fencing and Improving Public Parks, Gardens, and Lands, will be taken into consideration at the close of the month of June, and it is requested that all applications for aid from this vote may be addressed to the Inspector-General of Public Works, Melbourne, on or before Saturday, 22nd of June. Any applications received after that date cannot be considered during the present year.

J. M. GRANT.

Department of Public Works,  
Melbourne, 10th May, 1861.

## CEMETERY GRANTS-IN-AID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the vote for Cemeteries for the current year will be apportioned on 21st May, 1861, and therefore applications for aid must be sent into this office forthwith.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. H. BROOKE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne, 20th April, 1861.

## NOTICE TO TENDERERS FOR CONTRACT SURVEYS

THE Department of Lands and Survey is now prepared to call for tenders for the subdivisive survey of One million of acres of country lands; but, in order to obviate the inconvenience and delay which have resulted from the conditional acceptance of tenders from gentlemen who have afterwards failed to establish a claim to the requisite standard of professional ability, it has been decided that tenders are, in future, to be received from such gentlemen only as shall have previously obtained certificates of professional ability from a board appointed to examine candidates for such certificates.

The following officers of the department are nominated members of the board:—

CLEMENT HODGKINSON, C.E., Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

R. L. J. ELLERY, Geodetic Surveyor.

A. J. SKENE, C.E., District Surveyor and Inspecting Surveyor of Contracts.

PHILIP CRENION, Assistant Geodetic Surveyor.

FREDERICK ACHESON, C.E., Draftsman.

The first meetings of the board will be held at the Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne, on the 23rd and 24th of May, when intending contractors are requested to produce evidence of professional skill, and submit to such examination in the details of practical survey as will satisfy the board of their ability to complete any contract entrusted to them.

J. H. BROOKE.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 7th May, 1861.

## PLANTS, ETC., FOR DISTRIBUTION.

PLANTS, Cuttings, and Seeds can be supplied from the Botanic Garden to public institutions of the colony during the month of May, 1861.

FERD. MUELLEE,  
Government Botanist.

Botanic Garden,  
Melbourne, 25th March, 1861.

**CERTAIN DIVISIONS OF THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE AND OF THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE ALTERED.**

*At the Government House, Melbourne, the sixth day of May, 1861.*

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor

Major-General Pratt, C.B.

Mr. Heales

Mr. Ireland

Mr. Verdon

Mr. Brooke

Mr. Grant

Mr. Loader

**WHEREAS** by two several Orders of the Governor in Council, bearing date the thirtieth day of July, in the year One thousand eight hundred and sixty, the electoral districts and provinces were divided, and the limits and boundaries of the divisions thereof were defined as therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient to alter certain of the divisions of the electoral district of Castlemaine and of the North-Western province: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order revoke so much of the said Orders in Council respectively as relates to the divisions of the electoral district of Castlemaine and of the North-Western province severally named the Guildford, Fryerstown, Castlemaine, and Chewton divisions; and doth hereby appoint that the portion of the said district and province comprised within the divisions hereinbefore mentioned shall be divided into the divisions mentioned in the first column of the schedule hereunto annexed, and that the limits and boundaries of such new divisions respectively shall be the limits and boundaries mentioned in the second column of the same schedule, opposite to the names of each of such divisions, that is to say:—

Names of the altered and new divisions.	Description of boundaries and limits.
<b>GUILD FORD</b> ... ..	Commencing at a point on the west boundary of the parish of Fryers where it is intersected by the Loddon River; thence westerly by the Loddon River to its junction with Limestone Creek; thence by that creek southerly to its source; thence by a line east to Middleton Creek; thence northerly by that creek to its intersection by the south boundary of the parish of Fryers; thence west by that boundary to the south-west angle of last-named parish; thence north by the west boundary of the parish of Fryers to the Loddon River, the point of commencement.
<b>VAUGHAN</b> ... ..	Commencing at the junction of Middleton Creek and the Loddon River; thence east to the eastern boundary of the parish of Fryers; thence north by part of that east parish boundary two hundred and twenty chains, more or less; thence west to the western boundary of the parish of Fryers; thence south by that boundary crossing the Loddon River to the south-west angle of the parish of Fryers; thence by the south boundary of the parish of Fryers east to Middleton Creek; and by that creek northerly to its junction with the Loddon River, the commencing point.
<b>FRYERSTOWN</b> ... ..	Commencing at a point on the north boundary of the parish of Guildford intersected by Campbell's Creek; thence east to the north-east angle of the parish of Fryers; thence south by part of the eastern boundary of the parish of Fryers two and a half miles, more or less; thence west to the western boundary of the parish of Fryers; thence by that boundary south to its intersection by the Loddon River; thence westerly by that river to its junction with Campbell's Creek; thence by that creek northerly to the north boundary of the parish of Guildford, the commencing point.
<b>CASTLEMAINE</b> ... ..	Commencing at a point on Barker's Creek intersected by the northern boundary of the parish of Castlemaine; thence southerly by Barker's Creek to its intersection with the northern boundary of the town reserve of Castlemaine; thence west by that boundary to the north-west angle of the town reserve; thence south by the west boundary of the town reserve to its intersection with Campbell's Creek; thence by that creek southerly to its intersection with the south boundary of the parish of Castlemaine; thence east along the south parish boundary to a point due south of the Monk; thence north, crossing the Monk, to Forest Creek; thence by a straight line north-easterly to the north-west angle of the parish of Chewton; thence north by the east boundary of the parish of Castlemaine to the north-east angle thereof; thence west by the north boundary of the parish of Castlemaine to Barker's Creek, the commencing point.
<b>CHEWTON</b> ... ..	Commencing at the south-east angle of the parish of Chewton; thence north to a point due east of the north-east angle of the parish of Castlemaine; thence west to said north-east angle of parish of Castlemaine; thence south to the north-west angle of the parish of Chewton; thence by a straight line south-westerly to a point on Forest Creek due north of the Monk; thence by a line south, crossing the Monk, to the intersection of the south boundary of the parish of Castlemaine; thence east by part of the south boundary of the parish of Castlemaine and the south boundary of the parish of Chewton to the south-east angle of last-named parish, being the point of commencement.

And the Honorable Richard Heales, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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J. H. KAY,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

**TERRITORIAL MAGISTRATES.**

**THE** Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct the names of the undermentioned gentlemen, viz:—

ROBERT BRISTOL, Esquire, Reedy Creek,  
F. H. H. BUDD, Esquire, Tarcombe, near Avenel,  
to be added to the Roll of Magistrates for the colony of Victoria.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
R. D. IRELAND.

Crown Law Offices,  
Melbourne, 13th May, 1861. 2159.

**WARDEN OF THE GOLD FIELDS.**

**THE** Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint  
FRANCIS KNOX ORME, Esquire, (Police Magistrate,) to be a Warden of the Gold Fields.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
R. D. IRELAND.

Crown Law Offices,  
Melbourne, 13th May, 1861. 2159.

**MOUNTAIN CREEK AND REDBANK GOLD OFFICE.**

**THE** Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint  
HUDSON WILLIAMSON, Esquire,  
to be Gold Receiver at Mountain Creek and Redbank.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,  
Melbourne, 29th April, 1861.

**WILLIAMSTOWN VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.**

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

DAVID PURDY MACLEAN, Esquire,  
to be Assistant Surgeon, with the rank of Lieutenant, to the Williamstown Volunteer Rifle Corps.

By His Excellency's Command,  
GEO. VERDON,  
Treasurer.  
Treasury,  
Melbourne, 16th May, 1861.

**TRUSTEES.**

**THE** Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 6th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

EDWARD HENTY,  
FRANCIS HENTY,  
SAMUEL PRATT WINTER,  
JOHN COLDHAM, and  
JOHN HENRY JACKSON,  
to be the Trustees of the land situate on the River Wannon, belonging to the Church of England, as sites for church and parsonage.

By His Excellency's Command,  
J. H. BROOKE  
Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3075.

## TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 6th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

ARTHUR MUSGRAVE,  
CHARLES SHUTER, and  
GEORGE COOPER,

to be additional Trustees of the land set apart at Ballan for the use of the Church of England, the two first-named being in the room of T. M. Hammond, deceased, and of C. E. Labilliere, disqualified by non-residence.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3562.

## TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 6th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

JOHN HOGAN,  
SAMUEL BEATTIE,  
JOHN WILLIAM HENRY AUSTEN, and  
THOMAS MITCHELL,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart at Sunbury at a site for a General Cemetery.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3685.

## TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 13th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

The Rev. MICHAEL FARRELLY,  
JOHN BURKE, and  
CHARLES DOHERTY,

to be additional Trustees of the land set apart at Duneed for the use of the Roman Catholic Church, in the room of the Rev. P. Bermingham, who has left the colony, and of Connor Powell and George Mahony, resigned.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3967.

## TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 13th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

EDWIN STANFORD MAXWELL,  
HENRY TRUELOVE, and  
JOB BYE,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart at Sandhurst, in section 15 A, for the use of the Church of England.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3574.

## TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 13th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

WILLIAM BATSON,  
JOHN MASTERS GARRATT,  
ALEXANDER REID, and  
JAMES EVERARD FARR,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart at Geelong for the use of the Baptist Church.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3788.

## TRUSTEE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased, by an Order made on the 6th day of May, 1861, to approve of the appointment of

PATRICK O'CALLAGHAN

to be a Trustee for the Eltham Cemetery, in the room of Richard Lane, deceased.

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

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne. 3658.

## PUBLIC VACCINATOR.

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

JOHN JOPLING\*, Esquire, surgeon,

to be Public Vaccinator for the district of Ballan, in the room of J. Edmonston, Esq., resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,  
B. HEALES.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 6th May, 1861. R.3549.

\* Mis-stated as "Topling" in p. 945 ante.

## ROYAL V.V. ARTILLERY REGIMENT.

IT is hereby notified that pursuant to the sentence of a regimental Court Martial, held at the Prince's Bridge barracks, on the 29th April, 1861, confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, gunner Thomas P. Stafford, of the Royal V.V. Artillery Regiment, is dismissed from the volunteer force of the colony.

GEO. DEAN PITT,  
Colonel of Volunteers.

Volunteer Office,  
Melbourne, 9th May, 1861.

## MINING LEASES.

THE Mining Leases, of which the dates and terms, with the lessees' names, extent of ground leased, and annual rent reserved, are as undermentioned, have, since the 13th ultimo, been forwarded to the wardens' offices at the places respectively named, for execution by and issue to the said lessees.

## CRESWICK.

No. 231. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; Benj. Severs; 55a. 2r. 29p.; £45.

## BLACKWOOD.

No. 232. 1st May, 1861; 5 years; Saml. Williams; 1a. 1r. 19p.; £5.

## CASTLEMAINE.

No. 97. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; H. A. Gordon, C. Elfers; 2a.; £10.

## MALDON.

No. 94. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; W. T. Miller; 8a. 2r. 32p.; £43 10s.

## KORONG.

No. 96. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; J. Catto; 2a.; £10.

## MARYBOROUGH.

No. 103. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; Edward Cohen; 1a. 3r. 19p.; £9 7s.

## SANDHURST.

(Warden Mollison.)

No. 247. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; J. Frazer; 1a. 1r. 15p.; £6 14s.

No. 301. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; J. Jolin, A. A. Broadfoot, P. Fletcher; 2a.; £10.

No. 316. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; J. S. McNair; 2a. 3r. 29p.; £14 13s.

## ARARAT.

No. 2. 1st May, 1861; 10 years; G. Glenny; 5a.; £25.

## BEECHWORTH.

No. 3. 1st May, 1861; 6 years; W. Phillipi; 4a. 1r. 7p.; £21 9s.

J. B. HUMFRAY.

Mining Department,  
Melbourne, 16th May, 1861.

## PROPOSED ROAD.

## COUNTY OF RODNEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a map and survey plan describing the exact course and bearings of, and the admeasurements required for, a road in the county of Rodney (forming a portion of the proposed Main Murray road), to be made by the Board of Land and Works, together with a description of the lands through which the same is proposed to pass, and the name of the owner and occupier thereof, so far as known, and also an estimate of the expense of the said work, have been deposited at the Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne, the particulars of which are as follow:—

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED MAIN MURRAY ROAD THROUGH MR. THOMAS ROBERTSON'S PRE-EMPTIVE SECTION IN THE PARISH OF CAMPASPE, COUNTY OF RODNEY.—The east side of the proposed new road commences 33 chains 42 links north 143° 19' east from the south-east corner of Mr. Robertson's pre-emptive section, and extends north 46° east for a distance of 64 chains 70 links; thence bearing north 27 degrees 50 links east for a distance of 16 chains 16 links, at which it crosses the north-east boundary line of the pre-emptive section. The proposed road will be three chains wide. The area of land required for the road is twenty-four acres one rood one perch, and is the property of Mr. Thomas Robertson.

The estimated cost of opening the said road is £373 0s. 3d., viz., £48 10s. 3d. the estimated value of the land, and £323 10s. for 647 rods of fencing at 10s. per rod.

All persons affected by the proposed road are requested to set forth in writing, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, Office of Roads and Bridges, Melbourne, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, any well-grounded objections that they may have to the said road, failing which they will be thereafter precluded from making any such objections or claiming any compensation whatsoever.

J. H. BROOKE.

Office of Roads and Bridges,  
Melbourne, 17th May, 1861. 2999.

SALE (No. 252) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT BALLAARAT, ON THURSDAY, 6TH JUNE, 1861.

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 3rd May instant, relative to a sale of certain special lands to be held at Ballaarat, on Thursday, 6th June next: Notice is hereby given that lots 12, 32, 33, and 39 have been withdrawn from sale.

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne, 15th May, 1861. J. H. BROOKE.

## TITLE DEEDS.

THE following Title Deeds have since the 6th instant been forwarded for delivery at the Receipt and Pay Offices undementioned, on receipt of the established fees.

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne, 13th May, 1861.

## AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

- 107 McCluskey, Peter, 2r., Myrniong  
 Harvey, James, 1r. 36 4-10p., Myrniong  
 Boyd, James, 1r. 28 9-10p., Myrniong  
 Drysdale, James, 1r. 22 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Crighton, May, 1r. 28 8-10p., Myrniong  
 Smith, Alfred, 1r. 38 4-10p., Myrniong  
 Meikle, Hugh, 1r. 18 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Smith, Alfred, 2r. 9 7-10p., Myrniong  
 Meikle, William, 1r. 15 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Dunne, Edward, 1r. 25 8-10p., Myrniong  
 James, Amelia, 1r. 6 7-10p., Myrniong  
 James, Annie Maria, 1r. 32 8-10p., Myrniong  
 Drysdale, James, 1r. 20 4-10p., Myrniong  
 James, Mary Jane, 2r. 6 8-10p., Myrniong  
 Swannell, John, 1r. 17-10p., Myrniong  
 Swannell, John, 2r. 7 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Swannell, John, 1r. 5 2-10p., Myrniong  
 Drysdale, James, 1r. 38 1-10p., Myrniong  
 James, Mary Jane, 1r. 27 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Wilson, Jane, 1r. 24 2-10p., Myrniong  
 Crook, James Elijah, 34 9-10p., Myrniong  
 Roberts, W. H., 38 3-10p., Myrniong  
 Spollen, Bernard, 1r. 11 9-10p., Myrniong  
 Medling, C. B., 1r. 30 8-10p., Myrniong  
 Dixon, J. D., 1r. 18 8-10p., Myrniong  
 Matthews, Elizabeth, 1r. 31 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Dickson, George, 1r. 8 5-10p., Myrniong  
 Jenkins, William, 1r. 24p., Myrniong  
 Swannell, John, 2r. 21 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Millyard, James, 1r. 29 1-10p., Myrniong  
 Barbour, Robert, 1r. 37 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Barbour, Robert, 1r. 36 7-10p., Myrniong  
 Simmons, H. W., 1r. 30 3-10p., Myrniong  
 Simmons, H. W., 1r. 38 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Crook, Mary Charlotte, 2r. 14 2-10p., Myrniong  
 Kiernan, Patrick, 1r. 29 3-10p., Myrniong  
 Crook, James Robert, 31 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Roberts, W. H., 2r. 5 3-10p., Myrniong  
 Crook, Charles Clinch, 1r. 34 6-10p., Myrniong  
 Barbour, Robert, 2r. 18-10p., Myrniong  
 Cramond, William, 1r. 15 3-10p., Myrniong  
 221 Darby, James and Abbott, George, 3r. 8p., Lancefield  
 123 Draper, D. J., 1a. 3r. 33p., Creswick  
 828p Cameron, Donald, 610a., unnamed

## AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, GEELONG.

- 27 Weston, W. P., 82a. 1r. 20p., Cressy  
 Elder, Mary, 78a. 0r. 1p., Cressy  
 Elder, Mary, 72a. 2r. 8p., Cressy  
 Weston, Maurice, 69a. 3r. 10p., Cressy  
 Elder, John, the younger, 65a. 0r. 29p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 67a. 2r. 35p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 67a. 2r. 32p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 67a. 0r. 28p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 67a. 0r. 31p., Cressy  
 32 Hill, Samuel, 69a., Wilgul North  
 Hill, Samuel, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Hill, Samuel, 39a. 0r. 1p., Wilgul South  
 Hill, Samuel, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Charles, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Charles, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Charles, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Charles, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Henry, 49a. 2r. 30p., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Henry, 49a. 2r. 28p., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, Henry, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Rowe, William, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Mac Vean, Allan, 80a., Wilgul North  
 Mac Vean, Allan, 79a. 1r. 6p., Wilgul North  
 Mac Vean, Jemima Scott, 80a., Wilgul South  
 Mac Vean, Jemima Scott, 86a. 1r. 14p., Wilgul South  
 Elder, Mary Nairne, 76a. 1r., Wilgul South  
 Elder, Mary Nairne, 76a. 1r., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 69a., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 89a. 0r. 28p., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 55a. 0r. 1p., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 89a. 0r. 28p., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 68a. 2r. 16p., Wilgul South  
 Elder, John, the younger, 68a. 2r. 14p., Wilgul South  
 142 Faris, W. J., 82a. 2r. 1p., Wilgul North  
 Faris, W. J., 149a. 0r. 25p., Wilgul South  
 Faris, W. J., 22a. 3r. 20p., Wilgul South  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 96a. 1r. 16p., Wilgul South  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 165a. 3r. 20p., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 97a. 1r. 19p., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 78a., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 97a. 2r. 33p., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 118a. 1r., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 170a. 1r. 24p., Wilgul North  
 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 96a. 2r. 30p., Wilgul North

142 Wilson, J. W., and Elder, J., the younger, 97a. 0r. 4p., Wilgul North

- 27 Strachan, William, 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Strachan, William, 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Strachan, William, 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Strachan, William, 58a. 3r. 17p., Cressy  
 Strachan, William, 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Strachan, William, 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Guthrie, John, 41a. 1r. 32p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 82a. 3r. 5p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 57a. 1r. 19p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 43a. 3r. 21p., Cressy  
 Elder, John, the elder, 60a. 1r. 36p., Yarima  
 Carstairs, J. G., 79a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Carstairs, J. G., 92a. 2r. 14p., Cressy  
 Guthrie, Charles, 79a., Cressy  
 Guthrie, Charles, 83a. 2r. 11p., Cressy  
 Weston, Maurice, 83a. 2r. 9p., Cressy  
 Gray, Alexander, 78a. 1r. 8p., Cressy  
 Gray, Alexander, 81a. 3r. 37p., Cressy  
 Weston, W. P., 74a. 3r. 33p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 45a., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 0r. 25p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 0r. 23p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 45a., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Russell, Thomas, 66a. 1r. 30p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 56a. 2r. 32p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 66a. 1r. 27p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 56a. 2r. 29p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 60a. 1r. 24p., Yarima  
 Weston, Maurice, 67a. 2r. 13p., Cressy  
 Weston, Maurice, 67a. 2r. 9p., Cressy  
 Gray, Alexander, 93a. 1r. 11p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 59a. 2r. 19p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 52a. 1r. 27p., Cressy  
 Strachan, James, 67a. 1r. 11p., Cressy  
 Gebbie, John, 45a. 1r. 29p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 59a. 2r. 20p., Cressy  
 Ronald, R. B., 68a. 3r. 30p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 57a. 1r. 18p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 48a. 3r. 24p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 50a. 3r. 21p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 50a. 3r. 23p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 77a. 2r. 14p., Cressy  
 Meredith, G. C., 77a. 2r. 12p., Cressy  
 Russell, Thomas, 62a. 2r. 2p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 60a. 1r. 26p., Yarima  
 Strachan, William, 42a. 1r. 12p., Cressy  
 Elder, Mary, 88a. 2r. 3p., Cressy  
 Elder, N. G., 71a. 2r. 3p., Yarima  
 Russell, Thomas, 62a. 2r. 3p., Yarima  
 Strachan, William, 42a. 1r. 8p., Cressy  
 Gray, Alexander, 81a., Cressy  
 Cook, William, 77a. 2r. 26p., Cressy  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 69a. 2r. 9p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 69a. 2r. 9p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 69a. 2r. 9p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 61a. 3r. 24p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 61a. 3r. 24p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 61a. 3r. 24p., Yarima  
 Elder, N. G., 57a. 2r. 9p., Yarima  
 Elder, N. G., 61a. 3r. 20p., Yarima  
 Elder, John, the elder, 59a. 3r. 25p., Yarima  
 Elder, John, the elder, 80a. 3r. 4p., Yarima  
 Elder, John, the elder, 57a. 3r. 34p., Yarima  
 Meredith, G. C., 82a. 3r. 8p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 69a. 2r. 9p., Yarima  
 Kininmonth, J. L., 61a. 3r. 20p., Yarima  
 Gray, Alexander, 84a., Cressy  
 Gebbie, John, 61a. 0r. 38p., Cressy  
 Elder, Mary, 85a. 3r. 26p., Cressy  
 Elder, N. G., 71a. 2r. 3p., Cressy

## AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, CASTLEMAINE.

- 90 Fleming, Thomas, 47a. 1r. 16p., Yandoit  
 89 Boundy, Christopher, 1r. 11p., Castlemaine  
 76 Laver, Jonas, 21a. 3r. 35p., Walmer  
 108 Doherty, William, 2r., Wombat  
 Bors, Antonio, 2r., Wombat  
 Hollenstein, Michael, 2r., Wombat  
 Mills, Robert, 2r., Wombat  
 Jamison, G. H., 1r. 30p., Wombat  
 Pullin, E. J., 2r., Wombat  
 Manson, Vincent, 2r., Wombat
- AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MARYBOROUGH.
- 145 Warren, William, 24 1-10p., Maryborough  
 141 Mathewson, James, and Mathewson, William, 1r., Maryborough  
 145 Gartley, George, 1r. 8p., Maryborough  
 McFarlane, Charles, 25 8-10p., Maryborough  
 Taylor, Daniel, 36p., Maryborough  
 Mathewson, James, and Mathewson, William, 1r., Maryborough  
 Mathewson, James, and Mathewson, William, 22 1-10p., Maryborough

- 145 Hayzen, Thomas, 1r, Maryborough  
 Ashton, William, 1r, Maryborough  
 Jeun, John, 1r, Maryborough  
 Carrick, Alexander, and Carrick, David, 1r, Maryborough,  
 Milne, Henry, 36p, Maryborough  
 Milne, Henry, 1r, Maryborough  
 Adamson, Matthew, 24p, Maryborough  
 Knight, George, 1r, Maryborough  
 O'Leary, Denis, 1r, Maryborough  
 Parnall, Henry, 31 3-5p, Maryborough  
 Pender, Margaret, 1r, Maryborough  
 144 Macvean, Peter, 40a, 3r, 24p, Eglinton  
 Macvean, Peter, Ga. 3r, 5p, Eglinton  
 Macvean, Peter, 41a, 1r, 8p, Eglinton  
 Berzer, Edward, and Berger, Anton, 27a, 3r, 18p, Wareek  
 Drummond, Duncan, 1r, Maryborough

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MALDON.

- 110 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, Maldon  
 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, Maldon  
 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, Maldon  
 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, Maldon  
 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, Maldon  
 Bruce, William, 2a, 1r, 20p, Maldon  
 Steele, J. T., 1r, Maldon  
 Nankivell, R. R., 1r, Maldon  
 Nankivell, R. R., 1r, Maldon  
 Fox, John, 1r, 20p, Maldon  
 Warnock, James, 1r, Maldon  
 Stevenson, Andrew, 3a, 2r, 35p, Maldon  
 Blight, John, 1r, Maldon  
 Wilson, Samuel, 1r, Maldon  
 Wilson, Samuel, 1r, Maldon  
 Wilson, Samuel, 1r, Maldon  
 Wilson, Samuel, 1r, Maldon  
 Boots, John, the younger, 1r, Maldon  
 Courtin, F. E. M., 1r, 19p, Maldon  
 Warnock, James, 1r, Maldon  
 Brown, George, 1r, Maldon  
 Fox, John, 1r, 7p, Maldon  
 Stevenson, W. A., 2a, 0r, 31p, Maldon  
 Seymour, A. C., 38p, Maldon  
 Boots, John, 1r, Maldon  
 Boots, John, 1r, Maldon  
 Cooper, Samuel, 2a, 2r, Maldon  
 Wilson, Samuel, 1r, Maldon  
 Shipton, Fanny, 1r, Maldon  
 Shipton, Fanny, 1r, Maldon

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, SANDHURST.

- 146 Bell, James, 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Tantan, Jacob, 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Macredie, William, and Macredie, Thomas, 11a, 1r, 33p,  
 St. Arnaud  
 Macredie, William, and Macredie, Thomas, 11a, 0r, 34p,  
 St. Arnaud  
 Carney, William, 16a, 2r, 16p, Carapooce  
 Carney, William, 14a, Carapooce  
 Macredie, William, and Macredie, Thomas, 14a, 3r, 16p,  
 St. Arnaud  
 Macredie, William, and Macredie, Thomas, 14a, 0r, 30p,  
 St. Arnaud  
 Rostron, J. L., 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Youngson, George, 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Youngson, George, 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Kilbride, John, 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Doyle, William, 1r, 13 1-5p, St. Arnaud  
 Butcher, Edward, 22p, St. Arnaud  
 Cameron, C. F., 1r, St. Arnaud  
 Perry, Joseph, 39 3-5p, St. Arnaud

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, ARARAT.

- 61 McKellar, Duncan, 19a, Stawell  
 Doyle, J. L., 21a, 3r, 20p, Stawell

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, CRESWICK.

- 123 Shearer, J. S., 29 7-10p, Creswick  
 Spain, William, 1r, Creswick  
 Stewart, James, 38p, Creswick

LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the power in him vested in this behalf by the Act 24 Victoria No. 117, has, by divers Orders, temporarily reserved from sale the lands hereinafter described, for the several purposes specified in connection with each description, subject to the regulation of 14th January, 1861, wherever the same is applicable.

IN ANAKIE PARISH AND COUNTY OF GRANT, FOR A PUBLIC CEMETERY (pursuant to Order in Council of 29th April, 1861).—Eight acres, being portion of allotment 86: Commencing at the south-west corner of said allotment; bounded on the west by a road bearing north 7° 30' east seven chains forty links; thence on the north by a line bearing east ten chains forty-four links; thence on the east by a line bearing south seven chains thirty-three links; thence on the south by part of allotment 52, bearing west eleven chains forty links to the point of commencement.—(61.C.2716.)

IN BALLAARAT PARISH AND COUNTY OF GRENVILLE, FOR RAILWAY PURPOSES AT SOLDIER'S HILL, BALLAARAT (pursuant to Order in Council of 6th May, 1861).—Commencing at the intersection of the west side of Doveton street (north) with the south side of Macarthur street; thence due west along the south side of Macarthur street eight chains, more or less; thence by a line bearing south 26° 9' east eighteen chains fifteen links, more or less, to a point in the west side of Doveton street; thence by the west side of Doveton street, bearing north sixteen chains

thirty links, more or less, to the point of commencement. Area of reserve, about 6½ acres.—(61.C.2547.)

AT BALLAARAT EAST, SITE FOR A CEMETERY (pursuant to Order in Council of 25th March, 1861).—Forty acres, county of Grant: Commencing at the north-east angle of the land temporarily reserved, said angle bearing south 81° east twenty-five chains fifty-seven links, south 61° 30' east four chains fifty-eight links, south 51° 20' east ten chains sixty-five links, south 38° 3' east forty chains ninety-eight links, south 72° 51' east seventeen chains forty-seven links, south 86° 46' east nine chains forty-nine links, south 49° 31' east one chain fifty-three links, and west one chain fifty links from the south-west angle of the reserve for sludge dam No. 2, Ballaarat East; bounded on the east by a line bearing south twenty chains; on the south by a line bearing west twenty chains; on the west by a line bearing east twenty chains; and on the north by a line bearing east twenty chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.2075.)

IN BOROONDARA PARISH AND COUNTY OF BOURKE, SITE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION (pursuant to Order in Council of 29th April, 1861).—Eight acres, comprising allotments 6, 7, 8, and 9 of block 2, in section 59 A, parish of Boroondara: Commencing at the north corner of allotment 7; bounded on the north-east by a road bearing south 33° 45' east eight chains; thence on the south-east by allotments 5 and 10, said block, bearing south 56° 15' west ten chains; thence on the south-west by a road bearing north 33° 45' west eight chains; thence on the north-west by a road bearing north 56° 15' east ten chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.2482.)

IN BULBAN PARISH AND COUNTY OF GRANT, FOR THE PURPOSES OF A BOARDING AND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, IN CONNECTION WITH THE INDEPENDENT DENOMINATION AT ROTHWELL (pursuant to Order in Council of 15th April, 1861).—Two acres: Commencing at the south-west corner, being a point in the north bank of the Little River due south of the north-east angle of the township reserve of Rothwell; bounded on the west by part of said reserve, bearing north five chains; thence on the north by a line bearing east four chains; thence on the east by a line bearing south to the north bank of the Little River; thence on the south by the said bank, bearing westerly to the commencing point.—(61.C.2052.)

IN CAVENDISH TOWNSHIP, PARISH OF CAVENDISH, AND COUNTY OF DUNDAS, FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH PURPOSES (pursuant to Order in Council of 22nd April, 1861).—Two acres, comprising allotments 14, 15, 16, and 17 of section 6, township of Cavendish: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 17; bounded on the north by allotments 2, 3, 4, and 5 of said section, bearing east four chains; thence on the east by allotment 13, said section, bearing south five chains; thence on the south by Bunbury street, bearing west four chains; thence on the west by allotments 18 and 19, said section, bearing north five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.2723.)

IN CUT-PAW-PAW PARISH, NEAR KOROROIT CREEK, FOR A POUND (pursuant to Order in Council of 18th March, 1861).—One acre thirty-two perches, county of Bourke, parish of Cut-paw-paw: Commencing at the north-east angle of the land to be temporarily reserved, said angle bearing south twenty chains, more or less, and west twelve chains, more or less, from a point where the east side of a road intersects the south boundary of allotment A, section 10, parish of Cut-paw-paw; bounded on the north by a line bearing west three chains; on the west by a line bearing south four chains; on the south by a line bearing east three chains; and on the east by a line bearing north four chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.1391.)

AT EAST COLLINGWOOD, IN THE PARISH OF JIKA-JIKA AND COUNTY OF BOURKE, AS A SITE FOR MANURE DEPOT FOR EAST COLLINGWOOD, on condition that the Municipal Council of East Collingwood take the necessary steps for the deodorization of the refuse so as to render it as inoffensive as possible (pursuant to Order in Council of 6th May, 1861).—Commencing at the south-east corner, being a point bearing north ten chains from the intersection of the west side of Alexander street with the north side of Reilly street; thence bounded on the south by a line bearing west two chains fifty links; thence on the west by a line bearing north two chains; thence on the north by a line bearing east two chains fifty links; thence on the east by a line bearing south two chains to the point of commencement. Area of proposed reserve, 2 rods.—(61.C.8101.)

AT INVERLEIGH, IN THE PARISH OF DOROQ AND COUNTY OF GRANT, FOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PURPOSES, the site set apart for the same purpose on 14th September, 1855, having been cancelled (pursuant to Order of 6th May, 1861).—Two acres, in the township of Inverleigh: Commencing at the north-east corner, being the intersection of the south side of Cambridge street with the west side of Newman street; bounded on the north by Cambridge street, bearing south 70° west four chains; thence on the west by a line bearing south 20° east five chains; thence on the south by High street, bearing north 70° east four chains; thence on the east by Newman street, bearing north 20° west five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.3176.)

IN JAN JUC PARISH AND COUNTY OF GRANT, FOR NATIONAL SCHOOL PURPOSES (pursuant to Order in Council of 6th May, 1861).—Two acres, being part of allotment 10 A, parish of Jan Juc: Commencing at a point in the western boundary of proposed reserve ten chains seventy links due east of an angle in the east side of road between allotments 10 A and 10 B, and which angle bears south 37° 52' west seven chains eighty links from the north-west corner of allotment 10 A; thence bounded on portion of the west side by a line bearing north to a point in the south bank of Spring Creek; thence on the north by a line bearing east four chains; thence on the east by a line bearing south five chains; thence on the south by a line bearing west four chains; thence on remainder of the west by a line bearing north to the commencing point.—(61.D.2035.)

IN LINTON TOWNSHIP, PARISH OF ARGYLE AND COUNTY OF GLENVILLE, FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES (pursuant to Order in Council of 29th April, 1861).—Commencing at a point on the north-western boundary line of the Glamorganshire lease four chains south 55° west from the northern corner of the said lease; thence by the said north-western boundary line bearing south 55° west five chains; thence by a line bearing north 35° west four chains; thence by a line bearing north 55° east five chains; thence by a line bearing south 35° east four chains to the point of commencement. Area of reserve, 2 acres.—(61.D.3166.)

IN ROKEWOOD TOWNSHIP, PARISH OF CORINDHAP AND COUNTY OF GLENVILLE, AS A SITE FOR A PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AND MANSE (pursuant to Order in Council of 15th April, 1861).—One acre two rods: Commencing at the intersection of the south side of Wilson street with the west side of McMillan street, being the north-east corner; bounded on the north by Wilson street, bearing north 70° 30' west three chains; thence on the west by a line bearing south 19° 30' west five chains; thence on the south by a line bearing south 70° 30' east three chains; thence on the east by McMillan street, bearing north 19° 30' east five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.1823.)

IN ROKEWOOD TOWNSHIP, PARISH OF CORINDHAP, AND COUNTY OF GLENVILLE, AS A SITE FOR A PRESBYTERIAN SCHOOL (pursuant to Order in Council of 15th April, 1861).—Two rods, being allotment 4 of section 3: Commencing at the north-east angle; bounded on the north by the south side of Mercer street, bearing north 70° 30' west one chain; thence on the west by allotment 3, said section, bearing south 19° 30' west five chains; thence on the south by the north side of Wilson street, bearing south 70° 30' east one chain; thence on the east by allotment 6, said section, bearing north 19° 30' east five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.C.1823.)

IN WORANGA PARISH, COUNTY UNNAMED, GIPPS LAND, FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH PURPOSES (pursuant to Order in Council of 22nd April, 1861).—Two acres, being portion of allotment 8, parish of Woranga: Commencing at the south-west corner of proposed reserve, being the north-west corner of the pound reserve in said allotment; thence bounded on the west by a road bearing north four chains; thence on the north by a line bearing east five chains; thence on the east by a line bearing south four chains to a point in the north boundary of the pound reserve aforesaid; thence on the south by portion of the said pound reserve, bearing west five chains to the point of commencement.—(61.D.1698.)

J. H. BROOKE.

Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne.

#### PETITION UNDER THE MUNICIPAL ACT.

TARADALE.

IN pursuance of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has directed the publication of the substance and prayer of the petition hereinafter set forth, signed by one hundred and fifty-four householders resident at Taradale, in the county of Talbot,\* praying for the erection of their locality into a municipal district.  
S.2950.

R. HEALES.

The petitioners state that they reside in the district of Taradale, in the county of Talbot,\* and draw attention to the extensive mining operations now carried on in the neighborhood of the township, the large population engaged therein, the substantial and costly character of their dwellings, and the quantity of land under cultivation in their immediate vicinity.

They further state that no provision exists for the formation and maintenance of some of the roads and streets in the township, which consequently are sometimes nearly impassable; and they desire to impress upon His Excellency the expediency of forming the district into a municipality, as tending greatly to advance its interests and materially aid its improvement and good government.

They suggest the following area for a municipal district, viz.:—“Commencing at the north angle of Taradale suburban allotment No. 1, of section 12; thence running in a south-westerly direction about twenty-three chains to the western side of Melbourne main road; thence south two hundred and eighty-two chains, more or less; thence east about two hundred and ten chains along the centre of the Government road reserve between portions 54 and 55 and between portions 50 and 51 of the parish of Edgecombe to a point in the centre of the River Coliban; thence due north eighty chains, crossing portions 43, 44, 45, and 46 of the said parish of Edgecombe, and continuing up the centre of a road reserve between portions 3, 2, 1, and 4 of the parish of Metcalfe, to a distance of eighty chains, more or less; thence north 20 degrees west about one hundred and fifty-three chains to the centre of a Government road reserve running on the south side of allotment 4 of section 5, in the parish of Hawkstone; thence due west crossing the Coliban River to the Mount Alexander Railway; thence south-west to the commencing point, no one point in the described area being distant more than six miles from any other point, nor the limits or boundaries of such district embracing an area of more than nine square miles.”

And the petitioners pray as follows:—

“Your petitioners therefore humbly pray your Excellency that the district so defined may be proclaimed a municipality, under the name of ‘The Municipal District of Taradale,’ according to the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15.”

[The Signatures to the above-mentioned petition appeared in Gazette No. 67, p. 847 ante.]

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 30th April, 1861.

\* As described as in the county of Bourke in pp. 847, 872, ante.

#### MUNICIPALITY OF CASTLEMAINE.

BYE-LAW No. 52.—FOR AN ASSESSMENT OF HOUSE AND LAND PROPERTY WITHIN THE DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE FOR THE YEAR 1861.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, the council of any municipal district is empowered to make an annual assessment of all property in houses and lands within the limits of such municipal district, according to its fair average annual value:

Be it therefore ordered and enacted by the municipal council of Castlemaine, that the assessment on the annual value of property within this municipal district, estimated at (£92.258) Ninety-two thousand two hundred and fifty-eight pounds, as approved by the justices of the peace in petty sessions, shall be the value, and be legal and in force for the municipal year commencing the 22nd January, 1861.

BYE-LAW No. 53.—FOR LEVYING A RATE OF ONE SHILLING IN THE POUND WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE FOR THE YEAR 1861.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, the council of any municipal district is empowered to impose a rate on all property in houses and lands within the limits of such municipal district, according to its fair average annual value, such rate not to exceed the sum of Two shillings in the pound:

Be it therefore ordered and enacted by the municipal council of Castlemaine, that a rate of One shilling in the pound for the current year be levied on all property in houses and lands within the limits of this municipal district, one moiety to be collected on and after the 1st day of June, and the second moiety on and after the 2nd day of December, 1861.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne.

The foregoing Bye-laws, Nos. 52 and 53, made by the municipal council of Castlemaine, have been assented to by the Governor in Council.

R.3760.

R. HEALES.

#### MUNICIPALITY OF CRESWICK.

BYE-LAW No. 13.—FOR REGULATING THE KILLING AND SALE OF BUTCHERS' MEAT, AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES UNDER CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS, WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CRESWICK.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be competent for the council of any municipal district established under the provisions of the said Act, to make bye-laws for regulating the killing and sale of butchers' meat, the establishment of slaughter-houses, &c., &c.: Be it therefore enacted by the municipal council of Creswick, that so soon as this bye-law shall have received the assent of His Excellency the Governor in Council, all persons whose premises shall have been reported by the town inspector, or other duly appointed officer, to be so situated as not injuriously to affect the health of the neighborhood, and to be paved and suitably prepared, so that in the opinion of the council such premises can be kept inoffensive, shall be licensed to kill on such premises such animals as may by law be slaughtered: Provided that no animal weighing more than two hundred pounds shall be slaughtered on any premises where butchers' meat is sold in less quantities than sides or quarters.

That every premises licensed as a place where butchers' meat may be slaughtered or sold shall be provided with tubs, or other vessels, in which shall be deposited all blood, offal, or other offensive matter, and such premises shall be properly washed and cleansed at least once in every twenty-four hours.

That for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this bye-law, such premises shall be duly registered with the town clerk, who shall, under his hand, on receiving the authority of the council, grant a license to slaughter under the provisions of this bye-law; and any person who shall kill or slaughter any such animals without being duly licensed under the provisions of this bye-law (except the *bond fide* servants of a duly licensed butcher), or who shall sell, or offer for sale, any tainted or unwholesome butchers' meat for human food, or whose premises shall not be kept inoffensive as above required, or who shall neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of this bye-law, shall, upon conviction thereof before any two or more justices of the peace, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds (£20).

Be it also enacted, that it shall not be lawful for any licensed butcher to kill, or cause to be killed or slaughtered, any animals on premises which are situate distinct and apart, except all such premises are severally registered and licensed as though they belonged to different owners.

And be it further enacted, that written notice of application for license and registration shall be given to the town clerk at least seven days before the same be granted, and such notice shall be exhibited for said period in his office; and that the said licenses, when issued, shall be in force for twelve months from the date of granting the same.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 13, made by the municipal council of Creswick, has been assented to by the Governor in Council.

R.3652.

R. HEALES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF KEW.

BYE-LAW No. 3.—FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF THE NUISANCE ARISING FROM GOATS AND PIGS BEING ALLOWED TO GO AT LARGE WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF KEW.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, the council of any municipal district is authorised to make bye-laws for the suppression of nuisances, &c.: Be it therefore enacted and ordered by the municipal council of Kew, that from and after the date of this bye-law coming into operation, it shall not be lawful for the owner of any goat or pig to allow the same to be at large in any street or public place, or in any unenclosed place, within this municipality, whether the same be or be not public property; and any person or persons who shall so offend shall, on conviction before two or more justices of the peace, forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding Five pounds.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 3, made by the municipal council of Kew, has been assented to by the Governor in Council.  
R.3579. R. HEALES.

## MUNICIPALITY OF PRAHRAN.

BYE-LAW No. 69.—A BYE-LAW TO PRESCRIBE THE MODE OF ENTERING INTO CERTAIN CONTRACTS BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF PRAHRAN.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be competent for the council of any municipal district to make bye-laws for the regulation of their own proceedings and the general good rule and government of such municipal district: Be it therefore enacted, from and after the date of this bye-law receiving the assent of his Excellency the Governor, as required by the provisions of the Act, as follows:—

1. That no contract for fencing or making any roads, wharves, piers, or other public works within the said district shall be entered into unless tenders for the same shall have been previously called for by notice posted by the town clerk in his office, and by him inserted on the day of the date of such notice in some newspaper published in Melbourne, and also in some newspaper published within the said district, or if there shall be no newspaper published therein, then in some newspaper circulating in the said district; and every such notice shall be to the effect stated in the first schedule to this bye-law.

2. Nothing hereinafter contained shall apply to any work the immediate execution whereof may be rendered necessary by any storm, tempest, or casualty.

3. Before any such tender as aforesaid shall be called for, and before any contract for the purchase of any land, buildings, or real estate, shall be entered into, notice of the intention to call for or enter into the same, as the case may be, shall be posted by the town clerk in his office, and inserted by him on the day of the date of such notice in some newspaper published within the said district, or if there shall be no newspaper published therein, then in some newspaper circulating in the said district; and every such notice shall be to the effect set forth in the last schedule to this bye-law.

4. Any ratepayers, not being less than one hundred in number, who shall have paid all rates due from them, and who shall object to the proposed works or purchase, as the case may be, may within the time limited for that purpose, leave at the office of the town clerk notice in writing under their hands, stating such objections, and their reasons for the same; and the said, and any other ratepayers who shall have paid all rates due from them, shall thereupon be entitled to appear before the said council by a deputation of not more than five persons in support of the said objections at the second meeting of the said council next after such last-mentioned notice shall have been left at the said office.

5. Every such notice as last aforesaid shall be laid before the said council by the town clerk, at the first meeting of that body after such notice shall have been left as hereinbefore directed.

6. Every person who shall neglect or break this bye-law shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding Fifty pounds.

7. This bye-law shall continue in force until the thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and no longer.

## THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

*Public Works, Prahran.*—The corporation invite tenders (here state the works to be done). Plans and specifications may be seen at the municipal surveyor's office, town hall, between the hours of &c.

Tenders must be sent to this office within (state the time, but not less than fourteen days) from this date.

A.B., Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Prahran,  
1861.

## THE LAST SCHEDULE.

*Public Works, Prahran.*—The corporation propose to (here state the works or purchase proposed). Any ratepayers, not being less than one hundred, who have paid all rates due from them, and who object to the said works (or purchase) may, by a deputation of not more than five persons, appear before the municipal council in support of such objections, if they leave at

my office, within fourteen days from this date, notice in writing under their hands stating such objections and their reasons for the same. The time for hearing such objections is the second meeting of the council after giving such notice.

A.B., Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Prahran,  
1861.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne.

The foregoing Bye-law, No. 69, made by the municipal council of Prahran, has been assented to by the Governor in Council.  
S.3543. R. HEALES.

## WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS DURING THE WEEK ENDING 11TH MAY, 1861.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.
Boroondara ... ..	J. D. Bragge ...	3	1
Brighton ... ..	S. P. Simmonds ...	3	1
Bruswick ... ..	Joseph George ...	1	0
Collingwood ... ..	Samuel Allen ...	21	15
Flemington ... ..	Joseph Paterson ...	2	3
Kew ... ..	F. Barnard ...	2	0
Melbourne ... ..	D. J. Tierney ...	48	42
Prahran ... ..	John Tulloch ...	3	2
Richmond ... ..	W. H. Lagoe ...	10	5
Sandridge and Emerald } Hill ... ..	Andrew Plummer	7	3
South Yarra ... ..	E. B. Taylor ...	7	2
St. Kilda ... ..	F. T. Van Hemert	1	1
Williamstown ... ..	Edmund Burke ...	4	1
		112	76

One death of a child under three years of age has occurred at Boroondara during the past week from scarlatina. A few cases of measles continue in the Flemington and Kew Districts. Of the forty-two deaths registered in Melbourne, nine were cases of inequest; three were of scarlatina maligna; and three others were of children in one family in East Melbourne from the same disease. At Richmond also scarlatina still prevails, and one death is recorded therefrom accompanied with putrid sore throat, and there were also two fatal instances of scarlet fever. Two out of the three deaths at Emerald Hill and Sandridge were likewise from scarlatina maligna.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,

Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,  
Melbourne, 16th May, 1861.

## APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

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Lands and Survey Office,  
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 264) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE  
AT CASTLEMAINE, ON 18TH JUNE, 1861.**

To be conducted by THOMAS COUCHMAN, Esq., Acting District Surveyor.

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

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

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

**SPECIAL LANDS.**

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF CASTLEMAINE.**

*Situated at Winter's Flat.*

Upset price 20*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 1, section D 6, 1*a.* 0*r.* 15*p.* Improvements valued at 17*l.*  
Lot 2. Allotment 8, section D 6, 1*a.* 0*r.* 22*p.* Improvements valued at 60*l.*

**CASTLEMAINE, COUNTY OF TALBOT.**

*Situated on or near the Main Campbell's Creek road.*

Upset price for unimproved lots 4*l.* per acre.

- Lot 3. Allotment 30 A, section 1 B, 33*p.* Improvements valued at 50*l.* Upset price 25*l.* per acre.  
Lot 4. Allotment 32 A, section 1 B, 33 2-5*p.* Improvements valued at 50*l.* Upset price 25*l.* per acre.  
Lot 5. Allotment 33 B, section 1 B, 8*p.* Improvements valued at 5*l.* Upset price 40*l.* per acre.  
Lot 6. Allotment 45 A, section 1 B, 14*p.* Improvements valued at 20*l.* Upset price 40*l.* per acre.  
Lot 7. Allotment 47 A, section 1 B, 15 1-5*p.* Improvements valued at 10*l.* Upset price 40*l.* per acre.  
Lot 8. Allotment 49 A, section 1 B, 17*p.* Improvements valued at 10*l.* Upset price 40*l.* per acre.  
Lot 9. Allotment 123, section 1 B, 304*p.*  
Lot 10. Allotment 124, section 1 B, 22 1-5*p.*  
Lot 11. Allotment 125, section 1 B, 9*p.*  
Lot 12. Allotment 126, section 1 B, 1*r.*  
Lot 13. Allotment 127, section 1 B, 34*p.* Improvements valued at 10*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 14. Allotment 128, section 1 B, 1*r.* Improvements valued at 30*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 15. Allotment 129, section 1 B, 1*r.*  
Lot 16. Allotment 130, section 1 B, 1*r.*  
Lot 17. Allotment 131, section 1 B, 1*r.*  
Lot 18. Allotment 132, section 1 B, 1*r.*  
Lot 19. Allotment 58, section 4 A, 1*r.* 18 4-5*p.* Improvements valued at 16*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 20. Allotment 59, section 4 A, 1*r.* 20*p.* Improvements valued at 17*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 21. Allotment 60, section 4 A, 1*r.* 20*p.* Improvements valued at 60*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 22. Allotment 61, section 4 A, 1*r.* 8*p.*  
Lot 23. Allotment 62, section 4 A, 1*r.* 8*p.* Improvements valued at 6*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.  
Lot 24. Allotment 63, section 4 A, 1*r.* 8*p.* Improvements valued at 12*l.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre.

**CASTLEMAINE.**

*Adjoining Aikin's Mill, near Sheriff's Bridge.*

- Lot 25. Allotment 10, section A 1, 1*r.* 4*p.* Upset price 50*l.* per acre.

**COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF GUILDFORD.**

*Situated at Shiver Gully, near the township of Guildford.*  
Upset price for improved lots 8*l.* per acre, and for unimproved lots 4*l.* per acre.

- Lot 26. Allotment 1, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.* 20*p.* Improvements valued at 15*l.*  
Lot 27. Allotment 2, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.* 20*p.*  
Lot 28. Allotment 3, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.*  
Lot 29. Allotment 4, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.*  
Lot 30. Allotment 5, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.*  
Lot 31. Allotment 6, section 15, 1*a.* 2*r.* Improvements valued at 50*l.*  
Lot 32. Allotment 7, section 15, 1*a.* 2*r.*  
Lot 33. Allotment 8, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.*  
Lot 34. Allotment 9, section 15 1*a.* 1*r.* Improvements valued at 15*l.*  
Lot 35. Allotment 10, section 15, 1*a.* 1*r.*

J. H. BROOKE,  
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,  
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 265) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE  
AT SALE, GIPPS LAND, ON 20TH JUNE, 1861.**

To be conducted by W. T. DAWSON, Esq., District Surveyor.

IN pursuance of the forty-eighth section of the Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, *An Act for regulating the Sale of Crown Lands and for other purposes*, the Board of Land and Works do hereby give notice that a public auction will be

holden at Eleven o'clock of Thursday, the twentieth day of June next, at the Court House, Sale, Gipps Land, for the sale of Special Lands in fee simple.

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

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

**SPECIAL LANDS.**

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF WURRUK-WURRUK.**

*Situated to the north of Mr. Pearson's pre-emptive section, Kilmany Park, about three miles south-westerly from Sale.*

- Lot 1. Portion 40, 107*a.* 2*r.* 23*p.* Improvements valued at 1190*l.* Upset price 1*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.* per acre.  
Lot 2. Portion 41, 175*a.* 1*r.* One month allowed to remove improvements. Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF STRATFORD.**

*Situated north of the township of Stratford.*

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

- Lot 3. Allotment 35, 5*a.*  
Lot 4. Allotment 36, 5*a.*

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF NUNTING.**

*Situated on the Avon River, east of the parish of Bundalagwah, and south of the township of Stratford.*

Upset price 1*l.* per acre.

- Lot 5. Portion 17, 112*a.*

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF BUNDALAGUAH.**

*Situated on the Avon River, south of the township of Stratford.*

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

- Lot 6. Allotment 1, section 9, 23*a.* 3*r.*  
Lot 7. Allotment 2, section 9, 21*a.* 2*r.* 32*p.*  
Lot 8. Allotment 3, section 9, 24*a.* 3*r.*  
Lot 9. Allotment 4, section 9, 12*a.* 3*r.*  
Lot 10. Allotment 5, section 9, 8*a.* 1*r.* 4*p.*  
Lot 11. Allotment 6, section 9, 7*a.* 1*r.*  
Lot 12. Allotment 8, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 13. Allotment 9, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 14. Allotment 10, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 15. Allotment 11, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 16. Allotment 12, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 17. Allotment 13, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 18. Allotment 14, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 19. Allotment 15, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 20. Allotment 16, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 21. Allotment 17, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 22. Allotment 18, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 23. Allotment 19, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 24. Allotment 20, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 25. Allotment 21, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 26. Allotment 22, section 9, 10*a.*  
Lot 27. Allotment 23, section 9, 10*a.*

J. H. BROOKE,  
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,  
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 266) OF SPECIAL LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE  
AT TARNAGULLA, SANDY CREEK, ON 18TH JUNE, 1861.**

To be conducted by PHILIP CHAUNCEY, Esq., District Surveyor.

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

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

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

**SPECIAL LANDS.**

**COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF TARNAGULLA.**

*Adjoining the township of Newbridge.*

Upset price, with the exception of the three last lots, 8*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 1, section 7, 2*r.* 19*p.*  
Lot 2. Allotment 2, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 4. Allotment 4, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 5. Allotment 5, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 6. Allotment 6, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 7. Allotment 7, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 8. Allotment 8, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 9. Allotment 9, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 10. Allotment 10, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 11. Allotment 11, section 7, 1*a.*  
Lot 12. Allotment 12, section 7, 3*r.* 12*p.*  
Lot 13. Allotment 13, section 7, 2*r.* 17*p.*  
Lot 14. Allotment 14, section 7, 2*r.* 11*p.*  
Lot 15. Allotment 15, section 7, 2*r.* 11*p.*  
Lot 16. Allotment 16, section 7, 3*r.* 1*p.*  
Lot 17. Allotment 17, section 7, 3*r.* 1*p.*

Lot 18. Allotment 1, section 8, 3a. Upset price 3*l*. per acre.  
 Lot 19. Allotment 2, section 8, 2a. 2r. 35p. Upset price 3*l*. per acre.  
 Lot 20. Allotment 9, 3a. 3r. Upset price 2*l*. 10s. per acre.

J. H. BROOKE,  
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,  
 Melbourne.

#### NEW RUNS.

IT is hereby notified that the Board of Land and Works have accepted the undermentioned tenders for new runs, viz.:-

District.	Licencee.	Run.	Rent.
Swan Hill ...	W. Minifie ...	Sand Mount ...	£ 10
Swan Hill ...	Keene and Orr ...	Raak ...	20

Subject to prior claims as to boundaries of existing runs.  
 Amounts to be tendered at the Treasury, Melbourne, forthwith.

C. HODGKINSON,  
 Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Survey.  
 Lands and Survey Office,  
 Melbourne, 13th May, 1861.

#### COUNTIES.

##### SANDHURST.

##### ADJOURNMENT OF THE COUNTY COURT.

IT is hereby notified that the County Court at Sandhurst to be held on the 20th instant will be adjourned to the 22nd instant for causes under £20, and for causes over £20 to Tuesday the 28th instant.

GEO. F. BARTROP,  
 Clerk of the said Court.

##### SMYTHESDALE.

##### LICENSING COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Smythesdale Annual Meeting of Justices in Petty Sessions, for the purpose of considering applications for Publicans' and Refreshment Licenses, will be held at the Police Court, Smythesdale, on Tuesday, the 18th day of June, A.D. 1861, at Two o'clock p.m. All applications must be filed with the undersigned on or before the 28th instant.

(By Order) W. B. NICOLSON,  
 Clerk of Petty Sessions.  
 Smythesdale, 14th May, 1861.

##### SWAN HILL.

##### LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Justices residing within the Special Licensing District of Swan Hill will assemble in Petty Sessions on Tuesday, the 4th June next, at Noon, for the purpose of considering applications for District Publicans' Licenses.

CRAWFORD A. D. PASCO,  
 Clerk of Petty Sessions.

##### WEDDERBURN.

##### HAWKERS' LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Justices will be holden at the Court House, Wedderburn, on Tuesday, the 11th day of June next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering applications for Hawkers and Pedlers' Licenses.

(By Order) ROBERT CLARK MORGAN,  
 Clerk of Petty Sessions.  
 Court House,  
 Wedderburn, 10th May, 1861.

##### YEA.

##### ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Court House, Yea, at Twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 13th June next, to take into consideration applications for District Publicans' Licenses.

Applications must be lodged with me on or before Thursday, the 23rd of May instant.

(By Order) J. W. WOODHOUSE,  
 Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions.  
 Court House,  
 Yea, 11th May, 1861.

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

##### THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

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

ARARAT—Thursday 10 October.  
 BALLAARAT—Wednesday 10 July.  
 BEECHWORTH—Monday 31 October.  
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CASTLEMAINE—Monday 22 July (*in lieu of 17 July*).  
 GEELONG—Friday 19 July.  
 MARYBOROUGH—Wednesday 17 July.  
 PORTLAND—Wednesday 6 November.  
 SANDHURST—Wednesday 10 July.

##### THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

(Pursuant to the Governor's Proclamations of 20 December 1860 and 31 January 1861.)

ARARAT—Friday 7 June.  
 BEECHWORTH—Tuesday 2 July.  
 BELFAST—Monday 8 July.  
 BOURKE—At Melbourne Saturday 1 June.  
 BUNINYONG AND BALLAARAT—At Ballarat Wednesday 29 May.  
 CASTLEMAINE—Tuesday 21 May.  
 GRANGE—At Hamilton Friday 14 June.  
 GRANT—At Geelong Monday 3 June.  
 KILMORE—Tuesday 28 May.  
 KYNETON—Tuesday 28 May.  
 MARYBOROUGH—Saturday 23 June.  
 PALMERSTON—Thursday 7 November.  
 PORTLAND—Friday 13 September.  
 SALE—Monday 11 November.  
 SANDHURST—Tuesday 20 August.  
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 10 July.

##### COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—Tuesday 9 July.  
 ARARAT—  
 AVOCA—Tuesday 2 July.  
 BACCHUS MARSH—Friday 21 June.  
 BALLAARAT—Thursday 6 June.  
 BEECHWORTH—Monday 17 June.  
 BELFAST—Monday 8 July.  
 BENALLA—Wednesday 26 June.  
 BUCKLAND—Tuesday 11 June.  
 CARISBROOK—Monday 15 July.  
 CASTLEMAINE—Tuesday 4 June.  
 CHILTERN—Friday 14 June.  
 COLAC—  
 CRESWICK—  
 DANDENONG—Tuesday 18 June (*in lieu of 3 June*).  
 DAYLESFORD—Thursday 23 May.  
 DUNOLLY—Wednesday 17 July.  
 FRYERSTOWN—Saturday 25 May.  
 GEELONG—Wednesday 5 June.  
 GISBORNE—Friday 14 June (*in lieu of 8 June*).  
 HAMILTON—Saturday 15 June.  
 HEATHCOTE—Friday 2 August.  
 INGLEWOOD—Monday 3 June.  
 KILMORE—Wednesday 24 July.  
 KYNETON—  
 MALDON—Monday 10 June.  
 MARYBOROUGH—Wednesday 22 May.  
 MELBOURNE—Tuesday 11 June.  
 PALMERSTON—  
 PLEASANT CREEK—Friday 31 May.  
 PORTLAND—  
 RAGLAN—  
 SALE—  
 SANDHURST—Monday 20 May.  
 TARADALE—  
 WANGARATTA—Monday, 24 June.  
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 10 July.  
 WEDDERBURN—Monday 22 July.  
 YACKANDANDAH—Thursday 20 June.

##### COURTS OF MINES.

ARARAT DISTRICT—  
 Ararat—  
 Pleasant Creek—Saturday 1 June.  
 Raglan—  
 BALLAARAT DISTRICT—  
 Ballarat—Wednesday 26 June.  
 Buninyong—Tuesday 21 May.  
 Creswick—  
 Mount Blackwood—Friday 20 September.  
 Smythe's Creek—Wednesday 22 May.  
 Steiglitz—Friday 21 June.  
 BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—  
 Beechworth—Tuesday 18 June.  
 Buckland—Tuesday 11 June.  
 Chiltern—Friday 14 June.  
 Omeo—  
 Yackandandah—Thursday 20 June.

**CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—**

Castlemaine—Monday 3 June.  
 Fryerstown—Saturday 23 May.  
 Hepburn (Daylesford)—Thursday 23 May.  
 Maldon—Monday 10 June.  
 St. Andrew's—  
 Taradale—

**MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—**

Amherst—Thursday 11 July.  
 Avoca—Thursday 4 July.  
 Carisbrook—Monday 15 July.  
 Dunolly—Thursday 18 July.  
 Inglewood—Wednesday 5 June.  
 Korong (Wedderburne)—Monday 22 July.  
 Maryborough—Thursday 23 May.

**SANDHURST DISTRICT—**

Heathcote—Friday 2 August.  
 Kilmore—Thursday 25 July.  
 Sandhurst—Monday 27 May.

**LICENSING COURTS—PUBLICANS.**

BALLAARAT—Thursday 13 June.  
 BALLAARAT EAST—Wednesday 23 May.  
 BEECHWORTH—Friday 21 June.  
 BELVOIR—Monday 10 June.  
 BLACKWOOD—Wednesday 12 June.  
 BRUNSWICK—Friday 14 June.  
 BUNINYONG—Tuesday 11 June.  
 CAMPERDOWN—Thursday 20 June.  
 CARISBROOK—Tuesday 11 June.  
 CARNHAM—Wednesday 29 May.  
 CASTLEMAINE—Wednesday 12 June.  
 CLUNES—Thursday 13 June.  
 CRESWICK—Friday 21 June.  
 DAYLESFORD—Monday 17 June.  
 DONNYBROOK—Friday 14 June.  
 ECHUCA—Friday 7 June.  
 ESSENDON—Monday 17 June.  
 FRYERSTON—Thursday 13 June.  
 GISBORNE—Monday 24 June.  
 HEATHCOTE—Tuesday 4 June.  
 KEILOR—Wednesday 12 June.  
 KILMORE—Thursday 13 June.  
 KYNETON—Monday 17 June.  
 LEARMONTH—Monday 3 June.  
 LINTON—Thursday 6 June.  
 REDCASTLE—Wednesday 5 June.  
 TARADALE—Tuesday 4 June.  
 TAENAGULLA—Wednesday 19 June.  
 WANGARATTA—Tuesday 11 June.  
 WARANGA—Thursday 13 June.  
 YACKANDANDAH—Tuesday 18 June.

**LICENSING COURTS—HAWKERS.**

GEELONG—Tuesday 11 June.  
 YAN YEAN—Tuesday 21 May.

**Tenders.****FORAGE.**

**TENDERS** will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 21st May, for the supply of Forage in such quantities as may be required at the undermentioned stations during the remainder of the year 1861.

DISTRICT.	STATION.	ESTIMATED QUARTERLY CONSUMPTION.			
		Oats, lbs.	Bran, lbs.	Hay, lbs.	Straw, lbs.
Ballaarat ..	Buninyong ..	—	—	3750	1050
Geelong ..	Yladuct ..	—	—	1250	360
Inglewood ..	Lethbridge ..	—	—	2520	720
" ..	Clarendon ..	—	—	2520	720
" ..	Stelgitz ..	900	90	1250	360

The terms and conditions of contract will be those dated 23rd October, 1860, published in the *Government Gazette*, pages 2004, 2005.

Further particulars, and forms of tender, may be obtained at the Government Stores, Melbourne, or from the officer in charge of the police at each station.

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

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,  
 Melbourne, 30th April, 1861.

**IRON CASTINGS.**

**TENDERS** will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 21st instant, from persons willing to furnish Iron Castings for Locomotive Engine, Carriage Works, &c., Victorian Railways,

as required during the remainder of the year 1861.

Specification and full particulars at the office of the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, to whom tenders are to be addressed.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,  
 Melbourne, 14th May, 1861.

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**OIL.**

**TENDERS** will be received until Noon on Tuesday, the 28th instant, for the supply of Oil of best quality and of the following descriptions, in such quantities as may be required, from 1st August to 31st December, 1861:—

Black whale  
 Polar  
 Colza, strained  
 Pure sperm, ditto  
 Chinese or tea  
 Castor, for machinery  
 Kerosene

The terms and conditions of contract will be those dated 23rd October, 1860, published in the *Government Gazette*, p. 2000, except that the oil is to be tendered for in bulk as well as in drums.

Full particulars and forms of tender may be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, to whom tenders are to be addressed.

The lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,  
 Melbourne, 14th May, 1861.

**ROAD WORKS.**

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

- Ballaarat District.*  
 1. Maintenance of the Creswick, Clunes, and Amherst roads, contract No. 8 ... 31st May.
- Geelong District.*  
 2. Clearing, grubbing, &c., portion of the Mount Macedon road, near 34th mile-post ... 31st May.
- Wangaratta District.*  
 3. Construction of a timber bridge, &c., over the creek, about three miles from Wangaratta, on the Ovens River road south ...

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

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
 Melbourne, 16th May, 1861.

**ROAD WORKS.**

**SEPARATE** tenders will be received until Twelve o'clock on Thursday, 23rd instant, for Leases of the undermentioned Toll Gates, from 1st June to 31st December, 1861, both inclusive:—

1. Dobie's Bridge, on the Ararat and Raglan road.
2. The Gap, on the South-Western seaboard road.
3. The Junction, on the Pleasant Creek road.

All in the Western district.

Full particulars at this office, or the Road Engineer's office at Portland, or at the Resident Warden's office, Ararat, and at the offices of the District Road Boards, Warrnambool and Belfast.

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
 Melbourne, 8th May, 1861.

**ROAD WORKS.**

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

- Geelong District.*  
 1. Construction of a deviation road and bridge at Aitken's Creek, on the Mount Alexander road ... 23rd May.
- Castlemaine District.*  
 2. Construction and repairs of culverts, &c., between Castlemaine and Malmsbury, on the Mount Alexander road ... 23rd May.

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

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
 Melbourne, 3rd May, 1861.

## ROAD WORKS.

**TENDERS** will be received until Twelve o'clock on Friday, 31st instant, from persons willing to undertake the erection of a Bridge over the Goulburn River, at Seymour, in consideration of being authorised to collect Tolls thereat under a lease of seven years.

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

The Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
Melbourne, 10th May, 1861.

## ROAD WORKS.

**TENDERS** will be received until Twelve o'clock on Thursday, 23rd instant, for clearing the road between Smythesdale and Italian Gully (contract No. 2), in the Geelong District.

Full particulars at this office, at the Road Engineer's office at Geelong, and at the Warden's office, Smythesdale.

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
Melbourne, 8th May, 1861.

## ROAD WORKS.

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

## Western District.

1. Constructing 11 chains of the South-Western Seaboard road, north of Wickliffe ... 23rd May.
2. Constructing 40 chains of same road near Woolsthorpe ... 23rd May.

Full particulars at this office, or at the Road Engineer's office, Portland, and at the Resident Warden's office, Ararat.

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

J. H. BROOKE.

Roads and Bridges Office,  
Melbourne, 30th April, 1861.

## TENDERS FOR SITES FOR PUMPS, WANGARATTA.

**IT** is hereby notified that separate tenders will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Twelve o'clock noon of the 21st May next, for licenses to the end of 1861 for the occupation of allotments A, B, C, D, of section 17, situated on the bank of the King\* River, township of Wangaratta, for the erection of pumps, under the following conditions.

Plans can be seen at the Crown Lands Offices, Melbourne, and the Police Office, Wangaratta.

## Conditions.

Upset price per allotment, £2.

One week from the day of acceptance of tenders will be allowed to remove fixtures or other improvements made by present occupants.

J. H. BROOKE,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Office of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 15th April, 1861.

\* Misnamed Owens River in pp. 767, 791, ante.

## PUBLIC WORKS.

**TENDERS** for the following Works will be received up to Twelve o'clock on Wednesday, 29th May:—

- Powder magazine at Stawell.
- Repairs, &c., to Melbourne wharves.
- Extension of line of telegraph from Ararat to Stawell.
- Photographic office at Lands and Survey Office.
- Lighthouse at Shortland's Bluff.
- Full particulars at this office.

J. M. GRANT.

Department of Public Works,  
Melbourne, 15th May, 1861.

## PUBLIC WORKS.

**TENDERS** for the following Works will be received up to Twelve o'clock on Wednesday, 22nd May:—

- Additions to Court House at Omeo.
- Court House at Yea.
- Police Quarters at Ballan.
- Lock-up at Balmoral.
- Full particulars at this office.

J. M. GRANT.

Department of Public Works,  
Melbourne, 1st May, 1861.

## MOORING PUNT, BELFAST.

**TENDERS** will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 21st instant, for a new Mooring Punt for Belfast, according to specification, which may be seen at the office of the Chief Harbor Master, Williamstown.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

THOMAS LOADER.

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Melbourne, 9th May, 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 March, 1861. Price 6d. each No.; by post 1s. Two copies can be forwarded without additional postage.

## NOTICE.

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## Private Advertisements.

## MORNING STAR QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, NEW GERMAN REEF, YANDUIT.

**I**, THE undersigned John Hewitson, hereby make application to register the Morning Star Quartz Mining Company, under the provisions of the Mining Partnerships Limited Liability Act, 1860; and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. That the name and style of the company is the "Morning Star Quartz Mining Company."
2. That the place of operations is at Yanduit.
3. The nominal capital of the company is (£1800), in 36 shares of £50 each.
4. The amount already paid up is Six hundred.
5. The name of the manager is John Hewitson.
6. The office of the company is at Yanduit.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by them at this date, are as follows:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
John Hewitson, Yanduit	3
John Wallace, Yanduit	3
John Reid, Yanduit	3
James Rankin, Yanduit	2
John Spiers, Yanduit	3
William Reid, Yanduit	1
John Chalmers, Ballarat	3
Peter Chalmers, Ballarat	3
Robert Chalmers, Ballarat	3
Alexander Young, Ballarat	3
James Alexander, Coghill's Creek	3
John Alexander, Coghill's Creek	3
Archibald Chalmers, Mount Rowan	3

JOHN HEWITSON,  
Manager.

Witness—

ALEXANDER A. YOUNG.  
4th May, 1861.

No. 638

## FITZ ROY MUNICIPALITY.

FIFTH HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF FITZ ROY, FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1860, TO 31ST MARCH, 1861.

**THE** annual election to fill vacancies in the council caused by termination of the period of office, took place on the 1st October, 1860. Ex-Councillors Langton and Williams retired, but Ex-Councillor Groom offered himself for re-election. The following candidates were nominated:—G. B. Hailes, Esq., J.P., Messrs. Falconer, Dalziel, and Whyte. At the nomination—the Hon. C. Vaughan, chairman, presiding—Messrs. Groom, Falconer, and Dalziel were declared duly elected, whereupon a poll was demanded, which took place the following day, with similar results.

On 3rd October, Councillor J. Edwards was elected chairman of the council.

On 10th October, Council Vaughan resigned office, and on the 20th November following, Mr. John Garner was elected in his place, the vacancy having been contested by J. M. Bryant.

The attendance at twenty-one meetings of council held during the last half-year, was as follows:—

	Meetings.
Councillor C. Vaughan (resigned on 10th October, 1861)	1
Councillor J. Edwards (chairman)	15
Councillor J. R. Brennand	20
Councillor H. P. Fergie	18
Councillor H. Groom	19
Councillor J. Falconer	19
Councillor W. Dalziel	20
Councillor J. Garner (elected on 12th November, 1860)	15

The attendance at committee meetings is recorded as follows:—

**Public Works and Lighting Committee.**—also *Fitz Roy Ward Improvement Committee*.—Eighteen meetings held, of which Councillor Falconer (chairman) attended 17; Councillor Groom, 11; Councillor Dalziel, 17; and Councillor Edwards, *ex officio* member, 3.

**Finance and Rate Committee.**—Fourteen meetings held, of which Councillor Fergie (chairman) attended 11; Councillor Brennan, 13; Councillor Garner, 7; and Councillor Edwards, *ex officio* member, 5.

**Health and Legislative Committee.**—Fifteen meetings held, of which Councillor Fergie (chairman) attended 11; Councillor Dalziel, 12; Councillor Garner, 10; and Councillor Edwards, *ex officio* member, 3.

**Market Committee.**—Six meetings held, of which Councillor Brennan (chairman) attended 6; Councillor Groom, 4; Councillor Garner, 4; and Councillor Edwards, *ex officio* member, 1.

**Benevolent Committee.**—Six meetings held, at which Councillor Brennan (chairman) attended 6; Councillor Fergie, 4; and Councillor Garner 3.

#### PUBLIC WORKS.

The following public works have been constructed during the last six months, under contract:—

Kerbing and channelling portion of Fitz Roy street, cost, £63 19s. 2d.; Argyle street, cost, £68 3s. 3d.; Leicester street, cost, £274 12s. 4d.; forming, metalling, kerbing, and channelling Little Atherton street, balance, £9 1s. 1d.; ditto, ditto, Little Gore street, £40; forming, metalling, and channelling right-of-way between Kerr and Johnston streets, cost, £73 16s. 2d.; ditto, ditto, between Young and Moor streets (balance) £15 6s.; ditto, ditto, Fitz Roy street and Alma street, cost, £69 10s. 6d.; ditto, ditto, Cecil and Westgarth streets (balance), £18 6s.; ditto, ditto, Cecil and Reilly streets, balance, £19 5s.; forming, metalling, kerbing, and channelling right-of-way between Palmer and Gertrude streets, cost, £154 19s. 9d.; painting and numbering lamp posts, £20 14s.; laying on water services to lamp posts, £25; inserting brass balls in fire-plugs, £16 13s.; erecting lamp-posts, £27 9s.; supplying and spreading metal in Nicholson street, balance, £50; flagging portions of Brunswick street, £42 10s. 6d.; £981 5s. 9d.

To the above sum an item of £81 1s. 8d. (being a completion payment for works constructed during the preceding half-year) must be added to make the total disbursements on account of public works agree with the total given under that head in the statement of receipts and expenditure appended.

The following works have been carried on by day labor:—

Portions of the footpaths of the following streets have been formed and gravelled, and the channels cleansed and repaired, viz.:—Napier, Brunswick, George, Gore, Gertrude, Fitz Roy, Kerr, Webb, Rose, Cecil, Nicholson, Westgarth, Argyle, Johnston, Condell, Charles, Young, Palmer, King William, Regent, and Princess streets, and Victoria parade. The footpaths of Leicester street have been formed and gravelled, and the carriage-way partially metalled. Nicholson street has been kept in repair, and a man constantly employed filling in the ruts occasioned by the heavy traffic from the quarries. Several rough crossings have been constructed, and cube crossings repaired. During the past summer two sets of men from the Fitz Roy Fire Brigade have been almost uninterruptedly employed in watering the streets and flushing the channels. Several fire-plugs have been repaired and placed in serviceable order. Five hundred loads of metal and eight hundred loads of gravel have been distributed over the district. The scavenging of the public thoroughfares has been carefully attended to. Eighty-four street lamps are nightly lit in the municipality; several others are erected, but the services not yet attached; the monthly cost for lighting Fitz Roy amounts to £119.

On the 10th January, 1861, the Public Works Committee reported they had received the following tenders:—One for cleansing the whole district amounting to £1590 per annum, and that for block No. 4, £175 6s. for six months, or equal to £1400 per annum; the committee declined to recommend the acceptance of either, deeming both ineligible.

The length of streets in Fitz Roy amounts to 27 miles, 22 of which are formed and metalled, and 18 kerbed and channelled.

#### REVENUE.

The net valuation of rateable property in Fitz Roy for the municipal year, commencing 1st October, 1860, is £114,782 12s. (as against £125,300 last year), the revenue from which, at a fifteenpenny assessment, amounts to £1713 18s. 2d. The annual valuation of property in the Quarries district is £1914, yielding a revenue of £119 12s. 6d.

Owing to the distribution proposed by Government of the grant-in-aid vote, it is probable that the assistance received from that source this year will not exceed £5000, or less than one-half of what it amounted to last year. To obtain even that, the council will require to exert every effort for the collection of rates up to the 30th of June next. The council has used all the means in its power to prevent so serious a reduction in its revenue, but notwithstanding its efforts, there is every reason to suppose the Government will succeed in carrying the arrangement they have stated in the Estimates, and by which a deduction of 50 per cent. will be made from the amount due to Fitz Roy. (NOTE.—On the 20th of April, the vote for grants in aid to municipalities, as proposed by Government, was accepted by the Legislative Assembly.)

In reply to enquiries from the council, the Government stated they had no intention to lease the collection of water rates at present.

The Finance Committee have had under consideration the desirability of negotiating a loan for carrying out the more urgent works required in the municipality, but after mature consideration, deemed it advisable to recommend the council not to enter into such financial arrangements under the limited existing powers for borrowing contained in the Municipal Act. The committee suggested that steps should be taken to obtain

an extension of the period of repayment of loans from three to seven years. The opinion of the council respecting municipal endowment having been requested by the Conference, a reply was sent approving of the resolutions adopted by that body during the preceding September, of endowment with either land or money grant, as may be found most suitable to the requirements of each district.

An important appeal for settling the liability of owners of property to pay rates due on their unimproved lands, was argued before the Supreme Court on the 26th November, 1860. The municipal council of Fitz Roy had summoned J. Andrews, the owner of a certain piece of land on which no buildings were erected, or other improvements made, for rates due thereon; the defence made was, 1st, that the Municipal Act contained no authority for the issue of a summons, and that if no goods or chattels could be found on the premises of sufficient value to realize the taxes (clause 32, 18 Victoria No. 15) they remained a charge upon the premises; 2nd, that the rate was due beyond six months from the date of summons, and could not therefore be decided by a Petty Sessions Court. The Judges held that the issuing of summons was the proper method for the recovery of overdue rates, and that the six months limitation contained in Jervis's Acts, did not apply.

#### BYE-LAWS.

On 5th December last the council approved of bye-law No 12, "For licensing Hawkers of Vegetable Produce and Firewood." The Executive Council refused to sanction it, alleging the council had no power to impose a tax for licenses.

Bye-law No. 13, "For the Regulation of Public Carriers, Carters, and Drivers of Public and Private Vehicles," was assented to, and published in the *Government Gazette* of 18th January, 1861.

Bye-laws Nos. 14 and 15, the former "For regulating the receiving of Claims to be placed upon the Ratepayers' Roll for the Municipal District of Fitz Roy," and the latter, "For levying a Rate of Twopence in the Pound for carrying out the Provisions of the Fitz Roy Ward Improvement Act, &c.," are under the consideration of the Council.

#### MARKET.

The market committee having called for tenders for lease of the sheds, restrictions being imposed that they be appropriated for market purposes only, have had under consideration the terms proposed by two of the tenderers, and, after several interviews with them, have settled the basis of an agreement, which will be submitted to the council at an early meeting.—(NOTE. Since confirmed by the council.)

#### HEALTH.

The health officer, Dr. Tracy, states in his report for the half-year ending 31st December, 1860, that both measles and scarlatina have prevailed in an epidemic form, and that in his opinion that and similar diseases will continue to prevail until a proper system of sewerage is established; the mortality, he states, resulting from those diseases, though serious, would have been more severe but for the favorable situation of the district and the attention that has been paid to surface drainage. He remarks, further, that nothing will be of avail, however, to keep off the attacks of the epidemic disease until a proper system of underground-drainage is established, and he strongly urges the necessity of constantly directing the attention of the authorities to that subject.

The number of births in 1860 were, males, 227; females, 255. The number of deaths for the same period were, males, 155; females, 155. The population of Fitz Roy, by the census returns, 7th April, 1861, amounted to 11,594.

Owing to the Melbourne corporation having prohibited the use of the manure depot in North Melbourne, except for the convenience of ratepayers in the city, the Fitz Roy council have had the question of procuring a suitable situation under their consideration. The health committee have made arrangements of a temporary nature for the deposit of night soil on farms in the neighborhood, under certain regulations for the prevention of nuisance; the subject is receiving farther consideration, with the view of arranging for a convenient locality, where measures can be taken to suppress all offensive emanations.

In consequence of a verdict given in the City Court, affirming an isolated portion of Smith Ward, lying between the Heidelberg and Northcote roads, to be a portion of the city boundary, a prohibition was applied for and granted by the Supreme Court, arresting further proceedings until the question had been decided by the appeal. This case has not yet been decided. The council has supported an application from the butchers in this district to Government for remission of fines under sec. 10, 14th Victoria No. 17, imposed in a previous conviction for contravention of the provisions of 18th Victoria No. 18 (since remitted).

Owing to the representations of the health officer, and the frequent complaints made by ratepayers of the nuisance arising from slaughtering in densely inhabited portions of the municipality, the council have determined upon prohibiting its continuation in certain portions of the district, and thus prevent a fertile source of nuisance and disease.

#### FITZ ROY WARD IMPROVEMENT.

The administration of the Fitz Roy Ward Improvement Act having been vested in the council, action was taken on the 15th November to carry out the remaining works detailed in the schedule of that Act, by giving the requisite notice to the owners of property in the line of Gore street, between Webb and Condell streets, of the intention to open up the former street, by removal of their properties. In reply to the enquiries of the Improvement Committee, the owners of the property situated as above sent in claims amounting to about £6000.

#### BUILDING ACT.

The council prepared the draft of a bill for transferring to the municipal district of Fitz Roy certain powers held under the Melbourne Building Act; but, acting on the suggestion of

Dr. Embling, M.L.A. (who had charge of the bill), it has been withdrawn for the present, as the council have been informed similar provisions, applicable to municipalities in general, have been incorporated in the Amended Municipalities Act about to be introduced by Government.

## COURT HOUSE.

On the 21st November, the council resolved to wait as a deputation on the Chief Secretary and Attorney General, to ascertain the cause of delay in erecting the court house, and in the event of the Government declining to proceed with that work, under then existing circumstances, to make arrangements that the vote of £2000, granted in 1853, should be placed for that purpose on the Estimates for the current year. All the circumstances connected therewith, as stated in previous reports of this council, having been furnished, replies were received from the Chief Secretary's Office, the Treasury, and the Public Works Department, stating that the sum of £2000 had been placed upon the Estimates for 1861. Owing to the Estimates having been referred back for curtailment, that item was amongst those struck off. On the 27th of February, the council ordered copies of all the documents referring to that subject to be furnished to Mr. C. J. Don, M.L.A., who promised his utmost endeavors to get the amount placed on the Supplementary Estimates. The late Commissioner of Public Works having been solicited to grant an interview to a deputation appointed to direct his attention to the delay connected with the erection of the court house, replied requesting the wishes of the council to be communicated in writing. A subsequent deputation was again directed to wait on the present Commissioner and represent the efforts made by the council to assist Government; Mr. C. M. Stephen, M.L.A., accompanied the deputation; the result of the interview was a promise from that gentleman to bring the matter under the attention of Government, prior to the consideration of the Supplementary Estimates.

## REILLY STREET DRAIN.

On 19th December, the council directed the town clerk to call the attention of the Hon. the Chief Secretary to the injury to property and distress caused by storm waters overflowing the Reilly street drain, and inundating the lower lying portions of Fitz Roy and East Collingwood, and to suggest that steps be taken without delay, by the Government, to prevent the recurrence of such accidents; the co-operation of the municipal council of East Collingwood was requested, and subsequently a reply, promising assistance was received. On the 16th of January, the council determined upon sending a deputation to the Hon. the Commissioner of Public Works, to urge upon his attention the necessity for additional drainage being immediately provided by Government in Reilly street; a copy of this resolution was sent to the East Collingwood council. A reply was received from the Public Works Office, stating, that owing to the ministerial crisis it was not deemed advisable the deputation above referred to should at that period wait on the Government, but suggested that the members representing the district should be requested to obtain a special vote from the Legislative Assembly for the construction of the drain. On the recommendation of the Public Works Committee, the council directed the town clerk to suggest that course to the members, and to state the necessary works were estimated to cost a sum of £4000, the council having in contemplation at that time the joint action of the East Collingwood Council for the widening and deepening of the drain, below Smith street, as well as the construction of an additional channel in Reilly street, between Nicholson street and Smith street.

The Hon. the Treasurer stated to a deputation that waited on him respecting the distribution of the grant-in-aid, that in his opinion the council had good grounds to expect some assistance in the case of the Reilly street drain, as the evils complained of arose partially from the adjacent crown lands, and that in the amended Municipalities Act provision will be made for compelling adjacent corporations or local authorities to assist in carrying off surface drainage, and contributing towards the expense of forming and maintaining boundary streets.

## SALE OF CROWN LANDS.

On the 19th of October, the council decided on submitting to the Hon. the Commissioner of Lands and Survey the desirability of disposing of the crown lands in North Fitz Roy (so named by resolution of council, on the 21st November, 1860), in half acre allotments. At the meeting of council on 5th December following, a reply was read that Government did not deem that step advisable owing to the change in the members of the ministry; the council decided on 13th March, to renew the application, and on the 25th of that month a reply was received, stating that it was the intention of Government to survey the lands referred to immediately, with a view to their sale.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

An application was forwarded from this council to the sewerage and water department last October, to have the Yan Yean mains extended to Cecil and Reilly streets, and fire-plugs attached thereto.

The Benevolent Committee have experienced a great increase in the number of applications made for relief during the last months, their disbursements, though carefully expended, have reached the limit voted by the council; a special appropriation of £10 was, on the application of Mr. Wild, voted in aid of the funds of the Industrial Home.

The Ratepayers' Roll has been compiled in two portions, the centre of Moor street being the line of demarcation.

Water services have been attached to six lamp posts in prominent situations, for the use of the public.

The chairman, Councillor Edwards, was appointed to represent the Fitz Roy Council at future meetings of the municipal conference.

No. 76.—MAY 17, 1861.—4.

## Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Municipal District of Fitz Roy for the Half-year from 31st October, 1860, to 31st March, 1861.

## RECEIPTS.

	£	s	d.
Balance in town clerk's hands, 30th Sept., 1860	3	14	3
Balance of Fitz Roy Ward improvement fund (£250,000), paid over by the City Corporation	725	5	3
Grant-in-aid, last instalment for 1860	3,295	11	11
Rates collected during the half-year—			
On account of October, 1853, rate...	6	8	0
" April, 1859 "	5	14	0
" October, 1859 "	86	16	3
" April, 1860 "	300	6	6
" October, 1860 "	1,931	11	0
Rights-of-way, being proportion contributed by owners of property abutting thereon	192	14	0
Public works—Proportion paid for flagging	14	0	0
Weighbridge—Receipts and rent	18	2	9
Licenses, &c.	15	0	0
Fines—Proportion due to municipality from court of petty sessions	60	1	0
Deposits—Being money paid as guarantees for fulfilment of contracts	48	5	0
Fire brigade—Subscriptions in aid thereof from the united insurance companies, and for services rendered at fires without the municipality	64	10	0
	£6,767	19	11

## EXPENDITURE.

	£	s	d.
Public works—Per contracts	1,062	7	5
For repairs, &c.	129	13	2
Repayment (on account of poverty, of money paid for right-of-way)	6	13	8
Benevolent committee	130	0	0
Interest on account of Gabrielli Loan	£529	8	3
To bankers	80	5	8
	609	13	11
Valuation of rateable property	30	0	0
Incidental expenses	54	8	9
Petty cash	28	14	3
Stationery	12	0	2
Advertising half-yearly report, &c.	98	2	6
Printing	29	17	6
Furniture	41	16	0
Gas for street lamps and offices	750	9	10
Rent council chambers, three quarters	37	10	0
Deposits repaid on contracts completed	98	0	0
Fire brigade, for attendance at fires	90	0	0
Election expenses	27	8	0
Wages	1,402	17	2
Salaries	556	0	0
Bankers, repayment on account of overdraft	1,563	2	7
	£6,767	19	11

Audited and found correct, this 3rd day of May, 1861.

THOMAS VASEY,

JOHN M. BAILLIE,

Auditors.

JOHN EDWARDS THE YOUNGER,

Chairman.

WM. J. GILCHRIST,

Town Clerk.

No. 695

## TOWN OF HOTHAM.

THIRD HALF-YEARLY REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF HOTHAM, FROM THE 20TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1860, TO THE 19TH APRIL, 1861.

AT the annual election on the 20th October Messrs. Gell, Marris, and Flanagan were elected members of the municipal council, in the room of Messrs. Cook, Flanagan, and Hardess, who retired by effluxion of time.

At the first meeting of the council for the present year Francis Thomas Gell, Esq., was elected chairman. On the 29th October Messrs. Davies, King, and Bunole tendered their resignations, which were accepted. Messrs. Richardson, Campbell, and Barwise were elected in their stead.

The new council, upon taking office, found the liabilities as follows, viz.:

	£	s	d.	£	s	d.
Balance due to contractors	3,772	3	3			
Deposits of contractors	491	10	0			
				4,263	13	3
Credit balance in bank				3,132	0	5
Deficit, due on contracts alone				1,131	12	10

The council has in consequence been unable to do more than a few urgent matters, and to meet the deficiency the members have been obliged to give a personal guarantee to the bank to pay the overdraft.

On the 1st January the public lamps were lighted for the first time, at an expense of about £420 per annum.

The following bye-laws were made and passed by the council, and have received the Governor's assent, viz.:

No. 8. For the regulation of the public abattoirs of Hotham, and for fixing the rates of dues for slaughtering therein.

No. 9. For enabling the chairman of the municipal council to be *ex officio* a member of every permanent committee.

No. 10. For making an assessment and levying a rate for the year ending 19th October, 1861.

The council passed a bye-law to empower the infliction of fines upon members of the council resigning office, and requiring

candidates for the said office to pay a portion of the expenses of the election, which was not assented to.

#### APPLICATIONS MADE TO GOVERNMENT.

For a map of Melbourne and its suburbs.—Granted.  
For certain portions of land for town commonage.—Under consideration.

That the Geelong trains be directed to stop at the North Melbourne Station.—Cannot be acceded to at present.

That certain portions of land situate within the district may be offered for sale.—Cannot be acceded to at present.

To have the district of Hotham proclaimed a township.—Granted.

#### ASSESSMENT.

The valuation of rateable property within the municipal district, after deducting the reductions made by the court of appeal, amounted to £41,736, which, at the rate of One shilling in the pound, would produce £2086.

Mr. John Donaldson having resigned the office of surveyor, Mr. John Millar was elected in his stead.

The appointment of solicitor to the council was conferred upon John Trenchard, Esq.

#### ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.

During the half-year the council held 21 meetings, at which	
The Worshipful the Chairman attended	20
Councillor Carroll	21
Councillor Flanagan	21
Councillor Marris	17
Councillor Richardson, elected 28th November	15
Councillor Barwise, ditto	14
Councillor Campbell, ditto	13

#### Statement of Receipts and Expenditure, for the Half-year ending 19th April, 1861.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance in bank, 19th October, 1860		3,720	13	4
In town clerk's hands		10	10	3
Rates collected—Arrears	71 15 9			
For present year	583 4 9			
		655	0	6
Fines from petty sessions		2	8	3
Towards repairs of Scotia street	9 19 5			
Lancashire street	65 5 4			
Lane at rear of Howard street	32 13 5			
		107	18	2
From Mr. Davies, towards electing his successor	2 2 0			
Private contributions towards kerbing and channelling	3 10 0			
Deposits received as guarantee for fulfilment of contracts	38 0 0			
Received for permits for manure depot	5 18 0			
Balance due to bank	784 0 1			
Cheque out	10 0 0			
		794	0	1
		£5,340	0	7

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Public works, contracts—		3,665	15	5
Forming and metalling		322	15	2
Kerbing and channelling		105	15	0
Cleansing streets		72	2	6
Other small contracts		6	14	3
Breaking metal		94	14	10
Day labor		234	5	7
Interest on Gabrielli loan		59	19	6
Lighting public lamps		25	2	0
Law expenses		63	13	0
Printing, advertising, and stationery		10	6	1
Repairs to fire plugs		15	0	0
Donations		26	17	9
Rent of council chamber		44	3	7
Sundries, timber, &c.		58	18	1
Incidental, valuation, election expenses, &c.		1	10	5
Returned to parties who overpaid for kerbing and channelling		321	6	3
Salaries		12	11	2
Interest to London Chartered Bank		188	10	0
Deposits returned upon completion of contracts		10	0	0
In town clerk's hands				
		£5,340	0	7

Examined and found correct, this 16th May, 1861.

CHARLES AGAR ATKIN,  
WILLIAM R. MUNCE,  
Municipal Auditors.

FRANCIS THOMAS GELL, J.P.,  
Chairman.

GEORGE EVANS,  
Town Clerk.

No. 699

#### CASTLEMAINE MUNICIPALITY.

##### ELECTION NOTICE.

A PUBLIC Meeting of Ratepayers is hereby convened to be held at the Municipal Chambers, on Monday, the 3rd June proximo, at Eight a.m., to elect a member to take the place in the municipal council of William Johnston, Esq., resigned, 18 Victoria No. 15. In case of a poll being demanded, it will take place on Tuesday, the 4th June, at the Municipal Chambers.

DANIEL WALLACE,  
Chairman.

No. 694

#### MUNICIPALITY OF GISBORNE.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Act 18 Victoria No. 15, I hereby convene a Public Meeting of the Ratepayers of the municipality of Gisborne, to be held at the Council Chamber, Hamilton street, Gisborne, on Tuesday, the 10th day of June next, at Eight o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing a member of council to serve in the place of Edward Moeller, who is rendered ineligible by non-attendance.

In the event of there being more than one candidate for the vacancy, and if a poll be demanded, I shall proceed to take the same on Wednesday, the 11th day of June next, at the Council Chamber aforesaid.

Poll will be opened at Eight a.m. and close at Four p.m.

COLIN CAMPBELL,  
Chairman.

Council Chamber,  
Gisborne, 10th May, 1861.

No. 686

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, under the style or firm of "Edmund Westby and Company," carrying on business in Melbourne, as merchants and commission agents, has been determined by effluxion of time. All debts owing to the late firm will be received by the undersigned Edmund Westby (by his attorney the undersigned Robert Ker), by whom all liabilities of the firm will be discharged.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1861.

EDMUND WESTBY,  
By his attorney  
ROB. KER,  
W. H. TUCKETT,  
ROB. KER.

Witness—  
S. W. SEDGEFIELD,  
Solicitor, Melbourne.

No. 698

#### TWO POUNDS REWARD.

LOST, from my stable, a bay cart horse, branded CH on near and off shoulder and neck, one hind foot white. The above reward will be paid on bringing the same to Mr. Crossingham, saddler, Inglewood.

No. 693

#### FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

CAUTION TO POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS, AND OTHERS.

STOLEN from Coxtown, Wareek, on the 8th April, 1861, a brown mare, black legs, about 13 hands high, branded on near neck M, and near shoulder TN (the TN not visible), off

shoulder HK newly branded. £2 reward if returned, and £5 on conviction. Apply to Michael Guinan, of Coxtown, Wareek, Bet-bet.

No. 692

#### NOTICE.

FOUND staying with my cattle, since October last, two steers: one with coupling rope on neck, white face, and belly spotted white and back, reddish sides, branded on near ribs WB and like writing C low down, on near rump N. His mate all red, with hooped horns, branded on near rump AC. Apply to Michael Guinan, Coxtown Wareek, Bet-bet.

No. 691

#### NOTICE.

STOLEN from Woodend, on Friday night, the 3rd of May, a dark bay horse, four black points, two white hind feet, star forehead, branded R near shoulder; also, a bay horse, 2 near shoulder, J.W off neck. £5 reward for recovery of each horse, and £50 reward for conviction of thief or thieves. Apply to Alexander Haxton, Escreet Stables, North Melbourne.

No. 690

#### NOTICE.

STOLEN or strayed, 18th April, from yard of Whiteside, Drummond street, Ballarat, bay mare, branded near shoulder, R off shoulder, heavy in foal.

No. 696

#### TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN from the Gap, near the Springs, Mount Bolton, on or about Friday night, the 10th May, a black mare, branded TB conjoined near shoulder, and X above, two white hind feet,

aged. £10 reward on conviction of the thief, £1 for information that will lead to her recovery.

No. 697

FREDERICK MERRIT.

#### Impoundings.

AVOCA.—Impounded at Avoca, 3rd May, 1861, by J. C. Gardiner, Esq.  
646. Grey horse, J.F conjoined near shoulder, like D blotched off shoulder, ES near rump

On 6th May, by F. Godfrey, Esq.

654. Black mare, switch tail, PM near shoulder

On 8th May, by same.

655. Bay pony horse, long tail, saddle marked, shod, hobbled,

S8 off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June,

1861.

JOHN BATCHELOR,

Poundkeeper.

9/6

**AXE CREEK.**—Impounded at Axe Creek, 12th May, 1861, by J. Canney, for Mr. C. Boyle.—Trespass 1s.  
255. Chesnut mare, blaze, near hind coronet white, white spots on back, saddle marked, ID near shoulder, <sup>PUI</sup> off shoulder (the PUI conjoined and P to left), blotch off saddle. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

GEO. S. O'LOUGHLIN,  
Poundkeeper.

**BENALLA.**—Impounded at Benalla, 11th May, 1861, by Mr. T. Bond.  
383. White bullock, cock horns, dark ears, top off ear, 5 TA

ribs, TA off rump  
381. Yellow and white cow, piece out both ears, point off near horn, No. 4 off back, W or M<sup>2</sup> off rump  
385. Yellow and white spotted bull calf at foot, no brand On the 12th instant, by Erskine Banks.—Trespass 2s.  
404. Bay mare, long switch tail, black points, saddle marked, enlargement near hock, near fore fetlock enlarged, S near cheek, LL near shoulder, A off shoulder JT conjoined

405. Chesnut horse, switch tail, running star, saddle marked, like blotched M near shoulder. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

12/6  
GEORGE POWELL,  
Acting Poundkeeper.

**BULLOCK CREEK.**—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 9th May, 1861, by Donald Campbell, Esq.—Trespass 1s.  
233. Bay mare, star and stripe, off ear cut, blind, enlarged upper lip, like a brand near saddle, M off shoulder. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

JOHN W. GOWER,  
Poundkeeper.

**BULLOCK CREEK.**—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 13th May, 1861, by Donald Campbell, Esq.—Trespass 1s.  
281. Chesnut draught mare, white stripe on face, EO off shoulder. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

7/  
JOHN W. GOWER,  
Poundkeeper.

**BUNINYONG.**—Impounded at Buninyong, 11th May, 1861, by Thomas Keeble, for W. H. Bacchus, Esq.—Damages 6d. each.

375. Strawberry poley cow, short tail, near ribs like MC, off rump like PL  
376. Red and white bull calf, no brand, progeny of above  
377. Red heifer calf, white belly, no brand—Damages 4s.  
378. Yellow and white heifer calf, near ear marked, near ribs like CD  
379. White cow, off ear marked, off rump PC  
380. Small white steer, no visible brand. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

10/6  
GEO. INNES,  
Poundkeeper.

**CARISBROOK.**—Impounded at Carisbrook, 11th May, 1861, by S. Bucknall, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.  
610. Bay horse, bell on, saddle marked, like GP near shoulder  
611. Bay horse, saddle marked, like EG near shoulder, like JH conjoined off shoulder, small white spot off thigh  
612. Black mare, saddle marked, P in V near shoulder. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

8/  
FRED. GEO. HULL,  
Poundkeeper.

**CRESWICK.**—Impounded at Creswick, 11th May, 1861, by Mr. Edwd. Bateman.—Trespass 4d. each.

736. Yellow brindle and white speckled bullock, cock horns, NP off rump  
737. Red or yellow cow, white belly, cock horns,  $\pi$  over  $\pi$  near rump, DD off rump and loin, JT off ribs and rump, G or C near shoulder  
738. Red yearling heifer, white face and belly, rope round neck, off ear notched, progeny, no visible brand. On 14th May, by Danl. Crosbie, for Wm. Sim, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

761. Red and white spotted cow, hoop horns, ears slit, red and white heifer calf at side, PS off rump. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

11/6  
HENRY CARPENTER,  
Poundkeeper.

**COLAC.**—Impounded at Colac, 6th May, 1861, by Mr. Thomas Warner.—Trespass 3s.

1 grey cobby horse, dock tail, S near thigh. If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

6/6  
WILLIAM ARCHER,  
Poundkeeper.

#### NOTICE.

**GISBORNE.**—No. 174, advertised as bay mare with black points, no visible brand, impounded at Gisborne 19th April, 1861, should be bay gelding, and will not be sold till 19th June, 1861.

6/6  
JOHN F. FLETCHER,  
Poundkeeper.

**GUILDFORD.**—Impounded at Guildford, 9th May, 1861, by Mr. Gravenor.—Damages 4s.

193. Black horse, off fore foot broken, like S near shoulder. On 10th May, by Mr. Pyrke.—Trespass 6d. per head.

195. Red cow, stag horns, W near rump, like OD or  $\cap$  D near

loin  
196. Brindle and white poley cow, OO off rump

197. Red cow, down horns, blotch off loin like  $\sim$ , like 7 off ribs

198. Yellow and white cow, like AM off ribs 2F

199. White cow, strawberry neck, appears to be branded near ribs

200. White steer, no visible brand

201. Red steer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

14/  
THOS. H. TAAFFE,  
Acting Poundkeeper.

**KALKALLO.**—Impounded at Kalkallo, 13th May, 1861, by J. Cameron, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

402. White cow, FP near rump F

403. Strawberry heifer calf, progeny

On 14th May, by Mr. J. Lewes.—Trespass 6d.

400. Brown cow, white on belly, white spot on rump, like H in circle (HD conjoined off ribs)

401. Roan heifer, yellow ears, progeny, no visible brands

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

9/6  
GRAHAM MITCHELL,  
Poundkeeper.

**MEREDITH.**—Impounded at Meredith, 9th May, 1861, by S. Wilson, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

246. Blue strawberry cow, H near rump, black calf at foot

247. Brindle and white spotted heifer, H off rump

248. Dun bull, DC off rump—Damages £5

249. Yellow heifer, H off rump

250. Red yearling heifer, white on belly

251. White heifer, red spots, H off rump

252. Red and white spotted bullock, off ear marked, like pipe brand off ribs

253. Red steer, white face, like PH near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

10/6  
THOMAS CONNOE,  
Poundkeeper.

**NEWBRIDGE.**—Impounded at Newbridge, 9th May, 1861, by E. W. Butcher, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

240. Chesnut horse, dock tail, star on forehead, saddle marked, R-K near shoulder (the R to left)

On 10th May, by W. Joachim, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

241. Bay horse, small star, long tail, rope on neck,  $\pi$  near

shoulder

242. Red roan mare, near hind foot white, long tail, sore on near fore leg, rope on neck, JS or JS near shoulder

243. Blue roan mare, brown muzzle, star, long tail, leather head-stall on and rope on neck, JS near shoulder

On 13th May, by R. Cay, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d.

244. Light roan mare, long tail, JG near shoulder

245. Heavy bay mare, long switch tail, shod all round, LR conjoined near shoulder (the L to left), JD off neck; lost on 10th December last and recovered

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

13/6  
JAMES CALVERT,  
Poundkeeper.

**ST. ARNAUD.**—Impounded at St. Arnaud, 9th May, 1861, by Thos. Walters, Esq.

476. Bay mare, near fore coronet and off hind pastern white, star, illegible brand over WP near shoulder, H near thigh, WS off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

7/6  
FRANCIS H. MASSEY,  
Poundkeeper.

**SKIPTON.**—Impounded at Skipton, 14th May, 1861, by Mr. D. H. Cameron, for Messrs. Baird, Mount Bute.—Trespass 6s.

440. Black horse, switch tail, few white hairs on forehead, camel backed, white on both hind feet, collar and saddle marked, V off shoulder, partly shod

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

8/  
JOHN DALY,  
Poundkeeper.

**SOMERTON.**—Impounded at Somerton, 10th May, 1861, by Mr. Williams.

28. Red steer, hind legs, off rump, and face white, like CL off ribs, hoop horns

On 13th May, by O. Marters, Esq.

29. White year old steer, no visible brands

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

8/  
C. M. BLAKEY,  
Poundkeeper.

**WALLAN-WALLAN.**—Impounded at Wallan-Wallan, 10th May, 1860, by Mr. Kenney.—Trespass 6d. each.

208. Bullock, white red on the head and neck, spot on near shoulder, near ear marked, JC off rump

209. Steer, red, JW off rump

210. Heifer, white, NC or MC off rump

211. Heifer, white, short tail, illegible brand off rump

212. Heifer, light red, star, short tail, NC or MC off rump

213. Heifer, white, same brand

214. Calf, strawberry, illegible brand off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

H. BARBER,  
Poundkeeper.

10/

**WARRANDYTE.**—Impounded at Warrandyte, Anderson's Creek, 13th May, 1861, by Mr. S. McKay.—Trespass 10s. each.

803. Brown and white bull calf, no brand

804. Red cow, some white on tail, back, belly, and legs, top off off ear, SM or SH off rump, blotch brand off ribs, like square topped 3 with bow to left off shoulder (supposed writing E)

805. Dark brindle bullock, white face, some white on other parts, wide horns, JT conjoined near shoulder, BC off ribs, large writing E off shoulder, illegible brand near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th June, 1861.

JOHN HUTCHINSON,  
Poundkeeper.

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