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MINING ON RESERVES.

NOTICE is hereby given to the holders of Miners' Rights, that under no circumstances can any reserve, or any land which has been set apart for any public use or purpose, be occupied for mining purposes, unless an order of the Governor in Council authorising mining operations upon such land shall have first been published in the *Government Gazette*.

GEO. SAM. EVANS.

Office of Mines,
19th March, 1863.

RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, SMYTHESDALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Receipt and Pay Office has been opened at Smythesdale.

WILLIAM C. HAINES,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 26th March, 1863.

PAYMENT OF SCHOOL TEACHERS.

THE Board of Education hereby give notice that payments will be made as heretofore to the 30th June, 1863, except to the teachers of those schools which may be affected by their Circular of the 23rd December, 1862, No. 62/5.

By Order of the Commissioners,
BENJ. F. KANE,
Secretary.

Education Office,
Melbourne, 27th March, 1863.

COMMON SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

THE Board of Education have approved of the appointment of
Mr. PATRICK HIGGINS
as a Member of the Local Committee of a Common School at Essendon.

This appointment is approved without prejudice to the power of the Board to withdraw aid from the school at any time, subject to the provisions of the Act.

By Order of the Commissioners,
BENJ. F. KANE,
Secretary.

Education Office,
Melbourne, 28th March, 1863.

POWDER-MAGAZINE KEEPERS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned keepers of powder-magazines, viz.:

ARTHUR LIVINGSTONE,
to be keeper of the powder-magazine at Ballarat, *vice* Arthur Graham, transferred.

FREDERICK ODELL MONCKTON,
to be keeper of the powder-magazine at Talbot.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROBERT S. ANDERSON.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 23rd March, 1863.
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DISTRICT BROUGHT UNDER THE GUNPOWDER ACT.

PROCLAMATION.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the Parliament of Victoria, passed in the session held in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act to regulate the importation carriage and custody of Gunpowder*, it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to proclaim any town, township, or municipal district, not being a sea-port town, as a district into which no gunpowder shall be brought unless for deposit in a public or licensed magazine; and if any person shall bring more than one hundred pounds of gunpowder into any such district, and shall not forthwith deposit the same in a magazine as aforesaid, it shall be forfeited: Now therefore I, Sir Henry Barkly, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the municipal district hereinafter mentioned to be a district within the meaning and intent and for the purpose mentioned in the abovesaid clause of the said Act, that is to say:—

The Municipal District of Amherst.

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

(L.S.)

HENRY BARKLY.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROBERT S. ANDERSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

O.M.1557.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week ending the 28th day March, 1863:—

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

21st March, Charles Hirt, miner, Melbourne, Courtney
23rd March, Archibald McDonnell and Peter McDonnell, squatters, Gipps Land, Courtney
William Sullivan, carpenter, Sandhurst, Shaw
24th March, James Haggart, publican, Sandhurst, Goodman
Thomas B. Gaulb, fruiterer, Castlemaine, Jacomb
25th March, William Dowell, carrier, Brunswick, Courtney
Frederick St. John, clerk, St. Kilda, Jacomb
Henry Osborne, miner, Talbot, Shaw
John Dwyer, farmer, Heathcote, Goodman
26th March, William John Morris, publican, Melbourne, Jacomb
Edward Parry, hawker, Castlemaine, Shaw
Joseph B. Coleman, boarding-house keeper, Melbourne, Goodman
27th March, John Kerr Purves, publican, Sandhurst, Courtney
George Wilcox, quarryman, Brunswick, Jacomb
Patrick O'Connor, storekeeper, Gisborne, Goodman
Dennis McCarthy, publican, Hotham, Courtney
Charles B. Hutton, publican, Collingwood, Shaw

GEORGE BROUGHAM AUSTIN,
Chief Clerk.

BEECHWORTH MINING DISTRICT.

BYE-LAWS.—[10th March, 1863.]

A meeting of the mining board of the mining district of Beechworth, begun and holden at Beechworth, in the said district, on the tenth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, it is ordained by the said board as follows, that is to say:—

BYE-LAW No. 1.—REPEAL OF EXISTING BYE-LAWS.

That all and singular the bye-laws hitherto framed and adopted by the mining board of Beechworth, and numbered from one to forty-five (1 to 45), shall be and the same are hereby annulled and repealed, so far as the same may be in force in the mining district of Beechworth or any part thereof. Nevertheless, no existing interest or privilege shall be deemed to be affected by the repeal of the bye-law under which such interest is occupied or enjoyed.

BYE-LAW No. 2.—DISPUTED ELECTIONS.

1. Any petition disputing the validity of the election of any member or members of this board, must be signed by at least ten duly qualified electors, and must be forwarded to the chairman of this board within fourteen days from the day on which the returning officer shall have declared the member or members so petitioned against to have been duly elected.

2. Should any such petition be presented, the board, if sitting, may, with the consent of the parties interested, proceed at once to try such disputed election; otherwise the board at its first meeting thereafter shall entertain such petition, and proceed to the trial according as hereinafter prescribed.

3. Upon the presentation of any such petition, the parties so petitioning shall deposit with the clerk of the board the sum of Ten pounds to cover any expenses not hereinafter specially provided for, and in the event of such sum proving excessive, any balance remaining after payment of such expenses shall be returned to the depositors, and no petition as above shall be entertained by this board unless such sum shall have been so deposited.

4. It shall be lawful for the clerk of this board to issue a summons (as per schedule A, or to the like effect) to any person petitioning as aforesaid, calling upon any person therein named to give evidence in the matter of the election so petitioned against, and to produce any documentary evidence relating thereto which may be in the custody of the person named in the summons; provided that no such summons shall be granted unless the applicant shall have previously deposited with the clerk an amount sufficient to allow to each witness a mileage of One shilling per mile, and a further sum of Ten shillings for each day the witness may be required to be in attendance; and in the event of non-attendance of such witness, the sum so deposited shall be returned by the clerk to the depositors.

5. The petitioners in the case of any disputed election may appear personally or by counsel at any meeting of the mining board to try the validity of such disputed election.

6. At any meeting of this board at which the validity of any disputed election may be tried, it shall be competent for the board to hear evidence on affirmation, or otherwise as may be agreed upon by the parties interested or may be determined by the board, and any such trial may be adjourned for the hearing of further evidence at the discretion of the board.

7. The votes of the members of the board shall be taken in the usual manner "aye" or "no," and the majority of either finding shall be deemed to be the judgment of the board, which shall be declared by the chairman in the form specified in schedule B; provided that in the event of the findings being equal the chairman shall give his casting vote, and such judgment shall be deemed to be final and conclusive in the matter of such disputed election.

8. In the event of the judgment as aforesaid being that the member petitioned against has not been duly elected, the chairman shall forward to the returning officer a copy of the resolution to that effect.

BYE-LAW No. 3.—CLASSIFICATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims shall be classified into:—

1. Ordinary claims, i.e. alluvial claims not in the bed of a creek or river, and not exceeding forty (40) feet in depth, of which the occupation need not be registered.

2. Dry bank claims, i.e. alluvial claims not in the bed of a creek or river, and not exceeding forty (40) feet in depth.

3. Wet bank claims, i.e. alluvial claims not in the bed of a creek or river, and not exceeding forty (40) feet in depth, which cannot be worked without appliances for drainage.

4. Dry frontage claims, i.e. alluvial claims not in the bed of a creek or river, and exceeding forty (40) feet in depth, the drainage of which, if any, does not amount to twelve hundred (1200) gallons of water per twenty-four (24) hours.

5. Wet frontage claims, i.e. alluvial claims not in the bed of a creek or river, and exceeding forty (40) feet in depth, the drainage of which is at least twelve hundred (1200) gallons of water per twenty-four (24) hours.

6. Creek claims, i.e. all claims in the beds of creeks or rivers.

7. Quartz claims, i.e. all claims in which the gold sought to be obtained lies in veins of quartz or other mineral.

8. Claims on worked and abandoned ground, i.e. all claims on alluvial ground previously worked and abandoned.

9. Prospecting claims, i.e. all claims taken up with a view to the discovery of new gold workings.

BYE-LAW No. 4.—ORDINARY CLAIMS.

1. Ordinary claims shall not exceed the following dimensions:—

One hundred feet by one hundred feet for four men.

Eighty-six feet by eighty-seven feet for three men.

Seventy feet by seventy-one feet for two men.

Fifty feet by fifty feet for one man.

2. Any person or persons taking possession of any such claim shall do so by erecting, or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

BYE-LAW No. 5.—DRY BANK CLAIMS.

1. A dry bank claim shall not exceed one hundred and sixty yards in length by sixty yards in width, except in the Omeo division, in which the claims shall not exceed two hundred yards by one hundred yards.

The depth of dry bank claims shall be limited in the Beechworth division to five feet.

2. Any person taking possession of any such claim shall do so by erecting, or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of such claim.

3. The holder of any such claim to be held responsible for the due performance of the following duties:—

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with his claim at least one man for every twenty yards comprised in the width of his claim, unless the claim is situated in the Omeo division, in which case he shall employ at least one man for every one hundred feet comprised in the width of his claim.

3rd. In the Yackandandah division and Wombat Creek, Omeo, he shall have a dam into which the tailings from such claim shall be run, and such dam shall be made in such a way that during any time in which tailings are being run into it there shall be at least nine inches of still water immediately within the outlet, and shall keep his tailings clear of any occupied claim which has been occupied prior to the occupation of his claim, and which may be situated between his claim and the dam into which his tailings are being run.

BYE-LAW No. 6.—WET BANK CLAIMS.

1. A wet bank claim shall not exceed one hundred yards in length by one hundred yards in width.

2. Any person taking possession of any such claim shall do so by erecting, or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

3. The holder of any such claim shall be held responsible for the performance of the following duties:—

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with the claim at least one man for every twenty-five yards comprised in the width of the claim.

BYE-LAW No. 7.—FRONTAGE CLAIMS.

1. Size of frontage claims.—A frontage claim occupied on a supposed lead previous to proclamation shall not exceed two hundred feet in length on the supposed course of the lead by a width not exceeding one mile.

2. The holder or holders of any such claim may defer the working thereof until the lead is proclaimed without rendering the claim liable to forfeiture; provided he shall attend at the registrar's office with all the men to be employed on the claim, and shall cause each of them to register the number and place of issue of his miner's right, and allow the registrar to mark upon such miner's right the number of the claim and date of registration, and shall on the same day post a notice on some conspicuous place of the claim, stating the number of the claim, the names of the men registered therefor, and the date of registration; and shall within forty-eight hours after the lead is proclaimed begin to work upon the claim laid off for him by the surveyor with the men registered for it, or with an equal number of men registered for any claim on the same lead; provided always that if any man is registered for more than one claim on one or more unproclaimed leads all his interests in such claims shall be forfeited.

3. Upon the proclamation of the lead by the surveyor all claims previously occupied on such lead shall be deemed to be forfeited, and the holders thereof shall be entitled to occupy claims as laid off by the surveyor according to their priority of occupation, excepting where any claimholder on such unproclaimed lead has sunk a shaft on his claim at least two-thirds of the depth of the prospect shaft previous to the proclamation of the lead, in which case such claimholder shall be entitled to hold the claim in which the shaft is situated.

4. Any person who shall desire to enter upon any frontage claim in which payable ground has not been discovered, in order to search for a lead other than that for which the said claim has been registered, shall give notice to the holder of such claim, stating the portion of the claim he desires to enter upon, and if the claimholder shall consent to such entrance, the portion of ground entered upon shall be deemed to be forfeited; if the claimholder shall not consent to such entrance the person desirous of entering upon the claim shall request the warden to put him in possession of such ground, and if the warden's court shall decide that the portion of ground claimed to be occupied would not interfere with the original holders in their search for the lead for which they are registered, such claim for the purpose of re-adjustment shall be deemed forfeited by the holder thereof, and the warden may put such claimant in possession of such portion as may be awarded, and the original holders shall be entitled to occupy the remaining portion of such claim.

5. A dry frontage claim occupied on a proclaimed lead shall not exceed ninety feet in length on the surveyor's base line, together with nine inches in length on the base line for every foot exceeding forty that the prospecting shaft of the lead on which the claim is situated is in depth; and if the claim is below the prospecting claim, one foot in length on the base line for every claim between them, by a width not exceeding one mile, until gold in payable quantities has been found in the claim, after which the width shall not exceed one hundred and fifty yards.

6. A wet frontage claim occupied on a proclaimed lead shall not exceed one hundred and twenty feet in length on the surveyor's base line, together with one foot in length on the base line for every foot exceeding forty that the prospect shaft of the lead on which the claim is situated is in depth; and if the claim is below the prospect claim, one foot in length on the base line for every claim between them, by a width not exceeding one mile, until gold in payable quantities has been found in the claim, after which the width shall not exceed three hundred yards.

7. The size of a claim in worked and abandoned ground on a frontage lead shall not exceed an area twice the size of that allowed in the new ground on the lead in which the claim is situated.

8. Any person taking possession of any of the abovementioned claims shall do so by erecting or causing to be erected, if on an unproclaimed lead, a post at each end of the claim on the supposed course of the lead; if on a proclaimed lead, a post at each end of the claim on the supposed course of the lead; and when surveyed, at each end of the surveyor's cross lines; and when the claim is reduced in width, or is a claim in worked and abandoned ground, a post at each corner of the claim, such posts to be not less than three inches in diameter, and shall be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

9. The holder of any such claims shall be held responsible for the due performance of the following duties, viz.:-

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection therewith at least four men for an entire claim, or a proportionate number for a claim of less size, unless otherwise provided for in these bye-laws.

3rd. He shall, within two days after payable gold is found therein, give notice thereof to the surveyor, and allow him to lay off the reduced width of such claim, and at any time may call upon the surveyor to alter the boundaries of such reduced claim on obtaining a warden's order.

BYE-LAW NO. 8.—FRONTAGE CLAIMS, BUCKLAND DIVISION.

In the Buckland division, notwithstanding anything enacted, to the contrary in the previous bye-law, a wet frontage claim shall be one hundred yards in length on the supposed course of the lead.

BYE-LAW NO. 9.—CREEK CLAIMS.

1. A creek claim shall not exceed one hundred yards in length, in the direction of the course of the stream, by a width not exceeding the boundaries of the bed of the creek as defined by the warden, except in the following places, namely:—

2. In the Omeo division, in which the claim shall not exceed two hundred yards in length in the direction of the course of stream, by a width not less than one hundred yards.

3. In that portion of the Yackandandah division situated between the lower part of Allan's Flat and the junction of the Yackandandah Creek with the Little River, in which the claim shall not exceed five hundred yards in length in the direction of the course of the stream, by a width not exceeding four hundred yards across such course.

4. In that portion of the Woolshed Creek situated between the upper end of Kneebone's claim and the junction of the said creek with the Owens River, in which the claim shall not exceed eight hundred yards in length in the direction of the course of the stream, by a width not exceeding four hundred yards across such course.

5. It shall be lawful for the warden to define the boundaries of the bed of any creek or river, and after it has been worked and abandoned he may alter such boundaries, but no such boundaries shall be altered more than once.

6. Any person taking possession of such claim shall do so by erecting or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of his claim.

7. The holder of any such claims shall be held responsible for the due performance of the following duties, viz.:-

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with his claim at least one man for every twenty-five yards comprised in the length of his claim, unless in the following places, viz.:-

In the Omeo division and the aforesaid portion of the Yackandandah and Woolshed Creeks, one man for every fifty yards; but in the aforesaid portion of the Woolshed Creek ten men shall be sufficient to hold the claim during the time of sinking the pump shaft.

3rd. In Morse's Creek, Buckland division, he shall not use in connection with the working of his claim more than the quantity of water allowed to a bank right, unless the surplus is not required by any other person for mining purposes.

4th. He shall make and maintain an efficient flood race through or past his claim.

BYE-LAW NO. 10.—QUARTZ CLAIMS.

1. Quartz claims shall not exceed eighty yards in length on the course of the vein, by a width not exceeding one hundred and fifty yards across such course, the measurement to be horizontal.

2. Any person taking possession of any such claim shall do so by erecting or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

3. The holder of any such claim shall be held responsible for the performance of the following duties, viz.:-

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation, and shall within one week have the same surveyed by the mining surveyor.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with such claim at least two men for a period extending to not less than three months.

If at any period after the expiration of such time he shall be unable to continue the working of the claim, either from want of funds or the want of crushing machinery in the locality, the warden may, on such cause being made known to him, grant to such claimholder a written permission to suspend all workings on the claim for a period not exceeding six months; a notice of such suspension to be posted on some conspicuous place on the claim.

BYE-LAW NO. 11.—CLAIMS ON WORKED AND ABANDONED GROUND.

1. Claims on worked and abandoned ground shall not exceed the following dimensions, viz.:-

A dry bank claim not in the bed of a creek or river or on a frontage lead, one hundred and sixty yards in length by one hundred and twenty yards in width.

A wet bank claim not in the bed of a creek or river or on a frontage lead, two hundred yards in length by one hundred yards in width.

A creek claim, two hundred yards in length in the direction of the course of the stream by a width not exceeding the boundaries of the creek as defined by the warden.

2. Any person cutting an expensive tail race, or erecting expensive machinery for the purpose of working such ground, may occupy, in addition to the area to which the number of men he keeps constantly employed on such ground entitled him, an extended area not exceeding two entire claims of the same class. If after the cutting of such tail race or the erection of such machinery, any person considering that the extended claim is more than sufficient, and desiring to occupy a portion thereof, shall bring the matter into the warden's court, and if the court shall determine that such extended claim is more than sufficient to remunerate the holders for the expenses incurred by them in the cutting of such tail race or the erection of such machinery, then the extended area shall be deemed to be forfeited, and the owners of the tail race or machinery shall be entitled to occupy as much thereof as the court has deemed sufficient for the remuneration aforesaid.

3. Any person taking possession of any of the abovementioned claims shall do so by erecting or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, such post to be not less than three inches in diameter, to be firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

4. The holder of any such claims to be responsible for the due performance of the following duties, viz.:-

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with the working of the claim the following number of men:-

If a dry bank claim, one man for every forty yards comprised in the width of the claim.

If a wet bank claim, one man for every twenty-five yards comprised in the width of the claim.

If a creek claim, one man for every fifty yards comprised in the length of the claim.

BYE-LAW NO. 12.—PROSPECTING CLAIMS.

1. Any person prospecting for new alluvial gold workings (elsewhere than in a bed of a creek or river, and than in any gully in which gold has been discovered in payable quantities or in which any prospecting claim is at the time occupied) shall be entitled to hold a prospecting claim not exceeding one thousand yards square.

2. Upon the discovery of gold in payable quantities within such prospecting claim, at a depth not exceeding forty feet, the claim shall be forfeited, and the discoverer shall be entitled to occupy, in addition to the area that the number of men registered for and constantly employed on such prospecting claim would entitle him to, an extended area equal to five entire claims of the same class, together with an additional area equal to one claim for every five miles that the prospecting claim is distant from the nearest previously discovered gold workings.

3. If the discovery is made at a greater depth than forty feet, and a frontage lead is proclaimed by the surveyor, the prospecting claim shall be forfeited. If the discovery is made within five miles of any previously discovered gold workings, the discoverer shall be entitled to occupy, in addition to the area that the number of men registered for and constantly employed upon such claim would entitle him to, an extended area equal to five entire claims of the same nature and depth of sinking. If the discovery is made at a distance exceeding five miles from any previously discovered gold workings, the extended area to which the discoverer shall be entitled to occupy shall be equal to ten claims of the same nature and depth of sinking as the claim he is entitled to hold by occupation.

4. Any person prospecting for new alluvial gold workings in the bed of a creek or river shall be entitled to occupy, in addition to the area that the number of men he keeps constantly employed on the spot would entitle him to, an extended area equal to five entire claims of the same class, together with an additional area equal to a claim for every five miles that the prospecting claim is distant from any previously discovered gold workings, except in the Omeco division, in which the extended area equal to five claims may be increased by an additional area equal to one claim for every ten miles that the prospecting claim is distant from the nearest previously discovered gold workings.

5. Any person searching for a new quartz reef, or for the supposed continuation of a reef previously discovered, if at a distance exceeding five hundred and sixty yards from the nearest occupied claim on such reef, shall be entitled to occupy, in addition to the area to which the number of men he keeps constantly employed on the spot would entitle him, an extended area not exceeding the ordinary size of quartz claims, except in the Omeco division, when he shall be entitled to an extended area equal to the size of two ordinary quartz claims.

6. Any person taking possession of any such claims shall do so by erecting, or causing to be erected, a post at each corner of the claim, with a written notice thereon, setting forth that it is a prospecting claim, and stating the names of the men registered for the claim; such posts to be not less than three inches in diameter, firmly fixed in the ground, extending at least three feet above it, and to be kept erected during the occupation of the claim.

7. The holder of any such claims shall be responsible for the due performance of the following duties, viz.:

1st. He shall register the occupation of the claim with the registrar within forty-eight hours after such occupation.

2nd. He shall keep constantly employed on or in connection with the claim the following number of men, viz.:

If an alluvial claim, not in the bed of a creek or river, four men for an entire claim, or a proportionate number for one of less size.

If in the bed of a creek or river, four men for an entire claim, or a proportionate number for one of less size.

If a quartz claim, two men. And shall, within one week after occupation, have the same surveyed by the mining surveyor.

If the claim is an alluvial claim, not in the bed of a creek or river, and gold in payable quantities is found therein at a depth exceeding forty feet, he shall, within forty-eight hours after such a discovery, give notice thereof, in writing, to the surveyor, together with such information as will enable him to find the claim in which the discovery has been made.

BYE-LAW No. 13.—UNION OF CLAIMS.

Any number of claims which shall adjoin each other in at least half their length or width may be united and occupied as one claim; provided always that the number of men necessary to be employed on or in connection with the claims if occupied singly shall be employed on or in connection with the united claim; and where a creek claim is united to one or more claims of any other class, the water privileges of such creek claim shall not extend further than if such creek claim had not been united to any other. All such unions shall be registered with the registrar within forty-eight hours of such union.

BYE-LAW No. 14.—DEFINING BOUNDARIES OF AMALGAMATED FRONTAGE CLAIMS.

Notwithstanding anything enacted to the contrary in these bye-laws, no amalgamated claim on any frontage lead shall be reduced in width by the surveyor to a greater extent than such portion as might be occupied by four men above and below the point where payable gold has been discovered in such united claim.

BYE-LAW No. 15.—FORFEITURE FOR NON-OCCUPATION, WITH EXCEPTIONS.

1. If a claimholder shall not, within one week from the occupation of his claim (unless where otherwise provided for in these bye-laws), employ, and continue to employ thereon or in connection therewith, the requisite number of men, the claim shall be deemed to be forfeited, and the holder shall be entitled to re-occupy as much thereof as the number of men he has employed would represent.

2. When any lawful occupant of a claim is incapacitated from work by illness, or has to attend any court of law, or upon any urgent business, he may, if he shall cause a notice, stating the reason of his absence, to be posted upon a conspicuous place on the claim, absent himself without rendering the claim liable to forfeiture; but if any dispute shall arise as to the truth of the assigned reason of absence, the onus of proof shall rest with the absentee.

3. When any claim is fairly opened and in working order, the holder of such claim, or the representative or representatives of any portion thereof, may absent himself or themselves for any period not exceeding one week, without rendering the claim liable to forfeiture; and he or they may absent himself or themselves from the claim for a longer period if they shall procure permission, in writing, from the warden, stating the time of and reasons for such absence, and shall post a copy of such permission on a conspicuous place on the claim.

4. When at any time a claim which has been fairly opened and in working order shall become unworkable from a failure of the usual and necessary supply of water, such supply being sufficient for at least three months in each year, or in consequence of

floods, excessive drainage, or any other unavoidable cause, the claimholder may suspend the working of such claim without rendering it liable to forfeiture, if he shall procure from the warden permission in writing, stating the time of and reason for such suspension, and shall post a copy of such permission on a conspicuous place on the claim.

5. Any person in whose claim water has been struck in such quantities as will render the employment of horse, water, or steam power necessary, may suspend the working of the claim for one month if horse power is required, two months if water, and four months if steam power is required, without rendering the claim liable to forfeiture, if he shall register with the registrar such suspension, the nature of the power required, and the names of all shareholders (if any) in the claim, and shall post a notice on a conspicuous place near the shaft in which the water has been struck, setting forth these particulars. If at the end of this period it shall be found insufficient the claimholder may suspend the occupation of the claim for a further period without rendering the claim liable to forfeiture, if he shall obtain the written sanction of the warden, and shall post a notice containing a copy of such sanction on the place upon which the previous notice was posted.

6. Any permission to suspend working operations so granted shall have a specified period set forth in such permission, and no such permission shall be rescinded.

BYE-LAW No. 16.—SUSPENSION OF WORKINGS ON FRONTAGE LEADS.

Should the holders of a wet frontage claim on a proclaimed lead fail to discover the course of the lead within six months, during which time the requisite number of men have been constantly employed on such claim, be unable to prosecute their labors for want of funds, the warden may, on such cause being made known to him, grant to such claimholders a written permission to suspend all workings for a period not exceeding six months, during which time the claim shall not be liable to forfeiture; a copy of such permission to be posted in a conspicuous place on the claim.

In the event of any dispute arising under this bye-law the onus of proof of the cause of such suspension to rest with the claimholders.

BYE-LAW No. 17.—TAKING POSSESSION OF GROUND CLAIMED TO BE OCCUPIED PROHIBITED.

Any person who shall consider that any claim is liable to forfeiture, and who shall desire to occupy such claim or any portion thereof, shall apply to the warden to put him in possession of such claim or portion thereof; and no person shall take possession by his own authority of any ground claimed to be occupied by any other person.

BYE-LAW No. 18.—PROTECTION FROM FORFEITURE.

In the Buckland and Beechworth divisions no claim or portion of a claim shall be liable to forfeiture, provided the proprietor thereof be a working miner who is not a shareholder in any other claim, except in accordance with the following conditions, viz.:

Any person desirous to obtain possession of such a claim, or portion thereof, shall serve such proprietor or his representative with a written notice, stating his intention to apply for the claim; and if within one week from the date of such service such proprietor or his representative aforesaid fails to fulfil his duties as prescribed by the bye-laws, the applicant may be placed in possession of the claim.

In the absence of the proprietor or his representative before mentioned, the notice shall be posted conspicuously on the claim, and a copy thereof at the office of the mining registrar of the division.

BYE-LAW No. 19.—AREAS WHICH MAY BE OCCUPIED FOR CERTAIN MINING PURPOSES.

1. Any person desirous of erecting a quartz mill driven by steam or water power may occupy for such purpose an area not exceeding two acres, the length of which shall not exceed twice the width, provided such occupation is registered with the registrar.

2. Any person requiring to form a road or tramway to or from his occupied claim shall be deemed to be in occupation of the ground required for such road or tramway, provided that such occupation is registered with the registrar.

3. Any person stacking any auriferous earth or quartz shall, for the protection thereof, be deemed to be in occupation of the ground covered thereby for a period not exceeding six months, provided that such earth or quartz is stacked to an average height of not less than four feet, that a fence not less than two feet in height be erected round it, that such occupation is registered with the registrar, and that a notice is posted on the stack stating the name of the owner thereof and the date of registration.

BYE-LAW No. 20.—BUSINESS AND RESIDENCE SITES.

1. When any business or residence site is occupied within fifty yards of any road or thoroughfare existing at the time of such occupation, the frontage of such site towards such road or thoroughfare shall not exceed sixty-six feet, and the depth thereof shall not exceed eighty-two and one-half feet.

2. No person shall occupy a business or residence site any portion of which is within thirty feet of the centre of a road or thoroughfare or within ten feet of any site previously occupied.

3. Any person being in lawful possession of a business or residence site, and having erected thereon a dwelling or place of business, may absent himself for thirty consecutive days; and provided he gives written notice to the warden of his intention to absent himself he may be absent for any space of time not exceeding six months from the date of giving such notice, without forfeiture of the right to such site and building; provided always that a copy of such notice to the warden shall be posted on such building on some conspicuous part.

4. No person shall take up and occupy for residence or business purposes any ground within twelve feet of any race unless with the consent of the holder of such race.

BYE-LAW No. 21.—RACES.

1. Any person intending to cut a race shall register such intention with the registrar, stating the proposed extremities thereof, and shall mark the proposed course thereof with pegs at intervals not exceeding one hundred yards. He shall then be deemed to be in possession of such proposed course; but if he shall not within one calendar month begin to form such race, or having begun shall not continue the formation thereof, he shall forfeit his title to any portion of the proposed course of the race in or upon which it has not been formed.

2. The head of any race cut for the purpose of diverting the water from any creek or river shall not be shifted without the written sanction of the warden, nor to the prejudice of any existing right.

3. The registered holder of any race shall keep it in proper repair, and shall, on the receipt of a written order from the warden, build an efficient bridge where any road in ordinary use crosses the race.

4. If any race which shall hereafter be formed in the Beechworth division shall be cut to a depth exceeding five feet at any place within one hundred yards of any source from which another race is supplied, it shall not be used to convey water to any claim or reservoir without the written sanction of the warden, nor unless the applicant for such sanction shall have given fourteen days' notice to the owner or owners of any race or races which derive any portion of their supply from a source within one hundred yards of any portion of the new race which may exceed five feet in depth, of his intention to make application for such sanction.

BYE-LAW No. 22.—RESERVOIRS AND DAMS.

1. Any miner desirous of forming a reservoir shall register with the registrar the site or place for such proposed reservoir.

2. No person shall be held to be in legal occupation of any dam or reservoir situated on a frontage lead in the Indigo division unless in connection with a claim, except such dam or reservoir shall have been originally constructed for other purposes than as an easement to a claim.

BYE-LAW No. 23.—PROTECTION TO SIDES OF RACES AND DAMS, ETC.

1. The undermentioned land shall not be occupied for mining purposes, viz.:

All land within a distance of three feet of any race constructed in unworked ground, and five feet where constructed in worked ground.

All land within a distance of twelve feet of any tail race for a distance of twenty yards from the boundaries of the claim with which the tail race is connected, and all land within a distance of five feet of the remaining portion, if any, of such tail race.

All land within a distance of twenty feet of the lower side of any dam or reservoir constructed for the purpose of storing water.

2. No person shall under any pretence damage, destroy, or otherwise interfere with any race, tail race, dam, reservoir, or any appurtenances connected therewith, unless with the consent of the registered owner thereof. In the Yackandandah division, and Wombat Creek, Omeo, tailing dams to be considered as public property, to be used by any party or parties paying a fair share of the expenses incurred in their erection, such expenses to be decided by arbitration or by warden and assessors. Parties using such dams for the reception of tailings must contribute towards keeping them in good repair.

BYE-LAW No. 24.—WATER-RIGHTS.

1. Rights to divert water from creeks or rivers shall be divided into three classes, viz.:

Creek rights, bank rights, and motive-power rights.

2. Creek rights shall in all cases be superior to others.

3. Bank rights shall be superior to motive-power rights, except in the Yackandandah division, in which motive-power rights shall be superior to bank rights.

4. Creek and motive-power rights taken up in connection with a creek claim shall be deemed to belong to the claim or area with which they were occupied, and shall not be used in any other.

5. Bank rights shall be deemed to belong to the race in which the water is diverted, and may be used in any claim or for any mining purpose.

6. Superiority among rights of the same class shall be determined by priority of occupation, the earlier occupier having the superior right.

In all cases where the occupier of a bank right claims under a permit or authority in writing to cut the race in which it is conveyed, granted by a commissioner of the gold fields or warden, the occupation of such right shall be taken to have commenced from the period at which such permit or authority in writing was granted.

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7. If at any time the use of a bank right has been abandoned for any period exceeding one month at any time that water was available for it, occupation of the right shall be deemed to have commenced at the last re-occupation thereof.

8. The alteration or extension of a race at any time shall not in any way affect any right or privilege attached to such race.

9. The transfer or assignment of any race, or any interest therein, shall not affect any right or privilege attached to such race.

10. If the water flowing in any creek or river is not sufficient to furnish all the rights deriving their supply from such creek or river with the quantity of water to which they are entitled, the owner of any right shall, on the receipt of a written notice from the owner of any superior right, stating that the supply of such superior right is less than he is entitled to, cease to divert, or make available to the superior right his supply of water, or such portion thereof as will be necessary to make up the supply of the superior right, and shall not resume such diversion until a supply in excess of the quantity allowed to such superior right shall be available.

11. Any person forming a new race or extending one previously formed shall, during such formation or extension, be deemed to be in occupation of all the rights and privileges attached to such race.

12. Every bank right shall be registered by the owner of the race in which it is or is intended to be diverted.

13. The holder of any creek or motive-power right shall not be entitled to demand a supply of water at a higher level than is sufficient for his purposes.

14. The holder of any water-right in the Beechworth division, except in that portion of it formerly known as the Woolshed division, shall be limited to a stream of water running for twelve hours in each day, to be gauged by a box six feet long, twelve inches wide, and six inches deep in the inner measurement, with an opening of an uniform depth of one inch and one-eighth of an inch across the bottom; but in cases where the occupier of a right claims under the written permission of any commissioner or warden of the gold fields to be entitled to a supply of water for any longer period than twelve hours, and has continued to occupy under such permission, the occupier of the race shall be entitled to the full supply set forth in the written permission of such commissioner or warden, to be gauged nevertheless as aforesaid. The holder of any bank right to divert water from any creek or river in the Buckland and Omeo divisions, and the aforesaid portion of the Beechworth division, shall be limited to a stream of water running continuously, and gauged by a box of the same length, width, and depth as before mentioned, with an opening of an uniform depth of three inches across the bottom. And in the Yackandandah division to a stream of water running continuously, and gauged by a box of the same length and width as before mentioned, but only three and a half inches deep in the inner measurement, with an opening of an uniform depth of three inches across the bottom. The box shall be fixed level in the race, the lower edge of which shall be level with the edges of the box for a distance of not less than twelve feet immediately above it, and in races running more than one head of water the box shall be increased in width twelve inches for every additional head of water the race may be permitted to carry.

The gauge shall be placed immediately below the spot where the race receives its last supply, except in the Buckland and Omeo divisions, in which the gauge may be fixed at any other place in the race, provided that such alteration of position shall not interfere with any existing right.

15. If the use of a bank right shall be abandoned for any period exceeding one month at a time that water is available for it, the right shall be deemed to be forfeited.

BYE-LAW No. 25.—CAUSING CLAIMS TO BE FLOODED PROHIBITED.

No person shall back the water of any creek, race, or water-course upon any claim, or otherwise cause any claim to be flooded, either wilfully or by neglect.

BYE-LAW No. 26.—PROTECTION TO RACES AND CLAIMS.

No claim or race holder shall permit any water used on or in connection with his claim or race to flow upon or into any other claim or race (whether used for conveying water to or from the claim), and shall keep all tailings or sludge from his claim clear of any other claim or race, unless with the consent of the owner of such other claim or race.

BYE-LAW No. 27.—EXTENDED AREAS WHICH MAY BE OCCUPIED BY PROSPECTORS OF QUARTZ REEFS BY MEANS OF TUNNELLING INTO MOUNTAIN RANGES.

Any person searching for auriferous quartz reefs by means of tunnelling into hills or mountain ranges may occupy an area extending one thousand yards along the course of the proposed tunnel by a width not exceeding three hundred and twenty yards horizontal measurement, such extended area to be laid off by the surveyor.

The holder of any such tunnelling claim shall keep constantly employed four men in driving the said tunnel, and shall be subject to the requirements and entitled to the provisions made and provided under the ordinary quartz bye-laws.

BYE-LAW No. 28.—EXTENDED AREAS WHICH MAY BE OCCUPIED BY THE PROJECTORS OF MINING COMPANIES UNDER THE FRONTAGE BYE-LAWS.

On wet frontage leads where the depth of sinking exceeds two hundred feet, and the lowest or least occupied claim or united claim has been in possession of the present occupants for six

months after payable gold has been discovered by them, and when machinery equal to twelve-horse power is required and is at work on such last or lowest claim—

One man may take possession and hold two and a half claims,
Two men five claims,
Three men seven and a half claims,
Four men ten claims,

without commencing work for a period of three months, that term being allowed for the formation of a company to work the ground. Such company being formed, registered, and their claims united, the united claims shall be immediately occupied, and not less than one-half the number of men required under frontage bye-law No. 7, sec. 9, kept constantly employed on or in connection therewith, such occupancy shall then entitle them to possession for a further period of three months after payable gold has been discovered therein, when the full number of men required under the last-mentioned bye-law shall be constantly employed.

One man or more taking up extended areas under this bye-law shall advertise the occupancy in the nearest local newspaper, repeating therein said advertisement once in each of the two following weeks, and shall also post a conspicuous notice on the ground, stating the name and residence of each of the company, and the extent of the ground claimed.

All companies holding under this bye-law, except as herein specified, must comply with the ordinary frontage bye-laws.

BYE-LAW No. 29.—PROTECTION TO POSTS, PEGS, AND NOTICES.

No person shall interfere with any posts, pegs, or notices erected or posted under the provisions of these bye-laws, without the consent of the owner.

BYE-LAW No. 30.—FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

Any miner forfeiting his share or interest in a claim shall not be entitled to any portion of his former partners' interest therein.

BYE-LAW No. 31.—LIENS UPON CLAIMS OR SHARES.

The holder or holders of any registered claim, share, or interest may grant a lien upon the same to any other person or persons as security for the due payment of any debt or liability which such holder or holders may have contracted, either before or at the time of such lien being granted; and upon production to the registrar of the register or transfer ticket, or certificate by virtue of which the intending lienor holds the claim, share, or interest intended to be made the subject of lien, and of the miner's right of the intending licensee, and upon the execution of a lien ticket by the lienor or licensee, in the form prescribed in schedule C hereto appended, duly signed by the said lienor and licensee, and attested by the registrar, the registrar shall register a lien upon the aforesaid claim, share, or interest, in the form prescribed in schedule D hereunto appended; and after having made such registration, the registrar shall issue to the licensee a duplicate of the lien ticket, in the form prescribed in schedule C hereto appended as aforesaid; and shall inscribe on the registry or transfer ticket, or certificate of the lienor, the date and the amount of the lien and the name of the licensee; and every such lien, granted and duly registered as aforesaid, shall be a specific charge upon the claim, share, or interest which shall have been so made the subject of a lien, until the debt or liability shall have been discharged in full, and shall take precedence according to the dates of their respective registrations by the registrar; and every transfer of any claim, share, or interest held under lien, shall be made subject to every registered lien thereon; provided that upon the delivery to the registrar by the lienor of a certificate duly signed by the licensee, that the debt or liability for which such was held has been fully discharged, the registrar shall forthwith cancel such lien; and further provided, that the registrar shall not register a lien upon any claim, share, or interest, or transfer or release the same, without the consent of the lienor and licensee respectively; and further, that it shall be necessary for the registrar to have the authority of any registered company, or their agent or agents, duly appointed in accordance with bye-law 32 of this board, previous to effecting any such registration or transfer of any share or portion of a share or interest in any mining company.

2. *Forfeiture of claims or shares on non-payment of liens, &c.*—The holder of any registered lien upon any claim, share, or portion thereof, upon production to the registrar of satisfactory proof that the holder or holders of the subject of such lien has or have failed to fulfil any agreement, or to pay any debt, charge, or liability secured under such lien, or that the holder or holders of the subject of such lien has or have abandoned such subject, shall be entitled to be conditionally registered for such subject, in accordance with schedule E hereto appended, and such conditional registration shall entitle the holder of the lien to all the benefits arising out of such claim, share, or portion thereof; and unless the holder or holders of the subject of such lien shall within three calendar months from and after the date of the conditional registration aforesaid reclaim the said subject and satisfy the claim of the holder of the lien, the said holder or holders of the subject of such lien shall forfeit all right and title to such subject, and the holder of the lien shall be absolutely registered for and become the actual possessor of the said claim, share, or portion thereof the subject of the lien aforesaid.

3. *Terms on which holders of liens may or may not be held as partners.*—It is hereby provided that any licensee shall not be held to be a copartner or coadventurer in any mining company in which he may hold a lien or liens, save and except what is contained in respect of the bye-laws of this board in regard to

certain conditions of forfeiture therein contained, in which case such licensee shall, upon such conditional registration as therein provided for, become the responsible shareholder of such share or interest.

4. This bye-law shall be in force in the Indigo division only.

BYE-LAW No. 32.—TRANSFER OF SHARES IN THE INDIGO DIVISION, HOW EFFECTED.

It shall be lawful for any mining company holding a registered claim to appoint and empower any person or persons to act as their agent or agents in effecting any registration or transfer of any share or interest in any such registered claim from the holder or holders thereof to any other person or persons, and upon the delivery of a notice containing such authority to the mining registrar, which authority must be signed by the company, or their duly authorised agent or agents, in form of schedule marked F appended to these bye-laws. No registrar shall register any transfer of any share or interest in said claim without the written consent of such company, their agent or agents, authorising and empowering him so to do: always provided that it shall not be necessary for the registrar to have the consent of any company failing to appoint an agent or agents, as required in the foregoing portion of this bye-law, but may, upon the written authority of any person or persons holding a registered share or interest in any registered claim, upon the production to him of certificate of registration, transfer such share or interest to any other person or persons, provided that in all cases of registrations or transfers the consent of all persons registered in regard of such share or interest must be obtained.

This bye-law to apply only to the Indigo division and that portion of the Woolshed Creek (Beechworth division) from the upper end of Kneebone's claim to the junction of the said creek with the Ovens River.

BYE-LAW No. 33.—SURVEYOR'S DUTIES.

The surveyor shall, on receipt of a report of a discovery of new alluvial gold workings at a depth exceeding forty feet, affix a notice outside his office, and on a conspicuous place on the claim in which such discovery has been made, stating a time within four days at which he will attend for the purpose of causing such discovery to be tested. At the time appointed the surveyor shall attend at the shaft in which the discovery has been made, and shall call on the miners there assembled to elect five men from among themselves for the purpose of testing the value of the discovery, and shall authorise them to descend the shaft and obtain a sufficient quantity of auriferous earth for their purpose, and if they shall decide that such ground is payable he shall proclaim a lead, and shall proceed to measure off the claim to which the prospectors are entitled, and give them possession thereof.

He then shall lay down a base line upwards and downwards from the boundaries of the prospect claim on the supposed course of such lead, on which lines he shall mark the length of claims, and shall allot such claims according to priority of occupation on the lead, and at each boundary he shall lay down cross lines as near as possible at right angles with the base line of not less than one hundred feet in length. If the actual course of the lead is found to differ materially from the base line, and if the majority of the claimholders affected by such difference shall request the surveyor to alter the course of the base line, he shall within four days after the receipt of such request comply therewith, and shall lay off claims on the new base line in the same order as on the first base line.

He shall within four days after receiving notice in accordance with the provisions of the frontage bye-laws lay off the reduced width of each claim. He shall at any time alter the boundary of such reduced claim within four days, as provided for in the frontage bye-laws.

He shall make a surface survey of all quartz claims, and when called upon make a surface or underground survey of any other class of claims.

For which he shall be entitled to demand and receive fees as per following scale:—

SCALE OF SURVEYOR'S FEES.		£	s.	d.
For surveying a claim on any proclaimed lead, for each man	...	0	2	0
Altering the boundaries of any frontage claim, for each man	...	0	2	0
Surface surveys of quartz claims	...	1	0	0
Plan of the same, if demanded	...	0	10	0
Special surface survey of any frontage claim and plan thereof, not exceeding sixteen men	...	1	10	0
Ditto ditto, exceeding sixteen men	...	2	0	0
Underground survey, with plan	...	2	0	0
Survey of ordinary dry bank, wet bank, and creek claims, for not exceeding four men, with plan thereof	...	1	0	0
Extended or amalgamated ditto, with plan	...	2	0	0
Survey of any prospecting claim	...	2	0	0
In addition to the above fees, an allowance of 2s. 6d. for each mile exceeding three that the claim is distant from his office.				

BYE-LAW No. 34.—RIGHT OF SURVEYOR TO ENTER UPON CLAIMS.

It shall be imperative upon any claimholder to permit the mining surveyor, his agent or assistant, to enter upon the claim, descend the shaft, and examine the underground workings; and, when required by the surveyor, to render him all reasonable assistance in so doing.

BYE-LAW No. 35.—LOSS OF MINERS' RIGHTS, ETC.

When any person loses the miner's right, or register or transfer ticket, by virtue of which he holds any claim, share or portion of a share, or interest in any mining property, he may make a declaration of such loss before a justice of the peace, and the registrar shall, for all purposes connected with the transfer of such interest, receive such declaration in lieu of the said miner's right, or register or transfer ticket.

BYE-LAW No. 36.—TRANSFER OF SHARES.

The registrar shall not register the transfer of any share or interest in any claim or easement thereto without the written consent of all the registered shareholders in such claim, or their duly authorised agent, except in the Indigo division and that portion of the Woolshed Creek (Beechworth division) from the upper end of Kneebone's claim to the junction of the said creek with the Ovens River, as provided for in bye-law No. 33.

BYE-LAW No. 37.—REGISTRAR'S DUTIES.

The mining registrar shall keep his office open from Ten o'clock a.m. till Two o'clock p.m. daily, Sundays and public holidays excepted; and shall keep books, columned as in the schedules attached to the bye-laws of this board, and shall enter therein all the registrations, &c., required by the bye-laws of this board, so far as regards the subject matters of such registrations, as specified to be performed by him. All registrations shall be classified according to their respective subject matters, and shall be numbered in the order and set forth the hour and day upon which they shall have been respectively effected, and the locality of their respective subject matters; no such registration to be held as effected until actually entered in such book of registry, and no registration once entered in any book of registry shall be in any case defaced or erased. He shall give an extract of any entry in his books, or allow any person to inspect such books personally; and shall, on or before the tenth day of each month, send a classified return to the chairman of the mining board of all the registrations effected by him during the previous month in his division, and shall report to the chairman of the mining board upon all Crown lands gazetted for sale during such month within his division. All registration books, plans, and other documents relative to mining which shall be in or may come into his possession by virtue of his office, shall be the property of and be at the disposal of the mining board.

He shall be responsible for the safe custody of all such books and documents until he shall have delivered up the same to the chairman or clerk of the said board.

He shall, subject to the approval of this board, appoint agents or assistants at such places as the board may recommend, and at such other places as he may consider necessary; and all acts performed by such agents or assistants in relation to their office shall be as valid and effectual as if performed by the registrar himself. But the registrar shall in all cases be held responsible for the due performance of the duties of such agents or assistants.

For the performance of the before-mentioned duties he shall be entitled to demand and receive only fees as per following scale:—

SCALE OF REGISTRAR'S FEES.
(Except in the Indigo division.)

	£	s.	d.
For each registration of claim or other registration required under the bye-laws of this board, with certificate thereof	0	2	6
Permission to examine registry books or extract therefrom	0	1	0
(In the Indigo division only.)			
Registration of claims, with certificate, per man	0	1	0
Amalgamation of ditto, per claim, with certificate	0	1	6
Transfer of share or portion of share, with certificate	0	1	6
Registration of lien on any share, portion of a share, or interest, with certificate	0	3	0
Release or transfer of ditto, with certificate	0	3	0
Conditional registration, with certificate	0	2	6
Any other registration required and authorised under the bye-laws of this board, with certificate	0	2	6
Permission to examine books or extract therefrom	0	1	0

BYE-LAW No. 38.—PROVIDING FOR THE NON-APPOINTMENT OF SURVEYORS OR REGISTRARS.

In any division for which there is no registrar duly appointed non-registration shall not be deemed a breach of the mining board bye-laws, nor shall bar the exercise of any privilege under these bye-laws.

In a division in which there is no surveyor duly appointed the non-fulfilment of any of the surveyor's duties shall not invalidate the title to any claim. Where any surveyor or registrar shall refuse to perform the duties attached to his office by these bye-laws, and thereby prevent the fulfilment of the conditions imposed by any bye-law on any claimholder, such non-fulfilment shall not be deemed a breach of a bye-law, and shall not invalidate the title to any mining interest or privilege held or enjoyed by such claimholder.

BYE-LAW No. 39.—CLAIMHOLDERS TO BENEFIT BY BYE-LAWS SUBSEQUENTLY PASSED.

Any claimholder by re-registering his claim shall be entitled to all the advantages resulting from any bye-law passed subsequently to that under which he originally held his claim.

BYE-LAW No. 40.—INTERPRETATION BYE-LAW.

1. In the construction for the purposes of these bye-laws the following terms shall, if not inconsistent with the context or subject matter, have the respective meanings hereby assigned to them.

2. The words "warden," "surveyor," and "registrar" shall mean respectively the warden, mining surveyor, and mining registrar for the time being of the division in which the events in connection with which they are mentioned shall happen.

3. The words "lead" or "frontage lead" shall mean any stratum of auriferous earth at a depth exceeding forty feet.

4. The words "constantly employed" shall mean employment during ordinary working hours.

5. The word "race" shall mean a channel made for the purpose of conveying water.

6. The words "tail race" shall mean a race cut or constructed for the purpose of draining any claim or claims, or for carrying off water or water and tailings from any sluice or other gold washing apparatus used on or in connection with any claim.

7. The words "worked and abandoned ground" shall mean any ground which has been mined upon for gold, and which has been declared by the warden and assessors to have been worked and abandoned, except on frontage leads, the words "worked and abandoned ground" shall then mean where two or more shafts have been bottomed upon any claim or amalgamated claim proposed to be taken up, provided such ground has been abandoned for a period of at least three months.

8. The words "right" or "water-right" shall mean the privilege of diverting and using water from any creek or river.

9. Any words importing the singular number shall include the plural number.

10. Any words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine gender.

11. "New alluvial gold workings" shall mean workings on any lead or creek on which payable ground has not previously been discovered, or which has been entirely abandoned as unprofitable, or any surface working not less than five miles from the nearest workings of the same class.

12. The words "when a claim is fairly opened and in working order" shall mean, in ordinary or frontage claims, when the lead or payable ground has been discovered. In creek or other claims, when the occupiers are in a position to commence washing, except in cases in which an extensive tail race is to be cut, the words shall then mean, when the occupiers have been at work on or in connection therewith for a period of not less than two months.

13. Where the words "entire claims" occur in section 3, bye-law 12, they shall mean no more ground than can be held by four men, as specified in the frontage bye-laws.

14. "Creek rights" shall mean the right to a supply of water for gold-washing purposes within the defined boundaries of the creek equal to that allowed to bank rights in the division or subdivision in which such creek is situated.

15. Where the words "per man" occur they shall mean the quantity of ground allowed to each man, as specified in these bye-laws.

16. The word "interfere" shall mean interfering either directly or indirectly.

SCHEDULE A.

You are hereby summoned to appear on the day of _____, at the hour of _____ o'clock in the _____, at Beechworth, before the mining board of the Beechworth district, to bear witness in the matter of a petition disputing the validity of the election of _____ as a member of the said board, and you are hereby required to produce at the same time the undermentioned documents relating to the matter of the said petition.

Clerk of the Beechworth Mining Board.

SCHEDULE B.

I, _____, chairman of the mining board of the mining district of Beechworth, hereby pronounce the judgment of this board to be that _____ has been duly elected to serve as a member of this board.

Chairman.

SCHEDULE C.**Lien Ticket.**

At the hour of _____, I, _____, of _____, do hereby grant to _____, of _____, a lien upon my _____, situated _____, as security for the due payment of the sum of £ _____, being the amount due and owing by me to the said _____; and I do hereby engage and bind myself not to transfer the aforesaid _____, or any portion thereof, without the consent of the said _____, until the aforesaid sum of £ _____ shall have been paid in full.

And I the said _____, do hereby accept the said lien upon said _____, as security for the due payment of the said sum of £ _____; and I hereby engage and bind myself to release the said _____ upon payment to me of the sum aforesaid.

Lienor. _____ Miner's right. _____
Lienee. _____ No. _____ Date. _____

Witness—

SCHEDULE D.
Form of Registration of Lien.

References to Transfers of Liens.	1	2	3	4	5	6
Nature and extent of subject of Lien.	Amount of Lien.					
	Working.	Sleeping.				
Locality.						
Name or number of Company or Claim the subject of Lien.						
Miner's Right.	No.	Date.				
Holder of Lien.	Christian Name.					
	Surname.					
Holder of subject of Lien.	Christian Name.					
	Surname.					
No.	Date.					

SCHEDULE E.

Conditional Registration.

I, _____ mining registrar of the _____ division of the mining district of Beechworth, have this _____ day of _____, at the hour of _____, conditionally registered the undermentioned person for _____ situate at _____

Name. _____ Miner's right. No. _____ Date. _____ Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE F.

To the mining registrar of _____ division of the mining district of Beechworth. _____ company have appointed _____ to act as their agent in effecting any registrations or transfers of any interest in the said company.

SCHEDULE

For Registration of Suspension from Work on unproclaimed frontage leads in the Beechworth District.

Progressive Number.	Name of claimholder	Names of men employed on the claim.	Number and date of the miner's right.	Place where such miner's right has been issued.

SCHEDULE

For Registration of Claims in the Division of Beechworth District.

Progressive Number.	Hour and day of registration.	Name or names of persons registering.	Particulars of application.	Locality.	Suspensions, amalgamations, and transfers. See No. page

SCHEDULE

For Registration of Races in the Division of Beechworth District.

Progressive Number.	Hour and day of registration.	Name of person registering.	Point at which the race heads.	Point at which the race ends.	Extensions, alterations, and transfers. See No. page

SCHEDULE

For Registration of Water-rights in the Division of Beechworth District.

Progressive Number.	Hour and day of registration.	Name of person registering.	Progressive Number of the race in which the water will be conveyed.	Name of water right.	Transfers. See No. page

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

A. G. THOM,
DAVID LORIMER,
WM. H. MCNEILL,
WILLIAM WARD,
NEVILLE PRESTON NEWMAN,
JOSEPH SMART,
DONALD FLETCHER, Chairman.

} Members.

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

Gazetted on the 2nd day of April, 1863.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

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APPLICATION FOR MINING LEASE REFUSED.

It is hereby notified, in accordance with the Order in Council of the 13th October, 1862, that the undermentioned application for Lease of auriferous Crown Land has been refused:—

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—MARYBOROUGH DIVISION.
Application No. 62 (for lease No. 109), dated 13th January, 1863; applicants, J. Midgley and J. M. Higgin; 15a; Chinaman's Flat.

E. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 2nd April, 1863.

RETURN showing the Number of and Relationship of the Nominees sent for from the United Kingdom by persons resident in Victoria under the Immigration Regulations of 24th June, 1862, from 25th February, 1863, to 25th March, 1863.

COUNTRY.	Heads of Families.						Children of these.						Children in charge of Families.						Sisters.	Single Persons not with Families.				Total.			Total Males sent for.	Total Adults sent for.	Estimated Number of Families actually available.	Number not taken up.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
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Number of adults sent for during the month, 1863.

J. CHATFIELD TYLER,
Secretary and Immigration Agent.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 26th March, 1863.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA IN CATTLE.

THE subjoined Circular, which has been directed by the Commissioners appointed under the Act for preventing the further spread of the disease in cattle called Pleuro-pneumonia, to be furnished to every owner of cattle in the colony, is published for general information.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 27th March, 1863.

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[CIRCULAR.]
Pleuro-pneumonia Commission,
Old Treasury, Queen street,
1863.

SIR,

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to answer the following queries, or any of them, for the information of the Pleuro-pneumonia Commission, viz. —

QUESTIONS.

1. Number of herd ...
2. Where situated ...
3. Whether affected by Pleuro-pneumonia ...
4. When first attacked ...
5. Whether origin of disease can be traced ...
6. Amount of mortality ...
7. Whether inoculation has been resorted to ...

If so—

The mode adopted and the effect produced ...

If not—

Whether the disease has increased in virulence, or the contrary ...

8. Present state of the herd ...
9. Any general information on the subject you possess ...

REPLIES.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. M. MATSON,
Secretary.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, WEST BOURKE DISTRICT.

THE Governor in Council, by virtue of the powers conferred in the 12th clause of the Act 25 Victoria No. 151, has been pleased to direct that Hotham shall be the place of deposit, and that the building known as No. 15, Leveson street, situate therein, the building wherein authorised copies of the standard weights and measures shall be deposited for the West Bourke District, the boundaries of which are hereinafter described; and that Mr. Charles James Clowes Perry, who was appointed Inspector of Weights and Measures for the district aforesaid, shall be the keeper of the authorised copies referred to.

BOUNDARIES REFERRED TO.

The area comprised within the boundaries of the electoral districts of West Bourke and Williamstown, and the municipal district of Hotham.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROBERT S. ANDERSON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 28th March, 1863.

PETITION UNDER THE MUNICIPAL ACT. VICINITY OF SMYTHESDALE.

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 eleven householders, purporting to be the majority resident within an area adjoining to the municipal district of Smythesdale, containing an average of thirty-six resident householders for each square mile of such contiguous area, praying that their locality may be united with and form part of the said municipal district.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 24th March, 1863.

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The petitioners state that they are resident householders on the northern boundary of and on land adjacent to the municipality of Smythesdale, and that they constitute a majority of the residents in their locality, and are desirous of being included within the said municipality.

And the petitioners pray as follows, viz. —

"Your petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Excellency will be pleased to declare the locality within which they reside united to and form a part of the Smythesdale Municipality: Commencing at the north-east angle of the municipal boundary; thence by a line bearing north sixteen degrees forty-five minutes east eighty-two chains to the south boundary of McLachlan's pre-emptive right; thence west by the said boundary fifty-two chains; thence south seventy-seven chains to the northern boundary of the said municipality; thence east by the said boundary twenty-eight chains fifty links to the point of commencement."

[The signatures to the above-mentioned petition appeared in the Gazette No. 23, page 654 ante.]

AXE CREEK POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for Trespass of Cattle, and the Sustenance thereof, whilst impounded in the AXE CREEK Pound, in the District of SANDHURST, under the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 30.

Fixed by the Justices in Petty Sessions assembled at the District Court, Sandhurst, on the 6th day of March, 1863.

Description of Cattle trespassing.	In any Forest or open Pasture Land, open Stubble, After-grass, or other unenclosed Land.	In any Paddock of Grass, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	In any Garden, uncut Meadow, or Growing Crop of any kind, enclosed by a good substantial Fence.	Amount to be charged daily for sustenance whilst impounded.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
For every horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, ass, or mule	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 5 0	0 2 0
For every bull, cow, ox, heifer, steer, or calf	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 5 0	0 1 0
For every ram, ewe, sheep, or lamb	0 0 1	0 0 3	0 2 6	0 0 1
For every goat	0 0 1	0 2 0	0 10 0	0 0 1
For every pig	0 0 6	0 2 0	0 15 0	0 1 0

By Order of the Justices,
J. T. SANDERS,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Allowed by the Governor,
WILLIAM C. HAINES,
Treasurer.

KYNETON DISTRICT POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for Trespass of Cattle, and the Sustenance thereof, whilst impounded in the District of KYNETON, under the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 30.

Fixed by the Justices in Petty Sessions assembled at Kyneton, on the 23rd day of February, 1863.

Description of Cattle trespassing.	In any Forest or open Pasture Land, open Stubble, After-grass, or other unenclosed Land.	In any Paddock of Grass, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	In any Garden, uncut Meadow, or Growing Crop of any kind, enclosed by good substantial Fence.	Amount to be charged daily or any portion of a day for sustenance whilst impounded.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
For every horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, ass, mule, bull, cow, ox, heifer, steer, calf (sucking calves and foals under six months old excepted)	0 0 6	0 3 6	0 7 6	0 3 0
For every ram, ewe, sheep, or lamb	0 0 2	0 0 3	0 1 0	0 0 2
For every goat	0 2 6	0 5 0	0 10 0	0 0 6
For every pig	0 2 6	0 5 0	1 0 0	0 1 6

By Order of the Justices,
H. WEIGALL,
Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Allowed by the Governor,
WILLIAM C. HAINES,
Treasurer.

LANCEFIELD DISTRICT POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for Trespass of Cattle, and the Sustenance thereof, whilst impounded in the LANCEFIELD Pound, under the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 30.

Fixed by the Justices in Petty Sessions assembled at Lancefield, on the 10th day of February, 1863.

Description of Cattle trespassing.	In any Forest or open Pasture Land, open Stubble, After-grass, or other unenclosed Land.	In any Paddock of Grass, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	In any Garden, uncut Meadow, or Growing Crop of any kind, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	Amount to be charged daily for sustenance whilst impounded.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	1st day, 2nd day, s. d. s. d.
For every horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, ass, mule, bull, cow, ox, heifer, steer, calf (sucking calves and foals under six months old excepted)	0 0 6	0 2 0	0 5 0	Horses 2 0 4 0 Cattle 1 6 3 0
For every ram, ewe, sheep, or lamb	0 0 2	0 0 6	0 2 6	0 1 0 2
For every goat	0 5 0	0 10 0	1 0 0	0 3 0 6
For every pig	0 5 0	0 10 0	1 0 0	0 9 1 6

By Order of the Justices,
J. RENNIE,
Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Allowed by the Governor,
WILLIAM C. HAINES,
Treasurer.

MORTLAKE POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for Trespass of Cattle, and the Sustenance thereof, whilst impounded in the Public Pound at MORTLAKE, in the District of MORTLAKE, under the provisions of the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 30.

Fixed by the Justices in Petty Sessions assembled at Mortlake, on the 4th day of March, 1863.

Description of Cattle trespassing.	In any Forest or open Pasture Land, open Stubble, After-grass, or other unenclosed Land.	In any Paddock of Grass, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	In any Garden, uncut Meadow, or Growing Crop of any kind, enclosed by a good substantial Fence.	Amount to be charged daily for sustenance whilst impounded. Each day to be reckoned to consist of 24 hours, to be computed from 12 o'clock p.m. to 12 o'clock p.m.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
For every horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, ass, mule	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 2 0
For every bull, cow, ox, heifer, steer, calf	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 1 6
For every ram, ewe, sheep, or lamb	3d. each for any number not exceeding Five hundred; for all over and above Five hundred 1d. each	0 1 0	0 2 6	1d. each for any number not exceeding Five hundred; for all over and above Five hundred 1d. each.
	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
For every goat	0 0 6	0 2 6	0 10 0	0 0 6
For every pig	0 0 6	0 2 6	0 15 0	0 2 0

By Order of the Justices,
S. DESPAID,
Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Allowed by the Governor,
WILLIAM C. HAINES,
Treasurer.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of the 47th section of *The Land Act, 1862*, that applications have been forwarded to the Board of Land and Works, by the several persons named in the following schedule, for Leases of the portions of Crown lands described therein, for the purposes of establishing the several enterprises therein specified, under the provisions and subject to the conditions prescribed in the 47th and 48th sections of the said Act.

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne, 20th March, 1863.

Name.	Particulars of the Land applied for.					Proposed Term of years.	Description.	General purposes for which Lease is sought, and other particulars.
	Area.	Allotment.	Section.	Parish.	County.			
22. Alexander Whyte	A. R. P. 30 0 0	...	68	Warrnambool	Bourke	30	Commencing at the south-east corner, bearing west thirteen chains and north sixteen chains eighty links from the south-west angle of portion 68; bounded on the east by a line bearing north about fourteen chains ninety links; thence by a line bearing west about nineteen chains fifty links to the Saltwater River; thence on the west and south by that river to the point of commencement.	Cultivation of flax and hemp for rope manufacture.
23. Thos. Sparey	25 0 0	...	...	Unnamed	Talbot	30	Commencing at the north-east angle of portion 6, parish of Bullarook; thence east ten chains; thence south twenty-five chains; thence west ten chains; thence north twenty-five chains to the point of commencement.	Establishing a vineyard for wine manufacture, orchard for cider, also tobacco.
24. Jules Jonas Dardel	4 3 24	...	15	Warrnambool	Grant	30	Commencing at a point on the eastern boundary of section 15, seventeen chains ninety-five links from the south-east angle; bounded on the east by a road bearing S. 14° W. twelve chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing N. 58° W. four chains fifty links; thence N. 14° E. ten chains seventy-four links; thence S. 76° E. four chains thirty links to the point of commencement.	Establishing a vineyard for wine manufacture.
25. John Bailes	30 0 0	29	3	Clunes	Talbot	30	Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 25; thence bounded on the north by part of that allotment bearing east sixteen chains eighty-one links; thence by a line bearing south fifteen chains; thence west twenty-four chains twenty-nine links; thence by a road bearing N. 25° E. ten chains seventy-six links and N. 10° E. five chains thirty-three links to the point of commencement. Subject to reservation of a roadway to the east and of allotment 29.	Establishing a vineyard for wine making, also to cultivate chicory. Site comprised in the Beckworth, Glendaruel, &c., Farmers' Common.
26. David Williams	30 0 0	...	...	Daravett Guin	Bourke	30	Commencing at a point on the Saltwater River fourteen chains north of the north-east angle of section 23; thence bounded on the south by a line bearing east twenty-two chains; thence north ten chains; thence west twenty-two chains to the Saltwater River; thence by that river bearing southerly to the point of commencement.	Vineyard for the manufacture of wine; tobacco.
27. George Kemp	30 0 0	31	...	Smeaton	Talbot	30	Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 31; thence bounded on the south by a line bearing west thirty chains; thence by a line bearing north ten chains; thence by a line bearing east thirty chains; thence by a line bearing south ten chains to the point of commencement.	Vineyard for the manufacture of wine. Site comprised in the Beckworth, Glendaruel, &c., Farmers' Common.
28. Randolph Kemp	30 0 0	31	...	Smeaton	Talbot	30	Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 31; bounded on the east by a line bearing south ten chains; thence west thirty chains; thence north ten chains; thence east thirty chains to the point of commencement.	Vineyard for the manufacture of wine, orchard for cider. Site comprised in the Beckworth, Glendaruel, &c., Farmers' Common.
29. Alexander McDonald	30 0 0	...	21	Glenormiston	Hampden	30	Commencing at the north-east angle of section 21; bounded on the east by a road bearing south ten chains; thence by a line bearing west thirty chains; thence north ten chains; thence east thirty chains to the point of commencement.	Establishing a vineyard for the manufacture of wine.
30. Augustus Sheb-ler	30 0 0	B	5	Djerri-warh	Bourke	5	Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment B, on the Toolam Toolern Creek; bounded on the north by a line bearing west twenty-nine chains thirty-six links; thence south ten chains forty links; thence east about twenty-one chains to the Toolam Toolern Creek; thence by that creek bearing north-easterly to the point of commencement.	Vineyard for the manufacture of wine; olives for oil; mulberry plantation for rearing native silkworms; tobacco and tea.
31. Rudolph Sheb-ler	20 0 0	B	5	Djerri-warh	Bourke	5	Commencing at a point on the Toolam Toolern Creek, being the south-east corner of application No. 30; bounded on the north by that allotment, bearing west about twenty-one chains; thence by a line bearing south ten chains ninety links; thence east about twenty-five chains to the Toolam Toolern Creek; thence by that creek bearing north-westerly to the point of commencement.	Culture of vines for wine making; mulberries for rearing silkworms; olives for oil; also tea and tobacco. Situated partly upon the Melton Town Common.
13* S. A. Bryant	26 1 28 A, B, and C	...	21	Moortparryal	Grant	30	Government survey	Vineyard for wine-making, and the establishment of an experimental orange and olive grove.

MEMORANDUM RELATIVE TO LEASES FOR ROYAL INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES.—The object of publishing these applications is to afford opportunity for lodging objections to the granting of Leases of the sites applied for.

Applicants are informed that any proposal to establish orchards, unless accompanied by an undertaking to try the fruit to be cultivated thereon, or to employ it in the manufacture of cider, Perry, or brandy (which undertaking must be made a condition of the lease), will not be considered.

Note.—The foregoing technical descriptions in some instances only give approximately the position and area of the sites applied for, and in such, and all other cases, are subject to any modifications that may be found necessary.

* repeated in consequence of a clerical error.

LANDS TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of the 8th section of *The Land Act, 1863*, that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to permanently reserve from sale the lands hereinafter described, for the purposes specified in connection with each description, viz.:-

CHERTON (Golden Point, near Castlemaine).—The addition to the site at Golden Point for Roman Catholic Church purposes, *permanently* reserved by Order of 1st December, 1863, and described as "No. 2" in the *Government Gazette* of the 26th of December last and subsequent issues, requires to be corrected as follows, viz. instead of "bounded on part of the north by a line bearing S. 84° 7' E. three chains eighty-seven links," read "bounded on part of the north by a line bearing S. 84° 7' E. two chains eighty-seven links."—(62.F.9623)—Gazetted (1st) on 18th March, 1863.

FOOTSCRAY.—Site at Footscray for the purposes of a Mechanics Institute, to be *permanently* reserved pursuant to Order of 9th March, 1863.—One rood, county of Bourke, parish of Cut-paw-paw: Commencing at the intersection of Nicholson street with the north side of a Government road, being a continuation of Napier street; thence by the north side of said Government road, bearing south-easterly two chains forty-nine and a half links; thence by a line north one chain twenty-one links; thence by a straight line bearing north-westerly to a point one chain north from the commencing point; thence by a line south one chain to the point of commencement. Area, one rood.—(63.G.1934.)—Gazetted (1st) on 18th March, 1863.

KEILOR.—Site at Keilor for Roman Catholic Church purposes, to be *permanently* reserved pursuant to Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Two acres, county of Bourke, parish of Douita Gallia: Commencing at the north-west angle of portion 17; bounded on the north by part of portion 16, bearing west five chains; on the west by a road bearing south two chains ninety links; on the south by a drain bearing south-easterly to a point on said drain bearing due south of the commencing point; and on the east by portion 17, bearing north five chains eleven links to the point of commencement.—(62.E.9352.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

MELBOURNE (EAST).—Site at East Melbourne for German Lutheran Church purposes, to be *permanently* reserved pursuant to Order of 9th March, 1863.—Three roods, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne, being allotments 18, 19, and 20, of block 4: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 19; bounded on the north by Grey street west, being east two chains; on the east by allotment 17 and part of allotment 2, bearing south three chains seventy-five links; on the south by allotment 1, bearing west two chains; and on the west by Gisborne street, bearing north three chains seventy-five links to the point of commencement.—(63.G.1945.)—Gazetted (1st) on 18th March, 1863.

NEWTOWN AND CHILWELL.—Site at Newtown and Chilwell for Roman Catholic Church purposes (orphanage), to be *permanently* reserved pursuant to Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Three acres, county of Grant, parish of Moorparanval, being part allotment 1, section 10: Commencing at the north-east angle, being a point bearing west five chains from the south-east angle of allotment 2; bounded on the north by part of allotment 2, bearing west seven chains fifty links; on the west by a line bearing south four chains; on the south by a road bearing east seven chains fifty links; and on the east by the Wesleyan Church reserve, bearing north four chains to the point of commencement.—(62.F.9245.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

C. GAVAN DUFFY.

LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of the 9th section of *The Land Act, 1863*, that the Governor in Council has temporarily reserved from sale the lands hereinafter described for the several purposes specified in connection with each description, viz.:-

BALLAARAT EAST.—Site at Ballaarat East for Cattle-yards, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Eleven acres three roods twenty-two perches, county of Grant, parish of Ballaarat: Commencing at the north-west angle, being the point of intersection of the east side of Belford street with the south side of George street; bounded on the north by George street, bearing N. 66° 8' E. ten chains eleven links; on the east by Rodier street, bearing S. 23° 52' E. thirteen chains eighty-seven links; on the south by a line bearing S. 89° W. ten chains ninety-six links; and on the west by Belford street, bearing N. 23° 52' W. nine chains sixty-five links to the commencing point.—(63.H.1489.)—Gazetted (1st) on 10th March, 1863.

BALLAARAT EAST.—Two portions of land at Ballaarat East for Church of England purposes (in addition to one rood in Clayton street, Ballaarat East, already reserved for those purposes), *temporarily* reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—

1. Starting from the south-east angle of block S, Main street, Ballaarat East, in a line bearing S. 82° 32' E. one chain twenty-five links and S. 82° 40' E. one chain; bounded on the west by a line bearing N. 7° 20' E. two chains fifty links; on the north by a right-of-way fifty links wide, bearing S. 83° 40' E. one chain; on the east by the present reserve, bearing S. 7° 20' W. two chains fifty links; and on the south by Clayton street, bearing N. 82° 40' W. one chain to the commencing point. Area, one rood.

2. Also, commencing at a point bearing N. 7° 20' E. fifty links from the north-west corner of the above described reserve; bounded on the west by a line bearing further N. 7° 20' E. two chains fifty links; on the north by a line bearing S. 82° 40' E. two chains; on the east by a line bearing S. 7° 20' W. two

chains fifty links; and on the south by a right-of-way fifty links wide, bearing N. 82° 40' W. two chains to the commencing point. Area, two roods.—(62.E.11653.)—Gazetted (1st) on 10th March, 1863.

BALLAARAT EAST.—Two sites in the municipal district of Ballaarat East, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 9th March, 1863, for drainage and other public purposes, the control whereof is vested in the municipal council, subject to the condition that the persons now in legal occupation of the land be adequately compensated by the said municipal council for their removal therefrom:—

1. Between Peel and Humfray streets: Commencing at a point bearing S. 2° 19' W. fifty links from the south-east corner of allotment 23 of block I, Mair street, Ballaarat East; bounded on the east by a right-of-way, bearing S. 2° 19' W. four chains eighty-four links; on the south by a right-of-way, bearing west one chain twenty-three links; on the west by a right-of-way, bearing north four chains eighty-four links; and on the north by a right-of-way, bearing east one chain forty-three links to the commencing point. (Note.—The above rights-of-way are fifty links wide.) Area of reserve, two roods and twenty-three perches.

2. Between Humfray and East streets: Commencing at the south-west corner of allotment 23 of block E, Mair street, Ballaarat East; bounded on the north by allotments 23, 24, 23, and 22 of said block, bearing east one chain eighty links; on the east by a right-of-way, bearing S. 2° 19' W. two chains thirty-eight links; on the south-east by a right-of-way fifty links wide, bearing S. 60° 27' W. two chains twelve links; and on the west by a right-of-way fifty links wide, bearing N. 2° 19' E. three chains forty-two links to the commencing point. Area, two roods three and six-tenths perches.—(62.E.11559.)—Gazetted (1st) on 18th March, 1863.

BALLAN.—Site at Ballan for District Road Board Office, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—One rood, county of Grant, parish of Ballan, adjoining the Mechanics Institute: Commencing at the south-west angle of the Mechanics Institute reserve; bounded on the south by Simpson street, bearing S. 80° W. two chains; on the west by a line bearing N. 10° W. one chain twenty-five links; on the north by a line bearing N. 80° E. two chains; and on the east by the Mechanics Institute reserve bearing S. 10° E. one chain twenty-five links to the point of commencement.—(63.G.399.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

BELMONT.—Site for market purposes at Belmont, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Two acres one rood nineteen perches, county of Grant, parish of Corio: Commencing at the north-east angle, being a point bearing S. 10° 47' E. two chains forty-three links, and S. 29° E. ten chains sixty-nine links from the north-east angle of allotment 3, section 25, parish of Moorparanval; bounded on the east by a road bearing S. 10° 47' E. two chains ninety-nine links, S. 10° 40' W. ninety-four links, and S. 32° 8' W. seventeen links; on the south by a line bearing S. 89° 53' W. five chains eighty-nine links; on the west by part of allotment 3, section 25, Moorparanval, bearing N. 0° 7' W. four chains; and on the north by a line bearing N. 89° 53' E. five chains sixty-one links to the point of commencement.—(63.G.394.)—Gazetted (1st) on 27th March, 1863.

BENALLA.—Site at Benalla for Primitive Methodist Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 18th March, 1863.—Area, one acre, being allotment 3, section S1: Commencing at south angle of said section; bounded on the west by Barkly street, bearing N. 26° W. six hundred and forty links; thence by the south side of allotments 1 and 2, of said section, bearing N. 64° E. three hundred and thirteen links; and thence by a road one chain wide, bearing south seven hundred and twelve links to the point of commencement.—(63.G.469.)—Gazetted (1st) on 27th March, 1863.

BRIGHT.—Site at Bright for Offices for the Buckland District Road Board, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Twenty-seven perches, county unnamed, parish of Bright: Commencing at the north-east angle, being a point bearing S. 18° E. one chain twenty-five links from the south-east angle of the Wesleyan Church reserve; bounded on the east by Ireland street, bearing S. 18° E. one chain; on the south by a line bearing S. 72° W. one chain fifty-three links to a creek; on the west by said creek northerly to a point on its bank bearing S. 72° W. from the commencing point; on the north by a line bearing N. 72° E. one chain sixty links to the point of commencement.—(63.H.1227.)—Gazetted (1st) on 24th March, 1863.

BUNGAREE.—Land in the parish of Bungaree for access to water, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863, in lieu of the site on allotment 4 of section 8, Bungaree.—One acre and thirty-two perches, part of allotment 3, section 8, Bungaree: Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 3; bounded on the east by part of allotment 4, bearing N. 21° 18' W. five chains sixty-eight links; on the north by a line bearing S. 68° 42' W. two chains; on the west by a line bearing S. 21° 18' E. six chains fifty-five links; and on the south by a road bearing N. 47° 18' E. two chains eighteen links to the point of commencement.—(63.H.895.)—Gazetted (1st) on 13th March, 1863.

BUNKER'S HILL.—Site at Bunker's Hill, near Ballaarat, for church purposes, in connection with the denomination of Bible Christians, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Commencing at a point on the northern boundary line of allotment two of section fifteen, parish of Cardigan, distant twenty-one chains from the north-west corner of said allotment; bounded on the north by a road bearing east four chains fifty-four links; on the east by a line at right angles to the last line, bearing south three chains thirty links; on the south by a line at right angles to the last line, bearing west four chains fifty-four links; and on the west by a one-chain road, bearing north three chains thirty links to the commencing point. Area, one acre and two roods.—(63.G.693.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

LEXTON—Site at Lexton for Wesleyan Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 1 of block 43, township of Lexton; bounded on the north-east by Donald's street, bearing S. 35° 53' E. three chains; on the south-east by allotment 4 of said block, bearing S. 54° 7' W. five chains; on the south-west by Hamilton street, bearing N. 35° 53' W. three chains; and on the north-west by Anderson street, bearing N. 54° 7' E. five chains to the commencing point. Allotments 1, 2, and 3 of block 43. Area, one acre two roods.—(62.F.11689.)—Gazetted (1°) on 10th March, 1863.

MARONG—Site at Marong for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Commencing at the junction of the west side of High street with the south boundary of the village of Marong; and thence bounded by lines bearing west three hundred and fifty links; north four hundred and twenty-four links; S. 79° E. four hundred and twenty-four links; and S. 11° W. three hundred and fifty links to the point of commencement. Area, one acre one rood thirty-seven perches.—(63.G.1342.)—Gazetted (1°) on 10th March, 1863.

HOTHAM—The land comprised in Munster terrace, extending from Victoria street to Arden street, in the municipal district of Hotham, ninety-nine feet wide, as indicated on a plan deposited in this office, temporarily reserved by Order of 18th March, 1863.—(63.G.2341.)—Gazetted (1°) on 27th March, 1863.

KILMORE—Site at Kilmore for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—One acre twenty-two perches, county of Dalhousie, parish of Bylands. Commencing at the north-east angle, being a point bearing west one chain fifty links from the north-west angle of allotment 10, block 37, Kilmore; bounded on the east by Hamilton street, bearing south three hundred and ninety-six feet; on the south by a line bearing west one hundred and twenty-five feet; on the west by a road forty feet wide, bearing north three hundred and ninety-six feet; and on the north by Foote street, bearing east one hundred and twenty-five feet to the point of commencement.—(62.E.11923.)—Gazetted (1°) on 6th March, 1863.

CLUNES—Site at Clunes (in lieu of the site reserved by Order of 17th December, 1860, which is cancelled) for the use of the Glendaru Agricultural Society, temporarily reserved by Order of 18th March, 1863.—Commencing at a point bearing S. 68° E. two chains from the angle formed by the junction of the east side of Service street with the south side of Victoria street, Clunes; bounded on the north by Victoria street, bearing S. 68° E. six chains; on the east by a line bearing S. 22° W. five chains; on the south by a line bearing N. 68° W. six chains; and on the west by a line bearing N. 22° E. five chains to the commencing point. Area, three acres.—(63.H.2305.)—Gazetted (1°) on 27th March, 1863.

ESSENDON AND FLEMINGTON—The land comprised in North, Middle, South, East, and West streets, in the municipal district of Essendon and Flemington, one chain in width respectively, as proclaimed in the *Gazette* of 10th March, 1863, and indicated on a plan deposited in the Office of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, temporarily reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—(63.G.1602.)—Gazetted (1°) on 10th March, 1863.

FOOTSCRAY—The land required for the extension of Wingfield street to Barkly street east, in the municipal district of Footscray, with a width of footway of 15 feet for each side, and of carriage-way, 90 feet at the east end and diminishing to 69 feet at the west end, as proclaimed in the *Gazette* of the 10th March, 1863, and indicated on a plan deposited in the Office of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, temporarily reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—(63.G.1540.)—Gazetted (1°) on 10th March, 1863.

GEELONG—Site at Geelong for Primitive Methodist Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 9th March, 1863.—Two roods, county of Grant, parish of Corio, being part of block 55 B, town of Geelong. Commencing at the south-west angle of block 55 B, bounded on the south by Little Malop street, bearing S. 79° E. two chains thirty links; on the east by a line bearing N. 11° E. two chains; on the north by a line bearing N. 79° W. two chains seventy links; and on the west by La Trobe terrace north, bearing south two chains four links to the point of commencement.—(63.H.1920.)—Gazetted (1°) on 18th March, 1863.

MELBOURNE—Extension to the site for a Sailors' Home at Melbourne, subject to the condition that the buildings now on the ground be re-erected on such portion of the Immigration Reserve as the Immigration Agent may point out, at the cost of the Committee of Management of the Sailors' Home, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—(23p.) Twenty-two perches and a half, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne. Commencing at the western angle, being a point bearing N. 62° E. one hundred and thirty-two feet from the intersection of the south-east side of Station place with the north-east side of Spencer street; bounded on the north-west by Station place, bearing N. 63° E. sixty-eight feet; on the north-east by a line bearing S. 28° E. ninety feet; on the south-east by a line bearing S. 62° W. sixty-eight feet; and on the south-west by the Sailors' Home Reserve (as originally proclaimed), bearing N. 28° W. ninety feet to the point of commencement.—(63.G.1246.)—Gazetted (1°) on 6th March, 1863.

MOLIAGUL—Site for a Mechanics' Institution at Moliagul, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—One rood, county unnamed, parish of Moliagul, being allotment 17, section 3. Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 18, bounded on the south by Cochran street, bearing S. 68° 33' W. one chain twenty-five links; on the west by High street, bearing N. 21° 27' W. two chains; on the north by part of allotment 15, bearing N. 68° 33' E. one chain twenty-five links; and on the east by allotment 18, bearing S. 21° 27' E. two chains to the point of commencement.—(63.G.235.)—Gazetted (1°) on 24th March, 1863.

No. 33.—APRIL 2, 1863.—4.

MOORABBIN—Site at Moorabbin for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863 (in lieu of the site for the same purposes reserved on the 10th of March, 1862).—Two acres, county of Bourke, parish of Moorabbin. Commencing at the north-east angle, being a point bearing south one chain from the south-east angle of portion 45; bounded on the north by a road bearing west five chains; on the west by a line bearing south four chains; on the south by a line bearing east five chains; and on the east by a road bearing north four chains to the point of commencement.—(63.G.261.)—Gazetted (1°) on 6th March, 1863.

MORANDING—Site at Moranding for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 18th March, 1863.—One acre two roods, parish of Moranding, county of Dalhousie. Commencing at the south-west corner of the water reserve in allotment 31, parish of Moranding; thence by a line bearing north six chains nineteen links; thence east two chains forty-two and one-third links; thence south six chains nineteen links; and thence west by a roadway two chains forty-two and one-third links to the commencing point.—(63.G.793.)—Gazetted (1°) on 27th March, 1863.

MORTLAKE—Site for a Telegraph and Post Office at Mortlake, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—One rood twenty-four perches, county of Hampden, parish of Mortlake, being allotment 3 of section 10, at Mortlake. Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 4, section 10; bounded on the south by the main road to Darlington and Oressy; bearing N. 46° E. one chain; on the east by allotment 2, bearing N. 44° W. four chains; on the north by a line bearing S. 46° W. one chain; and on the west by allotment 4, bearing S. 41° E. four chains to the point of commencement.—(63.H.56.)—Gazetted (1°) on 24th March, 1863.

OMEO—Site for purposes of Public Recreation at Omeo, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Ten acres, county unnamed, parish of Omeo, situate on the east side of the road from Omeo to Beechworth. Commencing at the north-west angle; bounded on the north by a line bearing S. 67° 13' E. ten chains; on the east by a line bearing S. 22° 48' W. ten chains; on the south by a line bearing N. 67° 13' W. ten chains; and on the west by the road to Beechworth, bearing N. 23° 43' E. ten chains to the point of commencement.—(63.G.532.)—Gazetted (1°) on 24th March, 1863.

PENSHURST—Site at Penshurst for a Pound, temporarily reserved by Order of 2nd March, 1863.—Commencing at the north-west corner of allotment 1, section 2, parish of Purdeet, and bearing east nine hundred and thirty-six links to point of commencement; thence north four hundred links; thence east five hundred links; thence south four hundred links; and thence west five hundred links to the commencing point. The bearings being true bearings, and the area two acres.—(62.F.10086.)—Gazetted (1°) on 10th March, 1863.

PENTRIDGE—Site at Pentridge for the purposes of the Penal Department, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Jika-jika, being part of section 1, at Pentridge. Commencing at the south-east angle of the National School reserve; bounded on the west by said school reserve, bearing north five chains; on the north by Urquhart street, bearing east one chain; on the east by a line bearing south five chains; and on the south by Bell street, bearing west one chain to the point of commencement.—(62.F.11624.)—Gazetted (1°) on 6th March, 1863.

RUTHERGLEN—Site at Rutherglen for public buildings, temporarily reserved by Order of 9th March, 1863.—Eight acres three roods twenty-three perches, county unnamed, parish of Carlyle. Commencing at the north-west angle, bearing S. 65° 13' E. from the north-east angle of the Market reserve; bounded on part of the north-east of the Market reserve, bearing S. 65° 13' E. seven chains fifty links; on part of the south-east by the Presbyterian Church reserve, bearing S. 24° 47' W. four chains; again on the north-east by said Church reserve, bearing S. 65° 13' E. two chains fifty links; again on the south-east by Wangaratta street, bearing S. 21° 47' W. five chains two links; on the south by a line bearing west two chains thirty-four links; on the south-west by a line bearing N. 65° 13' W. seven chains eighty-eight links; and on the north-west by a line and a street, bearing N. 21° 47' E. ten chains to the point of commencement.—(63.G.1221.)—Gazetted (1°) on 18th March, 1863.

SANDHURST—Site at Sandhurst for Roman Catholic Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—One acre one rood twenty-eight perches, county unnamed, parish of Sandhurst, situate north of block 73 C, Sandhurst. Commencing at the south angle, being a point bearing N. 18° 13' W. one chain seventy-eight and a half links from the north-west angle of allotment 1, block 73 C; bounded on the west by a street bearing N. 18° 13' W. four chains sixty-three and a half links; on the north by Breen street, bearing N. 77° 59' E. six chains nineteen links; and on the south-east by Gladstone street, bearing S. 39° 2' W. seven chains thirty-one and a half links to the point of commencement.—(62.E.11029.)—Gazetted (1°) on 6th March, 1863.

WAHGUNYAH—Site at Wahgunyah for the use of the Wahgunyah and Murray Valley Agricultural and Horticultural Association, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Four acres two roods, county unnamed, parish of Carlyle, being part of the land situate north of Wahgunyah pre-emptive right. Commencing at the south-east angle, being a point bearing west twenty chains from the south-west angle of allotment 3, section 3; bounded on the east by a line bearing north seven chains; on the north by a line bearing west four chains eighty-five links; on the west by a line bearing S. 24° 13' W. seven chains sixty-seven links; and on the south by a road bearing east eight chains to the point of commencement.—(63.H.861.)—Gazetted (1°) on 24th March, 1863.

WARRNAMBOOL—Site at Warrnambool for public recreation temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Twenty-nine acres three roods thirty-five perches: Commencing at a point S. 23° W. one hundred and fifty links from the south-west corner of Liebig street at its junction with Merri street; thence S. 68° E. thirty-four chains fifty links; thence S. 22° W. nine chains; thence N. 68° W. ten chains forty links; thence N. 79° 21' W. six chains sixty links; thence N. 54° 18' W. eighteen chains fifteen links; thence N. 22° E. six chains to the point of commencement.—(73.G.678.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

WICKLIFFE—Site at Wickliffe for a cemetery, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd February, 1863.—Six acres, county of Ripon, parish of Wickliffe: Commencing at the north-west angle, being a point bearing south one chain west nine chains twenty-one links, and S. 50° 50' W. one chain twelve links from the east angle of the pound reserve; bounded on the north by a road bearing east nine chains; on the east by a road bearing south six chains sixty-seven links; on the south by a line bearing west nine chains; and on the west by a road bearing north six chains sixty-seven links to the point of commencement.—(61.D.9106.)—Gazetted (1st) on 6th March, 1863.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 1863.

**SALE (No. 731) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT BEALIBA, COCHRANE'S DIGGINGS, ON 5TH
MAY, 1863.**

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

IN pursuance of the fortieth section of *The Land Act, 1862*, the Board of Land and Works hereby give notice that a public auction will be held at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the fifth day of May next, at the Charlie Napier Hotel, Cochrane's, for the sale of Crown 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.

TOWN LOTS.

BEALIBA, COUNTY UNNAMED.

*Situated at Cochrane's Diggings, about twelve miles west from
Dunolly, on the road to St. Arnaud.*

- Lot 1. Allotment 1, section 1, 3a. 2r. 17p. Upset price 3*l*. per acre.
- Lot 2. Allotment 2, section 1, 3a. 3r. 36p. Upset price 4*l*. per acre. Valuation 35*l*.
- Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 1, 3r. 27p. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 4. Allotment 4, section 1, 2a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 5. Allotment 5, section 1, 2a. 1r. 22p. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 6. Allotment 6, section 1, 3a. 2r. 8p. Upset price 3*l*. per acre.
- Lot 7. Allotment 1, section 2, 1a. 2r. 32p. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 8. Allotment 2, section 2, 1a. 2r. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 9. Allotment 3, section 2, 1a. 2r. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 10. Allotment 4, section 2, 1a. 2r. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 11. Allotment 2, section 3, 2a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 12. Allotment 3, section 3, 1a. 2r. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 13. Allotment 4, section 3, 1a. 2r. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 14. Allotment 1, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 15. Allotment 2, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 16. Allotment 3, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 17. Allotment 4, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 18. Allotment 5, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 19. Allotment 6, section 4, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 20. Allotment 1, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 21. Allotment 2, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 22. Allotment 3, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 23. Allotment 4, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 24. Allotment 5, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 25. Allotment 6, section 5, 1a. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 26. Allotment 1, section 6, 1r. 34p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 27. Allotment 2, section 6, 2r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 28. Allotment 3, section 6, 2r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 29. Allotment 4, section 6, 1r. 16p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 30. Allotment 1, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 31. Allotment 2, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 32. Allotment 3, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 33. Allotment 4, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 34. Allotment 5, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 35. Allotment 6, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 36. Allotment 7, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 37. Allotment 8, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 38. Allotment 9, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 39. Allotment 10, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 40. Allotment 11, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 41. Allotment 12, section 7, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.

- Lot 42. Allotment 1, section 8, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 43. Allotment 2, section 8, 30p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 35*l*.
- Lot 44. Allotment 3, section 8, 1r. 24p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 250*l*.
- Lot 45. Allotment 4, section 8, 30p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 6*l*.
- Lot 46. Allotment 5, section 8, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 47. Allotment 6, section 8, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
President.

Office of the Board of Land Works,
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 732) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT BEALIBA, COCHRANE'S DIGGINGS, ON 6TH
MAY, 1863.**

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

IN pursuance of the fortieth section of *The Land Act, 1862*, the Board of Land and Works hereby give notice that a public auction will be held at Eleven o'clock of Wednesday, the sixth day of May next, at the Charlie Napier Hotel, Cochrane's, for the sale of Crown Lands in fee simple.

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TOWN LOTS.

BEALIBA, COUNTY UNNAMED.

*Situated at Cochrane's Diggings, about twelve miles west from
Dunolly, on the road to St. Arnaud.*

- Lot 1. Allotment 8, section 8, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 2. Allotment 9, section 8, 1r.
- Lot 3. Allotment 10, section 8, 1r.
- Lot 4. Allotment 11, section 8, 1r.
- Lot 5. Allotment 12, section 8, 1r.
- Lot 6. Allotment 13, section 8, 1r. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 120*l*.
- Lot 7. Allotment 14, section 8, 1r. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 8. Allotment 1, section 9, 36p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 50*l*.
- Lot 9. Allotment 2, section 9, 1r. 8p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 200*l*.
- Lot 10. Allotment 3, section 9, 30p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 30*l*.
- Lot 11. Allotment 4, section 9, 32p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 30*l*.
- Lot 12. Allotment 5, section 9, 30p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 13. Allotment 6, section 9, 30p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 14. Allotment 7, section 9, 1r. 16p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 15. Allotment 8, section 9, 1r. 2p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 15*l*.
- Lot 16. Allotment 9, section 9, 2a. 3r. 5p. Upset price 4*l*. per acre.
- Lot 17. Allotment 1, section 10, 24p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 50*l*.
- Lot 18. Allotment 2, section 13, 20p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 19. Allotment 3, section 10, 20p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 20. Allotment 4, section 10, 36p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 10*l*.
- Lot 21. Allotment 5, section 10, 34p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 380*l*.
- Lot 22. Allotment 6, section 10, 1r. 18p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 20*l*.
- Lot 23. Allotment 7, section 10, 25p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 24. Allotment 8, section 10, 20p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 25. Allotment 1, section 11, 11p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 30*l*.
- Lot 26. Allotment 2, section 11, 19p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 50*l*.
- Lot 27. Allotment 3, section 11, 23p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 28. Allotment 4, section 11, 24p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 29. Allotment 5, section 11, 24p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 30. Allotment 1, section 12, 21p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 45*l*.
- Lot 31. Allotment 2, section 12, 33p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 32. Allotment 3, section 12, 1r. 3p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 33. Allotment 4, section 12, 1r. 16p. Upset price 8*l*. per acre.
- Lot 34. Allotment 5, section 12, 2r. 22p. Upset price 16*l*. per acre. Valuation 200*l*.
- Lot 35. Allotment 6, section 12, 2r. 4p. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 36. Allotment 7, section 12, 2r.
- Lot 37. Allotment 1, section 13, 1a. 0r. 27p. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 38. Allotment 2, section 13, 1a. 0r. 27p. One month allowed to remove improvements.

Lot 39. Allotment 3, section 13, 1a.
 Lot 40. Allotment 4, section 13, 1a.
 Lot 41. Allotment 5, section 13, 1a.
 Lot 42. Allotment 6, section 13, 1a.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
 Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 733) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
 AT CASTLEMAINE, ON 5TH MAY, 1863.**

To be conducted by JOSEPH A. PANTON, Esq., Land Officer.

IN pursuance of the fortieth section of *The Land Act, 1862*, the Board of Land and Works hereby give notice that a public auction will be held at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the fifth day of May next, at the Government Auction Room, Market Square, Castlemaine, for the sale of Crown 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.

TOWN LOTS.

VAUGHAN, COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF FRYERS.

Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 44, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 2. Allotment 45, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 3. Allotment 46, section 1, 1r. 2*4p.* One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 4. Allotment 47, section 1, 1r. 7*4p.*
- Lot 5. Allotment 48, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 6. Allotment 49, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 7. Allotment 50, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 8. Allotment 51, section 1, 1r.
- Lot 9. Allotment 52, section 1, 1r.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF FRYERS.

Situated near to Edhouse's Brewery on the Bald Hill.

- Lot 10. Allotment 10, section 10, 1r. 35*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 11. Allotment 12, section 10, 1r. 17*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 12. Allotment 13, section 10, 1r. 8*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 13. Allotment 14A, section 10, 1r. 35*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 14. Allotment 15 A, section 10, 1r. 35*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 15. Allotment 16, section 10, 2r. 0*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 16. Allotment 17, section 10, 1r. 14*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 17. Allotment 18, section 10, 33*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 18. Allotment 19, section 10, 1r. 24*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 19. Allotment 20, section 10, 1r. 24*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 20. Allotment 21, section 10, 1r. 36*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 21. Allotment 22, section 10, 2r. 4*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 22. Allotment 32, section 10, 1r. 24*p.* Upset price 12*l.* per acre. Valuation 10*l.*
- Lot 23. Allotment 33, section 10, 1r. 21*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 24. Allotment 34, section 10, 26*4p.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre. Valuation 80*l.*

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF FRYERS.

Situated near the Kangaroo Creek.

- Lot 25. Allotment 22 A, section 1, 3r. 16*p.* Upset price 10*l.* per acre. Valuation 9*l.*
- Lot 26. Allotment 25 A, section 1, 3r. 8*p.* Upset price 10*l.* per acre. Valuation 85*l.*
- Lot 27. Allotment 28, section 1, 3r. 34*p.* Valuation 15*l.*
- Lot 28. Allotment 29, section 1, 3r. 80*p.* Valuation 40*l.*
- Lot 29. Allotment 30, section 1, 3r. 8*p.* Valuation 40*l.*
- Lot 30. Allotment 34, section 1, 1a. 8r. 19*4p.* Valuation 13*l.*
- Lot 31. Allotment 39, section 1, 1a. 2r. 0*4p.* Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 27*l.*
- Lot 32. Allotment 45, section 1, 1a. 0r. 6*4p.* Upset price 10*l.* per acre. Valuation 15*l.*
- Lot 33. Allotment 49, section 1, 1a. 0r. 17*p.* Upset price 10*l.* per acre. Valuation 40*l.*
- Lot 34. Allotment 57, section 1, 3r. 6*p.* Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 50*l.*
- Lot 35. Allotment 2, section 1 A, 1a. 2r. 6*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 36. Allotment 5, section 1 A, 1a. 3r. 35*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 37. Allotment 6, section 1 A, 1a. 3r. 20*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre. Valuation 30*l.*
- Lot 38. Allotment 7, section 1 A, 1a. 3r. 34*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 39. Allotment 8, section 1 A, 2a. 0r. 9*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.

- Lot 40. Allotment 9, section 1 A, 2a. 1r. 27*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 41. Allotment 10, section 1 A, 2a. 2r. 26*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 42. Allotment 11, section 1 A, 2a. 1r. 19*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 43. Allotment 1, section 9, 1r. 16*p.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre. Valuation 30*l.*
- Lot 44. Allotment 3 A, section 9, 1r. 16*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 45. Allotment 4 A, section 9, 1r. 16*p.* Upset price 15*l.* per acre. Valuation 500*l.*
- Lot 46. Allotment 12, section 9, 1a. 0r. 4*4p.* Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 10*l.*
- Lot 47. Allotment 14, section 9, 1a. 0r. 4*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 48. Allotment 15, section 9, 1a. 0r. 4*4p.* Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 15*l.*
- Lot 49. Allotment 16, section 9, 1a. 0r. 4*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 50. Allotment 17, section 9, 1a. 0r. 3*p.* Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 50*l.*
- Lot 51. Allotment 18, section 9, 1a. 1r. 14*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
- Lot 52. Allotment 22, section 9, 1a. 1r. 34*p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 53. Allotment 23, section 9, 1a. 1r. 11*4p.* Upset price 4*l.* per acre.

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF GUILDFORD.

Situated at the Loddon middle crossing, about one mile and a half east of the township of Guildford.

Upset price 15*l.* per acre.

- Lot 54. Allotment 15, section 7, 1r. 8*p.* Valuation 150*l.*

TOWN LOT.

FRYERS, COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF FRYERS.

Upset price 50*l.* per acre.

- Lot 55. Allotment 1, section 11 A, 1r. 37*4p.* Valuation 500*l.*

C. GAVAN DUFFY,
 President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
 Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 718) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
 AT ARARAT, ON THE 14TH APRIL, 1863.**

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 10th instant relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Ararat, on the 14th proximo: Notice is hereby given that lots 16 and 17 have been withdrawn from sale.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
 Melbourne, 27th March, 1863.

**SALE (No. 720) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
 AT ARARAT, ON THE 16TH APRIL, 1863.**

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 13th ultimo, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Ararat, on the 16th instant: Notice is hereby given that lots 1, 13, and 17, will be offered for sale at an upset price of £8 per acre.

C. GAVAN DUFFY,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
 Melbourne, 1st April, 1863.

PENAL DEPARTMENT.

EMPLOYMENT OF DISCHARGED PRISONERS.

PRISONERS of the undermentioned trades, who will be discharged from penal establishments during the month of April next, are desirous of obtaining employment. Persons who may wish to engage any of them are requested to apply at the Offices of the Penal Department, corner of William and La Trobe streets, where further information will be afforded:—

- 3 stonecutters (competent).
- 1 wheelwright and turner.
- 1 draper (competent).
- 1 blacksmith (competent).
- 1 baker (competent).
- 1 harness maker (competent).
- 1 bricklayer (competent).
- 1 painter (competent).
- 1 shoemaker (competent).
- 1 carpenter (competent).
- 1 stockrider (competent).
- 1 stockman (competent).
- 1 able seaman.
- 5 boys and youths under 18 years of age.

This notice is issued experimentally, with a view of ascertaining how far benevolent individuals may be disposed to assist in endeavoring to provide employment for discharged prisoners, in order to avert the consequences which, however well-disposed, they can hardly escape if unable at once to procure the means of earning an honest livelihood.

It is requested that early application may be made by parties desirous of employing any of the above persons.

W. CHAMP,
 Inspector General.

Inspector General's Office,
 Melbourne, 26th March, 1863.

WYNDHAM ROAD DISTRICT.

RULES to Regulate the Proceedings of the Wyndham District Road Board.

1. The business of the board shall be conducted with open doors.

2. The regular meetings of the board shall be held on the first Wednesday of each month, at Two p.m., or as soon as a quorum of three is present; but, at the expiry of half an hour, should there be no quorum, the meeting shall be adjourned till the following Wednesday, a minute being taken of the members present.

3. Special meetings may be summoned by the clerk on his receiving a written requisition signed by three members, stating the matter to be brought forward at such meeting. The clerk shall give notice thereof to each member, by post, five clear days before such meeting.

4. The order of business shall be as follows:—

1. Reading and confirming minutes.
2. Reading copies of letters sent.
3. Reading letters received and ordering thereon.
4. Reception of and reading petitions.
5. Reports of permanent committees.
6. Reports of special committees.
7. Orders of the day.
8. Motions of which previous notice shall have been given.
9. Giving notices of motion.

5. The minutes of the previous meeting, when confirmed, shall be signed by the chairman, and no discussion shall be allowed thereon except as to their accuracy.

6. All communications addressed to the board shall be in a proper form, and shall be presented by one of the members, or by the secretary, who shall be responsible for its being respectfully worded.

7. On the presentation of petitions, no debate shall take place thereon, and the only question that shall be entertained on the occasion of its presentation shall be that the petition shall be received and taken into consideration after the orders of the day, or at any future meeting, or, if necessary, that it be referred to a committee.

8. The orders of the day shall include all matters arising out of the proceedings of former meetings of the board, and any business the chairman may think fit to bring under consideration. Any member, may, however, bring forward any business he may think fit, a notice of motion having been given through the clerk seven clear days.

9. No motion entered on the notice paper shall be proceeded with unless the member giving notice, or some member authorised by him, be present. Notices not proceeded with shall be struck off the paper.

10. No bye-law shall be finally passed at the meeting at which it shall be first proposed, nor until the next monthly meeting of the board, and such bye-law shall in the meantime remain open for the inspection of the ratepayers at the office of the board, free of all charge.

11. Any member shall have power to move for a call of the whole board to rescind a motion previously passed during the official year, and on such motion being carried, the clerk shall give notice thereof by post to each member.

12. The presiding chairman's ruling shall be final in all matters of order or practice, and he shall state the same without comment or argument.

13. Every motion or amendment shall be entered in the minutes, with the name of the mover and seconder, and in a division thereon the votes shall be recorded.

14. One amendment only shall be discussed at a time, but another may be moved before the original motion is put to the vote.

15. Any member proposing a motion or amendment, or if speaking on any matter, must rise and address the chairman. No member when speaking shall be interrupted unless called to order, when he shall sit down, in which case the member calling to order shall be heard thereon in preference to any other, and the question of order shall be disposed of by the chairman before the subject is resumed or any other matter entered upon.

16. All questions before the board shall be decided by open voting, unless a motion for any particular question is made and carried that it shall be by ballot.

17. No discussion shall be allowed on any motion for adjournment, and any business undisposed of shall have precedence at the next meeting of the board.

18. No motion, the effect of which would rescind a motion previously carried during the official year, shall be entertained, unless by a call of the board, and once negatived shall not again be introduced.

19. Any member using any offensive expression towards another member, shall be required by the board to withdraw such expression and make a satisfactory apology.

20. Any member may require the clerk to take down the particular words used by a member immediately on the same being used.

21. Any member of the board may enter his protest against any resolution of the board, on the adoption of the resolution to be protested against, and the protest shall be entered in the minute-book, and be signed by the member or members protesting.

22. Notices of motion may, in cases of emergency, be dispensed with, provided that not more than three members be absent.

23. No election to any office at the disposal of the board shall take place until six clear days' public notice shall have been given in the *Argus* newspaper inviting qualified applications.

24. All contracts shall be made by tender, advertised twice in the *Argus* newspaper, unless the board shall otherwise direct. Tenders shall be endorsed and directed to the chairman, and be only opened at the time of their consideration. The names of

the tenderers, with the amount of tender, shall be entered in the minutes of the board. When any tender shall exceed the amount of Fifty pounds, the tenderer shall, at his own cost, enter into a bond and find security for the due performance of his contract, which bond shall be signed by himself, two securities, and two members of the board.

25. No officer or member of the board shall have any pecuniary interest, either directly or indirectly, in any contract under the board.

26. All payments shall be made monthly by cheque, signed by the chairman and one other member of the board, and countersigned by the secretary, and no such cheques shall be given unless they be passed at a regular meeting of the board.

27. In all cases it shall be considered sufficient for the collector to apply once for any assessment, and in the event of its not being paid before the expiry of one month, legal proceedings may be taken for its recovery.

28. The collector shall, not less than once a week, pay into the hands of the treasurer all moneys received by him, and shall furnish the clerk with an account of such moneys.

29. The treasurer shall place all money received from the collector to the credit of the board in the Union Bank, Melbourne. The collector and treasurer shall present their accounts at each monthly meeting of the board.

WM. LEAKE,
THOS. SAYERS,
JOHN MOSS,
E. ARMSTRONG,
WILLIAM DOHERTY,
RT. CHIRNSIDE.
ROBERT CHIRNSIDE,
Chairman.

The foregoing Rules, made by the Wyndham District Road Board, have been approved by the Governor in Council, on the 23rd of March, 1863.

W. H. F. MITCHELL.

Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne.

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WEEKLY ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

ABSTRACT OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN REGISTRATION DISTRICTS DURING THE WEEK ENDING 28TH MARCH, 1863.

District.	Deputy Registrar.	Births.	Deaths.
Boroondara	J. D. Bragge	3	2
Brighton	S. P. Simmonds	6	2
Brunswick	Joseph George	3	2
Collingwood	Samuel Allen	27	11
Flemington	Joseph Paterson	3	1
Footscray	B. Robinson	7	1
Kew	P. Barnard	2	0
Melbourne	D. J. Tierney	50	27
Prahran	John Tulloch	2	1
Richmond	W. H. Lagoe	9	1
Sandridge	Andrew Plummer	3	1
Emerald Hill	Andrew Plummer	8	2
South Yarra	E. B. Taylor	5	0
St. Kilda	F. T. Van Hemert	no return	
Williamstown	Edmund Burke	11	1
		189	62

The mortality rate continues favorable.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,

Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 1st April, 1863.

REGISTERED FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

IN accordance with the Act of Council 18 Victoria No. 41, called *The Friendly Societies Act 1855*, it is hereby notified that the rules of "The Third Union Benefit Building and Investment Society," certified in conformity with the provisions of the said Act, have this day been duly registered.

Dated the 1st day of April, A.D. 1863.

JOHN LASCELLES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Friendly Societies Office
(Government Offices), Melbourne.

UNCLAIMED WRECK.

TO be sold, at the Customs Station, Western Port, on Friday, the 10th April next, at Twelve o'clock,

1 log of cedar
1 cask of tallow

THO. DRYBURGH.

Custom House,
Melbourne, 20th March, 1863.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED—(Series 1863).

For what purpose Contract is required.	No. of tenders.	Particulars of each Tender, and Amount recommended for acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	If Contractor previously.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorised by the Governor.
626. Police ...	1	Supplying until 31st January, 1864, at Kilmore, straw, at £3 10s. per ton	£3 10s. rate	John Dwyer...	No	Forage General service, 1863 (in lieu of contract 487 of 1863, cancelled)	J. O'Shanassy.
627. Ditto ...	1	Ditto, at Carisbrook, oats, at 7s. per bushel	7s. rate	Charles Napier	No		
628. Ditto ...	1	Undertaking funerals at Inglewood, during the remainder of 1863	See schedule A.	Charles Isaac	No		

Melbourne, 2nd April, 1863.

SCHEDULE A. TO CONTRACT No. 628.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To supply coffins for children under ten years of age, each ...	1	5	0	To dig graves of suitable dimensions for adults, including minister's and interment fees ...	1	10	0
The like for adults, each ...	3	5	0	To dig graves for children under twelve years of age, including ditto, each ...	1	5	0
To convey, in a suitable manner, the coffins containing the bodies, for each journey, per mile one way ...	0	7	6				

Tenders.

RAILWAY WORKS, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on the undermentioned days.
Tenders are to be endorsed with the subject-matter tendered for, as "Tender for ..."
The tenders are to be addressed to the undersigned, and deposited in the Railway-tender-box, at the Crown Lands Office, La Trobe street west.

Until Friday, 10th April.

For the construction of the masonry and other works, and the erection of an imported wrought-iron girder bridge at Skeleton Creek; also, for the construction of three culverts with wrought-iron girder tops, between 18 miles 11 chains and 22 miles 47 chains on the Geelong and Melbourne railway. Full particulars at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Batman's Hill.

For excavation, platform walls, platelaying, sheep-pens, yards, &c., at North Melbourne Station. Full particulars at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Batman's Hill.

W. H. F. MITCHELL,

Commissioner of Railways and Roads.

Office of Railways, William street, Melbourne.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 10th April, for the supply of 27 sets Weights, Measures, Stamps, Brands, Beams and Scales, Circular Glasses, Boxes, and for Engraving (to specification).

Tenderers must state the time in which they undertake to complete the contract, and a deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of same will be required on acceptance.

Specification may be seen and full particulars obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, to whom tenders are to be addressed.

ROBERT S. ANDERSON,

Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, 27th March, 1863.

FRESH MEAT.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 10th April, for the supply of Fresh Meat in the Melbourne district, during the remainder of the year 1863.

The terms and conditions of contract will be those dated 4th November, 1862, and published in the *Government Gazette*, page 2206.

Forms of tender, with full particulars, can be obtained from the Government Storekeeper, Melbourne, to whom tenders are to be addressed.

JOHN O'SHANASSY.

Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne, 27th March, 1863.

BUILDINGS AT WATTS' CREEK, UPPER YARRA.

TENDERS will be received at this office until Twelve o'clock on Friday, the 10th April, for the erection of Temporary Wooden Buildings at Watts' Creek, for an Aboriginal School, &c.

Each tender must be accompanied by plans and sections of the buildings proposed, the total cost of which is not to exceed £350, but to be arranged for future extension.

Full particulars at this office.

The Central Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

(By Order of the Board) R. BROUGH SMYTH, Secretary.

Office of the Central Board for Aborigines, Queen street, Melbourne, 20th March, 1863.

No. 33.—APRIL 2, 1863.—5.

SUNDRIES.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Friday, the 10th instant, for the supply of the undermentioned articles for the service of the Government.

Every article to be of the best and most serviceable description, and subject to approval.

Full particulars and forms of tender at this office.

*200 reams yellow wove double foolscap paper, 28lbs.

*41 reams blue laid royal paper, 50lbs, packed flat, uncut edges

113 fathoms 11-inch whale line manilla hawser, 4-strand

56 lbs. half round iron wire, 3-16 inch

56 lbs. engineers' nuts and bolts, to sample

14 lbs. each, steel wire, $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{3}{8}$ inch

1 cwt. galvanised hoop iron, 2-inch

2 sheets steel, to wire gauge 19 and 20

*14 lbs. coachmakers' panel pins, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch

6 pairs skids, to sample

24 platform boards, to specification

24 office lamps, to sample, complete

6 dating machines, ditto

40 oilskin cap covers, ditto

40 white ditto, ditto

*10 Colt's revolvers, 7-inch barrel, 6 chambers

1 eight-day clock, 9 to 12 inch dial, with chain, &c.

N.B.—Samples will be required of the articles marked thus *

J. M. SPENCE,

Government Storekeeper.

Government Stores, Melbourne, 1st April, 1863.

Courts.

INGLEWOOD.

ANNUAL LICENSING MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Inglewood, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of June next, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of taking into consideration applications for Publicans' General Licenses.

Applications to be lodged at my office on or before Tuesday, the 12th May next.

(By Order)

D. B. DALY,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House, Inglewood, 30th March, 1863.

INGLEWOOD.

REVISION OF JURY LISTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Inglewood, on Friday, the 10th day of April, 1863, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of revising the Jury Lists for Inglewood.

(By Order)

D. B. DALY,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House, Inglewood, 30th March, 1863.

MORSE'S CREEK.

REVISION OF JURY LISTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Morse's Creek, on Friday, the 10th day of April next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury Lists of Morse's Creek.

(By Order)

A. L'ESPINASSE MARTIN,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Court House, Morse's Creek, 27th March, 1863.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL SESSIONS.
MELBOURNE—Wednesday 15 April.

THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

(Pursuant to Order in Council of 12 January 1863.)

ARARAT—Monday 13 July.
 BALLAARAT—Monday 13 April.
 BEECHWORTH—Saturday 11 April.
 CASTLEMAINE—Monday 27 April.
 GEELONG—Monday 20 April.
 MARYBOROUGH—Tuesday 21 July.
 PORTLAND—Thursday 30 April.
 SANDHURST—Monday 20 April.

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

(Pursuant to the Governor's Proclamation of 12 January 1863.)

ARARAT—Tuesday 21 April.
 BEECHWORTH—Monday 27 July.
 BELFAST—Friday 15 May.
 BOURKE—At Melbourne—Friday 1 May.
 BUNINYONG AND BALLAARAT—At Ballaarat—Tuesday 2 June.
 CASTLEMAINE—Monday 15 June.
 GRANGE—At Hamilton—Wednesday 15 April.
 GRANT—At Geelong—Tuesday 2 June.
 KILMORE—Wednesday 22 April.
 KYNETON—Monday 18 May.
 MARYBOROUGH—Wednesday 6 May.
 PALMERSTON—Wednesday 22 April.
 PORTLAND—Monday 10 August.
 SALE—Friday 17 April.
 SANDHURST—Tuesday 9 June.
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 13 May.

COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—
 ARARAT—Monday 27 April
 AVOCA—Thursday 18 June.
 BACCHUS MARSH—Tuesday 5 May.
 BALLAARAT—Tuesday 9 June.
 BEECHWORTH—Wednesday 8 April.
 BELFAST—Friday 15 May.
 BENALLA—Wednesday 15 April.
 CARISBROOK—
 CASTLEMAINE—
 CHILTERN—Monday 13 April *(in lieu of 6 April)*.
 COLAC—
 CRESWICK—Wednesday 13 May.
 DANDENONG—
 DAYLESFORD—Tuesday 13 May.
 DUNOLLY—Monday 13 April.
 FRYERSTOWN—Friday 15 May.
 GEELONG—Wednesday 29 April.
 GIBBORNE—Friday 1 May.
 HAMILTON—Wednesday 15 April.
 HEATHCOTE—Tuesday 5 May.
 INGLEWOOD—
 KILMORE—Thursday 23 April.
 KYNETON—Monday 18 May.
 MALDON—Thursday 14 May.
 MARYBOROUGH—Wednesday 22 April *(in lieu of 16 March)*.
 MELBOURNE—Wednesday 8 April.
 MORSE'S CREEK—
 PALMERSTON—Wednesday 22 April.
 PLEASANT CREEK—Wednesday 27 May.
 PORTLAND—Monday 13 May.
 RAGLAN—Wednesday 6 May.
 SALE—Friday 17 April.
 SANDHURST—Wednesday 13 May.
 SMYTHESDALE—Thursday 21 May.
 TARADALE—Saturday 16 May.
 WANGARATTA—Thursday 16 April.
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 13 May.
 WEDDEBURN—
 YACKANDANDAH—

COURTS OF MINE.

ARARAT DISTRICT—
 Ararat—Thursday 30 April.
 Pleasant Creek—Tuesday 2 June.
 Raglan—Thursday 7 May.

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—

Ballaarat—Tuesday 28 April.
 Buninyong—Tuesday 19 May.
 Creswick—Monday 18 May.
 Mount Blackwood—Tuesday 22 September.
 Smythe's Creek—Thursday 21 May.
 Steiglitz—Wednesday 21 June.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—

Beechworth—Thursday 9 April.
 Chiltern—Monday 13 April *(in lieu of 6 April)*.
 Morse's Creek—
 Omeo—
 Yackandandah—

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—

Castlemaine—
 Fryerstown—Friday 15 May.
 Hepburn (Daylesford)—Tuesday 13 May.
 Maldon—Thursday 14 May.
 St. Andrew's—
 Taradale—Saturday 16 May.

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—

Amherst—
 Avoca—Monday 22 June.
 Carisbrook—
 Dunolly—Friday 10 April.
 Inglewood—
 Korong (Wedderburne)—
 Maryborough—Friday 24 April *(in lieu of 19 March)*.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—

Heathcote—Tuesday 5 May.
 Kilmore—Thursday 23 April.
 Sandhurst—Tuesday 14 April.

LICENSING COURTS—PUBLICANS.

ARARAT—Tuesday 21 April.
 BALLAARAT EAST—Wednesday 29 April.
 BALMORAL—Tuesday 21 April.
 BELFAST—Tuesday 21 April.
 BOURKE—Tuesday 21 April.
 BRANXHOLME—Tuesday 21 April.
 BRIGHTON—Tuesday 21 April.
 CARAMUT—Tuesday 21 April.
 CASTERTON—Tuesday 21 April.
 COLAC—Tuesday 21 April.
 COLERAINE—Tuesday 21 April.
 COLLINGWOOD—Tuesday 21 April.
 CRANBOURNE—Tuesday 21 April.
 DANDENONG—Tuesday 21 April.
 DIGBY—Tuesday 21 April.
 DRYSDALE—Tuesday 21 April.
 ELTHAM—Tuesday 21 April.
 EMERALD HILL—Tuesday 21 April.
 FITZ ROY—Tuesday 21 April.
 FOOTSCRAY—Tuesday 21 April.
 GARDINER—Tuesday 21 April.
 GEELONG—Tuesday 21 April.
 GIBBORNE—Tuesday 21 April.
 HAMILTON—Tuesday 21 April.
 HARBOR—Tuesday 21 April.
 HAWTHORN—Tuesday 21 April.
 HEIDELBERG—Tuesday 21 April.
 HORSHAM—Tuesday 21 April.
 HOTHAM—Tuesday 21 April.
 KEW—Tuesday 21 April.
 LANCEFIELD—Tuesday 21 April.
 MELBOURNE—Tuesday 21 April.
 MOUNT MORIAC—Tuesday 21 April.
 NEWTOWN AND CHILWELL—Tuesday 21 April.
 OAKLEIGH—Tuesday 21 April.
 PALMERSTON—Tuesday 21 April.
 PORTLAND—Tuesday 21 April.
 PRAHRAN—Tuesday 21 April.
 QUEENSLIFF—Tuesday 21 April.
 RICHMOND—Tuesday 21 April.
 ROKEWOOD—Tuesday 21 April.
 SALE—Tuesday 21 April.
 SANDRIDGE—Tuesday 21 April.
 SHELFORD—Tuesday 21 April.
 SNAPPER POINT—Tuesday 21 April.
 SOUTH BARWON—Tuesday 21 April.
 ST. KILDA—Tuesday 21 April.
 STAWELL—Tuesday 21 April.
 TALBOT—Tuesday 21 April.

WARRNAMBOOL—Tuesday 21 April.
WHITTLESEA—Tuesday 21 April.
WICKLIFFE—Tuesday 21 April.
WILLIAMSTOWN—Tuesday 21 April.

REVISION COURTS—JURY LISTS.

ARARAT—Friday 10 April.
AVOCA—Friday 10 April.
BALLARAT EAST—Friday 10 April.
BEECHWORTH—Friday 10 April.
BELFAST—Friday 10 April.
CARISBROOK—Friday 10 April.
CARNGHAM—Wednesday 15 April (by adjournment).
COLAC—Friday 10 April.
CRESWICK—Friday 10 April.
DANDENONG—Friday 10 April.
DAYLESFORD—Friday 10 April.
FRYERSTOWN—Friday 10 April.
GEELONG—Friday 10 April.
HAMILTON—Friday 10 April.
KILMORE—Friday 10 April.
LEARMONTH—Monday 13 April (by adjournment).
LINTON—Thursday 16 April (by adjournment).
MARYBOROUGH—Friday 10 April.
MAGLAN—Friday 10 April.
SANDHURST—Friday 10 April.
SMYTHESDALE—Friday 10 April.
SNAPPER POINT—Friday 10 April.
SOUTH BARWON—Friday 10 April.
STAWELL—Friday 10 April.
TALBOT—Friday 10 April.
WARRNAMBOOL—Friday 10 April.
WEDDERBURN—Friday 10 April.
YACKANDANDAH—Friday 10 April.

Police Sales.

CASTLEMAINE.

THE undermentioned confiscated goods (seized and confiscated under the Act 13 Victoria No. 29), now in the possession of the Police, will be sold by auction at the Castlemaine Police Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 4th of April, 1863:—

1 cask, 1 case, and 3 bottles brandy
2 cases containing whiskey
3 bottles of old tom
2 casks and 1 bottle of sherry
2 casks and 1 bottle of port
1 bottle of claret
13 barrels of bottled ale
7 casks of ale
4 bottles of porter

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 24th March, 1863.

INGLEWOOD.

THE undermentioned unclaimed property, now in the possession of the Police at Inglewood, will be sold by auction, at the Inglewood Police Station (unless previously claimed), at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 11th April, 1863:—

2 cocoa nut fibre mattresses
2 feather pillows
1 bag of feathers
1 single blanket
1 washhand stand
16 lbs. sperm candles

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 23th March, 1863.

LANDSBOROUGH.

THE undermentioned confiscated property (seized and confiscated under the Act 13 Victoria No. 29), now in the possession of the Police, will be sold by auction at the Landsborough Police Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 4th of April, 1863:—

1 bay mare, branded P off rump
1 dray and set of harness
1 tent, 10 feet x 12

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 25th March, 1863.

KILMORE.

THE undermentioned confiscated property (seized and confiscated under the Act 16 Victoria No. 35), now in the possession of the Police, will be sold by auction, at the Kilmore Police Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 11th of April, 1863:—

1 barrel containing rum
2 barrels and 2 cases containing brandy
1 barrel and 2 cases containing whiskey
1 barrel and 4 cases containing port
1 barrel and 1 case containing sherry
1 case containing sauterne
1 case containing claret
1 case containing champagne
1 case containing ginger brandy
3 barrels and 1 basket containing ale
5 barrels and 2 cases containing porter and ale
1 case and 1 basket containing sundry liquors
6 empty barrels
14 empty kegs
5 measures
2 funnels

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 28th March, 1863.

RUSSELL STREET, MELBOURNE.

THE undermentioned confiscated property (seized and confiscated under the Act 13 Victoria No. 29), and now in the possession of the Police, will be sold by auction at the Russell Street Police Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 4th of April, 1863:—

7 casks containing ale
1 cask containing old tom
1 cask containing brandy
1 cask containing sherry
2 kegs containing ditto
1 keg containing brandy
4 kegs containing various wines
2 cases containing bottled ale or porter
3 dozen bottles of various wines
3 decanters of ditto
12 glasses

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 25th March, 1863.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. GORDON AND GOTCH, of Great Collins street west, are appointed Agents to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the *Government Gazette*.

J. FERRES,
Government Printer.
1st October, 1862.

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Private Advertisements.

PORTLAND TOWN COMMON.

THE following persons were duly elected Managers of the Portland Town Commons on the fourth day of March, 1863, namely:—

John Hogan,
Edward Barsby,
David Kay.
(Signed) W. LEARMONTH,
Chairman of the Municipality.
Council Chamber,
Portland, 5th March, 1863.

LETTER OF APPLICATION FOR MINERAL LEASE.

WE, the undersigned, hereby apply to the Honorable Commissioner of Mines for a Lease of Crown Lands for the purpose of mining for minerals or metals other than gold, the particulars of which land, and the mineral or metal intended to be mined for, are hereunder set forth; and we herewith deposit with the Commissioner of Crown Lands, W. C. Carr, Esq., Anderson's Creek, the sum of Thirty-five pounds to cover the charges of survey and for preliminary expenses in respect of the lease hereby applied for, and also the further sum of Five pounds as required by the Mining Leases Regulations; and we agree, if our application be investigated, that such last-named sum shall in all respects be held by such commissioner or warden, subject to and may be appropriated by him under the terms of such regulations, and that upon the approval of this application we will execute a lease upon the basis therein stated, if the Governor shall think fit to grant the same.

Date—6th March, 1863.

Address—Swanston street, Melbourne.

We have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

B. W. LATTIN AND COMPANY.

Name of applicant or applicants, and address, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	Extent of ground applied for.	Whether ground applied for on or below, or both on and below, the surface, and how much in each case.	Name of mineral or metal proposed to be worked, and minimum number of men to be employed when commencing operations, also subsequently when in full work.	Amount of money proposed to be invested, and in what manner the land is to be worked.	(1.) Precise locality. (2.) Term for which lease is required. And (3.) Time of commencing operations.	General Remarks.
B. W. Lattin and Company	Acres. 640	640 acres required both above and below surface	(1.) For the first six months twenty men (2.) Subsequently when in full work fifty men Coal	£25,000 ...	(1.) Locality — Cape Patterson. (2.) Term — Thirty years. (3.) Time of commencing operations — Immediately on receiving lease.	

No. 488

NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of and in the National Bank of Australasia, is hereby called, and will be held at the Banking House or Head Office of the company, Collins street west, in the city of Melbourne, on Tuesday, the fifth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:—

To receive the directors' report on the affairs of the company.
To elect two directors in the room of Thomas Chirnside, Esq., and William John Clarke, Esq., who retire by rotation.
To elect two persons to act as auditors for the ensuing year.
And to transact such other business which may be necessary or the occasion may require.

And notice is hereby further given that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of and in the said company is hereby called, and will be held on the same day, and at the same place, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of passing a resolution restoring the losses written off from the capital of the company, at the Special General Meeting of the Shareholders held on the third day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty.

Dated the thirtieth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

A. CUNNINGHAM,
Manager.

N.B.—The transfer books of the company will be closed from the twenty-eighth day of April until the eighth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

No. 581

MUNICIPALITY OF CARISBROOK.

ELEVENTH Half-yearly Report of the Municipality of Carisbrook, for the half-year ending 8th of March, 1863.

During the half-year there have been twenty-four general and seven special meetings of the council, at which the attendance has been as follows:—

	General.	Special.
Councillor W. A. Smith (chairman) ...	15	6
Councillor Henry Clarkson ...	19	4
Councillor Alexr. Brodie ...	15	5
Councillor Geo. H. Cambridge ...	10	4
Councillor Henry Colley Clarkson ...	19	4
Councillor David Crooks ...	24	7
Councillor Edward Fowler ...	17	4

During the half-year Councillor W. A. Smith resigned his office of chairman of the council, when Councillor David Crooks was elected chairman for the remainder of the municipal year. Councillor Alexander Brodie resigned his seat in the council, and Councillor Geo. H. Cambridge's seat became vacant from non-attendance during four consecutive meetings, and the necessary proceedings have been taken to elect members in their room.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The contract for kerbing, channelling, &c. Green street has been completed satisfactorily and a portion of the street metalled.

The public gardens reserve has been fenced in. Some of the works reported in the last half-year have been extended, and are now completed.

BYE-LAWS.

Bye-law No. 35.—For levying a rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound.—Assented to.

Bye-law No. 36.—For the assessment of house and land property.—Assented to.

Bye-law No. 37.—For the appropriation of the sum of £636 15s. 4d., granted out of the public revenue for 1862.—Assented to.

Bye-law No. 38.—For the preservation of the public health and the suppression of nuisance by the overflow or soakage of water-closets and cesspools.—Assented to.

APPLICATIONS.

To the Honorable the Treasurer, to alter the date of the financial year from January to July in each year.—Refused.

To the Commissioner of Roads and Bridges, to have the main Government road to Avoca defined through the municipality.—No reply received.

To the Commissioner of Roads and Bridges, to have the new bridge at Carisbrook built on the site of Green street.—Refused.

To the Postmaster General, to recommend that a post and telegraph office be built in Carisbrook.—Refused.

To the Inspector of Public Works, for a portion of the grant for public cemeteries for 1863.—Application under consideration.

To the Commissioner of Land and Survey, to have the Town-hall, Market-hall, and public well reserves vested in fee simple to the council as trustees.—Granted.

GRANT-IN-AID.

The council have received the second and third portions of the grant-in-aid for 1862. Amount, £402 15s. 4d.

DAVID CROOKS,
Chairman.
GEORGE READ,
Town Clerk.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure, from the 9th September, 1862, to the 8th of March, 1863, both days inclusive.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Grant-in-aid ...	...	402	15	4
Municipal rates ...	...	162	10	7½
Weighbridge dues ...	...	14	12	6
Police fines ...	...	3	6	3
Use of Town-hall ...	...	3	3	0
Overdraft due the London Chartered Bank ...	...	303	9	2
		£889	16	10½

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Balance due London Chartered Bank ...	...	163	13	11
Public works ...	...	557	13	7
Salaries ...	...	50	5	0
Printing and advertising ...	...	43	6	0
Weighbridge keeper ...	...	4	7	6
Petty cash, postage, and election expenses ...	...	23	2	10
Deposits repaid ...	...	21	14	0
Interest ...	...	12	8	6
Balance in hand of Town Clerk ...	...	10	13	11
Collector ...	...	2	10	7½
		13	3	6½
		£839	16	10½

We have this day examined the above accounts, compared them with vouchers, and find them correct.

JOHN E. WILLIAMS,
WM. COOKE,

Carisbrook, 27th March, 1863.

Auditors.
No. 578

MUNICIPALITY OF BRIGHTON.

EIGHTH Report of the Municipal Council of Brighton, for the Half-year ending 11th February, 1863.

Councillor Were having resigned his office of councillor, Mr. James Gordon was elected in his place, and took his seat as a councillor on 17th November, 1862.

The resignation of Mr. John Millar as surveyor and engineer having been accepted as from the 31st December, 1862, Mr. Frederick William Bull was appointed to that office, and entered on his duties on 19th January, 1863.

During the half-year, the council held 26 ordinary, 1 special, and 11 committee meetings; their public works committee 26, and their finance and rate committee 27 meetings, besides meetings held by other committees.

	Council Meetings.			Committee Meetings.	
	Ordinary.	Special.	Committee.	Public Works.	Finance.
The Chairman attended ...	25	1	10	24	26
Councillor Keys ...	24	1	8	...	...
Councillor Stone ...	25	1	8	...	6
Councillor Harbison ...	24	1	11	23	24
Councillor Younghusband ...	19	1	9	8	...
Councillor Blundell ...	26	1	11	...	...
Councillor Were ...	4	...	3	...	...
Councillor Gordon ...	13	...	4	...	...

The council, during the half-year, finished the works in progress at the close of the former half-year, and completed many other improvements throughout the municipality.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for the 8th Half-year commencing 12th August, 1862, and ending 11th February, 1863.

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
1. Balance credited last half-year received ...		105	6	5½
2. Revenue—				
1. Grant-in-aid ...	1,427	6	3	
2. Rates, per reports ...	531	19	9	
3. Fines from petty sessions ...	1	7	0	
4. Ratepayers' rolls sold ...	0	11	0	
3. Balance at close of the half-year—				1,961 4 0
1. Deposits due contractors ...	13	0	0	
2. Bank, cheques to—				
cash ...	32	1	8	
Less in bank ...	31	2	5	
3. Cash-book balance ...		0	19	3
		3	15	6½
		17	14	9½
		£2,084	5	3

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance debited last half-year repaid—							
1. Bank overdraft ...		177	14	10			
2. Deposits by contractors ...		42	10	0			
2. Expenditure—					220	4	10
1. Public works—							
1. Streets and water channels ...	1,505	11	2				
2. Survey and map of municipality ...	100	0	0				
		1,605	11	2			
2. Advertising and printing ...	46	5	3				
3. Stationery ...	3	2	0				
4. Incidental expenses ...	12	10	9				
5. Surveyor's materials ...	1	5	9				
6. Insurance against fire ...	1	7	6				
		64	11	3			
3. Salaries, &c.—							
1. Town clerk, surveyor, inspector, and messenger ...	167	12	1				
2. Collector's commission ...	25	13	5				
		193	5	6			
4. Interest to bank ...		0	13	6			
		1,864	0	5			
		£2,084	5	3			

We have examined the above account with the vouchers, and find the same correct.

CHAS. WEBB,
J. S. STRUDWICHE,
Auditors.

Brighton, 12th March, 1863.

Adopted by authority of the Municipal Council of Brighton, this 30th March, 1863.

JAMES J. BLUNDELL,
Chairman pro tem.
D. PROPHET,
Town Clerk.

No. 579

No. 33.—APRIL 2, 1863.—6.

UPPER YARRA DISTRICT ROAD BOARD.

TENDERS are invited for excavating and removing 1400 yards of earth, at the Black Springs, Lillydale. For further particulars apply to the Engineer, Lillydale. Tenders to be at the Brushy Creek Hotel, at Three o'clock on Saturday, 4th April.

Also, for the breaking and spreading of 336 yards (more or less) of metal, at the Black Springs, Lillydale; also, 8 chains of pitching and forming road bed. For particulars apply to the Engineer, Lillydale. Tenders to be at the Brushy Creek Hotel, at Three o'clock on Saturday, 4th April.

(By Order) THOS. HAND,
Secretary.

No. 575

MUNICIPALITY OF SMYTHESDALE.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Act 18 Victoria No. 15, intituled, *An Act for the establishment of Municipal Institutions in Victoria*, I hereby convene a Public Meeting of the Ratepayers of the Municipal District of Smythesdale, to elect three councillors in the room of Councillors George Stoddart, William Robertson, and Andrew Veitch, who retire by rotation; such meeting to be held at the Nugget Hotel, on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth day of April next, at the hour of Eight in the forenoon.

WILLIAM TRAIN,
Chairman of the Council.
Smythesdale, 27th March, 1863. No. 559

ELTHAM ROAD DISTRICT.

TENDERS are invited up to 3 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd April, for Leasing the Tolls at the Lower Plenty Toll-gate from 1st May to 31st December next.

Conditions of lease to be seen at the Fountain Hotel, Eltham. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HENRY STOOKE,
Chairman of the Eltham District Road Board.
No. 561

*In the Supreme Court of the } F. F.
Colony of Victoria.*

TAKE notice that under and by virtue of the above suit of *certi facias* the Sheriff of the Geelong Circuit District will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Black Bull Hotel, Malop street, Geelong, on Saturday, the 9th day of May next, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title, and interest (if any) of the abovesaid defendant in and to all that piece or parcel of land situate in the parish of Moorparanyal, in the county of Grant, being portion of allotment 6 of section No. 1, and having a frontage to Weller street, Ashby, of 35 feet by a depth of 94 feet, more or less, and bounded as follows:—In the north by the north boundary line of the said allotment, in the south by Weller street, in the east by other portion of the said allotment —, and in the west by property in the occupation of Mr. James Meek; together with all improvements thereon, consisting of a four-room weather-boarded cottage and other outbuildings; unless this execution be previously satisfied. Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer.

JOSEPH IZOD,
Sheriff's Officer.
Sheriff's Office,
Geelong, 30th March, 1863. No. 584

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court of the colony of Victoria, made in a cause of Liddle v. Finn and Others, the creditors of Kenneth McKenzie, late of Portland, in the colony of Victoria, hotel keeper, deceased (who died on or about the 29th day of April, 1858), are, by themselves, or their solicitors, on or before the 1st day of May, 1863, to come in and prove their debts or claims before me at my chambers in La Trobe street, Melbourne, in the said colony, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree; and Monday, the 4th day of May next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon such claims.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1863.
FREDERICK WILKINSON,
Master in Equity.
EDWARD CHASLEY (Klingender, Chasley, and Liddle),
Plaintiff's solicitor, 91, Chancery lane, Melbourne. No. 583

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, carrying on business as blacksmiths, at 103, Little Bourke street east, under the style or title of "J. and R. Stone," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN STONE,
ROBERT STONE.
Witness to the signatures—
HENRY FARMER. No. 576

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto existing between William Crowe and William Dempsey, carrying on business at Woodend as general storekeepers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the firm are to be paid to William Crowe, who also discharges all liabilities. All claims against the firm are to be immediately sent in.

Dated 31st March, 1863.
WILLIAM CROWE,
WILLIAM DEMPSEY.
Witness—
MARTIN HOOD. No. 583

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED from Talbot, a chesnut mare, branded S.I near rump; also, a chesnut mare, branded W near shoulder. R
Joseph Gordon, hay and corn store, Talbot. No. 550

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed, about the 8th of February, a chesnut horse, branded RA off neck, seventeen hands high; also a dark iron grey horse, JH conjoined near shoulder, star on forehead, seventeen hands high. Anyone giving information or bringing them to me will receive the above reward. BENJAMIN ROWE, Daylesford. No. 557

Impoundings.

ARARAT—Impounded at Ararat, 23rd March, 1863, by G. Logan, Esq.—Damages £2 10s. Supposed owner refuses to release.

47. Black and white bull, MC off ribs

On same date, by Mr. A. D. Geffrey.—Trespass 6d. Notice sent to supposed owner.

48. Light strawberry nobby bullock, notch near ear, blotch near back, JJ off ribs, like JW off rump SJ

49. Red heifer, strap and chain on neck, no brands

50. Chesnut horse, blaze, near hind foot white, GU near shoulder, like G off shoulder, white spots, and a cut near neck

51. Bay mare, low condition, light made, illegible brand near shoulder, like small C or G near cheek

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

THOS. PAICE, Poundkeeper.

BALLARAT—Impounded at Ballarat, 25th March, 1863, by Mr. Ledwidge.—Trespass 8s.

766. Bay mare, off hind fetlock white, doorway off shoulder, 121 off ribs. Notice has been sent to the supposed owner.

On 26th March, by J. Wilson.—Trespass 8s.

767. Chesnut horse, off hind foot white, a little white on near fore fetlock, in low condition, WB conjoined near ribs, D near back

On 30th March, by the Managers of the Burrumbeet Common.—Trespass 6d. each.

787. Bay horse, star, saddle and collar marked, in low condition, illegible near shoulder, S off shoulder, DT near rump

788. Bay horse, three white feet, in low condition, HD conjoined near shoulder

789. Grey horse, in low condition, saddle and collar marked, GN blotch below it near shoulder, like C in circle off shoulder.

790. Chesnut horse, blaze on face, a little white on hind feet, lane, in low condition, C off back

791. Bay horse, strip down face, three white feet, in low condition, saddle and collar marked, CY near shoulder, W and like a brand below it off shoulder

792. Bay mare, small star, lame, in low condition, like M near shoulder, PS near back

665. Roan draught mare, grey mane and tail, TW near shoulder, has three white feet

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

J. JOHNSTON, Poundkeeper.

BULLOCK CREEK—Impounded at Bullock Creek, 28th March, 1863, by Messrs. Robertson and Sons.

346. Dark bay mare, star, doorway over 3 near shoulder, doorway off shoulder

347. Bay mare, little white near hind heel, like Y over like Q near shoulder

348. Bay mare, few white hairs in forehead, 2 near shoulder, KY near ribs

On 30th March, by Fredk. Penton, Esq.—Trespass 1s.

360. Bay mare, star, off hind coronet white, H near shoulder, TB off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

JOHN W. GOWER, Poundkeeper.

BUNINYONG—Impounded at Buninyong, 28th March, 1863, by D. Mackay, for Geo. Innes, jun.—Trespass 6d. per head.

673. Chesnut mare, white stripe in face, near shoulder illegible brand, off shoulder heart

675. Red and white cow, near ear marked, near rump GI

676. Yellow and white spotted cow, off rump like N

677. Red cow, bald face, near rump like MG or MC conjoined

678. Yellow and white cow, bell on neck, off rump Hy

679. Yellow and white steer calf, progeny of above, no visible brands

680. Yellow and white cow, near shoulder like y with another letter under

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

GEO. INNES, Poundkeeper.

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CAMPERDOWN—Impounded at Camperdown, by John Thomson.
1 red and white steer, branded like ES or FS near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

JOHN WALLS, Poundkeeper.

CHILTERN—Impounded at Chiltern, 27th March, 1863, by Jason Withers, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

511. Chesnut horse, star and snip, near fore fetlock and hind legs white, D over JM or A near shoulder

515. Bay horse, small star, had a fistula, sore wither, DF near shoulder, ML conjoined near saddle, 8 off saddle, JH 13

conjoined off shoulder

On same date, by Frank Walkolen, for Managers of Barnawartha Common.—Trespass 1s. each.

516. Chesnut horse, star, near hind fetlock white, EM near 3W

shoulder, B or E off shoulder

517. Bay horse, star, saddle and collar marked, IZ near shoulder

518. Bay horse, native cat spotted back, hind fetlocks white, like G above broad arrow conjoined near shoulder, F off shoulder

521. Bay mare, star, near hind fetlock white, IC near shoulder (the I put on twice)

On 28th March, by Jason Withers, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

537. Red bullock, white back, hole off ear, W conjoined off ribs, 5 off rump y

538. Yellow yearling bull, white back, no visible brand. On 30th March, by Jason Withers.—Trespass 1s.

540. Bay horse, dock switch tail, white on hind fetlocks, E over blotch near shoulder, shod

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

JOHN STRICKLAND, Poundkeeper.

CLUNES—Impounded at Clunes, 24th March, 1863, by W. B. Dick, for the Managers of the Glendaruel, &c., Farmers' Commons.—Trespass 6d. each.

291. Bay horse, short tail, white off hind foot, GD near shoulder blotch brand underneath, shod all round, saddle marked

292. Brown horse, V near rump, large scald off shoulder, small star

On 27th March, by G. W. Blunden, for John Bookham.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

300. Red bullock, W near ribs, JR near rump, W off ribs 7

301. Yellow bullock, EC off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

R. KEMP, Poundkeeper.

CLUNES—Impounded at Clunes, 30th March, 1863, by G. W. Blunden, for Simon Cadden, Esq.—Trespass 6s. each on horses, 1s. 6d. each on cattle.

302. Brown horse, near hind foot white, JJ off shoulder

303. Brown horse, near hind foot white, HD conjoined near shoulder

304. Red cow, wall-eyed, DC off ribs, DW off shoulder

305. Red and white cow, no brands

306. Strawberry calf, progeny

307. Strawberry calf, no brands

308. Red yearling steer, no brands

On 31st March, by W. B. Dick, for Managers of Glendaruel, &c., Farmers' Commons.

309. Blue and white bullock, cock horns, OO near rump, C in diamond off rump—Trespass 4d.

310. Black bull, no brands—Damages £5

311. Brown and white bull, no brands—Damages £5

312. Strawberry yearling steer, white on back, belly, and face, no brands—Trespass 4d.

313. Strawberry steer, no brands—Trespass 4d.

314. Red and white heifer, like B off back—Trespass 4d.

315. Yellow steer, A in circle off ribs—Trespass 4d.

316. Red bullock F in circle near ribs—Trespass 4d. HR conjoined

317. Red bullock, doorway over O off ribs—Trespass 4d.

318. White bullock, red neck, C in circle off ribs—Trespass 4d.

319. Red bullock, white on back and belly, G off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

R. KEMP, Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK—Impounded at Creswick, 29th March, 1863, by Edwd. Gilhorne, for Edwd. Birch, Esq.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

497. Red bullock, white belly, AS off rump, ASO or C off ribs, black under, TH conjoined near ribs

498. White heifer, FL off rump, pitch brand near ribs

499. Yellow sided cow, red and white bull calf at side, CH near ribs, HL conjoined off ribs

500. Red and white cow, like TI off rump, pitch brand FXO near back

501. Brindle and white snaily steer, illegible brand before D over illegible before T over 2 off ribs, 2 off shoulder

502. Red sided cow, MD conjoined off rump, S near shoulder

503. Red and white heifer, MF off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

HENRY CARPENTER, Poundkeeper.

11/

COLERAINE.—Impounded at Coleraine, 23th March, 1863, by R. Learmonth, Esq.—Trespass 1s. per head.

124. Black mare, white face, like \bar{C} near shoulder

125. Dun colored filly, three white feet, indescribable brand near neck

126. Brown filly, $\frac{1}{2}$ near shoulder
S

123. Black mare, like TP off shoulder

129. Black horse, JBN near shoulder (the JB conjoined), star JW

on forehead
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

G. W. SINCLAIR,
Poundkeeper.

11/

DUNOLLY.—Impounded at Dunolly, 25th March, 1863, by P. Doyle.—Trespass 6d.

40. Chesnut horse, blaze, saddle and collar marked, IC near shoulder, like B or 8 off rump

On 28th March, by A. C. McDougall, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each.

41. Fleabitten grey horse, saddle marked, writing M near neck, like \bar{A} near shoulder (tail of J within top of A), RQ conjoined off shoulder, indescribable brand near rump

42. Dark grey filly, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

GEO. H. FINDLAY,
Poundkeeper.

9/6

ECHUCA.—Impounded at Echuca, 28th March, 1863, by Chas. MacDonald.

123. Bay mare, switch tail, S near shoulder, 29 near back, J off shoulder.—Trespass 6d.

124. Brown entire colt, no visible brands—Damages £5

125. Chesnut mare, blaze down face, short tail, saddle marked, hind feet white, KM off shoulder.—Trespass 6d.

Same date, by J. G. Chriss.—Trespass 6d. each.

126. Bay horse, switch tail, saddle marked, P off shoulder

127. Dark bay horse, switch tail, M near shoulder
WR

128. Chesnut filly, blaze, WP conjoined near shoulder

129. Bay colt, long tail, off hind foot white, WP conjoined near shoulder

130. Bay mare, dock tail, shod, saddle marked, T near shoulder

131. Chesnut horse, switch tail, blaze, two fore and near hind feet white, ET near shoulder, S off shoulder

132. Bay horse, dock tail, shod, saddle and collar marked, like C near shoulder

133. Grey horse, switch tail, saddle marked, AD near shoulder
ID

134. Iron grey mare, switch tail, shod, y near shoulder

135. Bay mare, switch tail, star, saddle and collar marked, shod, y near shoulder, Q near neck, Q—C off neck

136. Brown mare, long tail, like y blotched near shoulder

137. Brown horse foal, progeny of No. 136, no brand
Same date, by H. C. Jeffrey.—Trespass 0.

140. Light strawberry stag, top off near ear, K in square near shoulder, like M near horn

141. Strawberry bullock, near horn broken, lame near fore leg, like IR near rump, like DFUM off horn

142. Strawberry bullock, snail horns, IJT off rump, 5 off shoulder

143. Brindle sided poley cow, CH off rump, H off thigh, $\frac{1}{2}$ off loin

144. Red and white cow, cock horns, piece out near ear, swallow tail off ear, MH conjoined near and off rump, P off ribs, 8 off shoulder

145. Red and white bull calf, progeny of No. 143, no brand

146. White bullock, down horns, piece out near and off ear, blotch brand near ribs

147. Brindle sided cow, off horn cocked, top off near ear, piece out off ear, JF off ribs, like MD off rump, like C off thigh

148. Red sided poley cow, hobble straps on fore legs, like U
IMY

off ribs, like BQ or RQ blotched off loin
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

GEORGE JAMIESON,
Poundkeeper.

30/6

KILMORE.—Impounded at Kilmore, 26th March, 1863.

251. Tall bay horse, long tail, IT near shoulder

252. Grey horse, short tail, BC near shoulder
AT

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

C. G. ANDERSON,
Poundkeeper.

7/

KILMORE.—Impounded at Kilmore, 30th March, 1863.

253. Black horse, hind feet white, HM near shoulder
On 31st March.

254. Light brindle and white cow, CDJ near ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

C. G. ANDERSON,
Poundkeeper.

7/

MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury, 23th March, 1863, by the Managers of the Lauriston Farmers' Common.—Trespass 1s.

394. Iron grey mare, two shoes on, J near shoulder, T off shoulder, $\frac{1}{2}$ near rump

der, $\frac{1}{2}$ near rump

On 31st March, by Mr. J. Johnston.—Trespass 5s. on No. 396, and 1s. on No. 397.

396. Red and white cow, tip off near ear, MC off rump and near ribs

397. Red and white heifer calf, progeny of No. 396, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

R. DAVISON,
Poundkeeper.

11/

MEREDITH.—Impounded at Meredith, 3rd March, 1863, by J. Wallace, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each. Notice sent to supposed owner.

179. Black cow, off ear marked, HJL off rump

180. Strawberry heifer, no visible brand

On 18th March, by P. O'Keefe, Esq.—Trespass 6d. Notice sent to owner.

221. Yellow and white spotted heifer, no visible brand

On 18th March, S. Wilson, Esq.—Trespass 6d. each. Notice sent to owners.

261. Large red bullock, bell on neck, bobble on near fore leg, GP near rump

262. White poley cow, $\frac{1}{2}$ near ribs
TC

263. White cow, AC of rump (writing A)

264. Yellow cow, calf at foot, D near rump and ribs, S off rump, HC off ribs

265. Light strawberry cow, same brand

266. White bull calf, progeny of No. 265

267. Yellow and white cow, off ear marked, like large AC off ribs

268. Old strawberry cow, calf at foot, D near rump and ribs, TR and H blotched off ribs

269. Yellow and white yearling steer, C near rump

270. Yellow and white cow, white face, no visible brand

271. Old brown and white cow, calf at foot, JL off shoulder

272. Red and white yearling calf, no brand

273. Yellow and white heifer, white face, PK near rump

274. Strawberry cow, B near rump, blotch off rump, off ear marked

275. Yellow and white spotted heifer, no visible brand

276. Red strawberry steer, down horns, no visible brand

277. White cow, red cheeks and ears, MJ off rump (writing M), JH off shoulder

278. Old strawberry cow, TP near rump, W off shoulder, off ear slit

279. Strawberry poley yearling heifer, like MS near rump, SW off rump

280. Red and white yearling steer, no brand

281. Dun bull, DC off rump.—Trespass £5

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

THOS. CONNOR,
Poundkeeper.

24/6

NOTICE.

MEREDITH.—No. 43, red bullock, like m off ribs.

No. 143, red bullock, little white, MS near ribs.

Nos. 145, 146, two yearling heifers, near ear marked, AP near ribs.

No. 147, red and white bullock, JWC off ribs, and like CW near rump.

No. 151, yellow and white cow, white spots on face, T.C.P. near shoulder, JK conjoined near rump, calf at foot.

No. 152, strawberry steer, off ear marked, TS near rump—Released 3rd February.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

THOS. CONNOR,
Poundkeeper.

12/6

ROTHWELL.—Impounded at Rothwell, 30th March, 1863, by Mr. J. McMaster, off the Little River Farmers' Common.—Trespass 6d. each.

2093. Roan horse, hind feet white and shod, short square tail, saddle and collar marked, S near cheek, WN off shoulder (the N reversed), JQ near shoulder (the J very faint and imperfect)

2094. Bay mare, blaze, all the feet white, saddle and collar marked, S in circle over IC near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

FREDERICK RYLAND,
Poundkeeper.

9/6

NOTICE.

SHELFORD.—No. 156, advertised on 27th March, 1863, as bay horse, black points, light breed, saddle and collar marked, near hind foot white, long tail, kerb off hock, $\frac{1}{2}$ near shoulder, CL or GL near neck, should be CL or GL off neck.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

H. M. WILSON,
Poundkeeper.

7/6

SHEPPARTON.—Impounded at Shepparton, 24th March, 1863, by Mr. Hearn.

16. Black mare, star, both hind feet white, near fore foot white, switch tail, saddle marked, O over JN over 2 in circle near shoulder (writing N), RD conjoined over EH off shoulder (the R to left)
17. Black colt, star, long tail, off hind foot white, like RD conjoined off shoulder (the R to left)
On 28th March, by Mr. Lucas.
18. Dark grey horse, docked tail, blind off eye, near eye injured, has a scar over it, saddle marked, GVS near shoulder, JT under MD off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

11/ JOHNSTON PARSONS,
Poundkeeper.

WARRNAMBOOL.—Impounded at Warrnambool, 27th March, 1863, by Thos. Shanahan.

413. Chestnut horse, star, switch tail, like JH near shoulder, SPE off shoulder—Trespass 9d.

On 28th March, by Alexr. McDonald.

414. Brown horse, small star, switch tail, near fore and off hind feet white, like JB conjoined and spur blotched near shoulder—Trespass 1s.

On 30th March, by Jas. for Thos. Dwyer.—Trespass 6d. each.

434. Red cow, DK near shoulder, GB off ribs
435. Light strawberry cow, red ears, SH off rump
436. White stag, red cheeks, EO near rump
437. Strawberry bull, no visible brands

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

11/6 J. HITCHEN,
Poundkeeper.

WICKLIFE.—Impounded at Wicklife, 27th March, 1863, by J. and A. Muirhead, Esqrs., The Grampians.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.

146. Bay mare, black points, long tail, scar near rump, JL near shoulder

147. Heavy bay colt foal, no visible brand, progeny No. 146
Same date, by Mr. Scott, Mount William.—Same trespass.

148. Yellowish red working bullock, off horn a little cocked, white on flank, belly, and hind heels, like C near rump

149. Strawberry cow or yellow and brindle, whitish face, F near rump

On 28th March, by W. Macpherson, Esq., Nareen-nareen.—Same trespass.

150. Red bullock, bald face, white belly, tip off off ear, O off rump, like JNML conjoined off thigh

151. Red bullock, bald face, white belly, same brands and marks

152. Red bullock, bald face, white belly, same brands and marks

153. Red bullock, bald face, white belly, same brands and marks

154. Red bullock, bald face, white belly, same brands and marks

155. Red or yellow and white heifer, front and back notch off ear, like I-C conjoined off rump

156. Red bullock, bald face, same brands and marks

157. Red and white heifer, same brand and marks

158. Yellow or red and white bullock, tip off ear, like I-C conjoined off rump, 8 or 9 near rump, ML conjoined near ribs

159. Red and white steer, tip off off ear, like 2 off rump, like JNML conjoined on thigh

On 30th March, by Mr. Hindhaugh, for J. D. Wyselaskie, Esq.
Same trespass.

160. Dark brown or black draught horse, small star and snip, few white hairs down face, hind heels white, lame near fore foot, like blotched E off neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

21/6 FREDK. WM. DODD,
Poundkeeper.

WOODEND.—Impounded at Woodend, 27th March, 1863, by Managers Town Common.—Trespass 1s. each.

200. Brindle bullock, blotch brand off rump, white flanks

On 1st April.

207. White cow, like SD off rump

By Mr. D. Ross.—Trespass 10s.

208. Brown horse, JH conjoined off rump, EW off shoulder, H conjoined

C near shoulder, short tail

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th May, 1863.

10/ C. PEEVOR,
Poundkeeper.

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April 2.—E. Kemp	1 0 0
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