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TRANSMISSION OF MEMORIALS AND REPRESENTATIONS TO THE CROWN, ETC.

IN directing the publication of the following "Rules and Regulations for Her Majesty's Colonial Service," relating to the Transmission of Memorials and Representations to the Crown, the Secretary of State, and Public Offices and Boards in Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, with reference to the 208th and 209th rules, that it is desirable that any such document intended for transmission by any particular mail should be in his possession at least three clear days before that on which the mail is despatched.

By Command,

H. L. WARDE,
Private Secretary.

Government House,
Melbourne, 25th November, 1864.

[Extracts from "The Rules and Regulations for Her Majesty's Colonial Service."]

"SECTION VI.—CORRESPONDENCE OF INDIVIDUALS.

"203. Persons in a colony, whether public functionaries or private individuals, who have any representations of a public or private nature to make to the Government, should address them to the Governor of the colony; or, if the colony be a dependency of a Governor-in-Chief, then to the officer in the immediate administration of its Government.

"204. The duty of the Governor or Administrator of the colony is to receive and act upon each such representation as public expediency or justice to the individual may appear to require, with the assistance in such cases as hereinbefore specified of his Executive Council; and if he doubts what steps to take thereupon, or if public advantage may appear to require it, to consult or report to the Secretary of State. Every individual has, however, the right to address the Secretary of State, if he thinks proper. But in this case he must transmit such communication, unsealed, to the Governor or Administrator, applying to him to forward it in due course to the Secretary of State.

"205. Every letter, memorial, or other document which may be received by the Secretary of State from a colony otherwise than through the Governor, will, unless very pressing urgency justifies a departure from rule, be referred back to the Governor for his report.

"206. This rule, requiring transmission of correspondence with the Secretary of State through the Governor, is based on the strongest grounds of public convenience, in order that all communications may be duly verified, as well as reported on, before they reach the Secretary of State. It extends, therefore, to communications relating to public affairs as well as the concerns of the writer; to those of all Public Functionaries of whatever rank, and to those from public bodies.

"207. Petitions addressed to the Crown, or the Crown in Council, Memorials to Public Officers, or Boards in Her Majesty's Government, &c., must be in like manner sent to the Governor for transmission home.

"208. The Governor is bound to transmit to the Secretary of State every communication so received by him, accompanied by such report as its contents may appear to him to require.

"209. He is to do this with all reasonable despatch, consistently, however, with the delay requisite for the preparation of such report."

No. 154.—OCTOBER 31, 1865.—1.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE subjoined Correspondence is published by desire of His Excellency the Governor; and with reference to the Public Notice dated 25th November, 1864, respecting the transmission of memorials, petitions, and other documents to Her Majesty's Government, it is notified for public information that it is desirable that all such documents should be in the possession of the Governor at least six clear days before that on which the mail will be despatched.

H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1865.

Chamber of Commerce,
Melbourne, 20th October, 1865.

To His Excellency's Private Secretary.

SIR,—I am desired by the committee of the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce respectfully to intimate through you to His Excellency the Governor, that at a meeting of the chamber held this afternoon a memorial to Her Majesty the Queen was adopted, which the committee were requested to hand to His Excellency for transmission.

May I ask that you will be good enough to ascertain from His Excellency whether it will be agreeable for him to receive a deputation from the committee to present the memorial, and if so, to name a time that would be convenient to His Excellency for that purpose.

A copy of the memorial is herewith sent.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your very obedient Servant,
(Signed) B. COWDEROY,
Secretary.

Private Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

SIR,—I am desired to acknowledge the receipt this day of your letter dated the 20th instant, and to state in reply that as His Excellency the Governor will not be in Melbourne either on Tuesday or Wednesday, it will probably be more convenient to the committee of the Chamber of Commerce that the address to Her Majesty should be transmitted to His Excellency instead of being presented by a deputation.

I am to add that the Governor will be obliged by your furnishing him with any document which will show the constitution of the chamber, the rules which govern its proceedings, and the names of its members; and His Excellency also requests to be furnished with the names of the members by whom the address to Her Majesty was adopted.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

B. Cowderoy, Esq.,
&c., &c., &c.

Chamber of Commerce,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

H. L. Warde, Esq., His Excellency's Private Secretary.

SIR,—I have the honor, by desire of the committee of the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce, and in compliance with the suggestions contained in your letter of yesterday's date, to hand you herewith the memorial to Her Majesty the Queen from the members of the chamber.

I beg also to enclose copies of such of the printed reports of the chamber's proceedings as are on hand. In that published in 1864, His Excellency will see the rules by which the chamber is at present governed, as also a list of the then members. Some slight changes have since been made in this list, but I may state

for His Excellency's information, that the only members of the chamber who have not signed the memorial are those whose names I will append to this letter, with the several reasons for the non-appearance of their signatures. They may be classed thus—Absent, 13; members of parliament or otherwise disqualified from signing, 11; declined to sign or known to be unfavorable, 9; total, 33.

I am unable to supply an accurate list of those who were present when the petition was adopted, but the meeting was composed of about fifty of the gentlemen who have signed it, with a few others.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your very obedient Servant,
(Signed) B. COWDEROY,
Secretary.

Members who have not signed.	Reasons.
Blackwood, J. H.	M.P.
Benn, Jno.	Absent.
Balfour, J.	Unfavorable.
Blythe, Jno.	Ditto.
Clarke, W. jun.	Declined.
Clough, J. H.	Absent.
Coben, Ed.	M.P.
Cole, Hon. G. W.	Ditto.
Degraves, Hon. W.	Ditto.
Fraser, Hon. A.	Ditto.
Francis, Hon. J. G.	Ditto.
Davis, S.	Absent.
Goldsbrough, R.	Ditto.
Grica, R.	Ditto.
(2) Henty, Messrs. H. and H. J.	Unfavorable.
Henty, Hon. S. G.	M.P.
Joske, A.	Absent.
Kruege, A.	Unfavorable.
King, Jno.	Absent.
Lord, S. P.	American citizen.
Masterton, D.	Absent.
McCulloch, Hon. J.	M.P.
Sellar, B.	Declined subscriptions.
McBain, J.	M.P.
Merson, A. G.	Absent.
Nankivell, T. J.	Declined.
Nicholson, G.	Ditto.
Orkney, J.	Absent.
Ross, C. S.	Ditto.
Turnbull, R.	Ditto.
Youngusband, J.	Ditto.
Van Amstel, P.	Consul.

Private Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1865.

SIR,—I am desired by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, and to request that you will convey to the committee of the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce His Excellency's thanks for the information with which they have been so good as to supply him, and acquaint the committee at the same time, that the petition from the chamber to Her Majesty has been forwarded to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

Flinders lane,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

To His Excellency Sir Charles H. Darling, K.C.B., Governor of the Colony of Victoria.

SIR,—I have the honor to forward to your Excellency a petition to Her Majesty the Queen, adopted at a large and most influential meeting held at St. George's Hall, Melbourne, last evening; and, on behalf of the meeting, I beg most respectfully to ask your Excellency to transmit the same to Her Majesty at your Excellency's earliest convenience.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Excellency's most humble and obedient Servant,
(Signed) FRAS. JNO. BLYTH,
Chairman of the meeting at St. George's Hall.

Private Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1865.

SIR,—I am desired by the Governor to acquaint you that the petition to Her Majesty transmitted with your letter of the 24th instant, has been forwarded to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies for submission to Her Majesty.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

F. J. Bligh, Esq.,
Flinders lane.

Ballarat, 23rd October, 1865.

To His Excellency Sir Charles H. Darling, K.C.B., Governor of the Colony of Victoria.

SIR,—On behalf of the Ballarat Chamber of Commerce, I have the honor to forward to your Excellency a petition to Her Majesty the Queen, adopted at a meeting of the chamber held this day; and I am directed most respectfully to request that your Excellency will transmit the same to Her Majesty at your Excellency's earliest convenience.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Excellency's most humble and obedient Servant,
(Signed) WILLIAM C. SMITH,
As President of the Ballarat Chamber of Commerce.

Private Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1865.

SIR,—I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, and to state in reply, that the petition therewith transmitted has been forwarded to the Secretary of State for submission to Her Majesty.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

William Smith, Esq.,
President of the Ballarat Chamber of Commerce.

Hall of Commerce,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

H. L. Warde, Esq., His Excellency's Private Secretary.

SIR,—The promoters of the petition, a copy of which I enclose, and which I am informed has many thousand signatures attached to it, have desired me to ask whether it would suit His Excellency's convenience to receive a deputation from them to present it simultaneously with, or rather immediately after, the presentation of the Chamber of Commerce memorial.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your very obedient Servant,
(Signed) B. COWDEROY.

Private Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

SIR,—I am desired by the Governor to acquaint you that as the petition, a copy of which is enclosed in your letter of this date, both supports the petition of the Legislative Council which impeaches His Excellency's conduct as Governor of this colony, and charges His Excellency with proceedings calculated seriously to endanger the existence of Constitutional Government therein, custom does not require, while it seems to His Excellency inconsistent with propriety and the respect due to His Excellency's office, that he should receive that document at a personal interview with any of its promoters.

2. If the petition should be transmitted to His Excellency in the usual way, he will forward it to the Secretary of State at as early a date as is consistent with the preparation of the necessary remarks upon the several statements the petition contains, in the accuracy of which His Excellency cannot acquiesce.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Private Secretary.

B. Cowderoy, Esq.,
&c., &c., &c.

Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

To His Excellency Sir Charles Darling, K.C.B., Governor of Victoria.

SIR,—We, the undersigned inhabitants of Victoria, beg to forward to your Excellency a petition to Her Majesty the Queen, and most respectfully request that you will transmit the same to Her Majesty at your earliest convenience.

The petition is signed by 19,675 persons, whose professions and callings are as follow:—

Merchants and bankers	1018
Shopkeepers, clerks, &c.	7057
Professional gentlemen, householders, and gentlemen	2204
Carriers, porters, laborers	3211
Mechanics, artisans	2334
Farmers and market gardeners	973
Miners	2622
Occupations not named	266
Manufacturers	90
Total	19,675

We beg also to inform your Excellency that a copy of the said petition, an analysis of the signatures, and a copy of the letter of your Excellency's Private Secretary of the 23rd current, in which your Excellency declined to receive a deputation from the promoters of the said petition, together with a statement that the petition was forwarded to your Excellency this day, will be sent to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies by the outgoing mail.

We have the honor to be, Sir,
Your Excellency's most humble and obedient Servants,
(Signed)

J. Blackwood	J. Wilberforce Stephen
J. Dennistoun Wood	John Strachan
E. D. Holroyd	C. E. Bright
B. F. Bunny	Geo. Stevenson
James Lorimer	Edward Langton
Jas. Spowers	R. D. Ireland
J. J. Falconer	

Private Secretary's Office,
26th October, 1865.

SIR,—I am desired by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 24th instant, signed by you and several other gentlemen, inhabitants of Victoria, transmitting a petition to Her Majesty the Queen; and to acquaint you that, in conformity with their request, the petition has been transmitted to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies for submission to Her Majesty.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) H. L. WARDE,
Priv. Secy.

J. Blackwood, Esq.,
&c., &c.

**OPENING OF TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION
WITH WOOD'S POINT.**

IT is hereby notified that Telegraphic Communication has been established with Wood's Point, and the office at that place is now available to the public.

Rates of charges and further information may be obtained upon application at any of the Telegraph Offices.

SAM'L. W. MCGOWAN,

General Superintendent of Electric Telegraph.
Electric Telegraph Department
(General Superintendent's Office),
Melbourne, 27th October, 1865.

**OPENING OF TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION
WITH MALMSBURY.**

IT is hereby notified that Telegraphic Communication has been established with Malmsbury, and the office at that place is now available to the public.

Rates of charges and further information may be obtained upon application at any of the Telegraph Offices.

SAM'L. W. MCGOWAN,

General Superintendent of Electric Telegraph.
Electric Telegraph Department
(General Superintendent's Office),
Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

THE SHIRE OF TALBOT.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HENRY DARLING, Knight
Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of
Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by *The Local Government Act 1863* it is amongst other things enacted that if at any time in any district, whether single or united, which shall contain an area of not less than one hundred square miles, the total amount actually paid in respect of the general rate then last made shall have amounted to One thousand pounds, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to proclaim, if it shall seem fit, such district, by such name as in and by such Order in Council may be assigned thereto, to be a shire within the meaning of the said Act, and such district shall thereupon be and be called such shire accordingly; and no district, after the proclamation thereof as such shire, save as therein provided with regard to the adjustment of boundaries to those of electoral districts, shall be united with any other shire or district, or with any borough or municipal district: And whereas by a Proclamation under the hand of the Governor and the seal of the colony, bearing date the twenty-second day of October, 1860, a Road District was proclaimed under the designation of "The Amherst and Clunes Road District." And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council, made on the eighth day of May in the present year, the said Road District was divided into the three electoral subdivisions therein described: And whereas the area of the said district and the amount of the last general rate therein are not less than the area and amount in the said Act mentioned, and it seemed fit to make an Order in Council this day to proclaim the said district to be a shire accordingly: Now therefore I, Sir Charles Henry Darling, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the district heretofore proclaimed and called the Amherst and Clunes Road District to be a Shire within the meaning of the said Act, by the name in and by such Order in Council assigned thereto, that is to say:—

THE SHIRE OF TALBOT.

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

(L.s.)

C. H. DARLING,
By His Excellency's Command,
J. F. SULLIVAN.

2877. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

**TAKING TIMBER, ETC. FROM CERTAIN LAND IN
THE PARISH OF BULLEEN PROHIBITED.**

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HENRY DARLING, Knight
Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by *The Land Act 1862*, it is amongst other things enacted that notwithstanding anything therein before contained the Governor in Council may by Proclamation declare that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorised, shall cut or remove live or dead timber or bark, or stone, or gravel from such portions of Crown Lands, as are named in such Proclamation, or shall exercise on any such portions the powers, or any of them, conferred by any license granted under the authority of the third part of the said Act: Now therefore I, Sir Charles Henry Darling, the Governor of Victoria, do, with the advice of the Executive Council, declare that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorised, shall cut or remove live or dead timber, or bark, or stone, or gravel from the portion of Crown lands hereinafter named and described, viz.: Thirty-four acres, more or less,

county of Bourke, parish of Bulleen, being part of allotment 3 and allotments 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, all of section 5 A; Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 8, bounded thence by a road bearing north to the Doncaster road; thence by that road bearing east six chains; thence by section 5 bearing south to the Koonung-koonung Creek; and thence by that creek bearing north-westerly to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11914.)

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

(L.s.)

C. H. DARLING,
By His Excellency's Command,
J. M. GRANT,
President of the Board of Land and Works.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

SCHOOL COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed by the Board of Education members of the Local Committees of the undermentioned Common Schools, without prejudice to the power of the Board to withdraw aid from the school at any time subject to the provisions of the Act:—

Castlemaine School. No. 119.
JAMES KEARNEY.

Deep Creek School. No. 185.
REV. PATRICK JOSEPH SLATTERY,
ROBERT COLE.

Dowling Forest School. No. 204.
WILLIAM FRASER,
DAVID GORDON,
RICHARD HAM.

Franklinford School. No. 257.
SAMUEL WOOLMER PARKER.

Mount Egerton School. No. 409.
JOHN ELFORD,
WALTER BARCLAY,
CHARLES MAXWELL MORROW.

Queenscliffe School. No. 516.
WILLIAM HILL.

Sale School. No. 545.
JOHN JAMES ENGLISH.

South Yarra School. No. 607.
REV. W. N. GUINNESS,
WILLIAM COCHRANE,
JAMES COVENTRY,
RALPH GORE BRIEN,
REV. ALEXANDER MORISON.

Winter's Flat School. No. 652.
GEORGE CUNNACK,
GEORGE TATHER,
ROBERT SIMPSON,
JAMES REDFERN.

Rocky Lead School. No. 785.
OWEN JONES,
WILLIAM BREADMORE,
GEORGE SCHNITZLER,
JOHN ZIMMER,
JACOB LOH,
HENRY MATTHEWS.

Richmond School. No. 533.
JOSEPH BOSISTO,
THOMAS FIELDING,
JOHN J. MORROW,
GEORGE STIRLING,
JOHN TAPLEY,
HENRY WILSON.

Laanecoorie School. No. 733.
JOHN RYAN.

Avoca Lead (Maryborough Road) School. No. 813.
EDWARD K. YEATMAN,
ALFRED PARTRIDGE,
CHARLES EYES,
JOHN WILLIAMSON,
WILLIAM CHAMBERLAIN.

Keilor School. No. 345.
HON. WILLIAM TAYLOR,
ROBERT ROBERTSON,
JAMES ROBERTSON,
JAMES BELL,
REV. J. S. BOYD,
MATTHEW GOUDIE.

Middle Gully School. No. 431.
WILLIAM S. COOK,
ALFRED SMITH,
JAMES WALTERS,
JAMES MCINTOSH.

Nunawading School. No. 469.
WILLIAM HOKKINS,
WILLIAM HENRY TURNER.

Murchison School. No. 420.
WILLIAM PATERSON.

Lucky Womaw's School. No. 376.
REV. WILLIAM MCJENNETT,
ROBERT WHEFORD.

Melbourne Common School. No. 391.

JAMES BALFOUR.

Ashby School. No. 14.

REV. THOMAS MCKENZIE FRASER.

Buninyong School. No. 59.

THOMAS ASHBURNER,
DAVID BRAYSHAY,
DANIEL OLIVER,
THOMAS PURVIS.

Keilor School. No. 845.

THOMAS BERTHAM.

Newham School. No. 465.

JOSEPH MUNTZ,
ALEXANDER McCRAE,
GEORGE WILLIAM KELLY.

Point Henry School. No. 495.

JAMES HENRY MATTHEWS,
JOHN BOWEY,
JOHN ALLEN,
ALBERT MARTIN.

Rokewood School. No. 531.

WILLIAM ELDER.

Wahgunyah School. No. 644.

JAMES SCOTT,
CAMILLE REAN.

Yea School. No. 699.

SAMUEL WALL.

Chinaman's Flat School. No. 714.

HENRY BANKS.

Woodstock School. No. 810.

JOHN BROWN,
JOSEPH HOLLAND,
COLIN JUNOR,
CHARLES YEO,
WILLIAM BASSETT.

Grosvener School. No. 811.

JOHN BUTTERFIELD SMITH,
JOSEPH BEER,
GEORGE JOHNSON,
RICHARD ROBERTS,
JOHN SCORSE.

(By Order of the Board)

B. F. KANE,
Secretary.

Education Office,
Melbourne, 26th October, 1865.

RECEIVER AND PAYMASTER, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz.:-
WILLIAM SEWELL, Esquire (4th class clerk, Treasury),
to be Receiver and Paymaster at St. Arnaud and Landsborough (3rd class), *vice* Aston, transferred to Omeo.
Mr. Sewell's appointment is to date from the 17th instant.

GEORGE WILLIAM FITZSIMONS, Esquire (Paymaster, Stawell),
to be also Receiver of Revenue at Stawell.

GEO. VERDON,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the under-mentioned Trustees, viz.:-

HENRY HAYDEN,
CHARLES THACKER, and
HENRY F. HOMAN,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart on the 24th of July, 1865, for Church of England purposes at Harcourt.

ROBERT PARAGHER,
THOMAS HAYNES,
WILLIAM LEAKE,
THOMAS MAHER,
JOHN ROBINSON, and
JOHN STEWART,

to be the Trustees of the land set apart on the 25th of September, 1865, for Cemetery purposes at Truganina.

J. M. GRANT.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

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

WILLIAM BERTHON and
WILLIAM MURRELL

to be additional Members of the Committee of Management of the land set apart on the 29th of May, 1865, for Mechanics' Institute purposes at Inverleigh.

J. M. GRANT.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the undermentioned Trustees, viz.:-

PATRICK CONRICK

to be a Trustee of the Cemetery, Tower Hill, *vice* Thomas B. Cronin, resigned.

ANDREW THOMAS MORAN,
CHARLES DOHERTY, and
ALEXANDER ALLARDYCE,

to be Trustees of the Cemetery, Mount Moriac, *vice* Messrs. Tindale, Powell, and McLean, who have resigned.

LOUIS McDERMOTT WARD and
WILLIAM MURDOCH

to be Trustees of the Cemetery, Wangaratta, *vice* Messrs. Cusack and Munro, both deceased.

GEO. VERDON.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 23rd October, 1865.

AID TO NEW SCHOOLS.

IN compliance with the requirements of the 16th section of *The Common Schools Act*, 25 Victoria No. 149: Notice is hereby given that applications for aid to new schools have been received from the undermentioned localities, and that it is the intention of the Board of Education to grant aid to the same at the expiration of one month from the date prefixed thereto, viz.:-

10th October, 1865:-

Edenhope. No. 817.

(By Order of the Board)

B. F. KANE,
Secretary.

Education Office,
Melbourne.

APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS FOR INVENTIONS.

SPECIFICATIONS have been deposited at this office by the undermentioned persons, in accordance with the provisions of the Act 28 Vict. No. 240, intitled *An Act to consolidate the Law concerning Letters Patent for Inventions*, on the dates mentioned in each instance, viz.:-

No. 853. WILLIAM WOODMAN HUSE, of the city of Brooklyn, in the State of New York and the United States of America, for "An invention of improvements in Machinery for pressing and cutting Tobacco;" 20th September, 1865.

No. 854. ALFRED HALLETT, JOSEPH DARWENT, and GEORGE HORWOOD COSSINS, all of Adelaide, in the colony of South Australia, for "An invention for the separation of Bismuth from Copper and the obtaining of each in a marketable form;" 10th October, 1865.

No. 855. CORNELIUS LOUGHNAN and JAMES LOUGHNAN, both of Melbourne, tobacco manufacturers, for "An invention of improvements in the method of treating Tobacco for certain purposes;" 12th October, 1865.

No. 856. JAMES DAVENPORT WHELPLEY and JACOB JONES STORER, both of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America, for "An invention of improved Machinery for breaking and pulverizing Ores and other Hard Substances;" 16th October, 1865.

No. 857. ROBERT SAVAGE, of Melbourne, journalist, for "An invention for making a new Cement or Concrete and Paint or Pigment to be called Silargil Cement and Paint;" 17th October, 1865.

No. 858. SAMUEL HENDERSON, of Melbourne, manufacturer and machine sewer, for "An invention for an improvement in the manufacture of Ladies and Children's Sun Hats;" 17th October, 1865.

No. 859. GEORGE DUNN, of Melbourne, engineer, for "An invention of certain improvements in the construction of Water-pressure Engines to be called 'The Hydroatmospheric' for employing atmospheric air and water reciprocally as a motive power under certain conditions with greater advantage for propelling machinery;" 18th October, 1865.

No. 860. JAMES URIB, of Hotham, in the county of Bourke, plumber, for "An invention of an improved and cheap method of converting Basaltic Rock into Street Flagging and other Pavement;" 24th October, 1865.

No. 861. CHRISTEN CHRISTENSEN, of Deep Creek, in the county of Talbot, miner, for "An invention of improvements in the mode of separating Gold or other Minerals from washed or crushed substances;" 25th October, 1865.

No. 862. CHRISTEN CHRISTENSEN, of Deep Creek, in the county of Talbot, miner, for "An invention of improvements in Christensen's Patent invention intitled 'An improvement in the mode of washing auriferous earthy substances for the purpose of extracting therefrom Gold or other Minerals;" 25th October, 1865.

No. 863. JOHN MARTIN, of Melbourne, manager of the Australasian Patent Blasting Compound Company, for "An invention of improved Compositions for Explosive purposes;" 25th October, 1865.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Parliament, 25 Victoria No. 148, section 5, it is hereby notified that, upon the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is intended to grant Leases of the portions of ground undermentioned.
 Office of Mines,
 Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

J. F. SULLIVAN,
 Minister of Mines.

Mining District.	Names of Applicants, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	Approximate Extent of Ground applied for.	Description of Ground.	Amount of Money proposed to be invested, and in what manner the land is to be worked.	Minimum number of men to be employed when commencing operations, and subsequently when in full work.	Places locally, and time of commencing operations.	Term of Lease and General Remarks.
Ararat	J. H. McGill. "Malakoff Extended Gold Mining Co." (No. 30)	A. R. P. 100 0 0	Wet alluvial sinking	£10,000	First six months fifteen men, subsequently forty men	Wet Lead, Landsborough	10 years.
Ballarat	A. McIntyre. "Trap Rock Gold Mining Co." (No. 387)	100 1 21	Alluvial	£9000	First three months twelve men, subsequently sixty men	Near Sago Hill	15 years.
	E. Windus. "Territorial Gold Mining Co." (No. 688)	85 2 3	Alluvial	£10,000	First six months twelve men, subsequently sixty men	Near township of Carningham. On grant of lease	15 years.
Beechworth	J. Sparkes. "Zingari Gold Mining Co." (No. 832)	141 1 2	Deep alluvial	£10,000. Deep sinking with machinery	First six months ten men, subsequently one hundred men	On the east side of Owens River, between Bright and Freebrough. When lease is granted	10 years.
Castlemaine	A. Greig. "Alexandra Co." (No. 267)	14 3 15	Quartz	£2000	First six months two men, subsequently ten men	Walker's Reef, Maldon. On issue of lease	15 years.
	C. Yorke. "Woori Yallock Gold Mining Co." (No. 269)	50 1 15	Alluvial	£2000	First six months four men, subsequently twenty men	Woori Yallock Creek. On grant of lease	15 years.
Maryborough	E. Thomas. "Working Miners Co." (No. 468)	19 3 1	Alluvial	£2000. Steam machinery if necessary	First six months six men, subsequently twelve men	Emu Lead, about five miles N.E. of Talbot. On grant of lease	15 years.
	W. Mallesky. "Extended Quartz Mining Co." (No. 469)	10 0 10	Quartz and alluvial	£1000. Worked by a whim; steam machinery when required	First three months three men, subsequently ten men	Butcher's Reef, near Talbot	10 years.
	J. Evans and another. "Magnum Bonum Extended Gold Mining Co." (No. 470)	6 2 12	Alluvial	£1500. Steam machinery	First four months ten men, subsequently twenty men	Chinaman's Flat. On grant of lease	15 years.
	J. Answorth and another. "Nil Desperandum Co." (No. 471)	3 0 25	Alluvial	£1800. Whim or steam machinery if required	First two months five men, subsequently nine men	Gibraltair Hill. On grant of lease	5 years.
	J. C. Ferguson. "Dunolly Gold and Porcelain Company." (No. 473)	13 0 20	Alluvial	£6000. Machinery	First three months four men, subsequently twelve men	Pottery Hill, Dunolly. On grant of lease	10 years.
Sandhurst	J. F. Woodward and another. "Sandhurst and others." (No. 688)	1 2 33	Quartz	£500. Manual labor	First three months two men, subsequently four men	Victoria Reef. On issue of lease	15 years.
	J. Hogg and another. "Golden G. H. Co." (No. 700)	5 1 84	Quartz and alluvial	£500. Horse or engine power	First six months two men, subsequently four men	Comet Reef, Eaglehawk. On issue of lease	10 years.
	G. Hooper. "Excelsior Co." (No. 701)	8 3 11	Quartz	£600. Manual labor	First six months two men, subsequently six men	Lightning Reef. Working at present	10 years.
	A. Jude and others. (No. 702)	20 1 33	Quartz and alluvial	£4000	First six months eight men, subsequently twenty men	Aryle Hill, Heathcote. Already at work	15 years.
	W. Rae and others. (No. 704)	2 0 10	Quartz	£1000. Manual labor	First six months two men, subsequently four men	Victoria Hill, Sandhurst. On issue of lease	15 years.
	W. H. Rigby and another. (No. 705)	10 3 23	Quartz	£500. Pumping and winding machinery and labor	First six months two men, subsequently four men	Gardner's Reef, Jackass Flat. On issue of lease	15 years.
	M. Leeds. "Rising Star Quartz Mining Co. (registered)." (No. 707)	21 2 1	Quartz and alluvial	£1500. Steam machinery and stamping batteries	First three months six men, subsequently twelve men	Milkmaid Flat. On issue of lease	15 years.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF MINING LEASES AND WATER-RIGHT LICENSES.

THE holders of the undermentioned leases and licenses having neglected to pay the rents now overdue for the lands held under the same respectively: It is hereby notified that if all arrears of rent be not paid to the Receivers of Revenue of the respective divisions within one month from the date hereof, the leases or licenses on which such arrears shall not have been paid will be liable to forfeiture.

ARARAT DISTRICT—ARARAT DIVISION.

Receiver at Ararat.

- No. 51. G. O'Grady; 12 acres; Commissioner's Hill.
No. 57. R. Crawford and another; 6 acres; Campbell's Reef, Moyston.

RAGLAN DIVISION.

Receiver at Ballarat.

- No. 38. J. Hall and others; 18a. 1r. 12p.; Southern Cross Lead, Beaufort.
No. 50. J. F. Watkin and others; 2a. 3r. 39p.; Waterloo Flat, Beaufort.
No. 65. W. Gerrard and another; 2a. 1r. 33p.; Police Paddock, Beaufort.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—BUNINYONG DIVISION.

Receiver at Ballarat.

- No. 337. W. Henderson; 99a. 0r. 26p.; Buninyong Race-course.
Water-right licence No. 1. J. H. Fairbairn and another; 190 acres; Lal-lal.

BLACKWOOD DIVISION.

Receiver at Ballarat.

- No. 241. J. Hewson, sen., and others; 17a. 2r. 16p.; Hewson's Reef, Split Tree Gully.
No. 339. W. Macredie; 3a. 0r. 15p.; Newman's Reef, Mount Blackwood.
No. 340. H. Stephens and others; 13a. 3r. 4p.; Yankee Reef.

CRESWICK DIVISION.

Receiver at Creswick.

- No. 63. R. Martin and others; 5a. 1r. 13p.; Clunes.
No. 343. J. O. Scatchard and others; 3a. 1r. 8p.; Rocky Lead, Bullarook.

STEIGLITZ DIVISION.

Receiver at Geelong.

- No. 94. R. King and others; 55a. 3r. 5p.; Portuguese Reef, Steiglitz.
No. 242. R. King; 7a. 3r. 33p.; New Chum Reef.
No. 330. A. Reid and others; 15a. 1r. 6p.; Gibraltar Hill.
No. 350. J. Halfey and another; 4a. 1r. 10p.; Boxing Reef.

SMYTHESDALE DIVISION.

Receiver at Smythesdale.

- No. 209. J. Evans; 5a. 2r.; Staffordshire Reef.
No. 234. W. Coats and others; 49a. 2r. 30p.; Springdallah.
No. 236. G. McDonald; 50 acres; Slaughter-House Hill.
No. 325. H. S. Smith and another; 100 acres; Scarsdale.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—CASTLEMAINE DIVISION.

Receiver at Castlemaine.

- No. 4. B. C. Burstall and others; 5a. 2r. 4p.; Specimen Gully, Barker's Creek.
No. 106. R. W. Fairbairn; 3a. 0r. 33p.; Wattle Gully, Chewton.
No. 150. W. Clarke, jun.; 30 acres; Bolivia Reef.
No. 163. W. Clarke, jun.; 16a. 2r. 33p.; Bolivia Reef.

FRYER'S CREEK DIVISION.

Receiver at Castlemaine.

- No. 64. J. Chaplin; 6a. 3r. 26p.; Windlass Hill.
No. 73. W. Cameron; 4a. 3r.; Kangaroo Hill.
No. 108. H. C. Thorburn; 6 acres; Kangaroo Hill.
No. 147. G. E. P. Vicary; 6a. 3r. 12p.; Taradale.
No. 152. W. Clarke, jun., and others; 16a. 3r. 6p.; Ferron's Reef.
No. 161. T. Vincent; 15 acres; Irish Reef.
No. 135. W. Clemmow and another; 18a. 3r. 34p.; Emu Reef.
No. 219. B. F. Bunny; 26a. 2r.; Malmesbury.
No. 220. A. Harper; 30a. 0r. 33p.; Malmesbury.

TARENGOWER DIVISION.

Receiver at Castlemaine.

- No. 94. W. T. Miller; 8a. 2r. 32p.; Parkin's Reef.
No. 116. J. C. Bury and another; 6a. 2r. 13p.; Parkin's Reef.
No. 131. J. Warnock; 6a. 2r. 22p.; Linscot's Reef.
No. 167. H. Elder; 13a. 0r. 18p.; Smith's Reef.
No. 133. J. Robinson; 3a. 2r. 23p.; Gorman Reef.
No. 193. J. Robinson; 2a. 2r.; Irish Billy's Reef.
No. 197. H. Barclay; 5a. 2r. 16p.; Purcell's Reef.

HEPBURN DIVISION.

Receiver at Daylesford.

- No. 131. J. Halfey and others; 6a. 1r. 12p.; Pioneer Reef, Yandoit.
No. 133. J. Halfey; 2a. 1r. 36p.; Hamburg Reef, Yandoit.

ST. ANDREW'S DIVISION.

Receiver at Melbourne.

- No. 189. H. de Castella; 40a. 3r. 17p.; Big Bill's Creek.
No. 196. A. D. Shepard; 156a. 1r. 25p.; Yarra River.

- No. 203. G. Wright; 12a. 3r. 81p.; Yarra River.
No. 225. H. de Castella; 17a. 1r. 30p.; Yarra River.
No. 235. H. A. Dalton; 19a. 1r. 26p.; Big Bill's Creek.

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—MARYBOROUGH DIVISION.

Receiver at Maryborough.

- No. 189. W. Lauder and others; 5a. 3r. 24p.; Chinaman's Flat.
No. 216. G. E. P. Vicary; 28a. 0r. 8p.; Alma-Wet Lead.
No. 217. A. F. Fletcher; 30 acres; Alma Wet Lead.
No. 230. H. Blümke; 18a. 2r.; Chinaman's Flat.
No. 291. H. Foster and another; 1a. 1r. 14p.; Arnold's Gully.

AMHERST DIVISION.

Receiver at Talbot.

- No. 119. J. Daly and others; 4 acres; Dundee Reef.
No. 197. T. Hargeaves and another; 4a. 3r. 32p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 198. C. J. Schultz and another; 12 acres; Mount Greenock.
No. 203. J. Clarke; 4a. 1r. 3p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 206. P. Pattison; 3 acres; Hit or Miss Reef.
No. 213. F. J. Searle; 6 acres; Mount Greenock.
No. 214. A. Gremmell and another; 10a. 1r. 18p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 215. P. Williams; 1a. 3r. 36p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 225. G. Bail and another; 5a. 1r. 32p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 227. S. Lloyd; 5a. 1r. 28p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 229. J. J. Phelps; 25 acres; Mount Greenock Plains.
No. 232. F. J. Searle; 14a. 0r. 28p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 234. G. Gaul; 6 acres; Mount Greenock.
No. 236. R. Horne; 4a. 0r. 28p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 237. H. Mundy; 5a. 3r. 39p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 238. J. Downie; 20 acres; Mount Greenock.
No. 253. J. B. Phillips; 1a. 1r. 5p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 259. L. Senger and another; 4a. 2r. 23p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 266. D. Rees; 11a. 3r. 35p.; Rocky Flat.
No. 268. E. Kevin; 9a. 3r. 1p.; Rocky Flat.
No. 273. J. Daly; 24a. 0r. 28p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 275. R. Hill; 27a. 2r. 34p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 286. C. Corfield and others; 20 acres; Rocky Flat.
No. 296. T. Edwards; 10a. 0r. 18p.; Rocky Flat.
No. 297. C. Miller; 9a. 0r. 5p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 298. T. C. Terrill; 3a. 2r. 33p.; Mount Greenock.
No. 306. M. Ford; 4a. 1r. 36p.; Rocky Flat.
No. 308. T. Edwards; 2a. 0r. 33p.; Rocky Flat.

KOBONG DIVISION.

Receiver at Inglewood.

- No. 205. R. O'Donovan; 3a. 0r. 12p.; European Reef.
No. 244. T. K. Johnston; 4a. 3r. 32p.; Inglewood Reef.
No. 245. J. Masterton and another; 3a. 2r. 6p.; North Maxwell's Reef.
No. 256. R. O'Donovan; 4a. 3r. 20p.; Maxwell's Reef.
No. 257. J. Barrell and others; 2a. 3r. 37p.; Caledonian Reef.

AVOCA DIVISION.

Receiver at Avoca.

- No. 195. C. E. Pascoe; 70a. 0r. 3p.; Avoca.
No. 228. J. Hocking; 10a. 1r. 18p.; Avoca Lead.
No. 287. A. Hardie and another; 25a. 0r. 32p.; Homebush.
No. 288. J. H. Meyer; 6 acres; Oxonian Reef No. 1.

DUNOLLY DIVISION.

Receiver at Dunolly.

- No. 88. E. W. Hammond; 7a. 0r. 29p.; Main Lead, Sandy Creek.
No. 220. G. Alderson; 4 acres; Horseshoe Reef, Burnt Creek.
No. 260. J. G. Russell; 19a. 3r. 32p.; Burnt Creek.
No. 292. B. Manuel; 3a. 1r. 4p.; Corfu Reef, Tarnagulla.

ST. ARNAUD DIVISION.

Receiver at Dunolly.

- No. 105. C. J. Harvey; 2 acres; Wilson's Hill, St. Arnaud.
Nos. 106-107. C. J. Harvey; 17a. 0r. 17p.; Wilson's Hill.
No. 140. J. Grierson; 2 acres; Chrysolite Hill.
No. 170. J. R. Rostron; 2a. 3r. 38p.; St. Arnaud.
No. 194. J. R. Rostron and another; 2a. 1r. 36p.; Chrysolite Hill.
No. 84 (mineral). J. de Little; 5a. 0r. 20p.; St. Arnaud.
No. 85 (mineral). J. Munro; 10a. 3r. 27p.; St. Arnaud.
No. 89 (mineral). A. W. Oakley; 50 acres; Stuart's Hill.
No. 90 (mineral). J. Benn; 50 acres; Stuart's Hill.
No. 100 (mineral). P. Switzer; 50 acres; Malakoff Reef.
No. 101 (mineral). W. Boreham; 50 acres; Malakoff Reef.
No. 102 (mineral). J. W. Walker; 50 acres; Mallee Scrub.
No. 116 (mineral). E. Jones; 9a. 0r. 32p.; Armenian Gully.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—SANDHURST DIVISION.

Receiver at Sandhurst.

- No. 23. D. McDougall; 3a. 1r. 8p.; Victoria Reef.
No. 83. A. Wittscheibe and others; 2r. 3p.; Happy Valley.
No. 107. J. McEwan and others; 1a. 2r. 24p.; Star Reef.
No. 198. E. Davies and others; 3a. 0r. 2p.; American Reef.
No. 203. G. Gibbs and another; 6a. 2r. 25p.; Glasgow Reef.
No. 235. T. Kaye and another; 3r. 20p.; Star Reef.
No. 246. S. McEachern; 6a. 3r. 33p.; Nelson Reef.
No. 253. R. O. Smith; 2a. 0r. 8p.; Paddy's Gully.
No. 269. J. T. Caldwell; 7a. 2r. 15p.; Specimen Hill, Eaglehawk.
No. 271. C. Ballerstedt and Son; 2a. 2r. 1p.; Sydney Gully.
No. 273. W. Souter and others; 6a. 2r. 2p.; Hustler's Reef.

- No. 300. T. Daws; 2a. 1r. 17p.; Whip Reef.
 No. 319. W. Cook; 9a. 3r. 37p.; Star Reef.
 No. 322. J. Rutherford; 5a. 2r. 7p.; Irishtown.
 No. 323. J. Holmes; 3a. 1r.; Victoria Reef.
 No. 324. J. Rutherford; 2r. 37p.; Irishtown.
 No. 327. D. McDougall and another; 2a. 0r. 28p.; Victoria Reef.
 No. 381. J. Bassett; 4a. 2r. 15p.; Specimen Hill, Sailor's Gully.
 No. 382. J. Bassett; 3a. 0r. 7p.; Moon Reef.
 No. 390. T. Burrows; 2a. 3r. 36p.; South Victoria Reef.
 No. 409. M. Ryan; 4 acres; Sixth White Hill.
 No. 439. G. Cooper; 19a. 3r. 37p.; Long Gully.
 No. 448. D. Stuart; 3a. 3r. 28p.; Long Gully.
 No. 456. J. Lean and others; 4a. 2r. 18p.; Phillip's Reef.
 No. 459. H. Johnson and another; 5a. 0r. 6p.; Alexander Reef.
 No. 476. W. N. Paul; 3a. 2r. 27p.; American Reef.
 No. 481. J. Don and others; 20a. 0r. 32p.; Wet Lead, Lower Huntley.
 No. 489. T. Roberts and others; 6a. 1r. 28p.; Epsom Flat.
 No. 496. H. Koch; 4a. 3r. 30p.; Sophia Reef.
 No. 504. J. Davies; 2 acres; Kangaroo Flat.
 No. 516. J. Hoyle and others; 3r. 38p.; California Gully.
 No. 521. C. Mueller; 3a. 3r. 24p.; Maiden Gully Reef.
 No. 525. R. Taylor and others; 19a. 0r. 7p.; Four-mile Hut.
 No. 526. T. S. Williams and others; 5a. 3r. 19p.; Redan Reef.
 No. 533. J. Aitken and others; 6a. 3r. 36p.; South Redan Reef.
 No. 537. B. Cahill; 10a. 0r. 21p.; Adelaide Gully.
 No. 539. S. Le Capelain; 14a. 2r. 10p.; Bird's Reef.

HEATHCOTE DIVISION.

Payable at Heathcote or Melbourne.

- No. 267. J. I. Carter and others; 5 acres; Long Gully, Heathcote.
 No. 523. J. McCræ and another; 12a. 1r. 38p.; Caledonia Gully.
 No. 37. (Mineral) R. H. Bland and others; 50 acres; Lower Costerfield.
 No. 108. (Mineral) R. F. Howard and others; 48a. 3r. 37p.; Costerfield.

WARANGA DIVISION.

Receiver at Melbourne.

- No. 71. J. T. Lewis; 1a. 1r.; Balaclava Hill, Whroo.
 No. 320. J. Jones and others; 2a. 3r. 28p.; Albert Reef, Whroo.
 No. 417. J. T. Lewis and another; 2a. 1r. 9p.; Balaclava Hill, Whroo.
 No. 418. A. and B. Gillespie; 1a. 1r. 39p.; Golden Point, Whroo.
 No. 433. J. T. Lewis; 21a. 0r. 19p.; Balaclava Hill, Whroo.

KILMORE DIVISION.

Receiver at Melbourne.

- No. 601. J. D. Anderson and another; 30 acres; Reedy Creek.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—BUCKLAND DIVISION.

Receiver at Beechworth.

- No. 9. (Water-right License) Thos. Laing; 5a. 2r. 30p.; Buckland.

JORDAN DIVISION.

Receiver at Wood's Point.

- No. 17. J. Walters; 22a. 2r. 5p.; Morning Star Hill.
 No. 19. C. H. Edwards and another; 24a. 3r. 6p.; Gooley's Creek.
 No. 20. J. R. Scott and another; 21a. 1r. 16p.; Evening Star Hill.
 No. 21. P. Snodgrass; 24 acres; Harper's Creek.
 No. 24. R. Bailey; 17a. 2r. 19p.; Harper's Creek.
 No. 25. W. B. Wildey; 24a. 3r. 16p.; B.B. Creek.
 No. 27. J. Drysdale and others; 24a. 3r. 6p.; Bald Hills.
 No. 32. C. H. Edwards and another; 25a. 0r. 38p.; Toorak, Jordan.
 No. 33. G. M. Newman and another; 24a. 0r. 23p.; Waverley Reef.
 No. 34. G. G. Scott and another; 24 acres; Perkins' Dry Creek.
 No. 35. R. Scott and another; 20a. 2r. 18p.; Alabama Reef.
 No. 37. J. Drysdale and others; 18a. 0r. 17p.; Gaffney's Creek.
 No. 38. C. F. McDougall and others; 20 acres; Gaffney's Creek.
 No. 42. S. Wekey; 20a. 3r. 8p.; Raspberry Creek.
 No. 45. W. J. Greig and others; 4a. 3r. 23p.; Wood's Point.
 No. 46. W. V. Smith and another; 22a. 3r. 36p.; Goulburn.
 No. 47. W. Smith; 8a. 0r. 33p.; Goulburn.
 No. 49. R. Bailey; 20a. 0r. 37p.; Never-Mind Reef.
 No. 50. W. G. Power; 20a. 0r. 5p.; Shamrock Reef.
 No. 54. J. Drysdale and others; 20a. 1r. 34p.; Stranger's Reef.
 No. 55. S. Warlow; 15a. 3r. 35p.; Canadian Hill.
 No. 57. C. Lister and another; 16a. 1r. 23p.; Goulburn River.
 No. 58. J. Drysdale and another; 18a. 3r. 2p.; B.B. Creek.
 No. 59. W. Hogarth; 13a. 1r. 2p.; Raspberry Creek.
 No. 60. W. C. Bayham; 8a. 2r.; Sailor Bill's Creek.
 No. 61. W. C. Bayham; 18a. 2r. 16p.; Raspberry Creek.
 No. 62. W. O'Brien; 18a. 2r. 16p.; Raspberry Creek.
 No. 63. C. E. A. Haager; 23a. 2r. 4p.; Goulburn River.

J. F. SULLIVAN,
Minister of Mines.Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 13th October, 1865.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES REFUSED.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with the Order in Council of the 13th October, 1862, that the undermentioned applications for Leases of Auriferous Crown Lands have been refused:—

AARAT DISTRICT—EAGLAN DIVISION (BEAUFORT).

Application No. 50, for lease No. 75; applicants, J. Fox and another; area, 30 acres; Sulky Flat, Charlton.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—BALLARAT DIVISION.

Application No. 53, for lease No. 403; applicants, The Victoria Gold Mining Company (registered), P. C. Downs, Manager; area, 135 acres; Wendouree Swamp, Ballarat.

Application No. 54, for lease No. 404; applicant, T. M. Thomas; area, 80 acres; Wendouree Swamp.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—JORDAN DIVISION (WOOD'S POINT).

Application No. 306, for lease No. 443; applicant, G. T. Reick; area, about 30 acres; near junction of Stander's Creek, Levathan Creek, Black River.

Application No. 268, for lease No. 444; applicant, C. V. W. Vernon; area, about 15 acres; about 2½ miles south-west of the Royal Standard Prospecting Claim.

E. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,

Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

MINING LEASES FORFEITED.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with the Order in Council of the 13th October, 1862, that the undermentioned Leases of Auriferous Crown Lands have been declared forfeited:—

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—FRYER'S CREEK AND TANADALE DIVISION.

Lease No. 192, dated 3rd March, 1865; lessee, George Hogarth; 30 acres; Garlics, Blue Mountain.

Lease No. 204, dated 10th April, 1865; lessee, W. Young; 29a. 2r. 17p.; on the Blue Creek, Blue Mountain.

R. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,

Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

APPLICATION FOR A WATER-RIGHT LICENSE REFUSED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned application for a Water-right License has been refused:—

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—JORDAN DIVISION.

Application for License No. 81; applicants, Edward Bell and Co.; area, about 1½ acres; Summer Creek, extreme western boundary of South Jordan Division, and west of the Baw-baw Ranges.

R. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,

Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

WATER-RIGHT LICENSE UNDER "THE LAND ACT 1862" CANCELLED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned License has been cancelled:—

AARAT DISTRICT—PLEASANT CREEK DIVISION.

Water-right License No. 2 under *The Land Act* 1862, dated 6th July, 1865; lessee, James Brown; area, 4a. 3r.; reefs east of the Big Hill, Quartz Reef.

R. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,

Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

ROBBERY OF GOLD-DUST AND BANK NOTES IN NEW ZEALAND.

THE subjoined Notification is published at the instance of the Government of New Zealand.

J. McCULLOCH,
Chief Secretary.Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 28th October, 1865.

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NOTICE.

FREE PARDON TO AN ACCOMPLICE.

Attorney General's Office,
Wellington, 11th October, 1865.

WHEREAS on Monday, the 4th day of September, 1865, Mr. Walmsley, of the Bank of New South Wales, was attacked and robbed, about 12 o'clock in the day, by about four or five armed men, between No Town and the Twelve-mile, on the Grey River Gold Fields, in the Province of Nelson, about 14 miles distant from the Grey Mouth, in the Province of Canterbury, of 821 ounces of gold-dust and about £1000 in bank notes: This is to notify that His Excellency the Governor will grant a Free Pardon to any person implicated in the robbery aforesaid, who shall give such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of any one or more of the other offenders.

HENRY SEWELL.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED—(Series 1865).

For what purpose Contract is required.	No. of tenders.	Particulars of each Tender, and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Is Contractor previously.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorised according to Regulations.
1224. Railways	...	Supply of platelayers' tools and lorries for the Sandhurst and Echuca line of railway, at rates	Rates ...	John Munroe	No	21 Vict. 36 ...	Approved by the Governor in Council, 23rd October. — J. H. Kay, C. Ex.C.

Melbourne, 31st October, 1865.

REGISTRAR GENERAL'S REPORT ON THE VITAL STATISTICS OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, AND FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1865.

ACTUAL Daily Mortality of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age in the Statistical District of Melbourne and suburbs, embracing a radius of ten miles, and including the Statistical Sub-districts of Melbourne Proper, East Melbourne, North Melbourne and Carlton, Fitz Roy Municipality, East Collingwood, Richmond, Jika-jika parish (exclusive of North Melbourne, Collingwood, and Richmond), South Yarra and Prahran, Emerald Hill and Sandridge, St. Kilda and Brighton, Doutta Galla and Keilor, Boroondara and Heidelberg, Cut-paw-paw parish, and the shipping in Hobson's Bay; also, the Temperature in the shade at Melbourne, deduced from the mean of twenty-four hourly observations taken at the Melbourne Observatory on each day during the month of September, 1865:—

DAY OF THE MONTH.	BOTH SEXES.			MALES.			FEMALES.			MEAN TEMPERATURE IN MELBOURNE.
	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	
1	6	3	9	3	1	4	3	2	5	62.7°
2	6	8	14	5	6	11	1	2	3	55.8
3	5	3	8	3	2	5	2	1	3	56.1
4	8	2	10	4	1	5	4	1	5	50.6
5	2	2	4	2	1	3	...	1	1	46.8
6	2	4	6	1	2	3	1	2	3	50.8
7	8	3	11	3	1	4	5	2	7	48.2
8	3	5	8	3	3	6	...	2	2	45.7
9	7	2	9	5	2	7	2	...	2	50.4
10	4	2	6	3	2	5	1	...	1	51.0
11	5	2	7	3	1	4	2	1	3	54.8
12	6	6	12	4	4	8	2	2	4	46.6
13	2	4	6	1	3	4	1	1	2	47.0
14	3	8	11	1	3	4	2	5	7	51.3
15	1	5	6	...	2	2	1	3	4	54.3
16	...	7	7	...	4	4	...	3	3	56.1
17	3	6	9	2	4	6	1	2	3	50.7
18	3	6	9	3	5	8	...	1	1	50.4
19	4	5	9	1	3	4	3	2	5	50.9
20	4	6	10	2	5	7	2	1	3	59.4
21	4	3	7	1	1	2	3	2	5	55.0
22	5	4	9	1	3	4	4	1	5	60.0
23	2	6	8	2	3	5	...	3	3	54.4
24	7	3	10	2	3	5	5	...	5	48.0
25	2	2	4	1	1	2	1	1	2	57.9
26	5	4	9	4	3	7	1	1	2	61.2
27	5	1	6	2	...	2	3	1	4	59.3
28	2	4	6	2	1	3	...	3	3	49.9
29	5	1	6	4	1	5	1	...	1	50.0
30	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	1	1	52.0
Total	120	118	238	69	71	140	51	47	98	Mean of the month.
Daily average ..	4.00	3.94	7.94	2.30	2.37	4.67	1.70	1.57	3.27	52.9°

The mortality of Melbourne and suburbs, the mean temperature in the shade, and the mean atmospheric pressure, during the month of September, for the last six years, were as follow:—

	Number of Deaths.	Mean Temperature.	Mean Height of Barometer.
September, 1860	259	53.8°	29.935 inches.
" 1861	234	57.2°	29.972 "
" 1862	225	54.9°	29.786 "
" 1863	214	52.1°	29.945 "
" 1864	207	54.9°	29.907 "
" 1865	238	52.9°	29.631 "
Mean of six years	229	54.3°	29.896 "

The deaths in September were fewer than those in August by 51; they however exceeded the average for September during six years by 9. Except September, 1853, the month was colder than the corresponding one of any year in the previous quinquennial period.

Of the deaths which took place during the month, 59 per cent. were of males and 41 per cent. of females. Fifty-one per cent. were of children who had not attained their fifth year, against 38 per cent. in September, 1864, 33 per cent. in September, 1863, 43 per cent. in September, 1862, 40 per cent. in September, 1861, and 53 per cent. in September, 1860. The relative mortality of young children was thus higher than in any month of September since 1860.

Fourteen deaths occurred on the 2nd and 13 on the 12th of the month. These were the days of highest mortality. The day of the lowest was the 30th, on which there is only a record of two deaths having occurred.

The death of a male aged 76 of bronchitis, and of two males, aged respectively 82 and 83, of old age, were reported as having occurred during the month.

The violent deaths numbered 14. Of these 4 were from drowning, viz., a boy aged 12 in Hobson's Bay, a seaman aged 40, a drayman aged 46, and a laborer aged 66, in the Yarra. A child aged 3½ died of burns, and another aged 16 months of scalds. A laborer aged 23 was killed by a tree falling on him, a butcher aged 26 died of accidental injuries to his face, a laborer aged 35 of accidental injuries to his foot, and a farmer aged 56 of injuries caused by a dray-wheel passing over him. An infant aged 3 months and another aged 3 months were suffocated, the latter stated to be in bed; a hairdresser aged 31 was murdered by his paramour; a female aged 25 committed suicide by taking poison.

Fifty-four deaths, or 23 per cent. of the whole number recorded, occurred in public institutions, as follows:—Melbourne Hospital, 25; Benevolent Asylum, 5; Yarra Bend Asylum, 7; Royal Park Asylum, 1; Military Hospital, 1; Industrial Schools, 11; Immigrants' Home, 2; Melbourne Gaol, 1; and Watchhouse, 1.

The following table shows the number of persons of all ages according to the last census, the number of deaths of persons, under and over five years of age, the total at all ages, and the number of deaths to every 1000 of the population during the month of September, in the Statistical District of Melbourne and suburbs, and in each of the sub-districts of which it is composed:—

Sub-districts.	Number of Persons of all ages in each sub-district on 7th April, 1861.	Deaths of both sexes in September, 1865.			Number of deaths to every 1000 of the population.
		Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	
Melbourne Proper	23,766	15	35	50	2.10
East Melbourne	2,023
North Melbourne and Carlton	16,798	21	14	35	2.08
Fitz Roy Municipality	11,807	11	8	19	1.61
East Collingwood	12,653	11	6	17	1.35
Richmond	11,355	11	6	17	1.50
Jika-jika parish (remainder of)	8,215	9	19	28	3.41
South Yarra and Prahran	12,900	15	10	25	1.94
Emerald Hill and Sandridge	12,393	8	6	14	1.13
St. Kilda and Brighton	11,236	4	4	8	.71
Doutta Galla and Keilor	3,057	2	3	5	1.62
Boroondara and Heidelberg	5,722	2	2	4	.69
Cut-paw-paw parish	6,234	11	4	15	2.40
Shipping in Hobson's Bay	1,727	...	1	1	.58
Total, Melbourne and suburbs	139,916	120	118	238	1.70

NOTE.—The Melbourne Hospital is in Melbourne Proper, the Benevolent Asylum in North Melbourne and Carlton, the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylum in Jika-jika parish (remainder of), and the Industrial Schools in South Yarra and Prahran.

The children dying under five years of age during the month numbered 120; of these 69, or about 58 per cent., were males; 51, or nearly 42 per cent., were females; 63 were under one year of age, 30 were between one and two years, 13 were between two and three, 7 were between three and four, and 7 were between four and five.

The deaths of persons beyond five years of age amounted to 118, of which 71, or 60 per cent., were of males, and 47, or 40 per cent., of females; of those dying, 16 were between five and ten years of age, 1 was between ten and fifteen, 12 were between twenty and twenty-five, 11 were between twenty-five and thirty, 20 were between thirty and thirty-five, 17 were between thirty-five and forty, 12 were between forty and forty-five, 7 were between forty-five and fifty, 2 were between fifty and fifty-five, 5 were between fifty-five and sixty, 5 were between sixty and sixty-five, 4 were between sixty-five and seventy, 3 were between seventy and seventy-five, and 3 were seventy-five and upwards.

The following table shows the causes of the deaths of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age, and the proportions per cent. of deaths from each cause, in Melbourne and suburbs, during the month of September, 1865:—

Classes.	Causes of Death.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Proportions per cent.
I.	Zymotic diseases	66	27	93	39.08
II.	Constitutional diseases	6	32	38	15.96
III.	Local diseases	23	40	63	26.05
IV.	Developmental diseases	22	9	31	13.04
V.	Violent deaths	4	10	14	5.87
	Total	120	118	238	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

- Order 1. *Miasmatic diseases*.—Scarlatina, 8; diphtheria, 8; croup, 10; whooping-cough, 45; typhus and infantile fever, 3; erysipelas, 1; metria, 2; dysentery, 3; diarrhoea, 5.
2. *Enthetic diseases*.—Syphilis, 1.
3. *Dietic diseases*.—Want of breast-milk, 1; delirium tremens, 4; intemperance, 2.

CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. *Diatetic diseases*.—Dropsy, 2; cancer, 5; noma, 1; tumor, 1.
2. *Tubercular diseases*.—Scrofula, 1; tabes mesenterica, 2; phthisis, 22; hæmoptysis, 1; hydrocephalus, 3.

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. *Diseases of the nervous system*.—Cephalitis, 3; apoplexy, 5; paralysis, 1; epilepsy, 1; convulsions, 8; brain disease, 7.
2. *Diseases of the circulatory system*.—Pericarditis, 1; heart disease, 11.
3. *Diseases of the respiratory system*.—Laryngitis, 1; bronchitis, 8; pneumonia, 3; congestion of lungs, &c., 3; lung disease, 1.
4. *Diseases of the digestive organs*.—Peritonitis, 2; stomach disease, 1; hepatitis, 1; liver disease, 4.
5. *Diseases of the urinary organs*.—Nephritis, 1.

CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. *Dev. diseases of children*.—Premature birth, 6; malformation, 1; teething, 4.
2. *Dev. diseases of adults*.—Childbirth, 5.
3. *Dev. diseases of old people*.—Old age, 4, viz., 2 females, aged 70 and 74 years; and 2 males, aged 82 and 83 years.
4. *Diseases of nutrition*.—Atrophy and debility, 11.

CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.

- Order 1. *Accident or negligence*.—Fractures and contusions, 3; burns and scalds, 2; drowning, 4; suffocation, 2; otherwise, 1.
2. *OMICIDE*.—Murder and manslaughter, 1.
3. *SUICIDE*.—Poisons, 1.

More deaths were occasioned by zymotic diseases than by any other class. This circumstance had not occurred previously in any month since last March. The most fatal zymotic disease in the month under review was whooping-cough, which caused 45 deaths against 30 in August and 19 in July. Deaths from scarlatina and diphtheria also increased to 16 from 7 in August and 6 in July. Had it not been for the increased mortality from zymotic diseases, the total mortality, as compared with that in August, would have shown a reduction, since deaths from all other classes of diseases showed diminished numbers. Thus deaths from constitutional diseases decreased from 54 to 36; deaths from local diseases, from 100 to 62; and deaths from developmental diseases, from 40 to 31. Phthisis, a disease of the constitutional class, caused only 23 deaths against 34 in August.

QUARTER ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1865.

Summary of deaths in Melbourne and suburbs during the quarter ending 30th September, 1865, with the mean temperature of each month and of the quarter:—

1865.	BOTH SEXES.			MALES.			FEMALES.			Mean temperature in Melbourne.
	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	
July	119	151	270	67	101	168	52	50	102	46.4°
August.. .. .	144	145	289	73	90	168	66	55	121	49.4°
September .. .	120	118	238	69	71	140	51	47	98	52.9°
Quarter ending 30th September .. .	383	414	797	214	262	476	169	152	321	Mean temperature for the quarter ending 30th September, 1865. 49.6°
Daily average for July	3.84	4.87	8.71	2.16	3.26	5.42	1.68	1.61	3.29	
Daily average for August	4.64	4.68	9.32	2.52	2.90	5.42	2.13	1.77	3.90	
Daily average for September .. .	4.00	3.93	7.93	2.30	2.37	4.67	1.70	1.57	3.27	
Daily average for the quarter.. .	4.16	4.50	8.66	2.32	2.85	5.17	1.84	1.65	3.49	

The number of deaths which occurred throughout the district of Melbourne and suburbs during the quarter terminating on the 30th September, 1865, was 797, or 5.69 in every thousand of its inhabitants.

The deaths which took place in the various sub-districts were in the following proportions to their populations, as ascertained at the last census:—Melbourne Proper, 183 deaths, or 7.70 in a thousand; East Melbourne, 6 deaths, or 2.97 in a thousand; North Melbourne and Carlton, 124 deaths, or 7.38 in a thousand; Fitz Roy Municipality, 55 deaths, or 4.66 in a thousand; East Collingwood, 63 deaths, or 4.90 in a thousand; Richmond, 55 deaths, or 4.85 in a thousand; Jika-jika parish (remainder of), 70 deaths, or 8.52 in a thousand; South Yarra and Prahran, 71 deaths, or 5.51 in a thousand; Emerald Hill and Sandridge, 43 deaths, or 3.88 in a thousand; St. Kilda and Brighton, 37 deaths, or 3.29 in a thousand; Douta Galla and Keilor, 10 deaths, or 3.24 in a thousand; Boroondara and Heidelberg, 18 deaths, or 3.13 in a thousand; Cut-paw-paw parish, 54 deaths, or 8.84 in a thousand; shipping in Hobson's Bay, 4 deaths, or 2.33 in a thousand.

The following table shows the causes of the deaths of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age, and the proportions per cent. from each cause, in Melbourne and suburbs, during the quarter ending 30th September, 1865:—

Classes.	Causes of Death.	Under five years.	Over five years.	Total.	Proportions per cent.
I.	Zymotic diseases .. .	163	73	236	29.61
II.	Constitutional diseases .. .	32	107	139	17.44
III.	Local diseases .. .	94	184	278	34.88
IV.	Developmental diseases .. .	84	22	106	13.30
V.	Violent deaths .. .	10	28	38	4.77
	Total .. .	383	414	797	100.00

CLASS I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.

- Order 1. Miasmatic diseases.—Scarlatina, 15; diphtheria, 14; quinsy, 1; croup, 21; whooping-cough, 94; typhus and infantile fever, 15; erysipelas, 3; metria, 5; influenza, 2; dysentery, 12; diarrhoea, 17; cholera, 2; rheumatism, 7.
- 2. Ethetic diseases.—Syphilis, 6; stricture of the urethra, 1.
- 3. Dietic diseases.—Privation, 1; want of breast-milk, 10; delirium tremens, 6; purpura and scurvy, 1; intemperance, 3.

CLASS II.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. Diathetic diseases.—Dropsy, 7; cancer, 12; noma, 2; tumor, 1; mortification, 2.
- 2. Tubercular diseases.—Scrofula, 5; tubercular meningitis, 5; phthisis, 78; hæmoptysis, 5; hydrocephalus, 19; abscess, 3.

CLASS III.—LOCAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. Diseases of the nervous system.—Cephalitis, 14; apoplexy, 24; paralysis, 9; epilepsy, 2; convulsions, 27; brain disease, 33.
- 2. Diseases of the circulatory system.—Pericarditis, 3; aneurism, 5; heart disease, 38.
- 3. Diseases of the respiratory system.—Laryngitis, 4; bronchitis, 18; pleurisy, 2; pneumonia, 24; congestion of lungs, &c., 14; lung disease, 3.
- 4. Diseases of the digestive organs.—Gastritis, 2; enteritis, 4; peritonitis, 7; ascites, 2; ulceration of intestines, 1; Hæm, 1; Intussusception, 1; fistula, 1; stomach disease, 2; hepatitis, 9; jaundice, 2; liver disease, 11.
- 5. Diseases of the urinary organs.—Nephritis, 2; nephria, 5; cystitis, 3; kidney disease, 3.
- 6. Diseases of the organs of generation.—Uterus disease, 1.
- 8. Diseases of the integumentary system.—Ulcer, 1.

CLASS IV.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.

- Order 1. Dev. diseases of children.—Premature birth, 16; cyanosis, 1; malformation, 1; teething, 15.
- 2. Dev. diseases of adults.—Childbirth, 8.
- 3. Dev. diseases of old people.—Old age, 6 males and 5 females.
- 4. Diseases of nutrition.—Atrophy and debility, 54.

CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.

- Order 1. Accident or negligence.—Fractures and contusions, 14; burns and scalds, 2; drowning, 8; suffocation, 7; otherwise, 2.
- 3. Homicide.—Murder and manslaughter, 1.
- 4. Suicide.—Cut throat, 1; poison, 2.
- 5. Execution.—Hanging, 1.

The following table shows the diurnal range of temperature in the shade at the Melbourne Observatory, during the months of July, August, and September, 1865:—

Day of the Month.	DAILY RANGE OF TEMPERATURE.		
	July.	August.	September.
1	14.7	16.0	23.2
2	14.3	17.1	14.8
3	16.8	17.2	15.5
4	25.0	14.2	8.0
5	26.3	17.8	16.5
6	13.0	27.7	26.3
7	22.9	26.4	10.1
8	18.8	29.9	19.0
9	4.6	27.8	25.6
10	5.8	25.9	19.7
11	10.0	26.9	19.2
12	4.1	32.5	13.1
13	5.9	13.3	16.9
14	15.8	11.0	14.7
15	15.5	16.0	27.9
16	18.0	13.8	23.2
17	15.5	12.9	8.8
18	8.9	22.2	17.3
19	12.2	26.0	15.0
20	11.6	21.5	33.8
21	18.0	28.3	16.5
22	14.9	12.0	33.0
23	17.7	15.0	24.6
24	18.1	11.2	13.0
25	11.3	24.5	20.8
26	18.7	24.5	22.1
27	21.7	12.5	18.0
28	16.2	16.0	8.7
29	14.4	10.4	19.6
30	16.1	14.0	16.4
31	16.7	19.8	...
Mean daily range	14.9	19.5	18.8

The days of highest and lowest range in each of the three months, with the maximum and minimum temperature of those days, are given as follow:—

	HIGHEST RANGE.		Minimum.	Difference or range.
	Maximum.	Minimum.		
5th July	58.0°	31.7°	26.3°	
12th August	68.0°	35.5°	32.5°	
20th September	75.7°	41.9°	33.8°	
	LOWEST RANGE.		Minimum.	Difference or range.
	Maximum.	Minimum.		
12th July	47.1°	43.0°	4.1°	
29th August	60.0°	49.6°	10.4°	
4th September	56.0°	48.0°	8.0°	

The mean temperature, number of deaths, and daily average of mortality, in the quarter ending 30th September, during the last six years, were as follow:—

	Number of deaths.	Daily average of deaths.	Mean temperature.
Quarter ending 30th September, 1860	876	9.52	50.2°
" " " " " " " "	770	8.37	51.0°
" " " " " " " "	622	6.76	51.6°
" " " " " " " "	665	7.23	50.3°
" " " " " " " "	636	6.91	50.7°
" " " " " " " "	797	8.66	49.6°
Mean of quarter in six successive years	728	7.91	50.6°

The mean temperature of the quarter under review was lower than it was in the corresponding quarter of any of the five previous years, but the mortality was, with one exception, higher than it was in any of those quarters.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

POUND AT CONGONGELLA CREEK.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for Trespass of Cattle, and the Sustenance thereof, whilst impounded in the Stawell Shire Pound, CONGONGELLA CREEK, under the provisions of *The Pounds Statute 1865*.
Fixed by the Stawell Shire Council, on the 19th day of September, 1865.

Description of Cattle trespassing.	In any Forest or open Pasture Land, open Stubble, After-grass, or other un-enclosed Land.	In any Paddock of Grass, enclosed by a good and substantial Fence.	In any Garden, un-cut 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, mule, bull, cow, ox, heifer, steer, calf	0 0 6	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 2 0
For every ram, ewe, sheep, or lamb	0 0 0½	0 0 2	0 0 6	0 0 1
For every goat	0 1 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	0 0 6
For every pig	0 2 0	0 5 0	1 0 0	0 2 0

By Order of the Council,
HENRY KELLEY,
Secretary.

Allowed by His Excellency the Governor in Council,
J. McCULLOCH,
Chief Secretary.

LANDS RESERVED, ETC.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act, 1862*, § 8 and 9, that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to reserve from sale the lands hereinafter mentioned as *permanently reserved*, and that such lands as are herein stated to be *temporarily reserved* have been temporarily reserved, for the several purposes specified in connection with each description; and it is further notified that lands the temporary reservation of which is stated to have been revoked or cancelled will after the legal period cease to be reserved, viz. :—

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 17 October, 1865.

BAIRNSDALE—Site for Public Recreation purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Ninety-four acres, county unnamed, township of Bairnsdale, Gipps Land. Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing west thirteen chains, more or less, and north eleven chains fifty links, more or less, from the east angle of allotment 46, parish of Bairnsdale; bounded thence by a line bearing west thirty-three chains; thence by a line bearing north twenty-eight chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing east thirty-three chains; and thence by a line bearing south twenty-eight chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(65.L.8912.)

EDDINGTON—Site for Police purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865, subject to the condition that the Police Department shall not interfere with the occupation legally effected on or before the date hereof by any persons of any portion thereof.—Nineteen acres, more or less, township of Eddington, county of Talbot. Commencing at the north-west angle of the site, being the point where the east side of the road forming the east boundary of section 6 in the said township abuts on the River Loddon; bounded thence by that road bearing south to its junction with the road forming the south boundary of the township aforesaid; thence by that road bearing east to the Tullaroop Creek; thence by that creek bearing north-westerly to its junction with the aforesaid river; and thence by that river bearing westerly to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11072.)

ESSENDON (DOUTTA GALLA)—Land *temporarily reserved* as a Loam Ground by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Two acres, county of Bourke, parish of Dousta Galla, being part of the reserve on the south of the township of Essendon. Commencing at the east angle, being a point bearing south fifteen chains fifty links, more or less, from the south-east angle of section 2 in the aforesaid township; bounded thence by a line bearing S. 55° 25' W. four chains; thence by the Melbourne road, bearing N. 34° 35' W. five chains; thence by a line bearing N. 55° 25' E. four chains; and thence by a line bearing S. 34° 35' E. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.11491.)

HORSHAM—Site for a Cemetery, *permanently reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Eight acres, county unnamed, parish of Horsham. Commencing at the south-west angle of the site, being a point bearing east fifteen chains and south two chains fifty links from the north-west angle of allotment 2 of section 2 in the said parish; bounded on the west by the said allotment and a line bearing north eight chains; on the north by a line bearing east ten chains; on the east by a line and the said allotment, bearing south eight chains; and on the south by the said allotment, bearing west ten chains to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65.B.2289.)

KANGAROO FLAT, SANDHURST—Site for Roman Catholic Church purposes, *permanently reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865 (being the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 25th July, 1864).—One acre, county unnamed, parish of Sandhurst, being allotment 1 of section 15. Commencing at the south-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 2° E. ninety-seven links and N. 11° 52' W. one chain fifty-two links and a half; thence by a line bearing S. 88° E. four chains thirty-six links; thence by a line bearing S. 2° W. two chains forty-five links; and thence by a road bearing N. 88° W. four chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.10317.)

MALDON—Site for Watering purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—One acre one rood twenty-eight perches, county unnamed, parish of Maldon. Commencing at the north-east angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 33° 56' W. one chain twenty links and a half, S. 38° 49' E. fifteen chains eighty-eight links and S. 43° 9' E. four chains forty-seven links from the south-west angle of allotment 4 of section 3 in the aforesaid parish; bounded thence by lines bearing S. 7° 8' E. three chains forty-five links, N. 87° 32' W. four chains seventy-three links, N. 8° 20' E. three chains twenty-six links, and N. 87° 40' E. three chains sixty-five links to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11637.)

MALDON—Site for Watering purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Six acres one rood eighteen perches, county unnamed, parish of Maldon, being part of allotment 5 of section 1 A. Commencing at the north angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 5° 30' W. fifteen chains seven links; thence by a line bearing west eight chains forty-eight links; and thence by the main road from Maryborough to Maldon, bearing N. 33° 30' E. eighteen chains to the point of commencement.

NEWBRIDGE—Site for Recreative purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865, to be placed under the control of the council of the borough of Barnagulla.—Two roods two perches, more or less, county unnamed, township of Newbridge. Commencing at the point where the south side of Giffard street abuts on the left bank of the River Loddon;

bounded thence by the said street, bearing N. 89° 45' W. to its intersection by the east side of Burke street; thence by that street, bearing S. 7° 15' W. ten chains to its intersection by the north side of Lyons street; thence by that street, bearing S. 82° 45' E. to the River Loddon aforesaid; and thence by that river, bearing northerly to the point of commencement.—(65.L.10011.)

REDESDALE—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Two acres, county of Dalhousie, parish of Redesdale. Commencing at the south-west angle of the site, being a point bearing north one chain from the north-west angle of allotment 70 in the said parish; bounded thence by lines bearing north four chains, east five chains, and south four chains; and thence by a road bearing west five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.10012.)

STRATFORD—Site for Offices for the Avon District Road Board, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—Two roods, county unnamed, township of Stratford, Gipps Land, being allotment 10 of section 3. Commencing at the north-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by Hobson street, bearing east two chains; thence by part of allotment 2, bearing south two chains fifty links; thence by allotment 1, bearing west two chains; and thence by Merrick street, bearing north two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.10173.)

WOOLAMAI—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 9th October, 1865.—One acre two roods sixteen perches, county of Mornington, parish and township of Woolamai, being allotments 17, 18, and 19 of section 6. Commencing at the west angle of allotment 19; bounded thence by a line bearing N. 31° E. four chains fifty-one links; thence by allotment 16, bearing S. 59° E. five chains; thence by suburban allotment 1, bearing S. 81° W. one chain ninety links; and thence by a road bearing N. 86° 34' W. five chains sixty-five links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.10997.)

The following Site was Gazetted 1° on 20 October, 1865.

CRAIGIE (MAJORCA)—Site for Majorca Cemetery, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 16th October, 1865.—Five acres, county of Talbot, parish of Craigie, being allotment 8 of section 10. Commencing at the west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by allotment 7, bearing N. 57° 16' E. seven chains; thence by a line bearing S. 32° 44' E. seven chains fourteen links; thence by a line bearing south 57° 16' W. seven chains; and thence by a road bearing N. 32° 44' W. seven chains fourteen links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.11183.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 24 October, 1865.

JIKA-JIKA—Land *temporarily reserved* for the use of the Port Phillip Farmers' Society, by Order of the 16th October, 1865, the permissive occupancy of the land hitherto in use by that society (of which the land hereby reserved forms part) being cancelled.—Eight acres one rood, county of Bourke, parish of Jika-jika. Commencing at the south-east angle, being a point bearing west three chains one link and N. 3° W. twenty-one chains sixty links from the south-west angle of the University reserve; bounded thence by the Sydney road, bearing N. 3° W. fourteen chains sixty-three links; thence by a line bearing west four chains thirty-six links; thence by the south-east side of the road forming the south-east boundary of the Royal Park, bearing south-westerly two chains fourteen links; thence by lines bearing south twelve chains fifty-five links and east six chains fifteen links to the point of commencement; as shown on the plan deposited at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(65.L.10364.)

MAJORCA—Site for Presbyterian Church, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 16th October, 1865.—Two roods thirty-seven perches, county of Talbot, township of Majorca, being allotment 1, section 13 A. Commencing at the north-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 89° 30' E. two chains ninety-five links and a half; thence by allotment 2, bearing S. 0° 30' W. two chains; thence by allotments 4 and 5, bearing N. 69° 30' W. four chains thirty-seven links; and thence by a road bearing N. 35° 46' E. two chains forty-five links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.551.)

MELBOURNE—Site for the Melbourne Home, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 16th October, 1865, in lieu of allotment 11 of section 16 A, in the parish of North Melbourne, the permissive occupancy of which by the committee of the Melbourne Home is hereby cancelled.—Thirty-four perches and a half, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne, being allotment 12, section 30. Commencing at the north angle of the allotment; bounded thence by allotment 13, bearing S. 28° E. two chains thirty-seven links and a quarter; thence by allotment 21, bearing S. 62° W. ninety-one links; thence by the Presbyterian Church reserve and allotment 11, bearing N. 25° W. two chains thirty-seven links and a quarter; and thence by Little Lonsdale street, bearing N. 62° E. ninety-one links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.8631.)

MELBOURNE—Site for West Melbourne Literary Institute purposes, *temporarily reserved* by Order of 16th October, 1865, in addition to the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 21st November, 1864.—Sixteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne, being allotment 11 of section 30. Commencing at the west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by Little Lonsdale street, bearing N. 62° E. one chain ten links and a half; thence by allotment 12, bearing S. 28° E. ninety-one links; thence by the Presbyterian Church reserve, bearing S. 62° W. one chain ten links and a half; and thence by the site already reserved as aforesaid, bearing N. 25° W. ninety-one links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.11509.)

MORTLAKE (CONNEWARREN)—Land temporarily reserved for Racing purposes, by Order of 16th October, 1865.—One hundred and fifty-two acres and sixteen perches, county of Hampden, parish of Connewarren, being portions 28 and 29: Commencing at the north-west angle of portion 28; bounded thence by portion 27, bearing east thirty-nine chains; thence by a road bearing south thirty-nine chains; thence by a road bearing west thirty-nine chains; and thence by a line bearing north thirty-nine chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.9226.)

SKIPTON—Site for Wesleyan Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 16th October, 1865.—One acre, county of Hampden, township of Skipton, being allotments 9 and 10 of section 4: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 9; bounded thence by Anderson street, bearing south five chains; thence by Smythe street, bearing west two chains; thence by allotment 8, bearing north five chains; and thence by Wright street, bearing east two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.8559.)

TARNAGULLA—Site for Roman Catholic Church purposes, permanently reserved by Order of 9th October, 1865, being the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of the 21st March, 1864.—One acre, county unnamed, township of Tarnagulla, being allotments 1 and 2 of section 10: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 2; bounded thence by Camp street, bearing S. 70° 38' W. five chains; thence by a street bearing S. 19° 22' E. two chains; thence by allotment 3, bearing N. 70° 38' E. five chains; and thence by Stanley street, bearing N. 19° 22' W. two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11085.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1^o on 31 October, 1865.

BAGSHOT—Site for School purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two acres, county unnamed, parish of Bagshot, being allotment 11 of section 2: Commencing at the north-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by the Murray road bearing N. 68° 40' E. five chains; thence by allotment 12, bearing S. 21° 20' E. four chains; thence by allotment 10, bearing S. 68° 40' W. five chains; thence by a road bearing N. 21° 20' W. four chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.9563.)

BAIRNSDALE—Site for Mechanics' Institute, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two roods, county unnamed, township of Bairnsdale, Gipps Land, being allotment 6 of section 6: Commencing at the south-east angle of the allotment, being a point on Nicholson street; bounded thence by that street, bearing S. 65° 42' W. one chain; thence by allotment 7, bearing N. 24° 18' W. five chains; thence by Francis street, bearing N. 65° 42' E. one chain; and thence by allotment 5, bearing S. 24° 18' E. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11677.)

EAGLEHAWK (SANDHURST)—Site for Presbyterian Minister's Dwelling, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865, subject to the condition that all persons legally resident on the said site at the date of the proclamation hereof shall be compensated for their improvements thereon by the Presbyterian congregation.—Two roods thirty-two perches, county unnamed, parish of Sandhurst, borough of Eaglehawk, being allotments 1, 3, and 4 of section 5: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 3; bounded thence by allotment A, bearing S. 67° E. three chains ninety-eight links; thence by a road bearing S. 23° W. one chain fifteen links; thence by allotment 2, bearing N. 67° W. one chain ninety-eight links and S. 23° W. one chain twenty-one links and three-quarters; thence by a line bearing N. 67° W. two chains to the south-west angle of allotment 4 aforesaid; and thence by Church street, bearing N. 23° E. two chains thirty-six links and three-quarters to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11924.)

ECHUCA—Site for Town Hall, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865, being an extension of the site temporarily reserved for Municipal Offices by Order of 1st May, 1865.—One rood, county unnamed, township of Echuca, being part of allotment 4 of section 9: Commencing at the north-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by allotment 3, bearing N. 79° E. two chains fifty links; thence by allotment 6, bearing S. 11° E. one chain; thence by a line bearing S. 79° W. two chains fifty links; and thence by High street, bearing N. 11° W. one chain to the point of commencement; the bearings are from the true meridian.—(65.K.9236.)

ELMORE—Land temporarily reserved for Police purposes, by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Nine acres, more or less, county unnamed, township of Elmore: Commencing at a point on the Campaspe River, bearing east from the south-east angle of allotment 3 of section 15; bounded thence by a line and the south boundaries of that allotment and allotment 2, bearing west to the south-west angle of the last-named allotment; thence by a road bearing north twelve chains sixty-five links and N. 20° 6' E. seventy-nine links to the north angle of allotment 15 of section 11; thence by the north boundary of that allotment and a line bearing S. 69° 54' E. to the aforesaid river; and thence by that river bearing south-easterly and southerly to the point of commencement.—(65.K.10757.)

HADDON—Site for Pound, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two acres, county of Grenville, parish of Haddou: Commencing at the south angle of the site, being a point bearing west one chain and N. 50° W. seven chains sixty links from the junction of the west side of McLachlan's pre-emptive section with the north side of the main road from Carnham to Ballarat; bounded thence by lines bearing N. 50° W. five chains, N. 40° E. four chains, S. 50° E. five

chains, and S. 40° W. four chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.12521.)

HEATHCOTE—Site for Wesleyan Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—One acre, county of Dalhousie, parishes of Heathcote and McIvor: Commencing at the west angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 5° 2' W. twelve chains eighty-two links and S. 12° 25' W. nineteen chains seventy-eight links from the north angle of allotment 5 of section 49, parish of Heathcote; bounded thence by lines bearing N. 33° 30' E. four chains, S. 56° 30' E. two chains fifty links, S. 33° 30' W. four chains, and N. 56° 30' W. two chains fifty links to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65.L.8557.)

MALDON—Site for Market and other public purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Three acres and fourteen perches, county unnamed, township of Maldon: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point formed by the intersection of the western side of High street and the north side of Fountain street; bounded thence by High street, bearing N. 13° 20' W. three chains seven links; thence by a road bearing west ten chains seventy-four links; thence by Chapel street, bearing S. 20° 41' E. three chains thirty-six links; and thence by Fountain street aforesaid, bearing N. 88° 28' E. nine chains eighty-seven links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.11850.)

MALDON—Site for Orderly Room for the Second Castlemaine Volunteer Rifle Corps, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—One rood, county unnamed, township of Maldon, being part of section B: Commencing at the west angle of allotment 2; bounded thence by a road bearing west one chain ten links; thence by lines bearing N. 20° 54' W. two chains fifty links and east one chain ten links; and thence by allotments 5, 4, and 3, bearing S. 20° 54' E. two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.10460.)

MORTLAKE—Land temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865, as a site from which Stone can be procured, under the usual stone licenses.—Ten acres, county of Hampden, parish of Mortlake: Commencing at the south-east angle, being a point bearing west eleven chains from the south-west angle of allotment 2 of section 16; bounded thence by lines bearing west ten chains, north ten chains, east ten chains, and south ten chains to the point of commencement.—(64.L.9369.)

PORTLAND—Site for Manure Depot, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two roods, county of Normanby, parish of Portland, being part of south suburban allotment 52 D: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing north one chain from the north-east angle of allotment 52 E; bounded thence by a road bearing west two chains fifty links; thence by lines bearing north two chains and east two chains fifty links; and thence by allotment 52 F, bearing south two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11973.)

QUEENSLIFFE—Site for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865, in addition to the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 27th August, 1860.—Three roods twenty-eight perches, county of Grant, township of Queenscliffe, being allotments 14, 15, 16, and 17 of section 2: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 14; bounded thence by allotment 13, bearing S. 75° E. two chains twenty-five links; thence by a roadway bearing S. 15° W. four chains eleven links; thence by allotment 18, bearing N. 75° W. two chains twenty-five links; and thence by Hesse street, bearing N. 15° E. four chains eleven links to the point of commencement.—(65.L.9984.)

ROSEDALE—Site for Presbyterian Church purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two acres, county unnamed, township of Rosedale, Gipps Land: Commencing at the south-west angle of the site, being a point bearing north one chain fifty links from the north-west angle of section 8; bounded thence by Wood street, bearing north four chains; thence by lines bearing east five chains and south four chains; and thence by Queen street, bearing west five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.11927.)

SOUTH MELBOURNE—Site for Public purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Six acres and sixteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of South Melbourne: Commencing at the junction of the north side of the Domain road with the east side of the St. Kilda road; bounded thence by the Domain road, bearing S. 88° 44' E. nine chains twenty-two links to the south-west angle of the Botanical Garden reserve; thence by that reserve, bearing N. 28° 13' W. nine chains forty-three links; thence by a road bearing S. 62° 8' W. nine chains nineteen links to the St. Kilda road aforesaid; and thence by that road bearing south-easterly five chains six links to the point of commencement, in a curve whose radius is sixteen chains seventy-nine links.—(65.L.11639.)

STEIGLITZ—Site for Church of England purposes, temporarily reserved by Order of 23rd October, 1865.—Two roods, county of Grant, township of Steiglitz: Commencing at the west angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 39° 56' E. one chain fifty links from the south angle of section 5; bounded thence by Maxwell street, bearing S. 39° 56' E. two chains fifty links; thence by lines bearing N. 50° 4' E. two chains and N. 30° 56' W. two chains fifty links; thence by Carr street, bearing S. 50° 4' W. two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.6447.)

J. M. GRANT,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

"THE AMENDING LAND ACT 1865."—(SECTION 12.)

IT is hereby notified that the disallowances made on the 5th and 18th, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th and 18th days of the month of September, 1865, of the undermentioned applications for leases, have been revoked by the Board of Land and Works, the disallowances having been based on incorrect information.

Agricultural Area.	Parish.	Section.	Allotment.	Name of Applicant, and Place and Date of Application.
Griffithston	Coleraine	18	4	George Hanson, Hamilton, 23rd August, 1865.
Griffithston	Bochara	11b	4	Mary McPhee, Hamilton, 23rd August, 1865.
Griffithston	Bochara	11	4b	James Gallacher, Hamilton, 23rd August, 1865.
Balian	Bungal	...	79	Richard Ocock, Bacchus Marsh, 23rd August, 1865.
Mollison's Bridge	Winnindoo	17	20, 21	Benjamin Hobson, Sale, 23rd August, 1865.
Balian	Bungal	...	52, 55, 67, K	Patrick McDonell, Bacchus Marsh, 23rd August, 1865.
Balian	Moorabool	7	7	Samuel Jones, Bacchus Marsh, 23rd August, 1865.
Balian	Moorabool	9	A	Thomas Quinlivan, Bacchus Marsh, 23rd August, 1865.
Woodnaggerak	Woodnaggerak	...	81a, 81b, 82a, 82b, 83a, 83b, 84a, 84b	George Walker, Beaufort, 5th July, 1865.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 28th October, 1865.

J. M. GRANT,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

"THE AMENDING LAND ACT 1865."—(SECTION 12.)

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned Applications for Leases have been disallowed by the Board of Land and Works on the grounds specified in each case.

Agricultural Area.	Parish.	Section.	Allotment.	Name of Applicant, and Place and Date of Application.	Grounds for Disallowance.
Koort-koort-nong	Taaraak	...	41a and b	Denis Horan, Camperdown, 4th October, 1865	The land having been selected previous to application.
Koort-koort-nong	Taaraak	...	87a and b	William McLean, Camperdown, 4th October, 1865	The like.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1865.

J. M. GRANT,
President of the Board of Land and Works.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

Sales of Crown Lands in Fee Simple to be held at the undermentioned places and dates, previously notified, viz.:

Place	Date	No. of Gazette.
ARARAT—	Tuesday 28 November	152
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BENALLA—	Wednesday 22 November	148
CAMPERDOWN—	Friday 10 November	142
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SALE (No. 1606) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT BALLARAT, ON 1ST DECEMBER, 1865.
To be conducted by W. H. BARNARD, 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 holden at ELEVEN o'clock of Friday, the first day of December next, at the Auction Rooms of Mr. Chas. Dyte, Ballarat, 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.

BALLARAT, COUNTY OF GRENVILLE, PARISH OF BALLARAT.

- Lot 1. Allotment 3 A, section 12, 15p. Upset price 150*l.* per acre. Valuation 500*l.*
 Lot 2. Allotment 7, section 18, 1r. Upset price 300*l.* per acre. Valuation 340*l.*
 Lot 3. Allotment 17, section 30, 1r. 1 8-10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 80*l.*
 Lot 4. Allotment 20, section 30, 22 4-10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 50*l.*
 Lot 5. Allotment 21, section 30, 10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 130*l.*
 Lot 6. Allotment 23, section 30, 15 1-10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 250*l.*
 Lot 7. Allotment 25, section 30, 20 9-10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 120*l.*
 Lot 8. Allotment 5, section 32, 20p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 70*l.*
 Lot 9. Allotment 18, section 32, 1r. 4 4-10p. Upset price 100*l.* per acre. Valuation 55*l.*

Situated in Eureka street (Ballarat East).

- Lot 10. Allotment 6, section F, 14p. Upset price 150*l.* per acre. Valuation 12*l.*

Situated in Scott's parade and Peel street.

- Lot 11. Allotment 4, section Q, 21 4-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 100*l.*
 Lot 12. Allotment 7, section Q, 15 4-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 100*l.*
 Lot 13. Allotment 10, section Q, 10 8-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 15*l.*
 Lot 14. Allotment 11, section Q, 10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 80*l.*
 Lot 15. Allotment 17, section Q, 12 4-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 70*l.*
 Lot 16. Allotment 18, section Q, 9 2-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 100*l.*
 Lot 17. Allotment 19, section Q, 7p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 35*l.*
 Lot 18. Allotment 6, section R, 26 1-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 85*l.*

Situated near Eureka street.

- Lot 19. Allotment 1, section 51, 2a. Upset price 4*l.* per acre. Valuation 600*l.*
 Lot 20. Allotment 2, section 51, 2a. Upset price 6*l.* per acre. Valuation 600*l.*
 Lot 21. Allotment 3, section 51, 2a. Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
 Lot 22. Allotment 4, section 51, 2a. Upset price 4*l.* per acre.
 Lot 23. Allotments 19 and 20, section 62, 4a. Upset price 6*l.* per acre. Valuation 100*l.*

Situated in Humfray street, Mount Pleasant.

- Lot 24. Allotment 9, section 111, 36p. Upset price 15*l.* per acre. Valuation 160*l.*
 Lot 25. Allotment 10, section 111, 1r. 3p. Upset price 15*l.* per acre. Valuation 20*l.*
 Lot 26. Allotment 15, section 111, 36p. Upset price 4*l.* per acre.

Situated on the Melbourne road.

- Lot 27. Allotment 1, section 210, 2a. 1r. Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 82*l.*

Situated at Brown Hill.

- Lot 28. Allotment 1, section 221, 28 3-10p. Upset price 5*l.* per acre.
 Lot 29. Allotment 2, section 221, 2r. 13p. Upset price 8*l.* per acre. Valuation 400*l.*
 Lot 30. Allotment 3, section 221, 3a. 0r. 21 5-10p. Upset price 3*l.* per acre.

Situated near Humfray street.

- Lot 31. Allotment 4, section 1 A, 20 1-10p. Valuation 105*l.*

Situated at Little Bendigo.

- Upset price 3*l.* per acre.
 Lot 32. Allotment 16, 2r. 17 8-10p.
 Lot 33. Allotment 17, 2r. 20p.
 Lot 34. Allotment 21, 1a. 2r.
 Lot 35. Allotment 22, 3r. 5 8-10p.
 Lot 36. Allotment 23, 1a. 0r. 2 3-10p.

SMYTHESDALE, COUNTY OF GRANT, PARISH OF SMYTHESDALE.

Situated in Sturt street.

- Upset price 25*l.* per acre.
 Lot 37. Allotment 4, section 7, 1r.
 Lot 38. Allotment 5, section 7, 1r.

SMEATON, COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF SMEATON.

Situated in the township of Smeaton, adjoining the Agricultural Show Yards.

- Lot 39. Allotment 1, section 8, 1r. 38p. Upset price 12*l.* per acre. Valuation 35*l.*
 Lot 40. Allotment 2, section 8, 1r. 39p. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

CLUNES, COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF CLUNES.

Situated in the township of Clunes, at the site of the Gas Works.

- Lot 41. Allotment 10, section 12, 2r. 25 8-10p. Upset price 75*l.* per acre. Valuation 3500*l.*

SUBURBAN LOTS.

COUNTY OF RIPON, PARISH OF BREWSTER.

Situated at Lake Burrumbeet, near Mr. James Paynter's residence and cultivation holding.

- Lot 42. Allotment 5, section 23, 13a. 3r. 39p. Upset price 2*l.* per acre.

COUNTY OF GRANT, PARISH OF BUNINYONG.

Near the Railway Station.

- Lot 43. Allotment 27, 20a. Upset price 2*l.* 10s. per acre. Valuation 200*l.*

COUNTY OF GRENVILLE, PARISH OF YARROWEE.

Situated at the School Site at Ross' Creek.

- Lot 44. Allotment 128 A, 1a. 0r. 2 2-10p. Upset price 2*l.* per acre. Valuation 100*l.*

COUNTY OF GRENVILLE, PARISH OF HADDON.

Situated at Snake Valley.

- Lot 45. Allotment 3, section 27, 1r. 36 8-10p. Upset price 4*l.* per acre. Valuation 180*l.*

COUNTRY LOTS.

COUNTY OF GRANT, PARISH OF WARRENHEIP.

Near the Pound Reserve.

- Lot 46. Allotment 7, section 1, 8a. 2r. 34p. Upset price 5*l.* per acre. Valuation 25*l.*
 Lot 47. Allotment 1 A, section 3, 46a. 1r. 33p. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.
 Lot 48. Allotment 1 B, section 3, 60a. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.
 Lot 49. Allotment 1 C, section 3, 59a. 1r. 1p. Upset price 1*l.* 10s. per acre.

COUNTY OF TALBOT, PARISH OF DEAN.

Situated at the site of Mr. Ware's improvements, near the Adelaide Creek.

- Lot 50. Allotment 3 C, 9a. 0r. 1p. Upset price 2*l.* per acre. Valuation 50*l.*

J. M. GRANT,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 1607) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE AT HAMILTON, ON 30TH NOVEMBER, 1865.

To be conducted by E. WRIXON, 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 Thursday, the thirtieth day of November next, at the Court House, Hamilton, 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.

HAMILTON, COUNTY OF DUNDAS, PARISH OF NORTH HAMILTON.

Situated in the township of Hamilton, in Hamilton place, Burns and Moore streets.

- Upset price 25*l.* per acre.
 Lot 1. Allotment 1, section 62 A, 1r. 4p.
 Lot 2. Allotment 2, section 62 A, 1r. 6p.
 Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 4. Allotment 4, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 5. Allotment 5, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 6. Allotment 6, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 7. Allotment 7, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 8. Allotment 8, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 9. Allotment 9, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 10. Allotment 10, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 11. Allotment 11, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 12. Allotment 12, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 13. Allotment 13, section 62 A, 1r. 8 8-10p.
 Lot 14. Allotment 14, section 62 A, 1r. 27p.
 Lot 15. Allotment 1, section 62 B, 1r. 7p.
 Lot 16. Allotment 2, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 17. Allotment 3, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 18. Allotment 4, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 19. Allotment 5, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 20. Allotment 6, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 21. Allotment 7, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 22. Allotment 8, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 23. Allotment 9, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 24. Allotment 10, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 25. Allotment 11, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 26. Allotment 12, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 27. Allotment 13, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 28. Allotment 14, section 62 B, 1r. 8p.
 Lot 29. Allotment 15, section 62 B, 2r. 54p.

COUNTRY LOTS.

COUNTY OF NORMANBY, PARISH OF YATCHEAW WEST.

Adjoining Mr. Twomey's purchased land, and within two miles north of his pre-emptive section.

- Upset price 1*l.* per acre.
 Lot 30. Allotment 1, section 2, 100a. 1r. 24p.
 Lot 31. Allotment 2, section 2, 122a. 3r. 3 3p.
 Lot 32. Allotment 3, section 2, 113a. 3r.
 Lot 33. Allotment 1, section 3, 91a.
 Lot 34. Allotment 2, section 3, 91a. 3r. 3p.
 Lot 35. Allotment 3, section 3, 91a.
 Lot 36. Allotment 4, section 3, 95a. 3r. 26p.

COUNTY OF VILLIERS, PARISH OF JENNEWARRA.

Situated west of Mr. A. Cameron's pre-emptive section, and north-east of Lake Lintitigow, on the Boonahwah Creek.

Upset price 2l. per acre.

Lot 37. Allotment 10, section F, 75a. 2r. 16p. Improvements valued at l.

J. M. GRANT,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 1608) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT MANSFIELD, ON 30TH NOVEMBER, 1865.

To be conducted by THOMAS NIXON, 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 Thursday, the thirtieth day of November next, at the Court House, Mansfield, 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.

DOON, COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF BRANKEET.

Situated on the Brankeet Creek, about half way between Merton and Mansfield.

Upset price for unimproved lots 4l. per acre, for improved lots 8l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 1, section 3, 2a. 0r. 28p.
- Lot 2. Allotment 2, section 3, 1a. 1r. 28p.
- Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 3, 1a. 1r. 8p.
- Lot 4. Allotment 4, section 3, 1a. 0r. 35p.
- Lot 5. Allotment 5, section 3, 1a. 0r. 32p. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 6. Allotment 6, section 3, 1a. 1r. 25p. Improvements valued at 160l.
- Lot 7. Allotment 7, section 3, 1a. 1r. 30p. One month allowed to remove improvements.
- Lot 8. Allotment 1, section 4, 1a. 3r. 16p. Improvements valued at 50l.
- Lot 9. Allotment 2, section 4, 1a. 2r. 23p.
- Lot 10. Allotment 3, section 4, 1a. 2r. 13p.
- Lot 11. Allotment 4, section 4, 1a. 1r. 33p.
- Lot 12. Allotment 5, section 4, 1a. 1r. 13p.
- Lot 13. Allotment 6, section 4, 1a. 0r. 33p.
- Lot 14. Allotment 7, section 4, 1a. 0r. 13p.

COUNTRY LOTS.

COUNTY UNNAMED, PARISH OF HOWQUA.

Situated on the Devil's River, within four miles south-west of the Devil's River Inn, on the road from Mansfield to Jamieson.

Upset price 1l. per acre.

- Lot 15. Allotment 82, 109a. 1r. 12p.
- Lot 16. Allotment 83, 83a. 1r. 36p.
- Lot 17. Allotment 84, 71a. 0r. 34p.
- Lot 18. Allotment 85, 77a. 3r. 5p.
- Lot 19. Allotment 86, 107a. 3r. 6p.
- Lot 20. Allotment 89, 107a. 0r. 36p.
- Lot 21. Allotment 92, 108a. 3r. 16p.
- Lot 22. Allotment 93, 19a. 1r. 16p. Improvements valued at 170l.
- Lot 23. Allotment 94, 75a. 2r. 12p.

J. M. GRANT,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 1609) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT MELBOURNE, ON 4TH DECEMBER, 1865.

To be conducted by the 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 TWO o'clock of Monday, the fourth day of December next, at the Auction Rooms of Messrs. GEMMELL, McCAUL, AND CO., Collins street west, Melbourne, 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.

MELBOURNE, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF NORTH MELBOURNE.

Situated in Canning, Drummond, and Shiel streets.

Upset price 300l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 3, section 91, 28½p.
- Lot 2. Allotment 5, section 91, 1r. 3p.
- Lot 3. Allotment 15, section 91, 34½p.
- Lot 4. Allotment 16, section 91, 28½p.
- Lot 5. Allotment 17, section 91, 22½p.

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ELSTERNWICK, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF PRAHRAN.

Situated in the township of Elsternwick, north of the Brighton road, near the Railway Station and the Church of England Reserve.

Upset price 25l. per acre.

- Lot 6. Allotment 1, section A, 1r. 8 4-10p.
- Lot 7. Allotment 2, section A, 1r. 8p.
- Lot 8. Allotment 12, section A, 1r. 8p.
- Lot 9. Allotment 13, section A, 1r. 9 3-10p.
- Lot 10. Allotment 1, section B, 20p.
- Lot 11. Allotment 2, section B, 16 1-10p.
- Lot 12. Allotment 3, section B, 21 8-10p.
- Lot 13. Allotment 4, section B, 27 6-10p.
- Lot 14. Allotment 5, section B, 33 4-10p.
- Lot 15. Allotment 6, section B, 33 3-10p.
- Lot 16. Allotment 7, section B, 32 8-10p.
- Lot 17. Allotment 8, section B, 32 4-10p.
- Lot 18. Allotment 9, section B, 21 3-10p.
- Lot 19. Allotment 10, section B, 1r. 2 7-10p.
- Lot 20. Allotment 11, section B, 21 3-10p.
- Lot 21. Allotment 12, section B, 30 6-10p.
- Lot 22. Allotment 13, section B, 33 4-10p.
- Lot 23. Allotment 14, section B, 27 6-10p.
- Lot 24. Allotment 15, section B, 21 8-10p.
- Lot 25. Allotment 16, section B, 16 1-10p.

MELBOURNE, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF JIKA-JIKA.

Situated at Carlton, in Drummond and Lygon streets.

Upset price 300l. per acre.

- Lot 26. Allotment 2, section 69 A, 1r.
- Lot 27. Allotment 3, section 69 A, 1r.
- Lot 28. Allotment 3, section 70 A, 1r.
- Lot 29. Allotment 4, section 70 A, 1r.

J. M. GRANT,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

SALE (No. 1610) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT MELBOURNE, ON 5TH DECEMBER, 1865.

To be conducted by the 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 TWO o'clock of Tuesday, the fifth day of December next, at the Auction Rooms of Messrs. GEMMELL, McCAUL, AND CO., Collins street west, Melbourne, 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.

FITZ ROY, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF JIKA-JIKA.

Situated on the Heidelberg road.

Upset price 150l. per acre.

- Lot 1. Allotment 8, section 14, 1r.
- Lot 2. Allotment 9, section 14, 1r.
- Lot 3. Allotment 3, section 16, 1r.
- Lot 4. Allotment 6, section 16, 1r.
- Lot 5. Allotment 7, section 16, 1r.

EAST COLLINGWOOD, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF JIKA-JIKA.

Situated on the Heidelberg road.

Upset price 150l. per acre.

- Lot 6. Allotment 3, section 4, 1r.
- Lot 7. Allotment 4, section 4, 1r.
- Lot 8. Allotment 5, section 4, 1r. 19 4-10p.
- Lot 9. Allotment 1, section 5, 1r. 12 5-10p.
- Lot 10. Allotment 2, section 5, 1r.

SANDBRIDGE, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF SOUTH MELBOURNE.

Situated in the township of Sandridge, on the west side of the Lagoon.

Upset price 200l. per acre.

- Lot 11. Allotment 6, section 19, 16p.
- Lot 12. Allotment 7, section 19, 16p.
- Lot 13. Allotment 8, section 19, 16p.
- Lot 14. Allotment 10, section 19, 17 7-10p.
- Lot 15. Allotment 11, section 19, 27p.

DANDENONG, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF DANDENONG.

Situated in the township of Dandenong.

Upset price 8l. per acre.

- Lot 16. Allotment 2, section 16, 1r. 39p.
- Lot 17. Allotment 3, section 16, 2r.

DARRAWIT GUIN, COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF DARRAWIT GUIN.

Situated at the junction of Boyd's Creek with the Saltwater River.

Upset price 8l. per acre.

- Lot 18. Allotment 3, section 4, 2r. 16p.

COUNTRY LOTS.

COUNTY OF BOURKE, PARISH OF LANCEFIELD.

Situated near the Church of England Reserve, immediately south of the township boundary of Lancefield.

Upset price 1l. 10s. per acre.

- Lot 19. Allotment 23, 22a. 1r. 4p.
- Lot 20. Allotment 30, 22a. 0r. 17p.

J. M. GRANT,
President.

Office of the Board of Land and Works,
Melbourne.

**SALE (No. 1560) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE
AT DAYLESFORD, ON 6TH NOVEMBER, 1865.**

WITH reference to the notification contained in the *Government Gazette* of 6th October instant, relative to a sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Daylesford, on 6th November next: Notice is hereby given that lot 61 has been withdrawn from sale.

J. M. GRANT,
President of the Board of Land and Works,
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 30th October, 1865.

**POLLING PLACES FOR ELECTIONS IN THE SHIRE
OF BALLAN.**

THE Governor in Council, by Order made on the 23rd day of October, 1865, appointed the places mentioned in the last column of the schedule hereto annexed to be the polling places for the purposes of elections within, and for the respective subdivisions of the Shire of Ballan, in accordance with the provisions of *The Local Government Act 1863*, § 83.

Subdivisions.	Polling Places.
East Riding	Junction Hotel, Blackwood road.
Central Riding	Court House, Ballan.
West Riding	School House, Egerton.

J. F. SULLIVAN,
Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne.

MURDER NEAR ECHUCA.

**ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.—FREE PARDON TO AN
ACCOMPLICE.**

WHEREAS about Seven o'clock in the evening of Friday, the 22nd of September last, a woman named Mary Ann or Marian Clark, was found dead with her throat cut, at the door of her hut at Redman's Paddock, near Echuca: And whereas the murder appears to have been perpetrated between Two o'clock in the afternoon of the 21st and the evening of the 22nd of September aforesaid: And whereas additional information is required to convict the perpetrator of the said murder: Notice is hereby given that a Reward of One hundred pounds will be paid by the Government for such additional information as shall lead to the conviction of the person or persons guilty of committing the said murder.

The Governor will also extend Her Majesty's Free Pardon to any person implicated in this crime (not being the person who actually murdered the deceased) who will give the required information.

J. McCULLOCH,
Chief Secretary,
Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 27th October, 1865. 10064.

INSOLVENCIES.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week
ending the 28th day of October, 1865.—

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

23rd October.
Mary Anne Jones, widow, Melbourne, Shaw.
William Matheson, miner, Daylesford, Jacomb.
24th October.
James Gray, laborer, Carlton, Goodman.
Honorina Nugent, publican, Wood's Point, Courtney.
Alfred Cribb, stonemason, Maidstone, Moore.
James Cranston, miner, McCallum's Creek, Shaw.
John Wheelton, general dealer, Sandridge, Jacomb.
Henry Moore, laborer, Sandridge, Goodman.
William McKay, miner, Rushworth, Shaw.
25th October.
James Clinton, publican, Hawthorn, Courtney.
Thomas Kennedy, journeyman tailor, St. Kilda, Moore.
Philip Danaher, green grocer, Carlton, Shaw.
James Warrell, miner, Chiltern, Jacomb.
James Baines, pastry cook, Melbourne, Moore.
26th October.
Michael Connolly, miner, Gooley's Creek, Courtney.
William Flannery, publican, Emerald Hill, Goodman.
William Darke, fruiterer, Melbourne, Shaw.
Cecilia Evans, spinster, Melbourne, Jacomb.
William Charles Billings, publican, Daylesford, Courtney.
27th October.
Francis Hickey, compositor, Carlton, Goodman.
Conrad Mohr, miner, Daylesford, Moore.
Patrick William Ryan, draper's assistant, Fitz Roy, Jacomb.
William Townsend, butcher, Heathcote, Courtney.
28th October.
Julius Menzoh, miner, Talbot, Moore.
Louis Schuder, miner, Sandhurst, Goodman.
GEORGE BROUGHAM AUSTIN,
Chief Clerk.
Insolvent Court Office,
Melbourne.

INSOLVENCIES.

RETURN of Insolvencies for the week ending 28th October,
1865, in the Geelong Circuit District:—

Nos., names, residences, occupations, and dates of sequestration.

1750. John Carruthers, Ballarat, civil engineer, 19th October.
1751. David Black, Scarsdale, miner, 21st October.
1752. Geo. Henry Brooks, Ballarat, builder, 21st October.
1753. David Holland, Eltingamite, laborer, 21st October.
1754. John Staveley, Buninyong, cab-driver, 23rd October.
1755. Henry Conwell, Ballarat, licensed victualler, 24th October.
1756. James Irving, Ballarat, saddler, 19th October.

A. J. LANDON,
Chief Clerk,
Insolvent Court Office,
Geelong, 23th October, 1865.

WORKS ON A MAIN ROAD.

THE Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by *The Local Government Act 1863*, has, by an Order made on the 23rd day of October, 1865, directed that the Council of the Shire of Tullaroop shall, within twelve months from the making thereof, execute the following works according to a plan deposited by the said Council with the Board of Land and Works, viz:—

Draining, forming, and metalling about one mile sixteen chains and fifty links of the Main Carisbrook to Newstead road.

J. F. SULLIVAN,
Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne.

HYAM AND CO.'S WAREHOUSE.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the permission granted to Messrs. Hyam and Co. to use a portion of a building known as No. 42, Elizabeth street, for the warehousing and securing of measurement and *ad valorem* goods therein without payment of duty, in accordance with the 3rd clause of *The Customs Laws Amendment Act 1863*, has been extended to the top flat of the store No. 40, Elizabeth street.

JAS. G. FRANCIS,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs,
Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 25th October, 1865.

Courts.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

MELBOURNE—Wednesday 15 November.

THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

(Pursuant to Order in Council of 14 November 1864.)

ARARAT—0.
BALLARAT—0.
BEECHWORTH—0.
CASTLEMAINE—0.
GEE LONG—0.
MARYBOROUGH—0.
PORTLAND—0.
SANDHURST—0.

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

(Pursuant to the Governor's Proclamations of 19 December 1864 and 4 September and 9 and 23 October 1865.)

ARARAT—Thursday 7 December.
AVOCA—0.
BEECHWORTH—0.
BELFAST—Friday 17 November.
BOURKE—At Melbourne—Wednesday 1 November.
BUNINYONG AND BALLARAT—At Ballarat—Friday 1 December.
CASTLEMAINE—Wednesday 6 December.
DAYLESFORD—Tuesday 28 November.
ECHUCA—0.
GRANGE—At Hamilton—Wednesday 20 December (in lieu of 15 December).
GRANT—At Geelong—Thursday 30 November.
HEATHCOTE—Friday 3 November.
INGLEWOOD—Friday 3 November.
JAMIESON—Wednesday 1 November.
KILMORE—0.
KYNETON—Monday 13 November.
MARYBOROUGH—Friday 24 November.
PALMERSTON—0.
PORTLAND—Monday 20 November.
SALE—0.
SANDHURST—Friday 1 December.

STAWELL—Tuesday 12 December.
 TALBOT—0.
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 15 November.
 WOOD'S POINT—Tuesday 7 November.

COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—Wednesday 13 December.
 ARARAT—Friday 1 December.
 AVOCA—
 BACCHUS MARSH—
 BALLAN—
 BALLARAT—Tuesday 21 November.
 BEAUFORT—Wednesday 22 November.
 BEECHWORTH—
 BELFAST—Friday 17 November.
 BENALLA—
 CAMPERDOWN—
 CARISBROOK—Thursday 7 December.
 CASTLEMARINE—Tuesday 5 December.
 CHILTERN—
 CLUNES—Tuesday 14 November.
 COLAC—
 CRESWICK—Thursday 16 November.
 DANDENONG—
 DAYLESFORD—Wednesday 29 November.
 DUNOLLY—Tuesday 28 November.
 ECHUCA—
 FRYERSTOWN—Thursday 16 November.
 GRIELOG—
 GISBORNE—
 HAMILTON—
 HEATHCOTE—Thursday 2 November.
 INGLEWOOD—Wednesday 1 November.
 JAMIESON—
 KILMORE—
 KYNETON—Tuesday 14 November.
 MALDON—Friday 17 November.
 MARYBOROUGH—
 MELBOURNE—Wednesday 8 November.
 MORNINGTON—Wednesday 13 December.
 MORSE'S CREEK—
 PALMERSTON—
 PLEASANT CREEK—Wednesday 13 December.
 PORTLAND—Monday 20 November.
 RUSHWORTH—
 RUTHERGLEN—
 SALE—
 SANDHURST—Tuesday 7 November.
 SMYTHSDALE—Friday 10 November.
 ST. ARNAUD—
 TARADALE—Wednesday 15 November.
 TARNAGULLA—Friday 1 December.
 WANGARATTA—
 WARRNAMBOOL—Wednesday 15 November.
 WOOD'S POINT—Thursday 9 November.
 YACKANDANDAH—

COURTS OF MINKS.

ARARAT DISTRICT—
 Ararat—Saturday 2 December.
 Beaufort—Thursday 23 November.
 Pleasant Creek—Thursday 14 December.
 BALLARAT DISTRICT—
 Ballarat—
 Buninyong—Tuesday 7 November.
 Creswick—Friday 17 November.
 Mount Blackwood—
 Smythe's Creek—Friday 10 November.
 Steiglitz—
 BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—
 Beechworth—
 Chiltern—
 Jamieson—Friday 3 November.
 Morse's Creek—
 Omeo—
 Rutherglen—
 Sale—
 Wood's Point—Saturday 11 November.
 Yackandandah—
 CASTLEMARINE DISTRICT—
 Castlemaine—Tuesday 5 December.
 Fryerstown—Thursday 16 November.
 Hepburn (Daylesford)—Wednesday 29 November.
 Kyneton—Tuesday 14 November.
 Maldon—Friday 17 November.
 St. Andrew's—
 Taradale—Wednesday 15 November.

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—
 Amherst—Friday 15 December.
 Avoca—
 Carisbrook—Thursday 7 December.
 Dunolly—Wednesday 29 November.
 Inglewood—Thursday 2 November.
 Maryborough—
 St. Arnaud—
 Tarnagulla—Friday 1 December.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—
 Heathcote—Thursday 2 November.
 Kilmore—
 Rushworth—
 Sandhurst—

Police Sales.

ARARAT.

THE undermentioned confiscated property, seized and confiscated under the Act No. 227, will be sold by auction, at the Ararat Police Station, at One p.m. on Saturday, the 4th November, 1865:—

1 jar containing Chinese brandy	
1 cask	colonial ale
3 kegs	port wine
17 bottles	ginger wine
11 ditto	gin
7 ditto	whiskey
3 ditto	brandy.

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
 Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
 Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

PORTLAND.

THE undermentioned confiscated horse will be sold by auction, at Portland Police Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, 11th November, 1865:—

A bay filly, branded HD on off shoulder.

FREDK. C. STANDISH,
 Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
 Melbourne, 26th October, 1865.

Tenders.

TENDERS FOR LANDS FOR PASTORAL PURPOSES.

TENDERS will be received (under the 39th section of *The Amending Land Act 1865*) by the Board of Land and Works, up to Noon of Tuesday, the 21st day of November next, for the Occupation, for Pastoral purposes only, of the portions of land hereunder described, subject to the following terms and conditions, and subject to the restrictions, limitations, and provisions contained in *The Land Act 1862*, relating to the ordinary pastoral occupation of Crown Lands.

1. The period of occupation will be for one year from the date of the acceptance of the tender, subject to the granting of licenses under the 42nd section of the Amending Land Act, without any reduction of the license fee or allowance for compensation during current year of occupancy.

2. The minimum fee in each case will be £5, in accordance with the regulations of the 16th May last.

3. License fee must be paid every year in advance, the first fee upon the acceptance of the tender by the tenderer or his agent.

4. If the land be not required for sale, or for other appropriation, the license will be renewable, at the option of the said board, on the same terms and conditions; provided application be made by licensee two months prior to the expiry of the current license, and payment of license fee for ensuing year be then made.

5. The licenses will confer no right to claim any valuation for improvements made upon the land by licensees.

6. Upon expiration of the license, one month will be allowed for the removal of improvements.

7. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

8. If any error whatsoever be made to appear in the description or area of the portions of land to be licensed hereunder, the same shall be rectified and a compensation or equivalent in satisfaction thereof shall be determined by the Board of Land and Works, and accepted by the licensee in full of claim for loss or damage sustained thereby, or in the event of the licensee being dissatisfied with the amount so determined, the board may cancel such license and return to the licensee the proportionate part of the license fee for the unexpired term of such license.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Land under the 39th Section," and to be deposited in the Crown Lands tender-box at the entrance of this office.

Plans of the land can be seen at the Occupation Office of the Crown Lands Department, and at the several Survey Offices of the districts where the land is situated.

J. M. GRANT,

President of the Board of Land and Works.
 Lands and Survey Office,
 Melbourne, 24th October, 1865.

Lot 1. One hundred and sixty-nine acres three roods ten perches, county of Grant, parish of Lake-lake Wollard, allotment 5, section 14, situated four miles north-easterly of the township of Winchelsea.

Lot 2. Five hundred and fifty acres, county of Grant, parish of Murgheboluc, being the township reserve of Bannockburn,

exclusive of the sold allotments. This portion is watered by Bruce's Creek.

Lot 3. One hundred and fourteen acres, county of Grant, parish of Murghebulac, part of allotment 3 H. Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 3 G; thence by part of that allotment, bearing south fifty-seven chains; thence by a reserve, bearing west twenty chains; thence by part of allotment 3 I, bearing north fifty-seven chains; and thence by part of section 8, bearing east twenty chains to the point of commencement. The above portion contains abundance of permanent fresh water.

Lot 4. One hundred and fourteen acres, county of Grant, parish of Darrivill, portion A of section 17, being the township reserve of Maude, exclusive of the allotments sold, containing thirty acres. The above is situated one mile north of the township of Lethbridge, and has a frontage to the east bank of the Moorarbool River.

Lot 5. One hundred and thirteen acres seventeen perches, county of Grant, parish of Wabdallah, allotment 37. This allotment is situated one mile north of the township of Lethbridge, and has an extensive frontage on the west bank of the Moorarbool River.

Lot 6. Three hundred and twelve acres, county of Grant, parish of Puebla, allotment 74, situate sixty chains north of Spring Creek.

Lot 7. Four hundred and sixty-eight acres sixteen perches, county of Grant, parish of Puebla, allotments 34 and 79, situate sixty-five chains north of Spring Creek.

Lot 8. Three hundred and eighty-eight acres one rood four perches, county of Grant, parish of Puebla, allotments 65 and 66, situated between Spring Creek and the sea-coast, and having a frontage of forty-five chains on the east bank of Spring Creek. Reserving the Jan Juc Cricket Ground in allotment 66.

Lot 9. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 1: Commencing at the north-west angle of the municipality of Creswick; bounded on the west by a line and by part of allotment 155, in the parish of Ascot, bearing north seventy-eight chains; on the north by section 2, bearing east eighty-two chains; on the east by section 4, bearing south seventy-eight chains; and on the south by the said municipality, bearing west eighty-two chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 10. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 2: Commencing at the south-west angle, bearing north seventy-eight chains from the north-west angle of the municipality of Creswick; thence by part of allotment 155, and by allotment 157, in the parish of Ascot, and by a line, bearing north seventy-eight chains; thence by a road along the south boundaries of allotments 103 and 107, in the parish of Spring Hill, bearing east eighty-two chains; thence by section 3, bearing south seventy-eight chains; and thence by section 1, bearing west eighty-two chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 11. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 3: Commencing at the north-east angle of section 2; thence by a road along the south boundaries of allotments 96 and 95, in the parish of Spring Hill, bearing east eighty-two chains; thence by section 5, bearing south seventy-eight chains; thence by section 4, bearing west eighty-two chains; and thence by section 2, bearing north seventy-eight chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 12. Six hundred and thirty-six acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 4: Commencing at the south-east angle of section 3; thence by the south boundary of section 3, bearing east eighty-two chains; thence by section 6, bearing south seventy-eight chains; thence by the municipality of Creswick, bearing west eighty-two chains; and thence by section 1, bearing north seventy-eight chains to the point of commencement. Excluding a portion of the Cemetery Reserve at the south-east corner.

Lot 13. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 5: Commencing at the north-east angle of section 3; thence by a road on south boundaries of allotments 84, 83, and part of 18, bearing east eighty-two chains; thence by part of section 7, bearing south seventy-eight chains; thence by section 6, bearing west eighty-two chains; and thence by section 3, bearing north eighty-two chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 14. Six hundred and thirty-six acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 6: Commencing at the south-west angle of section 5; thence bounded on the north by section 5, bearing east eighty-two chains; thence by part of section 7, bearing south seventy-eight chains; thence by the municipality of Creswick, bearing west eighty-two chains; and thence by section 4, bearing north seventy-eight chains to the point of commencement. Excluding a portion of the Cemetery Reserve at the south-west corner.

Lot 15. Four hundred and twenty-seven acres, county of Talbot, parish of Creswick, section 7: Commencing at the north-east angle of section 5; thence by a road along the south boundary of allotment 18, in the parish of Spring Hill, bearing east seventeen chains; thence by allotment 19 and a line bearing south fifty-nine chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing east twenty-five chains; thence by a road along the west boundaries of allotments 44 and 45, parish of Spring Hill, bearing south forty-two chains; thence by an allotment west five chains; thence south eight chains; thence east five chains; thence again by a line bearing south forty-six chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing west about ten chains to the north-east angle of the municipality of Creswick; thence by the municipality, bearing west twenty-seven chains to section 6; and thence by sections 6 and 5, bearing north one mile seventy-six chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 16. Six hundred and five acres two roods thirty-two perches, parish of Campbelltown, and county of Talbot, allotment 49, situate on Glongowor or Joyce's Creek, and having a frontage of fifty-three chains on the west bank of said creek.

Lot 17. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Fryers, section A: Commencing at the north-east angle of

allotment 6 of section 3, hamlet of Glenluce; thence by the south boundary of Fryers Gold Fields Common, bearing east two miles; thence by a line bearing south forty chains; thence by part of section B, bearing west about one mile sixty-five chains to the River Loddon; thence by that river northerly to a point south of the south-east angle of said allotment 6; and thence by a line and the east boundary of said allotment 6, bearing north about three chains to the point of commencement. Excluding any appropriated sites within the above-described section.

Lot 18. Four hundred and twenty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Campbelltown, allotments 24 B, 25 B, 26 A, 27 A, 25 C, and 25 D, situate on and adjoining Yandoit Hill.

Lot 19. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Holcombe, section F: Commencing on the north boundary of the parish of Holcombe, about two miles south of Fryers Gold Fields Common, on the west bank of the River Loddon; thence by the parish boundary line, bearing west one mile forty chains; thence by a line bearing south sixty chains; thence by a line bearing east one mile twenty chains to the River Loddon; and thence by that river bearing northerly to the commencing point.

Lot 20. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Maldon, section A: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 6, section 2 A, in the parish of Maldon; thence by the south boundary of the Gold Fields Common, crossing Sandy Creek, and bearing east two miles; thence by the Farmers' Common, bearing south forty chains; thence by a road bearing west two miles; and thence by said allotment 6, bearing north forty chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 21. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Maldon, section B: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 9, section 2 A, Maldon; thence by a road bearing east, and crossing Sandy Creek, two miles; thence by the Farmers' Common, bearing south forty chains; thence by section C, bearing west two miles; and thence by said allotment 9, bearing north forty chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 22. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Talbot, parish of Maldon, section C: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 10, section 2 A, Maldon; thence by section B, bearing east, and crossing Sandy Creek, two miles; thence by the Farmers' Common, bearing south forty chains; thence by a line bearing west two miles; and thence by allotments 14 and 9, bearing north forty chains to the point of commencement.

Lot 23. Duck Island in Swan Bay, situate about three miles north of the township of Queenscliff, in the county of Grant and containing about forty acres.

Lot 24. Seventy-six acres, county of Mornington, parish of Eumemmerring, portion 17, adjoining the east bank of Dandenong Creek and the north-east corner of the township of Dandenong. Reserving a one-chain wide road along the north boundary of this portion leading to the said creek.

Lot 25. Six hundred and forty acres, county of Bourke, at Mount Blackwood: Commencing at the north angle of allotment 54, parish of Blackwood, at the junction of two roads leading to the township of Blackwood; thence by a line bearing north 60° east one mile twenty chains; thence south 30° east one mile twenty chains; thence south 60° west thirty-two chains to Pentland Hills run; thence by that run northerly to the top of Mount Blackwood about forty-five chains; thence again by that run southerly to the Korkuperrimul Creek to the east boundary of the surveyed allotments; thence by those allotments and the east side of the road, bearing north-westerly and westerly to the point of commencement.

Lot 26. Two hundred and fifty-five acres one rood, county of Grenville, being allotment 139 in the parish of Dorog, adjoining the north bank of Warrambine Creek, and allotment 24 B, parish of Murdeduke, adjoining the opposite bank of said creek, situate four miles south-westerly of the township of Inverleigh.

Lot 27. Six hundred and twenty-three acres, allotments 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, in the parish of Maldon and county of Talbot, situated at the south-west corner of the parish, two miles east of the River Loddon.

PUBLIC WORKS OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received at this office until twelve o'clock on the days and for the purposes undermentioned.

Particulars may be learnt at this office, and also at the offices named in each instance.

Works at Boat Jetty, Queenscliff. (Specification, &c., also at the Police Office, Queenscliff) ... 1st Nov.

Works at the Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend ... 1st Nov.

Works for a Reservoir at the Industrial Schools, Sunbury ... 1st Nov.

NOTE.—Tenders for Lock-ups at Avoca and Inglewood not required for the present.

GEO. VERDON.

Tenders for the Service of 1866.

IRON CASTINGS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, from persons willing to furnish Iron Castings, in such quantities as may be required for the Government Railways, from 1st January until the 31st December, 1866.

The castings are required for locomotive engine work, carriage work, &c.

Whenever specially ordered, the castings shall be run from the very best "cold-blast iron," and of such particular brand,

quality, and mixture as may be described in the order; or of such other substituted mixture as may be approved or directed by the Locomotive Superintendent, so as to produce a hard, close, soft, or other description of metal.

The castings are to be clean, sharp, free from surface scale, shell, cold shuts, blow holes, honeycomb, cinder, or any other imperfection, and are to be sound in every respect and thoroughly close in grain. When specially ordered, the castings are to be run with heads or runners of such weight as may be requested, and no extra charge shall be made or allowed for same; and the contractor will be required to remove the head or runner from the casting where possible, and charge the casting at the nett weight only, trimmed and cleaned. In cases where it is necessary to cut off the head in a lathe or machine, such head will be cut off by the Government, and returned to the Melbourne Station there to be delivered to the contractor free of cost of carriage.

Whenever ordered the castings are to be moulded in loam without a pattern, and loam price will be paid according to schedule, but no extra charge will be allowed for patterns, strickles, or loam boards. The orders will express the kind or description of casting according to the schedule distinction; and the rates there filled in opposite each item will be allowed accordingly.

The Government will supply all patterns, and deliver the same to the Melbourne Station free of cost, from whence the contractor must fetch them when required and when due notice of same has been given in writing, and no cost for carriage from Spencer street Station to the contractor's place of business will be allowed.

Whenever only one or two castings are required, and they can be moulded from the broken originals, the contractor will be bound to mould from such patterns without requiring the Government to supply a wooden or other pattern for same, and no extra price will be allowed.

All pipes and bends must be moulded in loam whenever required, and a loam pattern made. A loam pattern must be struck up for any casting when a pattern cannot be supplied, and when only one casting or so is required, and when of that simple form that it can be made from a loam pattern; and no extra rate or charge will be allowed for the loam pattern beyond the loam price stated in schedule. The Government will supply all necessary striking boards, but no plates or cramps.

All patterns, loam boards, &c., supplied by the Government must be returned by the contractor in good order to the Government with the castings, and delivered to the Railway Stores at Williamstown, and no allowance will be made for return carriage.

The following must all be of good mixture of "cold-blast" iron:—

- No. 1.—Locomotive or engine cylinders ... per cwt.
- No. 2.—Castings of all descriptions, moulded in loam or sand and oven dried
- No. 3.—Very best description of sand castings moulded in boxes, as specified, and dried if required
- No. 3a.—Chilled castings

The following must all be of good mixture of "hot-blast" iron:—

- No. 4.—Open sand castings ... per cwt.
- No. 5.—Common heavy castings, for furnace work, &c.
- No. 6.—Furnace bars
- No. 7.—Railway chairs
- No. 8.—General heavy permanent way castings
- No. 9.—Water pipes, bends, sockets, T pieces, &c., of four inches diameter and upwards
- No. 10.—Water pipes in straight lengths of four inches diameter and upwards

Tenders must state the security proposed, whether in debentures, bank deposit receipt, cash deposit, guarantee society's bond, or sureties; if the latter, the tender must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties; and in either case the bond must be executed within ten days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised at the risk of the tenderer, or another tender accepted. The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender, and may elect to require money surety. Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

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

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tenders for Iron Castings," and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne.

Security required £50.

CONDITIONS.

1. All orders for supplies under these contracts must issue from the Secretary of Railways, and all goods must be delivered free of charge to the Railway Stores, Williamstown, unless otherwise ordered by the Secretary.

2. Notwithstanding the delivery of any castings into the store and a receipt having been given for them, should such castings turn out unsound, not in accordance with pattern or instructions, or in any way whatever defective, or of different quality of iron to that ordered, they must be taken away from the Railway Store at Williamstown at the expense of the contractor, and other castings must be supplied in lieu thereof, without delay, and without additional charge.

3. Tenderers must fill in opposite to each particular item in the schedule the price at which he undertakes to execute the work, according to the specification and conditions.

4. Should the contractor, in the opinion of the Engineer-in-Chief, fail to furnish work in accordance with this specification,

then, in seven days after due notice to that effect shall have been given in writing, the Secretary for Railways shall have full power to re-advertise and relet this contract to any other person the Government shall think fit; and at the expiration of seven days after such notice shall have been given to the contractor, this contract shall become null and void.

5. The contractor must furnish with each delivery detailed invoices or bills or parcels, in duplicate, showing quantity, rate, and value, also the number of the order of the goods, otherwise they will not be received. Delivery, as a rule, is to be of the full quantity ordered at one time.

6. The contractor will prepare his own account on the prescribed form, and render the same to the Railway Storekeeper for certification, previously to payment at the Treasury.

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

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

9. The Locomotive Superintendent will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior character, or not in accordance with the specification, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected article, and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged to him.

10. Irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Locomotive Superintendent, to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds; and it will be in the power of the Government, upon repetition of such irregularities, to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. It will be competent either for the contractor on his own behalf, or for the Secretary for Railways on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract by giving a notice in writing of full three calendar months to the opposite party; it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

GENERAL STORES FOR RAILWAYS.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st November, 1865, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned Supplies, in such quantities as may be required by the Department of Victorian Railways, during twelve calendar months, from the 1st January to the 31st of December, 1866.

Schedule.	Article.	Amount of Security.
		£
1.	General ironmongery, wire work, tinware, brushes, brooms, turnery, basket work, crucibles, &c.	500
2.	Iron and steel	100
3.	Lamps, lamp glasses, chimneys, &c.	50
4.	Oils	200
5.	Carriage furniture, trimmings, &c.	100
6.	Ticket cases, dating presses, &c.	20
7.	Linen and woollen drapery	50
8.	Painters and glaziers' materials, &c.	100
9.	Glass and earthenware	10
10.	Ship chandlery, rope, cordage, twine, tents, and flys, tallow chandlery, soap, candles, &c.	200
11.	Dry saltaries, chemicals, corks, bungs, &c.	20
12.	Leather	20
13.	Stationery	100
14.	Gas fittings	20
15.	Timber	200
16.	Break blocks	50
17.	Carpenters and joiners' work	20
18.	Smiths' work	20
19.	Bricks, lime, cement, &c.	10
20.	Copper and brass, and finished brass work	100
21.	Copper, tin, and zinc, in cake, tile, or ingot	100
22.	Lead, tin, and zinc	50
23.	India rubber, gauge glasses, &c.	50

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Secretary of Tender Board, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

Separate tenders will be received for each schedule, but they must include the whole of the articles therein mentioned, and a separate price must be stated for each article. The value of all packages, cases, casks, &c., whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices stated in the contractor's tender; all such packages, &c., to be considered the property of the Government, and no charges or expenses whatsoever beyond the price tendered and set out in schedule, will be allowed to the contractor for any articles or packages, cases, casks, &c.

Tenderers must state the security proposed, whether in debentures, bank deposit receipt, cash deposit, Guarantee Society's bond or sureties; if the latter, the tender must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties; and in either case the bond must be executed within ten days of acceptance of the tender, failing which, the contract may be again advertised at the risk of the tenderer, or another tender accepted. The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender, and may elect to require money surety. Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

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

All tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked, "Tender for —" (as the case may be), and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne, where, samples may be seen, and further particulars obtained.

CONDITIONS.

1. Every article to be of the very best description, quality, and manufacture, and subject to approval, and should articles of any particular manufacture be ordered, the same are to be furnished at the rates set forth in the contract.

2. All orders for supplies under these contracts must issue from the Secretary for Railways, and all goods must be delivered free of charge to the Railway Stores, Williamstown, unless otherwise directed by the secretary.

3. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being infringed or vitiated by the importation of stores for the Government service of the Victorian Railways, or by the purchase of articles manufactured in the penal establishments, or the manufacture of articles by the department.

4. The Government will not be bound to issue orders upon the contractors for all the articles enumerated in the schedules, but only for such articles, and such quantities of those articles as the Government may order from time to time; neither will the Government be bound to take from the contractors any larger supply of any of the articles than the orders which have been issued during the year, nor will they be bound to take any of the articles enumerated in the schedules for which orders have not been issued. Should the Government require a larger supply of any article than the quantity stated in the schedule, the contractor will be bound to supply the same at the contract rate.

5. Delivery, as a rule, is to be of the full quantity ordered at one time; but all deliveries must be accompanied with detailed invoices or bills of parcels in duplicate, showing quantity, rate, and value, also the number of the order for the goods, otherwise the goods will not be received.

6. In the event of supplies ordered under these contracts not being delivered within forty-eight hours, it will be competent for the railway storekeeper, on the order of the secretary, to purchase the same, or such articles as may be suitable for the service, at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price will be deducted.

7. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly, in the prescribed form, and render the same to the railway storekeeper for certification, previously to payment at the Treasury.

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

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

10. The railway storekeeper will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior character, or not in accordance with the specification, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense, if any, will be charged to him.

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

12. It will be competent either for the contractor, on his own behalf, or for the Secretary for Railways on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract, by giving a notice in writing of three full calendar months to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

COAL.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, from persons willing to supply Coal at Melbourne and Geelong, in such quantities as may be required by the Engineer-in-Chief for Government Railways, from the 1st of January to the 31st December, 1866, inclusive.

The estimated consumption at Melbourne, during the year, will be about 11,000 tons; and at Geelong 4000 tons.

The coal is to be delivered daily on to the coal platforms, and during such hours as may be required by the officer receiving, and at such part of the station-ground as may be pointed out, in bags each containing 1½ cwt. net, weighed at the expense of the contractor on the coal platform.

The contractor will be required at his own cost to provide a sufficient supply of coal bags to keep two days' supply upon the Melbourne and on the Geelong coal platforms, and the contractor will bear all loss through wear and tear of bags.

The bags will be returned to the contractor on the third day following the delivery, and a receipt must be given by the contractor or his agent, at the time of receipt of the bags, for all bags returned, and the Government hold themselves responsible only for deficiency in return of bags.

Tenderers are to specify the price for each of the following kinds of coal separately, viz. —

Wallsend
Australian Agricultural Company.
Minni
Waratah
Coal and Copper Company
Or other New South Wales mines

Further particulars may be obtained from the Locomotive Superintendent, Melbourne, or the Loco. Foreman at Geelong.

Security will be required, to the amount of £1000, for the due fulfilment of the Melbourne, and £500 for the due fulfilment of the Geelong contract, either by debentures, bank deposit receipt, or by bond; if the latter, the tender must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties; and in either case the security must be completed within five days, failing which the contract may be again advertised and another tender accepted. Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Coal, Railways," are to be deposited in the tender-box at the Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board.

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

CONDITIONS.

1. The coal is to be the very best of its kind, and must be either screened before delivery, over a screen with bars at least one inch apart and ten feet long, set at an angle of 45 degrees to the ground level, or hand-picked so as to be of the same size as if screened in the above manner, and be quite free from small shale or other impurities.

2. The orders will be issued by an officer of the railway department; and, should an order not be complied with within twenty-four hours, it will be competent for the local officer who ordered, to purchase at the contractor's risk.

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

4. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly or bi-monthly on the prescribed form, and present the same in a complete state to the Locomotive Superintendent, who will send it forward to the Railway Storekeeper, to be passed for payment at the Treasury or at a district pay office, as the case may be.

5. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply as to the quality, the same is to be decided by the Engineer-in-Chief or the Locomotive Superintendent, and the decision of either is to be final.

6. The Engineer-in-Chief or officer in charge at the station will have the power to reject coal which is of inferior quality, and the contractor must take back the rejected coal, and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra expense charged to the contractor.

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

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

9. The contractor will not be exempt from wharfage or other import or landing rates.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

COKE FOR FOUNDRY USE.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, from persons willing to supply Coke for foundry use, in such quantities as may be required by the Government, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866.

The coke must be made from Welsh or any good English coking coal.

Security will be required to the amount of Fifty pounds for due fulfilment of the contract, either by debentures, bank deposit receipt, cash deposit, Guarantee Society's bond, or sureties; if the latter, the tender must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties, and in either case the security must be completed within ten days, failing which the contract may be again advertised at the risk of the contractor, or another tender accepted. The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender. Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Coke for Foundry," are to be deposited in the tender-box at the Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne, addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board.

CONDITIONS.

1. The coke must be of the very best description and quality of English coke, strong, hard and close, bright and silvery, oven burnt, free from all impurities, of large size and entirely free from small or dust.

2. The contractor is to deliver the coke in good condition, free from dust and ready for use, into the waggon on the railway or breakwater pier, at Williamstown, at the option of the Government; or may deliver into the railway waggons at any station on the Victorian Railways. The coke will be weighed by the Government, and such weight and returns shall form the basis upon which the contractor's account will be made out.

3. Orders will be issued by the secretary one week previously to the departure of the English mail; and if such orders be not supplied at the expiration of seven calendar months from the date of the departure of such mail, it will be competent for the Railway Storekeeper, on the order of the secretary, to purchase, at the risk of the contractor, and subject him to a mulct not exceeding Five pounds for each and every day's delay in the delivery after the time specified, disasters of the seas excepted.

4. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly or bi-monthly on the prescribed form, and present the same in a complete state, to the Locomotive Superintendent, who will send it forward to the Railway Storekeeper to be passed for payment at the Treasury or at a district pay office, as the case may be.

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

6. If the delay necessary for obtaining the decision of a board of survey should be detrimental to the public service, the Engineer-in-Chief or Locomotive Superintendent will have the power to reject coke which is of an inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected coke and supply good in its stead, failing which, it will be procured elsewhere and the extra expense charged to him.

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

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

9. The estimated consumption of coke during the year will be about 200 tons; but the Government do not bind themselves to order this quantity, but only what may be required from time to time.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

COAL FOR SMITHY PURPOSES.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, from persons willing to supply Coal for smithy purposes, in such quantities as may be required by the Government, from 1st January until the 31st December, 1866.

Tenderers to specify separately the price for each of the following kinds:—

Wallsend, N.S.W.
Australian Agricultural Company
English Tanfield Moor

Security will be required to the amount of Fifty pounds for due fulfilment of the contract, either by debentures, bank deposit receipt, cash deposit, Guarantee Society's bond, or sureties; if the latter, the tender must be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties, and in either case the security must be completed within ten days, failing which the contract may be again advertised, at the risk of the contractor, or another tender accepted.

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

Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tender for Coal for Smithy purposes," are to be deposited in the tender-box at the Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne, addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board.

CONDITIONS.

1. The coal is to be of the very best of its kind, and must be screened before delivery over a screen with bars half an inch apart, and afterwards through a screen with bars an inch apart, and that which has passed through the bars one inch apart is to be delivered, and is to be what is termed nutty smith's coal, free from lumps, dust, shale, sulphur, and other impurities.

2. The contractor is to deliver the coal screened, ready for use, into the waggons on the railway or breakwater pier at Williamstown, at the option of the Government, or may deliver into the railway waggons at any station on the Victorian Railways. The coal will be weighed by the Government, and such weight and returns shall form the basis upon which the contractor's account will be made out.

3. The contractor will be required to produce the invoice and a letter from either company, to prove the genuineness of the coal, before it will be received. The coal will be afterwards subjected to such test as the Engineer-in-Chief may decide, before acceptance.

4. Orders for Tanfield Moor coal will be issued by the secretary one week previous to the departure of English mail; and if the coal ordered be not supplied at the expiration of seven calendar months from the date of the departure of such mail, it will be competent for the Railway Storekeeper, on the order of the secretary, to purchase, at the risk of the contractor, and subject him to a mulct not exceeding Five pounds for each and every day's delay in the delivery after the time specified, disasters of the seas excepted.

5. The contractor will be required to prepare his own account monthly or bi-monthly on the prescribed form, and present the same in a complete state, signed by the officer receiving the supply, to the Locomotive Superintendent, who will send it forward to the Railway Storekeeper to be passed for payment at the Treasury or at a district pay office, as the case may be.

6. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply, as to the quality of the coal, the same is to be decided by a board of survey composed of persons named by the Engineer-in-Chief, and the decision of the board is to be final.

7. If the delay necessary for obtaining the decision of a board of survey should be detrimental to the public service, the Engineer-in-Chief or Locomotive Superintendent will have the power to reject coal which is of an inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected coal and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be procured elsewhere and the extra expense charged to him.

8. Irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor to such mulct not exceeding Twenty-five pounds for each case, as the Government may direct; and it will also be in the power of the Government to terminate the contract forthwith.

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

10. The orders will be issued by the secretary, on the requisition of the Locomotive Superintendent; and should an order for Australian Agricultural Wallsend coal not be complied with and satisfied within twenty-one days, the Railway Storekeeper shall have power to obtain the supply elsewhere and charge the extra cost of the same to the contractor.

11. The estimated consumption of coal for smith's use during the year will be about three hundred tons; but the Government do not bind themselves to order that quantity, but only what may be required from time to time.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

FIREWOOD.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, for the supply of 5700 tons of Firewood, at the undermentioned stations, for the use of the Engineer-in-Chief:—

	Tons.
At Woodend	3000
Woodend pumping engine	100
Kyneton ditto	100
Middle Gully ditto	100
Lal-lal ditto	100
Lal-lal Station	2100
Echuca pumping engine	100
Runnymede ditto	100

The wood is to be split out of large forest timber of either red or white gum, box, or she-oak, and must be perfectly sound; peppermint, stringy bark, and messmate, will not be received.

The wood is to be split into billets of convenient sizes for the use of the engines, and is to be cut into billets 2 feet in length, and no small branches will be received.

The whole of the firewood, when delivered, is to be stacked where pointed out, at the contractor's expense, in stacks of such sizes as will be directed, ready for measurement. The stacks are to be 2 feet wide by 5 feet high, with space between each stack for measuring, and the billets are all to lie the same way, viz., crossways of the stacks, in the form of a cord, and are to be laid as closely and solidly as possible in the stack.

The wood for the locomotive engines is to be stacked on the station grounds as aforesaid, but that required for the pumping engines will have to be delivered at the pumping engines, and stacked inside the fence.

Tenderers are to state the price at per ton of 50 cubic feet. No wood will be measured until it shall have been stacked fourteen days, so as to have settled down, and must then stand 5 feet high by 2 feet wide. The contractor will be required to provide cash security for the due performance of his contract, which security shall amount to the sum of ten (10) per cent, on the total amount of the said contract, and must be paid into Her Majesty's Treasury, at Melbourne, to the credit of the Commissioner of Railways, within seven days from the acceptance of his tender, and shall remain to the credit of the said Commissioner until the final completion of the contract, when, on the Engineer-in-Chief's certificate that the whole of the contract has been completed to his entire satisfaction, the amount of such security will be returned to the contractor.

The contractor will be paid for the wood only on the measurements made by the officers of the Government, after it has been delivered and properly stacked by the contractor and left as aforesaid; payment will then be made at the rate of 90 per cent, at the completion of each delivery of 100 tons; the remaining 10 per cent, together with the cash security, will be paid over to the contractor on the certificate of the Engineer-in-Chief that the whole of the contract has been completed to his satisfaction.

The firewood is to be delivered at each place mentioned herein, and is to be delivered at the rate of at least 100 tons per week at each place mentioned, commencing not later than the 1st day of January, 1866.

For each and every week's delay in the delivery beyond the times specified in this contract the Government shall be entitled to deduct, as and for liquidated damages, the sum of £10 sterling.

The officer appointed by the Government to receive and inspect the wood will have full power to reject any wood which he may consider not in accordance with the specification, notice of which will be given to the contractor, in writing, stating the reason.

In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supply, as to the quality or kind of timber, the same is to be decided by the Locomotive Superintendent, whose decision shall be final.

Irregularity in quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor to such mulct, not exceeding Twenty-five pounds for each case, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government to terminate the contract forthwith.

Tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Firewood, — Station," are to be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, King street, Melbourne.

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

Persons failing to take up their contracts will be disqualified as future contractors.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

FIREWOOD.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1865, for the supply of 700 tons of Firewood for the use of the Traffic Superintendent, to be delivered at the undermentioned stations:—

Woodend, 500 tons
Buninyong, 200 do.

The whole of the firewood to be delivered at the above stations not later than the 1st March, 1866.

A separate price is to be stated for delivery at each station, and tenderers must specify the description of wood, and if mixed, in what proportion of kind; the date of commencing and completing delivery must also be given.

The wood is to be tendered for at per ton of fifty cubic feet, to be split out of large timber, to be perfectly sound, and cut into billets not exceeding nor less than two feet in length.

When delivered the wood is to be solidly stacked where pointed out on the station-ground, at the contractor's cost, and in stacks of two feet wide by five feet high, with space between each stack for measurement, or such other dimensions as may be directed ready for measurement; but no stack is to exceed two feet in width, and must be measured and certified to by the Railway Storekeeper. Cash security to the amount of 10 per cent. will be required for due fulfilment of the contract.

On certificate of the Traffic Superintendent that the contract has been completed to his satisfaction, the amount deposited as security will be repaid to the contractor.

For each and every week's delay in delivery beyond the time specified in this contract, the Government shall be entitled to deduct as and for liquidated damages the sum of £10 sterling.

Tenders, endorsed, "Tenders for Firewood, — Station," are to be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Stores and Transport Office, King street, Melbourne.

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

Persons failing to take up their contract will be disqualified as future contractors.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Railway Department,
2nd October, 1865.

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December, 1865.

NOTICE.

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J. FERRERES,
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1st October, 1862.

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CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To JOSEPH CLARKE, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 2, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-west corner of allotment 3, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west sixty-six feet, and on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence by a line bearing east sixty-six feet, and on the east by a line bearing north four feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town-Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3153

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To THOMAS McCAPFRAY, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 5, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-west corner of allotment 6, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west sixty-six feet; thence on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing east sixty-two feet; thence on the west by a line bearing further south forty-five feet; thence by a line bearing east four feet; and thence by a line bearing north forty-nine feet to said commencing point; in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3154

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To DAVID LOWDEN, of Abbotsford street, or other owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block N, allotment 16, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-east corner of allotment 16, and bounded on the east by a line bearing south along the east boundary line of said allotment 16 thirty-four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing west four feet; thence on the west by a line bearing north thirty-four feet; thence on the north by a line bearing east four feet along the north boundary line of said allotment 16 to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Ireland street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3155

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To JOSEPH BATTIN, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 20, Bourke Ward: Commencing at a point thirty-eight feet from the north-west corner of allotment 2, and extending westerly eight feet six inches; thence bounded on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing east eight feet six inches; thence on the east by a line bearing north four feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3151

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To JOHN P. HAYNES, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 4, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-west corner of allotment 5, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west sixty-six feet; on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing east sixty-six feet; and on the east by a line bearing north four feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3152

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To JOHN RAMAGE, of Abbotsford street, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block N, allotment 1: Commencing at the south-east corner of allotment 1 in block N, Bourke Ward; and bounded on the south by a line bearing west four feet along the south boundary line of said allotment 1; thence on the west by a line bearing north twenty-eight feet; thence on the north by a line bearing east four feet; and thence on the east by a line bearing south twenty-eight feet along east boundary line of said allotment 1 to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Ireland street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3156

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To W. WILSON, of 120, Wellington street, East Collingwood, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of

Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 20, allotment 18, 1a Trobe Ward: Commencing at the north-east corner of allotment 18; and bounded on the east by a line bearing south twenty-five feet along east boundary line of said allotment 18; thence by a line bearing west ten feet; thence by a line bearing north twenty-five feet; thence by a line bearing east ten feet along north boundary line of said allotment 18 to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Hotham street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3157

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To —, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 43, allotment 16, Smith Ward: Commencing at a point one hundred and ninety-one feet north from the north-west corner of Faraday and Rathdowne streets, and bounded on the east by a line bearing north four feet; thence by a line bearing west one hundred and ten feet; thence on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence by a line bearing east one hundred and ten feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Rathdowne street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this nineteenth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3158

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To WILLIAM SHIELDS, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 3, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 4, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west sixty-six feet; thence on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing east sixty-six feet; and on the east by a line bearing north four feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3159

CITY OF MELBOURNE.

To JOSEPH CLARKE, of —, or other the owner or owners of land hereinafter described.

YOU are hereby requested to take notice that, fourteen days from and after the date hereof, the Council of the city of Melbourne, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by an Act of the Lieutenant-Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled 'An Act to incorporate the inhabitants of the town of Melbourne,' and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the city of Melbourne," will enter upon and

lay open the house, land, and premises of which you are the owner, and which are situated in block 51, allotment 20, Bourke Ward: Commencing at the north-west corner of allotment 2, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west thirty-eight feet; thence on the west by a line bearing south four feet; thence on the south by a line bearing east thirty-eight feet; and on the east by a line bearing north four feet to said commencing point, in the city of Melbourne, or so much of the same as shall be requisite; and will construct and make in, through, under, or across the same such sewers, drains, or watercourses as are necessary for carrying off storm-water from private court into Spencer street, making you such reasonable compensation as shall be agreed upon between you and the said council, or failing such agreement, as shall be fixed by the Court of General Sessions, in manner provided by the hereinbefore mentioned Act.

Dated at the Town Hall, Melbourne, this twentieth day of October, 1865.

E. G. FITZGIBBON,
Town Clerk.

No. 3160

BOROONDARA DISTRICT BOARD.

SPECIAL Order passed by the Board on the 2nd September, 1865, and confirmed at a Special Meeting held on the 30th September.

Resolved—That the necessary steps be taken by this board to erect a toll-house and gate on Delany's road, at the north-east end of portion 153, parish of Boroondara, and that the tolls to be levied and paid thereat be fixed at one-half the amount prescribed by the Governor in Council on the ninth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

ANDREW MUREAY,
Chairman of the Board.
JNO. TOON,
Clerk of the Board.

TOLLS FOR CATTLE, &c.

	s.	d.
For every sheep, lamb, pig, or goat	0	0½
" ox or head of neat cattle	0	0½
" horse, mare, ass, or mule	0	1½

TOLLS FOR VEHICLES.

For every giga, chaise, coach, chariot, or other such carriage constructed on springs, if drawn by one horse or other animal	0	3
" ditto, if drawn by two horses or other animals	0	6
" ditto, if drawn by three horses or other animals	0	9
And 3d. for each additional horse or other animal drawing.		

For every Cart, Dray, Waggon, Wain, or other such Vehicle.	With Tires of Wheels			
	No. exceeding six inches width.	Exceeding six inches and not exceeding nine inches width.	Exceeding nine inches and not exceeding twelve inches width.	Exceeding twelve inches width.
If drawn by one horse or animal	0 6	0 3	0 1½	
If drawn by two horses or other animals	0 9	0 4½	0 2½	
If drawn by three horses or other animals	1 0	0 6	0 3	
If drawn by four horses or other animals	1 3	0 7½	0 4	
If drawn by five horses or other animals	1 6	0 9	0 4½	
If drawn by six horses or other animals	1 9	0 10½	0 5½	
And for each additional horse or other animal drawing	0 3	0 1½	0 1	

Tolls payable one way only for going and returning on the same day.

The foregoing Special Order was confirmed by His Excellency the Governor in Council, on 16th October, 1865.

No. 3164 J. F. SULLIVAN.

BOROUGH OF EMERALD HILL.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that the Borough Council of Emerald Hill, in exercise of the powers conferred by law, intend to take for drainage purposes, and abatement of a very serious nuisance, certain pieces of land, the reputed owners whereof are Joseph Hill and Charles Chessell, being portions of allotments 18 and 19, section 7, Emerald Hill, parish of South Melbourne, having a frontage to Yarra place of 123 feet 3 inches, more or less, by a depth of 16 feet, more or less. And it is further notified that the requisite plans and specifications, prepared in pursuance of the provisions of the 250th section of *The Municipal Corporation Act 1863* (27 Vict. No. 184), are deposited for inspection at the offices of the council, No. 1, Dorcas street west, Emerald Hill. And the council hereby call on the said Joseph Hill, the said Charles Chessell, and all other persons concerned in the said works or undertaking, to set forth in writing, addressed to the council, within forty days from the publication of this notice, all objections that they or any of them may have to the said work or undertaking. And the said council hereby require the said Joseph Hill, the said Charles Chessell, and all other persons affected by the said work, or owning, leasing, or occupying the land so intended to be taken, to answer this requisition, stating whether they assent, dissent, or are neuter in respect of taking such land.

(By Order of the Council) JAMES EVILLE,
Town Clerk.

Emerald Hill, 26th October, 1865. No. 3163

KYNETON DISTRICT WEIGHTS AND MEASURES UNION.

BYE-LAW FOR FIXING THE AMOUNT OF FEES TO BE PAID TO THE INSPECTOR FOR EXAMINING AND COMPARING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

WHEREAS the Shire of Kyneton, the Borough of Woodend, the Borough of Malmesbury, and the Road District of Woodend, Newham, and Rochford, have been proclaimed under *The Weights and Measures Statute 1864*, to be a Union for the purposes of the said Act: Be it ordered and directed by the Council of the said Shire of Kyneton, the Council of the said Borough of Woodend, the Council of the said Borough of Malmesbury, and the Board of the said Woodend, Newham, and Rochford Road District, in exercise of the powers conferred by and in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, that the following fees shall be paid to the Inspector of Weights and Measures for the time being for the said "Union," that is to say:—

For examining, comparing, and stamping scales and weights generally used on counters, viz.:

	s.	d.
Balance or beam with applicant's set of weights not exceeding 4 lbs.	2	0
For each additional lb.	0	1
Spring or lever, not exceeding 14 lbs.	2	0
For each additional 14 lbs.	0	1

For examining, comparing, and stamping steelyards, balances, beams, or any other description of weighing machines, with applicant's set of weights:—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding 1 cwt.	2	0
Each additional cwt. up to 10 cwt.	0	3
Each cwt. exceeding 10 cwt.	0	1

For examining, comparing, and stamping measures, whether metal or wood:—

	s.	d.
For each gallon or under	0	2
" 2 gallons	0	4
" 3 gallons	0	6
" 4 gallons	0	9
" 5 gallons or more	1	0
Measures of extension:—		
For 1 yard or under	0	6
" each additional yard	0	1

When any scales, weights, or measures, have been compared and stamped by the Inspector for this Union, if taken to him again for comparing *only*, then the fees are to be *one-half* of the foregoing.

Should the Inspector be required to examine, compare, or stamp weights or measures at any other place than either of his appointed offices, the fees above named shall be *double*.

In testimony whereof the Common Seals of the said respective corporations are hereunto, affixed this sixth day of October, 1865.

MARTIN MCKENNA,
President of the Shire Council of Kyneton.
(L.S.) J. APPERLY,
Secretary of the Shire.
JOSEPH HARPER,
Mayor, Woodend.
(L.S.) CHAS. LILLEY,
Town Clerk.
JOHN TYSON,
Mayor.
(L.S.) WM. GRIFFITH,
Town Clerk, Malmesbury.
JOHN SAVAGE,
Chairman of the Woodend, Newham, and Rochford District Road Board.
(L.S.) J. J. STAMMERS,
Clerk to the Board.

No. 3162

NOTICE is hereby given that by indenture bearing date the seventeenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and made between Servius Tullius Darrow, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, licensed publican, of the first part; Emil Thoneman, of Melbourne, in said colony, merchant, and Charles Stephen Reeves, of Ballarat aforesaid, merchant, of the second part; and the several persons creditors of the said Servius Tullius Darrow whose names and seals are subscribed and affixed, of the third part. All and singular the estate and effects of what nature or kind soever of the said Servius Tullius Darrow, were (except as therein mentioned) assigned unto the said Emil Thoneman and Charles Stephen Reeves upon trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said Servius Tullius Darrow as therein mentioned. And further that the said indenture has been duly executed by the said Servius Tullius Darrow in the presence of and attested by M. J. Cummins, Esquire, justice of the peace. And that said indenture is now lying at the office of W. H. McCormick, solicitor, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, for inspection and execution by the other creditors.

Dated seventeenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

S. T. DARROW,
Witness to signature, of Servius Tullius Darrow—
M. J. CUMMINS, J.P.

EMIL THONEMAN,
CHS. S. REEVES.

Witness to signature of Emil Thoneman and C. S. Reeves—
R. MCCRACKEN, J.P.

No. 3174

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court of the colony of Victoria, dated the thirteenth day of October, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, made in a cause of Mary Lawson on behalf of herself, and all others the creditors of James Gray, deceased, against James John Marshall and George Martin, the creditors of James Gray, late of Wanganui, in the province of Wellington, in New Zealand, and formerly of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, commission agent, deceased, and who died on or about the first day of January, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, are by themselves or their solicitors on or before the ninth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, to come in and prove their debts or claims before me, at my office, situate in La Trobe street east, in the city of Melbourne, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. And I appoint Monday, the eleventh day of December, One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my said office, for hearing and adjudicating upon such debts and claims.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1865.

FREDK. WILKINSON,
Master-in-Equity.

HENRY JOHN FARMER, 6, Collins street east,
Plaintiff's solicitor. No. 3181

PATENT FOR AN INVENTION INTITULED "IMPROVEMENTS IN CHRISTENSEN'S PATENT INVENTION, INTITULED AN IMPROVEMENT IN THE MODE OF WASHING AURIFEROUS EARTHLY SUBSTANCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXTRACTING THEREFROM GOLD OR OTHER MINERALS."

THIS is to notify that Christen Christensen, of Deep Creek, in the county of Talbot, miner, did, on the twenty-fifth day of October, 1865, deposit at the office of the Chief Secretary, in Melbourne, a specification, or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing. And I do further notify that the said Christen Christensen has given notice, in writing, at my chambers, of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Monday, the fourth day of December next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my chambers, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such letters patent, to leave on or before the thirtieth day of November, at my chambers, in Melbourne, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this twenty-sixth day of October, A.D. 1865.

GEO. HIGINBOTHAM,
Attorney General.

Crown Law Offices,
192, Collins street east. No. 3166

PATENT FOR AN INVENTION INTITULED "IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MODE OF SEPARATING GOLD OR OTHER MINERALS FROM WASHED OR CRUSHED SUBSTANCES."

THIS is to notify that Christen Christensen, of Deep Creek, in the county of Talbot, miner, did, on the twenty-fifth day of October, 1865, deposit at the office of the Chief Secretary, in Melbourne, a specification, or instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, particularly describing and ascertaining the nature of the said invention, and in what manner the same is to be performed; and that by reason of such deposit the said invention is protected and secured to him exclusively for the term of six calendar months thence next ensuing. And I do further notify that the said Christen Christensen has given notice, in writing, at my chambers, of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Monday, the fourth day of December next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my chambers, to hear and consider the said application and all objections thereto; and I do hereby require all persons having an interest in opposing the grant of such letters patent, to leave on or before the thirtieth day of November, at my chambers in Melbourne, particulars in writing of their objections to the said application, otherwise they will be precluded from urging the same.

Given under my hand this twenty-sixth day of October, A.D. 1865.

GEO. HIGINBOTHAM,
Attorney General.

Crown Law Offices,
192, Collins street east. No. 3165

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, as farmers, carrying on business at Estcourt and Wanganatta, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or payable by the said partnership firm will be received and paid respectively by the undersigned Enoch Porter, who will continue the business.

Witness our hands at Wanganatta, in the colony of Victoria, this fifteenth day of April, 1865.

ENOCH PORTER,
SILAS PORTER.

Signed by the said parties in the presence of—
ALBERT L. ELY, Clerk of Courts, Wanganatta. No. 3168

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned, carrying on business in Murphy street, in the town of Wanganatta, as butchers, under the firm of "Heach and Company," was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and payable by the said partnership firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Frank Heach.

Witness our hands this twenty-fourth day of October, 1865.

FRANK HEACH,
SILAS PORTER.

Witness—
ALBERT L. ELY, Clerk of Courts, Wanganatta. No. 3169

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Doulach Park, Malmsbury, 7th October, 1865.

No. 3172 HUGH MILVAIN,
JOHN MILVAIN.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Stringer's Creek, 20th October, 1865.

THOMAS NEWSOM,
AUGUST HARTUNG.

Witness—
WM. HENRY HADDEN. No. 3170

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto existing between H. L. Mortimer and Thomas Francis Bates is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the firm to be paid by H. L. Mortimer, and all accounts due to the said firm to be collected by the said H. L. Mortimer.

187, Swanston street, Melbourne, 21st October, 1865.

H. L. MORTIMER,
THOMAS FRANCIS BATES.

Witness—
FREDERICK WALTERS. No. 3124

NEW MURMUNGEE GOLD MINING COMPANY.

WE, the undersigned, being a majority in number and value of the shareholders in the Co-operative Mining Company, Bowman's Forest, known as the New Murmungee Company, hereby consent to have the said company registered under the provisions of the Act 27 Victoria No. 328, intitled "An Act to Limit the Liability of Mining Companies," under the style and title of the "New Murmungee Gold Mining Company (registered)," and we hereby authorise James Boyd, as manager of the company, to cause such registration to be effected.

As witness our hands this twenty-third day of October, 1865.

James Boyd Joseph Orton
Phillip Saunders James Wells
Thomas Tomkies James Wright
William Ellen T. M. Ellen
William Groucott George Ord
Charles Wells George Thompson
William Telford

Witness to the above signatures—
JOHN BARRASS.

I, THE undersigned James Boyd, hereby make application to register the New Murmungee Gold Mining Company (registered), under the provisions of the Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1864; and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The New Murmungee Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Bowman's Forest, parish of Murmungee.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Five thousand four hundred pounds (£5400), in 1080 shares of Five pounds (£5) each.
4. The amount already paid up is Three thousand five hundred and ten pounds (£3510).
5. The name of the manager is James Boyd.
6. The office of the company is at Ford street, Beechworth.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
Phillip Saunders, Bowman's Forest	120
Thomas Tomkies, Bowman's Forest	90
Wm. Ellen, Bowman's Forest	60
Wm. Groucott, Bowman's Forest	60
James Boyd, Bowman's Forest	60
Wm. Telford, Beechworth	240
James Wells, Bowman's Forest	60
Charles Wells, Bowman's Forest	60
James Wright, Bowman's Forest	60
Joseph Orton, Bowman's Forest	60
James Kitchen, Bowman's Forest	60
T. M. Ellen, Bowman's Forest	60
George Ord, Bowman's Forest	60
George Thompson, Bowman's Forest	30
	1080

Dated this twenty-fourth day of October, A.D. One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

JAMES BOYD,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
JNO. TURNER. No. 3161

(SCHEDULE A.)

LETTER OF APPLICATION FOR MINERAL LEASE.

WE, the undersigned, hereby apply to the Minister 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 Warden, Daylesford, the sum of Ten pounds to cover the charges of survey and for the 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.

We have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servants,

JAMES FAULKNER,
JOHN WALTERS,
EDWARD JAMES.

Date—30th September, 1865.
Address—Albert street, Creswick.

Name of applicant or applicants, and address, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on	Extent of ground.	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.
James Faulkner, Albert street, Creswick John Walters, Albert street, Creswick Edward James, No. 6, Chamber of Commerce, Ballarat "Peurhyn Slate Quarrying Company."	Acres. 20	Both ...	Slate ... (1.) For the first six months ten men (2.) Subsequently when in full work forty men	£2400 ... Machinery	(1.) Boots' Gully, parish of Wombat, county of Talbot. (2.) 30 years. (3.) Immediately.	

No. 3004

(SCHEDULE A.)

LETTER OF APPLICATION FOR MINERAL LEASE.

I, THE undersigned, hereby apply to the Honorable the Minister 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 I herewith deposit with the Warden of the Castlemaine District the sum of Ten 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 I agree, if my 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 I will execute a lease upon the basis therein stated, if the Governor shall think fit to grant the same.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

ALEXANDER BURRELL.

Date—14th September, 1865.

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.
Alexander Burrell, on behalf of the Golden Point Flagg and Slate Company	Acres. 50	On or below. Depth unknown	(1.) For the first six months, eight men Flagg and slate (2.) Subsequently when in full work, twenty men	£2000 ... Machinery	(1.) Locality—Chiewton, on the ranges east of Commissioner's Gully (2.) Term—Thirty years (3.) Time of commencing operations—On granting lease	None.

Name of applicant, with address: Alexander Burrell.
14th September, 1865.

No. 3066

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

No. 750.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Wilhelm, of South Yarra, near the city of Melbourne, gentleman, has applied to have brought under the provisions of the Real Property Act the land described at the foot hereof; and that the Commissioner of Titles has appointed that upon the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of this advertisement in the *Government Gazette* the Registrar General shall, unless he shall in the interval have received a caveat forbidding him to do so, proceed to bring such land under the provisions of the Act.
Dated the 2nd day of October, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Part of portion number thirty-eight, parish of Prahran, county of Bourke: Commencing at a point on the east side of the Punt road eleven chains seventy-five links south from the north-west corner of the portion; thence bearing further south thirty-five feet, by a depth of ninety-seven feet.

W. K. HUGHES,
Assistant Registrar General.

No. 3177

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

No. 836.

NOTICE is hereby given that David Moffatt, of Queen street, in the city of Melbourne, secretary of the Southern Insurance Company, has applied to have brought under the provisions of the Real Property Act the land described at the foot hereof; and that the Commissioner of Titles has appointed that upon the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of this advertisement in the *Government Gazette* the Registrar General shall, unless he shall in the

pointed that upon the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of this advertisement in the *Government Gazette* the Registrar General shall, unless he shall in the interval have received a caveat forbidding him to do so, proceed to bring such land under the provisions of the Act.
Dated the 26th day of October, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Part of allotment A, portion seventy, in the parish of Prahran, county of Bourke: Commencing at a point one hundred and forty-five feet four inches and one quarter of an inch west from the north-east corner of the portion; thence bearing further west fifty feet along the south side of Alma road by a depth of two hundred feet therefrom.

W. K. HUGHES,
Assistant Registrar General.

ROBERT RAMSAY, 32, Queen street,
Solicitor for the applicant.

No. 3175

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

No. 834.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Codner Henley, formerly of Melbourne, but now of England, has applied to have brought under the provisions of the Real Property Act the land described at the foot hereof; and that the Commissioner of Titles has appointed that upon the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of this advertisement in the *Government Gazette* the Registrar General shall, unless he shall in the

interval have received a caveat forbidding him to do so, proceed to bring such land under the provisions of the Act.
Dated the 27th day of October, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Three pieces of portion number seventy-two, parish of Jikajika, county of Bourke: The first commencing at the intersection of the east side of Young street with the south side of Johnston street, being a point twenty feet east from the north-west corner of the portion; thence bearing further east along Johnston street ninety-three feet six inches; thence south seventy-two feet six inches; thence east thirty feet; thence south fifty feet; thence west one hundred and twenty-three feet six inches; thence north along Young street one hundred and twenty-two feet six inches: the second commencing at a point one hundred and ninety-six feet ten inches south of another point on the south side of Johnston street four hundred feet west from the north-east corner of the portion; thence bearing west along Chapel street two hundred and twenty-four feet by a depth of fifty feet, and having George street on the west: the third commencing at a point seventy-two feet six inches south from a point on the south side of Johnston street four hundred and thirty feet west from the north-east corner of the portion; thence bearing further south along a roadway one hundred feet by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet, and having Chapel street on the south.

W. K. HUGHES,
No. 3178 Assistant Registrar General.

REAL PROPERTY ACT.

No. 835.

NOTICE is hereby given that Henry Morgan Murphy, of No. 67, Flinders street east, Melbourne, has applied to have brought under the provisions of the Real Property Act the land described at the foot hereof; and that the Commissioner of Titles has appointed that upon the expiration of fourteen clear days from the date of this advertisement in the Government Gazette the Registrar General shall, unless he shall in the interval have received a caveat forbidding him to do so, proceed to bring such land under the provisions of the Act.
Dated the 23rd day of October, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Part of allotment 7, section 7, city of Melbourne: Commencing at the south-east corner; thence bearing westerly 33 feet along Flinders street, with a depth therefrom of 156 feet 9 inches.

W. K. HUGHES,
No. 3179 Assistant Registrar General.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that I am applying for a lease for 21 years under *The Amending Land Act 1865*, of 2 acres 2 rods and 17 perches of land bounded on the N. by unsurveyed land; on the E. by Merri Creek; on the S. by Riley street drain; and on the west by quarry allotments, for purposes connected with the manufacture of paper.

THOMAS KENNY,

No. 3180
Melbourne, 30th October, 1865.

MEMORIAL OF REGISTRATION OF THE EASTERN CHAMPION GOLD MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

I, THE undersigned Richard O'Reardon, hereby make application to register the Eastern Champion Gold Mining Company (registered), under the provisions of the Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1864; and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The Eastern Champion Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is on the claims formerly known as One and Two East Independent and Champion Amalgamated, Champion Spur, Black River.
3. The nominal capital of the company is £16,000, in 1600 shares of Ten pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is £2400.
5. The name of the manager is Richard O'Reardon.
6. The office of the company is at Bridge street, Wood's Point.
7. The names and residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
William Gilliard, Black River	400
Niels Knudsen Brown, Black River	500
Peter McNeven, Black River	100
William D. Buddrell, Black River	100
Thomas Davies, Wood's Point	100
Edward O'Reilly, Wood's Point	100
Richard O'Reardon, Wood's Point	100
William Duttell, Black River	100
John Gardiner, Black River	100
	1600

Dated this 24th day of October, 1865.

RICHARD O'REARDON,
Manager.

Witness—
JOHN CALDWELL. No. 3176

ALBION QUARTZ MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned Jonathan Middleton, hereby make application to register the Albion Quartz Mining Company (registered), under the provisions of the Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1864; and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The Albion Quartz Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Portuguese Reef, Steiglitz.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Twenty-two thousand pounds, in two thousand two hundred shares of Ten pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is Four thousand four hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Jonathan Middleton.
6. The office of the company is at No. 16, Mining Exchange, Ballarat.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each, at this date, are as follows:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
John Smith, Steiglitz	100
Fortunatus Poschich, Steiglitz	100
William Friday, Steiglitz	100
Thomas Robinson, Steiglitz	100
Thomas Herring, Steiglitz	100
William Sowden, Steiglitz	100
John Anderson, Steiglitz	100
Sorens Gillius Hansen, Steiglitz	100
Thomas Rothwell, Steiglitz	100
James Scott, Steiglitz	100
Alexander Reid, Geelong	100
Thomas Boyer, Geelong	2
Eliza Wright, Geelong	1
Charles Henry Swift, Geelong	1
Mary Ann Hill, Geelong	2
Edward Samuel Harris, Geelong	2
Nathan, Bowes, Geelong	2
John Cullen, Geelong	10
J. E. Cullen, Geelong	1
R. J. Cullen, Geelong	1
R. H. Cullen, Geelong	1
G. T. Cullen, Geelong	1
A. E. Cullen, Geelong	1
F. E. J. Cullen, Geelong	1
L. B. Cullen, Geelong	1
L. M. Cullen, Geelong	1
William Thompson, Geelong	2
Charles Brownlow, Geelong	1
William Watt, Geelong	1
Thomas Wright, Geelong	2
James Wood, junior, Geelong	5
John Stewart Butters, Geelong	1
Thomas Inglis, Geelong	8
Ellen Davey, Geelong	2
John Robertson, Geelong	1
William Eldridge, Geelong	1
Alfred E. Kirwood, Geelong	1
Michael Adams, Geelong	1
William Inglis, Geelong	2
Joseph A. Treadgold, Geelong	2
Joseph Guille, Geelong	1
James Lowe, Geelong	1
John Tweeddale, Geelong	2
Caleb Day, Geelong	1
George Wood, Geelong	1
George Dod, Geelong	2
George Beattie, Geelong	1
Charles Radd, Geelong	1
Nicholas Edward Ehrenstrom, Geelong	1
Thomas Kelly, Geelong	1
Ralph Longstich, Geelong	1
William Patrick Noonan, Geelong	3
William McNab, Geelong	3
William Fynney, Geelong	25
H. J. Robinson, Geelong	5
Joseph Kerley, Geelong	5
William Husbands, Geelong	4
John Mulligan, Geelong	10
Caleb Vines, Geelong	11
Evan Humphreys, Geelong	5
William Olney, Geelong	2
Edward Wilton, Geelong	10
David Rees, St. Kilda	10
Michael O'Loughlin, Geelong	2
C. A. Thomson, Melbourne	1
George Vile, Geelong	1
George Thomas, Geelong	3
Richard Heath, Geelong	1
William Richmond, Geelong	3
James Knowlton, Geelong	2
Janet Knowlton, Geelong	3
Edward Few, Geelong	1
John Bews, Geelong	2
W. J. Moore, Geelong	1
John Robertson, Geelong	3
Frederick Harvey, Geelong	1
James Silk, Geelong	1
Thomas B. Hunt, Geelong	1
Sarah Sutton, Geelong	1
James Woolley, Counewarre	3
Mark Stock, Geelong	3
R. G. Logan, Geelong	1
James Elliott, Inverleigh	3
Samuel Wilson, Geelong	2
Frederick Harvey, Geelong	1
George Brown, Geelong	1

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
Stuart Reid, Steiglitz	5
Archibald Chambers, Geelong	2
Frances Davison, Geelong	5
John Davison, Geelong	5
John Boyd, Geelong	5
David McNaught, Geelong	5
Eliza Gray, Geelong	5
Page Knight, Geelong	3
William Sharwood, Geelong	1
John Richards, Geelong	2
J. Scott Wood, Geelong	3
Thomas Powell, Geelong	2
John Patterson, Geelong	1
John Gubby, Geelong	1
Walter Royce, Geelong	1
James Strong, Geelong	1
Benjamin Greenwood, Geelong	3
William Tait, Geelong	5
James Lawrence, Melbourne	5
Patrick Mulcahy, Melbourne	1
Henry McGrotty, Melbourne	3
R. Rumsey, Melbourne	5
John Filler, Bullarook	10
George Pollingtone, Bullarook	5
Giles, Morrison	3
Magnus Kirkness, Ballarat	30
Jemima Ching, Ballarat	1
Anne Richards, Ballarat	1
Israel Shistrom, Steiglitz	2
Michael Nestor, Ballarat	6
David Blair, Melbourne	5
William More, Ballarat	10
D. B. Esther, Ballarat	10
Thomas Broadbent, Ballarat	10
Stephen W. Smith, Steiglitz	5
Benjamin Goulden, Steiglitz	2
Richard Wicking, Ballarat	10
John White, Ballarat	2
David Christy, Ballarat	4
Priscilla Binder, Ballarat	1
Walter Q. Pinnell, Ballarat	9
Thomas Robinson, Ballarat	35
Thomas Bailey, Ballarat	35
Joseph Copeland, Ballarat	35
Thomas A. Hawkins, Ballarat	35
John Smith, Steiglitz	38
William Friday, Steiglitz	40
Fortunatus Paschich, Steiglitz	40
Thomas Robinson, Steiglitz	50
Thomas Herring, Steiglitz	40
William Sowden, Steiglitz	40
John Anderson, Steiglitz	40
Sorens Gillius Hansen, Steiglitz	40
Thomas Rothwell, Steiglitz	40
James Scott, Steiglitz	40
Alexander Reid, Geelong	40
Jonathan Middleton, Ballarat	112
Total	2200

Dated this twenty-eighth day of October, A.D. 1865.
JONATHAN MIDDLETON,
 Manager.
 Witness to signature—
P. VAUGHAN WILLIAMS. No. 3173

SHIRE OF AVON.
 THE Shire Council did, on the 23rd day of October, 1865, appoint
MR. SAMUEL REEVES
 as one of the Managers of Bundalagwah Farmers' Common, in place of Mr. Norman K. Nicholson, resigned.
S. R. DAWSON,
 No. 3167 Secretary to the Shire of Avon.

NOTICE.
I HEREBY give notice that I have applied to the Board of Land and Survey for alienation to me of the road separating allotments A and B of section 13 from allotments A and C of section 14, parish of Djerrivarrh, and that separating allotment B of section 15 from allotment A of section 16, same parish.
A. MACINTOSH,
 Green Hills, 23rd October, 1865. No. 3171

Impoundings.
AXE CREEK.—Impounded at Axe Creek, 28th October, 1865.—Trespass 6d. each.
 1600. Yellow bullock, cock horns, off ear topped, like LL near ribs, like I near rump
 1617. Bay filly, streak, long tail, W off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
BENJN. CODE,
 4/6 Poundkeeper.

BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat Town Pound, 24th October, 1865, by Police.
 1 dark brown mare, like writing W off shoulder, long switch tail, star, hobbled
 1 bay horse, JC near neck, near hind fetlock white, a little white on all other feet, star, switch tail, unshod

On 28th October, by Police.
 1 black and white speckled bull, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
R. W. WILSON,
 6/ Poundkeeper.

BATESFORD.—Impounded at Batesford, 23rd October, 1865, by John Highett, Esq.—Trespass 6d. a head.
 1087. Bay mare, like 58 near shoulder, has broken hobble on
 1088. Bay mare, near hind fetlock white, like W off rump, has broken hobble on off fore and hind legs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
JOHN J. BUCKLAND,
 4/6 Poundkeeper.

BEECHWORTH.—Impounded at the Beechworth Borough Pound, 17th October, 1865.—Trespass 3d. each.
 Twelve head of she-goats, various colors; one white goat has round bell on neck, one fawn she-goat has oz near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
W. J. SHOEBRIDGE,
 4/ Poundkeeper.

BELFAST.—Impounded at Belfast Shire Pound, 25th October, 1865, by Mr. Laidlaw.
 1392. White steer, branded JD off ribs—Damages 6s.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
MATTHEW HOURIGAN,
 3/6 Poundkeeper.

BRANXHOLME.—Impounded at Branxholme, 23rd October, 1865, by A. McGregor, Esq., Louth.—Trespass 2s.
 533. Grey horse, dark grey mane and tail, T near shoulder, W off neck
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
MALCOLM ROSS,
 4/6 Poundkeeper.

BUNINYONG.—Impounded at Buninyong Shire Pound, 23rd October, 1865, by J. Bore, for Mr. T. Webb.—Trespass 8s. per head.
 1237. Yellow and white cow, off ear marked, off rump II,
 1238. Red and white heifer, no visible brand
 1239. Yellow and white heifer, off rump small F
 On 24th October, by E. A. Hitchcock, for the Managers.—Trespass 6d. each.
 1231. Blue roan horse, three white feet, star and snip, saddle marked, near shoulder J over WA over 2
 1232. Grey mare, heavy in foal, saddle and collar marked, scar on off hind leg, near shoulder TH
 1233. Bay horse, blind near eye, small star, off hind corner white, near neck TF conjoined, near shoulder 23, near loin like LO, near hip down
 1234. Black horse, star, white spot, near neck, near shoulder C, off shoulder like C or G, near hip down
 On 25th October, by J. Haley.—Trespass 6d.
 1235. Old bay mare, hollow back, star and snip, near hind foot white, near shoulder like II,
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
DAVID YOUNG,
 12/ Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.
BUNINYONG.—No. 589, previously advertised as grey horse, blind near eye, scar near neck, near shoulder MK conjoined, now shows OO off back.
 No. 1225, light strawberry poley cow, red ears and marked, off rump ML should be like M2.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
DAVID YOUNG,
 5/ Poundkeeper.

CARISBROOK.—Impounded at Carisbrook.—Trespass 3s.
 2310. Bay horse, hobbles on, hip down, T-C conjoined near shoulder (writing T), 7 near thigh
 2311. Red bullock, top off near ear, white on face and belly, WWW near horn, W near shoulder
 2312. Blue and white bullock, both ears marked, ditto, ditto
 Trespass 1s. 6d. each.
 2340. Red bullock, white on head and belly, near ear notched, piece off tail, large swelling under chest, DC off ribs
 2341. Strawberry heifer, JP near rump
 2342. Red and white cow, JH off rump and ribs, D near back, both ears marked
 2343. White heifer calf, no brands
 2344. Red and white cow, like PI blotched off rump, 2 off thigh
 2345. Yellow cow, like GC near rump, C off shoulder
 2346. Red and white heifer calf, no visible brands
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th December, 1865.
FRED. GEO. HULL,
 10/ Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, by Mr. W. Smith, Wando Vale.
 205. Dark bay or brown mare, small star and snip, H near shoulder, like BE off shoulder

206. Bay entire horse, stripe, white down face, two hind feet white, no perceptible brand—Damages £10
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

5/6 HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

CASTERTON.—172, bay horse, H^y off shoulder, 148^o off neck, H near cheek, like O or C near shoulder, escaped 16th October, recovered on the 23rd.
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 8th November, 1865.

4/ HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

GISBORNE.—Impounded at Gisborne, 26th October, 1865, by Mr. M. Gavin.—Trespass 6d. each.

3130. Red and white cow, off ear marked, like 4 off back, —C off ribs, blotch T or P near rump
3131. Red and white bull calf, progeny
3132. Strawberry cow, red ears, wild, like 4 off ribs, \approx off flank
3133. Strawberry bull calf, progeny
On 27th October, by Mr. W. H. Stephen.—Trespass 9d. each.
3134. Blue cow, top off near ear, slit off ear, LW off ribs (tail of L to left)
3135. Red cow, white on flanks and belly, blotch brand off rump, strap and bell on
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

8/ H. R. DIXON,
Poundkeeper.

HAMILTON.—Impounded at the Hamilton Borough Pound, 23rd October, 1865, by Mr. Wm. Smith, town herdsman.—Trespass 9d.

1431. Bay horse, small star and snip, black points, short switch tail, cart breed, saddle marked, appears to be collar marked, HHR conjoined near shoulder (the first stroke of first H not taken)
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

5/6 RICHD. BLOOMFIELD,
Poundkeeper.

HEATHCOTE.—Impounded at Heathcote, 26th October, 1865.—Trespass 1s. each.

546. Red and white cow, both ears marked, TW near rump
DR
3

(the 3 square topped), like 4 near shoulder
547. Red and white steer, near ear marked, like TW near ribs and rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

6/ JOHN HAMILTON,
Poundkeeper.

HORSHAM.—Impounded at the Wimmera Shire Pound, Horsham, 26th October, 1865.

42. Dark brown or black mare, blaze, hind legs white, saddle marked, like JHF conjoined over B near shoulder, like MS off neck
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

4/6 JAS. MÜSSEN,
Poundkeeper.

KEILOR.—Impounded at Keilor, 27th October, 1865, by the Managers of Keilor United Common.—Trespass 6d.

1 bay upstanding horse, black points, star, near fore and hind feet white, defective eye, like WS near shoulder, 33 off shoulder, very wild
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

4/6 E. BONFIELD,
Poundkeeper.

KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 26th October, 1865, by D. Cameron, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

120. Black horse, long tail, hind fetlocks white, saddle and collar marked, small star, scar on off and near ribs and off thigh, illegible like W JT under off shoulder
121. Bay mare, switch tail, star, saddle marked, off hind fetlock white, white on off fore coronet, —S horizontal under S under near shoulder
122. Light chestnut mare, long tail, white legs, blaze, saddle marked, 18 near shoulder, E off ribs
123. Dark bay mare, black points, long tail, star and snip, mark of sore back, large scar on off rump, JN near neck and shoulder
124. Bay mare, black points, switch tail, blaze, blind off eye, mark of rope under jaw, TF HB conjoined or QB conjoined near shoulder
125. Dark bay or brown horse, long tail, white on near hind fetlock, saddle marked, like X near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

11/ HUGH STEVENSON,
Poundkeeper.

MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury, 25th October, 1865.—Trespass 1s. each.

1 bay mare, $\frac{1}{2}$ near shoulder, M off shoulder, like T near flank
1 bay colt, $\frac{1}{2}$ near shoulder
1 black filly, hollow back, star, white on off hind fetlock

Same date.—Trespass 6d.

1 strawberry poley heifer, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

5/6 M. SHERWIN,
Poundkeeper.

McIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek, 25th October, 1865.—Trespass 1s. each.

310. White bullock, near horn broken, AR near rump
311. Red and white bullock, cock horns, ARO near rump, W in circle off ribs, piece off both ears
312. White bullock, cock horns, AR near rump, W in circle off ribs, piece off both ears
313. Brown bullock, hoop horns, AR near rump, W in circle off ribs, piece off both ears
314. White bullock, cock horns, AE off rump, like HH near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

7/6 JOHN WILSON,
Poundkeeper.

MELBOURNE.—Impounded at Melbourne, 27th October, 1865, by John Felstead, by order of the Council of the City of Melbourne.

2149. Yellow and white milch cow (sided), brindle spotted about head and neck, slightly brindled on other parts, point of off horn shelled, small HP conjoined milking rump, low condition
2150. Light strawberry heifer calf, red ears and muzzle, no visible brand
2151. Light strawberry heifer calf, red ears and muzzle, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

7/6 JOHN FELSTEAD,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

MELBOURNE.—No. 2140, gazetted 27th October, 1865, should be black brown horse, medium draught, long switch, hind fetlocks swollen, saddle marked, unshod, WIC conjoined near shoulder.

No. 2141. Mouse colored or nutmeg grey horse, light breed, well bred, long switch, bluish on ball of near eye, blaze, near fore and both hind feet white, unshod, blemish on near hind cannon, no visible brand.
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

6/6 JOHN FELSTEAD,
Poundkeeper.

MIA-MIA.—Impounded at Redesdale, 26th October, 1865.—

1405. Black horse, shod, saddle and collar marked, S with a bar across near shoulder, PG near jaw, 37 off shoulder, D off neck
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

4/ THOS. W. LAVENDER,
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

MIA-MIA.—No. 1373, previously gazetted, should be bay mare, star, collar marked, black points, writing P near shoulder and saddle, like O off rump.
H in circle

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

4/6 THOS. W. LAVENDER,
Poundkeeper.

MURCHISON.—Impounded at Murchison, 25th October, 1865, by Winter Brothers.—Trespass 1s. each.

260. Black mare, JA over 5 near shoulder
261. Brown or black mare, star, little white on two hind coronets, saddle marked, HL conjoined near shoulder like FF over indescribable brand off shoulder
262. Bay horse, star and snip, collar and saddle marked, CT over SH near shoulder
263. Dark bay horse, star, collar marked, JB conjoined near shoulder
264. Bay horse, blotch P near shoulder, 5 near ribs, $\frac{1}{2}$ off shoulder, little lump near cheek
265. Grey horse, nearly white, —I crossed near shoulder, like EC off neck, collar and saddle marked
266. Grey mare, RC over BBW near shoulder (BB conjoined, B to left), RC off shoulder, like 566 off neck, E near and off hip, collar marked
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.

11/6 R. WILSON,
Poundkeeper.

SALE.—Impounded at Sale, 21st October, 1865, by J. B. Firse, Esq.—Trespass 1s. each.

1188. Iron grey entire horse, WAI off shoulder, W off hip, shod, —Damages £5
1189. Black mare, JM and B under near shoulder
1190. Black horse foal, progeny, no brand
1191. Black mare, 4 off shoulder

1192. Bay mare, like C and R under near shoulder, near hind foot white
 1194. Bay mare, like S near hip
 On 24th October, by R. R. Wilson.
 1216. Red and white cow, like H near ribs
 1217. Yellow heifer, like H near ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 HENRY M. PEARSON,
 Poundkeeper.

8/6
SALE—Impounded at Sale, 26th October, 1865, by Mr. R. R. Wilson.
 1222. Grey horse, like J+ near shoulder
 1223. Brown mare, like 4 over σ over S over RH near shoulder
 1226. Black colt, like RD off shoulder, star
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 HENRY M. PEARSON,
 Poundkeeper.

4/6
SANDHURST.—Impounded at Sandhurst, 25th October, 1865.
 1402. Grey rig, switch, scar off fore leg, JH conjoined off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 DANL. MACKKEY,
 Poundkeeper.

4/
ST. ARNAUD.—Impounded at St. Arnaud Borough Pound, 25th October, 1865, by Town Inspector.
 158. Bay horse, blaze, near hind leg and off hind coronet white, H over SB near shoulder (the S a hook)
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 W. J. STEVENSON,
 Poundkeeper.

4/
STAWELL.—Impounded at Stawell Shire Pound, 26th October, 1865, by Mr. John McDougall.
 123. Ten goats; various ages and sexes
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 D. K. FITZGERALD,
 Poundkeeper.

3/6
WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta, 26th October, 1865.
 1417. Bay mare, star, bell and chain on neck, near fore and hind fetlocks white, RM conjoined near shoulder (tail of R to left)
 1418. Chesnut mare, star, little white near hind coronet, sore back, like P blotched with M off shoulder
 1419. Bay mare, bell and chain on neck, star, little white near hind coronet, SW near shoulder
 1420. Bay filly, back injured as if broken, no visible brand
 1421. Black mare, bell and chain on neck, little white both fore coronets, off hind leg white, off fore hoof grown long, dock tail, 2 near neck, R near shoulder, indistinct brands like
 A
 WD
 A

P x off shoulder
 1422. Bay mare, saddle marked, JR near shoulder, HM off shoulder
 1423. Bay mare, small star, off fore fetlock bumble, S off shoulder and cheek
 1424. Black mare, WP near shoulder
 1425. Chesnut filly foal, progeny, star, streak and snip, indescribable brand near shoulder
 1426. Bay mare, RM conjoined (the tail of R to left) over broad arrow near shoulder, NW conjoined off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 ALEXANDER TONE,
 Poundkeeper.

17/
WARRANTYTE.—Impounded at Warrantyte, 25th October, 1865, by Mr. C. Newman.—Trespass 10s. each.
 116. Dark bay or brown mare, dark points, short tail, saddle marked, like JPC rather imperfect near shoulder (the JP conjoined), shoes on
 117. Bay mare, a few white hairs on forehead, dark points, 3 over J over crossed compasses near shoulder, shoes on, legs have been clipped
 118. Bay horse or cob, tan muzzle, dark points, short tail, EE near shoulder, K off shoulder
 119. Bay horse foal, yearling, two spots of white on forehead, white on near hind fetlock, no visible brands
 120. Bay or brown horse foal, yearling, no visible brands
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 JOHN HUTCHINSON,
 Poundkeeper.

8/6
WYNDHAM.—Impounded at Wyndham Shire Pound, Little River, 24th October, 1865, by Mr. James Armstrong.—Trespass 9d. each.
 686. Red and white yearling heifer, TR off shoulder
 687. Red and white bald face heifer, JM off rump, TR off shoulder
 688. Light strawberry cow, near ear marked, blotch brand on each rump
 689. Red and white heifer, EC off rump, TR off shoulder

690. Black cow, few white spots under belly, PR near rump and shoulder, H off rump, TR off shoulder
 PR

691. Red and white bald face heifer, TR off shoulder
 692. Red and white heifer, TR off shoulder, very slightly branded
 On 25th October, by the Managers of the Wyndham Shire Common, Little River.—Trespass 9d. each.
 694. Black and white poley heifer, TT conjoined off rump, off ear marked
 695. Light strawberry steer, T off rump, off ear marked
 696. Strawberry and brindle heifer, T off rump, off ear marked
 On 26th October, by the Managers of the Little River and Duck Ponds Farmers' Common.—Trespass 9d. each.
 697. Bay mare, star, hind feet white, lame off hind leg, saddle marked, 243 off shoulder (square topped 3), like QR conjoined near ribs
 698. Bright bay filly, star and snip, hind feet white, GG off neck, foal of 697
 702. Brown colt foal, star, G near shoulder
 704. Chesnut colt, star, off hind foot white, S off thigh
 On 27th October.—Same trespass.
 706. Bay mare, small star, off hind foot twisted and deformed, saddle and collar marked, CHE off neck (HE conjoined), O near shoulder
 707. Brown mare, few white hairs in forehead, hind feet white, JB conjoined before C near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 FREDERICK RYLAND,
 Poundkeeper.

20/
NOTICE.
WYNDHAM.—No. 665, advertised as unbranded, should be yellow and white yearling heifer, scar or indescribable brand near rump and thigh.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 FREDERICK RYLAND,
 Poundkeeper.

4/
YACKANDANDAH.—Impounded at Yackandandah, 24th October, 1865.—Trespass 1s. each.
 2016. White heifer, hole in near ear, star off rump
 2017. White heifer, hole in near ear, star off rump, HW off ribs
 2018. Red heifer, white on back and belly, hole in near ear, star off rump and shoulder
 2019. Yellow and white steer, hole in near ear, star off rump and shoulder
 2020. White heifer, hole in near ear, star off rump and shoulder
 2021. Yellow and white cow, both ears marked, x near ribs, O near rump, W over σ off rump
 2023. Yellow and white cow, blotched brand off ribs
 2024. White heifer calf, C near rump
 2025. Red steer, white on back and belly, B near rump
 2026. Yellow and white heifer, JB off rump
 2027. White steer, brindle spots on head and neck, illegible brand near thigh
 2028. Yellow and white bull, like JC off rump—Damage 10s.
 2029. Yellow cow, white on back and belly, like AMS over JH off rump (the JH conjoined)
 2030. White steer calf, JH conjoined off rump
 2032. Strawberry poley cow, both ears marked, 8 off rump, W over σ off ribs
 2033. White poley cow, strawberry neck, off ear marked, JP off rump, JH off thigh, illegible brand off ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 22nd November, 1865.
 ANTHY. P. KANE,
 Poundkeeper.

14/6
NOTICE.
YACKANDANDAH.—No. 1998 previously advertised as fleabitten grey mare, near hip injured, shod fore feet, AT near shoulder, should be fleabitten grey horse.
 ANTHY. P. KANE,
 Poundkeeper.

3/
THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER acknowledges the receipt of the undermentioned sums:—

	£	s.	d.
October 23.—Jas. Bromfield	1 0 0
October 23.—R. Wilson	1 0 0
October 23.—H. M. Pearson	0 10 0
October 30.—F. G. Hull	1 0 0
October 30.—A. P. Kane	1 10 0
October 30.—H. M. Pearson	0 10 0
October 30.—F. Bonfield	0 5 0
October 30.—Fred. Ryland	2 0 0

J. FERRES,
 Government Printer.

30th October, 1865.

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