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GENERAL ELECTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor will issue Writs for the Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria on the days specified in the 2nd column of the annexed Schedule; and that the days for the Nomination of Candidates, for taking the Poll, and for the Return of the Writs, will be those specified in the 3rd, 4th, and 5th columns of the same Schedule, viz.:—

Nomination of Candidates, for taking the Poll, and for the return of Writs, in the several Electoral Districts, in the several columns of the same Schedule, viz. :—				
Electoral Districts.	Dates of Writs.	Days of Nomination.	Polling Days.	Return of Writs.
CLASS No. 1.				
South Bourke	12 December 1865	20 December 1865 ...	30 December 1865 ...	9 January 1866.
Evelyn				
Mornington				
North Gipps Land				
South Gipps Land				
East Bourke				
West Bourke				
Dalhousie				
South Grant				
Ripon and Hampden				
Polwarth and South Grenville				
Villiers and Heytesbury				
Dundas				
Wimmera				
Normanby				
Grenville				
CLASS No. 2.				
Rodney	30 December 1865	9 January 1866 ...	15 January 1866 ...	24 January 1866.
Murray				
Maryborough				
Creswick				
Avoca				
Mandurang				
Maldon				
Ovens				
Crowlands				
Ararat				
CLASS No. 3.				
Kilmore	15 January 1866 ...	23 January 1866 ...	27 January 1866 ...	31 January 1866.
Kyneton Boroughs				
Castlemaine				
Sandhurst				
Belfast				
Warrnambool				
Portland				
Ballarat East				
Ballarat West				
West Melbourne				
East Melbourne				
North Melbourne				
Emerald Hill				
Sandridge				
Williamstown				
Collingwood				
Richmond				
St. Kilda				
Brighton				
East Bourke Boroughs				
Murray Boroughs				
Geelong East				
Geelong West				

By Command.

By Command,
H. L. WARDE,
Private Secretary.

POLLING PLACES FOR THE SHIRE OF AVON.

THE Governor in Council, by Order made on the 4th day of December, 1865, appointed the places hereinafter mentioned to be the polling places for the purposes of elections within and for the Shire of Avon, in accordance with the provisions of *The Local Government Act 1863*, § 82 (in lieu of the polling place appointed for the Avon Road District by a previous Order of 19th September, 1864), viz.:

Township of Stratford,
Township of Maffra,
Turf Hotel, Borough of Sale.

J. F. SULLIVAN.

Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne.

ADDITIONAL POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.

It is hereby notified that on Friday, the 1st December, additional Post Office Savings Banks will be opened at the following places:—

BEAUFORT,
CAMPEDDOWN,
DUNOLLY,
PORT ALBERT,
PORTLAND,
RUTHERGLEN,
SMYTHESDALE,
STAWELL,
SWAN HILL, and
WARRENAMBOOL.

in conformity with the regulations made by the Governor in Council, dated 7th August, 1865.

The Postmasters at the above places have been appointed to perform duty in connection with the Post Office Savings Banks. All necessary information can be obtained on application at any of the offices named.

WILLIAM TURNER,
Deputy Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 22nd November, 1865.

COLLINGWOOD POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.

It is hereby notified that on Wednesday, the 15th instant, a Post Office Savings Bank will be opened at the new temporary offices, corner of Smith and Moor streets, Fitz Roy.

Hours of business:—

Daily (Sundays excepted) Ten a.m. to Three p.m., and on Saturdays, for receipt of deposits only, from Six to Eight p.m.

All necessary information can be obtained on application at the above office.

The Postmaster and Telegraph Manager at Collingwood has been appointed to perform duty in connection with the Post Office Savings Bank.

WILLIAM TURNER,
Deputy Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 13th November, 1865.

NOTICE TO OFFICERS IN THE CIVIL SERVICE, AND ELECTORAL REGISTRARS, AND OTHERS IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT.

THE subjoined instruction and copy of a Resolution of the Legislative Assembly (originally published in 1859) are re-published for the information of all Officers in the Civil Service, and of Electoral Registrars, and others in the employment of the Government:—

"Such officers are hereby accordingly instructed to refrain from taking any part in Elections for Members of Parliament beyond the recording of such vote or votes as by law they may be entitled to; and they are also informed that dismissal from the Civil Service will be the penalty for disobedience to this Order."

J. McCULLOCH.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 30th November, 1865.

Resolution of the Legislative Assembly, dated 16th February 1859.

"That an instruction be sent by the Government to each Government employé in the Civil Service under the control of the Ministry, requiring him to refrain from taking any part in Elections for Members of Parliament beyond the recording of such vote or votes as he may be by law entitled to; and that dismissal from the Civil Service will be the penalty of disobedience to the Order."

LUNATICS LABORING UNDER INFECTIOUS OR CONTAGIOUS DISEASE.

TO avoid risk to the inmates of the Lunatic Asylum, it has been directed that in future no person laboring under any infectious or contagious disease be received as a patient.

If difficulty arise in the management of such cases at home, it is recommended that application be made to the Medical Superintendent of the Asylum for his advice and assistance.

J. McCULLOCH.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1865.

ENSIGN FOR CUSTOMS BOATS, ETC.

It is hereby intimated, for general information, that from this date, in accordance with the Admiralty Regulations, published in the *Government Gazette* of 27th January, 1865, the Blue Ensign with the Union described therein, together with a Crown and the initial letters H. M. C., will be borne by boats, &c., in the Customs Department, in lieu of that previously in force.

JAS. G. FRANCIS,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1865.

REGISTRATION OF IMPORTED LIVE STOCK.

(Act 19 Victoria No. 21.)

RETURN of the Registration of Live Stock imported into the Colony of Victoria during the Quarter ending 30th September, 1865:—

Where from.	Where registered.	Description of Live Stock.		
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Horses.
New South Wales	Bairnsdale ...	179	...	356
	Belvoir ...	1,300	5,810	141
	Cowana	227
	Echuca ...	14,754	46,185	203
	Swan Hill ...	4,867	32,393	19
South Australia	Wahgunyah ...	577	1,313	...
	Casterton	5,700	...
	Harrow	7,925	...
Total ...		21,667	99,334	946

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,

Registrar General's Office,
Melbourne, 7th December, 1865.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF RENTS OF RUNS FOR 1865.

REFERRING to the list of Rents of Runs published in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th instant: It is hereby notified that the following are added as supplementary thereto:—

Runs.	District.	Occupier.	Amount of Rent payable for half-year ending 31st Dec., 1865.
Buffalo East	Beechworth	Hugh Nixon	£ s. d. 18 0 0
Wharfarella	Echuca	Hugh Glass and Robert Glass	216 13 4
Rifle Ranges	Portland	Henry Miller.	66 13 4

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

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 9th December, 1865.

PROPOSED ROAD IN THE PARISH OF WOOLAMAI, COUNTY OF MORNINGTON.

IN accordance with the provisions of *The Public Works Statute 1865* (29 Victoria No. 239, § 38): Notice is hereby given that the Board of Land and Works, deeming it expedient to open a new road through the lands hereinafter described, has caused a map and survey plan thereof, describing the exact course and bearings, and the admeasurements required for the same, and through what lands the same is proposed to pass, and the names of the owners or occupiers thereof, so far as known, together with an estimate of the expense of the work, to be deposited at this office for inspection.

Description of land proposed to be taken for road purposes through the property of the representatives of the late Samuel Anderson, in the parish of Woolamai, county of Mornington.

ROAD A.—Commencing at the north-west angle of section 7, parish of Woolamai, county of Mornington, and thence running south seventy-nine chains to the south-west angle of said section; thence west along the south boundary of section 6, same parish and county, for one chain; thence north seventy-nine chains to the north boundary of said section 6; and thence east along the northern boundary of said section 6 to the commencing point.

ROAD B.—Commencing at twenty-one chains sixty-eight links (2168) on the south boundary of section 6, west of the south-west angle of section 7, parish of Woolamai, county of Mornington, thence running north fifty-eight degrees thirty minutes (58° 30') east nine chains seventy-nine links (979); thence north seventy-five degrees eleven minutes (75° 11') east twelve chains sixty-six links (1266); thence south one chain three and a half links (1'035), on a line one chain distant from the west boundary of said section 7, to a point seven chains thirty-two links (732) from the south boundary of section 6 of the same parish and county; thence south seventy-five degrees eleven minutes (75° 11') west twelve chains twenty-five links (1225); thence south fifty-eight degrees thirty minutes (58° 30')

west eight chains one link (801) to the south boundary of said section 6; thence west one chain ninety-one links (191) along the last boundary to the commencing point.

The estimate of the expense of the work is as follows:—

Land, 10a. 6p., at £5 per acre	£50 3 9
Fencing 799 rods at 5s. per rod	199 15 0
Total	£249 18 9

All persons affected by the proposed work are hereby required to set forth in writing, addressed to the said Board at this office, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, any well-grounded objections they may have to the work.

Dated and published this 12th day of December, 1865.

J. F. SULLIVAN.

Office of Roads and Bridges,
Melbourne.

THE SHIRE OF OXLEY.

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 thirteenth day of November, 1862, a Road District was proclaimed under the designation of "The Oxley Road District." And whereas by another Proclamation bearing date the twenty-ninth day of February, 1864, the said Road District was altered as therein mentioned: And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council made on the fourth day of September, 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 Oxley 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 OXLEY.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this fourth day of December, 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.

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

THE SUBDIVISIONS OF THE SHIRE OF METCALFE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of October, 1865.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor

Brigadier-General Carey,	Mr. Verdon
C.B.	Mr. Francis
Mr. McCulloch	Mr. Grant
Mr. Michie	Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Higinbotham	

WHEREAS by *The Local Government Act 1863* it is amongst other things enacted that at any time after the first annual election or general election, as the case may be, or first appointment of members of the district board, for any original or proclaimed district thereafter sometimes called "single district," the Governor in Council, if it seem fit, may, and if he shall have received a petition to that effect signed by twenty persons liable to be rated under the said Act in respect of rateable property in the said district, shall within three months after the receipt of the same divide the district into two, or, if the Governor in Council shall see fit, into three separate electoral subdivisions, hereinafter called subdivisions, by such names as shall by such Order in Council be assigned to the same, and in and by such Order in Council the boundaries of the subdivisions shall be set forth; provided that no such division shall be made within three months before any day appointed for holding any election of members of the district board in or for such district; and it is also enacted that every shire shall after the proclamation thereof as such be and be deemed to be and have been such and the same district as such shire was at the time of such proclamation, and save as aforesaid and save where therein otherwise expressly provided all the provisions of the said Act relating to districts shall continue and be of full force and effect with regard to such shire and be read accordingly:

And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council made on the tenth day of July in the present year the Shire of Metcalfe was constituted: And whereas the Governor in Council has received a petition signed by not less than twenty persons liable to be rated under the said Act in respect of rateable property in the said shire, praying for the division of the said shire into subdivisions: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order divide the Shire of Metcalfe into three separate electoral subdivisions in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, by the names hereinafter assigned to the same respectively, and doth hereby set forth the boundaries of the said several subdivisions in manner following, that is to say:—

SOUTHERN RIDING—Starting at the same point as the North Riding; thence southerly and westerly by the shire boundary, and northerly and easterly by the southern boundaries of the West and North Ridings to the starting point.

NORTHERN RIDING—Starting on the boundary of the shire at the southern boundary of Redesdale parish; thence by a straight line continuous with the latter boundary to the Coliban River, and by that river to the boundary of the West Riding; thence by the last boundary northerly and by the shire boundary easterly and southerly to the starting point.

WESTERN RIDING—Starting at the junction of the boundary of Sutton Grange parish with Myrtle Creek; thence by that creek (bounding on the west portion 13, adjoining Simpson's pre-emptive right on the south, in the same parish) to its intersection with a road forming part of the west boundary of said portion 13; thence southerly by that road forming the east boundary of Spring-hill in the said parish to the south-west angle of portion 31 of the same parish; thence easterly by the road forming the southern boundary of said portion 31, and by the western and southern boundaries of allotment 11, section 1, and Orr's pre-emptive right, both in the parish of Hawkestone, to the Coliban River; thence by that river to the southern boundary of the shire, and by the boundary of the shire westerly, northerly, and easterly, to the starting point.

And the Honorable James Forrester Sullivan shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

J. H. KAY,

2805.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE SHIRE OF GLENLYON.

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
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THE SHIRE OF GLENLYON.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this fourth day of December, 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.

3274.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

DEPOSITS UNDER REGULATIONS RELATING TO LEASES OF AURIFEROUS AND MINERAL LANDS AND WATER-RIGHT LICENSES.

THE Governor in Council, by Order made on the 4th day of December, 1865, has approved of the substitution of the subjoined form in lieu of form A. attached to an Order in Council of the 16th of February, 1863 (published in the *Gazette* of that year, pages 452-3), touching deposits under Regulations relating to leases of auriferous and mineral lands and water-right licenses.

J. F. SULLIVAN.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1865.

Mining Department.

Statement of the sums deposited during the month of
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in the _____ division of the mining district of _____, in conformity with the Regulations relating to auriferous and mineral leases and water-rights, by applicants for leases and licenses, and objectors to the issue of such leases and licenses, showing also what portions of such sums have been disbursed by the said _____ or how otherwise disposed of, and the balance remaining in hand at the close of the month.

Particulars of applications for Leases or Licenses on account of which amounts have been received or against which objections have been made.				Receipts.				Disbursements.											
Date of Receipt of Deposit.	Names of Applicants or Objectors.	Area of ground situated.	Where situated.	Deposits.				Where deposited by* and on what date.	Amounts disbursed by*										
				Looked for applications for preliminary purposes.	Looked by Objectors to cover expenses to which applicants may without sufficient reason be put.	£	s.		d.	Date of Payment.	To whom paid.	For what purpose.	From deposit of Applicants.	From deposit of Objectors.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
																Total	£		

* Here insert official title of officer—Clerk to Warden or Clerk of Petty Sessions, as the case may be.

Statement of the balance in hand at the expiration of the month
of 186 .

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1890-1891	10	0	0	10	0	0
1891-1892	10	0	0	10	0	0
1892-1893	10	0	0	10	0	0
1893-1894	10	0	0	10	0	0
1894-1895	10	0	0	10	0	0
1895-1896	10	0	0	10	0	0
1896-1897	10	0	0	10	0	0
1897-1898	10	0	0	10	0	0
1898-1899	10	0	0	10	0	0
1899-1900	10	0	0	10	0	0
1900-1901	10	0	0	10	0	0
1901-1902	10	0	0	10	0	0
1902-1903	10	0	0	10	0	0
1903-1904	10	0	0	10	0	0
1904-1905	10	0	0	10	0	0
1905-1906	10	0	0	10	0	0
1906-1907	10	0	0	10	0	0
1907-1908	10	0	0	10	0	0
1908-1909	10	0	0	10	0	0
1909-1910	10	0	0	10	0	0
1910-1911	10	0	0	10	0	0
1911-1912	10	0	0	10	0	0
1912-1913	10	0	0	10	0	0
1913-1914	10	0	0	10	0	0
1914-1915	10	0	0	10	0	0
1915-1916	10	0	0	10	0	0
1916-1917	10	0	0	10	0	0
1917-1918	10	0	0	10	0	0
1918-1919	10	0	0	10	0	0
1919-1920	10	0	0	10	0	0
1920-1921	10	0	0	10	0	0
1921-1922	10	0	0	10	0	0
1922-1923	10	0	0	10	0	0
1923-1924	10	0	0	10	0	0
1924-1925	10	0	0	10	0	0
1925-1926	10	0	0	10	0	0
1926-1927	10	0	0	10	0	0
1927-1928	10	0	0	10	0	0
1928-1929	10	0	0	10	0	0
1929-1930	10	0	0	10	0	0
1930-1931	10	0	0	10	0	0
1931-1932	10	0	0	10	0	0
1932-1933	10	0	0	10	0	0
1933-1934	10	0	0	10	0	0
1934-1935	10	0	0	10	0	0
1935-1936	10	0	0	10	0	0
1936-1937	10	0	0	10	0	0
1937-1938	10	0	0	10	0	0
1938-1939	10	0	0	10	0	0
1939-1940	10	0	0	10	0	0
1940-1941	10	0	0	10	0	0
1941-1942	10	0	0	10	0	0
1942-1943	10	0	0	10	0	0
1943-1944	10	0	0	10	0	0
1944-1945	10	0	0	10	0	0
1945-1946	10	0	0	10	0	0
1946-1947	10	0	0	10	0	0
1947-1948	10	0	0	10	0	0
1948-1949	10	0	0	10	0	0
1949-1950	10	0	0	10	0	0
1950-1951	10	0	0	10	0	0

	\$	¢	m.	c.	d.
Balance brought forward from last month's return					
" " "					

Amount of deposits received during
present month of

Total	£
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Amount disbursed during the present month
of

Balance in hand	£
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I, _____, the undersigned, do solemnly and sincerely declare that this return is correct and true in every particular; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

(Signed)

Declared before me at
this day of
(Signed)

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J.P. }

MINING REGISTRAR.

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

JAMES MAXWELL, senior.

to be a Mining Registrar.

Mr. Maxwell will act as Mining Registrar within the division hereafter described, viz.: Commencing at the south-eastern angle of the town of Malmesbury; thence by a line easterly to that point on the Main Dividing Range intersected by the road from Lancefield to Heathcote; thence southerly and westerly by the Main Dividing Range to the source of the Campaspe river; thence northerly by that river to a point due east of the northern boundary of Clowe's pre-emptive section; thence due west to the range dividing the waters of the rivers Loddon and Coliban; thence by that range to the road or track leading from Glenlyon to Malmesbury; thence by that road or track to a point due south of the south-western angle of the town of Malmesbury; thence by a line due north to that angle; and thence by the southern boundary of the town of Malmesbury to its south-eastern angle, the commencing point aforesaid.

J. F. SULLIVAN.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1865.

MINING SURVEYORS' AND REGISTRARS'
DISTRICTS.

IT is hereby notified that

Mr. A. M. Ross

will act as Mining Surveyor and Mining Registrar within the boundaries herein contained: Commencing on a point on the sea-coast due south of Seacombe; thence north to the outlet of Lake Wellington; thence by the northern shores of Lake Wellington to the River Avon; thence by that river five miles, more or less; thence by a line northerly to the range separating the waters of the Perry River and the River Avon; thence northerly by the Dividing Range to a point due east of Mount Useful; thence north-easterly to the junction of the River Mitchell and the Wentworth River; thence by a line due east to the range dividing the waters of the Wentworth River and the Nicholson River; thence northerly by that range to Mount Baldhead; thence by a line north-easterly to the range forming the southern rim of the basin or watershed of Swifts Creek, Sheep Station Creek, and Hiley's Creek; thence easterly to the range above the junction of the Perry River and the Avon; thence by the northern shore of the Perry River to the junction of the Perry River and the Wentworth River; thence by a line easterly to the junction of the Murrindate Creek with the Snowy River; thence southerly by that river and a line south to the sea-coast; and thence by the sea-coast to a point due south of Seacombe, the commencing point aforesaid.

Mr. WILLIAM WINGATE

will continue to act as Mining Surveyor for the portion of the Crooked River subdivision not included within the boundaries above mentioned.

J. F. SULLIVAN,
Minister of Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 11th December, 1865.

TELEGRAPH OFFICERS, ETC.

THE following arrangements, in connection with the Department of Electric Telegraph, have been sanctioned by the Governor in Council:—

Mr. GEORGE STEWART CALDWELL

to be Acting Manager of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts at Melbourne, from the 11th to the 31st December, 1865, inclusive, during the absence on leave of Mr. T. R. James,

Mr. WILLIAM H. HOLLICK

to be Acting Manager of Electric Telegraph and Collector of Imposts, also to act as Postmaster, at Taradale, from 30th November, 1865, *vice* Mr. H. Ellis, suspended.

JAMES McCULLOCH.

General Post Office, •
Melbourne, 7th December, 1865.

AGENT OF THE BOARD OF LAND AND WORKS.

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

WILLIAM O'SHANNASSY (No. 1851), Constable at Dromana, to be an Agent of the Board of Land and Works for the issue of Licenses.

J. M. GRANT.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1865.

CLERKS OF COURTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, was pleased on the 4th of December, 1865, to approve of the following appointments, viz.:-

R. McNIECE (Clerk of Courts, acting at Beaufort), transferred to act as Clerk in the Police Court, at Ballarat East, vice Tomlins resigned. Mr. McNiece commenced duty accordingly on the 5th of December, 1865.

C. W. MINCHIN,

to resume duty as Clerk of the County Court, Court of Mines, and of Petty Sessions at Beaufort, on return from leave of absence, vice R. McNiece relieved. Mr. Minchin commenced duty on the 3rd of December, 1865.

ARCHD. MICHIE.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne.

INSPECTORS OF SLAUGHTER-HOUSES, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, was pleased on the 2nd of October, 1865, to appoint the undermentioned members of the Police Force to be Inspectors of Slaughter-houses and of Cattle intended for slaughter, &c., viz.:-

Constable SIMON JOHNSTON (No. 2064) to act in the Police District of Bourke.

Senior Constable STUART EMERSON (No. 380) to act in the Police District of Heathcote.

Constable JOHN BOYD (No. 2072) to act in the Police District of Kilmore.

Constable JOHN GRAY (No. 1857) to act in the Police District of Melbourne.

J. McCULLOCH.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne.

TRUSTEES.

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

PATRICK O'MEARA and
JOHN PURCELL

to be Trustees of the land at Heathcote set apart for Roman Catholic Church purposes, vice Adam Stackpole, who has left the locality, and Michael Dwyer, deceased.

WILLIAM MERRY,
JOHN JOHNSON,
JOHN ALDERDICE,
JOHN McLACHLAN, and
ALEXANDER MORRISON,

to be Trustees of the land at Mafra set apart on the 19th of December, 1864, for Presbyterian Church purposes.

WILLIAM CRAIG,
DAVID WEIR, and
JOHN GEDDES,

to be Trustees of the land at Stratford set apart on the 29th of December, 1856, for Presbyterian Church purposes, the two first named being in the room of Robert Thomson and Angus McMillan, both deceased.

JOHN SUMNER

to be a Trustee of the land at Talbot set apart for Church of England purposes, vice George Chapman, deceased.

WILLIAM ROSS,
DUNCAN ROBERTSON,
GEORGE BEATON,
JOHN STEWART, and
DAVID DRAFFIN,

to be Trustees of the land at Windermere set apart on the 8th of May and 24th of July, 1865, for Presbyterian Church purposes.

J. M. GRANT.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1865.

INSOLVENCIES.

RETURN of Insolvencies for the week ending 9th December, 1865, in the Geelong Circuit District:-

Nos., names, residences, occupations, and dates of sequestration.
1766. Samuel Saunders, Ballarat East, mining agent, 27th November.

1767. James Palmer, Mount Duneed, contractor, 2nd December.

A. J. LANDON,
Chief Clerk.

Insolvent Court Office,
Geelong, 9th December, 1865.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED—(Series 1866).

For what purpose Contract is required.	No. of Tenders.	Particulars of each Tender, and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	If a Contractor previously	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorised, according to Regulations.
2. Offices, &c.	2	Supply of gas as required at the various Government departments in and about Melbourne, at rates stated in the annexed schedule, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866	Rates in annexed schedule	City of Melbourne Gas and Coke Company	Yes*	Contingencies, 1866	G. Verdon.

* Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Melbourne, 12th December, 1865.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 2.

CITY OF MELBOURNE GAS AND COKE COMPANY.

Supply of Gas.

	Per 1000 cubic feet. £ s. d.		Per 1000 cubic feet. £ s. d.
Railway Station, Spencer street	...	Pentridge Stockade, Pentridge	...
Law Office, Collins street	...	Police Barracks, Wellington parade	...
Volunteer Office, Stephen street	...	Police Station, Bridge road	...
Telegraph Office, Flinders lane	...	Police Station, Prahran...	...
District Police Court, Swanston street	...	Police Station, St. Kilda	...
City Police Court, Swanston street	...	Police Quarters, Emerald Hill	...
Detective Office, Little Collins street	...	Police Quarters, Sandridge	...
Post Office, Elizabeth street	...	Toll-gate, Sandridge	...
Police Barracks, Russell street	...	Police Station, Windsor	...
Police Offices, Russell street	...	Police Quarters, St. Kilda	...
Laboratory, Russell street	...		
Melbourne Gaol, Russell street	...		
Gaol Quarters, Swanston street	...		
Public Library, Swanston street	...		
Police Stations, Swanston street	...		
Police Stations, King street	...		
Police Stations, Nicholson street	...		
Police Stations, Perry street	...		
Parliament Houses, Eastern Hill	...		
Parliament Library and Stables	...		
Government Printing Office	...		
Police Quarters, Lonsdale street	...		
Crown Lands Office, La Trobe street	...		
Photographic Office, William street	...		
Telegraph Office, William street	...		
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		Outside lamps at the Parliament Houses, and elsewhere, at the rate of, per lamp per annum	£ s. d. 10 10 0

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, 12th December, 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, also subsequently when in full work.	Precise locality, and time of commencing operations.	Term of Lease and General Remarks.
Ararat	G. L. Johnston. "Perseverance Gold Mining Co." (No. 96)	A. R. P. 10 0 0	Alluvial	£1000	First three months four men, subsequently ten men	Barkly Flat. On grant of lease	15 years.
Beechworth	J. E. Butler. "Golden Horn B.B. Gold Mining Co." (No. 456)	20 0 14	Quartz	£3000	First six months four men, subsequently twelve men	Matlock. At work	15 years.
	W. Story. "Garibaldi Quartz Mining Co." (No. 486)	15 0 3	Quartz	£3500	First six months four men, subsequently twelve men	Garibaldi Creek. On grant of lease	15 years.
	W. McLean and another. (No. 499)	73 1 3	Alluvial	£3000. Steam machinery, &c.	First six months twenty men, subsequently forty-five men	Premier Lead, Morse's Creek. On grant of lease	10 years.
	F. Blumner and others. (No. 500)	223 1 25	Alluvial	£4000. Steam machinery	First six months thirty men, subsequently seventy men	Half mile below Bright. Already commenced	15 years.
	H. Geary. "Victoria Gold Mining Co. (registered)." (No. 503)	5 0 20	Quartz	£8000. Labor and machinery	First six months four men, subsequently ten men	Morning Star, Wood's Point. On grant of lease	15 years.
	F. A. Thies and others. "Bright Star Gold Mining Co." (No. 504)	13 0 25	Alluvial	£2000. Steam power	First six months nine men, subsequently twenty-eight men	Bright. On grant of lease	15 years.
	W. H. Campbell and another. "Duncanough Gold Mining Co." (No. 507)	24 3 32	Quartz	£5000	First six months six men, subsequently ten men	North Crinoline. Donnelly's Creek. On grant of lease	15 years.
	E. E. Keelan and others. "North Crinoline Quartz Mining Co." (No. 508)	14 1 0	Quartz	£10,500. Tunnelling and machinery	First six months six men, subsequently ten men	North Crinoline	15 years.
	C. Templar. "Tubal Cain Quartz Mining Co." (No. 509)	24 0 11	Quartz	£5000. Shaft, tunnel, and machinery	First six months four men, subsequently ten men	Girl's Reef Stringer's Creek. On grant of lease	15 years.
	W. Noble and another. "Martiner Gold Mining Co." (No. 511)	19 0 18	Quartz	£6000	First six months four men, subsequently ten men	Near Kelly's Dividing Range. On grant of lease	15 years.
	J. T. Bell and another. "District Miners Gold Mining Co." (No. 512)	46 0 15	Alluvial	£2500. Deep sinking with machinery	First six months ten men, subsequently forty-five men	Morse's Creek. On grant of lease	10 years.
	N. N. Gitchell and others. (No. 513)	21 0 17	Alluvial	£2000. Steam machinery	First six months ten men, subsequently thirty men	Premier Lead, Morse's Creek. On grant of lease	15 years.
Castlemaine	G. Cogswell. "Boysie Mining Co." (No. 516)	23 2 14	Quartz	£5000. Manual labor and machinery	First three months six men, subsequently sixteen men	Wannangatta River	15 years.
Maryborough	E. G. Walker. "Warrior Quartz Mining Co." (No. 279)	7 3 5	Quartz	£2000. Sinking and tunnelling	First two months two men, subsequently six men	Lisle's Reef, Maldon. On lease of lease.	15 years.
	T. D. Wrigley. "Scandinavian Gold Mining Co." (No. 423)	163 2 38	Alluvial	£10,000. Boring, sinking, and machinery	First three months six men, subsequently fifty men	Mount Greenock Plains. On grant of lease	15 years.
	S. Hagarty. Mount Greenock Extended Gold Mining Co. (registered). (No. 480)	20 1 8	Alluvial	£10,000. Steam machinery	First six months twenty-five men, subsequently twenty men	Mount Greenock	15 years.
	E. Roe. "Enterprise Gold Mining Co." (No. 492)	1 0 0	Alluvial	£2000. Steam machinery	First six months two men, subsequently four men	Mount Greenock south side. On grant of lease	15 years.
	G. Douglas and another. "Mount Greenock Quartz Mining Co." (No. 493)	10 0 13	Quartz	£4000. Steam machinery if necessary	First six months four men, subsequently twelve men	N Year's Reef, McCallum's Creek. Immediately	15 years.
	W. Guscott. "Cockatoo and Emu Junction Gold Mining Co." (No. 496)	26 0 10	Alluvial	£3000. Steam machinery	First three months three men, subsequently twenty men	Cockatoo and Emu, about five miles N.E. of Talbot. On grant of lease	15 years.

Sandhurst ...	25 3 31	Quartz and alluvial ...	\$25000. Manual labor and steam power if required	First six months four men, subsequently twenty-five men	Derwent Gully. On issue of lease	15 years.
J. G. Wheadon and another. Mining Co." (No. 743)	28 2 32	Alluvial	\$500. Dams, rails, and sluice-boxes	First six months four men, subsequently twenty men	Coliban River. Immediately	15 years.
C. Gambatti and another. "William Tell Mining Co." (No. 748)	12 3 36	Quartz	\$500. Windlass, whip, &c.	First six months two men, subsequently twelve men	Eaglehawk. On issue of lease	15 years.
N. Walker. "Monarch Gold Mining Co." (No. 749)	16 3 0	Quartz and alluvial	\$25000. Whim or windlass, steam machinery if required	First three months three men, subsequently sixteen men	Growler's Gully, Eaglehawk. On grant of lease	15 years.
J. Bulson and another. "Oriental Gold Mining Co." (No. 750)	9 1 33	Alluvial	\$20000. Steam and horse power	First two months three men, subsequently nine men	Lower Huntly. Immediately	15 years.
J. Webster. "Caledonian Co." (No. 752)	15 2 39	Quartz and alluvial	\$15000. Steam machinery	First three months four men, subsequently fifteen men	Fly-blow Reef, Dead Dog Gully. Forthwith	15 years.
J. Hasker. "Waterloo Gold Mining Co." (No. 753)	9 0 37	Quartz	\$300. Windlass, horse whim, &c.	First three months two men, subsequently nine men	Dead Dog Gully. Immediately	15 years.
D. Field and another. "Lincoln Reef Gold Mining Co." (No. 754)	4 1 31	Alluvial	\$100. Puddling machine	First six months two men, subsequently four men	Huntly. On issue of lease	5 years.
J. W. Foot. (No. 755)	17 3 15	Quartz and alluvial	\$1000 and upwards. Hand and horse labor until steam is applicable	First six months four men, subsequently seventeen men	Golden Gully. Now at work	15 years.
T. Burrows. "Chance Co." (No. 756)	7 1 29	Alluvial	\$2000. Tunnelling, sluicing, and crushing	First six months four men, subsequently twenty men	Lower Huntly. On grant of lease	10 years.
J. Holmes and others. "Cambridge Co." (No. 757)	29 0 6	Alluvial	\$150 for tunnelling. \$2000 for sinking	First six months four men, subsequently twelve men	Campaspe River. On issue of lease	15 years.
H. Thomas and another. "Aspromonte Gold Mining Co." (No. 758)	29 1 34	Alluvial	\$3000. Pumping, sluicing, and crushing machinery	First three months six men, subsequently twelve men	Campaspe River. On issue of lease	15 years.
J. Owen and others. (No. 759)						
C. J. Robinson and another. "Trafalgar Gold Mining Co." (No. 760)						

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

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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:-

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

Application No. 350, for lease No. 505; applicant, F. A. Lewis; area, 3a. 1r. 20p.; Wood's Point township.

OMEO DIVISION (GRANT, CROOKED RIVER).

Application of John Jones and George Edwards, for lease No. 520; area, 25 acres; east of adjoining the Morning Star Prospecting Claim.

E. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1865.

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 herein-after 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 14 November, 1865.

BEALIBA—Site for Cricket Ground and other purposes of public recreation, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865 (in lieu of the site temporarily reserved therefor by Order of 30th January, 1865, now cancelled).—Seven acres three roods eight perches, county unnamed, township of Bealiba, comprising allotments 1 and 2 of section 16: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 2 aforesaid; bounded thence by Davies street, bearing N. 27° 23' E. six chains; thence by lines bearing S. 62° 38' E. eleven chains and S. 27° 22' W. eight chains; thence by Cochrane street, bearing N. 62° 38' W. six chains; and thence by allotment 3, bearing N. 27° 22' E. two chains; and N. 62° 38' W. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65 K.12892.)

BET-BET—Site for Cemetery, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865 (in lieu of the site temporarily reserved therefor by Order of 1st May, 1865, now cancelled).—Five acres two roods, county of Talbot, parish of Bet-bet, being part of allotment 8 of section 2: Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 6; bounded thence by that allotment, bearing north eleven chains; thence by allotment 7, bearing east five chains; thence by a road bearing south eleven chains; and thence by a road bearing west five chains to the point of commencement.—(65 K.8316.)

CAMPERDOWN—Site for Mechanics' Institute, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865.—One rood, county of Hampden, township of Camperdown, being part of section 18: Commencing at the west angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 60° E. one chain from the west angle of the said section; bounded thence by lines bearing N. 30° E. two chains fifty links, S. 60° E. one chain, and S. 30° W. two chains fifty links; and thence by Manifold street, bearing N. 60° W. one chain to the point of commencement.—(65 K.12520.)

COLERAINE—Site for Court House, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865.—Two roods, county of Dundas, township of Coleraine, being allotment 10 of section 2: Commencing at the south-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by Winter street, bearing north two chains fifty links; thence by allotment 9, bearing east two chains; thence by allotment 8, bearing south two chains fifty links; and thence by White street, bearing west two chains to the point of commencement.—(65 K.11815.)

DANDENONG—Site for Mechanics' Institute, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865.—One rood twenty-two perches and eight-tenths, county of Bourke, parish and township of Dandenong: Commencing at the eastern angle of the site, being a point bearing N. 45° W. one chain from the northern angle of section 7; bounded thence by Walker street, bearing S. 45° W. two chains twenty links and a half; thence by Lonsdale street, bearing N. 13° W. four chains nineteen links; and thence by Langhorne street, bearing S. 45° E. three chains fifty-six links to the point of commencement.—(65 L.11915.)

KINGSTON—Land for a street, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 30th October, 1865.—High street, in the township of Kingston, in the shire of Creswick, one hundred and ninety-eight feet wide, extending from the north boundaries of portions 1 and 2, parish of Spring Hill, to the south boundaries of portions 13 and 14 in the said parish.—(65 L.12181.)

LANCFIELD—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865, (in lieu of the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 14th November, 1864, now cancelled).—Two acres, county of Bourke, parish of Lancelfield, being part of suburban allotment 27: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site, being the north-west angle of the said allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 89° 35' E. four chains; thence by lines bearing S. 0° 25' E. five chains, and S. 89° 35' W. four chains; and thence by allotment 25, bearing N. 0° 25' W. five chains to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65 L.12299.)

LILLYDALE (Yering)—Site for Recreative purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865.—Seven acres thirty-two perches, county of Evelyn, parish of Yering: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing N. 8° 58' E. one chain fifty links, and N. 81° 19' W. eight chains, more or less, from the north-east angle of allotment 4 of section 30; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 81° 19' W. eight chains; and thence by lines bearing N. 8° 58' E. nine chains, S. 81° 19' E. eight chains, and S. 8° 58' W. nine chains to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65 L.12141.)

MOYSTON—Site for Presbyterian Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865, being an extension of the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 10th April, 1865.—Two roods, county unnamed, township of Moyston: Commencing at the north angle of the site already reserved for Presbyterian Church purposes; bounded thence by that site, bearing S. 61° 30' W. two chains fifty links; thence by lines bearing N. 28° 30' W. two chains, and N. 61° 30' E. two chains fifty links; and thence by a road bearing S. 28° 30' E. two chains to the point of commencement.—(65 L.5141.)

SMYTHESDALE—Land for Drainage Area of a Reservoir for supplying water to Smythesdale, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 6th November, 1865, subject to the condition that no existing mining or water rights be obstructed or interfered with.—Eight hundred and fifteen acres two roods fifteen perches, county of Grenville, parish of Smythesdale: Commencing at a point on the western boundary of the borough of Smythesdale five chains from the north-west angle thereof; bounded thence by lines bearing S. 62° 10' W. seventy-nine chains sixty-six links, N. 20° W. fifty-three chains, N. 17° E. sixty-three chains, east eighty-two chains, S. 3° W. seventy-three chains, and west eight chains to the point of commencement.—(65 L.12580.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 21 November, 1865.

ELTHAM—Site for Racing and other Recreative purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865 (in lieu of the site set apart for those purposes by Order of 26th January, 1867, now cancelled).—Thirty-six acres, more or less, county of Evelyn, township of Eltham: Commencing at the point where the eastern side of the road from Melbourne to the Caledonian Diggings abuts on the right bank of Diamond Creek; bounded thence by that road, bearing S. 34° 45' W. fifteen chains, more or less, and S. 77° W. two chains forty links, more or less; thence by a road bearing S. 20° 56' E. fifteen chains, more or less; thence by a line bearing N. 87° 17' E. fourteen chains fifty links, more or less; thence by a line bearing N. about 25° E. four chains, more or less, to Diamond Creek aforesaid; and thence by that Creek bearing northerly to the point of commencement; as shown on the plan deposited at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(65 L.11402.)

GRANT—Site for Public Buildings, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865.—One rood twenty-nine perches and a half, county unnamed, township of Grant, North Gipps Land: Commencing at the south angle of the site, being a point formed by the junction of the north-east side of Dyson street with the north-west side of Gertrude street; bounded thence by Dyson street, bearing N. 35° 45' W. three chains eighty-five links and a half; thence by Well street, bearing N. 27° 27' E. one chain twenty links; thence by Applin street, bearing S. 33° 45' E. four chains forty-three links; and thence by Gertrude street, bearing S. 56° 15' W. one chain five links to the point of commencement.—(65 K.12874.)

PORTLAND—Site for Public Gardens and Recreation, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865.—Nine acres, county of Normanby, township of Portland, being sections 19 A and 19 B: Commencing at the north-west angle of section 19 B; bounded thence by Tyers street, bearing S. 88° E. ten chains; thence by Hurd street, bearing S. 2° W. ten chains; thence by Henty street, bearing N. 88° W. ten chains; and thence by Blair street, bearing N. 2° E. ten chains to the point of commencement; excepting Palmer street, one chain wide, as shown on the plan deposited at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(65 K.13265.)

PORTLAND—Site for Police purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865, being an extension of the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 10th August, 1863.—Twenty perches, county of Normanby, township of Portland, being part of section 28: Commencing at the south-west angle of the site reserved as aforesaid by Order of 10th August, 1863; bounded thence by that site bearing S. 88° E. two chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing S. 2° W. fifty links; thence by a line bearing N. 88° W. two chains fifty links; and thence by Bentinck street, bearing N. 2° E. fifty links to the point of commencement.—(65 K.12516.)

SANDRIDGE—Site for Boat-house for the use of the Post Office Department, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865.—Twelve perches, county of Bourke, parish of South Melbourne, at Sandridge: Commencing at the north angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 28° W. two chains from the west angle of allotment 5 of section 2; bounded thence by lines bearing S. 28° W. one chain, S. 62° E. seventy-five links, and N. 28° E. one chain; and thence by Beach street, bearing N. 62° W. seventy-five links to the point of commencement.—(65 K.12756.)

STEIGLITZ (New Year's Reef)—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865.—One acre, county of Grant, at New Year's Reef, near Steiglitz: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing north two chains from the south-west angle of the Malakoff Prospecting Claim; bounded thence by lines bearing west five chains, north two chains, east five chains, and south two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.3905.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 28 November, 1865.

BEALIBA—Land *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, for Racing and Recreative purposes, viz.:—One hundred and sixty acres: Commencing at the south-east angle of the land, being a point bearing west twenty chains and north forty chains from the geodetic post at the south-east angle of contract survey block No. 65/51; bounded thence by lines bearing west sixty chains, north twenty-six chains sixty-seven links, east sixty chains, and south twenty-six chains sixty-seven links to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65 L.13080.)

BEECHWORTH—Site for Benevolent Asylum purposes, *permanently* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, being the site temporarily reserved for those purposes by Order of 23rd December, 1862.—Five acres and three perches, county unnamed, parish of Beechworth, being allotments 1, 2, and 3 of section C2: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 3; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 18° 22' E. eleven chains;

thence by a road bearing S. 50° 45' E. five chains thirty-three links; thence by allotments 8 and 7, bearing S. 18° 22' west nine chains eight links; and thence by allotment 11, bearing N. 71° 38' W. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.13445.)

BROMLEY—Site for Wesleyan Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865.—Two roods, county unnamed, parish of Dunolly, township of Bromley, being allotment 2 of section 3 A: Commencing at the north angle of the allotment; bounded thence by allotment 3, bearing S. 39° E. two chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing S. 51° W. two chains; thence by allotment 1, bearing N. 39° W. two chains fifty links; and thence by a line bearing N. 51° E. two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.13267.)

GLENMUNA—Land *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, as a site from which stone can be procured under the usual stone licenses.—Five acres, county unnamed, parish of Glenmuna: Commencing at the east angle of the land being a point bearing west twenty-four chains fifty links from the south-west angle of the town reserve, Bung Bong; bounded thence by lines bearing S. 45° W. ten chains, N. 45° W. five chains, N. 45° E. ten chains, and S. 45° E. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.12789.)

LAANECOOBIE—Site for Cricket Ground and General Recreative purpose, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865.—Ten acres, county unnamed, parish of Laanecoorie, in the Laanecoorie village reserve: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing west six chains and north nine chains from the north-west angle of allotment 4 of section 10, in the said parish; bounded thence by lines bearing west ten chains, north ten chains, east ten chains, and south ten chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.13575.)

MALMSBURY—Site for Wesleyan Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865.—Two roods fourteen perches, county of Dalhousie, township of Malmesbury, being allotments 1 and 2 of section 21: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 1; bounded thence by Molison street east, bearing S. 80° E. two chains ninety-six links; thence by a road bearing S. 24° 45' W. two chains fifty-five links; thence by allotment 3, bearing N. 80° W. one chain eighty-seven links and a half; and thence by Ross street, bearing N. 0° 24' E. two chains fifty links and a half to the point of commencement.—(65.L.8558.)

MELBOURNE—Site for Victorian Deaf and Dumb Asylum purposes *temporarily* reserved by Order of 13th November, 1865, in extension of the land *temporarily* reserved for those purposes by Order of 22nd August, 1864.—Two acres one rood twelve perches, county of Bourke, parish of South Melbourne: Commencing at the junction of the north side of High street with the St. Kilda road; bounded thence by the said road, bearing N. 25° 27' W. six chains fifty links; thence by a line bearing N. 89° 29' E. three chains ninety-three links to the north-west angle of the land *temporarily* reserved as aforesaid; thence by the western boundary thereof, bearing S. 25° 27' E. six chains fifty-four links; thence by High street aforesaid, bearing S. 89° 50' W. three chains ninety-three links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.12266.)

MERTON—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865 (in lieu of the site *temporarily* reserved for those purposes by Order of 8th May, 1865, now cancelled).—Two acres, county of Anglesey, township of Merton, being allotments 7, 8, 9, and 10 of section 1: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 7; bounded thence by Duke street, bearing south four chains; thence by allotment 11, bearing west five chains; thence by allotments 27, 23, 29, and 30, bearing north four chains; and thence by allotment 6, bearing east five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.K.12232.)

ROKEWOOD—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865.—One acre and thirty-six perches, county of Grenville, township of Rokewood: Commencing at the south angle of the site, being a point bearing N. 19° 30' E. three chains from the east angle of section 1 in the said township; bounded thence by Ferrars street, bearing N. 10° 30' W. three chains fifty links to the south angle of allotment 1 A; thence by that allotment, bearing N. 19° 30' E. four chains; thence by a line bearing S. 54° 34' E. three chains sixty-four links; and thence by Gibb street, bearing S. 19° 30' W. three chains to the point of commencement.—(65.L.128.)

SHELBOURNE—Site for Watering purposes *temporarily* reserved by Order of the 20th November, 1865.—Eighty acres, more or less, in the two portions hereinafter described, county unnamed, parish of Shelbourne, viz., Forty acres more or less, being part of allotment 1, of section 12: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 2, being a point on Bradford Creek; bounded thence by that allotment, bearing north sixteen chains eighty-three links; thence by a line bearing west twenty chains; thence by a road bearing south three chains forty-one links to Bradford Creek aforesaid; and thence by that creek, bearing south-easterly, northerly, and easterly to the point of commencement. Also, Forty acres, more or less, being part of allotment 8 of section 12: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 7, being a point on Bradford Creek; bounded thence by that allotment, bearing south fourteen chains ninety-nine links; thence by a line bearing west twenty chains; thence by a road bearing north thirty-six chains nineteen links to Bradford Creek aforesaid; and thence by that creek, bearing south-easterly, northerly, easterly, and southerly to the point of commencement.—(65.K.12742.)

SMYTHSDALE—Land for Drainage area of a Reservoir for supplying water to Smythsdale, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, subject to the condition that no existing mining or water rights be obstructed or interfered with.—

Four hundred and thirty acres one rood thirty-one perches, county of Grenville, parish of Smythsdale: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 2 of section 29 in the said parish; bounded thence by the south boundary of that allotment bearing east four chains; thence by lines bearing N. 71° 25' E. eighty-seven chains forty links, south sixty-six chains, west forty-seven chains, N. 70° W. fifty-four chains, and N. 29° E. twenty-two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.

SOUTH MELBOURNE—Site for Wesleyan Grammar School purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, as an extension of the site set apart for those purposes by Order of 19th November, 1856.—Two acres one rood eighteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of South Melbourne: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site set apart as aforesaid by Order of 19th November, 1856; bounded thence by the western boundary of that site bearing S. 25° 27' E. six chains sixty-three links; thence by the Deaf and Dumb Asylum reserve, bearing S. 89° 22' W. three chains ninety-three links; thence by the St. Kilda road, bearing N. 25° 27' W. six chains sixty-three links; and thence by a road bearing N. 89° 24' E. three chains ninety-two links to the point of commencement.—(65.K.13595.)

WARRNAMBOOL—Site for Racing and recreative purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 20th November, 1865, being an extension of the site set apart for those purposes on 12th September, 1855.—Twenty-three acres, more or less, county of Villiers, parish of Warrnambool: Commencing at the north angle of the site set apart as aforesaid, on 12th September, 1855; bounded thence by the north-western and south-western boundaries of that site, bearing S. 36° 30' W. twenty-six chains, and S. 53° 30' E. thirty-three chains seventy links; thence by lines bearing north-westerly thirty-three chains, more or less, and seven chains, more or less, north five chains, more or less, and north-easterly twenty-six chains, more or less, to the point of commencement; as shewn on the plan deposited in the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(64.J.7522.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 8 December, 1865.

DAYLESFORD—The area *temporarily* set apart for a Market at Daylesford, by Order of 1st October, 1860, has been diminished by Order of 4th December, 1865, by deducting therefrom one rood, the boundaries of which are described as follows, viz.: Commencing at the intersection of the west side of Vincent street and the south side of Victoria street; thence by Vincent street, bearing south one chain; thence by lines bearing west two chains fifty links and north one chain; and thence by Victoria street, bearing east two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.

DAYLESFORD—Site for Post Office and Telegraph Office purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One rood, county of Talbot, township of Daylesford, being part of section 32: Commencing at the north-east angle of the said section; bounded thence by Vincent street, bearing south one chain; thence by lines bearing west two chains fifty links and north one chain; and thence by Victoria street, bearing east two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(60.D.9744.)

The following Sites were Gazetted 1° on 12 December, 1865.

AXEDALE—Site for Roman Catholic Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One acre, county unnamed, parish of Axedale, being allotment 11 A, of section 8: Commencing at the north-east angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 27° W. ten chains from the north-east angle of allotment 11; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 27° W. two chains; thence by allotment 11 B, bearing N. 63° W. five chains; thence by lines bearing N. 27° E. two chains and S. 63° E. five chains to the point of commencement.—(65.11438.)

BALLARAT EAST—Site for Church of England purposes at Clayton street. In addition to the site *temporarily* reserved for Church of England purposes by Order of 2nd March, 1863, as an extension of the site *temporarily* reserved for those purposes by Order of 2nd June, 1862, the land hereinafter described is *temporarily* reserved for those purposes as a further extension thereof, by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Thirty-six perches and three-tenths, county of Grant, township of Ballarat: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site *temporarily* reserved as aforesaid by Order of 2nd June, 1862, being a point on the northern side of Clayton street; bounded thence by that street, bearing S. 82° 40' E. one chain; thence by a line bearing N. 7° 20' E. two chains twenty-seven links; thence by a roadway bearing N. 82° 40' W. one chain; and thence the by last-mentioned site, bearing S. 7° 20' W. two chains twenty-seven links to the point of commencement.—(65.12374.)

CAMPBELL'S CREEK—Site for Church of England purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865 (in lieu of the site *temporarily* reserved for those purposes by Order of 26th August, 1861, now cancelled).—Twenty-six perches and four-fifths, county of Talbot, parish of Castlemaine: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being the north-east angle of allotment 17 of section 3 A; bounded thence by that allotment, bearing S. 89° 11' W. one chain ninety links; thence by a line bearing N. 0° 49' W. eighty links; thence by a line bearing N. 89° 11' E. two chains thirty links; and thence by a road bearing S. 25° 45' W. ninety links to the point of commencement.—(65.13793.)

CRANBOURNE—Site for Church of England purposes, *permanently* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865 (being the site *temporarily* reserved for those purposes by Order of 19th August, 1861).—Two acres, county of Mornington, township of Cranbourne, being allotments 7, 8, 9, and 10 of section 15: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 9; bounded thence by Russell street, bearing south five chains; thence by Childers street, bearing west four chains; thence by allotment 6, bearing north five chains; and thence by Bakewell street, bearing east four chains to the point of commencement.—(65.14052.)

ELSTERNWICK—Site for Recreative purposes, *temporarily* reserved for the use of the inhabitants of Brighton and Elsternwick by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Eighty-eight acres and nineteen perches, more or less, in the county of Bourke, parish of Prahran: Commencing at the south-west angle, being a point bearing north one chain from the north-west angle of section 13, township of Elsternwick; bounded on the west by a road bearing north forty-four chains ninety-nine links; on the north by a road bearing east eighteen chains forty links or thereabouts; on the north-east by the Melbourne and Brighton road, bearing south-easterly two chains eighty links or thereabouts; on the east by a road bearing south forty-two chains fifty links or thereabouts; on the south by Park street, bearing west nineteen chains sixty-two links to the point of commencement. This land is temporarily reserved for the beforementioned purposes, subject to the condition that the Coast Cricket Club shall be allowed to retain the use of the portion of land, containing nine acres two roods, of which the said club has been granted permissive occupancy.—(65.13621.)

HEALESVILLE—Site for Recreative purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Eleven acres three roods twenty-one perches, more or less, county of Evelyn, township of Healesville, comprising sections P and Q: Commencing at the north-east angle of section P, being a point on the Watts River; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 26° 58' E. four chains fifteen links; thence by a road bearing S. 63° 2' W. twenty chains seventy links; thence by a line bearing N. 8° 17' W. two chains forty-six links to the Watts River aforesaid; and thence by that river bearing north-easterly to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65.13568.)

MAJORCA—Site for Common School purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865, subject to the condition that all persons legally resident on the said site at the date hereof shall be compensated for their improvements thereon by the Board of Education.—One acre, county of Talbot, township of Majorca, being allotment 2 of section 17: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 1; bounded thence by that allotment, bearing S. 0° 30' W. five chains; thence by lines bearing N. 80° 30' W. two chains and N. 0° 30' E. five chains; and thence by a road bearing S. 80° 30' E. two chains to the point of commencement.—(65.4929.)

MARYBOROUGH—Site for Presbyterian Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Thirty-four perches, county of Talbot, township of Maryborough, being allotment 12 of section 30: Commencing at the west angle of the site, being a point on Palmerston street; bounded thence by that street, bearing N. 41° 35' E. one chain fifteen links; thence by the Hospital reserve, bearing S. 48° 25' E. one chain eighty-nine links and S. 40° 30' W. one chain fifteen links; and thence by allotment 13, bearing N. 48° 25' W. one chain ninety-one links to the point of commencement.—(65.13516.)

MELBOURNE (WEST)—Site for Primitive Methodist Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Twenty perches, more or less, county of Bourke, parish of North Melbourne: Commencing at the west angle of the site, being a point formed by the junction of the south side of Miller street with the north-eastern side of Spencer street; bounded thence by the south side of Miller street aforesaid, bearing east to the intersection thereof by the west side of Abbotsford street; thence by the said side of that street, bearing south to the intersection thereof by north-eastern side of Spencer street aforesaid; and thence by the said side of that street, bearing N. 60° W. to the point of commencement.—(65.12573.)

MERTON—Site for Cemetery, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Five acres one rood, county of Anglesey, parish of Merton, being part of portion 42: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site, being a point bearing S. 9° 35' W. fourteen chains ninety-eight links from the north-west angle of the said portion; bounded thence by lines bearing S. 80° 25' E. seven chains fifty links, S. 9° 35' W. seven chains, and N. 80° 25' W. seven chains fifty links; and thence by a road bearing N. 9° 35' E. seven chains to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(65.8246.)

MORANGHURK (Duck Ponds)—Site for Primitive Methodist Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One acre, county of Grant, parish of Moranghurk, being part of allotment 1 of section 15 B: Commencing at the south-west angle of the Common School reserve, being a point bearing south three chains from the north-west angle of the aforesaid allotment; bounded thence by the south boundary of the said reserve, being a line bearing east three chains thirty-four links; thence by lines bearing south three chains and west three chains thirty-four links; and thence by a road bearing north three chains to the point of commencement.—(65.13497.)

MOUNTAIN HUT (near Glenlogie)—Site for Common School purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One acre, county unnamed, near Glenlogie: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site, being a point bearing east twenty chains eighty-seven links and south one chain sixty-four links from the south-east angle of special allotment 121; bounded thence by lines bearing east three chains sixteen links, south three chains sixteen links, west three chains sixteen links, and north three chains sixteen links to the point of commencement.—(65.12980.)

NARREE WERRAN—Site for Wesleyan Church purposes, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One acre, county of Mornington, parish of Narree Werran, being part of allotment 3 of section 22: Commencing at the south angle of the said allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 10° 57' E. four chains forty-nine links; thence by a line bearing S. 79° 3' E. four chains forty-six links; and thence by a road bearing S. 55° 47' W. six chains thirty-three links to the point of commencement.—(65.12361.)

SALE—Site for Temperance Hall, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—One rood, county unnamed, township of Sale, Gipps Land, being part of allotment 3, of section A: Commencing at the north-west angle of the allot-

ment, being a point formed by the intersection of the south side of Foster street and the east side of York street; bounded thence by Foster street, bearing N. 78° E. one chain; thence by a line bearing S. 12° E. two chains fifty links; thence by allotment 4, bearing S. 78° W. one chain; and thence by York street, bearing N. 12° W. two chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(65.13568.)

WILLIAMSTOWN—Site for Grammar School, *temporarily* reserved by Order of 4th December, 1865.—Two acres one rood thirty-three perches and three-tenths, county of Bourke, township of Williamstown, being allotments 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of section 28: Commencing at the east angle of allotment 9; bounded thence by Pascoe street, bearing S. 44° 24' W. seven chains eighty-three links; thence by a road bearing north-westerly three chains ten links in a convex curve whose radius is fifty chains; thence by allotments 14 and 7, bearing N. 44° 24' E. eight chains fifty-four links; and thence by Verdon street, bearing S. 45° 36' E. three chains to the point of commencement.—(65.14127.)

J. M. GRANT,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

MINING LEASE FORFEITED.

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

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—OMEO DIVISION (CROOKED RIVER).

Lease No. 248, dated 5th October, 1865; lessee, Frederick Goss; 18a. 0r. 21p.; near Junglo Creek.

R. BROUGH SMYTH,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 12th December, 1865.

MINING LEASES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Leases have been received at the Warden's Office, Heathcote, and will be returned to the office of the Honorable the Minister of Mines unless executed within seven days from this date:—

100a.; lease No. 655; Sandhurst; R. Baugh.
30a.; lease No. 655; Sandhurst; J. Owen and others.
20a.; lease No. 665; Sandhurst; W. Matzke and another.
100a.; lease No. 666; Sandhurst; C. Robinson and others.

WM. WILLOBY,
Warden.

Warden's Office,
Heathcote, 12th December, 1865.

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS.

THE undermentioned persons are requested to call as soon as possible for payment of the accounts due to them, and now lying at the several pay offices.

N.B.—This list does not include accounts which have been in the pay offices for a longer period than six months.

E. S. SYMONDS,
Under Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 6th December, 1865.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

Allen, E.	Band, Chas.
Arnold, W. M.	Bendigo Gas Company
Andrew, W. B.	Carter and Graham
Arrowsmith, R.	Connell, E.
Austin, T. M.	Charlwood, C. J., 2
Arnold, G. J., 2	Curtis, H. C.
Alberton Shire	Crosbie, P.
Anderson, C. G.	Clark, Wm.
Adams, R. T.	Crockett, A.
Benjamin, D.	Clark, D. G., 3
Barrows, S. C., 2	Crofton, H.
Barrow, E. M.	Carkeet, R. C.
Batchelder and O'Neill	Crosbie, J.
Beckett, T. H.	Carigo, H.
Bennett, S. W.	Cowderoy, J. W.
Best, Jabez	Couchman, W. G.
Beattie, Geo.	Cutts, W. H.
Bangaree Road District	Connell and Hogarth
Barry, D. M.	Culham and Donohue
Bull, V. F.	Clark, A.
Blair, James	Carey, A.
Bromfield, P. J.	Cantlon, M.
Bullock, T. P.	Clinton, James
Berger, H. E.	Cameron, E.
Brisbane, W.	Campion, Wm.
Burrows, T.	Clarkson, C. H.
Bennett, Wm.	Coleman, J. F.
Boyd, Wm.	Carey, John
Butler, Mary	Connell, Ellen
Burne, James	Cahill, Ed.
Brown, John	Craven, Thomas
Blackwood, A.	Detmold, W., 2
Blair, Wm.	Duff, A., 3
Bergin, Wm.	Davidson, W.
Bayne, Wm.	Dowell, James
Bustard, James	Dreweatt, T.
Black, A.	Deasey, Denis
Bamford, Wm.	Dunn, John
Brien, James	Donaldson, A.
Barker, A.	Davis, Geo.

Donnelly, Jno.
 Day, F. J.
 Davey, Wm.
 Douglas, A., 2
 Eagling, J.
 Elworthy and Dobbin
 Elder, A. M.
 Elder, D.
 Evans, Jno.
 Edwards, W.
 Fawcett, L., 2
 Ford, James
 Fergusson, Wm., 4
 Farmer, Thos.
 Fullerton, R.
 Franklyn, F. B.
 Finnie, J.
 Ferris, John
 Fisher, R. C.
 Fergusson, D.
 Fox, Thos., 2
 Fisher, A.
 Fletcher, S., 5
 Fitzgerald, T. W.
 French, W. J. L.
 Ferris, Jacob
 Goodfellow, H. S.
 George, J.
 Gordon, T. D.
 Gibson, W.
 Green, A.
 Griffiths, H.
 Gerretty, E.
 Gellatly, G.
 Gibbons, G.
 Gooch, T.
 Gipps Land Steam Navigation
 Company
 Gilchrist, D.
 Glass, C. E.
 Gibbs, R.
 Gartner, W.
 Gourlay, T.
 Hayes, J. T., 2
 Hammill, T.
 Heathcote R. C. Church
 Hanson and Bennett
 Hackney, D.
 Harcourt, J. M.
 Hadland, C.
 Henderson, Thos.
 Hicks, H.
 Henlon, P.
 Haigh, W.
 Hanly, P.
 Hall, Geo.
 Hilla, S.
 Ingram, J.
 Janson, J.
 James, E. M.
 Kemp, G. S.
 Kelly, Jno., 2
 Kidd, R.
 Knell, J. C.
 Kelly, D., 2
 Keen, W.
 Kennedy, M.
 Kyneton Gas Company
 Knight, J.
 Lobb, W. J.
 Lee, B.
 Levack, J.
 Lawrence, J. H.
 Leck, R., 2
 Mitten, H.
 Marshall, W. W.
 Melville, D., 2
 Menzies, John
 Murrell, W., 2
 Malleson and England
 Molloy, W. T.
 Mines, J.
 Meigs and Anderson
 Moore, W. W.
 Mans, D., 2
 Martyn and Beauglehole
 Miller, S.
 Martin, C. R.
 Murray, P.
 Mullaly
 Morison, J. D.
 Moore, J.
 Mott and Co.
 Motherwell, J. B.
 Merchant, F. L.
 McClusky, W. and T.
 Macpherson, D.
 McLeish, D.
 McKay, W.
 McMeekan, Blackwood, and Co.
 McKay, D.
 McKenzie, A.
 Macadam, J.
 McKay, W.
 McDonald, R.
 McKee, W.
 McClary, J. B.
 McClellan, J.

McMillan, N.
 McBean, R.
 Nicholson, D.
 Nolan, J. B., 2
 Nixon, T., 4
 Nolan, B., 2
 Neilly, W. B.
 O'Reilly, W.
 Ott, Geo., 2
 O'Malley, M.
 Parker, S. M.
 Porter, A.
 Phelan, Wm.
 Pimblett, R.
 Phipps, W.
 Phipps, J. B., 4
 Padgham, S., 2
 Phillips, Geo.
 Phillips, Jno.
 Pearson and Co., J. W.
 Payne, F.
 Phipps, W.
 Pethbridge, E.
 Pestell, W.
 Pruden, B.
 Phillips, Job
 Robinson, J. T.
 Reynolds, S.
 Robertson, G.
 Reid, Power, and Co.
 Ross, A.
 Ronald, W., 3
 Ross, D., 2
 Rae, W.
 Reilly, J. S.
 Ross, J. H.
 Ryan, J.
 Rumpff
 Rennie, J.
 Strettle and Co., A.
 Stobie, D. G.
 Smith, Wm.
 Sinclair, H.
 Steavenson and Elliott
 Skinner
 Stevenson, J.
 Shackell, J.
 Shaw, J.
 Stack, H.
 Sutton, H.
 Simmers, J.
 Shackell, I.
 Stephen, G. A.
 Sutherland, A.
 Steven, R.
 Saenger, L.
 Sharpe, G., 2
 Smith
 Shelton, E.
 Sheridan, R.
 Sawell, W. L.
 Sweetapple, C.
 Smith, W.
 Sharp, J.
 Seward, T.
 Sam, Thos.
 Street, F.
 Turner, B.
 Trunmar, G., 4
 Thomson, J. C., 2
 Tricks, W. J.
 Tilsley, W.
 Twigg and O'Connor
 Tomkins, H. H.
 Vernon, W. H.
 Wakefield, C.
 Williams, E.
 Wilson, J.
 Wade, W. R.
 Wooldridge, J.
 Wall, S. A.
 Walker, J.
 Webbe, N. P.
 Wood, E.
 Walshe, B. W.
 Waghorn, O. C.
 Wrigglesworth, J.
 Watkins, J.
 Warr, T.
 White, W. H., 2
 White, James
 Weire, William
 Walters, W.
 Warren, J.
 White, D., 2
 Wallis, H.
 Wynne, W.
 Winter, E.
 Woolnough, J., 2
 Williams and Berrigan
 Wallis, J.
 Webster, D.
 Woolgar, J.
 Willey, J.
 Wallis, W. J.
 Walker, James
 Walker, Geo.
 Wall, Jno.

Worley, Geo.
 Wilson, E.

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 Young, John

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, GEELONG.

Charles Brodie, 2
 Robert Brown
 James L. and C. Burke
 Elizabeth Corlett
 John Duigan
 Samuel Hockey
 W. H. Jenkins
 William B. King
 H. Lee
 William Henry Lilley
 J. A. Long

John Martin
 Henry Meyler
 Samuel Morris
 Robert McDowall
 Dennis O'Brien
 Henry O'Brien
 J. D. Rankin, 2
 Thomas Sanders
 Walter Scott, 2
 James Slater

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, BALLARAT.

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 Bull, James
 Ballagh, D.
 Cowland, W.
 Dunn, C.
 Hotchin, W. H.
 Hyslop, Thos.
 Kirby, Wm.

McCormack, W. H.
 McSwan, D.
 Plumridge, F.
 Rossie, Wm.
 Swallow, H.
 Southward, J.
 Taylor, J.
 Vallance, W.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, CASTLEMAINE.

Atkin, W. B., 3
 Allan, Thos.
 Bickley, Joseph
 Bell, Thos.
 Brundsen, P.
 Bissett and Co., T.
 Castlemaine Benevolent Asy-
 lum
 Calder, Thos.
 Elliott and Co., T. and J.
 Glass, C. E.
 Grant, C. J.
 Geary, Henry
 Hardy, J. H., 2

Holden, J., 2
 Hanks, Jno.
 Kenyon, Geo.
 Langslow, L.
 Matthews and Co., 5
 Neibuhr, Wm.
 Orwin, G. D.
 O'Shea, John
 Rigby, B., 3
 Smith, Saml., 3
 Tandy, Robt.
 Thomas, D.
 Turner, Thos.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, SANDHURST.

Adams, C.
 Fawns, J.
 Hunter, E.
 Knight, W.
 Mitchell, Geo.
 McAlister, A.
 Richards, Alice
 Wilson, James
 Alt, Isaac, 2
 Barker, W.
 Clarke, L.
 Cotton, F.
 Crossen, H.
 Doran, Danl.
 Dunlop, Adam
 Ellis, H.
 Farmer, T.

Forbes, D. W.
 Goldsticker, J.
 Gourley, W.
 Gregory, Thos.
 Hayes, J. T., 3
 Healy, J. V., 2
 Hogarth, F.
 Moran, M.
 McDonald, D.
 Noonan, Jno.
 Ralston, Jno.
 Scott, Geo., 2
 Seward, Thos.
 Snead, J. R.
 Stilwell, C.
 Swan, D.
 Watson, D.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, SMYTHESDALE.

Binnie, J.
 Crowe, A. W.
 McGolrick, J., 2
 Pitchford, W.

Saenger, L.
 Wilkie, A.
 Wrathall, H.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, PORTLAND.

Buckle, Thomas, 2
 Chaffey, P.
 Charter, Wm.
 Hughes, E. F.
 Hutchinson, Saml.

Jarrett, George
 Mackwood, Thos., 2
 McEvoy, Thos.
 McIntosh, M.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, TALBOT.

Barr, A.
 Johnson, C.
 Reeves, G.

Robinson, T.
 Rose, F. G.
 Ross, W.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, CRESWICK.

J. Rowell, 3
 Watkins and Scrase

J. C. Weickhardt

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, DUNOLLY.

Bloor, J.
 Campbell, J. H.
 Cochran, J.
 Davis, G.
 Fyfe, G.

Jackson, E. H.
 Macgregor, J. J.
 Whiteside, J.
 Wigham, A.

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, STAWELL.

Mussen, James, 2
 Johnston, Wm., 2

Spry, Richard

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, PORT ALBERT.

Alley and Clark
 Buckley, P. C.
 Bamford, W.
 Burnett, T.
 Clark, H.
 Davidson, H.
 Evans, J.
 Fyfe, D.
 Gleeson, T.
 Gregory, J. A.
 Gurdon, R. L.
 Hamilton, R., 2
 Harris, R.
 Higgings, J.
 Hutchinson Bros.
 Ingram, D. J.

Keyte, J., 2
 Lee, A.
 Mark, S. H.
 McGregor, W.
 Meigs and Anderson
 McPhail, J.
 O'Reilly, M.
 Pierce, W.
 Price, T., 3
 Royle, R.
 Sale Borough
 Seelhusen, C., 4
 Smith, H.
 Walsh, F. C.
 Who Vong

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, HAMILTON.

P. Balkin	A. McDougall
P. D. Baxter, 2	J. McSheehy
B. B. Creagh	C. J. Payne
J. G. Cannon	H. H. Tomkins, 2
H. Eager	A. Thomson and Co.
S. Fisher	T. Wyley
G. Fowler	H. Woods
R. R. Hunt	North Harrow Road District
G. Jelly	W. Murphy
A. Learmonth	H. McIntyre
J. Lang	R. H. Ralston
D. McKeberly, 2	A. Templeton

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, AVOCA.

Baker, W.	Kell, W.
Golden, T. B.	Leaver, T.
Gazzard, F. W.	

AT THE RECEIPT AND PAY OFFICE, MARYBOROUGH.
Jones, W. Maltby, T. K.

ROUTE.

DISTRICTS OF MARYBOROUGH, INGLEWOOD, TALBOT, AND AVOCA.

THE following days have been fixed for holding the under-mentioned Courts in these districts in the first quarter of 1866:—

ST. ARNAUD.

1. County Court ... Wednesday, 10th January.
2. Court of Mines ... Wednesday, 10th January.

MARYBOROUGH.

3. County Court ... Thursday, 18th January.
4. Court of Mines ... Friday, 19th January.

AVOCA.

5. County Court ... Wednesday, 24th January.
6. Court of Mines ... Wednesday, 24th January.

INGLEWOOD.

8. County Court ... Thursday, 1st February.
9. Court of Mines ... Friday, 2nd February.

DUNOLLY.

12. County Court ... Tuesday, 27th February.
13. Court of Mines ... Wednesday, 28th February.

TARNAGULLA.

14. County Court ... Friday, 2nd March.
15. Court of Mines ... Friday, 2nd March.

CARISBROOK.

16. County Court ... Wednesday, 7th March.
17. Court of Mines ... Thursday, 8th March.

AMHERST (AT TALBOT).

18. County Court ... Tuesday, 13th March.
19. Court of Mines ... Wednesday, 14th March.

M. F. MACBOY,
Judge, &c.

5th December, 1865.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

MELBOURNE—Friday 15 December.

THE NEXT CIRCUIT COURTS.

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

ARARAT—0.
BALLARAT—0.
BERCHWORTH—0.
CASTLEMAINE—0.
GEELONG—0.
MARYBOROUGH—0.
PORTLAND—0.
SANDHURST—0.

THE NEXT GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

ARARAT—0.
AVOCA—0.
BERCHWORTH—0.
BELFAST—0.
BOURKE—At Melbourne—0.
BUNINYONG AND BALLARAT—At Ballarat—0.
CASTLEMAINE—0.
DAYLESFORD—0.
ECHUCA—0.
GRANGE—At Hamilton—Wednesday 20 December (in lieu of 15 December).
GRANT—At Geelong—0.
HEATHCOTE—0.
INGLEWOOD—0.
JAMIESON—0.
KILMORE—0.
KYNETON—0.

MARYBOROUGH—0.

PALMERSTON—0.

PORTLAND—0.

SALE—0.

SANDHURST—0.

STAWELL—0.

TALBOT—0.

WARRNAMBOOL—0.

WOOD'S POINT—0.

COUNTY COURTS.

AMHERST—Wednesday 13 December.

ARARAT—Thursday 1 February 1866.

AVOCA—

BACCHUS MARSH—

BALLARAT—

BALLARAT—Thursday 1 February 1866.

BEAUFORT—Thursday 8 February 1866.

BERCHWORTH—Monday 8 January 1866.

BELFAST—

BENALLA—Wednesday 3 January 1866.

CAMPERDOWN—

CARISBROOK—

CASTLEMAINE—

CHILTERN—Thursday 11 January 1866.

CLUNES—Tuesday 13 February 1866.

COLAC—

CRESWICK—Thursday 15 February 1866.

DANDENONG—Friday 23 February 1866.

DAYLESFORD—

DUNOLLY—

ECHUCA—

FRYERSTOWN—

GEELONG—

GIRBORE—

HAMILTON—Thursday 21 December.

HEATHCOTE—

INGLEWOOD—

JAMIESON—

KILMORE—

KYNETON—

MALDON—

MARYBOROUGH—

MELBOURNE—

MORNINGTON—Wednesday 13 December.

MORSE'S CREEK—Monday 15 January 1866.

PALMERSTON—

PLEASANT CREEK—Wednesday 13 December.

PORTLAND—

RUSHWORTH—Tuesday 16 January 1866.

RUTHERGLEN—Friday 12 January 1866.

SALE—

SANDHURST—

SMYTHESDALE—Tuesday 13 February 1866.

ST. ARNAUD—

TARADALE—

TARNAGULLA—

WANGARATTA—Friday 5 January 1866.

WARRNAMBOOL—

WOOD'S POINT—

YACKANDANDAH—Wednesday 10 January 1866.

COURTS OF MINES.

ARARAT DISTRICT—

Ararat—Friday 2 February 1866.
Beaufort—Thursday 8 February 1866.
Pleasant Creek—Thursday 14 December.

BALLARAT DISTRICT—

Ballarat—Tuesday 27 February 1866.
Buninyong—Monday 12 February 1866.
Creswick—Friday 16 February 1866.
Mount Blackwood—Friday 23 March 1866.
Smythes Creek—Tuesday 13 February 1866.
Steiglitz—Thursday 21 June 1866.

BERCHWORTH DISTRICT—

Berchworth—Tuesday 9 January 1866.
Chiltern—Thursday 11 January 1866.
Jamieson—
Morse's Creek—Monday 15 January 1866.
Omeo—
Rutherglen—Friday 12 January 1866.
Sale—
Wood's Point—
Yackandandah—Wednesday 10 January 1866.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—

Castlemaine—
 Fryerstown—
 Hepburn (Daylesford)—
 Kyneton—
 Maldon—
 St. Andrew's—
 Taradale—

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—

Amherst—Friday 15 December.
 Avoca—
 Carisbrook—
 Dunolly—
 Inglewood—
 Maryborough—
 St. Arnaud—
 Tarnagulla—

SANDHURST DISTRICT—

Heathcote—
 Kilmore—
 Rushworth—Tuesday 16 January 1866.
 Sandhurst—

Police Sales.**EDWARDS REEF POLICE STATION.**

THE undermentioned confiscated property, seized and confiscated under the Act No. 227, will be sold by auction, at the Edwards Reef Station, at Twelve noon on Saturday, the 23rd December, 1865:—

1½ gallons of brandy
 5 ditto , whiskey
 1 ditto , rum
 3 bottles , gin

FREDK. C. STANDISH,

Chief Commissioner of Police.
 Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
 Melbourne, 12th December, 1865.

Tenders.**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.

Hospital for Police, Richmond ... 13th December.

Removal of Powder Magazine, Richmond Depot ... 13th December.

Lease of Water Stand Pipe at Elsternwick to 31st December, 1866 ... 13th December.

Lease of Water Stand Pipes at Prahran to 31st December, 1866 ... 13th December.

Additions to Telegraph Office, Sandhurst. (Plans, &c., also at the Telegraph Office, Sandhurst)... 20th December.

Lease of Paddock at Yan Yean for year 1866... 20th December.

Supply of Irregular Castings during year 1866... 20th December.

Lease of Water Stand Pipes for year 1866, i.e.:

Flemington ...	} 20th December.
Essendon ...	
Brunswick ...	
Pentridge ...	
Footscray ...	
St. Kilda ...	
Carlton ...	
Emerald Hill ...	
Hawthorn Bridge ...	
Preston ...	
Northcote ...	} 20th December.
Supply to Shipping:—	
Williamstown (Pier, Breakwater)	
Sandridge Town Pier ...	
Queen's Wharf, Melbourne ...	
Australian Wharf, Melbourne	

GEO. VERDON.

SUNDRIES.

TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for ——" and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Stores and Transport Office, King street, will be received until Noon on the 13th December, for the supply of the undermentioned articles for the service of the Government.

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

Full particulars and forms of tender at the Office of Stores and Transport, Melbourne.

Post Office—
 20,000 drab envelopes, 7 × 4½ inches, to sample.

Lunatic Asylum—
 *200 pairs canvas slippers, assorted sizes.

GEO. VERDON.

Treasury,
 Melbourne, 1st December, 1865.

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

NEW ZEALAND TREE-FERNS.

TENDERS will be received until the 31st December, 1865, by the Director of the Botanic Garden, Melbourne, for twenty-five New Zealand Ponga Tree-ferns (*Cyathea dealbata*) and for twenty-five New Zealand Korau Tree-ferns (*Cyathea medullaris*), to be delivered in a fresh and healthy state in Melbourne; the stems to be from 6 to 8 feet high; the plants to be carefully lifted with their roots, and to be packed, after the removal of the fronds, in matting, and to be shipped immediately from the forest. Cost of freight to Melbourne to be included in the tender.

FERD. MUELLER, M.D.,
 Director of the Botanic Garden.

Melbourne Botanic Garden,
 16th November, 1865.

LEASES OF TOLL-GATES AND PUNT.

SEPARATE tenders will be received by the Board of Land and Works until Twelve o'clock on Friday, 22nd December proximo, for Lease of the undermentioned Toll-gates and Punt, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866, both inclusive:—

Broadford Toll (and Check) Gate, in the Melbourne District.
 Benalla Toll-gate, in the Wangaratta District.
 Mitchell River Punt, in the Gipps Land District.

The above tolls will be let subject to the several conditions of lease which may be seen at this office; those for the Toll-gate at Benalla may also be seen on application to the Road Engineer at Wangaratta, and those for the Punt to the Officer of Police at Bairnsdale.

The Board will not necessarily accept any tender.

Persons tendering for the above must be in attendance at the opening of the tenders, or be represented by an authorised agent, in the Board Room at the Crown Lands Office, otherwise their tenders will be passed over; they will also be required to pay the deposits in the Board Room in cash or bank drafts; cheques will not under any circumstances be accepted.

J. F. SULLIVAN.

Roads and Bridges Office,
 Melbourne, 29th November, 1865.

PAINTING IRONWORK.

TENDERS are invited for painting the Ironwork of the Saltwater River Bridge.

Full particulars at the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Batman's Hill.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Painting Ironwork," and addressed to the undersigned, must be deposited in the Railway Tender Box, Crown Lands Office, La Trobe street west, at or before Twelve o'clock a.m. of Friday, the 15th instant.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Department of Railways,
 Secretary's Office, William street,
 Melbourne, 7th December, 1865.

Tenders for the Service of 1866.**BREAD, MEAT, GROCERIES, AND VEGETABLES.**

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 13th December, from persons willing to supply Bread, &c., Meat, Groceries, and Vegetables, in such quantities as may be required by the various departments of the Public Service (except the Imperial Commissariat, Aborigines, and Railways). Delivery at the undermentioned places, during twelve calendar months, commencing on the 1st January, 1866.

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

	Security. £
*Melbourne District (including Pentridge, Yarra Bend, Richmond, and Collingwood) ...	500
*Williamstown (including all vessels in Hobson's Bay, during the currency of the contract, except the <i>Victoria</i> s.s.) ...	100
Geelong (including a radius of two miles from Post Office) ...	
Portland ...	
Belfast ...	
Castlemaine ...	
Sandhurst ...	
Beechworth ...	
Ballaarat ...	
Palmerston ...	
Kilmore ...	
Warrnambool ...	
Maryborough ...	
Ararat ...	
Sunbury ...	

SCHEDULE No. 1.

Security three-tenths of amount stated.

Bread, Fine wheat, first quality ...	per lb.
Wheat, second quality ...	do.
Wheat, third quality ...	do.
Flour, First quality ...	per 100 lbs.
Second quality ...	do.
Maize meal ...	do.

SCHEDULE No. 2.

Security three-tenths of amount stated.	
Fresh Beef	per lb.
Mutton	do.
Suet	do.
Salt Beef	per cwt.
Pork	do.

SCHEDULE No. 3.

Security three-tenths of amount stated.	
Arrowroot	per lb.
Biscuit, best cabin	do.
Blue	do.
Brandy, Hennessy's or other approved brand, 10 o.p.	per gallon
Butter, Fresh	per lb.
Salt	do.
Candles, Composite—Price's, Hales', Neva Stearine, or colonial make of equal quality	do.
Mould	do.
Cheese, Cheddar	do.
Chicory	do.
Coffee, in berries, roasted	do.
Currants	do.
Eggs, fresh	per dozen
Geneva (Hollands), 10 o.p., J.D.K.Z.	per gallon
Lime juice	do.
Maizena	per lb.
Milk (except at Yarra Bend and Industrial Schools)	per quart
Mustard	per lb.
Oatmeal, colonial	do.
Oil, neatfoot	per gallon
Peas, split	per lb.
Pearl barley	do.
Pepper	do.
Pipes, tobacco	per dozen
Porter, bottled—(quarts), Guinness' or Byass'	do.
Port, (treble-grape)—Offley's or Forrester's	do.
Potash	per lb.
Quicklime (except in quantities for building purposes)	per bushel
Rasins, Cape	per b.
Eleme	do.
Sultana	do.
Rice	do.
Rum, not less than 10 o.p.	per gallon
Sago	per lb.
Saltpetre	do.
Salt, fine	do.
Soda, Bread	do.
Washing	do.
Soap, Brown Windsor (toilet)	do.
Honey (do.)	do.
Soft	do.
Yellow	do.
Sherry—Burton's V.V.P.	per dozen
Cozens' treble-diamond	do.
Starch	per lb.
Sugar, Best counter (to sample)	do.
*Ration (do.)	do.
Tapioca	do.
Tea, Best congout.	do.
Ration	do.
Tobacco, best American	do.
Treacle	do.
Vinegar	per quart
Whiskey (not less than 10 o.p.)	per gallon
Whiting	per cwt.

SCHEDULE No. 4.

Security one-tenth of amount stated.	
Potatoes	per cwt.
Onions	per lb.
Carrots, free from top	do.
Parsnips	do.
Turnips	do.
Cabbages, free from outside leaves and stalks	do.

It is to be understood that potatoes will be usually drawn, other vegetables being ordered only in exceptional cases. Tenders for Schedules Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 will be accepted or rejected separately.

Printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Inspector of Stores, Melbourne; the Sheriffs at Geelong, Ararat, Ballarat, Beechworth, Castlemaine, Kilmore, Maryborough, Sandhurst, and Portland; from the officers in charge of the police at Belfast, Warrnambool, and Palmerston; and from the officer in charge of the Industrial School, Sunbury; by whom also information will be afforded to persons tendering.

The value of all packages, whether in bulk or otherwise, is to be included in the price demanded (except flour, meal, and potato bags, which will be returned when empty).

In the event of any alteration in the tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, the Government, or the contractor, as may be the case, must make a proportionate allowance by way of deduction from or increase of the price of the item so affected.

Tenderers must state the security proposed, whether in debentures, bank deposit receipt, cash deposit, or sureties; if the latter, the certificate on the printed form of tender must be signed by two responsible persons willing to become bound in the sum specified for the due fulfilment of the contract, and the names of the tenderers and their proposed sureties, together with their respective addresses, must be stated at full length upon such certificate.

Tenderers must be accompanied by a bank draft or other tangible money deposit for Ten per cent. of the amount of

security required, which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

The Government may elect to require a cash deposit; but any approved security must be completed within ten days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

Tenderers failing to take up their accepted tenders, will be disqualified from tendering for Government supplies for a period of twelve months.

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

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

CONDITIONS.

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

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

3. Fresh meat is to be supplied in such proportions as may be required, and, when the quantity admits, to be delivered in fore and hind quarters alternately. When shins of beef form a portion of the supply, a fair proportion of the bone, not less than five inches, must have been cut off.

4. The supplies coming under the head of rations and medical comforts are to be delivered direct to the establishment entitled thereto, on the written order of the officer in charge. All other supplies will be ordered by the head of department, either for delivery at the Stores and Transport Office, or at the office of the department concerned, as may be stated in the order.

5. Should the contractor fail to supply any articles at the time mentioned in the order, they will be otherwise procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from his account.

6. The order issued by the head of department must accompany the goods, and the account is to be rendered simultaneously with delivery of the supplies. In other cases the account is to be rendered monthly.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies, as to the quality, the same to be decided, in cases where the article is not of a perishable nature, by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the head of the department, and the decision of the board is to be considered final; in respect to breads of first quality, a sample of the best bread ordinarily retailed to the public will be considered as a test loaf.

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

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

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivery or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report of the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £50; as the Government may direct; it will also be in the power of the Government to terminate the contract forthwith.

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

Treasury,

Melbourne, 21st November, 1865.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS, 1866.]

TENDERS are hereby invited, and will be received until Noon of Thursday, the 14th December, 1865, for the Conveyance of Post Office Mails, as undermentioned, for one year, from the 1st January, 1866, to 31st December, 1866.

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

Tenderers are requested to describe by their numbers, as below, the mail services for which they tender, and every tender will be taken to include the entire service as called for.

Every tender must bear the *bond fide* signatures and addresses of the tenderer, and of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the fulfilment of the same, in such sum as

the Government may direct, not exceeding the gross amount of the contract.

Every tender must be accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for a sum equal to twenty per cent. of the amount for which the tenderer is willing to undertake the service; the money to be lodged to the credit of the Deputy Postmaster General, and to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in case the person whose tender may be accepted shall fail to complete, within ten days of the date of notice being given of the acceptance of his tender, the usual bond and contract to the satisfaction of the Government. The notice of acceptance if delivered at the address named in the tender shall be deemed sufficient.

The money deposited by unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them on application, and on their signing receipts for the respective amounts, but not otherwise.

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

A separate tender must be sent in for each service, but notwithstanding this condition any offer will be entertained for the performance of any number of services for a lump sum. The number of the service or services tendered for must be plainly endorsed on the outside of the cover.

The general conditions referred to in the printed form of tender, and upon which the tender is to be made, can be inspected by persons proposing to tender, either at the General Post Office or at any post office in the colony.

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

SERVICES REQUIRED.

57. From St. Kilda to Melbourne, twice a day, and from Melbourne to St. Kilda, once a day, including the conveyance of four letter carriers to and from Melbourne and St. Kilda, once a day.

80. To and from Wangaratta and Grete, three days a week.

84. To and from Echuca and Shepparton, by way of Lower Moira, Barina, Kotapna, Kaarumba, Mundaona, and Tallagaroona, once a week.

93. For the clearance of the Letter Box, Argyle Gully, and that in High street, Heathcote, six days a week.

102. From Kangaroo Flat Post Office to Railway Station, nine times a week.

106. To and from the Ravenswood Railway Station and the Big Hill, by way of Ravenswood Post Office, six days a week.

107. To and from the Railway Station and Post Office, Harcourt, twice a day.

113. To and from Hepburn and the Dry Diggings, six days a week.

119. To and from Malmesbury and the Green Hills, three days a week.

123. To and from the Railway Station and Post Office, Carlisle, twice a day.

127. To and from Sunbury and the Gap, six days a week.

145. To and from Bunarong and Mount Cole, once a week.

166. To and from Clunes and Glendaruel, by way of Mount Beckwith, six days a week.

185. To and from Wyndham Post Office and Railway Station, twice a day.

188. To and from Melbourne and Eltham, three days a week.

189. To and from Jamieson and Mac's Creek, two days a week.

190. To and from Wood's Point and Black River, two days a week.

191. To and from Wood's Point and Gooley's Creek, two days a week.

192. To and from Maldon and Porcupine Flat, six days a week.

193. To and from Smeaton and Moorookyle, six days a week.

194. To and from Smythesdale and Ross' Creek, two days a week.

195. To and from Koroit and Kirkstall, once a week.

196. To and from Wyndham and Derrimut, by way of Mount Cottrell, three days a week.

197. To and from Braybrook and Mount Cottrell, by way of Derrimut, three days a week.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 23rd November, 1865.

JAMES' MCCULLOCH.

CONTRACT SURVEYS.

SEPARATE tenders for the performance in each of the undermentioned Survey Districts of the several surveys enumerated below will be received at the Department of Lands and Survey, up to Twelve o'clock on Wednesday, the 3rd day of January, 1866, under the conditions notified to tenderers for Contract Surveys in the *Government Gazette* of the 14th May, 1861.

Survey of detached residence areas on gold fields under five acres in extent.

Survey and marking of main and secondary roads, and occupation roads.

Survey of connected township allotments, ranging from twenty perches to half an acre.

Survey of detached agricultural allotments, ranging from twenty up to six hundred and forty acres in extent.

Such surveys to be made at the instance of, and under the specific directions of the District Surveyor, and will embrace only such surveys as may not be let by the department by tender in the usual way. The successful tenderer under this advertisement will therefore have no monopoly of the surveys required in the district.

Tenderers will state separately for each district:—

Rate per lineal mile trenched as directed on specification for township surveys.

Rate per lineal mile marked as directed for suburban surveys.

Rate per lineal mile marked for main and secondary roads, unconnected with survey of allotments (both sides of road marked, but payment made by single measurement).

Rate per lineal mile chained in feature survey and connection lines.

Rate per lot for marking detached allotments under five acres in extent:—

1st. class. Containing under fifteen allotments in one connected survey.

2nd. class. Comprising fifteen allotments and upwards in one connected survey.

The requisite plans of these surveys to be finished in accordance with the specifications for contract surveying, and preparation of plans for photolithographic purposes.

The rates accepted for these surveys to be in operation up to the 31st December, 1866.

The surveys to be executed personally by the contractor, unless under very special circumstances, authority for which will have to be obtained from the Surveyor General.

The surveys in future are to be proceeded with in the following order. Lists of the applications for surveys in each district received in one calendar month will be handed to the contractor on or about the first day of the month following, and such surveys are to be proceeded with at once, and finished before any further applications of a more recent date can be commenced:—

66/1. Ballarat Survey District.

66/2. Ararat

66/3. Castlemaine

66/4. Sandhurst

66/5. Dunolly

66/6. Beechworth

66/7. Omeo

66/8. Crooked River

66/9. Gipps Land

66/10. Hamilton and Portland Survey District.

Further particulars may be obtained at the above District Survey Offices.

The Board of Land and Works will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

J. M. GRANT,

President of the Board of Land and Works.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 1st December, 1865.

FUEL AND WATER AT BALLARAT.

TENDERS will be received up to Noon on the 15th December next, for supplying the Government Departments at Ballarat with Fuel and Water during the year 1866.

The firewood to be of the best description and cut in lengths of two feet or three feet as required, 40 cubic feet to the ton, to be stacked upon delivery. Each load of fresh water to contain 165 gallons. Fuel to be furnished on the quarterly order of the officer requiring the same. Water monthly or as required.

Each tender to be accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons that they are willing to become bound as sureties in any sum not exceeding £20 (Twenty pounds) for the due fulfilment of the contract, to which effect a bond must be executed within ten days of acceptance of tender. The names of the tenderers, with their proposed sureties and their addresses, should be stated at full length.

Tenders to be enclosed and marked separately "Tender for Fuel" or "Water," as the case may be, and addressed to the Resident Warden, Ballarat, at whose office any further information may be obtained.

CHAS. WALE SHERARD,

Chairman of the Local Board.
Resident Warden's Office,
Ballarat, 17th November, 1865.

FUEL AT CRESWICK.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 15th day of December, 1865, for the supply of Firewood to the various Government Departments at Creswick requiring the same during the year 1866.

Printed forms of Tender and every information can be obtained from the Chairman of the Board, to whom the tenders, sealed and marked "Tender for wood," are to be forwarded.

No tender will be entertained unless the certificate be filled up and signed by some responsible person willing to become bound in the sum of £20 for the due fulfilment of the contract. The Board will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

C. C. DOWLING, P.M.,

Chairman of Local Board.
Courthouse,
Creswick, 23rd November, 1865.

FIREWOOD, ARARAT.

TENDERS will be received by the Chairman of the Tender Board at the abovementioned place, up to Twelve o'clock on the 15th of December instant, for the supply of Firewood to the various Government Departments requiring the same during the year 1866.

Security, either by bond or bank deposit receipt, will be required in the sum of £20 for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Full particulars may be had on application to the Chairman of the Board.

J. G. TAYLOR,

Chairman of the Board.
Warden's Office,
Ararat, 4th December, 1865.

FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, the 10th January next, for the supply of Forage, in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government, at the undermentioned Stations, from the 1st February, 1866, to the 31st January, 1867.

DISTRICT.	STATION.	ESTIMATED QUARTERLY CONSUMPTION FOR POLICE HORSES.				STORAGE CAPACITY.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
		lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Ararat	Ararat and Green Hills	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	3	1	5	2½
	Beaufort	1,800	180	2,520	720	2	½	2	1½
	Buangor	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	1	1
	Crowlands	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	¼	2½	1½
	Mount Cole	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	2	1½
	Moyston	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	¼	1	1-7th
	Skipton	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	¼	1	1-7th
	Stockyard Hill	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	2	1½
	Streatham	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1½
	Wickliffe	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	¼	2½	1½
Avoca	Avoca	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	3½	¾	1	1½
	Banyenong	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1½
	Bealiba	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1½
	Glenlogie	900	90	1,260	360	4	¾	3	1
	Lexton	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1½
	Moonambel	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1½
	Redbank	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	2	1½
	St. Arnaud	1,800	180	2,520	720	4	1	4	1½
	Ballarat	6,400	640	7,560	2,160	1½	¼	2	1½
	Bullarook	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
Ballarat	Buninyong	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Burrumbet	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Carngham	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Clunes	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Coghill's Creek	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	2	1½
	Creswick	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Durham Lead	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Gordon's	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Learmonth	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Linton's	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
Beechworth	Minersrest	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Piggoriet	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Pitfield	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Smeaton	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1½
	Smythesdale	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Springs	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	15	5
	Staffordshire Reef	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	2	1½
	Beechworth	15,300	1,530	21,420	6,120	1½	1-5th	1½	1½
	Belvoir	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Buckland	1,800	180	2,520	720	2	½	2	1½
Beechworth	Chiltern	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	2	½	2	1½
	Morse's Creek	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	2	½	2	1½
	Rutherglen	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	1-10th	1	1
	Snowy Creek	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	1-10th	1	1
	Tarrawingee	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	2	1
	Wahgunyah	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1½
	Woolshed	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	2	1
	Yackandahdah	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	2	½	2	1
	Belfast	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	3	1	1	1
	Camperdown	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
Belfast	Caramut	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1½	1½
	Cavendish	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1
	Dunkeld	900	90	1,260	360	2½	¼	1	1
	Hamilton	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	1	1-10th	1	1
	Hexham	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Mortlake	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	1½	1½
	Penshurst	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	1	1
	Terang	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Warrnambool	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	¼	1	1
	Woodford	900	90	1,260	360	5	¾	4	1
Benalla	Benalla	6,300	630	8,820	2,520	1	1-10th	1	1
	Darlingford	1,800	180	2,520	720	3	¾	3	1
	Jamieson	6,300	630	8,820	2,520	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Mansfield	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	1½	¼	2	1
	Mulwala	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1
	Shepparton	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1
	Violettown	6,300	630	8,820	2,520	5	¾	2	1
	Wangaratta	6,300	630	8,820	2,520	1	1-10th	1	1
	Brighton	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1-10th
	Broadmeadows	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Bourke	Campbellfield	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	1	1
	Cranbourne	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1½	1½
	Dandenong	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Dromana	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Eltham	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Epping	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1
	Healesville	900	90	1,260	360	1½	¼	1	1
	Heidelberg	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	¼	1	1
	Keilor	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Malvern	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
Bourke	Melton	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1-10th	1
	Moonee Ponds	900	90	1,260	360	3	¾	1	1
	Mornington	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	¼	1	1
	Marysville	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Nunawading	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1
	Oakleigh	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1-10th
	Point Nepean	900	90	1,260	360	1	¼	1	1-5th
	Queenstown	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1-10th
	Stud Depot	900	90	1,260	360	2	½	1	1
	Sunbury	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Carisbrook	Whittlesea	1,800	180	2,520	720	6	¾	1½	1½
	Carisbrook	1,800	180	2,520	720	6	¾	1½	1½
	Dunolly	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Inglewood	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½
	Kingower	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1½

FORAGE—continued.

DISTRICT.	STATION.	ESTIMATED QUARTERLY CONSUMPTION FOR POLICE HORSES.				STORAGE CAPACITY.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
		lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Carisbrook—continued	Maryborough ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	5	1	1½	1
	Talbot ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1½	1
	Tarnagulla ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1
	Wedderburne ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Castlemaine ...	Castlemaine ...	5,400	540	7,560	2,160	4	1	7	2½
	Daylesford ...	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	2	1	2	1
	Elphinstone ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Fryerstown ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Glenlyon ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1
	Maldon ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1
	Newstead ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1
	Taradale ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1
	Depôt, Richmond	22,500	2,250	31,500	9,000	10	1	6	3
	Geelong ...	6,300	630	8,820	2,520	4	1-10th	1	1
Geelong ...	Batesford ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Colac ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Drysdale ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Duned ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1-5th
	Inverleigh ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Lethbridge ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Little River ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Meredith ...	1,000	100	1,400	400	1	1-10th	1	1
	Queenscliffe ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1
	Rokewood ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Shelford ...	1,200	120	1,680	480	1	1-10th	1	1
	Steiglitz ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1-5th
	Winchelsea ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Wyndham ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Heathcote ...	3,600	360	5,040	1,440	4½	2	8	8
	Echuca ...	3,000	300	5,040	1,440	1	1	2	1
	Murchison ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	2	1
	Redcastle ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	2	1
	Rochester ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	2	1
	Runnymede ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1
Kilmore ...	Rushworth ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	2	1	2	1
	Tooborac ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	2	1
	Whroo ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	5	1	6	1½
	Kilmore ...	5,400	540	8,550	2,340	5	1	6	1½
	Avenel ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1	2	1-5th
	Broadford ...	1,140	114	1,260	360	1	1	2	1
	Donnybrook ...	1,350	135	1,800	540	2	1	2	1
	Longwood ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	3	1	5	1½
	Pyalong ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1½	1
	Seymour ...	8,100	810	11,340	3,240	4	1	4	1
	Tallarook ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Wallan-wallan ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Kyneton ...	Yea ...	900	90	1,260	360	1½	1	2	1
	Kyneton ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	2	1	2	1
	Bacchus Marsh ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Ballan ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	1	1
	Blackwood ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	1	1
	Blue Mountain ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	1	1
	Gisborne ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Lancefield ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Malmsbury ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Middle Gully ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Myraiong ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Romsey ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Tylden ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Woodend ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	1	1
Portland ...	Portland ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	1½	1	2	2
	Balmoral ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Bransholme ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Casterton ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Coleraine ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Dartmoor ...	1,350	135	1,800	540	1	1	1	1
	Digby ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Harrow ...	2,250	225	3,150	900	1	1	1	1
	Heywood ...	1,350	135	1,800	540	1	1	1	1-5th
	Sale ...	5,400	540	7,560	2,160	4	1	4	1
Sale ...	Alberton ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1½	1	1	1
	Bairnsdale ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Bald Hills ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Bruthen ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Edwards Reef ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Livingstone Creek ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1	1	1
	Grant ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	1	1	1	1
	Palmerston ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Rosedale ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Stradbroke ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Stratford ...	900	90	1,260	360	1-8th	1	1	1
	Stringer's Creek ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Traralgon ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Tarraville ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Warangarra ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	1	1	2	1
	Sandhurst ...	5,400	540	7,560	2,160	1	1	1	1
	Axedale ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Bullock Creek ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
Stawell ...	Durham Ox ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Eaglehawk ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Huntley ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Lockwood ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Myer's Flat ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Raywood ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Robinson Crusoe ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Serpentine ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Strathfieldsaye ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1	1	1
	Stawell ...	2,700	270	3,780	1,080	2	1-5th	2	1
	Dimboola ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1

FORAGE—continued.

DISTRICT.	STATION.	ESTIMATED QUARTERLY CONSUMPTION FOR POLICE HORSES.				STORAGE CAPACITY.			
		Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
Stawell—continued	Glenorchy ...	lbs. 900	lbs. 90	lbs. 1,260	lbs. 360	tons. 1	tons. 1-10th	tons. 1	tons. 1
	Great Western ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Horsbarn ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Landsborough ...	1,800	180	2,520	720	1	1-10th	1	1
	Navarre ...	900	90	1,260	360	2	1-5th	2	2
Swan Hill	Swan Hill ...	2,240	250	3,100	730	3	...	3	...
	Kerang ...	470	46	650	180	1	...	1	...
(FOR ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH HORSES.)									
Beechworth ...	Beechworth ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Belfast ...	Belfast ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Camperdown ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
	Hexham ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Geelong ...	Geelong ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Kilmore ...	Longwood ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Melbourne ...	Melbourne ...	3,600	360	5,040	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Portland ...	Portland ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Sale ...	Sale ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1
Swan Hill ...	Kerang ...	900	90	1,260	360	1	1-10th	1	1

Printed forms of tender and conditions of contract may be obtained from the Inspector of Stores, Melbourne, or from the officer in charge of police at each station, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

The tenders for each station will be accepted or rejected separately.

Tenders may be for either of the supplies required, oats, bran, hay, or straw only; and if all be included in one tender, it may be accepted for one article only, if advisable.

As much forage as the storage will accommodate will be drawn at a time for the convenience of contractors.

The price must be per ton for hay and straw, and per bushel of 40 lbs. for oats and 20 lbs. for bran, including delivery at the stations and all charges; bags to be returned when empty.

The net weight only after deducting the tare is to be charged.

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

The successful tenderer will be required to enter into a bond, with two approved sureties, for one-third the estimated amount of the contract, within ten days after the acceptance is notified.

Tenderers failing to take up their accepted tenders, or failing to carry out their contracts satisfactorily, will be ineligible to again hold contracts for Government supplies.

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

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

The decision of the Government will be made known by *Gazette* notice and by letter to accepted tenderers.

CONDITIONS.

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

2. The supplies are for police and telegraph horses, and are to be delivered on the order of the officer in charge of the district or station. The quantities stated in the schedule being only approximate, it must be understood that the Government may draw either more or less than those mentioned; and should new telegraph stations be formed or additional horses be required to be stationed in any of the districts tendered for, the supplies required may be drawn from the contractor. The excess over the estimate will not, however, exceed during the whole year 50 per cent. of the estimated quarterly consumption.

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

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

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

6. Should forage duly ordered under these contracts not be delivered within forty-eight hours of the time specified in the order for delivery, it will be competent for the department (should circumstances require it) to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price is to be deducted.

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

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

9. When a board of survey cannot be conveniently assembled, or when, from some other cause, injury would accrue either to the public service or the contractor by waiting for a board of survey, the officer in charge will have the power to reject such supplies as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected forage, and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 6.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the forage, or of delay in delivering or replacing it when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct not exceeding £20, as the Government may direct. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. It will be competent for the Inspector of Stores on behalf of the Government, or for the contractor on his own behalf, to terminate the contract, by giving in writing a notice of three full calendar months to that effect, it being understood that such notice only can be given from the first day of a month, and provided that no such notice can be given before the 30th June, 1866; and in the event of a station being discontinued or any change in the supplies required, the contractor will receive the earliest possible intimation.

REPAIRING WATCHES.

TENDERS are invited for repairing, renewing, regulating, and maintaining in good order and condition one hundred Watches, in charge of enginemen and guards, during the year 1866.

Full particulars at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Batman's Hill.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for repairing Watches," and addressed to the undersigned, must be deposited in the Railway Tender Box, Crown Lands Office, La Trobe street west, at or before Twelve o'clock a.m. of Friday, the 22nd instant.

JAS. G. FRANCIS.

Department of Railways.
Secretary's Office, William street,
Melbourne, 9th December, 1865.

FUEL AT WARRNAMBOOL.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Wednesday, 13th December, 1865, for supplying the Government Departments at Warrnambool, during the year 1866, with Firewood (she-oak, white or red gum), at per ton of forty (40) cubic feet.

Printed forms of tender and every information can be obtained from the Chairman of the Board, to whom the tenders, sealed and marked "Tender for Firewood," are to be sent.

No tender will be entertained unless the certificate be filled up and signed by some responsible person willing to become bound in the sum of £20 for the due fulfilment of the contract. The bond to be executed within five (5) days after acceptance of the tender.

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

LEWIS GILLES,
Chairman of Local Board.

Court House,
Warrnambool, 30th November, 1865.

FIREWOOD AND WATER, CASTLEMAINE.

TENDERS will be received up to Twelve o'clock on Thursday, the 14th December next, by the Chairman of the Tender Board at Castlemaine, for the supply of Firewood and Water to the various Government Departments requiring, the same during the year 1866.

Security either by bond or bank deposit receipt, will be required in the sum of £20 for each contract.

Full particulars may be obtained on application to the Chairman of the Board.

J. M. BULL,
Chairman of the Board.

Resident Warden's Office,
Castlemaine, 28th November, 1865.

FIREWOOD, BEECHWORTH.

TENDERS will be received by the Chairman of the Tender Board at the above-mentioned place up to Twelve o'clock on the 16th December next, for the supply of Firewood to the various Government Departments requiring the same during 1866 at Beechworth.

Security either by bond or bank deposit receipt, will be required in the sum of £20 for the contract.

Full particulars may be obtained on application to the Chairman of the Board.

WILLIAM H. GAUNT, P.M.,
Chairman.

Warden's Office,
Beechworth, 24th November, 1865.

FUEL AT DAYLESFORD.

TENDERS will be received until Noon on Friday, the 15th day of December, 1865, for supplying the Government Department at Daylesford, during the year 1866, with Firewood (she-oak, white or red gum), at per ton of forty (40) cubic feet.

Printed forms of tender and every information can be obtained from the Chairman of the Board, to whom tenders, sealed and marked "Tender for Firewood," are to be forwarded.

No tender will be entertained unless the certificate be filled up and signed by some responsible person willing to become bound in the sum of Twenty pounds (£20) for the due fulfilment of the contract.

The bond to be executed within five days after acceptance of the tender.

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

W. DRUMMOND, P.M.,
Chairman of the Board.

Court House, Daylesford,
5th December, 1865.

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

THE following is a list of the Acts which have been published during the session, and may be obtained at the prices affixed to each.

No.		s.	d.
234.	Trustees	2	0
235.	Pensions to Responsible Officers	1	0
236.	Appropriation of £60,000 to service of 1864	1	0
237.	Amending Land Act 1865	1	6
238.	Doubts Mining Bye-laws	1	0
239.	Dividing Fences	1	0
240.	Letters Patent for Inventions	1	6

No.		s.	d.
241.	Protection and Recovery of Crown Property and the enforcement of Claims against the Crown	1	0
242.	Practice in the Supreme Court in its Equitable Jurisdiction	1	0
243.	Bakers and Millers	1	0
244.	Trusts for Religious Purposes	1	0
245.	Relating to Seamen	1	0
246.	Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages	1	6
247.	Unlawful Assemblies, Special Constables, and Riotously Disturbed Districts	1	0
248.	Pawnbrokers	1	6
249.	Impounding of Cattle	1	6
250.	Eradication of Thistles	1	0
251.	Wrights	1	0
252.	Licensed Theatres	1	0
253.	Relating to Coroners	1	0
254.	Friendly Societies	1	0
255.	Passengers, Harbors, and Navigation	2	6
256.	Aliens	1	0
257.	Police Force in Victoria	1	0
258.	Hawkers and Pedlars	1	0
259.	Chinese immigrating to or resident in Victoria	1	0
260.	Consolidated Revenue	1	0
261.	County Courts	1	6
262.	Medical Practitioners	1	0
263.	Savings Banks	1	0
264.	Public Health	2	0
265.	Police Offences	2	0
266.	Volunteer Force	1	0
267.	Justices of Peace	4	0
268.	Divorce and Matrimonial Causes	1	6
269.	St. Kilda and Brighton Railway Sale	1	6
270.	Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Railway Amalgamation	2	0
271.	Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Railway Amendment	1	0
272.	Juries	2	0
273.	Insolvency	3	6
274.	Common Law Procedure	6	0
275.	Drainage Quartz Reefs	1	0
276.	Consolidated Revenue	1	0
277.	Post Office	1	6
278.	Sandhurst and Inglewood Tramway	1	6
279.	Electoral Act Amendment	5	8
280.	Liens on Crops, 1865	1	0
281.	Hawkers and Pedlars Amendment	1	0
282.	County Courts Amendment	1	0
283.	Instruments and Securities Amendment	1	0
284.	Imprisonment for Debt	1	0
285.	Victorian Mint, 1865	1	0
286.	Fisheries and Game Amendment	1	0
287.	Public Loan	1	0
288.	Water Works	1	0
289.	Public Works	4	6
290.	Common Law Amendment	1	0
291.	Mining Statute	5	0
292.	Imprisonment for Debt Amendment	1	0

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December, 1865.

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December, 1863.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. GORDON AND GOTCH, of Great Collins street west, Melbourne, and 4, Hunter street, Sydney, and Messrs. HEATH AND CORDELL, 18, Malop street west, Geelong, are appointed Agents to receive Advertisements and Subscriptions for the Government Gazette.

J. FERREES,
Government Printer

1st October, 1862.

Private Advertisements.

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN MAHONY, of Springdallah, in the colony of Victoria, contractor.

Geelong Circuit District.

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

Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3411

In the Insolvent Estate of GEORGE A. CARTER, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3412

In the Insolvent Estate of JOSEPH STREETER, of Stuartmill, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper and miner.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3413

In the Insolvent Estate of EDWIN TAYLOR, of Spring Creek, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3414

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

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3415

In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS BREMNER, of Allansford, in the colony of Victoria, miller.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3416

In the Insolvent Estate of DANIEL MITCHELL, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, publican.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3417

In the Insolvent Estate of WILLIAM STEELE, of Rosebrook, in the colony of Victoria, fellmonger.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3418

In the Insolvent Estate of JOHN TREGURTHA BERRYMAN, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3419

In the Insolvent Estate of BROWN HERN, of Dunkeld, in the colony of Victoria, innkeeper.

Geelong Circuit District.

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Dated at Geelong, this 7th day of December, A.D. 1865.

JAMES SIMSON,
Official Assignee.

No. 3420

NATIONAL GOLD MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned Frederick Estcourt Bucknall, hereby make application to register the National 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, viz.:-

1. The name and style of the company is "The National Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is on Holt's Reef, Armidale Gully, Bendigo.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Six thousand pounds, in twelve thousand shares of Ten shillings each.
4. The amount already paid up is Six hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Frederick Estcourt Bucknall.
6. The office of the company is at Williamson street, Sandhurst.
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.
William Hemming, Sandhurst	2400
Joseph Doody, Eaglehawk	1200
Archibald McCrossman, Eaglehawk	1200
William Aston Bucknall, Sandhurst	1200
William Latham, Sandhurst	2400
Frederick Estcourt Bucknall, Sandhurst	1200
Michael Heffernan, Sandhurst	600
James Leakey, Sandhurst	600
John Wearne, Sailors Gully	1200

F. E. BUCKNALL,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
JAMES SIMPSON.

No. 3397

[SCHEDULE.]

APPLICATION FOR GOLD MINING LEASE.

TAKE notice that after the lapse of seven days, we will leave with the warden for Stringer's Creek, in the mining division of Beechworth, an application for gold mining lease, the particulars whereof are hereunder set forth:—

Name in full of applicants and style under which it is intended that the lease shall be carried on.	Full address of each applicant.	Extent of ground applied for.	Minimum number of men to be employed.	Amount of money proposed to be invested, and in what manner the ground is to be worked.	(1.) Precise locality. (2.) Term for which lease is applied for. (3.) Time of commencing operations.	Whether the boundaries of the land applied for will include any river, creek or permanent water, spring, or any artificial reservoir.	General Remarks.
William Moore Patrick O'Brien The Nonpareil Gold Mining Company	Happy-Go-Lucky Stringer's Creek	About 25 acres	For the first six months, two men When in full work, eight men	£8000 Labour and machinery	(1.) Happy-Go-Lucky (2.) Fifteen years (3.) When the lease is granted	None	None.

Name of applicants, with addresses: William Brow, Happy-Go-Lucky; Patrick O'Brien, Stringer's Creek.
Date and place—Happy-Go-Lucky, 20th November, 1865.

No. 3322

SHIRE OF BALLARAT.

PROPOSED DIVERSION OF ROAD, PARISH OF DOWLING FOREST.

THE Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Ballarat hereby give notice that they deem it expedient to divert the main road from Ballarat to Lexton, known as the Avoca road, in the said shire, through certain land belonging to or in the occupation of James Johnston, situate in the parish of Dowling Forest, being Government allotment twenty-two, and for that purpose they propose to take portion of the said land.

The following is a description of the land proposed to be taken:—

All that piece of land situate and being in the parish of Dowling Forest, in the county of Grenville, being part of Government allotment twenty-two, and bounded as follows, namely:—Commencing at a point on the west boundary of the said allotment, being eighteen chains and thirty-two links south of the north angle of the said allotment, and bounded on the west by a road bearing south three chains and six links; on the south by part of allotment twenty-two, bearing east ten degrees fifty-two minutes, south fourteen chains and seventy-two links; on the north-east by a three-chain road, being known as the Ballarat and Avoca main road, bearing west fifty-nine degrees nine minutes north four chains and four links; on the north by part of allotment twenty-two, bearing west ten degrees fifty-two minutes north twelve chains and sixty-two links, to the commencing point. Area, Four acres and seventeen perches.

The specifications, maps, plans, sections, and other papers relating to the proposed work, and expressing the nature and extent thereof, have been deposited in the office of the said council, situate at Learmonth, in the said shire, and are now lying there for inspection by all persons interested. The purpose of such specifications, maps, and plans being a description and delineation of the proposed diversion, and the general manner in which the same is proposed to be executed.

All persons affected by the proposed work are hereby called upon and required to set forth in writing, addressed to the council of the said shire, or their secretary, within forty days from the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, all objections which they may have to the said work.

Signed by order of the Council of the said shire, this 6th day of October, 1865.

JAMES LAIDLAW,
President of the said Council.

No. 3422

In the Supreme Court.—*Ex. Fa.*

GRANT v. SWALES.—No. 3289.

BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES v. SAME.—No. 3372.

WILSON AND OTHERS v. SAME.—No. 3399.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sheriff of the Maryborough Circuit District will cause to be sold at the Melvor Hotel, Maryborough, at Twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 13th day of January, 1866, all the abovesaid defendant's right, title, and interest (if any) in and to all the following allotments of land, together with all improvements, situate at Wedderburne:—Lots 5, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 24, of section A; lots 5, 10, 12, 13, section N; lots 1, 2, 4, of section O; unless these executions be sooner satisfied. Terms, cash.

GEO. RICHARDS,
Sheriff's Officer.

No. 3399

SHIRE OF METCALFE.

THE Council of this Shire has appointed
MR. GEORGE AVERY
a Manager of the Faraday Farmers' Common, *vice* Mr. William Potts, removed.

(By Order)

THOS. B. MUNTZ,
Secretary.

Shire Office, Green Hill,
6th December, 1865.

No. 3423

SHIRE OF WINCHELSEA.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the business of the Shire Pound is removed from Stirling's Yards to the New Yards, erected by the Shire Council at Winchelsea.

(By order of the Council)

JOHN ELKINGTON,
Secretary.

Winchelsea, 7th December, 1865.

No. 3421

SHIRE OF MALDON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Council of the Shire of Maldon has appointed the following gentlemen to be Managers of the Farmers' Commons, as under, viz.:—

J. G. WALSH,
JOHN LEWIS, and
JOHN MORGAN,
for the Walmer Common;

WILLIAM POWELL,
EDWARD EDWARDS, and
JOHN HAMILTON,
for the Baringhup West Common;

JOSEPH WATSON,
THOMAS BROADFOOT, and
DAVID MARSHALL,
for the Baringhup East Common; and

FRANCIS DIBBS,
JOHN FARREN, and
DAVID JONES,
for the Muckleford Common.

JOHN B. JONES,
Secretary.

Shire Office, Maldon,
6th December, 1865.

No. 3396

EBLANA (QUARTZ) GOLD MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned Thomas Bregazzi, hereby make application to register the Eblana (Quartz) Gold Mining Company, Conway's Reef (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 Eblana (Quartz) Gold Mining Company, Conway's Reef (registered)."
2. The place of intended operations is at Bristol Hill, Maryborough.
3. The nominal capital of the company is £7500, in 3000 shares of £2 10s. each.
4. The amount already paid up is £1080.
5. The name of the manager is Thomas Bregazzi.
6. The office of the company is at High street, Maryborough.
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.
Robert Henry Dunn, Maryborough	100
Richard Conway, Maryborough	100
John Dunn, Maryborough	200
Henry Adair, Maryborough	100
Daniel Taylor, Maryborough	100
Murdoch Macleod, Maryborough	100
Stephen Ramsay Beatty, Maryborough	100
Francis Marchant Laidman, Maryborough	100
Thomas Bregazzi, Maryborough	100
William Fairclough, Dunolly	100
Daniel Turkin, Talbot	100
William Coulter, Melbourne	100
John Curle Patterson, Melbourne	100
Michael Frederick Gordon, Melbourne	100
Henry Alexander Bruce, Melbourne	100
Henry Levy, Melbourne	100
Edward Russell Daunt, Queen street, Melbourne	100
Leonard Prendergast, Melbourne	100
Charles Frederick Nicholls, Collins street, Melbourne	100
Capt. George Pryde, King street, Melbourne	100
John McGee, Elizabeth street, Melbourne	100
George Gissing, St. Kilda	100
Edward Harewood Lascelles, Geelong	100
Charles Edward Farrell, Geelong	100
William Tait, Geelong	100
George Frederick Thomas, Geelong	100
Henry John Robinson, New Town, Geelong	100
Capt. Edward Foster Lakeman, Melbourne	100
Daniel Maginice Magill, Melbourne	100

Dated this 7th day of December, 1865.

THOMAS BREGAZZI,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
J. EVANS.

No. 3407

BENDIGO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned John Hasker, hereby make application to register the Bendigo 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:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The Bendigo Quartz Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of intended operations is the Dartmouth Reef, Inglewood.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Ten thousand pounds in ten thousand shares of One pound each.
4. The amount already paid up is Five thousand pounds.
5. The name of the manager is John Hasker.
6. The office of the company is at View Point, Sandhurst.
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.
Nicholas Richards, California Gully, Sandhurst	500
Johnson Kitchen Robshaw, Sandhurst	500
Joseph Dorratt, California Gully, Sandhurst	500
Wm. K. Johnston, Sandhurst	500
Andrew Canavan, Sandhurst	500
Jesse Hodgson, Sailor's Gully	500
John Hasker, Sandhurst	500
Adam King, Sandhurst	500
Tyson Asbridge Pearson, California Gully, Sandhurst	500
Joseph Alexander, California Gully, Sandhurst	250
John Alfick Calaghan, California Gully, Sandhurst	250
Lawrence Fardy, California Gully, Sandhurst	250
Matthew Conway, California Gully, Sandhurst	250
James Herschell, Long Gully	500
Edward Parry, California Gully	500
Marcus Cooper, Inglewood	1250
Ambrose Bellingham, California Gully	250
John Pulling, California Gully	500
William Pulling, California Gully	500
Thomas McCoy, California Gully	250
Henry Tatchell, Inglewood	250
William Tatchell, Inglewood	250
James Quin, Huntly	250
	10,000

Dated this fifth day of December, 1865.

JOHN HASKER,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
G. N. CRAIG, No. 3406

KOH-I-NOOR MINING, DRAINAGE, AND CRUSHING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned Dirk Frederick Pearson, do hereby make application to register the Koh-i-Noor Mining, Drainage, and Crushing 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 Koh-i-Noor Mining, Drainage, and Crushing Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Ironbark, east of Latham and Watson's, Sandhurst.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Twenty thousand pounds, in twenty thousand shares of One pound each.
4. The amount already paid up is Ten thousand pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Dirk Frederick Pearson.
6. The office of the company is at present at Long Gully, Sandhurst.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows, viz:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
Dirk Frederick Pearson, Long Gully	4000
Albert Johan Denker, California Hill	4000
Francis Charles Aldworth, Sandhurst	4000
Robert Taylor, Long Gully	4000
John Wade, Ironbark	4000

Dated this 6th day of December, 1865.

D. F. PEARSON,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
WILLIAM CASEY, No. 3408

UNITED GLENGOWER GOLD MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned John Newton Chambers, hereby make application to register the United Glengower 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 United Glengower Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Campbelltown.
3. The nominal capital of the company is (£3625) Three thousand six hundred and twenty-five pounds, in (725) seven hundred and twenty-five shares of (£5) Five pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up on (225) two hundred and twenty-five A shares is (£1125) One thousand one hundred and twenty-five pounds, or (£25) Five pounds per share, and on (500) five hundred B shares is Nil.

5. The name of the manager is John Newton Chambers.
6. The office of the company is at Vincent street, Daylesford.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

A SHARES.—Alexander Mackenzie, Bullarook, 36; Thomas Spinks, Campbelltown, 28; Henry Hepburn, Smeaton, 22; James Philp, Wahgunyah, 16; John James, Smeaton, 13; John Anderson, Smeaton, 9; William Cattinach, Smeaton, 8; Richard Culvenor, Rocky Hill, 8; R. B. Williams, Smeaton, 6; Adam Beveridge, Kingston, 4; William Allen, Campbelltown, 4; Henry Bleackley, Daylesford, 4; Robert Davies, Smeaton, 4; Robert McIntosh, Deep Creek, 4; Michael Kavanagh, Bullarook, 4; John Harman, Rocky Hill, 4; Alexander Provost, Blanket Flat, 4; William Roberts, Ballarat, 4; James Bourke, Eastern Hill, 3; George Towsey, Daylesford, 3; Charles B. Murray, Ballarat, 3; William Toplin, Blanket Flat, 2; Daniel Lynch, Blanket Flat, 2; Edmund Fitzpatrick, Eastern Hill, 2; Joseph Marshall, Smeaton, 2; John McAndrew, Smeaton, 2; James McColl, Mount Prospect, 2; Gordon McColl, Mount Prospect, 2; William Law McFadyen, Glengower, 2; David Fitzpatrick, Blanket Flat, 2; David Davis, Daylesford, 1; Simon Kozmowsky, Daylesford, 1; Henry Down, Daylesford, 1; George Rickaby, Blanket Flat, 1; James Peterson, Glengower, 1; Manager, in trust for A shareholders, 11. Total, 225.

B SHARES.—John Anderson, Smeaton, 50; Henry Hepburn, Smeaton, 10; Charles B. Murray, Ballarat, 10; Benjamin Butterworth, Smeaton, 10; Joseph Marshall, Smeaton, 10; Peter Finlayson, Bullarook, 10; Hugh Patterson, Dean, 10; Robert Davies, Smeaton, 6; Alexander Calder, Smeaton, 6; John James, Smeaton, 5; John McAndrew, Smeaton, 5; Alexander Wilson, Smeaton, 5; Joseph Belcher, Smeaton, 5; Alexander McKenzie, Bullarook, 5; James Martin, Smeaton, 5; Gordon McColl, Mount Prospect, 5; James McColl, Mount Prospect, 5; James Bourke, Blanket Flat, 5; Adam Beveridge, Kingston, 4; Thomas Spinks, Campbelltown, 4; Henry Williams, Smeaton, 4; Alexander Lamont, Smeaton, 4; William Cattinach, Smeaton, 4; William Hussey, Mount Prospect, 4; R. B. Williams, Smeaton, 2; William Law McFaden, Glengower, 2; George Towsey, Daylesford, 2; William Toplin, Blanket Flat, 2; Daniel Lynch, Blanket Flat, 2; George Rickaby, Blanket Flat, 2; James Videau, Smeaton, 2; Manager, in trust for the Company, 235. Total, 500.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1865.

JOHN N. CHAMBERS,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
TIMOTHY BROWN, No. 3409

ALDINGA GOLD MINING COMPANY.

I, THE undersigned Jesse Hodgson, hereby make application to register the Aldinga 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 Aldinga Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Specimen Hill, Sailors Gully, Bendigo.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Ten thousand pounds, in twenty thousand shares of Ten shillings each.
4. The amount already paid up is Two thousand pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Jesse Hodgson.
6. The office of the company is at Sailors Gully, Bendigo.
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.
William Manning, Sailors Gully	1875
John Francis Lewis, Sandhurst	1250
William Whitfield, Sailors Gully	625
John Thomas, Sailors Gully	1250
Morris Parry, Sailors Gully	625
John Pritchard, Sailors Gully	4375
William Woodhead, Sailors Gully	1250
Jean Baptiste Lorian, Sandhurst	625
Eugene Hegarty, Sailors Gully	625
David Dickson, Sandhurst	625
David Moorhead, Sailors Gully	625
John Illingworth, Sailors Gully	625
Richard Henry Andrews, Eaglehawk	625
Daniel Hegarty, Sailors Gully	625
David McNey, Sandhurst	625
Jonathan Wright Hodgson, Sailors Gully	1250
Jesse Hodgson, Sailors Gully	1250
Joseph Hodgson, Sailors Gully	1250

J. HODGSON,
Manager.

Witness to signature—
WILLIAM CASEY, No. 3404

THE THOMPSON RIVER GOLD MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

I, THE undersigned James Attwood, hereby make application to register the Thompson River 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 knowledge and belief, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the company is "The Thompson River Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at the junction of Cooper's Creek and Thompson River.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Four thousand pounds, in one thousand six hundred shares of Two pounds ten shillings each.

4. The amount already paid up is Two thousand four hundred pounds in value of the claim.
 5. The name of the manager is James Attwood.
 6. The office of the company is on Stringer's Creek.
 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.
James Attwood, Stringer's Creek...	200
T. Newson, Stringer's Creek ...	400
H. Laing, Cooper's Creek ...	300
J. Graham, Happy-Go-Lucky ...	150
C. Neville, Stringer's Creek ...	100
John Humphrey, Stringer's Creek ...	100
Geo. Craig, Cooper's Creek ...	200
H. Ballie, Stringer's Creek ...	100
D. Stewart, Cooper's Creek ...	50
	1600

Dated this 30th day of November, 1865.

JAMES ATTWOOD,

Manager.

Witness to signature—
JOHN W. BAKER.

No. 3398

NORTH MOUNT USEFUL AMALGAMATED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

WE, the undersigned, being a majority in number and value of the shareholders in the North Mount Useful Amalgamated Quartz Mining Company (registered), Donnelly's Creek, hereby consent to the said company being registered under the provisions of the Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1864; and we authorise Mr. James Pendlebury, to sign the memorial, as manager, for the purpose of said registration.

Signatures.	Witness.
John Arabin, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
Hugh Henderson, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
Thomas Hogan, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
David Lyons, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
Thomas Walker, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
William Black, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
H. T. Neighbour, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd
Casper Marks, Donnelly's Creek	Richard Codd

Memorial of the Shareholders of the North Mount Useful Amalgamated Quartz Mining Company.

I, THE undersigned James Pendlebury, hereby make application to register the North Mount Useful Amalgamated 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 North Mount Useful Amalgamated Quartz Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Donnelly's Creek.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Four thousand five hundred pounds, in nine hundred shares of Five pounds each.
4. The amount already paid up is Three thousand six hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is James Pendlebury.
6. The office of the company is at Donnelly's Creek.
7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name and Residence.	No. of Shares.
Hugh Henderson, Donnelly's Creek	250
William Henderson Campbell, Melbourne...	64
Casper Marks, Melbourne	64
John Arabin, Donnelly's Creek	64
John Page Price, Sale...	128
Thomas Hogan, Donnelly's Creek	64
David Lyons, Donnelly's Creek	64
Thomas Walker, Donnelly's Creek	64
William Black, Donnelly's Creek	64
H. T. Neighbour, Donnelly's Creek	64
James Pendlebury, Donnelly's Creek	4
	900

Dated this seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

JAMES PENDLEBURY,

Manager.

Witness to signature—
A. QUINN.

No. 3401

THE BON ACCORD GOLD MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

I, THE undersigned William Aston Bucknall, hereby make application to register the Bon Accord 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 Bon Accord Gold Mining Company."
2. The place of operations is at Ironstone Hill, Epson.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Five thousand pounds, in ten thousand shares of Ten shillings each.
4. The amount already paid up is One thousand pounds.
5. The name of the manager is William Aston Bucknall.
6. The office of the company is at Williamson street, Sandhurst.

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.
Harry Schultze, Ironstone Hill ...	500
John Logan, Ironstone Hill ...	500
John Tackaberry, Ironstone Hill ...	500
Heinrich Stukenschmidt, Ironstone Hill ...	500
John McLachlan, Sandhurst ...	500
Henry Green, Sandhurst ...	500
George James Bignell, Sandhurst ...	500
David Frew, Sandhurst ...	500
William Aston Bucknall, Sandhurst ...	500
James Leahy, Sandhurst ...	500
Edward Holton, Sandhurst ...	500
Charles Sayer, Sandhurst ...	500
William Henry Rigby, Sandhurst ...	500
George Elliott, Sandhurst ...	500
James Heather Atkinson, Sandhurst ...	500
Frederick Estcourt Bucknall, Sandhurst ...	500
Johnson Kitchen Robshaw, Sandhurst ...	500
William Pinnock Neal, Sandhurst ...	500
George Stewart Cox, Sandhurst ...	500
William Nathaniel Bird, Sandhurst ...	500

Dated this 1st day of December, 1865.

WILLIAM ASTON BUCKNALL,

Manager.

Witness to signature—
MAURICE HEALY.

No. 3403

KAMAROOKA GOLD MINING COMPANY (REGISTERED).

I, THE undersigned William Nathaniel Bird, hereby make application to register the Kamarooka Gold Mining Company (registered), Doubtful Reef, 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 Kamarooka Gold Mining Company (registered)."
2. The place of operations is at Doubtful Reef, Kamarooka.
3. The nominal capital of the company is Fifteen thousand pounds, in fifteen thousand shares of One pound each.
4. The amount already paid up is Seven thousand five hundred pounds.
5. The name of the manager is William Nathaniel Bird.
6. The office of the company is at Pall Mall, Sandhurst.
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.
William Gunn, Kangaroo Flat, Sandhurst ...	2000
James Goodwin, Raywood ...	2000
John Goodwin, Sandhurst ...	2000
Daniel Hart, Sandhurst ...	2000
William Ekersley, Kamarooka ...	3000
Robert Urie, Sandhurst ...	2000
John Jamison, Sandhurst ...	2000

WILLIAM N. BIRD,

Manager.

Witness to signature—
MICHAEL MEAGHER.

No. 3402

In the Supreme Court of the }
Colony of Victoria. }
Elliott v. Keys.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sheriff of the Sandhurst Circuit District will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Albert Hotel, Sandhurst, on Saturday, the 13th day of January, 1866, at 12 o'clock noon, all the right, title, and interest of John Keys in and to a certain piece or parcel of land, being the undivided moiety of allotment No. 16, of section C, Golden Gully, parish of Sandhurst, county unnamed, as now held and enjoyed by the said John Keys.

J. E. LUTON,

No. 3400

Bailiff.

PATENT FOR AN INVENTION INTITULED "AN INVENTION FOR A COMPOSITION FOR BLASTING AND OTHER PURPOSES."

THIS is to notify that Pedro Nisser, of Melbourne, did, on the twenty-ninth day of July, 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 Pedro Nisser 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 Saturday, the sixth day of January 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 second day of January, 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 first day of December, A.D. 1865.

GEO. HIGGINBOTHAM,

Attorney General.

Crown Law Offices,
192, Collins street east.

No. 3424

PATENT FOR AN INVENTION INTITLED "AN INVENTION OF A COMPOSITION TO BE USED AS AN EXPLOSIVE POWER FOR ORDNANCE AND FIRE-ARMS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

THIS is to notify that Pedro Nisser, of Melbourne, did, on the twenty-ninth day of July 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 Pedro Nisser 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 Saturday, the sixth day of January next, at Twelve 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 second day of January, 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 first day of December, A.D. 1865.

GEO. HIGINBOTHAM,
Attorney General.

Crown Law Offices,
192, Collins street east.

No. 3425

REAL PROPERTY ACT.
No. 815.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph Donald, of Leveson street, in the parish of North Melbourne, county of Bourke, engineer, 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 1st day of December, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Part of allotment six of section two, North Melbourne, county of Bourke: Commencing at the north-east corner of the allotment; thence by lines bearing west sixty feet, south thirty-one feet, again west twelve feet, again south thirty-five feet, east seventy-two feet, and north along the west side of Leveson street sixty-six feet, to the commencing point.

W. K. HUGHES,
Assistant Registrar General.

No. 3410

REAL PROPERTY ACT.
No. 857.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hugh Glass, of a Beckett street, Melbourne, merchant, 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 1st day of December, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Part of portion forty and forty-one, parish of Prahran, county of Bourke: Commencing at a point on the east side of William street one hundred and twelve feet north from High street; thence bearing east two hundred and sixty-four feet; thence north five hundred and forty-eight feet; thence west thirty-three feet; thence south five hundred and fifteen feet; thence west two hundred and thirty-one feet; and thence south thirty-three feet along William street to the commencing point.

W. K. HUGHES,
Assistant Registrar General.

THOS. C. NOLAN,
Solicitor, 55, Bourke street west.

No. 3405

REAL PROPERTY ACT.
No. 870.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hugh Short, of Flinders street west, Melbourne, hotel keeper, and Emma Matear, wife of James Matear, contractor, of Docker street, Richmond, near Melbourne, have 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 30th day of November, 1865.

THE LAND REFERRED TO.

Allotment six of Section eight, town of Footscray, parish of Cut-paw-paw, county of Bourke.

W. K. HUGHES,
Assistant Registrar General.

No. 3394

NOTICE.

THE co-partnership hitherto existing between William Humble, Ward Nicholson, and John Lessels, engineers, smiths, and founders, of La Trobe terrace, Geelong, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on by William Humble, Ward Nicholson, and John Valantine, under the style and title of "Humble and Co." Geelong, 4th November, 1865.

No. 3380

TWO POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED from Trentham, bay draught horse, star, branded S H near shoulder, rat tail, shod, bell on.
J. B. ENDERS.

LOST from Durham Lead on 21th November, a bay mare, branded M near shoulder (brand nearly invisible), black points. Finder rewarded. Apply to J. Hiltan, Sportsman's Hotel, Durham Lead.

No. 3427

LOST or stolen, from near Ballan, one red roan horse, branded M on near shoulder, age 4 years. One dark grey mare, branded S (hook) near shoulder, age 5 years off.

Caution all auctioneers and poundkeepers. £5 reward, if stolen. Apply to Henry Corbett, P. O. Ballan.

No. 3426

LOST.—A little bay mare, with black points, and star on forehead. If found, and returned to the owner, Mr. Edward O'Brien, Essendon, £2 reward will be given.

No. 3395

Impoundings.

ARARAT.—Impounded at the Ararat Borough Pound, on 8th December, 1865, by Mr. H. M. Darke, Borough Inspector.—Trespass 1s. each.

130. White sow pig, black patch near side and on rump
131. White boar pig, progeny of No. 130
132-134. Three small sow pigs, black with white legs
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

THOMAS GIBSON,
Poundkeeper.

5/

BALLARAT.—Impounded in Ballarat Shire Pound, 6th December, 1865, by Mr. A. Hobson.—Trespass 8s.

1364. Red and white poley heifer, like A13 off rump
8th December, by Mr. J. McIntosh.—Trespass 6d.
1387. Black horse, star and stripe, near hind foot white, short tail, heart over C in diamond near shoulder, B off shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

J. JOHNSTON,
Poundkeeper.

5/

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 1st December, 1865, by O. W. O'Reilly, Esq., Wando Station.—Trespass 1s.

247. Strawberry spotted bullock, like LR or K off rump.—
Damages £3, for breaking fences and spoiling crop
248. Red and white bullock, AJ near rump
249. Red and white bullock, OR off rump, H near rump
250. Red and white bullock, OR off rump, JC or G off loin
251. Red and white bullock, ditto, ditto
252. Brindle cow, ditto, ditto
253. Red and white bullock, ditto, ditto
254. Red cow, L near rump, ditto, ditto
255. Red and white spotted bullock, like T near rump, ditto, ditto

256. Roan or dark red and white spotted bullock, notch out of back quarter off ear, tip off near ear, no visible brand
On the 2nd December, by W. H. Tucker, Esq., Spring Bank.—
No trespass.

263. Dark grey or iron grey horse, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

11/

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 4th December, 1865, by Shepherd from Wando Vale.

Eight sheep, five wethers and three ewes, ear mark; wethers front quarter off ear, tip off near ear; ewes, front quarter near ear, tip off off ear, brand indistinguishable
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

4/6

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 6th December, 1865, by M. A. King, Esq., Muntham.

16 sheep, the same ear marks as those impounded from Wando Vale
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

HENRY DAVIS,
Poundkeeper.

4/

CHILTERN.—Impounded at Chiltern, 5th December, 1865.

2813. Old red poley cow, cancer jaw, low condition, CB near rump
2814. Red and white steer calf, progeny
2815. Roan or strawberry yearling heifer, CB off rump and ribs

6th December.
 2820. Roan cow, ears marked, large TC off rump, $\frac{F}{E}$ or $\frac{E}{F}$ over TC off ribs, WY off thigh
 2821. Brown or black heifer calf, progeny, C off rump
 2822. Leopard spotted cow, G off thigh, B over blotch brand off ribs (the upper G may be a tar brand)
 2823. Spotted bull stag, like JC near ribs
 2836. Yellow or red and white cow, blotch over and conjoined to like CB off rump (the B blotched)
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 JOHN STRICKLAND,
 Poundkeeper.

10/6
CLUNES.—Impounded at Clunes, 7th December, 1865.
 802. Strawberry sided bull, white back and belly, no visible brand, ear marked.—Damages £1.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 GEORGE TAYLOR,
 Poundkeeper.

3/6
CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick, by Mr. Joseph House, jun.—Trespass 5s. each.
 32. Red and white cow, W.C. off rump, blind off eye
 33. Red and white cow, W.C. off rump, cock horns
 34. Light yellow poley cow, W.C. off rump
 35. Red cow, piece out of each ear, W.C. off rump, C off ribs
 36. Strawberry cow, like K. off ribs, like QB or K conjoined off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 THOS. LANG,
 Poundkeeper.

6/
ELPHINSTONE.—Impounded at Elphinstone.
 1217. White or light strawberry cow, poley, W off shoulder, JF off rump, red ears.—Notice sent to supposed owner
 1256-1267. 12 goats, both sexes, various colors
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 C. BOURNE,
 Poundkeeper.

4/
GLASS'S CREEK.—Impounded at Glass's Creek, by Mr. A. Morgan.—Trespass 1s. 6d.
 337. Bay horse, collar and saddle marked, coronet near hind foot, blistered on fore legs, like < off shoulder, illegible brand under saddle off side.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 JOHN OAKES,
 Poundkeeper.

4/6
KALKALLO.—Impounded at Kalkallo, 4th December, 1865.
 792. Roan strawberry bull, RA off ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 W. B. GADD,
 Poundkeeper.

3/
KEILOR.—Impounded at Keilor, by E. Wilson, Esq., 5th December, 1865.—Trespass 6d.
 363. Blackish and white cow, tan in places, like J near side of back and ribs, both ears marked.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 E. BONFIELD,
 Poundkeeper.

4/6
KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 5th December, 1865, by Thomas Fenton, Esq.—Trespass damages 1s. each.
 143. Bay mare, black points, long switch tail, J or J and a square under off cheek
 144. Fleabitten grey horse, switch tail, saddle and collar marked, like KI near thigh, \square or square near cheek, like half circle and illegible under near shoulder
 145. Black colt, long switch tail, star, like C or G near shoulder
 146. Light grey mare, switch tail, M near shoulder, W or W and M under off shoulder, T and like 4 after off neck
 147. Dark chesnut mare, large star, small streak and snip, switch tail, been shod all round, mark of sore wither, scar on off thigh, piece of rope on neck, illegible like small DC or DG off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 HUGH STEVENSON,
 Poundkeeper.

10/6
KERANG.—Impounded at Kerang, Lower Loddon, 7th December, by Thomas Fenton, Esq., Reedy Lake Station.—Trespass damages 1s.
 148. Bay horse, star, collar and saddle marked, shod all round, hobble strap on off fore foot, switch tail, 3M bar under near shoulder, 30 off shoulder, 3 off rump
 No. 185.—DECEMBER 12, 1865.—3.

Same day, by B. Rochford, Esq., Gunnawarra.
 149. Black cow, ear marked, cock horns, spectacle brand near rump, JT off ribs, like 8 off cheek
 150. Blue roan cow, cock horns, blotch brand near shoulder
 151. Yellow cow, white on face, down horns, SS near rump and ribs, UOI off rump
 152. White cow, off ear marked, point of near horn broken, L in circle off ribs
 On 8th December, by Messrs. Holloway Bros., Tragonell.—Trespass 1s.
 153. Dark brown or black mare, off hind fetlocks white, long switch tail, a few white hairs on forehead, like X or sand glass brand off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 HUGH STEVENSON,
 Poundkeeper.

11/6
KILMORE.—Impounded at Kilmore, 8th December, 1865.
 807. Bay horse, off quarters, WH off shoulder.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 C. G. ANDERSON,
 Poundkeeper.

3/
MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury.
 1 yellow and white bullock, worker, bell on, TOD near horn, WH off rump
 1 red brindle and white bullock, worker, ear marked, bell on, J and faint brand near rump
 1 red bull calf, white flanks, JA off rump
 1 red and white heifer calf, C off rump
 1 red and white bullock, worker, CB near horn, gK conjoined off thigh, indescribable brand off rump
 1 yellow and white bull, ear marked, JE off ribs.—Damages £2.
 1 grey filly, star, JS near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 M. SHERWIN,
 Poundkeeper.

7/6
MARONG.—Impounded at Marong Shire Pound, 5th December, 1865.—Trespass 6d. each.
 9221. White and black bull, G off ribs
 9222. White cow, G off ribs
 On 9th December.—Trespass 2s. 6d. each.
 9223-9254. Thirty-two head of goats of various colors and sexes
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 JOHN W. GOWER,
 Poundkeeper.

5/6
MCIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek, 5th December, 1865.—Trespass 1s. each.
 422. White cow, hoop horns, AW on the thigh milking side
 429. Strawberry poley cow, red about the head and neck, MCC near rump
 430. Red and white cow, piece out of off ear, no visible brands
 431. Red and white heifer calf, progeny of 430, no visible brands
 432. Red steer, W near and off rump
 433. Red poley cow, MCC near rump, K off rump
 434. Yellow and white cow, K off rump
 435. Red and white heifer, progeny of 434, tin on nose, no visible brands
 436. White heifer, no visible brands
 437. Yellow poley steer, W near and off rump
 438. Strawberry cow, like D off rump
 439. Red and white nobby steer, no visible brands
 440. Brindle and white steer, W near rump
 441. White bullock, hoop horns, 5 near shoulder, 5 near rump, piece out of near ear, W off rump
 442. White strawberry cow, MCC near rump
 Check tendered by the owner for payment of the above cattle, but not accepted.
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 JOHN WILSON,
 Poundkeeper.

13/6
MELBOURNE.—Impounded at Melbourne, 6th December, 1865, by Constable Michael Delaney.—Damages 20s. each.
 2289. Dappled or iron grey heavy draught mare, reddish tinge on parts, white face, long tail, legs very dark iron grey (nearly black), apparently collar marked, unshod, scar top of rump and above hooks, W near neck
 2290. Black or black brown mare, light or medium draught, few grey hairs interspersed on parts, star, long switch, collar marked, unshod, C off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 JOHN FELSTEAD,
 Poundkeeper.

6/6
MURCHISON.—Impounded at Murchison, 8th December, 1865, by C. Crofts.—Trespass 8s. each.
 277. Red and strawberry bullock, like blotch MT near DBJ near back, rope and bell on neck
 278. White bullock, with strawberry head and neck, IE off rump, 4 off hip, like HC off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.
 E. WILSON,
 Poundkeeper.

OMEO.—Impounded at Omeo, by Frank Vogan Clarkson, for William Degraives, Esq., Omeo Station.—Trespass 1s. per head.

21. Bay horse, CF near shoulder, F on thigh, C off shoulder
 22. Dark bay mare, S and heart off shoulder
 23. Iron grey colt, unbranded, progeny of 22
 29. Bay or brown mare, star on forehead, like EP near shoulder, white off fetlock
 30. Bay mare, star on forehead, OJ off shoulder
 31. Roan mare, four white legs, 452 off neck, 5 off shoulder, blaze on face
 33. Bay filly, star on forehead, WB near shoulder, JD off shoulder
 36. Bay mare, black points, unbranded
 38. Bay horse, blaze on face, two hind feet white, off fore fetlock white, 2 near shoulder, off shoulder put out

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

11/6 **GEORGE MILLS,**
Poundkeeper.

PENTRIDGE.—Impounded at Pentridge, 5th December, 1865, by Mr. Baker.—Trespass 6d.

978. Chesnut mare, saddle marked, broken halter on, long switch, white streak down face, O off shoulder
 On 6th December, by Mr. Henry.—Trespass 1s.
 980. Bay light saddle mare, star, black points, long switch, blotch brand like HB near shoulder

On 9th December, Mr. Fry, for Mr. Degraives.—Trespass 1s. 6d. each.

986. Red cow, white horns, JM off rump
 987. White cow, yellow ears and neck, off ear slit, no visible brand
 988. Red heifer calf, ditto, ditto
 989. White heifer calf, with a few dark spots, ditto, ditto
 990. Light strawberry heifer calf, ditto, ditto
 991. Black and white bull calf, white face, ditto, ditto
 992. White yearling heifer, ditto, ditto
 993. Dark red and white yearling heifer, white body and face ditto, ditto
 994. Red and white spotted heifer calf, white face, WH over like WH off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

13/ **F. W. BUZAGLO,**
Poundkeeper.

SANDHURST.—Impounded at Sandhurst.

1830. Bay horse, saddle marked, 9 off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

3/6 **DAN. MACKEY,**
Poundkeeper.

SKIPTON.—Impounded at Skipton, 8th December, 1865, by Mr. Wilkie.—Trespass 9d. each.

2040. Red bullock, roan face, near ear marked, cock horns, AVV near ribs, TF near rump
 2041. Red sided bullock, hoop horns, near ear marked, near ribs, LJ near thigh (tail of J to right)

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

5/6 **JOHN DALY,**
Poundkeeper.

STAWELL.—Impounded at Stawell Shire Pound, 8th December, 1865.

189. Bay colt, star, T upside down near shoulder

190. Iron grey filly, star, same brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

4/ **D. K. FITZGERALD,**
Poundkeeper.

SUGAR-LOAF-CREEK.—Impounded at Sugar-Loaf Creek.

1921. Brindle bullock, CH off rump, S in circle off thigh, WC near horn

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

3/6 **J. M. FERRELL,**
Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

WICKLIFFE.—Impounded at Wickliffe, 23rd November, 1865, by A. Austin, Esq.—Damages £10.
 188. Dark bay or brown entire colt, about two years old, long tail, unbroken, black points, like gf near neck

On same date, by same.—Trespass 9d. each.

189. Bay horse, long switch tail, blaze down face, both fetlocks white, over blotched brand near shoulder (the S to right)

190. Dark bay or brown mare, long switch tail, black points, collar marked, few white hairs in forehead, H near shoulder,
 191. Light roan or grey horse foal, near hind coronet white, appears to be motherless, unbranded

Were advertised incorrectly. Sale postponed till 3rd January, 1866.

8/6 **PHILIP L. SMITH,**
Poundkeeper.

WICKLIFFE.—Impounded at Wickliffe, 7th December, 1865, by Mr. S. Anderson.—Trespass 9d. each.

244. Light grey mare, switch tail, has been fired on all legs, branded FH and blotched brand under the H near shoulder

245. Brown horse, long switch tail, black points, part of near hind coronet white, few white hairs in forehead, has been girth galled, two indescribable blotched brands near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

7/ **PHILIP L. SMITH,**
Poundkeeper.

WYNDHAM.—Impounded at Wyndham Shire Pound, Kororoit Creek, 9th November, 1865.

- 1 bay pony, J off shoulder, J near thigh
 1 bay horse, shod, star on forehead, black points, LY off shoulder (L to the left)

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

4/6 **B. O. P. KNAPP,**
Poundkeeper.

WYNDHAM.—Impounded at the Wyndham Shire Pound, Kororoit Creek, on the 5th December, 1865, by Wm. Cherry.

- 1 bay mare, black points, JH on off shoulder, 8 on near ribs
 1 brown horse, star on forehead, G off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd January, 1866.

5/ **B. O. P. KNAPP,**
Poundkeeper.

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

	£	s.	d.
December 8.—Geo. Mills	1	0	0
December 8.—C. A. Chevasse	1	10	0
December 9.—John Daly	1	0	0
December 9.—Jas. Bromfield	0	10	0
December 11.—D. Mackey	1	0	0
December 11.—Geo. Taylor	1	0	0
December 11.—B. O. P. Knapp	0	10	0
December 11.—F. W. Buzaglo	1	0	0
December 11.—Jno. Felstead	1	0	0

11th December, 1865. **J. FERRES,**
Government Printer.

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