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The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF ARARAT.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Countts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Ararat has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the

amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £970 10s. in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £970 10s., being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Ararat for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £970 10s. be paid to the council in one instalment of £970 10s.

That the said sum of £970 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £970 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £970 10s. to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £970 10s. be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £97 1s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £97 1s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £970 10s. is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Sarah Backhouse ...	20	Ararat ...	18 0 0
Mary A. Burke ...	43	" ...	60 0 0
Thomas Brady ...	240	" ...	80 0 0
Louis Berryman ...	148	Woodnaggerack ...	25 0 0
William H. Borbridge ...	30	Burrumbidgee ...	10 0 0
Archibald Cameron ...	307	Bunnugal ...	75 0 0
James Clark ...	277	Moyston ...	4 0 0
John Fitzgerald ...	320	Wickliffe North ...	20 0 0
Henrietta C. Duver ...	20	Lexington ...	15 0 0
Betsy Gordon ...	80	Helendote ...	20 0 0
George D. Groen ...	132	Warrak ...	10 0 0
John Gregory ...	320	" ...	40 0 0
Michael Griffin ...	110	Crowlands ...	20 0 0
G. W. Harbugger ...	568	Jallukar ...	40 0 0
William Hold ...	50	" ...	20 0 0
Sarah A. Howells ...	30	Warrak ...	10 0 0
Christine Heide ...	190	Ararat ...	70 0 0
Phillip H. Laby ...	120	" ...	20 0 0
W. H. McIntosh ...	140	Warrak ...	40 0 0
Martin Nagle ...	87	" ...	15 0 0
John Pola ...	160	Lexington ...	35 0 0
E. A. Peterson ...	150	Ararat ...	45 0 0
J. and W. Price ...	414	Eversley ...	37 10 0
James Rapkin ...	20	Glenpatrick ...	24 0 0
William Slatery ...	336	Mount Cole ...	5 0 0
John Tait ...	18	Warrack ...	12 0 0
Caroline M. Tassall ...	50	" ...	40 0 0
William Thomson ...	220	Concongella South ...	60 0 0
William Webster ...	289	Glenpatrick ...	60 0 0
James White ...	46	Colinsby ...	15 0 0
John Mooney ...	75	Dunneworthy ...	25 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF BEECHWORTH.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Beechworth has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petition undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the Vermin Destruction Act 1890:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £220 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £220, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896, as a loan to the said shire of Beechworth for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £220 be paid to the council in one instalment of £220.

That the said sum of £220 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £220 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £220 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £220 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £22 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £22 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £220 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Charles H. Price ...	18	Barnawartha ...	25 0 0
Robert Craig ...	8	Stanley ...	10 0 0
Patrick O'Callaghan ...	703	Mudgegonga ...	50 0 0
Elizabeth Dixon ...	125	Whorouly ...	30 0 0
Robert Yule ...	9	Stanley ...	15 0 0
Geo. H. Watson ...	729	Beechworth ...	40 0 0
Dan Diffey ...	353	Tarrawingee ...	50 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF BERWICK.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Berwick has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest

in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £150 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £150, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Berwick for the purposes of the said *Vermin Destruction Acts*.

That the said sum of £150 be paid to the council in one instalment of £150.

That the said sum of £150 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £150 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £150 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £150 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £15 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £15 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £150 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
W. A. B. Tobin ...	22	Berwick ...	18 15 0
W. H. Bloomfield ...	320	Bunyip ...	75 0 0
W. H. Goff ...	76	Gembrook ...	25 0 0
S. E. Winter ...	86	Narree Warren ...	18 15 0
D. Cameron ...	11	Pakenham ...	12 10 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF BELFAST.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the *Vermin Destruction Acts* it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Belfast has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and

asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £576 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £576, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Belfast for the purposes of the said *Vermin Destruction Acts*.

That the said sum of £576 be paid to the council in one instalment of £576.

That the said sum of £576 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £576 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedules hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £576 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £576 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £57 12s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £57 12s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £576 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Lawrence Burns ...	51	Eumeralla ...	13 0 0
Daniel Carroll ...	196	Codrington ...	27 0 0
Michael Carroll ...	200	" ...	26 0 0
James Crow ...	507	Yambuk ...	27 0 0
John Dalton ...	220	Codrington ...	26 0 0
James Dysor ...	160	St. Helens ...	26 0 0
John Finn ...	1,415	Belfast ...	52 0 0
Cecelia Hardie ...	192	Koroit ...	17 0 0
Richard Har ...	160	" ...	45 0 0
James Kelly and James Kelly, jun. ...	251	Yambuk ...	42 0 0
Michael Kelly ...	314	Boothpool ...	30 0 0
William Kelly ...	99	" ...	33 0 0
Denis Lanigan ...	129	Yambuk ...	27 0 0
Patrick Madden ...	133	" ...	27 0 0
Daniel O'Shaughnessy ...	77	Codrington ...	7 0 0
Michael Quirilan ...	84	Koroit ...	41 0 0
John Ryan ...	130	" ...	10 0 0
Isaac Watts ...	638	St. Helens ...	26 0 0
Charles White ...	244	" ...	24 0 0
John Wright ...	296	Yambuk ...	50 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF BULLA.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Bulla has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £20 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £20, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Bulla for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £20 be paid to the council in one instalment of £20.

That the said sum of £20 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £20 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £20 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £20 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £2 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £2 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £20 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
Maurice McAuliffe ...	Acres. 378	Bulla Bulla ...	£ s. d. 20 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF CHARLTON.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Charlton has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence, and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £247 12s. 6d. in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £247 12s. 6d., being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire Council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Charlton for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £247 12s. 6d. be paid to the council in one instalment of £247 12s. 6d.

That the said sum of £247 12s. 6d. be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £247 12s. 6d. be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £247 12s. 6d. to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £247 12s. 6d. be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being

within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £24 16s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £24 16s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £247 12s. 6d. is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.	
			£	s. d.
	Acres.			
Ann Livingston ...	320	Glenloth ...	24	0 0
William Jackson ...	201	Wooronook ...	21	0 0
John McGrath ...	290	Jeruk ...	23	0 0
Alexander Murdoch ...	200	Teddywaddy ...	36	0 0
Thomas Harse ...	293	Woosang ...	43	0 0
Rudolf M. Klunder ...	16	Wooronook ...	18	0 0
Andrew Mills ...	20	Woosang ...	5	12 6
William G. Boyle ...	175	Buckrabanyule ...	12	0 0
James Hall ...	83	" ...	12	0 0
William G. Dunkley ...	273	Woosang ...	24	0 0
Denis Glasheen ...	106	Buckrabanyule ...	24	0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.
SHIRE OF COLAC.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Colac has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner (and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence) and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the Vermin Destruction Act 1890:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £432 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in

accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £432, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1890, as a loan to the said shire of Colac for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £432 be paid to the council in one instalment of £432.

That the said sum of £432 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £432 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £432 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £432 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £43 4s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £43 4s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £432 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.	
			£	s. d.
	Acres.			
William F. Edgar ...	88	Elliminyt ...	10	0 0
Archibald W. F. Edgar ...	86	" ...	10	0 0
Thomas H. Twinem ...	50	" ...	10	0 0
Catherine Maguire ...	165	Barongarook ...	12	0 0
William Revill ...	50	Yaughar ...	10	0 0
Patrick Conway ...	20	Barongarook ...	15	0 0
Susan Short ...	20	" ...	15	0 0
Michael Willis ...	653	" ...	20	0 0
Frederick Stanbury ...	20	Irrewillipe ...	20	0 0
Alexander Short ...	79	Elliminyt ...	20	0 0
David Price ...	131	Geranganite ...	25	0 0
C. J. Collins ...	242	Irrowarra ...	40	0 0
Joseph Crini ...	144	Irrewillipe ...	40	0 0
James Dowling, sen. ...	123	Yaughar ...	40	0 0
Ambrose Benallack ...	214	Elliminyt ...	45	0 0
Colin R. Tulloh ...	757	Yaughar ...	80	0 0
Henry D. Cane ...	618	Cundara ...	20	0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.
SHIRE OF EAST LODDON.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of East Loddon has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner (and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such

fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £40 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £40, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of East Loddon for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £40 be paid to the council in one instalment of £40.

That the said sum of £40 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £40 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £40 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £40 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £4 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £4 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £40 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
Michael Duffy ...	Acres. 174	Pompapioi ...	£ s. d. 40 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.
SHIRE OF EUROA.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Euroa has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the areage of the whole of such special area and of the areage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of

the land owned by each petitioner, and of the areage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £591 10s. in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £591 10s., being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Euroa for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £591 10s. be paid to the council in one instalment of £591 10s.

That the said sum of £591 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £591 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £591 10s. to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £591 10s. be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £59 3s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £59 3s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £591 10s. is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Mary S. Faris ...	320	Marraweeny ...	60 0 0
Alexander McKernan ...	162	Euroa ...	45 0 0
James Hoare ...	628	Wondoomarook ...	25 0 0
William Short ...	274	"	56 0 0
John McLeod ...	393	Garratanbunell ...	40 0 0
David Dudley ...	320	Pranyip ...	22 0 0
Philip Stevens ...	50	"	25 0 0
John J. Hoare ...	320	Wondoomarook ...	40 0 0
Michael Nolan ...	163	Euroa ...	35 0 0
Thomas Killeen ...	950	Garratanbunell ...	63 10 0
John Maidment ...	480	Kialla ...	20 0 0
John Dunning ...	227	Balmattum ...	23 0 0
Phillip Kennedy ...	60	"	12 0 0
Agnes M. Howitt ...	270	Marraweeny ...	20 0 0
Doyle Bros. ...	1,279	Garratanbunell ...	80 0 0
Thomas Berry ...	320	Pranyip ...	23 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF GRENVILLE.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Guffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Grenville has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £2 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £600 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-rected Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £600, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Grenville for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £600 be paid to the council in one instalment of £600.

That the said sum of £600 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £600 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £600 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £600 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years by annual instalments of not less than £60 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £60 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £600 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Edmund Thoraas ...	20	Clarksdale ...	17 0 0
William Ching ...	86	" ...	34 0 0
William R. Thomas ...	20	" ...	17 0 0
Patrick Ryan ...	20	Argyle ...	10 0 0
John Garvey ...	100	Clarksdale ...	35 0 0
John Minehan ...	3	" ...	7 0 0
John Cunningham ...	20	" ...	11 0 0
Thomas J. Cunningham ...	43	" ...	12 0 0
Jane Delaheny ...	72	" ...	52 0 0
Alexander C. Hall ...	25	" ...	30 0 0
George H. Smith ...	20	" ...	18 0 0
Ann Thomas ...	21	" ...	17 0 0
James Hynes ...	40	Argyle ...	24 0 0
John Christie ...	128	Clarksdale ...	52 0 0
John C. Blakely ...	75	Dereel ...	34 0 0
Patrick Hetherman ...	400	Mindal ...	52 0 0
John H. Webb ...	5	Clarksdale ...	17 0 0
Joseph Milburn ...	56	" ...	52 0 0
Thomas Paterson ...	12	" ...	17 0 0
Denis Barry ...	40	Argyle ...	14 0 0
John Collins ...	3	Clarksdale ...	8 0 0
Joseph Jones ...	90	" ...	52 0 0
Charles E. Smith ...	20	" ...	18 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF LEIGH.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Leigh has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area, and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan

of £54 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £54, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Leigh for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £54 be paid to the council in one instalment of £54.

That the said sum of £54 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £54 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £54 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £54 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years by annual instalments of not less than £5 8s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £5 8s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £54 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the Council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.	Dereel	£ s. d.
William E. Lawless ...	4	Dereel	8 0 0
Edwin H. Routson ...	100	"	23 0 0
Thomas Mellington ...	40	"	23 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF MOUNT ROUSE.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Mount Rouse has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land,

with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*.

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £262 10s. in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £262 10s., being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Mount Rouse for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £262 10s. be paid to the council in one instalment of £262 10s.

That the said sum of £262 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £262 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £262 10s. to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £262 10s. be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £26 5s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £26 5s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £262 10s. is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
John J. Fitzgerald ...	62	Yuppeckiar	12 10 0
J. A. and Thos. Hutton	1,037	Yatmerone	100 0 0
William M. McQueen ...	4,000	Jennawarra	100 0 0
Daniel Ross ...	158	Bilpah	25 0 0
Archibald Cameron ...	64	Yuppeckiar	25 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF NEWSTEAD.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Newstead has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the

materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a speciality contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £753 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £753, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Newstead for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £753 be paid to the Council in one instalment of £753.

That the said sum of £753 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £753 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £753 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £753 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £75 6s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £75 6s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £753 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Thomas Hamilton ...	340	Sandon ...	40 0 0
Thomas Quayle ...	44	" ...	15 0 0
John Williamson ...	68	" ...	25 0 0
Patrick Heagney ...	133	Campbelltown ...	32 0 0
Rose O'Connor ...	119	Sandon ...	60 0 0
Jens Hansen ...	361	" ...	63 0 0
Patrick McIvor ...	140	" ...	15 0 0
M. Higney ...	40	Campbelltown ...	20 0 0
Asmus C. Johansen ...	14	Sandon ...	10 0 0
Patrick Burke ...	124	" ...	40 0 0
Thomas Longmire ...	217	Campbelltown ...	42 0 0
Richard G. Cave ...	75	" ...	25 0 0
Robert Robinson ...	165	" ...	40 0 0
Margaret Cameron ...	140	Sandon ...	30 0 0
J. L. and E. S. Ashburn	86	" ...	30 0 0
Robert C. Montgomery	15	" ...	14 0 0
H. B. Robinson ...	680	Campbelltown ...	80 0 0
Thomas Kneale ...	234	" ...	20 0 0
James C. House ...	109	Sandon ...	30 0 0
Thomas Neven ...	41	Campbelltown ...	30 0 0
William Neven ...	30	" ...	10 0 0
David Johnson ...	160	Sandon ...	42 0 0
Christian N. Pedersen ...	230	Campbelltown ...	40 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF NORTH OVENS.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Countts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of North Ovens has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a speciality contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £52 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £52, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of North Ovens for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £52 be paid to the council in one instalment of £52.

That the said sum of £52 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £52 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £52 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £52 be repaid by the Council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £5 4s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £5 4s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £52 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Hugh Colvin ...	12	Boorhaman ...	12 0 0
Thomas McKinty ...	20	" ...	20 0 0
William R. J. Ward ...	36	Wangaratta North	20 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF ROMSEY.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

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| Mr. Turner | Mr. Taverner |
| Mr. Peacock | Mr. McCulloch |
| Mr. Gavan-Duffy | Mr. Coutts |
| Mr. Best | Mr. Williamson. |

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Romsey has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £113 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £113, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Romsey for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £113 be paid to the council in one instalment of £113.
That the said sum of £113 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.
That the said sum of £113 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.
That the proportion of the said sum of £113 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £113 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £11 6s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £11 6s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £113 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
Jane Wilson ...	15	Kerrie ...	5 0 0
Andrew Wilson ...	411	Lancafield ...	20 0 0
William Somerville ...	44	Kerrie ...	20 0 0
Jane McAlpine ...	4	" ...	5 0 0
Frank Hudson ...	108	" ...	15 0 0
Peter Dwyer ...	29	" ...	30 0 0
Thomas Cantillon ...	300	" ...	18 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF RUTHERGLEN.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

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| Mr. Turner | Mr. Taverner |
| Mr. Peacock | Mr. McCulloch |
| Mr. Gavan-Duffy | Mr. Coutts |
| Mr. Best | Mr. Williamson. |

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Rutherglen has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £60 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £60, being the

whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Rutherglen for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £60 be paid to the council in one instalment of £60.

That the said sum of £60 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £60 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £60 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £60 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £6 each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £6 on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £60 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
Roderick Kilborn ...	Acres. 120	Carlyle ...	£ s. d. 60 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF SEYMOUR.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Seymour has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £1,107 10s. in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £1,107 10s., being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Seymour for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £1,107 10s. be paid to the council in one instalment of £1,107 10s.

That the said sum of £1,107 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £1,107 10s. be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £1,107 10s. to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £1,107 10s. be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £110 15s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £110 15s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £1,107 10s. is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
Edward Kennedy ...	Acres. 325	Traawool ...	£ s. d. 100 0 0
Thomas Mullavey ...	420	" ...	80 0 0
William Gairns ...	311	Lowry ...	57 0 0
Francis Brumby ...	436	Avenel ...	80 0 0
Mary Ryan (administratrix of late M. D. Ryan)	247	Traawool ...	30 0 0
Richard Ennis ...	320	" ...	20 0 0
Patrick Dockery ...	190	Lowry ...	30 0 0
James McCormack ...	815	Traawool ...	100 0 0
Grace B. McCormack ...	640	" ...	100 0 0
John Porter ...	1,400	Seymour ...	70 0 0
Richard Ennis ...	25	Traawool ...	12 10 0
I. and F. J. Lee's (executors of late F. Leete)	320	Mangalore ...	65 0 0
John Callen ...	117	Lowry ...	24 0 0
John Wallis ...	93	Ghin Ghin ...	20 0 0
Michael Hickey ...	394	Tallarook ...	50 0 0
John Gilmour ...	460	Traawool ...	100 0 0
John Thomas Smith ...	204	Lowry ...	30 0 0
Patrick J. Gleeson ...	494	Monea South ...	36 0 0
Hazel P. Newton ...	100	Mangalore ...	20 0 0
Richard J. Shelton ...	824	" ...	63 0 0
Henry Wallis ...	182	Ghin Ghin ...	20 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF SPRINGFIELD.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Springfield has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the acreage of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and

every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the areage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £392 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said recited Acts, and of any Order in Council granting such loan; Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £392, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Springfield for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £392 be paid to the council in one instalment of £392.

That the said sum of £392 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £392 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £392 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £392 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £39 4s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £39 4s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £392 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
Eleanor Lowden ...	168	Goldie ...	£ s. d. 32 0 0
Henry R. Stafford ...	399	" ...	32 0 0
John Lowden ...	189	" ...	32 0 0
James Clarke Daniel ...	392	" ...	32 0 0
John McKrao ...	266	Springfield ...	40 0 0
Alexander McIntosh and John McIntosh ...	222	Goldie ...	45 0 0
Robert Kyle ...	20	'Springfield ...	12 0 0
Martin Shanahan ...	621	Goldie ...	65 0 0
William Wilson ...	175	" ...	50 0 0
Joseph N. Dunlop ...	379	" ...	52 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.

SHIRE OF STRATHFIELDSAYE.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Strathfieldsaye has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the areage of the whole of such special area and of the areage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the areage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £645 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £645, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Strathfieldsaye for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £645 be paid to the council in one instalment of £645.

That the said sum of £645 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £645 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £645 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £645 be repaid by the Council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £64 10s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £64 10s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £645 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
J. G. Edwards	1,150	Sedgwick	80 0 0
William Barbour	123	"	60 0 0
Brache and Co.	110	Strathfieldsaye	60 0 0
Jane McNamara	290	Axedale	60 0 0
Sarah Wilkinson	900	Sedgwick	50 0 0
John Truscott	154	"	40 0 0
Joseph Young	240	Mandurang	30 0 0
John Young	400	Sedgwick	30 0 0
Thomas McMahon	72	Strathfieldsaye	25 0 0
Thomas Strachan	46	Axedale	25 0 0
John O'Loughlin	20	"	20 0 0
Patrick Neylon	117	"	20 0 0
Marion Barbour	20	Sandhurst	20 0 0
William J. Lowndes	17	Strathfieldsaye	20 0 0
Michael Condon	15	"	20 0 0
John Breen	20	"	15 0 0
John Thomas Smith	40	"	12 0 0
Patrick Ryan	10	Eppalock	10 0 0
Henry Forster	50	Mandurang	10 0 0
Anthony Mannes, jun.	20	Strathfieldsaye	10 0 0
Charles L. Vlaeminck	6	"	8 0 0
Fraderick Mannes	62	"	5 0 0
Sarah A. Holmes	21	"	4 0 0
Henry R. Beeton	9	Mandurang	4 0 0
John Hayes	2	Strathfieldsaye	2 0 0
Martin Kinneally	3	Eppalock	5 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.
SHIRE OF YACKANDANDAH.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Yackandandah has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the area of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence] and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the Vermin Destruction Act 1890:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of

£665 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £665, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896, as a loan to the said shire of Yackandandah for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £665 be paid to the council in one instalment of £665.

That the said sum of £665 pounds be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £665 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £665 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £665 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years by annual instalments of not less than £66 10s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £66 10s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £665 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
John Crosthwaite	45	Kergunyah	21 0 0
William Guy	69	Yackandandah	30 0 0
William Smith	162	Bruarong	44 0 0
Charles Kinchington	287	Yackandandah	44 0 0
Martin Hession	127	Mullalong	21 0 0
George Kinchington	144	Yackandandah	44 0 0
Michael Ivers	407	Kergunyah	67 0 0
Richard S. Smith	237	Dederang	44 0 0
John Arter	83	"	22 0 0
William Taylor	50	Tewong	15 0 0
Henry Creame	311	Dederang	50 0 0
James Sutherland	222	Tangambalanga	68 0 0
James Sutherland, jun.	206	"	45 0 0
William Irons	54	Bruarong	50 0 0
David McLean	54	"	22 0 0
Stephen Weedon	49	"	21 0 0
Mary Lambert	161	Dederang	44 0 0
John Keegan	200	"	25 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Vermin Destruction Acts.
SHIRE OF WINCHELSEA.—LOAN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the nineteenth day of May, 1896.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Turner	Mr. Taverner
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Gavan Duffy	Mr. Coutts
Mr. Best	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Vermin Destruction Acts it is among other things provided that, on the application of the council of any shire, the Governor in Council, out of any trust funds or moneys under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, may from time to time grant a loan to any such shire for the purpose of enabling such shire to obtain materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing to be supplied to owners of land in special areas constituted under the said Acts: And whereas the Council of the Shire of Winchelsea has received petitions signed by a majority in number of the owners of land in the special area (the petitioners owning more than one-half of the land in such area) describing the special area for which the petitioners desire a loan to be obtained by the shire, which petitions contain statements of the area of the whole of such special area and of the acreage owned by each and every owner of every part thereof, with a short description of the land owned by each petitioner, and of the acreage thereof, and gives an estimate of the probable cost of the whole of the materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing required for the land in such area, and asks that the said shire council will apply to the Governor in Council for a loan an amount sufficient to purchase materials for wire-netting or other rabbit-proof or vermin-proof fencing not exceeding four lineal miles of fencing to every owner, and gives an estimate of the materials required for each petitioner's land, and the probable cost of such material, and an estimate of the extent of fencing to be erected by each owner [and states that in such special area adjoining properties could advantageously be enclosed by one continuous wire-netting fence, and states in each case the estimated cost of such continuous fence and the proportions thereof

to be borne by every owner of property to be enclosed by such fence) and states that each petitioner signing the petitions undertakes to pay to the council in each and every year one-tenth part of his proportion of the value of all materials for wire-netting fencing which the council may obtain by means of the loan proposed to be obtained from the Governor in Council, with interest in the meantime at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum on the amount of the value of such materials or on the value of so much thereof as is unpaid for, and that such undertaking as between each petitioner, or the owner for the time being of the land of such petitioner, or any part thereof, and the said shire council is to be deemed to be and may be enforced as a specialty contract, and states that each petitioner undertakes to erect on his land, with the materials with which he may be furnished, wire-netting fencing to the satisfaction of the said council, or that he will join with other owners in erecting all necessary fencing: And whereas every signature to such petitions is verified by the solemn declaration of a person signing such petitions, which declaration is in the form or to the effect in the Eighth Schedule to the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*:

And whereas the said shire council has considered the prayer of such petitions and has determined to apply for a loan from the Governor in Council in accordance therewith, and has transmitted to the Minister the said petitions, accompanied by an application, under seal on behalf of the said shire, for a loan of £711 in the terms therein stated, which said application contains an undertaking by the said shire to repay such loan in accordance with the provisions of the said-recited Acts and of any Order in Council granting such loan: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the sum of £711, being the whole of the amount applied for by the said shire council in the application hereinbefore referred to, be granted out of any trust funds or money under the control of the Treasurer of Victoria, available by virtue of the provisions of the *Vermin-proof Fences Advances Act 1896*, as a loan to the said shire of Winchelsea for the purposes of the said Vermin Destruction Acts.

That the said sum of £711 be paid to the council in one instalment of £711.

That the said sum of £711 be a loan for the benefit of the whole land described in the petitions.

That the said sum of £711 be a loan for the benefit of the land specified in the Schedule hereunder.

That the proportion of the said sum of £711 to be paid by each and every owner of land within the special area to the said shire council is that set out in the Schedule hereunder.

That the said sum of £711 be repaid by the council of the said shire to the Treasurer of Victoria for the time being within ten years, by annual instalments of not less than £71 2s. each. The first of such payments to be made on or before the 31st May, 1897, and a further instalment of not less than £71 2s. on or before the 31st May in each and every succeeding year until the whole sum of £711 is repaid.

That in the month of May in each and every year until the whole amount of the loan be repaid the council pay to the Treasurer of Victoria on such loan, or on so much thereof as is unpaid, interest at the rate of £3 per cent. per annum.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Area.	Parish.	Amount.
	Acres.		£ s. d.
John Schran ...	275	Bambra ...	60 0 0
Elizabeth Irwin ...	480	Yan Yan Gurt ...	60 0 0
Edmund Seach ...	172	Wensleydale ...	40 0 0
George Young ...	137	Yan Yan Gurt ...	40 0 0
Robert J. McConachy ...	214	Wormbete ...	40 0 0
Ann Holloway ...	300	" ...	30 0 0
Mary Sedley ...	147	Wensleydale ...	30 0 0
W. A. Mountjoy ...	280	Bambra ...	30 0 0
John W. Anderson ...	200	Yan Yan Gurt ...	25 0 0
John Holloway ...	90	Wormbete ...	25 0 0
Thomas McCoombe ...	132	Bambra ...	20 0 0
Sarah Farquharson ...	110	" ...	20 0 0
George R. Brown ...	147	" ...	20 0 0
John Leach ...	80	Yan Yan Gurt ...	20 0 0
Gideon Leake ...	80	" ...	20 0 0
Charles Hager ...	40	" ...	20 0 0
D. E. Norman ...	81	Lorne ...	20 0 0
Annie Robertson ...	320	" ...	20 0 0
John Morgan ...	54	Wormbete ...	20 0 0
Thomas Clark ...	236	Tutegong ...	20 0 0
Joseph Parish ...	60	Wensleydale ...	20 0 0
Alfred H. Wale ...	187	Murroon ...	20 0 0
Robert H. Lidgerwood ...	131	" ...	15 0 0
Isabella Lewis ...	20	Barwoa Downs ...	15 0 0
William H. Box ...	56	Bambra ...	15 0 0
John Brown ...	88	" ...	10 0 0
C. Norman ...	86	Lorne ...	10 0 0
Elijah E. Mousley ...	70	Wensleydale ...	10 0 0
James Cunningham ...	51	Boonah ...	10 0 0
George Taylor ...	116	Barwon Downs ...	6 0 0

And the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

COPIES of the following Acts of the Parliament of Victoria passed subsequently to the Consolidated Statutes may be obtained at the Government Printing Office or from any Bookseller at the price set opposite to each, viz.:-

	s.	d.
1056. Divorce Law Amendment	0	6
1057. Railway Loan Act 1889 Amendment	0	6
1161. Customs Appeals	0	6
1162. Shire Boundaries	0	6
1163. Electoral Rolls Validating	0	6
1168. Consolidated Revenue Application (1)	0	6
1169. Portland Shire Hall	0	6
1170. Land Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1171. Census	0	6
1172. Church of England Land Enabling	0	6
1173. Melbourne Tramways Trust (Borrowing Powers)	0	6
1174. Real Property Act Amendment	0	6
1175. Presbyterian Church Trust Property	0	9
1176. Consolidating Acts Revision	0	6
1177. Railway Works Committee	0	9
1178. Consolidated Revenue Application (2)	0	6
1179. Hydraulic Power Company's Act Amendment	0	6
1180. Municipal Overdrafts Indemnity	0	6
1181. Oaths and Evidence	0	6
1182. Melbourne Harbor Trust Act Amendment	0	6
1183. Registration of Trade Marks	1	0
1184. Cape Patterson Railway Act Amendment	0	6
1185. Consolidating Acts Further Revision	0	6
1186. Treasury Bonds	0	6
1187. Railway Loan Application	0	6
1188. Water Supply Loans	0	6
1189. Mines Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1190. Partition Law Amendment	0	6
1191. Declarations and Affidavits	0	6
1192. Geelong Agricultural Site	0	6
1193. North Melbourne Railway Lands Exchange	0	6
1194. Appropriation of Revenue, 1889-90 and 1890-91	4	0
1195. Suburban Tramways	1	3
1196. Victorian Stock	0	6
1197. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works	2	0
1198. Infant Life Protection	0	9
1199. Supreme Court Rules	0	6
1200. Fire Brigades	1	3
1201. Evidence Law Amendment	0	6
1202. Mines (No. 2)	0	6
1203. Waterworks Construction Encouragement Act 1886 Amendment	0	6
1204. Marriage Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1205. Consolidated Revenue Application (1)	0	6
1206. Consolidated Revenue Application (2)	0	6
1207. Fire Brigades 1890 Amendment	0	6
1208. Supreme Court 1890 Amendment	0	6
1209. St. James' Church Land Trusts	0	6
1210. Consolidated Revenue Application (3)	0	6
1211. Portland Town Hall	0	6
1212. Libraries 1890 Amendment	0	6
1213. Land Sales by Auction Fund	0	6
1214. Scots' Church Properties	0	6
1215. Mines 1890 Amendment	0	6
1216. Legal Profession Practice	0	6
1217. Victorian Stock	0	6
1218. Tramways Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1219. Employers and Employés 1890 Amendment	0	9
1220. Voluntary Liquidation (Companies)	0	6
1221. Austral-Anglo Tramway Company	1	3
1222. Partnership	0	9
1223. Bills of Sale (Instruments and Securities)	0	6
1224. Municipal Overdrafts Indemnity	0	6
1225. Licensing Arbitration	0	6
1226. Councils of Conciliation	0	6
1227. Bendigo Art Gallery Site	0	6
1228. Trusts Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1229. Legal Profession Practice Amendment	0	6
1230. Railways Standing Committee (Remuneration)	0	6
1231. Crimes 1890 Amendment	1	0
1232. Friendly Societies 1890 Amendment	0	9
1233. Treasury Bonds	0	6
1234. Railway Loan Application	0	6
1235. Agricultural Grants	0	6
1236. Statute Law Revision	0	6
1237. St. Arnaud School of Mines Site	0	6
1238. Administration and Probate 1890 Amendment	0	6
1239. Kyneton Market Reserve	0	6
1240. Coal Mines Railway Construction	0	9
1241. Police Offences 1890 Amendment	0	6
1242. Purification of Rolls	1	0
1243. Local Government 1890 Amendment	1	6
1244. Thistles 1890 Amendment	0	6
1245. Water Supply Loans	0	6
1246. Land Act 1890 Amendment	0	9
1247. Appropriation	3	6
1248. Defences and Discipline 1890 Amendment	0	6
1249. Resumption of Land	0	6
1250. Railways Act 1890 Amendment	1	0
1251. Mines Act 1890 Amendment	1	0
1252. Waterworks Construction Encouragement	0	6
1253. Consolidated Revenue Application (1)	0	6
1254. Victorian Stock	0	6
1255. Coal Mines Railway Amendment	0	6
1256. Registration of Firms	0	6
1257. Beer Duty	1	0
1258. Post Office Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1259. The Royal Insurance Company	0	9
1260. Beulah and Hopetoun Railway	0	9
1261. Administration and Probate	0	6
1262. Oakleigh Shire Offices	0	6
1263. Mines	0	6
1264. Municipal Overdrafts Indemnity	0	6
1265. Consolidated Revenue Application (2)	0	6
1266. Agricultural Grants	0	6
1267. Dandenong Lands	0	6
1268. Local Government	0	6
1269. Companies Act Amendment	0	6
1270. State School Teachers	0	6
1271. Tower Hill National Park	0	6
1272. Local Government Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1273. Warracknabeal and Donald Railways	0	6
1274. Stamps	1	0
1275. Legal Profession Practice	0	6
1276. Public Service Salaries Retrenchment	0	6
1277. Wyndham Shire Hall	0	6
1278. Melbourne Tramways Trust Amendment	0	6
1279. Cape Patterson Railway Act Further Amendment	0	6
1280. Livery-stable Keepers	0	6
1281. Mines Acts Amendment	0	6
1282. Consolidated Revenue Application (3)	0	6
1283. Treasury Bonds	0	6
1284. Federal Council Referring (Victoria)	0	6
1285. Duties of Customs	0	9
1286. Consolidated Revenue Application (4)	0	6
1287. Debentures Conversion	0	6
1288. Railway Lands Acquisition	1	3
1289. Municipal Subsidy	0	6
1290. Trusts	0	6
1291. Banking Companies' Shares Sale and Purchase	0	6
1292. Natimik and Goroke Railway Construction	0	6
1293. Nathala and Picola Railway Construction	0	6
1294. Coal Mines Railway Construction Further Amendment	0	6
1295. Appropriation of Revenue 1891-2 and 1892-3	4	0
1296. Victorian Debentures Redemption and Loan	0	6
1297. Kew Municipal Loan	0	6
1298. Sale of Liquors	0	6
1299. Heidelberg and Eltham Railway Construction	0	6
1300. Railway Loan Application	0	6
1301. Water Supply Loans	0	6
1302. Payment of Teachers	0	9
1303. Births Deaths and Marriages Transfer	0	6
1304. Mildura Rating	0	6
1305. Debentures Conversion Amendment	0	6
1306. Electoral Lists Revision	0	6
1307. Consolidated Revenue Application	0	6
1308. Ministers' and Officers' Salaries	0	6
1309. Members' Reimbursement Retrenchment	0	6
1310. Saint Filda Loan	0	6
1311. Settlement on Lands	1	0
1312. Dimboola and Boort Railways Construction	0	6
1313. Public Service Retrenchment	0	6
1314. Land Sales Fund Reduction	0	6
1315. Marine Act Amendment	0	6
1316. Beulah and Hopetoun Railway	0	9
1317. Provident Societies Amendment	0	6
1318. Duties of Customs	0	6
1319. Municipal Endowment Reduction	0	6
1320. Consolidated Revenue Application (2)	0	6
1321. Duties of Customs (2)	0	6
1322. Municipal Overdrafts Indemnity	0	6
1323. Audit Act Amendment	0	6
1324. Public Service Amendment	0	9
1325. Swamp Lands	0	6
1326. Postage	0	6
1327. Water Supply Advances	0	6
1328. Treasury Bonds	0	6
1329. Public Officers' Retirement	0	6
1330. Working Men's College Loan	0	6
1331. Margarine	0	6
1332. Bakers and Millers Act Amendment	0	6
1333. Factories and Shops Amendment	0	6
1334. Teachers' Salaries	0	6
1335. Cape Patterson Railway Act Further Amendment	0	6
1336. Chaffey Brothers Limited Removal of Doubts	0	6
1337. Thistle Act 1890 Amendment	0	6
1338. Horsham Lands	0	6
1339. Wood's Point Municipal	0	6
1340. Water Supply Loans Application (2)	0	6
1341. Victorian Government Stock	0	6
1342. Mildura Rating	0	6
1343. Employers and Employés	0	6
1344. Prahran Loan	0	6
1345. Campaspe Irrigation Trust	0	6
1346. Metropolitan Fire Brigades Loan	0	6
1347. Crown Lands Reserves	0	6
1348. Statute Law Revision	0	6
1349. South Melbourne and Condah Lessees	0	6
1350. Railways Standing Committee	0	6
1351. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works	0	6
1352. Bairnsdale Land Sale	0	6
1353. Heidelberg and Eltham Railway Construction Act Amendment	0	6
1354. Appropriation of Revenue	3	3
1355. Warragul Agricultural Show Grounds	0	6
1356. Reconstructed Companies	0	6
1357. Marine Act Amendment 1892	0	6
1358. Ministers' Salaries Retrenchment	0	6
1359. Special and other Appropriations Retrenchment	0	6
1360. Marine	0	6
1361. Consolidated Revenue Application	0	6
1362. Health	0	6
1363. Consolidated Revenue Application	0	6
1364. Licensed Premises	0	6

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1365. Local Government	0	6	1405. Cape Patterson Railway Act Fourth Amend-	0	6
1366. Municipal Overdrafts Indemnity	0	6	ment	0	6
1367. Melbourne Harbor Trust	0	6	1406. Printers and Newspapers	0	6
1368. Elections and Qualifications Committees	0	6	1407. Ararat Mechanics' Institute Land	0	6
1369. Victorian Government Stock	0	6	1408. Consolidated Revenue Application (4)	0	6
1370. Standard Time	0	6	1409. Mildura Irrigation Trusts	2	0
1371. Jumbunna and Outtrim Railway Construction	0	6	1410. Income Tax Rate	0	6
1372. Acting Victorian Railways Commissioners	0	6	1411. Moolap Salt Works	0	6
1373. Members' Reimbursement Reduction	0	6	1412. Police Regulation	0	6
1374. Income Tax	1	3	1413. Electric Light and Power	1	0
1375. Judges' Salaries	0	6	1414. Licensing	0	6
1376. Water Supply Loans Application	0	6	1415. Gaols	0	6
1377. Railways Commissioners Superannuation	0	6	1416. Married Women's Property	0	6
1378. Mallee Tanks	0	6	1417. Voluntary Conveyances	0	6
1379. Municipal Endowment Reduction	0	6	1418. Friendly Societies Actuary's	0	6
1380. Companies' Documents	0	6	1419. Intestates' Estates	0	6
1381. Railways Validation	0	6	1420. Jumbunna and Outtrim Railway Construction	0	6
1382. Teachers	1	0	Act 1895 Amendment	1	0
1383. Wycheproof and Sea Lake Railway Construc-	0	6	1421. Trusts	1	0
tion	0	6	1422. Sale of Goods	1	0
1384. Mines	0	6	1423. Instruments	0	6
1385. Appropriation of Revenue, 1894-5	3	6	1424. Book Debts	0	6
1386. Treasury Bills	0	6	1425. Water	0	6
1387. Legal Profession Practice	0	6	1426. Marine	0	6
1388. Landlord and Tenant	0	6	1427. Electoral Districts Boundaries Amendment	0	6
1389. Mildura Rating	0	6	1428. Mallee Lands	1	3
1390. Supreme Court Act Explanation	0	6	1429. Appropriation of Revenue, 1895-6	3	3
1391. Juries	0	6	1430. Theatres	0	6
1392. Supreme Court	0	6	1431. Width of Tires	0	6
1393. Governor's Salary Reduction	0	6	1432. Vegetation Diseases	0	6
1394. Ministers' Salaries	0	6	1433. Seed Advances	0	6
1395. Consolidated Revenue Application	0	6	1434. Vermin-proof Fences Advances	0	6
1396. Mildura Rating	0	6	1435. Nunawading Lands Exchange	0	6
1397. Goldsbrough Mort and Co. Ltd. Arrangement	0	6	1436. Street Betting Suppression	0	6
1398. Municipalities' Advances	0	6	1437. Railway Loan Application	0	6
1399. Consolidated Revenue Application (2)	0	6	1438. Boort Land	0	6
1400. Land Surveyors	0	6	1439. Railways	0	6
1401. Customs and Excise Duties	1	3	1440. Beet Sugar Works	0	9
1402. Marong Reserve Mining	0	6	1441. Land	0	6
1403. Consolidated Revenue Application (3)	0	6	1442. Companies Act Amendment	0	6
1404. Municipal Overdrafts (Indemnity)	0	6	1443. Australasian Federation Enabling	0	6