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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS THROUGHOUT VICTORIA.

IT is hereby notified that on

TUESDAY, THE 22ND, AND SATURDAY, THE 26TH, DAYS OF JUNE INSTANT,

the Public Offices throughout Victoria will be closed—those days having been proclaimed by His Excellency the Governor, under the power conferred by the *Public Service Act 1890*, to be observed as Public Holidays.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

LEVÉE.

HIS Excellency the Governor will hold a Levée at Government House on Tuesday, the 22nd June, on the occasion of the celebration of the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's Accession to the Throne, at Ten o'clock a.m.

Gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to appear in uniform, official dress, or morning costume, and to provide themselves with two cards with their names legibly written thereon: one card to be left on the table at the entrance hall, and the other to be given to the A. D. C., who will announce the name to His Excellency.

Gentlemen who have received cards for the private entrée will be admitted at the main entrance at forty-five minutes past nine o'clock a.m., the other gentlemen at the ball-room entrance at Ten o'clock a.m.

Members of the Corporation of the City, the Council and Senate of the University, and officers of the Army and Navy should assemble in the gallery to the right of the ball-room to facilitate their presentation to His Excellency.

By Command,

Government House, MELBOURNE, 4th June, 1897.
RICHARD NEVILL,
Private Secretary.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON STATE FORESTS AND TIMBER RESERVES.

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

The Honorable ALBERT LEE TUCKER, M.L.A.,
THOMAS BAKER, Esquire, M.L.A.,
JOHN BALFOUR BURTON, Esquire, M.L.A.,
DANIEL JOSEPH DUGGAN, Esquire, M.L.A.,
The Honorable DAVID HAM, M.L.C.,
DAVID KERR, Esquire, M.L.A.,
DANIEL BARNET LAZARUS, Esquire, M.L.A.,
The Honorable ALFRED RICHARD OUPTRIM, M.L.A.,
The Honorable CHARLES SARGANT, M.L.C.,
GEORGE JAMES TURNER, Esquire, M.L.A., and
The Honorable WILLIAM TELFORD WEBB, M.L.A.,

to be a Royal Commission,

1. To consider and report as to—
 - (a) The State Forests and Timber Reserves which should be permanently reserved;
 - (b) Whether the Timber Reserves or any portion of them should be proclaimed State Forests;

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(c) Whether any Crown Lands, not being State Forest or Timber Reserves, should be proclaimed State Forests;

(d) As to which, if any, of the reservations of areas as Timber Reserves or State Forests should be revoked wholly or in part and made available for selection.

2. To consider and report upon the existing system of working State Forests, and as to what additional steps, if any, should be taken for the further conservation or growth of timber.

3. To consider and report upon the existing system of licences, and particularly as to whether or not it is advisable to abolish wholly or in part the licensing system and to substitute therefor the royalty system.

4. To consider and report as to whether the growth and distribution of trees to public bodies and the general public for planting should be continued, and, if so, on what conditions or terms such distribution should be made.

5. To consider and report as to which, if any, of the State Forests and Timber Reserves at present inaccessible for purposes of profitable working should be opened up.

6. To report as to whether an export trade can be established with profit, and what steps should be taken to attain that object.

AND the Governor, with the advice aforesaid, has been pleased to appoint

The Honorable ALBERT LEE TUCKER, M.L.A.,
to be the President of the Commission, and

HUGH MACKAY
to be Secretary to the Commission.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz. :—

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURER.

Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster,

HUGH O'NEILL (Acting Clerk of Courts)

to be also Acting Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster at Mansfield, *vice* P. P. Conlan relieved.

Collector of Imposts,

LUCY L. STUBBS (Mining Registrar)

to be also a Collector of Imposts at Majorca, for the purpose of collecting the fees payable on miners' rights issued by her, from and inclusive of the 10th June, 1896, *vice* Harriet A. Stubbs.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 4th June, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:-

DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

Returning Officer,

THOMAS ELLIOTT, Esq., J.P., of Castlemaine, to be the Returning Officer for the North Central Province, and for the Electoral District of Castlemaine, *vice* George More Reid, Esq., M.D., J.P., deceased.

Electoral Registrars,

FREDERICK F. WOODWARD, of Chiltern, to be Acting Electoral Registrar for the Chiltern Division of the North-Eastern Province, and for the Barnawartha and Chiltern Divisions of the Electoral District of Bogong, from the 27th May, 1897, during the illness of William Edmunds;

CHARLES FOSTER, of 24 Coventry-street West, South Melbourne, to be Acting Electoral Registrar for the Electoral District of Emerald Hill, during the absence of Alexander Gunn on leave;

WILLIAM J. ANDERSON, of Little Yarra Junction, to be the Electoral Registrar for the Warburton Division of the Electoral District of Evelyn, *vice* Walter J. Ewart resigned.

Deputy Electoral Registrars,

DONALD MCKAY, of Cashel, and JOHN J. SMYTH, of Devenish, to be Deputy Electoral Registrars for the Dookie Division of the Electoral District of Benalla and Yarrowonga, *vice* Mary A. Marchant resigned and Daniel Kennedy relieved;

THOMAS G. STRANGE, of Goorambat, to be a Deputy Electoral Registrar for the Mokoan Division of the Electoral District of Benalla and Yarrowonga, *vice* Georgina A. C. Dunphy relieved.

Registrars of Births and Deaths,

The persons named hereunder to be Registrars of Births and Deaths at the places respectively specified, viz.:-

Cashel	...	...	DONALD MCKAY, <i>vice</i> Mary A. Marchant resigned;
Hope Vale	...	...	MARION E. FAY;
Merrigum Registration District	...	...	ALEXANDER HARMER, of Merrigum North, <i>vice</i> Herbert Le Page resigned;
Strathbogie	...	...	JOHN J. BRODIE, <i>vice</i> John Simpson deceased;
Yarra Glen	...	...	WILLIAM FLUDE (Acting), <i>vice</i> James Nicholas resigned.

Medical Superintendent, Lunatic Asylum,

WILLIAM L. MULLEN, Esq., M.D., to be Acting Medical Superintendent of the Sunbury Lunatic Asylum during the absence of J. A. O'Brien, Esq., M.B. et Ch.M., on leave.

Attendants, Lunatic Asylums,

GRACE MORGAN to be an Attendant, 3rd Grade, Asylum for Idiots, Kew, on probation for twelve months, from the 12th May, 1897, *vice* Catherine Kennedy resigned;

ELLEN FAIRLIE to be an Attendant, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, on probation for twelve months, from the 17th May, 1897, *vice* Catherine Schwarzer resigned.

The above are new appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that vacancies have occurred on the staff consequent on the resignations specified, and requested that such vacancies should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that appointments to fill such vacancies are required, and that there are no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill such vacancies.

Local Guardian of Aborigines,

D. J. SLATTERY, Esq., of Bushfield, to be an honorary local Guardian of Aborigines, pursuant to the provisions of section 8 of the *Aborigines Act 1890*.

Inspector of Factories, &c.,

HARRY WARMAN ARNOLD (Senior Constable No. 2606), of Clunes, to be an Inspector of Factories, Work-rooms, and Shops.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Boards of Advice.

The gentlemen named hereunder to be Members of the Boards of Advice for the School Districts respectively specified, viz.:-

JOHN MCPHERSON and JOHN TAIT, for the School District of the Merton Riding of the Shire of Alexandra, No. 66;

GEORGE DICKIE, PETER GRANT, WILLIAM GRANT, WILLIAM H. McFARLANE, Sen., and JAMES WATSON,

for the School District of the Shire of Bacchus Marsh, No. 76;

HENRY S. SMITH, for the School District of the North Riding of the Shire of Bright, No. 109;

GEORGE FLEISCHER, SAMUEL HUTCHINSON, WILLIAM KING, PHILLIP MAUGER, and CHARLES H. SMYTHE,

for the School District of the West Riding of the Shire of Glenlyon, No. 149;

JAMES W. FAGAN, WILLIAM JOHNSON, THOMAS LEWIS, WILLIAM McMEIKEN, and CHARLES RASMUSSEN,

for the School District of the North Riding of the Shire of Glenlyon, No. 150;

HARPLY J. BRAIDFIELD, THOMAS F. HUTCHINSON, and ALEXANDER MUNRO,

for the School District of the North and East Ridings of the Shire of Newstead, No. 214;

JOSEPH WELLINGTON,

for the School District of the Eastern Riding of the Shire of Oxley, No. 223;

WILLIAM H. HOARE,

for the School District of the South Riding of the Shire of St. Arnaud, No. 237.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURER.

Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters,

PATRICK J. CONLON (Acting Clerk of Courts), to be also Acting Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster, at Kilmore, during the absence of P. H. V. Elliget on leave;

THOMAS J. MOUNTJOY (Acting Postmaster), to be also Acting Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster, at St. Arnaud, during the absence of H. A. Krone on leave.

Collector of Imposts,

ERNEST E. VIRTUE to be a Collector of Imposts at Maryborough for the purpose of collecting the fees payable on miners' rights issued by him; to date from the 24th May, 1897, to the 4th June, 1897, *vice* Peter Virtue deceased.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

Crown Lands Bailiffs,

SAMUEL BEST (Herdsman of the Fryers Creek Gold-fields Common), *vice* Thomas F. Hutchinson resigned; and

JAMES STEWART RITCHIE (Forest Foreman), to be Crown Lands Bailiffs in and for Victoria.

Trustees of Sites,

EDWARD THEYERS to be a Trustee of the land temporarily reserved on the 26th September, 1893, as a site for a Mechanics' Institute and Free Library at Goschen, *vice* John James Richardson resigned;

JAMES ROWE and GEORGE SAWYER to be Trustees of the land set apart on the 15th October, 1860, as a site for a combined Denominational School at St. Arnaud, *vice* Edward Butcher, deceased, and Alexander Peter Gorrie, who has left the colony; also

ISAAC JOHN TINNEY GRIGG, HENRY WILLIAM DUNKLEY, and The Reverend GERALD DOYLE to be additional Trustees of the same land.

Manager of a Common,

RUDOLPH HALL to be a Manager of the Smythesdale, Sago Hill, and Campbell's Gully United Common, *vice* the same gentleman retired.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

Officers of Customs.

GEORGE WIDDOP (Relieving Station-master) to be also temporary Officer of Customs for protective purposes, at Casterton, from the 7th May, 1897, *vice* James Kirkland removed;

THOMAS McDONNELL (Acting Station-master) to be also Officer of Customs for protective purposes at Strathmerton, from the 8th May, 1897, *vice* William Eddy removed;

JOHN WEST (Station-master) to be also Officer of Customs for protective purposes at Strathmerton, from the 8th June, 1897, *vice* Thomas McDonnell.

Tide Surveyor.

MICHAEL JERVOIS MURPHY

to be Tide Surveyor, *vice* Joseph Edward Kelsall deceased. To date from commencement of duty.

Assistant Emigration Officer.

MICHAEL JERVOIS MURPHY,

to be also Assistant Emigration Officer, *vice* Joseph Edward Kelsall deceased. To date from commencement of duty.

Chinese Act 1890.

MICHAEL JERVOIS MURPHY

to be also an Officer to carry out the provisions of the *Chinese Act 1890*, *vice* Joseph Edward Kelsall deceased. To date from commencement of duty.

Assistant Inspectors of Fisheries.

WILLIAM SMITH (Police Constable No. 2904),
DANIEL JOSEPH MULLINS (Police Constable No. 3063),
JOHN WILLET (Police Constable No. 4215), and
THOMAS SNOWDEN (Police Constable No. 2155)

to be Honorary Assistant Inspectors of Fisheries. To date from commencement of duty.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND WATER SUPPLY.

Wardens' Clerks.

P. J. CONLON (Officer of the Law Department)

to act also as Warden's Clerk at Kilmore, temporarily, during the absence of P. H. V. Elliget on leave;

HUGH O'NEILL (Officer of the Law Department)

to act also as Warden's Clerk at Mansfield, temporarily, *vice* P. J. Conlan relieved;

EBENEZER WILLIAMSON (Police Constable)

to act also as Warden's Clerk, temporarily, at Steiglitz.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Public Vaccinator.

BERTRAM BROOKE HOGGAN, Esq., L.R.C.P.,
to be Public Vaccinator at Strathmerton.

Trustees of Cemeteries.

JAMES GOLDSMITH

to be a Trustee of the Corack Public Cemetery, *vice* Tudor Shaw deceased;

JAMES HENNESSEY

to be a Trustee of the Daylesford Public Cemetery, *vice* Daniel Hennessey resigned;

HENRY G. WATSON,
JOHN McISERNY, and
ISAAC THOMAS

to be Trustees of the Yambuk Public Cemetery, *vice* Andrew Vernon Suter, Thomas C. Yockins, and Alexander Moubray, who have left the district.

THOS. BRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.

VICTORIAN MILITARY FORCES.

THE Governor in Council has been pleased to approve the following:—

TRANSFER.

Garrison Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant ALFRED WHITEMAN JOHNSTON, from the 1st Battalion, Infantry Brigade,
to be Lieutenant, and to rank in the Garrison Artillery next after Lieutenant J. Johnston. Transfer to date from 1st January, 1897.

APPOINTMENTS.

Garrison Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant GIDEON JERVIS CRESPIN, University Corps of Officers,

to be Lieutenant, and to rank next after Lieutenant A. W. Johnston. Appointment to date from 21st January, 1897.

Army Service Corps.

RODERICK McIVER, gentleman,
to be a Lieutenant on probation. To date from 16th April, 1897.

PROMOTION.

Victorian Volunteer Cadet Corps.

Lieutenant SAMUEL BARCLAY
to be Captain.

Defence Department,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

W. McCULLOCH,
Minister of Defence.

SUMMONING OFFICER.

HEREBY appoint the undermentioned person, under section 16 of the *Education Act 1890*, to summon parents within the colony of Victoria, *viz.*—

WILLIAM VALLANCE (Constable of Police No. 3660).

Education Department,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Minister of Public Instruction.

Licensing Act 1850.

INSPECTORS OF LICENSING DISTRICTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by Order made on the 8th day of June, 1897, cancelled the appointments of certain Officers of Police as Inspectors of Licensing Districts, which were made by Orders in Council as respectively specified hereunder, *viz.*—

Name.	Rank.	Dates of Orders in Council.
Thomas O'Callaghan	Superintendent of Police	24th December, 1875
Denis Deasey	Superintendent of Police	31st December, 1896
Joseph Connolly	Sub-Inspector of Police	3rd April, 1894
Robert Sharp	Sub-Inspector of Police	31st December, 1896
Richard Hamilton	Superintendent of Police	31st December, 1896
Samuel Maud	Inspector of Police	31st December, 1896

AND the Governor, with the advice aforesaid, has been pleased to appoint the Officers of Police named hereunder to be the Inspectors of the Licensing Districts respectively specified, *viz.*—

THOMAS O'CALLAGHAN, Superintendent of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Bacchus Marsh, Beveridge, Broadford, Broadmeadows, Bulla, Campaspe, Campbellfield, Carlsruhe, Chintin, Donnybrook, Forbus, Gisborne, Havelock, Kilmore, Kyneton, Lancefield, Lauriston, Melton, Mickleham, Morandig, Newham, Newham East, Parvan, Pymong, Riddell's Creek, Sunbury, Tullamarine, Tylden, Wallan Wallan, Woodend, and Woodstock (Bourke East);

RICHARD HAMILTON, Superintendent of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Ballan, Beaufort, Bullarook, Burrumbeet, Camgham, Daylesford, Franklin, Glenlyon, Glenmora, Hepburn, Holcombe, Lexton, Lintons, Mount Egan, Pitfield, Saint Enoch's, South Ballan, and Talbot;

SAMUEL MAUD, Superintendent of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Avoca, Avon Plains, Bealiba, Bet Bet, Campbelltown, Carisbrook, Dunolly, Georoc, Homebush, Joyce's Creek, Llanelly, Majorca, Maryborough, Moombabel, Rheola, Rodborough, St. Arnaud, Stuart Mill, Tarnagulla, Timor, Wareek, Watchem, Wirumbirchip, and Wooroonook;

JOSEPH CONNOLLY, Inspector of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Anderson's Creek, Balmarring, Beaconsfield, Berwick, Brighton, Brighton East, Brighton South, Caulfield East, Corinella, Cranbourne, Dandenong, Dromana, Eltham, Epping, Flinders, Frankston, Garden Vale, Gembrook, Healesville, Heatherton, Heidelberg, Lilydale, Lyndhurst, Marysville, Morang, Mordialloc, Nillumbik, Numawading, Oakleigh, Pakenham, Phillip Island, Priston, Queens-town, Schnapper Point, Scoresby, Templestowe, Tooradin, Tootgarook, Tyabb, Wandin, Warburton, Whittlesea, Yan Yean (Bourke East), Yan Yean (Evelyn), and Yarra Glen;

ROBERT SHARP, Sub-Inspector of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Bourke Division of the District of Melbourne, Cardigan Division of the District of Melbourne East, Carlton South, Gipps Division of the District of Melbourne East, La Trobe Division of the District of Melbourne East, Lonsdale Division of the District of Melbourne, Railway Division of the District of Melbourne West, and Southern Division of the District of Carlton;

WILLIAM WATERS, Sub-Inspector of Police,

to be Inspector of the Licensing Districts of Central Division of the District of Fitzroy, Clifton Division of the District of Fitzroy, Flemington-road, Gertrude Division of the District of Melbourne East, Hotham, Jolimont, North Division of the District of Fitzroy, Richmond Central, Richmond North, Richmond South, Richmond West, Royal Park, and South Division of the District of Fitzroy.

THOS. BRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.

CLERK OF COURTS, ETC.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

JOSHUA DYSON FARRAR (Clerk of Courts at Warragul, &c.) has been directed by the Minister to act also as Clerk of Petty Sessions at Ngerim South (s. 41, Act No. 1133).

M. BYRNE,

Secretary to the Law Department.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 5th June, 1897.

RESIGNATIONS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has accepted the resignations by the persons named hereunder of the offices respectively specified, viz.:-

DEPARTMENT OF SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

Magistrates,

CHARLES HENRY JAMES, Esq.,

of the Commission of the Peace for the Central Bailiwick of Victoria;

RICHARD SWEETNAM, Esq.,

of the Commission of the Peace for the Eastern Bailiwick of Victoria;

GEORGE DICK MURDOCH, Esq.,

of the Commission of the Peace for the Western Bailiwick of Victoria.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND WATER SUPPLY.

Inspector of Mines and Machinery,

A. L. RONALDSON,

of his office as Inspector of Mines and Machinery, from the 15th August, 1896.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.

Public Service Act 1890.

DISMISSALS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 124 of the *Public Service Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1133), has consented to the dismissal from the Public Service, by the Public Service Board, of the persons named hereunder, viz.:-

Department of Postmaster-General.

WILLIAM PERCIVAL,

an Assistant Instrument Fitter.

Department of Mines and Water Supply.

YOUNG MOORE,

a Water Bailiff, Coliban district.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.

Public Service Act 1890.

EXEMPTIONS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the *Public Service Act 1890*, has, upon the recommendation of the Public Service Board, been pleased to declare that the provisions of the said Act shall not apply to the persons named hereunder, viz.:-

Department of Chief Secretary.

JOHN MCNAIR,

temporary fireman, Sunbury Lunatic Asylum, from the 24th May, 1897, until the 23rd August, 1897;

HARRY WARMAN ARNOLD (Senior Police Constable No. 2606),

in respect of his position as an Inspector of Factories, Work-rooms, and Shops.

Department of Public Works.

The labourers employed upon—

Dredging Operations,
Defence Works,
Reclamation Works,
River and Harbor Works,
Swamp Works, and
Works provided for the Unemployed,

from the 1st April, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897.

J. SMITH (deckhand on dredge *John Nimmo*),
from the 1st May, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897;

W. DEVINE (deckhand on dredge *Priestman*, Gippsland Lakes),
from the 8th March, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897.

The persons named hereunder, employed in connexion with dredging operations at Port Albert, from the 1st April, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897, viz.:-

G. Richards, overseer,
G. Williams, leading deckhand,
J. Emson, deckhand,
J. Hardy, deckhand,
T. Gavin, deckhand,
W. A. Hepburn, cook.

The persons named hereunder, from the 1st April, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897, viz.:-

H. Abbott, overseer.
W. Allison, labourer and gardener.
J. Bell, ganger.
S. Baker, blacksmith.
W. Baker, deckhand.
J. Baker, blacksmith's assistant.
J. Burgell, acting master.
P. Brown, fireman.
J. Bryce, night watchman.
R. Bjornsen, deckhand.
G. T. Chippindall, inspector improvements.
T. Chesterfield, overseer.
C. Cowley, fireman.
J. Craig, second engineer.
M. P. Desmond, assistant overseer.
J. C. Davis, deckhand.
T. Dorey, ganger, Yarra improvement.
J. Edwards, deckhand.
G. Evans, engine-driver.
T. Findley, engine-driver, Yarra improvement.
J. D. Ferres, overseer.
J. Forbes, shipwright.
E. S. Filmer, assistant shipwright.
P. Friday, deckhand.
J. Fletcher, shipwright.
W. Freeman, deckhand.
James Gaw, assistant overseer.
J. Gilbertson, deckhand.
F. C. Groombridge, watchman.
J. Graham, tally clerk, Yarra improvement.
G. Gentle, acting watchman.
J. Gwynne, fitter and engineer.
J. C. Gamble, foreman, Condah Swamp.
M. Henderson, punt-man.
T. Hernan, fireman.
R. Harrison, assistant shipwright.
S. Howard, fireman.
H. Hermann, acting deckhand.
H. Hurst, watchman.
A. Janson, watchman.
John Jacobson, carpenter.
W. H. Kirkpatrick, blacksmith.
E. King, blacksmith.
J. C. Kneale, platelayer, Yarra improvement.
A. E. Logan, engineer.
L. Larsen, deckhand.
J. W. Lees, engine-driver.
F. Lubert, leading hand.
F. Lander, diver.
J. Middleton, inspector of works.
K. McLennan, caretaker.
W. J. Miller, ganger.
A. McEachern, shipwright.
J. McConnell, deckhand and diver.
T. Marr, deckhand.
T. Marr, jun., assistant cook.
C. Mason, deckhand and fireman.
C. McGuinness, fireman.
J. McNamara, fireman.
J. Muir, engine-driver.
H. Morgan, blacksmith's striker, Yarra improvement.
E. Norton, ganger.
S. G. Nish, overseer and surveyor.
A. H. Newton, assistant blacksmith.
T. Nugent, ganger, Yarra improvement.
T. Oxenham, inspector of works.
J. T. O'Brien, ganger.
J. Poole, deckhand.
W. Perry, blacksmith.
J. Key, fireman.
R. Roberts, watchman.
W. Roberts, night watchman.
J. Robinson, deckhand.
J. Starr, punt man and deckhand.
W. Sutherland, casual cook.
V. Sierakow-ki, casual fireman.
R. H. Sinclair, fireman.
W. Steele, acting master.
W. N. Spence, engineer.
J. Taylor, deckhand.
E. Trist, watchman.
E. Twomey, engine driver.
James Twist, assistant overseer, Condah Swamp.
W. J. M. Woolley, engineer and surveyor.
D. G. Ward, surveyor.
A. White, shipwright.
E. Wilken, cook.
J. Watt, engineer.
C. Wilken, fireman.
A. Watt, fireman.
W. Watkinson, deckhand.
H. Weatherly, cook and steward.
D. Watt, engineer.
J. Wilkinson, shipwright.
T. Wright, platelayer, Yarra improvement.
W. Williamson, engine-driver, Yarra improvement.

Department of Trade and Customs.

ALFRED CLARK (Acting Officer of Customs),

from the 12th May, 1897, until the 30th June, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.

Public Service Act 1890.

PRIVATE WORK.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of section 116 of the *Public Service Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1133), has been pleased to grant permission to the undermentioned officers of the Public Service to engage in the work specified below, and to receive remuneration therefor, subject to the condition that the work be performed by such officers only during hours outside the ordinary hours fixed for the discharge of their duties in the Public Service:—

Name of Officer.	Department.	Nature of Work.
Henry R. Beets-son, State School No. 6152, Upper Emu Creek	Public Instruction	To give private tuition
Job James, Head Teacher, State School No. 319, Jan Juc	Public Instruction	To give private tuition
Arthur J. Lyttle, State School No. 1600, Foxhove	Public Instruction	To give instruction in Music
Charlotte Noone, Pupil Teacher, State School No. 2531, Kaniva	Public Instruction	To give instruction in Music
Thomas R. Oakley, Head Teacher, State School No. 1176, Woodside	Public Instruction	To give instruction in Book-keeping
Lily Dunstan, State School No. 2076, Invergordon	Public Instruction	To give instruction in Painting

THOS. BRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 8th June, 1897.*Public Service Act 1890.*

REGULATIONS.—CLASSIFICATION OF PROFESSIONAL DIVISION.

CHAPTER II., SUBDIVISION 2.

WE, the undersigned, being Members of the Public Service Board, in pursuance of the powers vested in us, do make the following Regulation, which shall apply to persons appointed, transferred, or promoted after the 28th May, 1897:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Office.	Yearly Salary. £		Class.	Remarks.
	Mini- mum.	Maxi- mum.		
Health Officer and Superintendent, Quarantine Station, Point Nepean	£ ...	£ 500	M.	With quarters.

JOHN W. FOSBERY, }
A. MORRAH, } Members.
A. W. HOWITT, }
FRANCIS REDDIN, *pro* Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 28th May, 1897.Approved by the Governor in Council
the 8th June, 1897.THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

ASYLUM ATTENDANTS.

APPLICATIONS for transfer to the position of Asylum Attendant will be received by the Public Service Board from Officers of the Non-Clerical Division, over the age of 21 years, *whether they have or have not passed the Non-Clerical Examination.*

Applications should be accompanied by evidence of physical fitness from the Inspector of Asylums or the Medical Superintendent of the Asylum at Yarra Bend, Kew, Ararat, Ballarat, Beechworth, or Sunbury.

An officer selected may be transferred at £66 a year, or at his present salary (if higher), and may receive, in addition, quarters and rations. The maximum pay for the 3rd Grade is £78.

By order,

FRANCIS REDDIN,
Pro Secretary.Public Service Board,
3rd June, 1897.*Hospitals and Charities Act 1890.*THE DENTAL AND ORAL HOSPITAL OF VICTORIA.
—PETITION FOR INCORPORATION.

THE substance and prayer of a petition to the Governor in Council, signed by not less than 25 contributors within the meaning of Part I. of the Act 54 Vict. No. 1099, to the Dental and Oral Hospital of Victoria, are published hereunder, pursuant to an Order of the Governor in Council made on the 8th day of June, 1897, under the provisions of section 4 of the Act aforesaid.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey.

THE humble petition of the undersigned contributors to the Dental and Oral Hospital of Victoria, in the City of Fitzroy, sheweth:—

That the Dental and Oral Hospital of Victoria is an institution established for the cure of disease and for the relief of diseased and destitute persons.

That the said hospital is an institution supported in part by voluntary contributions of not less than 50 persons, each of whom has paid not less than £1 per annum, or £20 in one donation.

That the petitioners are contributors within the meaning of the *Hospitals and Charities Act 1890*, No. 1099.

That the petitioners are desirous that the said hospital should be incorporated under the provisions of the said Act No. 1099 of the colony of Victoria under the name of the "Dental and Oral Hospital of Victoria."

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1897.

[Here follow 50 signatures.]

*The above Notice was gazetted 1^o on 11th June, 1897.**Factories and Shops Act 1896.*

DETERMINATION OF SPECIAL BOARD AS TO PRICES FOR BREAD MAKING OR BAKING APPLIED TO CERTAIN MUNICIPAL DISTRICTS.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by sub-section (10) of section 15 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1896* the Governor in Council has, by an Order made on the 8th day of June, 1897, applied the determination of the Special Board appointed to determine the lowest price or rate of payment for bread making or baking, which was published in the *Government Gazette* of the 2nd April, 1897, page 1336, to the municipal districts named hereunder, viz:—

The Borough of Oakleigh,
The Shire of Boroondara,
The Shire of Caulfield,
The Shire of Coburg,
The Shire of Heidelberg,
The Shire of Malvern, and
The Shire of Preston.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.*Licensing Act 1890.*

WOORNDOO LICENSING DISTRICT.—POLL OF ELECTORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 30 of the *Licensing Act 1890* (No. 1111), it is hereby notified that the Governor in Council has ordered a Poll of the Electors in the Woorndoo Licensing District to be taken by ballot on Saturday, the 3rd day of July next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 28th April, 1897.A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.*Licensing Act 1890.*

WOORNDOO LICENSING DISTRICT.

POLL OF ELECTORS TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THE NUMBER OF VICTUALLERS' LICENCES SHALL BE INCREASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have been directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to take a Poll of the Electors within the Licensing District of Woorndoo to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased: and that I will proceed to take such Poll on Saturday, the 3rd day of July next, at Woorndoo and East Framlingham, for the purpose mentioned.

The Poll will open at Eight o'clock in the forenoon and close at Five o'clock in the afternoon.

Given under my hand, at Geelong, this 3rd day of June, 1897.

G. W. F. PATTERSON, P.M.,
Returning Officer.

Post Office Act 1890.

SCALE OF CHARGES, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH TELEPHONE LINES, INSTRUMENTS, ETC., IN CONNECTION WITH THE VICTORIAN TELEPHONE EXCHANGES AND PRIVATE TELEPHONE LINES, INSTRUMENTS, ETC., IN THE COLONY OF VICTORIA WILL BE LEASED.

THE Governor in Council has ordered that the following be the charges, terms, and conditions, in the colony of Victoria, under which Exchange Telephone Lines, Private Telephone Lines, Instruments, &c., will be leased from the 1st October, 1897, and has cancelled all previous regulations on the subject from such date:—

TELEPHONE EXCHANGES.

Business Rates.

	Per annum.
Melbourne—Line of one mile or under, and one telephone, with service at Exchange ...	9 0 0
Suburban—Line of one mile or under, and one telephone, with service at Exchange ...	9 0 0
Country—Line of one mile or under, and one telephone, with service at Exchange ...	8 0 0

Private Residence Rates.

Melbourne, Suburban, and Country—Line of one mile or under, and one telephone, with service at exchange ...	5 0 0
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Private Lines.

Line only, one mile or under ...	4 0 0
Each telephone set ...	2 0 0

Extra Services.

Each additional half-mile or under ...	1 0 0
Extra telephone sets (without indicator) ...	2 0 0
Indicators, each ...	0 10 0
Battery bells, each ...	0 10 0
Magneto extension bells, each ...	0 10 0
Offices in same building, each (after first full rate), with instrument ...	3 0 0
Offices in same building, each (after first full rate), without instrument ...	2 0 0
Additional names in Guide (maximum number allowed, six), each ...	0 5 0
Special appliances as per agreement.	

The above rates include attendance, adjustment, repairs, and renewals of instruments and batteries.

Mileage to be calculated radially from the Exchange with which subscribers are connected, and in regard to extensions from starting point of such extensions, allowance, however, to be made for shortage on the main line.

Mileage of private lines to be calculated radially from starting point.

Rent to be charged from the 1st day of the month following the completion of the line.

First year's rent to be paid in advance; subsequent rent to be paid in advance yearly, half-yearly, or quarterly, at the option of the Postmaster-General.

New Exchange lines to be taken for at least one year. New private lines, if within three miles of an Exchange, to be taken for at least one year; if beyond three miles to be taken for three years, and under certain conditions by arrangement.

Lessees requiring their wires or instruments removed from one building or room to another, or to a different position in the same room, will be charged the net cost of labour and material expended on such removal.

If the removal involves an extension of line beyond the mileage paid for, the rental to be increased accordingly.

One calendar month's notice, in writing, must be given of intention to discontinue the use of a line.

PUBLIC BUREAUX.

Fees.

Three minutes' conversation on City, Suburban, or Country Exchange lines ...	0 0 6
Five minutes' conversation on trunk lines of 25 miles ...	0 0 6
Five minutes' conversation on trunk lines of 50 miles ...	0 1 0
Five minutes' conversation on trunk lines of 100 miles ...	0 1 6
Fee for messenger's services within one and a half miles of Bureau ...	0 0 6
Fee for transmission of telegrams by telephone ...	0 0 6

Subscribers to Telephone Exchanges may use the trunk lines when required, by paying a toll fee for each connexion of five minutes' duration or fraction thereof, provided a sum of money equal to their estimated requirements for, say, one month be paid in advance. All accounts to be rendered monthly, reimbursements to be promptly made, and no connexion to be made after notification that the advance has been exhausted.

No person to be allowed the use of the trunk line for more than five minutes consecutively, if other applicants are waiting to use it; but if the line be disengaged an extension of time will be granted on payment of the additional fee for every five minutes or portion thereof.

In cases where the line may be engaged, applications will be registered and connexion will be made in the order of priority of application.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 11th May, 1897.

MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE, PORT ALBERT.

APPLICATIONS, with testimonials as to fitness, will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th June, 1897, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office at Port Albert for a period of three years, at a remuneration of One hundred pounds (£100) per annum, including free use of Government quarters.

The successful applicant will be required to perform all duties in connexion with the Post and Telegraph Office, Money Order Office, and Savings Bank, convey mails to and from the railway station as often as may be necessary, deliver telegrams, and, if necessary, letters.

Applicants must state their qualifications in Morse system of telegraphy, and what knowledge (if any) they possess of postal duties.

The successful applicant will be required to find guarantee to the extent of £250 in one of the insurance companies.

Full information may be obtained at the Chief Inspector's Office, General Post Office, Melbourne, where a detailed specification of the requirements may be seen.

Applications to be indorsed "Application for Management of Post and Telegraph Office, Port Albert," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

F. L. OUTTRIM,

Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 21st May, 1897.

Income Tax Acts 1895 and 1896.

NOTICE OF PAYMENT OF TAX.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above-named Acts, the tax payable on assessments made after the 30th day of April, 1897, and on or before the 12th day of June, 1897, will be payable on the 28th day of June, 1897.

THOS. PROUT WEBB,
Commissioner of Taxes.

Income Tax Office,

Queen and Lonsdale streets, Melbourne, 1st June, 1897.

COURTS OF PETTY SESSIONS ALTERED.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the hours specified in the subjoined Schedule for the holding of the Courts of Petty Sessions at the places mentioned therein, in lieu of those previously appointed, viz:—

Schedule.

Names of Courts.	Hours.
Ferntree Gully ...	Nine o'clock a.m.
Nathalia ...	Eleven o'clock a.m.
Tarnagulla ...	Three o'clock p.m.

HENRY CUTHBERT.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

EXAMINATIONS FOR MINING AND FACTORY ENGINE-DRIVERS.

THE Board of Examiners will hold Examinations at the undermentioned places on the dates specified:—

Ballaarat, 8th to 14th June, inclusive.
Stawell, 15th June.
Hamilton, 17th June.
Warrnambool, 18th and 19th June.
Geelong, 21st June.
Seymour, 23rd June.
Benalla, 24th June.
Wangaratta, 25th June.

GEO. SPENCE,

Secretary to the Board.

Office of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 18th May, 1897.

POLLING PLACE FOR MINING DISTRICT.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Mines Act 1850*, constituted

SUNNYSIDE

a Polling Place for Mining Board Elections for the Omeo Division of the Gippsland Mining District.

H. Y. FOSTER,

Minister of Mines and Water Supply.

Office of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

Companies Act 1890.

I HEREBY certify that the "Carter Electrical Controllable Torpedo Company Limited" has been this day registered by me, and notify that the said company is incorporated and is limited by shares.

Dated this 8th day of June, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,

Registrar-General's Office, Deputy Registrar-General,
Melbourne.

DEPARTMENT OF MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

VACANCIES for Head Teachers and Assistants advertised in accordance with the provisions of the *Teachers Act 1895*.

Number.	Name.	County.	Locality.	Class.	No of Rooms in Quarters.	Rent per Annum.	Percentage.	Average Attendance.			Teacher required.
								—		May.	
								—			
33	Ballarat	Grenville	...	2	7	£ 30	93 July, '96	...	...	672	Head Teacher
1252	Carlton North	Bourke	...	...	...	...	91 June, '96	...	...	995	2nd F. Asst., 6th Class,
114	Camperdown	Hampden	...	...	...	...	73 May, '97	...	...	337	Fem. Asst., 8th Class
295	Hamilton	Dundas	...	...	...	...	82 Dec., '96	...	...	473	"
522	Rutherglen	Bogong	...	...	...	...	80 Sept., '96	...	...	333	"
794	Wedderburn	Gladstone	...	...	...	...	89 Oct., '96	...	...	216	"
800	Ararat	Ripon	...	...	...	...	78 July, '96	...	...	304	"
876	Lilydale	Evelyn	...	...	...	...	92 Oct., '96	...	...	168	"
1111	Brighton South	Bourke	...	...	...	...	92 Aug., '96	...	...	163	"
1410	Kerang	Gunbower	...	...	...	...	79 Oct., '96	...	...	216	"
1435	Ballan	Moira	...	...	...	...	94 May, '97	...	...	153	"
1469	Shepparton	Kara Kara	...	...	...	...	77	...	...	249	"
1646	St. Arnaud	Bourke	...	...	...	...	79 June, '96	...	...	484	"
1895	Collingwood	...	...	...	...	...	89 Aug., '96	...	...	728	"
2634	Armadale	...	...	...	...	...	96 Sept., '95	...	...	1056	"
2120	Long Gully	Bendigo	...	...	...	...	100 Oct., '96	...	...	825	Male Asst., 8th Class
2948	Auburn	Bourke	...	...	...	...	— May, '97	...	...	626	"

Applications for the positions above named will be received only from qualified teachers in the service. Separate applications for each vacancy, addressed to the Committee of Classifiers, Education Office, Melbourne, must reach this office not later than fourteen days from the date hereof. Should more than one position be applied for, the order of preference must be stated.

Payments will be made on the percentages of the schools to which teachers are transferred, whether the percentages are those stated above or have been obtained at subsequent examinations.

Teachers applying for positions lower than those they at present occupy must signify their willingness to accept the pay and status thereof, with the understanding that they cannot regain their present classification except in the ordinary course of promotion.

The Head Teacher is requested to post this list in his school for a week for the information of his assistants.

Education Department,
11th June, 1897.

JAMES BAGGE,
Secretary Public Instruction.

COMMISSIONERS OF SAVINGS BANKS.

ADVANCES DEPARTMENT.

MONTHLY STATEMENT of Mortgage Bonds and Advances and Money in hand, published in accordance with the provisions of Section 47 of the *Savings Banks Act 1890 Amendment Act 1896*.

	Mortgage Bonds.								Amount of Advances made.	Amount of Money in Hand.
	Made and Issued.		Amount received from Sale of Bonds.	Amount of Bonds purchased by Savings Banks Department under Section 25 of Act.	Amount of Bonds purchased by Advances Department under Section 43 of Act.	Amount of Bonds received from Borrowers in payment of Mortgage Principal.	Amount of Bonds redeemed by Ballot.	Amount of Money in Hand.		
	Number of Bonds.	Amount of Bonds.								
For month ending 31st May, 1897	1,446	£ 36,150	£ s. d. 33,592 10 0	£ s. d. 15,877 10 0	...	...	...	£ 36,225	£ s. d. 9,402 19 1
Total from last re- turn ...	1,800	45,000	45,028 13 0	21,175 0 0	...	...	...	37,965	7,330 9 7
Total at 31st May, 1897 ...	3,246	81,150	83,621 3 0*	37,052 10 0†	...	...	...	74,190	9,402 19 1

* Including deposits of £2,442 10s., received on Bonds not yet issued.

† Including deposit £1,802 10s., paid on Bonds not yet issued.

Dated 1st June, 1897.

EDWD. KEOGH, } Commissioners of
JAMES GRICE, } Savings Banks.

GEO. E. EMERY, Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
JOHN W. FOSBERY, Commissioner of Audit.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT MELBOURNE.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. CLEMENT HENRY DAVIS, F.S.A.A., Engl., and
MR. WILLIAM SIGISMUND RUCKER, F.I.A.V.,

having been appointed Auditors of the Savings Bank at MELBOURNE, will attend for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors at the Head Office and Branches of the said Savings Bank, as under, viz.:-

- BRIGHTON, 2nd July.
- NEWMARKET, 5th July.
- NORTH FITZROY, 6th July.
- VICTORIA MARKET, 7th July.
- GRAFTON HILL, 8th July.
- FOOTSCRAY, 9th July.
- HAWTHORN, 12th July.
- WILLIAMSTOWN, 13th July.
- PORT MELBOURNE, 14th July.
- ST. KILDA, 15th July.
- BRUNSWICK, 16th July.
- EAST COLLINGWOOD, 19th and 20th July.
- RICHMOND, 21st and 22nd July.
- NORTH MELBOURNE, 23rd and 26th July.
- CARLTON, 27th and 28th July.
- SOUTH MELBOURNE, 29th and 30th July.
- PRAHNAN, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th August.
- FITZROY, 5th, 6th, and 9th August.
- HEAD OFFICE, 10th, 11th, and 12th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Office of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT BAIRNSDALE.

ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division,

will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at BAIRNSDALE, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 5th and 6th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT BALLAARAT.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. ALEXANDER COOCH, Chief Inspector of Metropolitan Division, and
MR. JOHN RAMSAY MAXWELL, Inspector,

will attend as Auditors, at the office of the Savings Bank at BALLAARAT, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 11th and 12th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT BENDIGO.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division, and
MR. JOHN RAMSAY MAXWELL, Inspector,

will attend as Auditors, at the office of the Savings Bank at BENDIGO, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 23rd and 24th August; and at the Branch Office, EAGLEHAWK, on 26th and 27th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT CASTLEMAINE.

ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector,
will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at CASTLEMAINE, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 5th and 6th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT DAYLESFORD.

ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector,

will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at DAYLESFORD, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 12th and 13th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT ECHUCA.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division,

will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at ECHUCA, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 8th and 9th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT GEELONG.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER and
MR. JOHN RAMSAY MAXWELL, Inspectors,

will attend as Auditors, at the office of the Savings Bank at GEELONG, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 28th and 29th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT HAMILTON.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector,
will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at HAMILTON, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 26th and 27th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT HORSHAM.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector,
will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at HORSHAM, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 17th and 18th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT KYNETON.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

MR. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division,

will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at KYNETON, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 17th and 19th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT
MARYBOROUGH.

ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.
PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at MARYBOROUGH, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 15th and 16th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT PORT FAIRY.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at PORT FAIRY, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 22nd and 23rd July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT PORTLAND.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at PORTLAND, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 21st and 23rd August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT SALE.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at SALE, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 10th and 11th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT ST. ARNAUD.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. MARSTON CHARLES BRIDGER, Inspector, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at ST. ARNAUD, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 8th and 9th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT STAWELL.
ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. ALEXANDER COOCH, Chief Inspector of Metropolitan Division, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at STAWELL, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 19th and 20th August.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS' SAVINGS BANK AT
WARRNAMBOOL.

ANNUAL AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF DEPOSITORS' PASS-BOOKS.
PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Savings Banks Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that

Mr. GEORGE RAND REEVES, Chief Inspector of Inland Division, will attend as Auditor, at the office of the Savings Bank at WARRNAMBOOL, for the purpose of inspecting the Pass-Books of Depositors, on the 27th and 28th July.

By Order of the Commissioners of Savings Banks,
GEO. E. EMERY,
Inspector-General of Savings Banks.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

COMPANIES AUDITORS' BOARD.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 31 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the undermentioned persons have been granted licences authorizing them to act as Auditors for Companies, viz. :-

Acheson, William Morrin, Ballarat
Aikins, John, Ballarat
Barker, George Henderson, Ballarat
Barker, John Martin, Ballarat
Barr, Robert, Fitzroy
Beattie, Robert, Melbourne
Bentley, John Gowan, Melbourne
Bolton, Stuart Blacker, Horsham
Buzzard, Charles Coleby, Melbourne
Chalk, John Alfred, Ballarat
Christophers, Henry Albert Marquis, Melbourne
Christy, William Arthur, Ballarat
Coffey, William James, Adelaide
Connell, John Minton, Melbourne
Cooke, Courtenay, Melbourne
Day, Herbert William, Geelong
Emery, Frederick Richard, Port Fairy
Goodall, Thomas, Warrnambool
Gurr, Edward George, Geelong
Hyndman, William Moody, Melbourne
Isles, Henry Bunkin, Warrnambool
Jackson, John, Melbourne
Jenkinson, Edward Dickson, South Yarra
Kent, Charles, Ballarat
Moore, Arthur Capper, Melbourne
Morres, Leslie Byron, Melbourne
Morton, Thomas Richards Burrows, Melbourne
McIntosh, Henry, Morwell
McNair, Robert, Bendigo
Paterson, Duncan Aubrey, Melbourne
Pewtress, John Barber, Melbourne
Powers, Daniel, Geelong
Ridge, Mavhew Alfred, Melbourne
Rollason, Thomas, Melbourne
Scott, Allan, Melbourne
Scott, George, Sale
Smith, John Kennedy, Bairnsdale
Smyth, Walter Edward Frank, Ballarat
Snowball, Fitzgerald, Melbourne
Stillman, Thomas William, Melbourne
Tope, Richard, South Melbourne
Underwood, Henry Albert, Melbourne
Valantine, Andrew McClure, Melbourne
Valantine, John, Melbourne
Wall, William James, Port Fairy
Webb, Edward Joseph, Ballarat
Woolcott, James Dyer, Ballarat
Woolton, Horace Edgar, Melbourne
Wright, George, Melbourne
Wynne, Charles, Melbourne
Young, Archibald James, Geelong

S. WHITEHEAD,
Secretary, Companies Auditors' Board.
Government Offices,
Melbourne, 7th June, 1897.

COMPANIES AUDITORS' BOARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Examination of Candidates under paragraph (d) of sub-section (2), section 51, of the *Companies Act 1896*, for Licences to act as Auditors for Companies, will be held in Melbourne on the 16th and 17th inst.

Intending candidates must give notice not later than the 11th inst., accompanied by documentary evidence of good conduct and character, of their intention to appear at the examination, forwarding at the same time the prescribed fee of £2 2s.

S. WHITEHEAD,
Secretary.
Government Offices,
Melbourne, 1st June, 1897.

Companies Act 1896.

QUALIFICATION OF AUDITORS OF COMPANIES.
THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 31 of the *Companies Act 1896* (60 Vict. No. 1482), been pleased to approve "The Sydney Institute of Public Accountants" as an institute whose members shall be qualified to receive from the Companies Auditors' Board licences to act as auditors for companies in Victoria.

ISAAC A. ISAACS.
Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

Companies Act 1890.

CHANGE OF NAME OF A COMPANY.
THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1074), has been pleased to approve the change of the name of "The Federal Coffee Palace Company Limited" to

THE FEDERAL PALACE HOTEL LIMITED.
ISAAC A. ISAACS.
Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

MINING LEASES, ETC.

THE undermentioned Mining Leases, &c., with the names of the lessees or licensees, extent of ground leased or licensed, and annual rent reserved, have been recently issued, and are now awaiting execution by the respective lessees and delivery to the licensee. Any lease not executed or any licence not taken delivery of within the period prescribed by the regulations under which the application for such lease or licence shall have been made will be liable to forfeiture.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease or Licence.	Date of Lease or Licence.	Term (No. of Years).	Lessee or Licensee.	Area.	Annual Rent.			Payable to Receiver at—	
							£	s.	d.		
						A.	R.	P.			
Gold Mining Leases.											
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	3164	25.5.97	15	W. H. Osborne	31 3 33	8	14	10	1	Melbourne
"	Creswick	3133	"	15	J. J. Mullins	30 0 0	7	10	0	1	Creswick
"	Smythe's Creek	3136	"	15	W. Jones and F. Watts	27 3 32	6	19	10	1	Ballaarat
"	Gordon	3101	"	15	H. Stone	30 2 37	7	13	8	1	Melbourne
"	Steiglitz	3112	"	15	The Golden Crown G. M. Co. N.L.	20 1 6	5	1	6	1	"
"	"	3146	"	15	A. McPherson	20 3 8	5	4	0	1	Ballaarat
"	Blackwood	3132	"	15	L. Gabriel	30 0 0	7	10	0	1	Daylesford
Beechworth	Buckland (Bright)	3914	"	15	C. A. Cooper	17 1 22	4	7	0	1	Melbourne
"	"	3926	"	15	J. Davidson and R. Abraham	29 2 17	7	8	2	1	Bright
"	"	3927	"	15	J. I. Hall and A. Albu	29 3 36	7	10	0	1	"
"	Goulburn (Jamieson)	3845	"	15	C. G. Lush and J. Rodda	32 3 22	8	4	6	1	Melbourne
"	"	3846	"	15	C. G. Lush and J. Rodda	32 2 33	8	3	8	1	"
"	"	3847	"	15	C. G. Lush and J. Rodda	28 2 25	7	3	4	1	"
"	Goulburn (Wood's Point)	3928	"	15	J. Raymond and J. T. O'Keefe	30 3 9	7	14	2	1	Jamieson
"	"	3936	11.5.97	15	A. Nelson	10 0 3	2	10	2	1	"
"	Mitta Mitta (Tallangatta)	3918	25.5.97	15	J. S. Smith	22 1 2	5	11	4	1	Ballaarat
"	Mitta Mitta (Dark River)	3835	"	15	W. Stephens, W. Wallace, and N. Larsen	21 0 0	5	5	0	1	Tallangatta
"	Mitta Mitta (Corryong)	3837	"	15	G. Walton	12 1 7	3	1	6	1	"
"	"	3805	"	15	G. Walton	8 2 26	2	3	4	1	"
"	"	3873	"	15	G. Walton	8 3 25	2	4	8	1	"
Castlemaine	Castlemaine	3816	"	15	United Ajax G. M. Co. N.L.	32 2 23	8	3	4	1	Castlemaine
"	Tarrangower	3840	"	15	W. Johnson	4 2 0	1	2	6	1	Maldon
"	St. Andrew's	3885	"	15	J. Field and G. Beckwith	12 3 23	3	4	6	1	Melbourne
"	"	3809	"	15	J. Farrell, A. White, A. Tibbett, W. Hopgood, and A. Baker	16 1 5	4	1	6	1	"
"	"	3813	"	15	R. Medina	14 2 0	3	12	6	1	"
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	2758	"	15	J. R. Coombs	20 0 35	5	1	2	1	Alexandra
"	"	2759 ¹	"	15	A. Colegate and B. Gray	7 3 20	1	19	6	1	Walhalla
"	"	2795	"	15	T. Leveridge	32 2 29	8	3	6	1	"
"	Mitchell River	2739	"	15	W. Bailey and A. C. Brabet	19 3 9	4	19	2	1	Bairnsdale
"	"	2755	"	15	C. Faulkner and J. Bull	29 2 28	7	8	6	1	"
"	Omeo	2778	"	15	W. J. Wye	28 3 12	7	4	2	1	Omeo
"	"	2780	"	15	A. J. Lording and W. Speers	25 1 22	6	7	0	1	"
"	"	2782	"	15	J. Matthews	29 2 3	7	7	8	1	"
"	"	2783	"	15	E. Tomkins	7 2 18	1	18	2	1	"
"	"	2796	"	15	J. T. Lempriere	20 2 22	5	3	4	1	Melbourne
"	"	2797	"	15	P. Doolan and T. McInnes	10 3 7	2	14	0	1	Omeo
"	"	2807	"	15	C. Richards	22 3 14	5	14	4	1	"
"	Tarwin	2728	"	15	C. T. Macarthur	43 2 30	10	18	6	1	Melbourne
"	Crooked River	2701	"	15	P. O'Grady	29 2 6	7	7	10	1	Bairnsdale
"	"	2799	"	15	J. O'Brien	23 1 3	5	16	6	1	Bright
"	Mitchell River (Orbost)	2704	"	15	G. S. Affleck, H. J. Cadwallader, H. F. Cadwallader, and F. C. Cadwallader	28 2 0	7	2	6	1	Bairnsdale
"	"	2763	"	15	J. Hatton	27 0 35	6	16	2	1	"
"	Donnelly's Creek	2800	"	15	M. Le Grand	35 3 16	8	19	4	1	Sale
Maryborough	Dunolly	3976	11.5.97	15	W. F. T. Tatchell	11 1 10	3	11	8	1	Dunolly
"	"	3989	25.5.97	15	J. Shorter	30 0 0	7	10	0	1	Melbourne
"	"	4015	"	15	A. H. Bartlett	27 2 3	6	17	8	1	Dunolly
"	Avoca	4019	"	15	A. Preston	33 2 34	8	8	8	1	Avoca
"	St. Arnaud	4039	"	15	R. Westcott	29 3 36	7	10	0	1	St. Arnaud
Sandhurst	Sandhurst	6874	"	15	J. A. Robertson and C. Hallett	20 1 38	5	2	6	1	Melbourne
"	"	6903	"	15	W. H. Harrison	9 0 20	2	5	8	1	Bendigo
"	"	6926	"	15	J. A. Robertson and C. Hallett	46 0 0	11	10	0	1	Melbourne
"	"	6927	"	15	J. A. Robertson and C. Hallett	30 0 0	7	10	0	1	"
"	"	6941	"	15	S. H. McGowan	21 1 3	5	6	6	1	Bendigo
"	"	6944	"	15	L. G. M. Anderson	11 2 16	2	18	0	1	"
"	"	6947 ²	"	15	Extended Red White and Blue G. M. Co. N. L.	39 0 89½	9	16	4	1	"
"	"	6958	"	15	T. Brown	11 3 10	2	19	2	1	"
Mineral Leases.											
Beechworth	Mitta Mitta (Dark River)	1900	25.5.97	15	B. B. Spargo	71 1 35	3	11	6	1	Melbourne
Castlemaine	St. Andrew's	1879	"	15	The Great Victoria Colliery Co. N. L.	457 3 0	22	17	10	1	"
Leases of Private Property.											
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	3449	25.5.97	15	J. J. Cahir	0 2 22½	1	0	0	1	Ballaarat
"	Creswick	3091	"	15	J. Balicer	305 0 0	7	12	8	1	"
"	Smythe's Creek	3434	"	15	R. A. Stanley	290 2 36	7	5	8	1	Melbourne
"	Blackwood	3405	"	15	M. E. Fox	20 0 0	1	0	0	1	"
Beechworth	Indigo (Chiltern)	3213	"	13 yrs. & 311 days	S. Smith	42 1 27	1	1	4	1	"

¹ Issued in lieu of No. 2991, surrendered. Fine 1s.

² Issued in lieu of Nos. 1008 and 2478, surrendered. Fine £2.

³ Issued in lieu of Nos. 6047, 6358, and 6363, surrendered. Fine £3.

MINING LEASES, ETC.—continued.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease or Licence.	Date of Lease or Licence.	Term (No. of Years).	Lessee or Licensee.	Area.	Annual Rent.			Payable to Receiver at—	
							£	s.	d.		
Leases of Private Property—continued.											
Castlemaine	Daylesford	2940	25.5.97	13 yrs. & 121 days	H. Peacock	473 2 30	11	17	0	1	Creswick
"	"	3424	"	15	The Lord Clyde Estate Freehold Co. Ltd.	236 3 11	5	18	8	1	Melbourne
"	Taradale (Kyneton)	3465	"	15	J. A. Gurner	55 3 0	1	8	0	1	"
"	St. Andrew's	3201	"	15	G. Matthews	19 2 30	1	0	0	1	"
Water Right Licence.											
Beechworth	Goulburn (Jamieson)	737	25.5.97	15	Twin Jacks Proprietary G. M. Co. Ltd.	25 3 23	12	0	0	1	Melbourne

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.H. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines.

MINING LEASES DECLARED VOID.

It is hereby notified that the undermentioned Leases have been declared void:—

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Lessees.	Area.	Locality.
Gold Mining Leases.						
Ballaarat	Steiglitz	3070	11th Feb., 1897	A. Lamb	29 3 19	Elaine
"	"	3071	11th Feb., 1897	M. Mulrooney	24 1 28	Brisbane Ranges
Beechworth	Indigo (Chiltern)	3603	14th Dec., 1896	A. C. Allan	41 0 29	Parish of Carlyle
"	"	3604	16th Nov., 1896	S. Smith	52 0 5	"
"	Mitta Mitta (Dark River)	3892	25th May, 1897	R. Irvine and another	9 1 27	Little Snowy Creek
Castlemaine	Tarrangower	3613*	18th June, 1896	North Day Dawn G. M. Co. N. L.	18 3 25	Wattle Gully
"	St. Andrew's	3726	11th Feb., 1897	T. A. Heyward	18 1 24	Reefton Track
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	2477	12th Jan., 1897	W. J. Armstrong	25 3 32	Walhalla
"	"	2504	21st Jan., 1896	S. Yandell	14 1 16	Tubal Cain
"	"	2606	14th Dec., 1896	W. J. Armstrong	25 3 32	Fear Not Creek
"	Omeo	1971*	25th June, 1894	J. Fisher and another	33 2 37	Big River
"	Omeo (Bendoc)	1890	19th Mar., 1894	H. Copeland	16 2 20	Bonang
"	"	2107*	25th Feb., 1895	W. S. Greenville and others	29 3 38	Parish of Cabanandra
"	Omeo (Orbst)	2512	12th Jan., 1897	E. S. Gutteridge and others	21 2 24	Bemm River
"	Crooked River (Dargo)	2209	2nd Sept., 1895	T. Livingston	29 2 39	Dargo High Plains
"	"	2212	2nd Sept., 1895	T. Livingston	29 2 39	"
"	"	2213	2nd Sept., 1895	T. Livingston	33 0 8	"
"	Jericho	2219	16th Sept., 1895	H. Thompson	18 3 6	B.B. Creek
"	"	2346	23rd Mar., 1896	D. Lawson	28 1 37	near Matlock
"	"	2573	14th Dec., 1896	W. J. Svenson & another	20 0 33	Blue Jacket Creek
"	Tarwin	2336	23rd Mar., 1896	T. Stranger	15 2 2	Foster
Maryborough	Dunolly	3954	27th Feb., 1897	J. W. Cameron	19 1 5	Moliagul
"	"	3955	27th Feb., 1897	A. Cameron	29 1 34	"
"	Inglewood	3861	11th Feb., 1897	J. N. Shipton	20 0 0	Kentish Reef
"	"	3924	2nd Feb., 1897	R. Vernon	10 3 30	Inglewood
Sandhurst	Sandhurst	6840	6th Mar., 1896	R. Aitken	13 1 37	Big Hill
"	"	6801	21st Sept., 1896	S. H. McGowan	10 1 6	"
"	"	6806	21st Sept., 1896	J. Hewett	9 0 5	Napoleon Reef
"	Eaglehawk	6633	6th Mar., 1896	J. H. Inglis	24 2 20	Jackass Reef
"	Kilmore	6784	4th Sept., 1896	E. Winch and another	8 2 17	Reedy Creek
Lease of Reserved Land.						
Gippsland	Russell's Creek (Moe)	208	8th Sept., 1890	The Narracan Valley Coal M. Co. N. L.	16 1 20	Coalville
Mineral Leases.						
Ballaarat	Blackwood	1859	21st Sept., 1896	A. Forrest	57 1 31	Coimadai
Beechworth	Indigo (Chiltern)	1801	24th Feb., 1896	Pilot Co. N. L.	640 0 0	Parish of Eldorado
Gippsland	Tarwin	1713	23rd Apr., 1894	J. R. Stamp	443 2 0	Kongwak
Lease of Private Property.						
Castlemaine	St. Andrew's	3271	11th Feb., 1897	H. M. Hearle	0 3 19	Parish of Nunawading

* Declared void on an application under clause 52 of the Regulations for an inquiry.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Parliament 54 Victoria No. 1120, it is hereby notified that, after the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is intended to grant Leases of the portions of ground undermentioned, subject to such excisions, modifications, and reservations as may be necessary.

Department of Mines.
Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

Mining District.	No. of Application.	Names of Applicants, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	No. of Lease.	Approximate Area of Ground intended to be leased.	Minimum Number of Men to be employed from and after the Date of Lease.		Precise Locality.	Term of Lease, and several Remarks, showing Exclusion to be made from Area applied for, &c.
					During the First Six Months.			
					During the First Six Months.	After the First Six Months.		
			A. R. P.					
								Gold Mining Leases.
Asarat	226	J. P. Goodbun	1506	25 1 1	Four men	Twelve men	Cathcart	15 years. Expiring sold land, Mining Tenement No. 857 and Wesleyan Church Reserve, also overlap on existing lease block.
Ballaarat	981	H. Fields. "The New Desoza Co."	3060	202 1 0	Twelve men	Forty-eight men	Scotchman's	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	980	L. Richards	3068	28 3 21	Four men	Twelve men	Dead Horse Ranges	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	5/95	M. C. Donnelly. "Carr Stanbrook Co."	3107	1 2 0	Two men	Two men	Rokewood	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	1046	L. Richards	3114	30 0 0	Four men	Twelve men	Dead Horse Ranges	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	21/96	W. P. Wynne	3134	30 0 0	Four men	Twelve men	Sulky Gully	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	1029	W. H. Osborne	3140	47 3 59	Six men	Eighteen men	Napoleon's	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	7/97	F. A. Gampigh and another. "Nonpareil Quartz and Alluvial G. M. Co."	3141	12 2 20	Two men	Six men	Piggoreet	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	1046	L. Richards	3162	30 0 15	Four men	Twelve men	Dead Horse Ranges	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	1047	L. Richards	3163	31 1 15	Four men	Twelve men	Dead Horse Ranges	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
Beechworth	94/96	A. E. Pookit. "The Nelson G. M. Co."	3551	31 1 15	Five men	Thirteen men	Wandiligong	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	308	J. O. Jones. "Britannia's Oak G. M. Co."	3557	30 0 0	Four men	Twelve men	Fawcett	15 years. Expiring from the southern end of the block the area in excess.
"	112/96	G. Bedgood and another. "Try Again Co."	3978	29 1 6	Four men	Twelve men	Clear Creek, Upper Buckland	15 years.
"	5/97	J. Shorter. "Welcome Stranger Syndicate"	3989	29 1 23	Four men	Twelve men	Parish of Bright	15 years.
"	9/97	J. B. Richardson and another	3990	22 2 6	Four men	Eleven men	Near Harriettville	15 years.
"	4/97	C. A. Kessane. "Star of the East Quartz M. Co."	3993	24 2 12	Four men	Twelve men	Eurobin	15 years.
"	6/97	J. M. Kaufmann. "The Empress G. M. Co."	3994	23 2 1	Four men	Twelve men	Porepunkah	15 years.
"	17/97	J. T. Woodward. "Diamantina G. M. Co."	3996	29 2 30	Four men	Ten men	Upper Kiewa	15 years.
"	18/97	J. Davidson. "Brookside Hydraulic Sluicing Co."	3997	27 2 11	Four men	Twelve men	Porepunkah	15 years.
"	19/97	W. Atkinson	3998	31 3 4	Four men	Fifteen men	Near Bright	15 years.
"	28/97	L. Ellison. "Shouldn't Wonder South G. M. Co."	3999	27 3 8	Four men	Twelve men	Parish of Bright	15 years.
"	97/96	J. Davidson. "Hydraulic Sluicing Co."	4002	60 1 37	Six men	Twenty-one men	Brookside	15 years.
"	30/97	W. Mitton and another. "Lord Brassey G. M. Co."	4003	28 0 38	Four men	Twelve men	Harriettville	15 years.
Castlemaine	1043	W. Wilson and another. "The Lady Barkly Co."	3869	8 0 5	Two men	Four men	Specimen Gully	15 years.
"	736	A. V. Wilson	3870	23 3 20	Four men	Eleven men	Maldon	15 years.
"	748	S. Wilson	3872	17 0 25 1/2	Three men	Nine men	Maldon	15 years.
"	...	R. James	3877	11 2 9	Six men	Six men	Mt. Farrangowar	15 years.

This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 2513, Castlemaine.

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Castlemaine	R. James	3878	6 1 20	Three men	Three men	Three men	Mt. Tarrangower	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3074, Castlemaine.
"	R. James	3879	15 1 28	Eight men	Eight men	Eight men	Mt. Tarrangower	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3085, Castlemaine.
"	R. James	3880	2 0 9	Two men	Two men	Two men	Mt. Tarrangower	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3092, Castlemaine.
"	R. James	3881	28 1 20	Twelve men	Twelve men	Twelve men	Mt. Tarrangower	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3107, Castlemaine.
"	T. W. Wilson	3882	29 0 0	Twelve men	Twelve men	Twelve men	Wombat Creek	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3072, Castlemaine.
Gippsland	W. L. Smith, "Trilby G. M. Co."	2960	32 2 10	Four men	Four men	Fifteen men	Foster	15 years.
"	R. Don, "Aurum Quartz M. Co."	2974	20 0 35	Four men	Four men	Ten men	Walhalla	15 years.
"	A. McKinnon and others, "The Cassilis Homestead Bound G. M. Co."	2975	13 1 31	Three men	Three men	Seven men	Cassilis	15 years.
"	D. C. McInnery and another	2977	12 3 13	Two men	Two men	Six men	Dry Creek	15 years. Excising overlap on existing lease block.
"	W. B. Warren and another	2978	32 0 0	Four men	Four men	Thirteen men	Dry Creek	15 years.
"	A. Nowlan, "The Hidden Rock"	2881	23 3 13	Four men	Four men	Eleven men	Cassilis	15 years.
"	J. B. Tonner, "North Percy Extended G. M. Co."	2883	19; 2 2	Four men	Four men	Ten men	Bonang	15 years.
"	W. Johnstone, "Standard South G. M. Co."	2888	20 3 23	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Dargo High Plains	15 years.
"	W. Johnstone, "Standard G. M. Co."	2889	29 3 22	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Dargo High Plains	15 years.
"	W. Johnstone, "Standard North G. M. Co."	2890	29 3 17	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Dargo High Plains	15 years.
"	W. Johnstone, "The Lyre Bird"	2892	29 2 11	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Dargo High Plains	15 years.
Maryborough	S. H. Smith, "Red White & Blue G. M. Co."	3853	12 0 0	Three men	Three men	Six men	Weddaburn	15 years. Excising the reservoir reserve to the west of the wire fence.
"	J. McKibbin, "Kingower Quartz G. M. Co."	3868	20 2 31	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Kingower	15 years.
"	G. S. Duncan	3694	10 1 12	Two men	Two men	Five men	Renfrew	15 years.
"	A. C. Murray	4056	475 3 0	Twelve men	Twelve men	Seventy-seven men	Rathbarney	15 years.
"	W. Weeds	4069	20 2 31	Four men	Four men	Ten men	Lowery, Arga	15 years.
"	L. F. Sachs	4075	8 2 28	Two men	Two men	Four men	New Bendigo	15 years. Excising sold land and overlap on existing lease block.
"	P. Patison, "Sydney Reef Quartz M. Co."	4085	17 0 0	Three men	Three men	Eight men	Craigie	15 years.
"	E. P. Morris	4102	38 2 85	Fifteen men	Fifteen men	Fifteen men	Belgium Reef	15 years. This lease is granted under the provisions of clause 56 of the Mining Lease Regulations, and the area is identical with that lately held under lease No. 3164, Maryborough.
Sandhurst	J. Cairns	6971	29 1 32	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Eaglehawk	15 years.
"	J. D. Ashworth and another	6972	29 3 31	Four men	Four men	Twelve men	Graytown	15 years.
"	C. E. Coy and another, "Nuggetty & Specimen G. M. Co."	6977	2 1 34	Two men	Two men	Two men	Rushworth	15 years.
Beechworth	J. S. Woolcott, "Barambogie East Co."	1861	406 0 0	Twelve men	Twelve men	Seventy-two men	Parish of Eldorado	15 years. Excising allotment 10. Tin is the metal to be worked.
Gippsland	H. Peterson	1906	126 2 27	Ten men	Ten men	Thirty-four men	Gelantilly	15 years. Silver, copper, and lead are the metals to be worked.

Mineral Leases.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES—continued.

Mining District.	No. of Application.	Names of Applicants and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	No. of Lease.	Approximate Area of Ground intended to be leased.		A. B. P.	Minimum Number of Men to be employed from and after the Date of Lease.		Precise Locality.	Term of Lease, and General Remarks, showing Excisions to be made from Area applied for, &c.
				During the First Six Months.	After the First Six Months.		Ten men	During the First Six Months.		
Gippsland	20/96	H. Peterson	1907	97	3 17		Ten men	..	Celanthip	15 years. Silver, copper, and lead are the metals to be worked.
"	21/96	H. Peterson	1910	300	3 34		Ten men	..	Celanthip	15 years. Silver, copper, and lead are the metals to be worked.
"	27/96	H. Peterson	1920	54	3 31		Six men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	28/96	A. J. James	1921	25	1 37		Four men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	29/96	A. J. James	1922	26	1 10		Four men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	30/96	A. J. James	1923	35	2 34		Four men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	32/96	L. E. James	1924	21	0 13		Four men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	33/96	E. E. James	1925	26	2 28		Four men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	31/96	H. B. Clarkenson.	1926	17	3 21		Three men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
"	33/96	H. B. Clarkenson.	1927	71	1 27		Six men	..	Snowy River	15 years. Silver and lead are the minerals to be worked.
		Silver M. Co.					Twenty-three men	..		

Mineral Leases—continued.

GOLD MINING LEASES SURRENDERED.

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—BALLAARAT DIVISION.
No. 2991, dated 10th August, 1896; W. H. Osborne; 34a. 3r. 33p.; Napoleons.
A new lease, No. 3161, has been issued in lieu of the above lease.

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT—STRINGER'S CREEK DIVISION.
No. 1008, dated 29th October, 1888; R. Fulton; 7a. 2r. 4p.; Stringer's Creek.
No. 2478, dated 10th August, 1896; A. Colegate and another; 3r. 23p.; Stringer's Creek.
A new lease, No. 2759, has been issued in lieu of the above leases.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—SANDHURST DIVISION.
No. 6047, dated 5th January, 1891; A. McCamey; 21a. 1r. 34p.; Dead Dog Gully.
No. 6358, dated 16th October, 1893; J. Taylor; 10a. 3r. 10½p.; Sheepshead.
No. 6363, dated 3rd November, 1893; W. C. H. Purcell; 6a. 3r. 35p.; Sheepshead.
A new lease, No. 6947, has been issued in lieu of the above leases.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.
Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

APPLICATIONS FOR GOLD MINING LEASES ABANDONED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned applications for Leases of Auriferous Crown Lands have been abandoned:—

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—CRESWICK DIVISION.
Application No. 1/96, for lease No. 3032; W. Bevan; 94a. 1r.; North Clunes.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT—BUCKLAND DIVISION.
Application No. 15/97, for lease No. 3995; Wm. Teasdale; 27a. 2r. 11p.; parish of Porepunkah.

GOULBURN (BENALLA) DIVISION.
Application No. 4/96, for lease No. 3988; P. Maloney; 30 acres; parish of Garratanbunell.

MITTA MITTA (TALLANGATTA) DIVISION.
Application No. 182, for lease No. 4004; L. L. Smith; 30 acres; Sandy Creek.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—ST. ANDREW'S DIVISION.
* Application No. 751, for lease No. 3803; J. Connolly; 8a. 2r. 24p.; Kinglake.
Application No. 752, for lease No. 3804; J. P. Madden; 6a. 1r. 23p.; Kinglake.

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT—STRINGER'S CREEK DIVISION.
† Application No. G862, for lease No. 2605; J. Sherman; 38a. 3r. 17p.; Walhalla.

SANDHURST DISTRICT—HEATHCOTE DIVISION.
Application No. 505, for lease No. 6909; G. Ewbank; 16a. 1r. 6p.; Graytown.
Application No. 506, for lease No. 6910; G. Ewbank; 29a. 2r. 31p.; Dasher's Creek.

* The notice of intention to grant a lease on this application, particulars of which were published in the Gazette of the 12th March, 1897, p. 1037, is hereby cancelled.

† The notice of intention to grant a lease on this application, particulars of which were published in the Gazette of the 30th October, 1896, p. 4448, is hereby cancelled.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.
Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

APPLICATIONS FOR GOLD MINING LEASES REFUSED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned applications for Leases of Auriferous Crown Lands have been refused:—

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT—ST. ARNAUD DIVISION.
* Application No. 435, for lease No. 3837; W. Browning; 24a. 3r. 30p.; St. Arnaud.
Application No. 454, for lease No. 4071; J. W. Anderson and another; 18a. 1r. 4p.; St. Arnaud.

* The notice of intention to grant a lease on this application, particulars of which were published in the Gazette of the 27th November, 1896, p. 4732, is hereby cancelled.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.
Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

Mines Act 1890.

LAND EXCEPTED AND RESERVED FROM OCCUPATION, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Mines Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1120), has, by Order made on the 8th day of June, 1897, excepted and reserved from occupation for mining purposes, or for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence, subject to all existing rights, the land hereinafter described, viz.:-

All that piece or parcel of land in the colony of Victoria, county of Bendigo, parishes of Huntly and Nerring, and containing by admeasurement two thousand five hundred and sixty acres: Commencing at a point thirty-two chains east from the northern angle of the borough boundary of Eaglehawk; thence by lines bearing west one hundred and sixty chains, north one hundred and sixty chains, east one hundred and sixty chains, and south one hundred and sixty chains to the point of commencement.

H. Y. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines and Water Supply.

Office of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

Fisheries Act 1890.

CLOSE SEASON, NORTH ARM, OR LIMEBURNERS' BAY, INNER HARBOUR, GEELONG.*

IT is hereby notified for general information that it is intended, at the expiration of one month from this date, to move His Excellency the Governor in Council to issue a Proclamation revoking that portion of the Proclamation dated the 11th December, 1876, published in the *Government Gazette* of the 15th December, 1876, page 2283, defining the mouth of Hovell's Creek, and the proclamation dated the 23rd January, 1893, published in the *Government Gazette* of the 27th January, 1893, page 315, relating to netting in Limeburners' Bay, and in lieu thereof prohibiting fishing in North Arm or Limeburners' Bay, from the 1st January to the 31st December inclusive in each year, in the waters contained within a line between two posts marking the mouth of Hovell's Creek and a line bearing east from a post fixed on the North Shore to a post fixed on Austin's baths.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

* In lieu of the notice dated the 25th March, 1897, published in the *Government Gazette* of the 26th March, 1897, page 1229.

£5 CIGAR FACTORY.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with section 4, sub section (d) of the Regulations under Division II. of Part II. of the *Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890*, the premises of

NORMAN HALL CAMPBELL,

situate at 674 Church-street, South Richmond, have been approved and appointed as a factory wherein the manufacture of Cigars from the leaf, within the meaning of the said Act, may be carried on.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 7th June, 1897.

£5 CIGAR LICENCES.—REMOVALS.

IT is hereby notified for general information that permission has been granted to the undermentioned cigar makers to remove from their licensed factories to the premises stated below, the said premises having been approved and appointed as factories wherein the manufacture of cigars from the leaf may be carried on (within the meaning of the *Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890*):—

Brown, John Richard, from 545 Nicholson-street, North Carlton, to 25 Ransden-street, Clifton Hill.

Engelsman, Samuel, from 823 Drummond-street, North Carlton, to 427 Station-street, North Carlton.

Harbst, Christian, from 28 Earl-street, Windsor, to 21 Earl-street, Windsor.

Kolling, Louis, from 21 George-street, Clifton Hill, to corner Berry and George streets, Clifton Hill.

Myers, Lorenzo (Mierz), from 264 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, to O'Connor's Chambers, Elizabeth-street (Room 15, second floor).

Smith, Henry, from 8 Palmer-street, Collingwood, to 69 Johnston-street, Collingwood.

Solomon, Alexander David, from 132 Lygon-street, Carlton, to 269 Queensberry-street, Carlton.

Solomon, Israel, from 198 George-street, Fitzroy, to 30 Moor-street, Fitzroy.

Spry, Frederick, from 31 Bourke-street, City, to Eastern Arcadé (Room No. 22).

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 26th May, 1897.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—VICTORIA.

PORT OF PORT PHILLIP.—MOORING BUOYS, SORRENTO AND RYE.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners dated 6th February, 1889, notice is hereby given that the mooring buoy off Sorrento jetty will be removed during the present month.

It is also notified that a mooring buoy has been moored in 40 feet of water 65 fathoms off north-west corner of Rye jetty.

By order,

ALEXR. WILSON,
Harbor Office, Customs, Port Officer.
Melbourne, 4th June, 1897.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.—NEW ZEALAND.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Marine Department, Wellington, are published for general information.

H. N. P. WOLLASTON,
Secretary for Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

(Extract from *New Zealand Gazette*, 20th May, 1897.)

[No. 6 of 1897.]

BOUY OFF STEEPLE ROCK, WELLINGTON HARBOR.

THE Wellington Harbor Board has notified that on or about the 15th June, 1897, a black can buoy will be moored in a position due east of the Steeple Rock, distant about 1,000 feet, it being laid upon the intersection of the white and red sectors of Somes Island light.

Caution.—Mariners navigating in the vicinity of Steeple Rock should pass to the eastward of this buoy, and by night great care should be taken to keep in the white sector of Somes Island light, so as to avoid colliding with the buoy.

Charts affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 695, 1423, and 2054.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th May, 1897.

[No. 7 of 1897.]

GUIDING STAR ROCK, NEW RIVER ENTRANCE.

THE New River Harbor Board has notified that a red buoy is moored abreast of Guiding Star Rock, a sunken danger having a depth of 5 feet at low water, which lies S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S. 2 cables from Bombay Rock, and nearly in mid-channel. Vessels entering the New River should leave this buoy on the starboard hand; but, should the buoy be adrift, the rock may be avoided by not bringing Bombay Rock to bear northward of N.E.

Charts affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2540 and 2553.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th May, 1897.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.—QUEENSLAND.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for general information.

H. N. P. WOLLASTON,
Secretary for Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

[No. 8 of 1897.]

TORRES STRAIT.—WESTERN ENTRANCE, PORT KENNEDY.

MASTERS of vessels navigating the Western Entrance to Port Kennedy are cautioned that they should confine themselves to the course recommended, viz. the beacons channel between Vivien Point (Thursday Island) and the Brisbane Rock.

Marine Department,
Brisbane, 25th May, 1897.

T. M. ALMOND,
Portmaster.

[No. 9 of 1897.]

MORETON BAY.—MARKS FOR ADJUSTING COMPASSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that a set of Marks, for the use of Adjusters of Compasses and masters of vessels correcting their compasses, has been erected on the north side of Mud Island, Moreton Bay.

These marks consist of—

- (A) A square white beacon at the northern extreme of the mangroves on Mud Island;
- (B) A pile with small square white top, standing in three (3) feet at low water, $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables north (magnetic) of beacon A;
- (C) A pile with small square white top, standing in three (3) feet at low water, $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables north-west (magnetic) of beacon A;
- (D) A pile with a small square white top, driven on dry bank, $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables west (magnetic) of beacon A.

The marks B and A in line bear correct magnetic South.

" C and A " " " South-east.
" D and A " " " East.
" B and D " " " South-west.

Vessels using the beacons on these bearings should not approach the front piles to less than half-a-mile.

The four marks form a square, the sides of which bear north, south, east, and west (magnetic).

Marine Department,
Brisbane, 29th May, 1897.

T. M. ALMOND,
Portmaster.

June 11, 1897.

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VICTORIA.—ARRIVALS BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who arrived in the Colony of Victoria by Sea during the Month of April, 1897.

Port of Arrival, &c.	Place of Departure.											General Total.
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total to the Neighbouring Colonies.	The United Kingdom.	Foreign Ports.	South Africa.	
Melbourne.—Adults	Males 1,780	99	226	1,273	769	189	...	4,336	447	437	66	5,286
	Females 1,055	59	95	182	516	119	...	2,026	185	60	20	2,291
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 186	17	15	34	31	14	...	297	23	11	3	334
	Females 185	23	15	34	43	1	...	301	19	17	1	338
" Infants	Males 33	1	3	9	...	...	...	46	6	5	1	58
	Females 24	1	...	1	1	...	...	27	5	1	...	33
Geelong.—Adults	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portland.—Adults	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	3,263	200	354	1,533	1,360	323	...	7,033	685	531	91	8,340
Total { Adults	Males 1,780	99	226	1,273	769	189	...	4,336	447	437	66	5,286
	Females 1,055	59	95	182	516	119	...	2,026	185	60	20	2,291
{ Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 186	17	15	34	31	14	...	297	23	11	3	334
	Females 185	23	15	34	43	1	...	301	19	17	1	338
{ Infants	Males 33	1	3	9	...	...	...	46	6	5	1	58
	Females 24	1	...	1	1	...	...	27	5	1	...	33
Totals	3,263	200	354	1,533	1,360	323	...	7,033	685	531	91	8,340

ALEXR. WILSON,
Immigration Agent.

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

VICTORIA.—DEPARTURES BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who departed from the Colony of Victoria by Sea during the Month of April, 1897.

Port of Departure, &c.	Place of Destination.											General Total.
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total to the Neighbouring Colonies.	The United Kingdom.	Foreign Ports.	South Africa.	
Melbourne.—Adults	Males 1,612	159	258	1,433	611	130	13	4,216	637	286	64	5,203
	Females 657	77	124	943	346	61	...	2,208	394	85	41	2,728
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 59	1	19	256	17	9	...	361	70	15	8	454
	Females 57	1	20	263	26	9	...	376	67	10	6	459
" Infants	Males 17	...	...	19	1	...	...	37	20	3	1	61
	Females 15	...	1	22	...	...	...	38	20	2	...	60
Geelong.—Adults	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portland.—Adults	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants	Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	2,417	238	422	2,936	1,001	209	13	7,236	1,208	401	120	8,965
Total { Adults	Males 1,612	159	258	1,433	611	130	13	4,216	637	286	64	5,203
	Females 657	77	124	943	346	61	...	2,208	394	85	41	2,728
{ Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 59	1	19	256	17	9	...	361	70	15	8	454
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	Females 15	...	1	22	38	20	2	...	60
Totals	2,417	238	422	2,936	1,001	209	13	7,236	1,208	401	120	8,965

ALEXR. WILSON,
Immigration Agent.

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

CUSTOM-HOUSE SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that unless within one month from this date payment be made of the rent due upon the goods specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, warehoused in the bonded warehouse known as "Victoria," the said goods will be sold, in pursuance of section 26 of the *Customs Act 1830*, at the said warehouse, on Monday, the 12th day of July next, at Eleven o'clock a.m.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Schedule.

Date of Entry.	Rent from--	Ship.	Whence.	Merchant.	Cases.	Description.	Marks.	Numbers
15th May, 1895	15th May, 1895	Australien	Marseilles	Melb. Storage Coy.	147	Brandy ...	X8	—
15th May, 1895	15th May, 1895	Australien	Marseilles	Melb. Storage Coy.	47	Brandy ...	357 X8	1
15th May, 1895	15th May, 1895	Australien	Sydney ...	Melb. Storage Coy.	1	Brandy ...	357 X8	2
15th May, 1895	15th May, 1895	Oceana ...	Marseilles	Melb. Storage Coy.	1 ull.	Brandy ...	357 X8	3
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	27	Brandy ...	357 XH	—
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	1 ull.	Brandy ...	354 XH	1
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	1 ull.	Brandy ...	384 XH	2
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	1 ull.	Brandy ...	384 XH	3
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	4 qrs.	Brandy ...	384 XH	1/4
31st May, 1894	31st May, 1894	Loch Broom	London ...	J. Regnier ...	1 oct.	Brandy ...	384 XH 384	5

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ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which the Curator has been appointed to administer during the past month.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Estate.		Time of Deceased's Death.
					£	s. d.	
1	Adams, Wm. James ...	No. 12 Sturt-street, Flemington	None ...	1897. 17th May ...	219	6 0	2nd May, 1897
2	Birch, William, otherwise Wm. Booth Birch (with the will annexed)	Sandon ...	Manchester ...	26th " ...	30	0 0	27th January, 1863
3	Brady, Owea (with will annexed)	No. 63. George-street, East Melbourne	Unknown ...	3rd " ...	491	17 7	6th April, 1897
4	Cecchi, Pietro ...	Carlton ...	Italy ...	10th " ...	395	19 7	4th March, 1897
5	Edwards, James ...	Kew ...	Liverpool ...	26th " ...	74	19 7	3rd April, 1897
6	Farie, Robert (with trust, disposition, and settlement annexed)	St. Kilda ...	Scotland ...	3rd " ...	474	10 0	19th June, 1895
7	Fitzgibbon, Gerald ...	Perth, W.A. ...	Unknown ...	17th " ...	38	17 7	12th April, 1897
8	Gardiner, James ...	Kingston ...	None ...	26th " ...	668	1 2	28th April, 1897
9	Gavin, Walter P. ...	Geelong West ...	" ...	10th " ...	32	18 4	20th November, 1896
10	Hegarty, Daniel ...	Carlton ...	Ireland ...	26th " ...	105	0 0	16th May, 1897
11	Jardon, Richard (with will annexed)	North Williamstown ...	England ...	3rd " ...	421	11 4	22nd December, 1896
12	Jones, Ann, formerly Ann Birch, formerly Ann King, formerly Ann Willcocks (with will annexed)	Newstead ...	Devonshire ...	26th " ...	30	0 0	2nd October, 1878
13	Lees, Robert ...	Maiden Gully, near Bendigo	Scotland ...	10th " ...	14	15 0	14th April, 1897
14	Lindsay, Henry Lill ...	King-street, Melbourne	Ireland ...	3rd " ...	79	2 2	5th November, 1895
15	Mahoney, John ...	Rosedale-road, near Sale	Unknown ...	26th " ...	241	3 6	5th March, 1897
16	McMahon, Bridget ...	Woodside-crescent, Toorak	Kilkenny ...	26th " ...	75	11 6	16th May, 1897
17	O'Connor, Daniel ...	Kyneton ...	Co. Limerick ...	17th " ...	26	3 11	29th April, 1897
18	O'Loughlin, Dora M. ...	Coburg ...	Co. Galway ...	26th " ...	639	11 8	3rd May, 1897
19	Pearce, John ...	Federal Coffee Palace, Sydney, N.S.W.	Unknown ...	3rd " ...	103	4 3	23rd February, 1897
20	Pearson, John ...	Miner's Rest ...	" ...	3rd " ...	76	13 0	19th November, 1891
21	Pow, Francis (with will annexed, <i>de bonis non administratis</i>)	Formerly of Melbourne, late of Adelaide, S.A.	" ...	3rd " ...	480	0 0	9th March, 1875
22	Rea, Martin ...	Maggie Gully, Caralulup	Switzerland ...	10th " ...	137	15 0	On or about 14th January, 1897
23	Sutton, Bertha H. (with will annexed)	Mildura ...	Kent, England	3rd " ...	59	16 10	25th April, 1896
24	Williams, Charles ...	Grantville ...	Unknown ...	26th " ...	61	10 0	14th April, 1897

PATENTS FOR INVENTIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have accepted the complete specifications in the following applications :-

No. 13179. By CHARLES BENFORD SUMSON, of Drummond-street. Oakleigh, Victoria, carpenter, for "An improved appliance to be used in washing clothes."

No. 13518. By WILLIAM LUPLAU, of Park-street, South Yarra, Victoria, dairy expert, for "Improved apparatus to be used in the aeration of milk and for attachment to milk cans and the like receptacles."

No. 13914. By AUGUSTUS GROSS, engineer, VICTOR EDWARD MASTERS, gentleman, and JOHN BOOTH, bank clerk, all of 156 Vickery's Chambers, 82 Pitt-street, Sydney, New South Wales, for "An improved driving gear for cycles and like vehicles."

No. 13953. By EMIL LAURENCE OPPERMANN, of 2 Linden villas, South Woodford, in the county of Essex, England, engineer, for "A new or improved apparatus and process for amalgamating and extracting gold or other suitable metal from dry crushed ore."

No. 13976. By WILLIAM GEORGE GIBBS, of Gulgong, New South Wales, miner, for "Improvements in spring wheels for bicycles and other vehicles."

No. 13982. By HERBERT ARNAUD TAYLOR, of 4 Great Winchester-street, London, England, telegraph engineer, for "Improvements in telegraph transmitters."

No. 14006. By EDWARD CASTILDINE MARTIN, of No. 6 Ruabon-road, Toorak, near Melbourne, Victoria, journalist, for "A pneumatic seat-support, principally applicable to bicycles."

No. 14013. By ALBERT LEGG, of Allendale, Bergen County, State of New Jersey, United States of America, secretary, and CHARLES WARD WESTON, of 454 West 144th-street, New York city, United States of America, president of company, for "Improvements in sewing machines."

No. 14025. By JOHN THOMAS BURNIP, of 418 Plinders-street, Melbourne, Victoria, importer, for "Improvements in brakes for cycle and other vehicles having chain gear or the like."

No. 14053. By EUSTACE ERNEST WICZELL, of Billiter House, Billiter-street, London, England, engineer, for "Improvements in water tube steam boilers."

Notice of opposition (if any) to the grant of Letters Patent herein must be duly given at this office within two months from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1897.

Patent Office,
Lonsdale-street west, Melbourne.

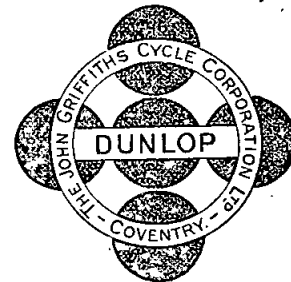
E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Patents.

Trade Marks Act 1890 (No. 2).

THE following Applications have been made for the registration of the undermentioned Trade Marks :-

CLASS 13.

4933. Cycle accessories in this class. The John Griffiths Cycle Corporation Limited, of Oriel House, Westland Row, Dublin, Ireland, and Oriel House, Coventry, England, cycle agents. 22nd January, 1897.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following :- The ribbon scroll device; and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, save and except the name "Henley."

CLASS 40.

5037. Indianrubber goods not included in any other class. W. T. Henley's Telegraph Works Company Limited, Cromwell Buildings, 366A Bourke street, Melbourne, Victoria. 3rd May, 1897.



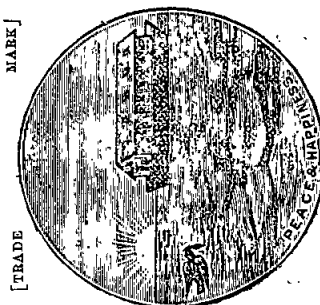
The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following :- The combination of devices; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, save and except his name.

CLASS 3.

5057. Herbal and Chemical Substances prepared for use in proprietary patent medicines and pharmacy. John Nicholls, of 378 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer of proprietary medicines. 21st May, 1897.

NICHOLLS'
Marvellous Specifics.

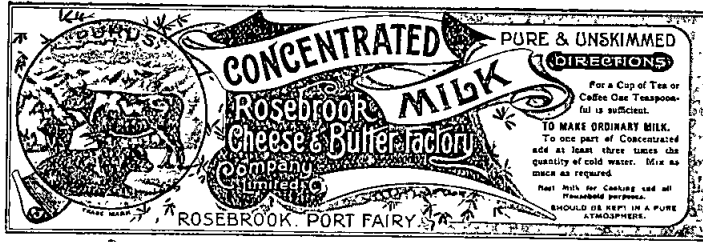
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The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The combination of devices; and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, save and except the name and address.

CLASS 42.

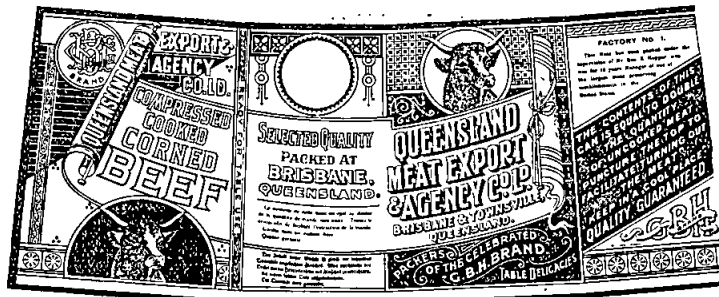
5059. Concentrated Milk. The Rosebrook Cheese and Butter Factory Company Limited, of Rosebrook, Port Fairy, Victoria. 26th May, 1897.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The combination of devices forming the label, including a bullock's head and the monogram "G. B. H." in the left-hand top corner, and letters "G. B. H." with scroll in right-hand bottom corner; and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, save as to the title and address of such company.

CLASS 42.

5061. Meats and Extracts. The Queensland Meat Export and Agency Company Limited, of Brisbane and Townsville, Queensland. 26th May, 1897.



CLASS 42.

5063. Substances used as Food or as Ingredients in Food. Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Co., of Chaw, Switzerland, and 10 Mark-lane, London, England, condensed milk manufacturers. 27th May, 1897.

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The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The fac-simile of applicant's signature; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 3.

5072. Pills for human use. Samuel Marshall, of 65 Dudley-street, West Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer. 3rd June, 1897.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The ribbon scroll device; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 18.

5073. Stoves and Ranges for Cooking. William Box, trading as "W. Box and Sons," of Geelong, Victoria, ironmonger. 3rd June, 1897.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The device of four crowns and the words "Four crowns" (reserving the right to use any number of crowns in respect of the goods mentioned); and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 34.

5074. Serge Cloth, Tweeds, and Clothing Material in this class not made up. Henry Molls, trading as "Molls Bros.," of Flinders-lane, Melbourne, Victoria, woollen merchant. 3rd June, 1897.

FOUR CROWNS



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The device and the word "Horseshoe," with the letters "R. I. & Co." contained therein; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.



CLASS 42.

5077. Frozen and Preserved Rabbits, Hares, and other Game and Poultry. Robert S. Black, trading as "Robert Isaac and Co.," of City Freezing Works, Flinders-street, Melbourne, Victoria, exporter. 5th June, 1897.

HORSESHOE BRAND.

NORZ.—Any person who has grounds of objection to the registration of any of these Marks may, within one month of the date of this Gazette (or such further time, not exceeding three months, as the Commissioner may allow), give notice, in duplicate, at the Patent Office (Trade Marks Branch), in the Form H in the Third Schedule to the Rules under the Trade Marks Act 1890 (No. 2), of opposition to such registration.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1897.

Patent Office (Trade Marks Branch),
Lonsdale-street, Melbourne.

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Trade Marks.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1896-7.)

Serial No.	Purpose, No. of Tenders, and Particulars of Contract.	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorized according to Regulations on the date stated.	
1751	RAILWAYS— (2)—Manufacture and delivery of 100 tons of 3-in. dog spikes. Deposit, £124	£ s. d. 1,237 10 0	W. Edgerton ...	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20	R. G. Kent, Secretary, by order of the Railways Commissioner. 9.6.97.	
1752	(1)—Manufacture and delivery of 17 tons of steel fish-plates for 75-lb. rails, at Spencer-street. Deposit, £32 Gazette No. 36, Contract No. 6381/1659/96-7— Amount of final return ... £97 17 6 Amount gazetted ... 97 3 2 Extra amount to be gazetted ... 0 14 4	318 0 2	W. Edgerton ...	Ditto		
1753	WORKS— (3)—Additions, fencing, &c., police station, Korumburra. Deposit, £24	475 10 0	W. T. Constable ...	59/2/1. Police Buildings, £449 10s. 59/13/2. Fencing Police Buildings, &c., £26		J. W. Taverner. 10.6.97.
1754	(2)—Supply of 750 tons of rubble, Gippsland Lakes Entrance. Deposit, £27	540 0 0	J. A. Carpenter ¹ ...	59/1/7. Gippsland Lakes Entrance		
1755	(7)—Tar paving yards, forming approaches, drainage, &c., new wards, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury. Deposit, £79	1,582 7 10	Bourke and Boyer ¹	Act No. 1451, Treasury Bonds Loan Account 1896		
1756	(5)—Alterations, &c., new fittings, offices lately vacated by Patents Department, for Laboratory for Agricultural Chemist, Melbourne. Deposit, £18	345 6 7	Fredk. Yates ¹ ...	59/17/1. Repairs and Additions		

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Corrigendum.—Referring to contract No. 1741, of 28th May, 1897, for new steam boiler to pumping plant, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury, name of contractor is "S. Catherall and Son."—J. W. TAVERNER. 10.6.97.

Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1896-9.)

Contract No.	No. of Services.	Particulars of Contract.	Amount per annum.	Name for Approval.	
916	167	POST OFFICE— To and from Donnybrook Railway Station and Kalkallo Post Office, one trip per day, from 1st July, 1896, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £6 10s. per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 157, in the name of J. O. Rolls, at the rate of £6 10s. per annum, cancelled from 1st July, 1896)	£ s. d. 6 10 0	Catherine M. Rolls	Conveyance of Inland Mails, 1896-9.
917	100	To and from Fernbank Railway Station and Mitchelldale, via Stony Creek and Iguana Creek, twice a week each way, starting from Fernbank and returning the following day, from 1st March, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £39 per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 95, in the name of D. E. Saunders, at the rate of £39 per annum, cancelled from 1st March, 1897)	39-0 0	Geo.-A. Desailly...	
918	442	To and from Post Office and Railway Station, Mologa, one trip per day, from 9th April, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £13 per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 415, in the name of Mary Moynihan, at the rate of £13 per annum, cancelled from 1st April, 1897)	13 0 0	Cecilia C. Moynihan	

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SEVENTEENTH EXAMINATION.—NOTICE TO CANDIDATES FOR EMPLOYMENT.

THE services of the following persons will be required on or before the 31st August, 1897, in the several branches hereunder mentioned:—

Chief Mechanical Engineer's Branch.

3 Engineering Students, matriculated at the University. Rate of pay, commencing at £40 per annum.

Must not be under 15 years of age, and must pass an examination by the examiners appointed in that behalf in the following subjects, viz.:—English, writing, geography, arithmetic (including mensuration), euclid (first three books), algebra (to simple equations), trigonometry (as far as the solution of plain triangles), and drawing.

50 Apprentices, commencing at 1s. 6d. per day.

4 smithy, 8 boiler shop, 6 erecting shop, 6 machine shop, 2 copersmiths' shop, 3 moulders' shop, 6 paint shop, 8 car and waggon shop, 2 trimmers' shop, 1 pattern shop, 4 saw-mill.

50 Lad Labourers, commencing at 2s. per day.

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age. They must produce the State school certificate that they can read, write, and have a knowledge of arithmetic, or must pass an examination up to the standard of such certificate by the examiners appointed in that behalf.

Engineer for Existing Lines Branch.

6 Engineering Students, matriculated at the University. Rate of pay, commencing at £40 per annum.

Must not be under 15 years of age, and must pass an examination by the examiners appointed in that behalf in the following subjects, viz.:—English, writing, geography, arithmetic (including mensuration), euclid (first three books), algebra (to simple equations), trigonometry (as far as the solution of plain triangles), and drawing.

4 Fitters, commencing at 8s. per day.

Must not be under 21 nor over 35 years of age. They must have served apprenticeship to their respective trades, and be able to read and write with facility.

20 Apprentices, commencing at 1s. 6d. per day.

6 Painting and Plumbing (trades combined); 10 Carpentering; 2 Bricklaying; 2 Fitters.

20 Lad Repairers and 1 Lad Labourer, commencing at 2s. per day.

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age. They must produce the State school certificate that they can read, write, and have a knowledge of arithmetic; or must pass an examination up to the standard of such certificate by the examiners appointed in that behalf.

Traffic Branch.

100 Lads as Porters, Messengers, Car. Cleaners, and Labourers, commencing at 2s. per day.

Successful candidates will be allocated according to the requirements of the Branch.

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age. They must produce the State school certificate that they can read, write, and have a knowledge of arithmetic; or must pass an examination up to the standard of such certificate by the examiners appointed in that behalf.

Telegraph Branch.

5 Apprentices, commencing at 1s. 6d. per day (Instrument Shop).

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age. They must produce the State school certificate that they can read, write, and have a knowledge of arithmetic; or must pass an examination up to the standard of such certificate by the examiners appointed in that behalf.

6 Junior Operators. Rate of pay, commencing at £40 per annum.

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age. They must have a knowledge of Morse operating, and be able to send and receive messages with Morse instruments, and must also have the educational qualifications required in Junior Clerks.

Various Branches.

69 Junior Clerks. Rate of pay, commencing at £40 per annum.

Successful candidates will be allocated according to the requirements of the service.

Must not be under 14 nor over 17 years of age, and must produce a certificate of having passed an examination by the examiners appointed in that behalf in the following subjects, viz.:—Reading and explanation, dictation, writing, arithmetic, grammar, geography, as taught in the Sixth class of State schools.

Any person desiring to become a candidate for any position must prepare a letter in his own handwriting, stating that he is an applicant for the office he desires to obtain, and describe on the envelope of such letter the office for which he is an applicant; for example—"Applicant for the office of Junior Clerk," or "Applicant for the position of Apprentice," or such other office or position as such person may desire to obtain, being an office or position included in such notice.

Every applicant must confine himself to an application for one position, otherwise he will be disqualified.

All applications must contain the correct postal address, and the name of the nearest railway station thereto, and must be posted, duly stamped, and addressed to the Staff Office, Secretary's Branch, Victorian Railways, Melbourne, so as to reach their destination not later than noon on the 5th day of July, 1897.

Testimonials, birth registrations, or other documents required should not be sent with the applications, but must be produced as hereinafter directed.

If the number of candidates be not more than twice the number of persons to be employed, they will all be examined by the examiners at a time and place to be notified to them.

If the number of candidates be more than twice the number of persons to be employed, such number of candidates will be reduced by a Board of Selectors to such number of eligible candidates as such Board think fit, not exceeding twice the number of persons to be employed.

Unless otherwise notified, all candidates shall present themselves for selection by the Board of Selectors at the Railway Offices, Spencer-street, Melbourne, at Ten a.m. on Monday, 19th July, 1897.

The Board of Selectors will be appointed within seven days before the time so named.

The Board of Selectors will not be informed of or acquaint themselves with the names of the candidates or any of them.

Every person who either directly or indirectly attempts to influence any member of the Board of Selectors in favour of himself or in favour of or against any other person will for ever be disqualified for employment in the Railway service.

Each candidate, immediately before presenting himself to the Board of Selectors, will be furnished by the Officer-in-Charge with a card bearing a number, by which number alone he will be known to the Board of Selectors.

The candidates selected by the Board of Selectors must present themselves for examination by the examiners appointed in that behalf at such time and place as may be thereafter notified to them by the Officer-in-Charge.

Candidates must be strong, healthy, and active, and must produce to the examiners satisfactory written testimony that they are of respectable character, and must furnish names of any persons or firms with whom they may have been employed during the previous two years, together with certified extracts from the register of their birth, or, in default, statutory declarations as to their age last birthday, giving the date thereof.

The age of all candidates shall be reckoned to the date fixed by the Commissioner for opening applications, except in the case of applicants already temporarily employed in the Department, whose age may be reckoned to the date of their first employment as supernumeraries.

Any candidate who was at any time employed in the Railway or Public Service must furnish particulars as to the period of his service and the cause of his leaving. No person who has been previously dismissed from such service shall be eligible for employment under these Regulations.

Before being finally approved they must pass an examination by the medical officer as being free from bodily ailments, defects, colour blindness, or defective sight of any kind. For such examination they are to pay 10s. 6d. each into the hands of the officer before mentioned.

After examination the successful candidates in each grade will be called together, and determine by ballot, in accordance with the Regulations, the order of precedence for appointment in which their names shall be placed.

Any successful candidates in excess of the number required by the Commissioner shall be eligible for appointment in the order so decided for a period of twelve months then next ensuing from the date of such determination without further examination.

All appointments will be made to the lowest grade in each of the various branches of the Railway service, and on probation only for a period of six months. After such probation, and upon production of a certificate of fitness from the Head of the Branch in which the probationer was employed, and of evidence that his life is insured in Victoria, as prescribed by Regulations, such appointment may be confirmed.

Appointments will be made only on the distinct understanding that an employe's services are liable to be dispensed with at any time without previous notice having been given to him, and without his having any claim whatever against the Victorian Railways Commissioner on account of his services having been so dispensed with.

By order of the Commissioner.

R. G. KENT,
Secretary.

Victorian Railways,
7th June, 1897.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

WINTER SEA-SIDE EXCURSIONS.

On Fridays and Saturdays, commencing 1st May, special sea-side excursion tickets, available for return till the following Monday, will be issued by any train as under:—

To Mornington.—From Prince's-bridge or any station to Highett inclusive—First class, 7s.

To Queenscliff.—From Melbourne—First class, 14s.; second class, 9s. 6d. From Ballarat—First class, 16s.; second class, 10s. 6d.

QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE.

By all trains from 19th till 25th June inclusive, tickets at Holiday Excursion fares will be issued to and from all stations, available for return for one calendar month. Trains will only stop as per time-table.

V.R.C. RACES AT FLEMINGTON RACE-COURSE.

On Saturday, 12th June, trains will run as required from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m., and at 2.15 p.m. The usual arrangements, as to entrance of passengers will be carried out.

ALBURY AND BENDIGO TRAINS.

On Saturday, 12th June, passengers for the 12.5 p.m. train to Albury and the 12.15 p.m. train to Bendigo will be booked at and enter by the gate in Spencer-street next Collins-street, and the trains will depart from the Braybrook Junction and the Collingwood line platforms (Spencer-street) respectively.

GOULBURN VALLEY LINE TRAIN.

On and after 15th June the train now leaving Numurkah for Seymour at 6.26 a.m. will leave Numurkah at 5.58 a.m., Tallygaroopna at 6.25 a.m., Shepparton at 7.8 a.m., Mooroopna at 7.17 a.m., Murchison East at 8.5 a.m., Nagambie at 8.42 a.m., Mangalore at 9.15 a.m., and reach Seymour at 9.32 a.m. in connexion with the 10.50 a.m. express train to Melbourne.

(By order) R. G. KENT, Secretary.

THE SHIRE OF WIMMERA AND THE WESTERN WIMMERA IRRIGATION AND WATER SUPPLY TRUST.—APPLICATION OF MUNICIPAL FUNDS.

WHEREAS by section 373 of the *Water Act 1890* (No. 1156) it is enacted that any municipal council may, with the consent of the Governor in Council, from time to time apply any portion of its municipal fund towards the payment of interest on and the creation of a sinking fund for the liquidation of any moneys borrowed by any Irrigation and Water Supply Trust: And whereas the Municipal Council of the Shire of Wimmera is desirous of applying a portion of the municipal fund of the said shire, that is to say, a sum of One thousand one hundred and sixty-six pounds six shillings and sixpence sterling (£1,166 6s. 6d.) for the purpose of paying interest on moneys borrowed by and liabilities transferred to the Western Wimmera Irrigation and Water Supply Trust: His Excellency the Governor in Council has therefore consented to the Municipal Council of the said Shire of Wimmera applying the said sum of One thousand one hundred and sixty-six pounds six shillings and sixpence (£1,166 6s. 6d.) from the municipal fund of the said shire for the purpose aforesaid.

H. Y. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines and Water Supply.

Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

WANDELLA IRRIGATION AND WATER SUPPLY TRUST.—RATING REGULATION.

REGULATION for the making of a rate, under section 254 of the *Water Act 1890*, on all rateable property in the Irrigation and Water Supply District.

1. A rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound sterling on the annual value of all rateable property within the Irrigation and Water Supply District of the Wandella Irrigation and Water Supply Trust, according to the valuation for the time being of all lands and tenements for the municipal rates of the Shires of Swan Hill and Gordon, is hereby made for the year 1897, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1897, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1897.

2. Such rate is made payable on the 1st day of March, 1897.

3. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand and receive the said rate.

The foregoing Rating Regulation was made by the Commissioners of the Wandella Irrigation and Water Supply Trust, under and by virtue of the provisions of Part III. of the *Water Act 1890*, this 12th day of February, 1897.

The common seal of the Wandella Irrigation and Water Supply Trust was affixed hereto, by authority of the Commissioners of the said Trust, in the presence of—

(SEAL) PHILLIP T. JAMES, Chairman of Trust.
D. W. WILLIAMSON, Secretary to Trust.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 8th June, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SEYMOUR WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING REGULATIONS FOR 1897.—No. 7.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Seymour Waterworks Trust, a portion of the Waterworks District of which Trust has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1890*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, make the Regulations following:—

The following are the rates for 1897 which the owners or occupiers of lands, tenements, and vacant or unoccupied allotments within the aforesaid Urban District, and liable to be rated, shall pay to the Trust in respect of such property:—

1. For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile, of Twenty pounds annual municipal value and under, a rate of One pound sterling shall be paid.

2. For every house or tenement of more than Twenty pounds and not exceeding Twenty-five pounds annual municipal value, a rate of One pound five shillings shall be paid.

3. For every house or tenement of more than Twenty-five pounds and not exceeding Thirty pounds annual municipal value, a rate of One pound ten shillings shall be paid.

4. For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile, of more than Thirty pounds annual municipal value, a rate of One shilling in the pound sterling.

5. The rate to be paid in respect of vacant or unoccupied allotments shall be One pound per annum for each and every separate allotment by which a main passes.

6. For all lands and tenements situated otherwise than in streets in which pipes are laid down, and which are not supplied with water, and being within a quarter of a mile of a stand-pipe, one-half of the before mentioned rate; and where lands and tenements are over a quarter of a mile and under half-a-mile from a stand-pipe, one-quarter of the before-mentioned rate.

7. Water supplied by measure shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons, and the minimum quantity to be charged for half-yearly, where the water is used for domestic and other than domestic purposes, shall be the quantity which, at the rate of One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons, would be equal to the assessed rate for the half-year which would be payable in respect of the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure. In cases where water is sold by measure for other than domestic use solely the charge shall be One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons, or such price as may be specially agreed upon, and the minimum quantity to be charged for half-yearly shall be 27,000 gallons.

8. The foregoing rates are hereby made payable in equal moieties on the 1st January and 1st July, 1897.

9. For water supplied for garden purposes, where no meter is attached to the service-pipe, a charge of Ten shillings for each area of 200 square yards or portion thereof shall be made for the year, and in all cases payment for such supplies of water shall be made in advance.

10. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, and recover the said rates and charges.

Passed the 28th day of April, 1897.

(SEAL) D. E. RYAN, Chairman.
R. J. CLYDESDALE, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council the
8th June, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

WANDELLA IRRIGATION AND WATER SUPPLY TRUST.—MINIMUM AMOUNT OF RATES FOR 1897.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs | Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock | Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner | Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by section 332 of the *Water Act 1890* (No. 1156) it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by any owner or occupier of property liable to be rated by any Irrigation and Water Supply Trust: And whereas the Wandella Irrigation and Water Supply Trust has made application that the minimum amount of rates to be paid by certain owners or occupiers of property within the Irrigation and Water Supply District of the said Trust may be fixed for the year 1897: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby fix the several amounts specified in the Schedule hereunder to be the minimum amounts of rates for the year 1897 to be paid by the owners or occupiers of the respective properties within the district of the aforesaid Trust, and particularly described in such Schedule, that is to say:—

Schedule.

Allotment.	Section.	Parish.	Area.	Amount of Rates to be paid for the Year 1897.
58	...	Leaghur	A. R. P. 97 0 0	£ s. d. 0 18 9
34	...	"	319 1 17	1 4 9
33	...	"	319 3 27	1 4 9
3	...	"	142 3 3	0 11 3
56	...	"	319 3 16	1 6 3
57	...	"	94 3 37	0 7 6
26	...	"	149 3 25	0 12 9
56A	...	"	55 3 15	0 4 6
31 and 32	...	"	640 0 0	2 12 6
Part of Lake Leaghur Pre-emptive Right	...	"	103 3 34	0 8 3
41	I.	Meering	319 3 23	0 19 6
16	II.	"	269 3 1	1 0 3

And the Honorable Henry Foster, Her Majesty's Minister of Mines and Water Supply for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Settlement on Lands Act 1893.
REGULATIONS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 (57 Vict. No. 131) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations generally for carrying out the provisions contained in any Part of the said Act: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

REGULATIONS.

PART I.—VILLAGE COMMUNITIES.

Every lease of a village community allotment shall be in the form prescribed in Schedule 1 hereto.

Applications for the consent of the Board of Land and Works to transfer or mortgage a lease of a Village Community allotment shall be made in the form prescribed in Schedule 2 hereto.

The form of consent of the Board of Land and Works shall be in the form prescribed in Schedule 3 hereto.

The fee for such consent shall be One pound.

PART II.—HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATIONS.

Every lease of a Homestead section shall be in the form prescribed in Schedule 4 hereto.

Applications for the consent of the Board of Land and Works to transfer or mortgage a lease of a Homestead section shall be made in the form prescribed in Schedule 5 hereto.

The form of consent of the Board of Land and Works shall be in the form prescribed in Schedule 6 hereto.

The fee for such consent shall be One pound.

Survey Fees.

The following shall be the fees payable for the survey of land which is to be leased to any applicant under Part I. or Part II. of the Settlement on Lands Act 1893:—

	1st Scale.	£	s.	d.
Where the area does not exceed 10 acres	...	2	0	0
" " " 20 "	...	2	10	0
" " " 30 "	...	2	15	0
" " " 40 "	...	3	0	0
" " " 50 "	...	3	5	0
" " " 60 "	...	3	10	0
	2nd Scale.			
Where the area does not exceed 10 acres	...	2	10	0
" " " 20 "	...	3	0	0
" " " 30 "	...	3	10	0
" " " 40 "	...	4	0	0
" " " 50 "	...	4	5	0
" " " 60 "	...	4	10	0

Where the area exceeds 60 acres the fee shall be £5.

The 1st scale above shall apply to settlements in classes of country for which survey fees are now paid under the 1st and 2nd scales of the Survey Fee Regulations, dated 21st January, 1897, and the 2nd scale above to those classes of country which now come under the 3rd and 4th scales of such Regulations.

Every lessee shall pay the fee prescribed by these Regulations, even though the land has been previously surveyed, and may or may not require further survey.

Where lessees under this Act have been granted township blocks in addition to their other holdings, the fee of £1 shall be charged for the survey of each such township block.

Should two or more township blocks be granted to the same lessee, the survey fee to be charged shall be based on the area, in accordance with these Regulations, whether the blocks be adjoining or separated.

Entered in the Register-book Vol. Fol.
Registrar of Titles.

Schedule 1.

Lease of a Village Community Allotment under Sections 5 (b) and 10 of the Settlement on Lands Act 1893.

THIS INDENTURE made this day of 1897 between the Board of Land and Works (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") of the one part and (hereinafter called the "lessee") of the other part Witnesseth that in consideration of the rent hereby reserved and of the covenants and conditions herein contained on the part of the lessee his executors administrators and assigns to be observed and performed the Board under and by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 doth by these presents grant and demise unto the lessee the surface and down to a depth of feet below the surface of all that piece of Crown land being the Village Community allotment number parish of containing or thereabouts and shown with the measurements and abutments thereof in the map or diagram drawn in the margin of these presents and in such map or diagram coloured yellow To hold the said piece of land unto the lessee his executors administrators and approved assigns from the day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety for the term of Twenty years Yielding and paying for the same unto the Board during the said term the rent of per annum for every acre and fractional part of an acre of the said land together with such further rent (if any) fixed by any Order in Council made in that behalf under and by virtue of the

provisions of section 17 of the Land Act 1891 such rent to be always paid by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the first day of and the first day of in each year the first of such payments having been made on or before the execution of these presents the next of such payments to be made on the day of 1897 Reserving and excepting unto Her Majesty the Queen her heirs and successors the right upon repayment to the lessee of the amount of rent paid by him in respect of the land required to be resumed and upon payment to him of the full value (to be determined in accordance with the regulations made under the Settlement of Lands Act 1893 for the time being in force) of all improvements of a permanent character made erected or constructed by such lessee on the land required to be resumed to resume possession at any time and from time to time of any of the land comprised in this lease as may in the opinion of the Governor in Council be required for the purposes of water supply irrigation works races dams and ditches or timber reserves or for public railways roads canals or other internal communication through such lands or for mining purposes or any public purposes And excepting also

unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors all gold and silver and auriferous and argentiferous earth and stone and all copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores whatsoever and all mines seams veins lodes and deposits containing any metals or minerals or mineral ores whatsoever in upon or under the demised land together with liberty to Her Majesty her heirs and successors and her and their agents servants lessees licensees or assigns at any time or times hereafter during the said term to enter upon the said land and to search and mine therein and thereon for any metals or minerals or mineral ores whatsoever and to extract and remove therefrom all metals and minerals and mineral ores whatsoever and for the purposes aforesaid to sink shafts erect machinery carry on any works and do any other things which may be necessary or usual in mining And the lessee for himself his heirs executors administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant with the Board that he the lessee his executors administrators and assigns approved assigns will observe perform and be bound by the several clauses covenants conditions provisos agreements acts matters and things hereinafter contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed (that is to say):—

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1. That he or they will during the term hereby created pay unto the Board the rent hereby reserved by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the days hereinbefore appointed for the payment thereof.

2. That he or they will repay unto the Board the sum of heretofore advanced by the Board to the lessee out of moneys made available by Parliament to assist permissive occupants under the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 by twenty equal yearly payments of each to be paid on the day of in each year until the whole sum advanced be repaid.

3. That he or they will pay unto the Board the sum of being the cost of the survey of the land hereby demised within five years from the date hereof by ten equal half-yearly instalments of each in advance the first of such instalments having been paid on or before the execution of these presents that he or they will pay the next of such instalments on the day of 1897 and thereafter a further instalment on each of the days appointed for the payment of rent hereunder until the whole sum of be paid.

4. That he or they will during the said term pay all existing and future rates assessments and taxes for the time being payable either by landlord or tenant in respect of the said premises.

5. That during the term of this lease the lessee (if he so long live) personally or his wife or some child of such lessee or all or some or one of them will reside on the land hereby demised and these presents are upon this express condition that if the lessee his wife or children be all absent for more than four months during any one financial year the Board after having given one calendar month's notice in writing to such lessee of its intention so to do either personally or by posting such notice on the said land may resume possession of and relet the same to any other person pursuant to the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 or otherwise deal with such land as it may think fit.

6. That he or they will use the land hereby demised for the purpose of agriculture gardening grazing dairying farming or other like purpose.

7. That he or they will not assign transfer or sublet or borrow money on the security of the land hereby demised or any portion thereof without the consent of the Board signified in writing first had and obtained and then only in conformity with such consent and these presents are upon this express condition that save as in the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 and as hereinafter provided this lease shall become absolutely void on assignment or transfer of the whole or any portion of the land hereby demised whether by operation of law or otherwise or upon such land or any portion thereof being sublet or made a security whether in law or in equity for the payment or repayment of any money or other advance.

8. That he or they will to the satisfaction of the Board within two years from the date hereof bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the land hereby demised and to the like satisfaction within four years from the date hereof will bring into cultivation not less than one-fifth of such land and to the like satisfaction within six years from the date hereof in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the said land have put substantial improvements of a permanent character on such land to the value

of One pound for every acre or fractional part of an acre demised Provided that if any of the land hereby demised has been brought into cultivation by the lessee when a permissive occupant of the same the land so brought into cultivation shall be deemed and taken to have been brought into cultivation pursuant to this notice.

9. That neither he nor they will at any time during the continuance of the term hereby created without a licence from the Crown in that behalf search for or permit to be searched for in or on the land hereby demised or take or permit to be taken therefrom any metal or mineral or mineral ore.

10. That he and they will observe fulfil and be bound by the stipulations conditions covenants and provisos contained in the Schedule hereunder written.

11. That he or they during the continuance of this demise keep in good condition and repair all buildings fences and other permanent improvements erected or effected or to be erected or effected on the land hereby demised reasonable wear and tear and damage by fire alone excepted.

12. That these presents are upon this express condition that the Board or any person appointed in that behalf by it may at any time enter upon the land hereby demised to ascertain if the covenants and conditions of this lease are being performed and observed by the lessee.

13. That these presents are upon this further condition that the right is reserved to Her Majesty to resume possession at any time and from time to time of any of the land comprised in this lease which in the opinion of the Governor in Council is required for the purposes of water supply irrigation works races dams and ditches or timber reserves or for public railways roads canals or other internal communication through such lands or for mining purposes or any public purposes upon repayment to the lessee of the amount of rent paid by him in respect of the land required to be resumed and upon payment to him of the full value (to be determined in accordance with the regulations for the time being in force made under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*) of all improvements of a permanent character made erected or constructed by the lessee upon the land so required to be resumed.

14. These presents are upon this further condition that the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns having fulfilled and observed the clauses covenants conditions provisos agreements acts matters and things herein contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed upon payment of the last sum due on account of the rent hereinbefore reserved (all sums (if any) in respect of the survey of the land hereby demised or any loan made by or on behalf of the Board or Her Majesty to the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns having then been duly paid or repaid) the lessee his executors administrators or assigns shall be entitled to a grant in fee simple of the land hereby demised subject to such conditions exemptions and reservations as the Governor in Council may direct.

15. These presents are on this further condition that in case of the death of the lessee his executors or administrators or personal representatives may act in his place as lessee for a period of twelve calendar months If before the expiration of which time they or he are unable to arrange for any person named in the lessee's will or in case no person is so named or in the case of an intestate lessee for any member of his family (such person or member being qualified for becoming a lessee under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*) to accept a transfer of this lease and continue to carry out and perform the covenants hereof subject to the conditions hereof the Board after having given two calendar months' notice in writing to such executors administrators or representatives either personally or by posting such notice on the land hereby demised may resume possession of the said land and transfer the same to any qualified person and any money paid by such incoming tenant for the interest in the lease of the deceased lessee shall after deducting the amount of rent loan or other money due to the Board (if any) in respect of the said land be paid by the Board to the said executors administrators or representatives as the case may be.

16. That these presents are on this further condition that if the lessee fails to comply with and observe the provisions of Part I. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* or of this lease in any respect the Board may upon sufficient proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Board forfeit his interest in the land hereby demised and that the Board may cause such interest to be sold by public auction to any person who is qualified for becoming a lessee under Part I. of the said Act in which case any such person so purchasing shall be deemed to stand in the position of the original lessee.

17. That these presents are on this further condition that these presents shall be voidable at the will of the Board in the event of any breach or non-compliance with the covenants or conditions hereof.

18. And lastly that these presents are on the condition that in case the rent hereby reserved and other moneys (if any) or any part of such rent or other moneys be not paid in accordance with the covenants for payment hereinbefore contained although no demand for payment has been made or in case the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns shall not faithfully observe and perform all and every the covenants and conditions herein contained on his or their part to be observed and performed it shall be lawful for the Board to enter forthwith at any time thereafter upon the land hereby demised and the same to repossess and enjoy and thenceforth the said term hereby granted shall absolutely cease and determine And it is hereby agreed and declared that in such case it shall be lawful for the Board and for any agents or officers authorized by it in that behalf without any demand whatsoever to enter upon the land hereby demised and the lessee his executors or administrators and all persons claiming from under or through him or them for ever to expel and remove therefrom without any legal process whatsoever and as effectually as any sheriff might in case the Board had obtained judgment in ejectment for recovery of possession of the said land and a writ of *habeas facias possessionem* or other process had issued on such judgment directed to such sheriff in

due form of law And that in case of such entry and any action being brought or other proceedings taken for or on account of the same by any person whomsoever the defendant or defendants to such action may plead leave and licence in bar thereof and these presents shall be conclusive evidence of the leave and licence of the lessee his executors administrators and all persons claiming from under or through him to the Board and all persons acting in the matters complained of or of any such agent or officer for the entry or trespass or other matters complained of in such action or other proceedings.

In witness whereof on the day and date first above written the Board hath set its common seal and the said lessee his hand and seal.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed in the presence of— President, Member. (L.S.)

Signed sealed and delivered by the above-named in the presence of— (L.S.)

SCHEDULE WITHIN REFERRED TO.—SPECIAL CONDITION.

Schedule 2.

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 5b and 10, Sub-section 8.

Application for consent to transfer village community lease. mortgage Date Received

applies to transfer to of mortgage leasehold, comprising acres roods perches, allot. , sec. , county of parish of

Questions.	Report.
1. Is transferee eligible? ...	
2. Have all rents and fees due on leasehold to date been paid?	
3. Have covenants of lease been complied with? ...	
4. Has a proportionate amount of cultivation for the period been effected?	

Fee paid. Recommended that transfer mortgage be consented to. Certificate of Board's consent forwarded.

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 5b and 10, Sub-section 8.

Address Date
County: Sir, I, of being the holder of a lease, as per margin, and having paid all rents and fees due thereon, and otherwise complied with all the covenants and conditions of the said lease, hereby apply to the Board of Land and Allotment: Works for its consent in writing to the transfer mortgage Area: of the said lease to of acres One pound, being the fee for the certificate of the Board's consent, is forwarded herewith. I have the honour to be, Sir, Your most obedient servant,

The President of the Board of Land and Works.

Declaration to be made by lessee when applying to transfer mortgage.

I, of in the colony of Victoria, do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have paid all rents and fees due to date in respect to my lease under sections 5b and 10 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* for allotment parish of ; that I have cultivated acres of the land held under the said lease; that I have effected other improvements upon the said land to the value of £ ; that I have complied with the residence conditions of the said lease; and that my reasons for desiring to transfer are And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

Declared before me, at in the colony aforesaid, this day of in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for taking Affidavits.

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 5b and 10, Sub-section 8.

Application by proposed transferee for the transfer to him of a lease under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*.

I, _____ of _____, hereby make application for the transfer to me of the lease for the land described below, and I undertake, in the event of the said transfer being consented to by the Board of Land and Works, to faithfully carry out all the covenants and conditions of the said lease.

I, _____ of _____, hereby declare that I have not at any time held a permit under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*; that I am not under eighteen years of age; that I am not the owner in fee simple of two acres of land or upwards; that I am not the lessee of a pastoral allotment or of a grazing area; that I am not the holder of a licence to occupy an agricultural allotment; that I am not the holder of a licence to improve an agricultural allotment; that I am not a lessee under Part II. of this Act; and that with respect to this application I am not an agent, or a servant of, or a trustee for, any other person; that I have not entered into or promised to enter into any agreement to permit any other person to acquire by purchase or otherwise the allotment in respect of which this application is made, or any part thereof, or my interest therein; that I intend to occupy the said allotment for my own use and benefit solely; that if my application be granted it is my intention to comply with the provisions of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*; and that the statements made by me in reply to the questions hereto subjoined are true and correct in every particular.

QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS REFERRED TO IN THE DECLARATION.

Questions.	Statements in Reply.
1. What is your occupation, and where have you resided during the last twelve months? ...	
2. Do you own any land in fee simple? If so, state the number of acres, situation, and purpose to which it has been applied ...	
3. Have you at any time obtained any land under lease, permit, or licence from the Crown? If so, Under what section and Act? Where situated? ... What area? ... What use did you make of it? ...	

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

Declared at _____ in the colony of Victoria, this _____ day of _____ 189 _____ before me, _____ Justice of the Peace in and for the bailiwick of the colony of Victoria, or Commissioner for taking affidavits.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Extent.

* The Magistrate's signature is only required here in cases where the applicant is a marksman, and can neither read nor write.

* I hereby certify that this declaration was read to the declarant in my presence this _____ day of _____ 189 _____

Justice of the Peace in and for the colony of Victoria, or Commissioner for taking affidavits.

Schedule 3. No. of Certificate
The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 5b and 10, Sub-section 8.

Certificate of Consent of the Board of Land and Works to Transfer of a Lease under Sections 5b and 10 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*.

Office of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.
This is to certify that the Board of Land and Works has consented to the transfer by _____ of _____ of the lease under sections 5b and 10 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, held by him for allotment _____ section _____ parish of _____ containing _____ acres _____ roads _____ perches, to _____ of _____ The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this _____ day of _____ 189 _____ in the presence of the undersigned, two members of the said Board.

NOTE.—The transfer will have no legal effect until it has been registered in the Office of Titles.

Entered in the Register-book vol. _____ fol. _____ Registrar of Titles.

Schedule 4.

Lease of a Homestead Section under Sections 20 (b) and 24 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*.

THIS INDENTURE made this _____ day of _____ 189 _____ between the Board of Land and Works (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") of the one part and _____ (hereinafter called the "lessee") of the other part Witnesseth that in consideration of the rent hereby reserved and of the covenants and conditions herein contained on the part of the lessee his executors administrators and assigns to be observed and performed the Board under and by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* Doth by these presents grant and demise unto the lessee the surface and down to a depth of _____ feet below the surface of all that piece of Crown land being the Homestead Section Number _____ of the block set apart and appropriated under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1892* for occupation by the members of the _____ in the parish of _____ containing _____ or thereabouts and shown with the measurements and abutments thereof in the map or diagram drawn in the margin of these presents and in such map or diagram coloured yellow To hold the said piece of land unto the lessee his executors administrators and approved assigns from the _____ day of _____ in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-_____ for the term of twenty years Yielding and paying for the same unto the Board during the said term the rent of _____ per annum (being at the rate of _____ per annum) for every acre and fractional part of an acre of the said land together with such further rent (if any) fixed by any Order in Council made in that behalf under and by virtue of the provisions of section 17 of the *Land Act 1891* such rent to be always paid by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the first day of _____ and the first day of _____ in each year the first of such payments having been made on or before the execution of these presents the next of such payments to be made on the _____ day of _____ 189 _____ Reserving and excepting unto Her Majesty the Queen her heirs and successors the right upon repayment to the lessee or to any person having a charge allowed by the Board to the extent of such charge of the amount of rent paid by him in respect of the land required to be resumed and upon payment to him of the full value (to be determined in accordance with the regulations made under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* for the time being in force) of all substantial improvements of a permanent character made erected or constructed by such lessee on the land required to be resumed to resume possession from time to time and at any time of any of the land comprised in this lease as may in the opinion of the Governor in Council be required for the purposes of water supply irrigation works races dams and ditches or timber reserves or for public railways roads canals or other internal communication through such lands or for mining purposes And excepting also unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors all gold and silver and auriferous and argenteous earth and stone and all copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores whatsoever and all mines seams veins lodes and deposits containing any metals or minerals or mineral ores whatsoever in upon or under the demised land together with liberty to Her Majesty her heirs and successors and her and their agents servants lessees licensees or assigns at any time or times hereafter during the said term to enter upon the said land and to search and mine therein and thereon for any metals or minerals or mineral ores whatsoever and to extract and remove therefrom all metals and minerals and mineral ores whatsoever and for the purposes aforesaid to sink shafts erect machinery carry on any works and do any other things which may be necessary or usual in mining And the lessee for himself his heirs executors administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant with the Board that he the lessee his executors administrators and approved assigns will observe perform and be bound by the several clauses covenants conditions provisions agreements acts matters and things hereinafter contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed (that is to say):—

1. That he or they will during the term hereby created pay unto the Board the rent hereby reserved by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the days hereinbefore appointed for the payment thereof.

2. That he or they will repay unto the Board the sum of heretofore advanced by the Board to the lessee out of moneys made available by Parliament to assist permissive occupants under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* by twenty equal yearly payments of _____ each to be paid on the _____ day of _____ in each year until the whole sum advanced be repaid.

3. That he or they will pay unto the Board the sum of _____ being the cost of the survey of the land hereby demised within five years from the date hereof by ten equal half-yearly instalments of _____ each in advance the first of such instalments having been paid on or before the execution of these presents that he or they will pay the next of such instalments on the _____ day of _____ 189 _____ and thereafter a further instalment on each of the days appointed for the payment of rent hereunder until the whole sum of _____ be paid.

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4. That he or they will during the said term pay all existing and future rates assessments and taxes for the time being payable either by landlord or tenant in respect of the said premises.

5. That within six months from the date of these presents the lessee will commence and will thenceforward during the term of this lease (if he so long live) continue personally or his wife or some child of such lessee or all or some or one of them will reside on the land hereby demised or its appurtenant township allotment and these presents are upon this express condition that if the lessee his wife or children be all absent for more than four months during any one financial year from the land hereby demised and its appurtenant township allotment he shall be deemed to have failed to comply with this covenant in regard to residence.

6. That he or they will use the land hereby demised for the purpose of agriculture gardening grazing dairying farming or other like purpose.

7. That he or they will not assign transfer or sublet or borrow money on the security of the land hereby demised or any portion thereof without the consent of the Board signified in writing first had and obtained and then only in conformity with such consent and these presents are upon this express condition that save as in the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* and as hereinafter provided this lease shall become absolutely void on assignment or transfer of the whole or any portion of the land hereby demised whether by operation of law or otherwise or upon such land or any portion thereof being sublet or made a security whether in law or in equity for the payment or repayment of any money or other advance.

8. That he or they will to the satisfaction of the Board within two years from the date hereof bring into cultivation not less than one-tenth of the land hereby demised and to the like satisfaction within four years from the date hereof will bring into cultivation not less than one-fifth of such land and to the like satisfaction within six years from the date hereof in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the said land have put substantial improvements of a permanent character on such land to the value of One pound for every acre or fractional part of an acre demised.

9. That neither he nor they will at any time during the continuance of the term hereby created without a licence from the Crown in that behalf search for or permit to be searched for in or on the land hereby demised or take or permit to be taken therefrom any metal or mineral or mineral ore.

10. That he and they will observe fulfil and be bound by the stipulations conditions covenants and provisos contained in the schedule hereunder written.

11. That he or they during the continuance of this demise keep in good condition and repair all buildings fences and other permanent improvements erected or effected or to be erected or effected on the land hereby demised whether made erected or constructed by such lessee or not reasonable wear and tear and damage by fire alone excepted.

12. That these presents are upon this express condition that the Board or any person appointed in that behalf by it may at any time enter upon the land hereby demised to ascertain if the covenants and conditions of this lease are being performed and observed by the lessee.

13. That these presents are upon this further condition that the right is reserved to Her Majesty to resume possession from time to time and at any time of any of the land comprised in this lease which in the opinion of the Governor in Council is required for the purposes of water supply irrigation works races dams and ditches or timber reserves or for public railways roads canals or other internal communication through such lands or for mining purposes upon repayment to the lessee or to any person having a charge allowed by the Board to the extent of such charge of the amount of rent paid by the lessee in respect of the land required to be resumed and upon payment of the full value (to be determined in accordance with the regulations for the time being in force made under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*) of all substantial improvements of a permanent character made erected or constructed by the lessee upon the land so required to be resumed.

14. These presents are upon this further condition that the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns having fulfilled and observed the clauses covenants conditions provisos agreements acts matters and things herein contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed upon payment of the last sum due on account of the rent hereinbefore reserved (all sums (if any) in respect of the survey of the land hereby demised or any loan made by or on behalf of the Board or Her Majesty to the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns having then been duly paid or repaid) the lessee his executors administrators or assigns shall be entitled to a grant in fee simple of the land hereby demised subject to such conditions exemptions and reservations as the Governor in Council may direct.

15. These presents are on this further condition that in case of the death of the lessee his executors or administrators or personal representatives may act in his place as lessee for a period of twelve calendar months. If before the expiration of which time they or he are unable to arrange for any person named in the lessee's will or in case no person is so named or in the case of an intestate lessee for any member of his family (such person or member being qualified for becoming a lessee under Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*) to accept a transfer of this lease and continue to carry out and perform the covenants hereof subject to the conditions hereof the Board after having given two calendar months' notice in writing to such executors administrators or representatives either personally or by posting such notice on the land hereby demised may cancel this lease resume possession of the said land and lease the same for the remainder of the term hereby created to any other settler and any money paid by such incoming tenant for the interest in the lease of the deceased lessee shall after deducting the amount of rent interest loan or other money due to the

Board (if any) in respect of the said land and any moneys due under any incumbrance allowed by the Board be paid by the Board to the said executors administrators or representatives as the case may be.

16. That these presents are on this further condition that if the lessee fails to comply with and observe the provisions of Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* or of this lease in any respect the Board may upon sufficient proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Board forfeit his interest in the land hereby demised and that the Board may cause such interest to be sold by public auction to any member of the Board who is qualified for becoming a lessee under Part II. of the said Act in which case any such person so purchasing shall be deemed to stand in the position of the original lessee.

17. That these presents are on this further condition that these presents shall be voidable at the will of the Board in the event of any breach or non-compliance with the covenants or conditions hereof.

18. And lastly that these presents are on the condition that in case the rent hereby reserved and other moneys (if any) or any part of such rent or other moneys be not paid in accordance with the covenants for payment hereinbefore contained although no demand for payment has been made or in case the lessee his executors administrators or approved assigns shall not faithfully observe and perform all and every the covenants and conditions herein contained on his or their part to be observed and performed it shall be lawful for the Board to enter forthwith at any time thereafter upon the land hereby demised and the same to repossess and enjoy and thenceforth the said term hereby granted shall absolutely cease and determine. And it is hereby agreed and declared that in such case it shall be lawful for the Board and for any agents or officers authorized by it in that behalf without any demand whatsoever to enter upon the land hereby demised and the lessee his executors or administrators and all persons claiming from under or through him or them for ever to expel and remove therefrom without any legal process whatsoever and as effectually as any sheriff might in case the Board had obtained judgment in ejectment for recovery of possession of the said land and a writ of *habere facias possessionem* or other process had issued on such judgment directed to such sheriff in due form of law. And that in case of such entry and any action being brought or other proceedings taken for or on account of the same by any person whomsoever the defendant or defendants to such action may plead leave and licence in bar thereof and these presents shall be conclusive evidence of the leave and licence of the lessee his executors administrators and all persons claiming from under or through him to the Board and all persons acting in the matters complained of or of any such agent or officer for the entry or trespass or other matters complained of in such action or other proceedings.

In witness whereof on the day and date first above written the Board hath set its common seal and the said lessee his hand and seal.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed in the presence of— (l.s.)
President.
Member.

Signed sealed and delivered by the above-named of— in the presence (l.s.)

SCHEDULE WITHIN REFERRED TO.—SPECIAL CONDITION.
Schedule 5.
The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 20b and 24, Sub-section 8.

Application for permission to transfer Homestead section lease.
mortgage

Date—
Received—
applies to transfer mortgage to leasehold, comprising acres roads of perches, section, block, county of, parish of

Questions.	Report.
1. Is transferee eligible? ...	
2. Have all rents and fees due on leasehold to date been paid? ...	
3. Have covenants of lease been complied with? ...	
4. Has a proportionate amount of cultivation for the period been effected? ...	

Fee paid
Recommended that transfer mortgage be consented-to.
Certificate of Board's consent forwarded.

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 20B and 24,
Sub-section 8.

Address—
Date—
County: Sir, I, of , being the holder of a lease, as per margin, and having paid all rents and fees due thereon, and otherwise complied with all the covenants and conditions of the said lease, hereby apply to the Board of Land and Allotment: Works for its consent in writing to the transfer mortgage Area: of the said lease to of acres One pound, being the fee for the certificate of the Board's consent, is forwarded herewith. I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

The President of the Board of Land and Works.

Declaration to be made by lessee when applying to transfer mortgage. I, of , in the colony of Victoria, do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have paid all rents and fees due to date in respect of my lease under sections 20b and 24 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* for section , block , parish of . That I have cultivated acres of the land held under the said lease; that I have effected other improvements upon the said land to the value of £ ; that I have complied with the residence conditions of the said lease, and that my reasons for desiring to transfer are . And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

Declared before me, at in the colony aforesaid, this day of in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for Taking Affidavits.

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 20B and 24,
Sub-section 8.

Application by proposed transferee for the transfer to him of a lease under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*. I, of , hereby make application for the transfer to me of the lease for the land described below, and I undertake, in the event of the said transfer being consented to by the Board of Land and Works, to faithfully carry out all the covenants and conditions of the said lease.

Signature— I, of , hereby declare that I have not at any time held a permit under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*; that I am not under eighteen years of age, and that I am a member of the association for which the block containing such section is set apart; that I am not the owner in fee simple of ten acres of land or upwards; that I am not the lessee of a pastoral allotment or of a grazing area; that I am not the holder of a licence to occupy an agricultural allotment; that I am not the holder of a licence to improve an agricultural allotment; that I am not a permissive occupier or lessee under Part I. of this Act; that I have not been a permissive occupier or lessee under Part II. of this Act; that I am not a married woman; and that with respect to this application I am not an agent, or a servant of, or a trustee for, any other person; that I have not entered into or promised to enter into any agreement to permit any other person to acquire by purchase or otherwise the section in respect of which this application is made, or any part thereof, or my interest therein, or the usufruct thereof; that I intend to occupy the said section for my own use and benefit solely; that if my application be granted, it is my intention to comply with the provisions of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*; and that the statements made by me in reply to the questions hereto subjoined are true and correct in every particular.

Questions and statements referred to in the declaration.

Questions.	Statements in Reply.
1. What is your occupation, and where have you resided during the last twelve months? ...	
2. Do you own any land in fee simple? If so, state the number of acres, situation, and purpose to which it has been applied ...	
3. Have you at any time obtained any land under lease, permit, or licence from the Crown? If so, Under what section and Act? ... Where situated? ... What area? ... What use did you make of it? ...	

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

Signature—
Occupation—
Address—
Declared at in the colony of Victoria, this day of , 189 before me, Justice of the Peace in and for the Bailiwick of the Colony of Victoria, or Commissioner for Taking Affidavits.

County.	Parish.	Section.	Block.	Extent.

* The Magistrate's signature is only required here in cases where the applicant is a marksman, and can neither read nor write. * I hereby certify that this declaration was read to the declarant in my presence this day of 189 Justice of the Peace in and for the Bailiwick of the Colony of Victoria, Commissioner for Taking Affidavits.

Schedule 6.

No. of Certificate

The *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, Sections 20B and 24,
Sub-section 8.

Certificate of Consent of the Board of Land and Works to transfer of a lease under Sections 20b and 24 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*.

Office of the Board of Land and Works, Melbourne.

This is to certify that the Board of Land and Works has consented to the transfer by of as a member of the Homestead Association of the lease under Sections 20b and 24 of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* held by him for section block roads parish of containing acres of

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this day of 189 in the presence of the undersigned, two members of the said Board.

President.
Member.

NOTE.—The transfer will have no legal effect until it has been registered in the Office of Titles.

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.

Customs Act 1896.

REGULATIONS AS TO EXPORT ENTRIES AMENDED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs | Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock | Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner | Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the *Customs Act 1896* (60 Vict. No. 1471) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations for generally regulating the export of goods from Victoria for the purpose of denoting what particulars shall be given in outward bills of entry, for the compilation of statistics, and for prescribing the various forms to be used, and for prescribing and limiting the penalty (which shall in no case exceed Twenty pounds) that may be enforced for the breach of any such regulations: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following addition to the Regulations made on the 11th day of February, 1897, under the provisions aforesaid, that is to say:—

To Regulation No. 3 of the said Regulations the following is added, viz:—

The Port at which any goods exported are to be landed or delivered must be correctly stated on each entry, and the requirements of the Customs Acts generally as to the form of export entry and particulars to be given thereon must be fully complied with.

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

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

POLLING PLACES FOR ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1075, section 207), His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order revoke the appointment of the places named in the second column of the Schedule hereunder as Polling Places within and for the several Divisions of Electoral Districts specified in conjunction therewith in the first column of the said Schedule; and doth appoint the places named in the third column of the said Schedule to be Polling Places within and for the several Divisions of Districts specified in conjunction therewith in the said first column of the Schedule, viz.:—

Electoral Districts and Divisions.	Polling Places Revoked.	Polling Places Appointed.
Dandenong and Berwick District— Scoresby Division ...	Scoresby ...	Ferntree Gully, Lysterfield
Gippsland North District— Bengwoiden Division ...	...	Forgo Creek
Lindenow Division ...	...	Mitchelldale

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Hospitals and Charities Act 1890.

INCORPORATION OF THE STAWELL HOSPITAL AND BENEVOLENT ASYLUM.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the *Hospitals and Charities Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1099) it is amongst other things enacted that any institution established for the cure of disease, or for the relief of diseased, aged, incurable, or destitute persons, and supported in whole or in part by the voluntary contributions of not less than fifty persons, each of whom shall have paid not less than One pound per annum or Twenty pounds in one donation, may be incorporated as thereafter mentioned, and that all persons who shall have paid as aforesaid shall be deemed contributors within the meaning of Part I. of the said Act: And whereas it is also enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, on the receipt of a petition signed by not less than twenty-five of the said persons praying that such institution may be incorporated, to cause the substance or prayer of such petition to be published in the *Government Gazette*; and that if no counter-petition signed by an equal or greater number of such persons shall have been delivered at the office of the Chief Secretary within one month after the date of such publication the Governor in Council may declare the contributors for the time being to such institution to be, and that they shall thereupon become and continue, a body politic and corporate by the style and title named in the Order in Council, and shall have perpetual succession and a common seal: And whereas the Governor in Council has received a petition, signed by not less than twenty-five contributors to the institution known as the Stawell Hospital and Benevolent Asylum, in the colony of Victoria, praying that the said institution may be incorporated: And whereas the substance or prayer of the said petition has been published in the *Government Gazette*, and no counter-petition has been delivered at the office of the Chief Secretary within one month after the date of such publication: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, declare the contributors for the time being to the institution aforesaid to be a body politic and corporate by the style and title of

THE STAWELL HOSPITAL AND BENEVOLENT ASYLUM.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

REGULATION OF PAWNBROKERS' SHOPS, CITY OF SOUTH MELBOURNE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the *Factories and Shops Acts* it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district, or any specified part of such district, for, amongst other things, permitting shops of any particular class not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890*, on obtaining a licence to keep open after the hours mentioned in the said *Factories and Shops Acts*, and during such hours as shall be specified in such licence, and also for closing all shops or all shops of any particular class, other than those mentioned in such Schedule, for one afternoon in each week, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers or of all the shopkeepers of the particular class (as the case may be) substantially interested and affected thereby: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that in the municipal district of the City of South Melbourne, all pawnbrokers' shops (such being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* aforesaid) may be permitted, on obtaining a licence, to keep open until Eight o'clock on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said city as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers of the particular class substantially interested and affected thereby: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

1. It shall be lawful for any pawnbroker's shop within the municipal district of the City of South Melbourne to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week, from Seven o'clock until Eight o'clock, on obtaining a licence to keep open during such hours from the Chief Inspector of Factories.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

ALTERATION OF HALF-HOLIDAY IN THE TOWNSHIP OF EUROA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by a Regulation dated the 27th day of November, 1896, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred upon him by the *Factories and Shops Acts*, directed that all shops in the Township of Euroa within the municipal district of the Shire of Euroa, other than those mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890*, should be closed on Saturday in each week from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas since the making of such Regulation petitions have been presented to the Governor in Council, certified to by the secretary of the Shire of Euroa (being the municipal clerk of such shire) as being signed by a majority of the bakers and butchers keeping shops in the township aforesaid (such shops being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1890* aforesaid), praying that a Regulation may be made for closing such shops in the Township of Euroa within the municipal district aforesaid, in the afternoon of Wednesday in each week from the hour of One o'clock, in lieu of on Saturday as at present appointed, to which prayer the Governor in Council has determined to accede: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, under the powers conferred upon him by the *Factories and Shops Acts*, doth make the following Regulations (that is to say):—

1. The hereinbefore recited Regulation, made on the 27th day of November, 1896, shall from and after the date hereof be and the same is hereby repealed so far only as it relates to bakers' shops and butchers' shops.
2. From and after the date of the making of this Regulation all bakers' shops and butchers' shops in the Township of Euroa within the municipal district of the Shire of Euroa shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR TOBACCONISTS' SHOPS,
CITY OF RICHMOND.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, limiting the hours during which shops mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 within such district may be kept open, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers keeping shops of the class within such municipal district to be affected thereby: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that a regulation be made limiting in the municipal district of the City of Richmond the hours during which tobacconists' shops (being shops mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 aforesaid) may be kept open by directing that they shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said City as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of the class to be affected thereby: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

All tobacconists' shops in the municipal district of the City of Richmond shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, provided that no such shop shall be required to be closed on the Wednesday in any week in which such shop shall have been closed on account of a public holiday.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

ALTERATION OF HALF-HOLIDAY, GROCERS'
SHOPS, TOWN OF GEELONG.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by a Regulation dated the 2nd day of April, 1897, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Factories and Shops Acts, directed that all boot dealers' shops, drapers' shops, and grocers' shops in the municipal district of the Town of Geelong should be closed on Wednesday in each week from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas since the making of the said Regulation a petition has been presented to the Governor in Council, certified to by the Town Clerk of the Town of Geelong (being the municipal clerk of such Town) as being signed by a majority of the grocers keeping shops in the said town, praying that a Regulation may be made providing that no grocer's shop shall be required to be closed on the Wednesday in any week in which such shop shall have been closed on account of a public holiday: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, under the powers conferred upon him by the Factories and Shops Acts, doth make the following Regulations (that is to say):—

1. The hereinbefore recited Regulation, made on the 2nd day of April, 1897, shall from and after the date hereof be and the same is hereby repealed so far only as it relates to grocers' shops.
2. From and after the date of the making of this Regulation all grocers' shops within the municipal district of the Town of Geelong shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, provided that no such shop shall be required to be closed on the Wednesday afternoon in any week in which such shop shall have been closed on account of a public holiday.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

REGULATION OF HAIRDRESSERS AND BARBERS'
SHOPS WITHIN THE CITY OF SOUTH MEL-
BOURNE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district, or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, permitting shops of any particular class not included in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890, on obtaining a licence to keep open after the hours mentioned in the said Factories and Shops Acts, and during such hours as shall be specified in such licence, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council, and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of such class within such district: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that in the municipal district of the City of South Melbourne all hairdressers and barbers' shops (such shops being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 aforesaid) may be permitted, on obtaining a licence, to keep open until Eight o'clock on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday in each week, and until Eleven o'clock on the evening of Saturday in each week: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said city as having been signed by a majority of such shopkeepers within the said city: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

1. It shall be lawful for any hairdresser and barber's shop within the municipal district of the City of South Melbourne to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday in each week from Seven o'clock until Eight o'clock, and on the evening of Saturday in each week from Ten o'clock until Eleven o'clock, on obtaining a licence to keep open during such hours from the Chief Inspector of Factories.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR HAIRDRESSERS AND
BARBERS' SHOPS, CITY OF RICHMOND.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, closing all shops or all shops of any particular class within such district other than those mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 for one afternoon in each week, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council, and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers or of all the shopkeepers of the particular class (as the case may be) substantially interested and affected thereby: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that all hairdressers and barbers' shops in the City of Richmond (being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 aforesaid) shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said city as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers of the particular class substantially interested and affected thereby: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

All hairdressers and barbers' shops in the municipal district of the City of Richmond shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, provided that such shops shall not be required to be closed on the Wednesday in any week in which a public holiday occurs.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

ALTERATION OF REGULATION, WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELLERS' SHOPS, TOWN OF GEELONG.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by a regulation dated the 27th day of November, 1896, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Factories and Shops Acts, directed that all shops in the municipal district of the Town of Geelong of the following classes, viz:— Bootdealers' shops, costumiers' shops, drapers' shops, grocers' shops, produce merchants' shops, saddlers and harness makers' shops, tailors and outfitters' shops, and watchmakers and jewellers' shops should be closed on Saturday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas since the making of such regulation a petition has been presented to the Governor in Council, certified to by the town clerk of the Town of Geelong (being the municipal clerk of such town) as being signed by a majority of the watchmakers and jewellers keeping shops in the said municipal district, praying that a regulation may be made for closing such shops within the said district, on the afternoon of Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock, in lieu of on Saturday, as at present appointed, to which prayer the Governor in Council has determined to accede: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, under the powers conferred upon him by the Factories and Shops Acts, doth make the following Regulations (that is to say):—

1. The hereinbefore recited regulation, made on the 27th day of November, 1896, shall from and after the date hereof be and the same is hereby repealed so far as it relates to watchmakers and jewellers' shops.
2. From and after the date of the making of this regulation all watchmakers and jewellers' shops within the municipal district of the Town of Geelong shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR BOOT AND SHOE DEALERS' SHOPS, CITY OF HAWTHORN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is enacted that the Governor in Council may make regulations to have effect within any specified municipal district, or any specified part of such district for, amongst other things, closing all shops or all shops of any particular class within such district other than those mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 for one afternoon in each week, provided a petition shall have been previously addressed to the Governor in Council, and forwarded to the Minister, certified to by the municipal clerk as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers, or of all the shopkeepers of the particular class (as the case may be) substantially interested and affected thereby: And whereas a petition has been so addressed and forwarded praying that all boot and shoe dealers' shops within the municipal district of the City of Hawthorn (being shops not included in the Fourth Schedule to the Factories and Shops Act 1890 aforesaid) shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said city as having been signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers of the particular class substantially interested and affected thereby: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

All boot and shoe dealers' shops in the municipal district of the City of Hawthorn shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, provided that no such shop shall be required to be closed on the Wednesday in any week in which such shop shall have been closed on account of a public holiday.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

PROVISIONS RELATING TO SHOPS EXTENDED TO THE CENTRE RIDING OF THE SHIRE OF DANDEENONG.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Acts it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time and at any time make an Order extending the provisions of the said Acts which relate to shops to any particular class of shops or to the whole of the shops in the whole or any specified part of any shire, if the majority of the shopkeepers keeping shops of that particular class or of the whole of the shopkeepers (as the case may be) in the locality to be affected have petitioned for such extension: And whereas a majority of the whole of the shopkeepers keeping shops within the Centre Riding of the Shire of Dandenong have petitioned the Governor in Council to make an Order extending the provisions aforesaid to the whole of the shops in the said riding of the said shire, and the municipal clerk of the said shire has certified to that effect as provided in the said Acts: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this Order extend the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts which relate to shops to the whole of the shops in the Centre Riding of the Shire of Dandenong aforesaid.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

DELIVERY OF BREAD IN THE CITY OF BENDIGO.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Act 1890 it is enacted that the Governor in Council, upon receiving a petition certified by the municipal clerk of any municipal district as having been signed by a majority of the bakers or butchers or vendors of milk respectively having shops in such district, may make regulations prohibiting the delivery of bread or meat or milk (as the case may be) from a cart or in the street or at any house or premises on any one specified day in each month or on any specified afternoon in each week after One o'clock: And whereas a petition has been received so certified as having been signed by a majority of the bakers having shops in the municipal district of the City of Bendigo praying that a regulation be made prohibiting the delivery within the said municipal district of bread from a cart or in the street or at any house or premises on the Third Wednesday in each and every calendar month in the year: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

No person shall within the municipal district of the City of Bendigo deliver, or cause or permit to be delivered, any bread from any cart or in the street or at any house or premises on the Third Wednesday in each and every calendar month in the year. Any person guilty of a contravention of this Regulation shall be liable for the first offence to a penalty not exceeding Two pounds, and for every subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than One pound or more than Five pounds.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Education Act 1890.

ALTERATION OF REGULATIONS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the eighth day of June, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Isaacs	Mr. Foster
Mr. Peacock	Mr. McLean
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by section 23 of the Education Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1086) it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make and rescind regulations for all or any of the purposes therein mentioned, and generally for carrying the said Act into effect: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the

Executive Council, doth by this Order rescind Clause 18 (Music) of Regulation No. V. (Examination and Classification of Teachers) of the Regulations made under the provisions of the Act aforesaid, and doth substitute the following Clause, viz. :-

V.—EXAMINATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.
MUSIC.

18. Licences to teach and certificates of competency will be granted upon examinations conducted by the Department, in conjunction with the Musical Society of Victoria.

For a licence to teach, the candidate will be required—

Sight singing.—To sing at sight, in correct time and tune, an exercise consisting of diatonic intervals, which may be written in minims, dotted minims, crotchets, dotted crotchets, and quavers.

Ear Test.—(a) To write a short and simple melody in notes of equal length, which may contain a modulation by stepwise accidentals only.

(b) To write, in correct time, two to four bars sung upon one note in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 3/8, or 6/8 time.

Transposition.—To transpose an easy diatonic melody not exceeding eight bars in length.

Theory.—Notation in the treble, alto, tenor, and bass clefs, the great staff, time accents, major and minor scales with their simple intervals and their inversions, the common chords (major and minor) and their inversions, the chord of the dominant seventh, and its resolutions in root position only.

To bar off an exercise in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, or 6/8 time, the time signatures being given.

To explain the marks of expression and musical terms in general use.

To have a general knowledge of the voice registers of children.

Teaching.—To give a satisfactory lesson on any part of the programme for singing in the course of free instruction. This will include beating time correctly, extemporising suitable exercises, and pointing a song from memory on a staff or modulator.

For a certificate of competency, the candidate will be required—

Sight Singing.—(a) To sing at sight, to words, a melody containing modulation to the dominant, sub-dominant, and their relative minors.

(b) To sing (to laa) a melody containing modulation to the tonic minor or super-tonic major, with semiquavers in easy positions.

Ear Test.—Six or eight bars (resembling a hymn tune) containing modulation to relative minor, dominant, or sub-dominant, with easy chromatics.

Theory.—Harmony and part writing, as far as the dominant seventh, with its inversions and all diatonic resolutions and modulations to nearly-related keys. This will include harmonizing a melody in two, three, or four parts, and adding three parts (treble, alto, and tenor) to a figured bass.

More difficult exercises in barring off, the time signatures not being given. Examples may be set beginning with incomplete bars.

Transposition of a melody containing modulation to nearly-related keys.

Art of Teaching.—To teach a class efficiently: to present a class taught by the candidate for a period of twelve months, which shall pass a satisfactory examination.

And the Honorable Alexander James Peacock, Her Majesty's Minister of Public Instruction for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

FREE LIBRARIES AND COUNTRY MUSEUMS
GRANT FOR 1896-7.

THE secretaries of those institutions which have not applied for a share of the grant to Free Libraries and Country Museums for 1896-7 are informed that the list of libraries, &c., entitled to participate will be closed on Wednesday, 30th June instant.

No applications will be accepted after that date.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

CEMETERIES.

ACCOUNTS of Trustees pursuant to the provisions of section 32 of the Cemeteries Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1072).

BUMBERAH PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£14 10 11
Fees for graves, &c.	13 10 0
	£28 0 11

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£2 9 0
Office expenses	1 9 0
Works	20 17 6
Contingencies, incurred on extension of cemetery	0 18 6
Balance	2 6 11
	£28 0 11

JAMES WALKER,
W. C. BROOME,
H. HOWLETT,
Trustees.

Declared at Bairnsdale the 6th day of March, 1897, before
JOSEPH BULL, J.P.

EL DORADO PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.	
Fees for graves, &c.	£15 7 6
Balance	6 1 1
	£21 8 7

EXPENDITURE.	
Balance	£2 5 0
Office expenses	0 1 3
Works	12 12 4
Grave-digging	6 10 0
	£21 8 7

H. HORROCKS,
HARRY WALKER,
WM. WARD,
Trustees.

Declared at El Dorado the 21st day of May, 1897, before
JOSEPH HOLLOW, J.P.

GRETA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£11 5 7
Fees for graves, &c.	10 0 0
	£21 5 7

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£2 10 0
Office expenses	0 2 6
Works	2 9 10
Balance	16 3 3
	£21 5 7

GEORGE SMITH,
WM. SINCLAIR,
DENIS O'KEEFE,
Trustees.

Declared at Lacey the 30th day of March, 1897, before
A. H. SMITH, J.P.

SMYTHESDALE PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£5 17 4
Fees for graves, &c.	88 0 0
	£93 17 4

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£7 10 0
Office expenses	1 7 0
Works	6 7 10
Grave-digging	58 13 4
Insurance	0 10 6
Balance	19 8 8
	£93 17 4

JOHN BIRD,
RICHD. GILHOOLEY,
ANDREW MOONEY,
JOHN LAW,
Trustees.

Declared at Smythesdale the 25th day of January, 1897, before
DEAN HART, J.P.

SPRING HILL PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£0 1 2
Fees for graves, &c.	3 1 0
Other sources of income	0 12 0
	£3 14 2

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£2 0 0
Office expenses	0 5 8
Grave-digging	1 1 0
Balance	0 7 6
	£3 14 2

JOHN SCANLON,
JOHN SIMS,
JAS. K. ELLIOTT,
Trustees.

Declared at Spring Hill the 17th day of February, 1897, before
GEO. KNIGHT, J.P.

STEIGLITZ PUBLIC CEMETERY.

11th July to 31st December, 1894.

RECEIPTS.		
Fees for graves, &c.	...	£6 7 0
EXPENDITURE.		
Office expenses	...	£0 2 6
Grave-digging	...	3 5 0
Balance	...	2 19 6
		£6 7 0

JOHN CAHIR,
H. W. ARNOLD,
WILLIAM McLENNAN,
Trustees.

Declared at Steiglitz the 10th day of April, 1897, before HARRY ELLIS, J.P.

STEIGLITZ PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1895.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance	...	£2 19 6
Fees for graves, &c.	...	19 18 6
		£22 18 0
EXPENDITURE.		
Office expenses	...	£0 8 6
Grave-digging	...	8 5 0
Lost by closing of City of Melbourne Bank	...	4 15 6
Balance	...	9 9 0
		£22 18 0

JOHN CAHIR,
H. W. ARNOLD,
WILLIAM McLENNAN,
Trustees.

Declared at Steiglitz the 10th day of April, 1897, before HARRY ELLIS, J.P.

STEIGLITZ PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance	...	£9 9 0
Fees for graves, &c.	...	18 15 6
		£28 4 6
EXPENDITURE.		
Salaries	...	£1 0 0
Office expenses	...	0 18 8
Works	...	5 10 0
Grave-digging	...	6 15 0
Balance	...	14 0 10
		£28 4 6

JOHN CAHIR,
H. W. ARNOLD,
WILLIAM McLENNAN,
Trustees.

Declared at Steiglitz the 10th day of April, 1897, before HARRY ELLIS, J.P.

STRATHBOGIE PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Fees for graves, &c.	...	£2 15 0
EXPENDITURE.		
Works	...	£1 12 6
Balance	...	1 2 6
		£2 15 0

JOHN TAYLOR, JUN.,
JOHN SIMPSON,
RICHARD SKINNER,
Trustees.

Declared at Euroa the 25th day of May, 1897, before H. W. POTTS, J.P.

TYLDEN PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance	...	£6 16 7
Fees for graves, &c.	...	33 16 0
Grass rent	...	1 0 0
		£41 12 7

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries	...	£9 0 0
Office expenses	...	0 10 4
Works	...	0 18 0
Grave-digging	...	5 11 3
Contingencies	...	0 6 0
Balance	...	25 7 0
		£41 12 7

MICHAEL HOGAN,
CHRIS. HALL,
DAVID EVANS,
Trustees.

Declared at Trentham before T. A. ROGERS, J.P.

YAN YEAN PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance	...	£43 18 8
Fees for graves, &c.	...	15 10 0
		£59 8 8

EXPENDITURE.		
Salaries	...	£5 5 0
Office expenses	...	0 10 0
Works	...	0 18 0
Grave-digging	...	10 10 0
Contingencies	...	1 7 3
Balance	...	41 0 5
		£59 8 8

JOHN DANIEL,
JAMES CLARK,
ABRAHAM WILLIS,
JAMES RYAN,
Trustees.

Declared at Epping the 17th day of May, 1897, before T. BODYCOAT, J.P.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

SALES of Crown Lands in Fee simple to be held at the under-mentioned places and dates, viz.:-

	No. of Gazette.		No. of Gazette.
Bendigo—		Penshurst—	
Tuesday, 29 June	58	Thursday, 17 June	57
Chiltern—		Rushworth—	
Saturday, 19 June	57	Monday, 14 June	54
Melbourne—		St. Arnaud—	
Tuesday, 29 June	60	Wednesday, 30 June	58
Omeo—		Stawell—	
Wednesday, 16 June	54	Tuesday, 15 June	57

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Land Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1106, s 10 and 13): Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to revoke the temporary reservations of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:-

The following Notices were gazetted 1st on 28 May, pursuant to Orders of 25 May, 1897.

BECHWORTH.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 26th July, 1869, of fifty acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Bechworth, as a site for Watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-One acre two roods: Commencing at a point bearing S. 70° 33' W. fifty links from the south-east angle of allotment 1b of section 29; bounded thence by the said allotment and a line bearing S. 70° 33' W. three chains; thence by the Lunatic Asylum reserve bearing S. 19° 27' E. five chains; and thence by lines bearing respectively N. 70° 33' E. three chains and N. 19° 27' W. five chains to the point of commencement.—(B.349(?) (96.H.2435).

GLENROWEN.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 20th February, 1882, of two acres one rood seven paches of land in the township of Glenrowen, being allotment 4 of section 29, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-Two roods: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 9° 50' W. two chains fifty-five links; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 83° 42' W. one chain eighty-seven links and S. 9° 50' E. three chains seven links; and thence by allotment three bearing N. 80° 10' E. one chain eighty links to the point of commencement.—(G.92(?) (96.C.1934).

WOORNOOK.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 10th April, 1876, of one thousand six hundred and ninety-seven acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Woornook, comprising allotments 10, 11, 16, and 17, and portions of allotments 12, 14, 15, and 18, as a site for Recreation purposes and for Growth and Preservation of Timber, is about to be revoked so far as

regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Two hundred and forty-eight acres, more or less, being the portions of allotments 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, situate east of the road from Charlton to Coonocor.—(W.289(1) (97.F.3620).

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 10 and 13), the Governor in Council has, by Orders made on the 8th day of June, 1897, revoked the temporary reservation of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:—

DARGO.—Site for Drainage purposes (partly). See *Gazette* of 14 May, 1897.

MUCKLEFORD.—Site for Watering purposes. See *Gazette* of 14 May, 1897.

STAWELL.—Site for Public Gardens. See *Gazette* of 14 May, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

LAND PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 10 and 12), the Governor in Council has, by Order made on the 8th day of June, 1897, reserved from sale, permanently, the land hereinafter referred to, viz.:—

WARRENHUP (LEIGH CREEK).—Site for Shire Offices. See *Gazette* of 14 May, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

LAND WITHHELD FROM SALE, ETC.—ORDER REVOKED.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by Order made on the 8th June, 1897, revoked the Order in Council made on the 28th May, 1877, pursuant to the provisions of sections 6 and 9 of *The Land Act 1869*, excepting from occupation for mining purposes, or for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence, and withholding from sale, leasing, and licensing, one hundred and eighty-nine acres one rood thirty-seven perches of land in the parish of Batchica, temporarily reserved by the same Order as a site for Camping purposes, so far only as it relates to the withholding of the said land from sale, leasing, and licensing.—(L.P.11) (95.1442/99).

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

LANDS EXCEPTED FROM OCCUPATION UNDER THE MINES ACT 1890.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of section 17 of the *Mines Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1120), has, by Orders made on the 8th day of June, 1897, excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence the lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

ELLESMERE.—County of Bendigo, parish of Ellesmere, being the land proclaimed as a township on the 28th April, 1897, and described in the *Government Gazette* of the 30th April, 1897, p. 1769.—(E.97(2) (96.H.56736).

HEATHCOTE.—The Crown lands comprised within the boundaries of the town of Heathcote, county of Dalhousie.—(H.74(2) (97.C.3761).

ST. ARNAUD.—The Crown lands comprised within the boundaries of the town of St. Arnaud, county of Kara Kara.—(97.B.9659).

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

COMMONS ABOUT TO BE DIMINISHED OR ABOLISHED.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 107) Notice is hereby given that the Governor in Council is about to diminish or abolish (as the case may be) the Commons hereinafter mentioned, viz.:—

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 28 May, pursuant to Orders of 25 May, 1897.

THE ALEXANDRA COMMON is about to be abolished.—(97.C.2859.)

THE CASTERTON TOWN COMMON is about to be abolished.—(97.C.3597.)

THE EVANSFORD AGRICULTURAL AREA FARMERS' COMMON is about to be abolished.—(96.C.2609.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 11 June, pursuant to Order of 8 June, 1897.

THE YEA TOWN COMMON is about to be abolished.—(97/C.3301.)

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

No. 66.—JUNE 11, 1897.—3.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, CASTLEMAINE.—POWER TO SELL OR LEASE SITE.

A STATEMENT of Trusts having been submitted by the head or authorized representative of the denomination of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Victoria under the provisions of the *Act to provide for the Abolition of State Aid to Religion*, for allowance by the Governor, the same was allowed by him on the 8th day of June, 1897, and the following is the form in which such Statement of Trusts has been allowed:—

Description of land.—All that piece of land in the colony of Victoria, containing two acres, more or less, situate in the county of Talbot, town of Castlemaine, being allotments 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 of section 29: Commencing at the intersection of the south side of Wimble-street with the west side of Hargreaves-street; bounded thence by the last-mentioned street bearing south five chains; thence by Parker-street bearing west four chains; thence by allotments 17 and 8 bearing north five chains; and thence by Wimble-street aforesaid bearing east four chains to the commencing point. Reserving and excepting to Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, her heirs, successors, and assigns, and her and their agents, lessees, and licensees, the right to mine at and below Four hundred (400) feet from the surface of the said land.

Names of trustees.—Friedrich Loypoldt, McKenzie-street, Bendigo, Lutheran minister; Carl List, Chewton, bootmaker; Johannes Seebeck, "Seven Gates," Woodend, saw-mill proprietor.

Power of disposition.—Power to sell or lease the whole or any part of the said land comprised in allotments 9, 10, 11, and 12 of said section 29, and to mortgage the same allotments and the remaining part of the said church lands for the purposes of the said church, as hereinafter mentioned.

Purposes to which proceeds of disposition are to be applied.—In liquidating the church debt and improving the church buildings and parsonage, and in renewal of the fences upon the said land, and otherwise improving the church property in such manner as shall be deemed most beneficial.

As witness the Hand of the Governor of the Colony of Victoria this 8th day of June, 1897.

BRASSEY,
Governor of the Colony of Victoria.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE TOWNSHIP OF EVERTON.

WHEREAS by the 136th section of the *Land Act 1890* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, do hereby make the Regulation following to be observed and enforced in respect of the land temporarily reserved by Order of the 9th February, 1892, as a site for Public Recreation in the township of Everton.

REGULATION.

The undermentioned gentleman shall be a Member of the Committee of Management to exercise control over the said reserve:—

Walter Carlton Crawford,

in the room of Thomas Atkinson, J.P., deceased.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 4th day of June, 1897, in presence of—

R. W. BEST, President.
(SEAL) THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 97/C.3660.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A PUBLIC PARK IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SEYMOUR.

WHEREAS by the 136th section of the *Land Act 1890* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, do hereby make the Regulation following to be observed and enforced in respect of the land temporarily reserved by Order of 27th September, 1886, as a site for a Public Park in the township of Seymour.

REGULATION.

The undermentioned gentlemen shall be members of the Committee of Management to exercise control over the said Public Park:—

James Chittick, jun., and
John Harper,

in the room of William Macintire, jun., and James Gloster, resigned.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 4th day of June, 1897, in presence of—

R. W. BEST, President.
(SEAL) THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 97/C.3575.)

Settlement on Lands Act 1893.

VILLAGE COMMUNITIES.—PROCLAMATIONS PARTLY REVOKED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part I. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* (57 Vict. No. 1311) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time set apart and appropriate for the purposes of "village community allotments" any land not alienated from the Crown and not being auriferous lands or lands permanently reserved for any purpose whatsoever, provided that such land shall not include any mallee block or allotment except such as may have been or may hereafter be purchased by the Crown in accordance with the conditions of the *Land Act 1890*, and may at any time revoke any such Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby order as follows, viz.:

BARMAH.—The Proclamation bearing date the 23rd October, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the township of Barmah, and comprising an area of four hundred and fifty-six acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—One hundred and eighteen acres, more or less, county of Moira, township of Barimah: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 1 of section A; bounded thence by that allotment bearing north ten chains, and by that allotment and allotments 2, 3, 4, and 5 bearing east twenty-five chains; thence by a road bearing north twenty-one chains eleven links; thence by a road and a line bearing west forty-six chains; thence by a line bearing south thirty-one chains eleven links; and thence by a road bearing east twenty-one chains to the point of commencement.—(93.G.29975.)

COLBINABBIN.—The Proclamation bearing date the 3rd November, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the village of Colbinabbin, and comprising an area of three hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Thirty-nine acres three roods twenty-seven perches, county of Rodney, village of Colbinabbin, being allotments 23 and 24.—(97.V.6309.)

MIÉPOLL.—The Proclamation bearing date the 10th October, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the township of Miépoll, and comprising an area of four hundred and eighty-six acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portions of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty-five acres three roods thirty-two perches, county of Moira, parish of Miépoll, being allotment 1 of section F and allotment 3 of section H.—(2701 and 3496/5.)

MACEDON, NEWHAM, AND WOODEND.—The Proclamation bearing date the 26th September, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the parishes of Macedon, Newham, and Woodend, and comprising an area of six thousand three hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Thirty-one acres three roods thirty-two perches, county of Dalhousie, parish of Woodend, being allotment 17 of section G.—(97.V.6269.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **BRASSEY.**
By His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Settlement on Lands Act 1893.

HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATIONS.—PROCLAMATIONS PARTLY REVOKED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* (57 Vict. No. 1311), it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time set apart and appropriate for occupation by the members of associations or societies under the said Part of the said Act blocks of any land not alienated from the Crown and not being auriferous lands or lands permanently reserved for any purpose whatsoever, provided that such blocks of land shall not include any mallee block or allotment except such as may have been or may hereafter be purchased by the Crown in accordance with the conditions of the *Land Act 1890*; and that except as to so much of any block as may be occupied or leased under the said Part of the said Act, no Proclamation setting apart a block for a society shall remain

in force for longer than three years or for an association for longer than six months after in each case the survey and subdivision of such block; and that at the expiration of such three years or six months (as the case may be) all land in any block which is not occupied or leased under Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* aforesaid shall be deemed and taken to be unoccupied Crown land: And whereas by certain Proclamations as hereunder set forth, made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Part of the said *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* certain lands respectively described in such Proclamations were set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of associations or societies under the said Part of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part each of such Proclamations: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby order as follows, viz.:

BARMAH.—The Proclamation bearing date the 23rd October, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the township of Barmah, and comprising an area of four hundred and fifty-six acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of homestead associations or societies, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—One hundred and eighteen acres, more or less, county of Moira, township of Barmah: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 1 of section A; bounded thence by that allotment bearing north ten chains, and by that allotment and allotments 2, 3, 4, and 5 bearing east twenty-five chains; thence by a road bearing north twenty-one chains eleven links; thence by a road and a line bearing west forty-six chains; thence by a line bearing south thirty-one chains eleven links; and thence by a road bearing east twenty-one chains to the point of commencement.—(93.G.29975.)

MACEDON, NEWHAM, AND WOODEND.—The Proclamation bearing date the 26th September, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the parishes of Macedon, Newham, and Woodend, and comprising an area of six thousand three hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of homestead associations or societies, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Thirty-one acres three roods thirty-two perches, county of Dalhousie, parish of Woodend, being allotment 17 of section G.—(97.V.6269.)

MIÉPOLL.—The Proclamation bearing date the 10th October, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the township of Miépoll, and comprising an area of four hundred and eighty-six acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of homestead associations or societies, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portions of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty-five acres three roods thirty-two perches, county of Moira, parish of Miépoll, being allotment 1 of section F and allotment 3 of section H.—(2701 and 3496/5.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **BRASSEY.**
By His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

CUTTING, DIGGING, OR REMOVING TIMBER FROM CERTAIN CROWN LANDS PROHIBITED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part I. of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106) it is amongst other things enacted that, notwithstanding anything thereinbefore contained, the Governor in Council may by Proclamation declare that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, shall cut, dig, or remove live or dead timber, or particular description of timber or bark, stone, gravel, sand, loam, brick or other earth from such portions of Crown lands as are named in such Proclamation, or shall exercise on any such portions the powers, or any of them, conferred by any licence granted under the authority of Division 8 of Part I. of the said Act: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby declare that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, shall cut, dig, or remove live or dead timber on or from the Crown lands hereinafter described, viz.:

Twenty-one acres, more or less, county of Villiers, parish of Framlingham East, being allotment 39A, situate between allotment 39 and the Liberton Bank pre-emptive section, and between the Ellerslie-road and the Hopkins River.—(37.C.3420.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **BRASSEY.**
By His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land Acts.
AREAS OF LANDS INCREASED AND DIMINISHED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the *Land Act 1890* it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time increase or diminish the area of land comprised in any of the classes mentioned in section 6 of Part I. of the said Act, except increasing lands which may be sold by auction: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby increase or diminish (as the case may be) the areas of Crown lands comprised in Classes 2 and 3 of section 6 of Part I. of the *Land Act 1890* aforesaid to the extent set forth in the subjoined Schedules respectively, that is to say:—

The Schedules referred to:

AREA OF AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING LANDS INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Block.	Area.		Description.
			A.	R. P.	
Bogong ¹	Tangambalanga	7, sec. 16	20	0 0	Held under section 65 by John Sutherland
Lowan ¹	Bringalhart	80	86	0 0	Forfeited 19th section holding of Mary A. Moore
Borong ¹	Moyston West	4, sec. C	100	0 30	Forfeited 20th section leasehold of Christina Cattanach
Talbot ^{1,2}	Creswick	Y ¹²	8	0 0	Formerly held under section 65 by Henry J. Robinson
Tanjil ¹	Numbruk	6, sec. A	24	2 9	Forfeited 20th section leasehold of Michael Fitzgerald
Evelyn ¹	Greensborough	36G, sec. A	18	0 0	Formerly held under section 65 by Mordaunt H. Mitchell
Evelyn ¹	Greensborough	12A, sec. C	13	0 0	Formerly held under section 65 by William E. Buck
Evelyn ¹	Greensborough	20A, sec. C	19	0 0	Formerly held under section 65 by George Fowler
Evelyn ¹	Greensborough	16, sec. D	20	0 0	Formerly held under section 65 by Alfred W. Deschamp

AREA OF AURIFEROUS LANDS INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Area.		Description.
		Acres.		
Gunbower ¹	Macorna	20		Forfeited 49th section holding of Margaret Mitchell
Dalhousie ¹	Redcastle	20		Forfeited 49th section holding of Elias L. Babbage
Grenville ¹	Ballaarat	5		Allotment 5A, section Q, forfeited 49th section holding of late Thomas Whyatt
Evelyn ¹	Greensborough	20		Allotment 34B, section A, forfeited 49th section holding of Margaret Blacker

AREA OF AURIFEROUS LANDS DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.		Description.
		Acres.		
Bogong	Tangambalanga	20		Now block 7, section 16
Talbot	Creswick	8		Now block Y ¹²
Evelyn	Greensborough	18		Now block 36G, section A
		13		Now block 12A, section C
		19		Now block 20A, section C
		20		Now block 16, section D

¹ All applications must be lodged with the Land Officer for the district in which the land is situated, and such applications so lodged before or on the 25th June, 1897, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made. *Note.*—Incoming selector to pay value of improvements (if any) on these blocks.

² Available under section 32 only.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

TEMPORARY MANAGEMENT OF A WATER RESERVE.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the *Water Act 1890* it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time, by Proclamation, place under the temporary management and control of, or may absolutely vest in, any Waterworks Trust any public water reserve or any waterworks, stream, or reservoir, either on any Crown lands, or begun, constructed, or provided for by any moneys provided by Parliament before or after the passing of the said Act: Provided, however, that notice of intention to make such Proclamation shall be advertised, for a period of at least one month previously to the making thereof, in the *Government Gazette* and in some newspaper generally circulating in the neighbourhood of the property to be vested by such Proclamation: Now therefore I, the

Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, in exercise of the power conferred by the said Act (notice of intention having been duly advertised), do hereby place under the temporary management and control of the Lowan Shire Waterworks Trust the Water Reserve herein described, that is to say:—

TARRANGINNIE.—Ten acres, county of Lowan, parish of Tarranginnie, being the land temporarily reserved by Order of the 3rd March, 1897, as a site for Water Supply purposes, and described in the *Government Gazette* of the 19th March, 1897, page 1150.—(96.C.2183.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Vermine Destruction Act 1890, No. 1153.
SPARROWS DECLARED TO BE VERMIN IN THE SHIRE OF LAWLOIT.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies. &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by section 3 of the *Vermine Destruction Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1153), it is amongst other things enacted that vermin shall include rabbits, foxes, wallabies, dingoes, and dogs run wild or at large, and shall also include any kind of animal or bird which the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, declare to be vermin for the purposes of the said Act: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this my Proclamation declare sparrows to be vermin within the boundaries of the Shire of Lawloit.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this eighth day of June, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) By His Excellency's Command, **BRASSEY.**

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
 GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PASTORAL ALLOTMENT AVAILABLE.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Two p.m. of Monday, 28th June, 1897, for the Right to Lease of the undermentioned Pastoral Allotment.

All applications received at this office prior to that hour on the day above mentioned will be deemed to have been received simultaneously.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands Department,
 Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

County.	Allotment.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Gazetted Assessment per annum.
Anglesey ¹	K	Acres. 6,330	£ s. d. 15 0 0

¹ Existing improvements belong to the Crown, and lessee will have no claim with respect to such improvements, nor will any valuation for same be allowed at the termination of lease.

² Lease to contain a condition that neither the lessee, his heirs, executors, administrators, nor assigns shall be entitled to select any portion of the demised land.

LEASES.—TRANSFERS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

RETURN showing all Transfers registered at the Office of Titles of Leases issued under Section 20 of *The Land Act 1869*, corresponding sections under subsequent Acts, and Sections 32 and 44 of the Land Acts 1884 and 1890 for the following period.

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Corr. No.	Name of Transferor.	Name and Address of Transferee.	Particulars of Land Transferred.				Receiver of Revenue at—
			Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Extent.	
							A. R. P.
Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of May, 1897.							
17242	Jno. Macdonald ...	Alex. Macdonald, Tamleugh ...	Tamleugh	9 ¹ / ₉ A ...	...	192 1 33	Shepparton
17240	Patk. Hanneberry ...	John Hanneberry, Karramonus ...	Karramonus	23 ...	C	319 3 39	"
10750	Irrigable Estates Co. ...	Donald McIvor, Tragowel ...	Tragowel	Pt. 140 ...	...	199 2 10	Kerang
3332	Ltd.					215 3 38	
5581	J. Cullinan ...	A. J. Hammond, E. Hammond, F. J. W. Hammond, T. Hammond, A. Hammond, and Alex. Hammond, Waranga	Waranga	103 ...	...	160 0 6	Rushworth
14350	A. Challenger ...	Jno. A. Schultz, Strathmerton ...	Strathmerton	17 ...	B	239 3 39	Numurkah
12900	Jno. Masterson and Thos. Nolan	John Masterson, Poowong East ...	Poowong East	46B ...	...	218 3 20	Warragul
9432	A. Newman ...	Thomas Newman, Landsborough ...	Whirily	34 ...	...	234 0 0	Wycheproof
13612	David Reid ...	Albert Barnes, Kewell East ...	Kewell East	212, 212A, 212B ...	...	210 3 32	Horsham
1817	Jno. Hutchison ...	Richard Witton, Delegate, N.S.W.	Cabanandra	7A ...	B	317 0 16	Bairnsdale
7173	D. Irvin ...	John Irvin, Wycheproof ...	Bunguluke	25 ...	B	319 3 2	Wycheproof
5085	H. Martin ...	Marion Lane, Cobram ...	Cobram	89, 90, 91, 92 ...	...	320 0 0	Yarrowong
8061	N. M. Briggs ...	Mary Eliza Bailey, Colac Colac ...	Cudgewa	5 ...	9	163 2 26	Tallangatta
8160	E. J. Brown ...	Reuben S. Sheather, Cudgewa ...	Wabba	12 ...	14	147 1 33	"
8128	H. W. Hunt ...	Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Co. Ltd.	Duchembegarra	11 ...	14	319 0 18	Horsham
9112				18 ...	A	167 3 23	
2647	A. J. Hill ...	Jane Grant, Toosan ...	Toosan	31A ...	...	99 0 34	"
2631	H. Watkins ...	Edwd. Strubling, Euroa ...	Branjee	25C ...	...	61 3 0	Euroa
17049	F. A. Jacobson ...	Ovens and Murray Dairy Company Limited	Norong	11 ...	4	319 3 10	Rutherglen
7262				Pt. 1 ...	O	0 1 0	
9001	James Lee, jun. of Colonial Bank of Australasia Ltd.	The Minister of Education ...	Yonarang	Pt. 28 ...	A	0 1 0	Tungamah
53/44	Robert Forster	James Lang, Glengarry ...	Toongabbie South	127H ...	...	20 0 6	Traralgon
1661/44	H. Robart	Sydney Head, Lang Lang ...	Lang Lang	51 ...	...	80 0 0	Melbourne
1616/44		Francis Edwards, Western Port ...	Wonthaggi	55 ...	...	76 0 1	"
502/32	J. A. Dorron	Her Majesty the Queen ...	Wau Wauka	Pt. C ...	...	104 1 33	Bairnsdale
2185/32	A. Blew ...	Fredk. A. Stevens, Whitelaw ...	Kongwak	30A ...	...	181 0 0	Melbourne
8651/32	F. E. Ramsden	Mary Louisa Ramsden, Skene's Creek	Wongarra	29 ...	...	486 0 0	Colac
460/32	P. Duncan	Mary Croot, Tallangatta ...	Keelangie	31A ...	...	28 0 0	Tallangatta
4350/32	A. Forbes ...	David Hayes, Yarck ...	Dropmore	43B ...	...	385 0 0	Yea
2615/32	Wm. Smith	James McNea, jun., Tubbut ...	Tubbut	26 ...	...	576 0 0	Bairnsdale
1767/32	C. E. Hattersley	Jno. Geo. Hattersley, Yackandandah	Yackandandah	B ...	...	183 0 0	Yackandandah
4736/32	E. McCarthy	Sam. D. Symons, Leongatha ...	Doomburrim	66 ...	...	320 0 0	Warragul
4814/32	H. Kothe	Albert Kothe, Wodonga ...	Wodonga	30 ...	...	356 0 0	Wodonga
13279/32	W. H. Sach	Emma C. Williams, Sand Hill Lake	Budgerum West	2A ...	...	264 0 0	Kerang
967/32	A. Andrews	Rebecca Arthur, Coburg ...	Tarcombe	66B ...	...	465 0 0	Seymour
4947/32							
1605/32							
1876/32							
10/32							

Land Acts.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Licences having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue, Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
							Payment.	Survey Charge to revenue except where otherwise ordered.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		A. R. P.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 42 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.—Payment to be made half-yearly.											
771	Peter W. J. Hardy ¹	46 0 0	Gobarup	31		1.5.97	1 3 0	1 0 0	2 3 0	1 0 0	Rushworth
Under Section 99 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.											
2338	John W. Gilbert	0 0 30½	Korunbarra	30	C	1.1.97	1 0 0		1 0 0	1 0 0	Melbourne
Under Section 123 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.											
	William Wheeler, jun. ²	3,500 0 0	Wabba and Nariel (Block 7020)			1.6.97	18 9 2	0 5 0	20 5 0	0 5 0	Talangatta
	Stephen Waldon ³	3,000 0 0	Barwidgee and Mudgongga (Block 3907)			"	5 10 9	0 5 0	6 5 0	0 5 0	Bright
	John McNamara ³	1,600 0 0	Nariel			"	6 13 4	0 5 0	7 9 6	0 5 0	Talangatta
	John Stephens ³	10,500 0 0	Gundowring and Tallandoon (Block 7023A)			"	4 14 7	0 5 0	5 7 6	0 5 0	Yackandandah
	F. G. Briggs and N. Smith ³	2,000 0 0	Block 3095			1.3.97	5 10 9	0 5 0	6 0 0	0 5 0	"
	John Taylor, jun. ³	10 0 0	Wondoomarook			1.1.97	0 2 6	0 5 0	0 5 10s	0 5 0	Erebus
13370	A. J. Hamlin	20 0 0	Panyalyal			1.1.97	1 0 0	0 5 0	0 10 0s	0 5 0	Hamilton
12705	John Smith ³	8 0 0	Mooderr			1.6.97	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 13 8s	0 5 0	St. Arnaud
12706	Jas. Hieky	780 0 0	Saacombe			1.12.96	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 19 7s	0 5 0	Sale
12707	John O'Neil, jun.	20,000 0 0	Purgoolah and Goolgook			1.5.97	4 0 0	0 5 0	0 18 4s	0 5 0	Barnsdale
	Thos. Granville ³	288 0 0	Jirrah			1.6.97	1 12 3	0 5 0	2 0 0	0 5 0	"

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 21st May, 1897, p. 1975.

² Amount paid.

³ Expires 30th June, 1898.

⁴ For three months only. Expired 31st March, 1897.

June 11, 1897.

Settlement on Lands Act 1893, Section 5.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following applications for Leases under Section 5 of the Settlement on Lands Act 1893 having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When lease is ready for execution lessee will be duly advised.

Corr. No.	Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Lease Fee.	Half-yearly Instalment of Survey Fee.	Yearly Instalment of Aid Advanced.	Total to Pay.	Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1898	1.1.97	Rogerson, Chas.	Shepparton	5 1 11	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 0 0	0 12 0	1/467 Shepparton
370	"	Weatherly, Jno.	Sarsfield	3 0 31	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 0 0	2 11 0	1/541 Bairsdale
804	"	Rourke, Jno.	"	3 0 0	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 10 6	1/489 "
805	"	Aves, Henry	"	3 0 0	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 10 6	1/463 "
829	"	McLennan, Jno.	"	3 0 0	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 11 0	1/363 "
384	"	Haggart, A.	"	3 0 2	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 12 6	1/197 Harrow
384	"	Wrennwood, Thos., sen.	"	6 0 17	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 0 0	2 12 6	1/215 "
6986	"	White, Family	Gaucoo Gaucoo	15 1 13	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 1 0	0 19 0	3/561 Harrow
1000	"	Holt, Thomas	"	16 3 27	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 18 0	1 16 6	2/257 Yarrowonga
2816	"	White, B. J.	Bundalong	10 0 15	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	1 0 0	2 2 0	2/551 "
2816	"	Sullivan, Thos.	"	4 3 5	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 5 0	0 4 0	1 10 6	1 16 6	1/667 "
1504	"	Murray, O. J.	"	10 1 9	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 0 0	2 15 6	1/639 Rosedale
1461	"	Kenyon, W.	"	7 1 31	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	1 1 3 0	1 16 0	1/267 Echuca
1031	"	Bradford, W.	Echuca North	20 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	1/190 Nhill
1150	"	Clea, Harry	Kaniva	9 1 17	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	1 1 0	1 15 0	1/787 Melbourne
2004	"	Terrick, Abel	Gracedale	18 2 26	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 5 0	0 6 0	1 9 0	2 6 6	2/619 Rushworth
695	"	Watt, Jno.	Corop	19 3 6	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	1 13 0	2 9 0	1/655 Yarrowonga
2038	"	Bolton, James	Bundalong	11 3 36	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	1 12 0	2 4 0	1/771 "
2938	"	Wollers, P.	"	5 0 36	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	2 8 0	3 3 0	1/677 Daylesford
1459	"	Kirkpatrick, A.	Bullarto	9 1 18	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 8 0	3 3 0	3/275 Harrow
1241	1.10.96	Dixon, Elizabeth, M.	Gaucoo Gaucoo	19 3 10	0 10 0	1 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	1 12 0	3 2 0	3/143 "

Department of Lands and Survey
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

June 11, 1897.

Land Act 1890, Sections 2 and 44.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When lease is ready for execution lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extern.	Conditions—How complied with.						Amount to be Collected.						Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—			
				Fencing.		Cultivation.		Other Improvements.		Total.		Residence.		Rent Payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.		Fees.		Total to pay.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1.10.95	Robert H. Thompson	...	30 0 3	5 0 0	...	44 0 0	49 0 0	Yes	...	0 15 6	2 13 0	1 1 1	4 13 0	St. Arnaud	8984				
Under Section 20 of The Land Act 1890 as amended by The Land Act 1878.																			
Under Section 44 of the Land Act 1890.																			
7	Fredk. G. Shaw	...	45 2 13	15 0 0	...	57 0 0	72 0 0	Yes	...	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 1 1	3 3 0	Yarram	1670				
1.1.94	Carl A. Menzel	...	49 3 35	36 0 0	...	85 0 0	86 0 0	Yes	...	1 5 0	8 15 0	1 1 1	10 15 0	Nhill					
1.7.95	Jno. G. McConachie	...	319 2 38	153 0 0	...	176 0 0	336 0 0	Yes	...	8 0 0	32 0 0	1 1 1	34 0 0	Stawell					
"	Edwd. Silke	...	108 0 31	64 0 0	...	49 0 0	113 0 0	Yes	...	2 14 6	10 18 0	1 1 1	12 18 0	Dunolly					

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

1 9s. overpaid under licence credited.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 85.

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE FOR SWAMP LAND APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Lease for Swamp Land under Section 85 of the Land Act 1890 having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent and Fee specified may be received by the undermentioned Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue. Payments to be made quarterly.

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Area.	Parish.	Block.	Section.	Date of Lease.	Term.	Payment.	Survey Charge.	Fee for Lease.	Total Amount of First Payment.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
2614	Amanda B. McCarthy and Josephine McCarthy	63 Acres.	Coadah	5	12	9.1.97	21 years	£ s. d. 7 5 9	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£ s. d. ...	Portland

1 This lease has now been revoked.

2 Rent paid credited.

June 11, 1897.

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Land Act 1890, Sections 2 and 32.

LEASES UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE LAND ACTS 1884 AND 1890 SURRENDERED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Leases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have been surrendered for the reasons specified in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District.	Corr. No.	Name.	Parish.	Block.	Area.	Reason.
					Acres.	
Benalla	3532	Francis J. Peach	Yielma	116	66	To issue an amended lease
"	2254	Daniel Crosbie	Marraveeny and Wondoomarook	61 and 40	338	To issue an amended lease
"	3963	Margaret A. Young	Mokoan	69c	130	To issue licence under section 42
Kerang	791	Charles Helms	Bael Bael	28	190	To issue licence under section 42
"	708	William T. Gregory	Meering	34A	48	To issue licence under section 42
Seymour	3943	Emily M. Wallis	Worrough	26A	155	To issue licence under section 42
Geelong	3663	William Rasmussen	Timboon	68	119	To issue licence under section 42
Melbourne	13160	Henry R. Mills	Jindivick	115b	225	To issue licence under section 42
"	14865	George B. Gammon	Tarrawarra	37	157	To issue licence under section 42

Land Act 1890, Section 85.

LEASE UNDER SECTION 85 OF THE LAND ACT 1890 REVOKED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Lease mentioned in the Schedule hereunder has been revoked for the reason specified.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Leased.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated—	Reason for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
					A. R. P.			
Hamilton	2614	Amanda B. McCarthy and Josephine McCarthy	85	Condah	62 0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	11.5.97	Non-payment of rent	Portland

Land Act 1890, Section 2.

RENEWAL OF LICENCES APPROVED.

THE Renewal of Licences to the undermentioned persons having been approved, the Fees specified in each case may be received by the Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected		Payable to Receiver and Land Officer at—
					Yearly Payment.	Fee for Licence.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
<i>Under Section 49 of The Land Act 1869.</i>							
2591	Reach, Jno.	20 0 0	Kurraca	1.2.94	0 2 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 2 6	Wedderburne 27.8
830	Rinder, A. W.	20 0 0	"	"	0 2 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 2 6	" 22.8

¹ Reduced to nominal rental.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 99.

RENEWAL OF LICENCES FOR THE YEAR 1897 APPROVED.

IT is hereby notified that the Renewal of Licences under Section 99 of the *Land Act 1890* for the year 1897 to the undermentioned persons has been approved, the rent specified having been paid in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No. of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.		Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Payment.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
<i>Under Section 99 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.</i>							
604	Herman Groth: garden site	3 0 0	Euroa	1.1.97	1 10 0	1 10 0	Euroa
603	Ellen J. Groth: garden site	3 0 0	"	"	1 10 0	1 10 0	"
602	Alex. H. Groth: garden site	3 0 0	"	"	1 10 0	1 10 0	"
1950	Eliza Watt	2 1 22	Rochester	"	1 0 0	1 0 0	Rochester
548	Kate Marchioni: garden	3 0 0	Lockwood	"	1 0 0	1 0 0	Bendigo 165
1022	H. W. Buckland: bathing box	...	Puebla	"	0 10 0	0 10 0 ¹	Geelong 28

¹ Rent increased.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUE OF CROWN GRANTS.

Corr. No.	Name.	Area.	Parish.	Date of Payment.	Amount Collected.				Paid to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Balance.	Grant Fee.	Assurance Fee.	Total Amount.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under section 7 Amending Land Act 1865.									
74/36845q	John Cook	50 0 0	Stewarton	27.5.97	0 1 0 ¹	0 1 0 ¹	0 1 0	0 1 0	Melbourne
Under Section 20 of the The Land Act 1869 as amended by The Land Act 1873.									
2684	A. R. Seaton and H. Baker (executors of late Forbes G. Seaton)	129 2 4	Alexandra	21.5.97	16 5 0	1 6 0	5 5	17 16 5	Alexandra 2/474
8053	J. F. Bedwell	320 0 0	Ulupna	"	8 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 10	Numurkah 4/26
14036	R. Brenion	76 0 0	Drummanure	25.3.97	9 10 0	1 6 0	3 2	10 19 2	" 6/24
2529	J. Dorman	312 0 0	Loddon	26.3.97	7 16 0	1 11 6 ²	13 0 ³	10 0 6	Kerang 1/156
3965	R. J. Wakeman	214 0 0	Mincha West	26.5.97	21 8 0	1 6 0	8 11	23 2 11	" 1/559
3964	R. J. Wakeman	320 0 0	"	"	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	" 2/558
5177	A. and E. Edwards	47 2 20	Dartagook	"	14 8 0	1 1 0	2 0	15 11 0	Bentigo 3/165
4513	A. and E. Edwards	151 2 17	"	"	25 12 0	1 6 0	6 4	28 4 4	" 3/164
5313	A. and E. Edwards (executrix and executor of T. Edwards)	83 1 0	"	"	23 2 0	1 6 0	3 6	24 11 6	" 3/163
4515	A. and E. Edwards	168 1 10	"	"	33 15 0	1 6 0	7 1	35 8 1	" 3/164
4572	Ann and E. Edwards (executrix and executor of Thos. Edwards)	118 1 26	"	"	23 16 0	1 6 0	5 0	25 7 0	" 2/164
4575	Ann and E. Edwards (executrix and executor of Thos. Edwards)	201 2 3	"	"	35 1 6	1 6 0	8 5	36 15 11	" 2/165
747	R. B. F. Bush	75 3 33	Jamieson	24.2.97	3 16 0	1 6 0 ⁴	3 2 ⁵	5 5 2	Jamieson 1/40
17034	M. W. Lane	18' 3 14	Cobram	4.6.97	7 12 0	1 1 0	0 10	8 13 10	Melbourne 8/306
15044	M. W. Lane	52 0 22	"	"	17 4 6	1 6 0	2 3	18 12 9	" 6/288
11003	M. W. Lane	99 3 30	"	"	15 0 0	1 6 0	4 2	16 10 2	" 5/287
16296	W. Coleman	199 3 37	Lurg	29.5.97	75 0 0	1 6 0	8 4	76 14 4	" 7/96
2638	H. Milvain	249 3 38	Benjeroop	"	56 5 0	1 6 0	10 5	58 1 5	" 3/320
15622	H. K. Lambourne	320 0 0	Yielima	26.5.97	88 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	90 4 10	" 6/288
7030	H. K. Lambourne	320 0 0	"	"	40 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	42 4 10	" 4/278
1981	D. Walker	200 0 23	Verematong	25.5.97	5 0 6	1 6 0	8 5	6 14 11	Bright 2/522
828	Gilmour John	319 3 34	Traawool	20.5.97	24 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	26 4 10	Seymour 3/413
5746	Thomas Smith	34 0 17	Moyreisk	27.5.97	1 15 0	1 1 0	1 6	2 17 6	Avoca 3/354
35867	William Young	118 0 0	Tottington	28.5.97	2 19 0	1 6 0	4 11	4 9 11	St. Arnaud 1/571
289	Patrick Carton	240 0 0	Laen	27.5.97	54 0 0	1 6 0	10 0	55 16 0	Donald 2/101
1015	George McKechnie	213 2 33	Wycheproof	25.5.97	21 8 0	1 6 0	8 11	23 2 11	Melbourne 5/152
4601	William Peter	319 0 13	Glenloth	14.5.97	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	Melbourne 5/227
435	A. W. Harkness	108 0 27	Eeklin	25.5.97	9 18 6	1 6 0	4 7	11 9 1	Terang 1/240
8762	Jas. Huffer	81 0 0	Willung	29.5.97	36 9 0	1 6 0	3 5	37 18 5	Rosedale 3/240
8768	Jas. Huffer	59 0 20	"	"	30 0 0	1 6 0	2 6	31 8 6	" 3/241
3722	E. Crinigan	301 2 13	Maryvale	18.5.97	37 12 6	1 11 6	12 7 ⁴	39 16 7	Morwell 2/125
5096	Jno. Roberts	318 0 14	Moe	28.5.97	7 19 6	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 4	Melbourne 3/307
12153	W. S. Bann	260 2 15	Dumbalk	29.5.97	117 9 0	1 6 0	10 11	119 5 11	" 4/49
5336	Arthur Penny	319 3 19	Dunmunkle	25.5.97	88 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	90 4 10	Horsbarn 93.4/10971/441/7
4801	Jno. Hann	224 0 0	Ni Ni	20.5.97	5 12 0	1 6 0	9 4	7 7 4	Nhill 96.7/1989/526/2
6008	P. J. Croot	320 0 0	Peecheamber	14.5.97	80 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	82 4 10	Melbourne 96.7/10009/209/4
6333	P. J. Croot	320 0 0	"	"	88 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	90 4 10	Melbourne 96.7/10009/224/4
Under section 44 of the Land Act 1890.									
1609	Geo. A. Rohlk	1134 3 0	Gruyere	26.5.97	84 7 6	1 6 0	5 8	85 19 2	Melbourne 1/237
Under section 18 of the Land Act 1890.									
758	George Pullman	20 0 0	Moyreisk	18.5.97	2 10 0	1 1 0	1 0	4 12 0 ⁵	Avoca 1/213
828	Alexr. Ross	20 0 0	Kooreh	26.5.97	8 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	10 1 10 ⁵	St. Arnaud 1/226
1735	Wm. Hayes	20 0 0	Goornong	22.5.97	2 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	4 1 10 ⁵	Bentigo 1/103
1263	Janet Cameron	20 0 0	Dalyenong	21.5.97	2 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	4 1 10 ⁵	St. Arnaud 1/272

¹ £1 fee for Crown grant and 2s. 1d. assurance, paid at Benalla, 19.9.72. £12 10s. penalty, paid at Melbourne, 27.5.97.

² Amount paid, Kerang, 26.5.97.

³ Amount paid at Jamieson, 28.5.97.

⁴ Fees paid on 1.6.97.

⁵ Includes £1 certificate fee.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Settlement on Lands Act 1893, Sections 5 and 20.

PERMITS UNDER SECTIONS 5 AND 20 OF THE SETTLEMENT ON LANDS ACT 1893 REVOKED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Permits have been revoked.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Corr. No.	Name.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Situation.	Pay Office.
				Acres.		
1907/20	J. Telfer	12	...	50	Coongulmerang	Bairnsdale
2397/5	Annie H. Hitchins	14	C	19	Naerim East	Warragul
6619/5	M. J. Rosney	78	...	20	Yallock	Melbourne
3467/5	R. Kelly	22	U	16	Koo-wee-rup East	"
4493/5	G. D. Leithhead	2	R	5	"	"
6726/5	W. Scannlan	32	L	20	Koo-wee-rup	"
3045/5	J. Burtenshaw	29	I	10	Monbulk	"

Settlement on Lands Act 1895, Section 5.

PERMITS TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Permits to occupy Crown lands have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Rents specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No. of Permit.	Name.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Date of Permit.	Amount to be Collected.		Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
							Payment.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		A. R. P.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 5 of the Settlement on Lands Act 1895.—Payment to be made half-yearly.									
5028	George Alder	19 3 30	Dimboola	46	...	1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Dimboola
5164	George Berry	9 2 30	Korumburra (at Strzelecki)	6	8	1.5.97	0 2 6	0 2 6	Warragul
35	Harry Barns ¹	14 1 15	Korumburra	3 & 4	3	1.10.93	0 3 9	0 3 9	"
5172	Ellen Blomeley ²	20 0 0	Yarrowyah (at Koonoonoo)	4 & 5	3	1.5.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Numurkah
2122	C. J. Crawford ³	15 0 0	Bundalong	11, 12, & 13	B	1.1.94	0 3 9	0 3 9	Yarrowong
1339	Francis Gossler ⁴	15 2 26	Korumburra	8 & 11	4	1.10.93	0 4 0	0 4 0	Warragul
4406	Samuel Hodder ⁵	10 0 2	Monbulk	29	B	1.8.95	0 2 9	0 2 9	Melbourne
7501	William Lowe	20 0 0	Koo-wee-rup East	122	O	1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
571	Alexander Mackay ⁶	10 1 20	Korumburra	5	4	1.4.94	0 2 9	0 2 9	Warragul
6303	James McGann ⁷	17 1 5	"	14	5	1.5.97	0 4 6	0 4 6	"
6226	Maxwell McRady	10 0 12	Scoresby	60	A	1.6.94	0 2 9	0 2 9	Melbourne
6645	John H. Russell ⁸	12 3 26	Kaniva	20	A	1.5.97	0 3 3	0 3 3	Nhill
7844	James Stewart ⁹	19 3 37	Koo-wee-rup East	75	O	1.1.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Melbourne
6845	James Tulloch ¹⁰	6 2 31	Bairnsdale (Eagle Point)	43	...	1.5.97	0 1 9	0 1 9	Bairnsdale
6798	William White	13 3 15	Bairnsdale (Raymond Island)	57	...	"	0 3 6	0 3 6	"
6644	Joseph Rows ¹¹	20 0 0	Korumburra	7 & 8	1	1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Warragul
5055	Frank S. Booth ¹²	9 3 0	Greenhills (Condah Swamp)	18	21	1.1.97	0 2 6	0 2 6	Portland
6434	Daniel O'Riordan	12 1 36	Rosedale	5	3	1.5.97	0 3 3	0 3 3	Rosedale
5976	Charles King ¹³	5 0 10	Sale	35 42	D A	"	0 1 6	0 1 6	Sale
6763	William Southon ¹⁴	19 0 19	Bairnsdale (Raymond Island)	54	...	"	0 5 0	0 5 0	Bairnsdale
6849	Albert Thurlow	18 3 37	Darnum (Yarragon)	128	15	"	0 4 9	0 4 9	Warragul
5372	Charlotte Carter ¹⁵	19 3 4	Kaniva	2	A	"	0 5 0	0 5 0	Nhill
5168	John Bowden ¹⁶	86 2 28	Tyntynder West	6	3	"	0 10 11	0 10 11	Kerang
5019	William J. Adams ¹⁷	14 1 13	Tooaan (Arapiles)	13	...	1.1.97	0 3 9	0 3 9	Horsham
5340	Marta Cross ¹⁸	7 3 18	Branxholme (Condah Swamp)	40	12	1.5.97	0 2 0	0 2 0	Hamilton
7911	John Thomas ⁶	11 0 19	Scoresby	45	A	1.1.94	0 3 0	0 3 0	Melbourne
1706	Henry E. Nodrum ¹⁹	18 1 14	Katamatite	27 & 28	...	1.7.94	0 4 9	0 4 9	Yarrowong
4283	G. A. Ehlers ²⁰	16 2 18	Colbinabbin	1, 6, & 25	...	1.1.94	0 4 3	0 4 3	Kushworth
5781	Joseph N. Holland ²¹	11 2 27	Shepparton	42, 43, & 44	...	1.5.96	0 3 0	0 3 0	Shepparton
6647	Catherine Ruttle ²²	20 0 0	Echuca North	27E	...	1.5.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Echuca

¹ In lieu of permit for allotment 4 of section 3, which is hereby cancelled. Barns is to be debited with £10 3s. for improvements on allotment 3 of section 3, which was formerly held by T. M. Watts (6888/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 12th February, 1897, p. 597. Rents paid by Barns to be credited.

² Mrs. Blomeley is to be debited with £5, being the amount of monetary aid granted to her late son John H. Blomeley (²), the previous holder of the allotment, whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 13th December, 1895, p. 4338.

³ In lieu of permit for allotments 11 and 12 of section B, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited.

⁴ In lieu of permit for allotment 8 of section 4, which is hereby cancelled. Gossler is to be debited with £20 2s. for improvements on allotment 11 of section 4, which was formerly held by T. M. Watts (6888/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 12th February, 1897, p. 597. Rents paid by Gossler to be credited.

⁵ Hodder is to be debited with £25 for improvements on this allotment, which was formerly held by M. O'Connor (⁷), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 15th January, 1897, p. 123.

⁶ This permit is hereby cancelled.

⁷ McGann is to be debited with £45 for improvements on this allotment, which was formerly held by J. Jones (²), whose permit is hereby cancelled.

⁸ Russell is to be debited with £20 for improvements on this allotment, which was formerly held by G. Case (¹), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 19th March, 1897, p. 1168.

⁹ In lieu of permit for allotment 1A of section B, Koo-wee-rup East, which is hereby cancelled. Stewart is not to be debited with monetary aid received on allotment 1A of section B.

¹⁰ This allotment was formerly held by A. Mathieson (1585/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 30th August, 1895.

¹¹ Rows is to be debited with £12 for improvements on allotment 8, which was formerly held by A. King (⁴), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 9th October, 1896.

¹² In lieu of permit dated 1st July, 1895, for the same land, which is hereby cancelled.

¹³ Subject to a liability of £11 for improvements effected by W. H. Smith (3694/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 26th March, 1897.

¹⁴ Subject to a liability of £8 for improvements effected by G. B. Dymond (5465/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 6th March, 1896.

¹⁵ Subject to a liability of £12 for improvements effected by B. Hill (4384/5), whose permit is hereby cancelled.

¹⁶ Subject to a liability of £4 10s. for improvements.

¹⁷ In lieu of permit for allotment 20, which is hereby cancelled. Subject to a liability of £8 for aid advanced to William Adams (3008/5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette* of 19th March, 1897.

¹⁸ In lieu of permit issued to Harold Cross (5340/5), which is hereby cancelled.

¹⁹ In lieu of permit dated 1st January, 1894, for the same land, which is hereby cancelled.

²⁰ In lieu of permit for allotments 1 and 25, gazetted 6th March, 1896, which is hereby cancelled. Aid advanced on those allotments is to be debited, and rents paid to be credited. Subject to a liability of £12 for improvements effected on allotment 6 by J. Brown (1113/5), whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette* of 18th September, 1896.

²¹ In lieu of permit gazetted 27th November, 1896, for allotments 43 and 44, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited.

²² Subject to a liability of £39 for aid advanced to J. W. Ruttle 3816/5, whose permit is hereby cancelled.

Land Acts.

PERMIT TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANT.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Permit to occupy Crown lands has been issued to the following approved applicant, and that the Rent and Fee specified may be received by the undermentioned Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Licence or Lease.	Name of Licensee or Lessee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Date of Licence or Lease.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
						Payment.	Fee for Licence or Lease.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		A. R. P.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 42 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> as amended by the <i>Land Act 1891</i> .—Payment to be made half-yearly.									
294	George Hunter Crawford	140 0 0	Weeaprounah ...	21	1.6.97	3 10 0	1 0 0	4 10 0	Colac

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Purchase Money and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—	
			Purchase Money.	Fees.			Total to pay.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Under Section 76 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .									
William McGauchie ...	Goorong ...	3 1 24	11 18 0	1 1 0	...	0 0 6	12 19 6	Bendigo	Mc.40548
William McGauchie ...	"	6 2 16	23 2 0	1 1 0	...	0 1 0	24 4 0	"	Mc.40549
Under Section 428 of the <i>Local Government Act 1890</i> .									
George Mackay ...	Korumburra...	15 3.23	17 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 9	19 1 9	Warragul	P.37844
Humphrey C. Dixon ...	Gisborne ...	1 2 0	5 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 3	7 1 3	Melbourne	T.5270
Under Section 102 of the <i>Local Government Act 1891</i> .									
Mrs. Amelia Hurst ...	Karyrie ...	0 0 16	2 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 1	4 1 1	Donald	B.8738

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 18.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Balance to complete the Purchase and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—	
			Balance to complete Purchase.	Fees.			Total to pay.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Under Section 18 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .									
Wm. Hourigan ...	Carraragarrungee	19 3 36	5 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 1 1	7 2 1 ¹	Wangaratta	1793/1/62
John Nolan ...	Buninyong ...	20 2 20	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 11	2 1 11 ²	Ballarat	398

¹ £20 rent paid credited.
² £22 2s. 6d. rent paid credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Section 32, Land Acts 1884 and 1890.

TRANSFER OF LEASEHOLDS.

THE Board of Land and Works has sanctioned the undermentioned Applications to Transfer Leaseholds under Section 32 of the Land Acts 1884 and 1890.

NOTE.—No Transfer will have any legal effect till same has been duly registered at the Office of Titles under the *Transfer of Land Act 1890*.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No. of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish	Date of Lease.	Term of Lease.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer fee, and where paid.	When payable to Revenue Officer at—
			A. R. P.				£ s. d.		
165	P. Bolger ...	Patk. L. Brennan	900 0 0	Wulla Wullock	1.1.88	11 years less 3 days	7 10 0	£1. Sale, 13.5.97	Sale 1/49
5150	Kate Maddock	John Maddock	37 0 0	Tangambalanga	1.7.94	4½ years less 3 days	0 9 4	£1. Melbourne, 6.4.97	Yackandandah

June 11, 1897.

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Land Acts.

TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Transfer of Licences under the 49th, 65th, and 99th sections of the Land Acts 1869, 1884, and 1890 respectively having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

No. of Licence.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Held under Section.	Date of Licence.	Yearly payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
			A. R. P.							£ s. d.
1362	G. Hintze ...	Gottlieb Hintze, jun.	20 0 0	Carlyle ...	65	1.5.88	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 11.5.97	Rutherglen
1832	Sarah B. Shackthwaite	Jane Bell ...	20 0 0	Beaufort ...	65	1.3.92	1 0 0	10s., Ballarat, 24.4.97	Ballarat
737	S. R. Rothwell	A. J. Laver ...	20 0 0	Moondarra	65	1.10.95	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 21.5.97	Waihalla, 1/142
2544	Mary Monaghan	R. P. Symonds ...	3 0 0	Ballarat ...	99	1.1.94	1 0 0	£1, Ballarat, 31.5.97	Ballarat, 1/279
379	Martha E. Hives, now Harris	John Hives ...	20 0 0	Buninyong	49	1.1.76	0 2 6	10s., Ballarat, 30.4.97	Ballarat

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

HEARING OF REASONS AGAINST THE FORFEITURE OF CERTAIN LICENCES AND LEASES BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER 128TH SECTION OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that reasons against the forfeiture of the Licences and Leases in the Schedule hereto, which are deemed liable to forfeiture under the provisions of the Land Act 1890, will be publicly heard by the persons appointed by me, the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act, to hear the same and report thereon in writing to me, when the persons in the said Schedule mentioned as holders of such Licences and Leases will be allowed to show cause against the same at the places and on the dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and before the persons therein mentioned in the first and second columns respectively set opposite the names of said Licensees and Lessees.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the Land Act 1890.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

Schedule.

Place and Date of Hearing.	Persons appointed by the Minister.	No. of Licence or Lease.	Date of Licence or Lease.	Name of Licensee or Lessee.	Area.	Locality.
Benalla, 29th June, 1897 ...	E. T. Brennan, Esq. ...	1892/42	1.7.91	Elizh. Willcock ...	320	Toorour
		17754/20	1.4.89	Mary A. Sessions ...	240	Bobo
		3946/32	1.1.94	Alex. Weir ...	743	Moongag
Hamilton, 13th July, 1897...	Land Officer...	3636/32	1.7.91	Archd. Rossie ...	320	Woolpooer

Land Act 1890, Part II.

RENTS DUE ON MALLEE BLOCKS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1896.

LESSEES of Mallee Blocks are hereby notified that the Rents and Fees due for the half-year ended 31st December, 1896, are now payable at the Treasury, Melbourne, or at any Receipt and Pay Office. Payment to be made forthwith, as required by the 181st section.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

No. of Block.	Area in Square Miles.	Name of Lessee.	Average number of Stock depasturing for the half-year ended 31st December, 1896.		Amount Payable.	No. of Instalment.	Instalment of Survey Fee.	Total to pay.
			Sheep.	Cattle.				
41A	128	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,148	3	£ s. d. 16 0 0 ¹	26	£ s. d. 0 16 10	£ s. d. 16 16 10
41B	120	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,148	3	14 11 6	26	0 16 3	15 7 9
42A	141	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,147	3	14 11 3	26	0 18 3	15 9 6
42B	134	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,147	3	16 15 0 ¹	26	0 17 7	17 12 7
65A	83	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,147	2	14 9 9	26	0 18 10	14 18 7
70A	54	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,147	2	14 9 9	...	...	14 9 9
70B	53	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Coy. Ltd.	1,147	2	14 9 9	...	...	14 9 9

¹ Minimum rate.

Land Act 1890, Part II.

TRANSFERS OF LEASES OF MALLEE ALLOTMENTS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

It is hereby notified that the Leases of Mallee Allotments specified in the Schedule hereunder have been registered at the Office of Titles.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Allot.	County.	Area.	Name of Former Lessee.	Name of Present Lessee.	Rent per Annum of transferred portion.	Date from which Rent is payable.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
1.7.90	224	Karkaroc	1 square mile 31 acres	Kiley, Patrick ...	Gould, William ...	£ s. d. 4 0 0	1.7.97	Warracknabeal
1.7.93	383	Tatchera	302 acres ...	Whitchell, Eustace James	Nesbitt, John ...	3 15 6	"	Swan Hill
1.7.91	463	Karkaroc	576 acres ...	Horne, James Henry	Somers, Henry ...	2 0 0	"	Warracknabeal
1.7.92	12a	Tatchera	305 acres ...	Taylor, Samuel, the elder	Wilkins, Thomas; Taylor, James Denis; Taylor, Samuel John; and Wallace, David James	2 0 0	"	Swan Hill
1.1.84	173c	Borong	320 acres ...	Dunstan, James ...	Dunstan, Henry ...	4 0 0	"	Donald
"	142b	"	1 square mile	Roberts, Francis Bart	Roberts, Samuel Bart	2 0 0	"	Warracknabeal
1.7.86	157b	"	499 acres ...	Cowan, John ...	Cruikshank, George	2 0 0	"	Donald
1.1.95	1059	Karkaroc	481 acres ...	Hastings, Joseph	Bond, Frederick William	6 0 4	1.7.95	Warracknabeal

Land Act 1890, Part II.

TRANSFERS OF LEASES OF PORTIONS OF MALLEE ALLOTMENTS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

It is hereby notified that the Leases of the portions of Mallee Allotments specified in the Schedule hereunder have been transferred at the Office of Titles.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Allot.	County	Area transferred.	Name of former Lessee.	Name of present Lessee.	Rent per Annum of transferred portion.	Date from which Rent is Payable	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
1.1.90	112A	Tatchera	634 acres ...	Sims, Sidney Samuel	Fithall, Ethel ...	£ s. d. 7 18 6	1st July, 1897	Kerang
"	112B	"	634 acres ...	Sims, Sidney Samuel	Rangott, August John	7 18 6	"	"

Land Act 1890, Part II.

REDUCTION OF AREA OF MALLEE ALLOTMENT.

It is hereby notified that the Area of the Mallee Allotment as hereunder has been reduced as specified, and Rent adjusted accordingly.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Allotment.	County.	Area as reduced.	Rent per annum, to commence from 1.7.97.	Pay Office—
1.1.90	Sims, Sidney Samuel	112	Tatchera	5 square miles 12 acres	£ s. d. 6 0 0	Kerang

Land Act 1890, Part II.

INCREASE OF RENT ON MALLEE ALLOTMENT.

It is hereby notified that the Rent on the Mallee Allotment as hereunder has been increased as specified, authority to cultivate the land having been granted.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Allotment.	County.	Area as reduced.	Rent per annum, to commence from 1.7.97.	Payable to the Receiver of Revenue at—
1.1.84	Smith, Henry Mackwood	2	Gladstone	1 square mile 193 acres	£ s. d. 10 8 4	Charlton

Mallee Lands Act 1886, Section 7.

ISSUE OF RESIDENCE LICENCES FOR MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

It is hereby notified that the Applications for Mallee Allotments named in the Schedule hereunder having been approved, the licences have been forwarded to the undermentioned Receivers of Revenue for execution upon payment of the rents and fees.

Applicants are required to execute and take delivery of their licences within sixty days after date of notice to pay first rent and fee.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

Schedule.

Date of Licence.	Name of Applicant.	Area.	Allotment.	Parish.	County.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—	
						Rent payable half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fee for Lease.	Vermis Rate.	Vermis District.		Total to pay.
		A. R. P.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
1.1.97	Watson, Francis John	455 3 29	5	Bimbourne	Karkaroc	11 8 0	11 8 0	1 0 0	0 4 0	North-Eastern	12 12 0	Warracknabeal
"	Trower, William	475 3 4	3	Tynnynder North	Tatchera	11 18 0	11 18 0	1 0 0	0 4 0	"	13 2 0	Swan Hill

Land Act 1880, Part II.

ISSUE OF LEASE FOR MALLEE ALLOTMENT.

It is hereby notified that the application for Mallee Allotment named in the Schedule hereunder having been approved, the lease has been forwarded to the undermentioned Receiver of Revenue for execution upon payment of the rent and fee. Applicants are required to execute and take delivery of their leases within 60 days after date of notice to pay first rent and fee.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Name of Applicant.	Allotment.	Area.	County.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—		
					Rent payable half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fee for Lease.	Vermis Rate.	Survey Fee.		Total to pay.	
			Acres.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
1.1.95	Prater, George Thomas	343	286	Tatchera	1 17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wycheproof

Note.—In lieu of notice gazetted 8.2.95, page 572. In that notice the half-yearly rent was incorrectly gazetted as £2 2s. 11d. Since such gazetted amounts totalling £9 4s. have been paid on account of rents. These amounts have now been correctly adjusted at rate of £1 17s. for each rent, thus making rents 1.1.95 and 1.7.96 paid in full = £7 8s., and balance, £1 16s., has been credited as portion of rent due 1.1.97.

Mallee Lands Act 1896.

MALLEE LANDS AVAILABLE FOR SELECTION UNDER SECTION 7 AS AGRICULTURAL ALLOTMENTS, EITHER UNDER LICENCE OR PERPETUAL LEASE.

A PPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, to select the undermentioned allotments, are now receivable.

Applications must be made on the forms issued for that purpose (which can be obtained at any Lands Office in the district or from the Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne), and forwarded to any Land Officer, accompanied by a certificate of registration to be obtained from any receiver and paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown
administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
774	640	Karkaroc
775	640	"
776	632	"
777	640	"
778	640	"
779	474	"
780	473	"
794	474	"
795	474	"
796	473	"
797	474	"
798	640	"
799	640	"
800	632	"
801	640	"
802	640	"
803	640	"
804	640	"
805	632	"
806	640	"
807	640	"
808	632	"
809	632	"
810	631	"
811	631	"
812	640	"
813	640	"
814	633	"
815	640	"
816	640	"
817	640	"
818	640	"
819	663	"
820	609	"
821	640	"
822	474	"
823	474	"
824	474	"
825	474	"
835	483	"
836	487	"
836A	487	"
837	586	"
838	613	"
839	602	"
840	376	"
841	797	"
842	841	"
843	641	"
844	639	"
845	639	"
846	639	"
847	632	"
848	639	"
849	639	"
850	474	"
851	473	"
853	474	"
854	640	"
855	640	"
856	633	"
857	641	"
858	641	"
859	642	"
860	640	"
861	826	"
862	640	"
863	640	"
865	472	"
866	477	"
868	474	"
869	475	"
871	474	"
878	480	"
879	477	"
880	512	"
881	508	"
883	641	"
884	641	"
885	803	"
886	640	"
887	638	"
889	639	"
890	632	"
891	640	"
892	640	"
893	474	"
894	474	"
895	473	"
896	474	"
897	468	"
898	467	"
899	468	"
900	468	"
901	632	"
902	632	"
903	625	"
904	622	"
905	623	"
906	623	"
907	631	"
909	642	"

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
675	628	Karkaroc
676	632	"
677	632	"
678	639	"
679	639	"
680	631	"
681	640	"
682	640	"
683	640	"
684	640	"
685	633	"
686	640	"
687	640	"
688	474	"
689	474	"
690	474	"
691	440	"
694	341	"
695	340	"
699	478	"
700	493	"
701	474	"
702	474	"
703	474	"
704	640	"
705	640	"
706	632	"
707	640	"
708	640	"
709	640	"
710	640	"
711	632	"
712	640	"
713	640	"
714	634	"
715	635	"
716	630	"
717	631	"
718	631	"
719	631	"
720	631	"
721	632	"
722	620	"
723	640	"
724	632	"
725	640	"
726	640	"
727	640	"
728	513	"
729	632	"
730	640	"
731	597	"
732	474	"
733	474	"
734	474	"
744	474	"
748	474	"
750	474	"
751	632	"
752	640	"
753	632	"
754	632	"
755	640	"
756	640	"
757	639	"
758	632	"
759	639	"
760	639	"
761	632	"
762	632	"
763	551	"
764	631	"
765	632	"
766	633	"
767	631	"
768	631	"
769	640	"
770	640	"
771	632	"
772	640	"
773	640	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
911	476	Karkaroc
912	438	"
928	476	"
931	347	"
932	762	"
933	646	"
934	639	"
935	640	"
936	639	"
937	632	"
938	639	"
939	639	"
940	474	"
942	413	"
943	474	"
944	474	"
945	443	"
946	475	"
947	474	"
948	640	"
949	639	"
950	633	"
951	639	"
952	640	"
953	581	"
954	631	"
955	719	"
957	635	"
971	449	"
977	611	"
978	630	"
979	714	"
980	699	"
981	689	"
982	679	"
983	669	"
984	655	"
985	655	"
986	604	"
987	477	"
988	474	"
989	469	"
990	468	"
1036	603	"
1037	666	"
1038	660	"
1039	655	"
1040	649	"
1041	644	"
1042	637	"
1043	630	"
1044	621	"
1045	612	"
1046	602	"
1047	592	"
1048	463	"
1049	452	"
1051	408	"
1052	374	"
1055	246	"
1065	480	"
1066	611	"
1067	641	"
1068	641	"
1069	641	"
1070	611	"
1071	641	"
1072	641	"
1073	641	"
1074	640	"
1075	640	"
1076	640	"
1077	640	"
1078	576	"
1079	555	"
1080	617	"
1081	616	"
1082	616	"
1083	616	"
1084	617	"
1085	616	"
1087	616	"
1088	616	"
1090	616	"
1091	343	"
1092	484	"
1093	481	"
1097	481	"
1130	481	"
1133	629	"
1134	606	"
1140	633	"
1141	633	"
1142	559	"
1144	632	"
1145	633	"
1146	617	"
1147	616	"
1148	632	"
1149	632	"
1150	617	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

Subdivisions of block 27B

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
1151	617	Karkaroc
1152	632	"
1153	632	"
1155	553	"
1156	562	"
1157	435	"
1158	532	"
1160	525	"
1163	520	"
1164	517	"
1165	516	"
1166	514	"
1167	512	"
1168	510	"
1174	499	"
1175	488	"
1179	480	"
1187	481	"
1189	481	"
1	613	Tatchera, parish of Piangil West
2	637	"
3	637	"
4	637	"
5	637	"
6	636	"
7	636	"
8	635	"
9	635	"
10	634	"
11	632	"
12	637	"
13	637	"
14	637	"
15	637	"
16	633	"
17	633	"
18	633	"
19	639	"
20	639	"
21	637	"
22	637	"
23	637	"
24	637	"
25	637	"
26	637	"
27	637	"
28	637	"
29	636	"
30	636	"
31	637	"
32	637	"
33	637	"
34	637	"
35	637	"
36	637	"
37	637	"
38	637	"
39	636	"
40	636	"
41	635	"
42	634	"
43	635	"
45	626	"
46	621	"
47	621	"
48	618	"
49	637	"
51	636	"
52	635	"
53	636	"
54	636	"
55	635	"
56	635	"
57	635	"
58	635	"
59	634	"
60	644	"
61	635	"
62	634	"
63	636	"
64	636	"
65	634	"
66	634	"
67	634	"
68	634	"
69	634	"
70	639	"
71	631	"
72	631	"
73	635	"
74	635	"
75	635	"
76	636	"
77	637	"
78	579	"
79	639	"
80	643	"
2	482	Tatchera, parish Piangil

Subdivisions of block 27A

Subdivisions of blocks 20A and 20B

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
3	481	Tatchera, parish of Piangli
4	481	"
5	482	"
6	480	"
7	480	"
11	478	"
12	479	"
13	479	"
14	480	"
15	480	"
16	480	"
17	482	"
18	482	"
19	481	"
20	481	"
21	480	"
22	480	"
23	480	"
27	478	"
28	478	"
29	477	"
30	476	"
31	477	"
32	476	"
35	475	"
34	483	"
35	486	"
36	486	"
37	485	"
38	487	"
39	486	"
43	477	"
44	479	"
45	479	"
46	479	"
47	480	"
48	479	"
49	478	"
50	479	"
52	479	"
53	443	"
54	442	"
56	480	"
57	480	"
59	480	"
61	476	"
62	477	"
64	478	"
5	399	Weeah
9	578	"
44	547	"
45	390	"
1019	535	Karkaroo
1034	548	"
Subdivision of block 64B	131	Karkaroo
487	480	Tatchera
488	640	"
489	640	"
491	634	"
492	635	"
493	636	"
494	640	"
495	627	"
496	627	"
502	640	"
519	480	"
527	640	"
528	640	"
529	640	"
530	640	"
531	632	"
532	640	"
533	640	"
537	631	"
539	639	"
560	629	"
581	634	"
582	638	"
583	635	"
584	638	"
590	631	"
604	628	"
605	640	"
606	574	"
607	499	"
608	627	"
609	629	"
Subdivisions of block 22A	281	"
282	639	"
Subdivision of block 22B	440A	Tatchera, parish of Woorinen

NOTE.—Incoming licensee or lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

No. 66.—JUNE 11, 1897.—4.

Mallee Lands Act 1896.

MALLEE BLOCKS AND MALLEE ALLOTMENTS AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION.

APPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, for the right to lease the undermentioned mallee blocks for the term of six years and five months, from the 1st July, 1897, are now receivable. Plans and forms of application can be obtained at the Crown Lands Department, Melbourne. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate of registration, to be obtained from any Receiver and Paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square miles.	Situation, &c.
32B	140	County of Weeah
34B	199	County of Weeah
36B	141	County of Weeah
37A	157	On the South Australian boundary
37B	143	On the South Australian boundary
38A	202	On the South Australian boundary
38B	201	County of Weeah
39A	199	On the South Australian boundary
39B	201	County of Weeah
40A	98	County of Lowan
40B	90	County of Lowan
43A	102	County of Weeah
45B	79	North end of Lake Albacutya
44A	104	County of Weeah
44B	104	County of Weeah

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements (if any) on these blocks.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

THE undermentioned Mallee Allotments are now available for application. Particulars as to position of allotments and character of country can be obtained on application at the Local Land Offices. Plans and forms of application can be obtained at the Land Offices in the district, or from the Crown Lands Department, Melbourne. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate of registration, to be obtained from any Receiver and Paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

The tenure of lease is six years and five months from the 1st July, 1897.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
1	12 sq. miles and 229 acres	Lowan
2	14 " and 556 "	"
3	14 " and 269 "	"
4	8 " and 225 "	"
9G	442 acres	"
9H	443 " "	"
20C	553 " "	"
25	17 sq. miles	"
30B	3 " and 471 acres	"
46A	550 acres	"
67	8 sq. miles and 160 acres	"
68C	6 " and 284 "	"
75G	1 sq. mile and 287 "	"
75H	1 " and 284 "	"
115D	392 acres	"
121	31 sq. miles and 160 "	"
124	23 " and 320 "	"
126B	1 sq. mile and 41 "	"
137B	605 acres	"
138	13 sq. miles and 558 acres	"
138A	16 " and 286 "	"
139A	8 " and 320 "	"
140	21 " and 583 "	"
141	15 " and 120 "	"
148	1 sq. mile and 45 "	"
150A	432 acres	"
152	2 sq. miles	"
155	1 sq. mile and 44 acres	"
155B	100 acres	"
162	1 sq. mile and 208 acres	"
162B	640 acres	"
165	1 sq. mile and 320 acres	"
166B	5 sq. miles and 198 "	"
168	18 " and 380 "	"
170	13 " and 201 "	"
171	26 " and 347 "	"
173	13 " and 160 "	"
174	14 " "	"

MALIKÉ ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
175	14 sq. miles	Lowan
176	12 " and 556 acres	"
177	12 " and 637 "	"
178A	8 " and 178 "	"
178B	8 " and 178 "	"
183	14 " and 186 "	"
184	15 " and 160 "	"
187	11 " and 145 "	"
189	18 " and 160 "	"
191	24 " and 634 "	"
192	21 "	"
193A	9 " and 422 acres	"
193B	8 " and 532 "	"
194	15 " and 120 "	"
195	9 " and 13 "	"
196B	10 "	"
196C	5 "	"
201	490 acres	"
201B	488 "	"
202A	2 sq. miles and 372 acres	"
203A	12 " and 533 "	"
210I	640 acres	"
210K	2 sq. miles	"
212D	637 acres	"
212E	1 sq. mile and 3 acres	"
217C	1 " and 341 "	"
220A	554 acres	"
221	1 sq. mile and 324 acres	"
221A	381 acres	"

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

Courts.

EAGLEHAWK.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that the next Sittings of the Licensing Court for the Licensing Districts of Eaglehawk, Myers Creek, and Whipstick will be held at the Court House, Eaglehawk, on Friday, the 18th day of June, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Eaglehawk the 7th day of June, 1897.—(By order) A. W. COOK, Clerk of the Licensing Court.

KERANG.—LICENSING COURTS.—It is hereby ordered that Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Kerang, Kerang West, Towanniny, Taudarra, Terrick, Yarrowalla, and Mitiamo be held at the Court House, Kerang, on Thursday, the 1st day of July, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Kerang this 3rd day of June, 1897.—(By the Courts) W. E. TRYVAUD, Clerk of the said Licensing Courts.

KYNETON.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Campaspe, Carlsruhe, Eymberton, Gishorn, Kyneton, Lauriston, Malmsbury, Newham East, Riddell's Creek, Sunbury, Taradale, Tylden, and Woodend will be held at the Court House at Kyneton, on Tuesday, the 6th day of July, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Kyneton the 4th day of June, 1897.—(By order) P. BARTOLD, Clerk of the said Courts.

COUNTY COURT, ETC., 1897.—ALTERATION OF DATE OF SITTING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sitting of the County Court, Court of Insolvency, and Court of Mines, appointed to be held at Benalla for the month of June, 1897, has been altered and postponed as follows:—

Date changed.	
From—	To—
Thursday, 24th June, 1897, at Ten a.m.	Monday, 28th June, 1897, at Ten a.m.

Dated at Benalla this 5th day of June, 1897.—(By order of the Judge), MOURON S. CLARK, Registrar.

WARRNAMBOOL.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Warrnambool will be held at the Court House, Warrnambool, on Monday, the 21st June, 1897, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.—(By order of the Court), S. FERROTTER, Clerk of the said Court.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials, &c.: pursuant to Orders in Council of 14th December, 1896, and 5th February, 1897.

Ararat	Thursday	9 September
Bairnsdale	Wednesday	15 September
Ballarat	Tuesday	10 August
Beechworth	Thursday	4 November
Benalla	Wednesday	13 October
Bendigo	Wednesday	23 June
Castlemaine	Tuesday	27 July
Echuca	Thursday	29 July
Geelong	Friday	13 August
Hamilton	Thursday	21 October
Horsham	Tuesday	7 September
Maryborough	Wednesday	24 November
Melbourne	Tuesday	15 June
Port Fairy	Thursday	18 November
Sale	Thursday	22 July
Shepparton	Wednesday	22 September
St. Arnaud	Thursday	25 November
Stawell	Tuesday	19 October
Warrnambool	Wednesday	18 August

GENERAL SESSIONS: pursuant to Order in Council of 14th December, 1896.

Ararat	Tuesday	12 October
Bairnsdale	Tuesday	15 June
Ballarat	Tuesday	13 July
Beechworth	Wednesday	15 September
Benalla	Thursday	24 June
Bendigo	Thursday	15 July
Castlemaine	Wednesday	11 August
Daylesford	Thursday	2 September
Echuca	Tuesday	19 October
Geelong	Tuesday	19 October
Hamilton	Thursday	17 June
Horsham	Wednesday	18 August
Kilmore	Tuesday	17 August
Kyneton	Tuesday	27 July
Mansfield	Thursday	23 September
Maryborough	Thursday	22 July
Melbourne	Thursday	1 July
Mildura	Monday	22 November
Nhill	Thursday	26 August
Omoo	Tuesday	23 November
Palmerston	Thursday	28 October
Port Fairy	Thursday	14 October
Portland	Thursday	12 August
Sale	Thursday	17 June
Shepparton	Wednesday	4 August
St. Arnaud	Tuesday	14 September
Stawell	Tuesday	17 August
Wangaratta	Tuesday	20 July
Warragul	Wednesday	25 August
Warrnambool	Tuesday	15 June

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	Tuesday	12 October
Bacchus Marsh	Friday	1 October
Bairnsdale	Tuesday	15 June
Ballarat	Tuesday	13 July
Beechworth	Wednesday	15 September
Benalla	Monday	28 June
Bendigo	Thursday	15 July
Bright	Friday	17 September
Campertown	Wednesday	28 July
Casterton	Tuesday	10 August
Castlemaine	Wednesday	11 August
Charlton	Tuesday	21 September
Chiltern	Tuesday	14 September
Clunes	Tuesday	20 July
Colac	Tuesday	27 July
Creswick	Wednesday	21 July
Daylesford	Thursday	2 September
Donald	Tuesday	6 July
Dunolly	Thursday	16 September

Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	19 October
Geelong	...	Tuesday	...	3 August
Hamilton	...	Thursday	...	17 June
Heathcote	...	Wednesday	...	18 August
Horsham	...	Wednesday	...	18 August
Inglewood	...	Wednesday	...	22 September
Jamieson	...	Wednesday	...	22 September
Kerang	...	Wednesday	...	17 November
Kilmore	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Korumburra	...	Tuesday	...	26 October
Kyneton	...	Tuesday	...	27 July
Mansfield	...	Thursday	...	23 September
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	22 July
Melbourne	...	Thursday	...	1 July
Mildura	...	Monday	...	22 November
Mornington	...	Thursday	...	17 June
Nhill	...	Thursday	...	26 August
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	23 November
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	28 October
Port Fairy	...	Friday	...	15 October
Portland	...	Thursday	...	12 August
Sale	...	Thursday	...	17 June
Seymour	...	Tuesday	...	3 August
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	...	4 August
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	...	7 July
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Walhalla	...	Thursday	...	2 December
Wangaratta	...	Tuesday	...	20 July
Warracknabeal	...	Tuesday	...	24 August
Warragul	...	Wednesday	...	25 August
Warrnambool	...	Tuesday	...	15 June
Wodonga	...	Wednesday	...	21 July
Yarrawonga	...	Wednesday	...	23 June
Yea	...	Tuesday	...	28 September

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.	
Melbourne	...
ARARAT DISTRICT.	
Ararat	... Tuesday ... 12 October
Stawell	... Tuesday ... 17 August
BALLARAT DISTRICT.	
Ballarat	... Tuesday ... 13 July
Clunes	... Tuesday ... 20 July
Creswick	... Wednesday ... 21 July
BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.	
Beechworth	... Wednesday ... 15 September
Benalla	... Monday ... 28 June
Bright	... Friday ... 17 September
Chilten	... Tuesday ... 14 September
Jamieson	... Wednesday ... 22 September
Kilmore	... Tuesday ... 17 August
Mansfield	... Thursday ... 23 September
Wodonga	... Wednesday ... 21 July
CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.	
Castlemaine	... Wednesday ... 11 August
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	...
Hepburn (Daylesford)	... Thursday ... 2 September
Kyneton	... Tuesday ... 27 July
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.	
Bairnsdale	... Tuesday ... 15 June
Omeo	... Tuesday ... 23 November
Palmerston	... Thursday ... 28 October
Sale	... Thursday ... 17 June
Walhalla	... Thursday ... 2 December
MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.	
Dunolly	... Thursday ... 16 September
Inglewood	... Wednesday ... 22 September
Maryborough	... Thursday ... 22 July
St. Arnaud	... Wednesday ... 7 July
SANDBURST DISTRICT.	
Bendigo	... Thursday ... 15 July
Heathcote	... Wednesday ... 18 August

Tenders.

PUBLIC WORKS OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

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

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

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

Removal of State School No. 2308, Log Hut, and re-erection at site of State School No. 751, Enfield. Particulars also at Police Station, Buninyong, until the 5th June; after that date at Police Station, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 17th June

General repairs, fencing, &c., Lighthouse quarters, Cape Schanck. Particulars also at Police Station, Dromana. Preliminary Deposit, £5 ... 17th June

Maintaining closets and urinals, Government Buildings, Melbourne and suburbs. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 17th June

New bottom tumbler for dredge *John Nimmo*. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 17th June

Victorian Defences.—Painting Gunner's House, Gellibrand Battery, Williamstown. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 24th June

Repairs, &c., State School No. 253, Footscray. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

Outside Sculleries, Idiot Cottages, Kew. Preliminary deposit, £3. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 24th June

Partitions and fittings, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 24th June

Sundry Works, Caretaker's Quarters, Military Camp, Langwarrin. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

Rebuilding chimney and repairs, State School No. 923, East Trentham. Particulars also at Police Stations, Trentham and Daylesford. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 24th June

Repairs to Offices of Neglected Children's and Reformatory Schools Department, King-street, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 24th June

Repairs, painting, &c., Court House, Port Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

Repairs, painting, &c., Court House, Charlton. Particulars also at Police Station, Charlton, and Public Works Office, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

Painting and repairs, Court House, Alberton. Particulars also at Police Station, Alberton. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

General repairs, Post Office, Charlton. Particulars also at Police Station, Charlton, also at Public Works Office, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

General repairs, State School No. 122, Creswick. Particulars also at Police Station, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 24th June

Repairs, painting, &c., Court House, Essendon. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 24th June

Purchase of site, with all buildings and improvements thereon, of State School No. 585, Sutherland's Creek. Particulars also at Police Station, Geelong. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, balance of amount of tender ... 1st July

Repairs, papering, painting, &c., Caretaker's Quarters, City Court, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 1st July

General repairs, painting, &c., Police Station, Coleraine. Particulars also at Police Stations, Hamilton and Coleraine. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 1st July

Tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, and marked "Tender for —."

N.B.—Cheques will not be accepted in payment of preliminary deposits.

J. W. TAVERNER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 10th June, 1897.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SEPARATE Tenders are invited for the undermentioned works, &c.

Tenders, accompanied by the necessary preliminary deposit, and indorsed "Tender for —" (as the case may be), must be deposited in the Tender-box, Secretary's Office, Spencer-street, Melbourne, at or before Twelve o'clock noon of the dates as specified.

Monday, 14th June.—Erection of brick or stone station buildings at Warrnambool (alternative tenders). Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Geelong and Warrnambool stations. Preliminary deposit, £40.

Monday, 14th June.—Lease, in sections, for grazing and agricultural purposes, of land on the Lancefield and Kilmore line. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Lancefield and Kilmore stations.

Monday, 14th June.—Removal of foot-bridge from Middle Park station to Wright-street, Middle Park. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 14th June.—Purchase and removal of gatehouse 83, near Glenorchy. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Stawell and Glenorchy stations. Deposit, £1.

Monday, 14th June.—Manufacture and delivery of 24 pairs of locomotive engine cylinders. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street, and at Ballarat, Geelong, Bendigo, Castlemaine, and Maryborough stations. Preliminary deposit, £50.

Monday, 14th June.—Supply, in contracts of not less than 50 beams, of red ironbark or grey box bridge-beams—200 16 feet x 17 inches x 7 inches, and 200 16 feet x 17 inches x 6 inches, delivered at any station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Heathcote, Elmhurst, Stawell, Glenorchy, Nagambie, Rushworth, and Bainsdale stations. Preliminary deposit, £1 for each 50 beams.

Monday, 14th June.—Right to sell books and newspapers at all stations (Prince's-bridge excepted). Particulars at the Traffic Manager's Office, Spencer-street, and at Ballarat, Geelong, Bendigo, Castlemaine, and Maryborough stations. Deposit, 10 per cent. of one year's rent.

Monday, 21st June.—Lease of refreshment-rooms at Tallarook. Particulars at the Traffic Manager's office, Spencer-street, and at Tallarook station. Deposit, 10 per cent. of one year's rent.

Monday, 21st June.—Purchase from 1st July, 1897, till 30th June, 1898, of old tarpaulins, old rope, empty tallow casks, and mineral colza oil casks; and from 1st July till 31st December, 1897, of empty 5-gallon oil drums, kerosene tins, and cases. Particulars at the Contractor's Room, Spencer-street (No. 1 Basement). Deposit, as specified.

Monday, 5th July.—Purchase, in lots of not less than 100 tons, of 2,000 tons of old iron rails, delivered at any railway station, siding, or pier. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Deposit, 5 per cent. of the amount of tender.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply and delivery of green buffalo hides. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £30.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply and delivery of timber. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, as specified.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply and delivery of mild steel channel bars. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £25.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply and delivery of gold leaf painted transfers. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £10.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

(By order) R. G. KENT, Secretary.

WASTE PAPER.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th of June, from persons willing to purchase certain descriptions of Waste Paper and Shavings, in such quantities as the contractor may be required to remove from the Government Printing Office or other Government establishment in Melbourne, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

The prices must be expressed, without alterations or erasures, in words as well as in figures, at per cwt.

Printed forms of tender and conditions of contract, &c., may be obtained at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board.

	Security.
Contract No. 1. Shavings	£10
Contract No. 2. Other descriptions of paper, not including newspapers, or other large paper	7
Contract No. 3. Newspapers and other large paper	5

Security will be required either in cash, Government debentures, Commissioners' or Post Office Savings Bank deposit-book in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board, as the tenderer may elect.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board for £2 for each contract (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

Under no circumstances will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract.

The security must be completed within five days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

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

Tenders enclosed in an envelope, marked "Tender for Waste Paper," must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. Fifteen bags for each of the contracts 1 and 3, and 70 for contract 2, must be delivered by the contractor at the Government Printing Office on each Tuesday, and as many more as may be ordered by the Government Printer, at such time or times as may be stated in such order, which shall not be less than 24 hours after the receipt of such order by the contractor. The bags to remain the property of the contractor, and to be used for packing the paper in before removal.

2. The paper must be removed by the contractor from the Government Printing Office on Tuesdays and Fridays of each week, and at such other times and from such other Government offices during office hours as may be directed by the Government Printer: but he is not to remove paper from any other department unless directed to do so by the Government Printer.

3. In the event of the contractor failing to remove the paper on the days indicated, or at the times directed, the Government Printer is hereby empowered to send such paper to any store in Melbourne, there to be stored at the contractor's risk and expense; and should the contractor fail to deliver the full number of bags indicated on the day specified in condition 1, or the full number ordered, the Government Printer is hereby empowered to purchase whatever number of bags may be required, and to deduct the cost of such bags from the security money.

4. Payment is to be made on the net weight of the paper when bagged. No allowance will be made for any foreign material that may be mixed with the paper. All practicable care will, however, be exercised to keep it free from such impurity.

5. The contractor must make payment quarterly to the Government Printer.

6. No subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out by the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the cartage tendered for in this schedule are not to exceed forty-eight per week, and at a minimum wage of 6s. per day. Any infringement of this condition, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50) as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

RUBBLE FOR MELBOURNE GAOL.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th June, 1897, from persons willing to supply Rubble to the Melbourne Gaol, in such quantities as may be ordered, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, in accordance with specification to be seen at the Tender Board Office.

Estimated quantity required, about 150 cubic yards per month.

Forms of tender and full particulars may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board, for £1 (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

Security will be required in the sum of £5, either in Government debentures, Commissioners' or Post Office Savings Bank deposit-book in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board, or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

The security must be completed and contract signed within three days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

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

Tenders must be enclosed in an envelope, marked "Tender for Rubble," and be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

No subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out by the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in supplying the rubble tendered for in this schedule are not to exceed forty-eight per week, and at a minimum wage of 6s. per day. Any infringement of this condition in the opinion of the Treasurer will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50) as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money; and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement and in all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

PROVISIONS FOR NAVAL FORCES AT QUEENSLIFF AND SWAN ISLAND, 1897-8.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th June, 1897, from persons willing to furnish Provisions for the Naval Forces at Queenscliff and Swan Island, in such quantities as may be ordered by the Defence Department during the twelve calendar months commencing on the 1st July, 1897.

		Pre-liminary Deposit.	Security.
Queenscliff and Swan Island	Bread	£ 1	£ 5
	Butter	1	5
	Meat	1	5
	Milk	1	2
	Vegetables	1	5

The prices must be expressed without alterations or erasures, in words as well as in figures, and the total amount of each tender stated.

Printed forms of tender, showing the estimated monthly consumption, and the conditions of contract, may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, Melbourne; and at Queenscliff from the Officer Commanding Victorian Artillery, by whom also any information will be afforded to persons tendering.

Security will be required either in Government debentures, Post Office or Commissioners' Savings Bank deposit-book in the name of the Secretary to the Tender Board, or cash deposit, at the tenderer may elect.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit, as shown above, in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

The security must be completed and contract signed within five days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

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

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

Tenders enclosed in an envelope, and having the words "Tender for" (as the case may be), written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, they must be prepaid, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. All the articles are to be of the best quality of the several kinds, in the best condition, and to be delivered in sound packages, free from all charges for cartage, freight, &c. The goods shall be delivered as may be directed by the officer ordering the supply.

2. Bread.—A sample of the best ordinarily retailed to the public will be considered as a test loaf for first quality.

3. Milk.—The milk must be fresh, pure, and of the best quality, and subject to test when required by the department. Should the supply prove to be not of contract quality, any expense incurred will be charged to the contractor.

4. Fresh meat is to be supplied in such quantities as may be ordered. Mutton will be taken in sides, but all kidney fat must be removed. Beef to be supplied from set ribs, sirloin, and thick flanks, as may be ordered. When the quantity admits, beef is to be delivered in either hind or fore quarters as may be ordered. All kidney fat and shins to be removed from hind quarters, and sticking, clod, and shins from fore quarters of beef. Meat containing an undue proportion of fat will not be accepted.

5. The meat supplied under these conditions must, if practicable, be slaughtered at abattoirs which are under proper authorized inspection and supervision. Any infringement of this condition will subject the contractor, on report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds, as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account, or from the security money.

6. Potatoes to be dry and free from dirt. Contractors to supply 105 lbs. of potatoes for each cental credited to them, and, in addition, to take back all rejected before being cooked.

7. Vegetables.—Cabbage to be supplied free from outside leaves and stalks; carrots and turnips free from tops.

8. Butter.—Only best factory will be accepted. The contractor must deliver it in boxes suitable for transport, but the boxes are to be returned to the contractor.

9. Supplies required for Swan Island to be delivered at tramway, and those required for vessels of the Victorian Navy to be delivered at the sea end of new pier, Queenscliff.

10. Should the contractor fail to supply any articles at the time mentioned in the order, they or any like supplies suitable for the service will be otherwise procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from his account or from the security money.

11. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies as to the quality, the same to be decided, in cases where the article is not of a perishable nature, by a board of survey composed of persons named by the Naval Commandant, and the decision of the board is to be considered final. In the event of the decision being against the contractor, the survey fees and expenses (if any) will be deducted as in clause 10.

12. If the board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor; failing which, it or any like supply suitable for the service will be procured by the officer requiring it, and the expense charged as in clause 10.

13. As the exact quantity of any article of provisions which may be required cannot be stated, the estimate being approximate only, the Government will not be bound by the quantity stated in the schedule, but will be at liberty to order more or less, according to circumstances, and the contractor will be bound to supply the same as ordered.

14. In cases where the article is of a perishable nature, or when from some other cause injury would be sustained either by the persons to whom the rations are due or to the contractor in waiting for a board to survey, the head of the department or officer authorized to take delivery will have power to reject such article or articles as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing, and that the contractor must take back the rejected article and supply good in its stead; failing which, it or any like supply suitable for the service will be obtained by the officer requiring it. In case of the rejection or return of any supplies, the contractor shall bear the whole cost of replacing the supplies so rejected or returned.

15. A refusal to execute orders, or a repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £50, as the Treasurer may direct. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such refusal or repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith and forfeit the whole or any part of the security money.

16. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest, or otherwise, and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

17. In the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, the Government or the contractor, as the case may be, may give two months' notice of the termination of the contract to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can only be given from the first day of the month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

18. Under no circumstances other than those mentioned in clause 15 will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract. In the event of the contractor failing to carry on the contract, the contract security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited; and in addition the contractor will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure.

19. Where specially indicated in the schedules no subletting will be allowed, and no delivery shall be made on Sundays. All work must be carried out in the factory of the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the manufacture, &c., of the articles tendered for in these schedules are not to exceed forty-eight per week (unless otherwise stated in the schedules), and at the minimum wage specified in the schedules concerned. Any infringement of this condition in the opinion of the Treasurer will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £50 (Fifty pounds), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement and all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

SHOEING POLICE HORSES.

TENDERS, indorsed "Tender for Shoeing," will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th June, for Shoeing Police Horses at Melbourne, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

The contractor's premises must be on the south side of the Yarra, and within a convenient distance from the Police Depot.

A deposit of £3 in cash (cheques will not be received) must accompany each tender, which will be retained from the successful tenderer as security for the due fulfilment of the contract. The deposits will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers within five days.

Full particulars and forms of tender can be obtained at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board, where the sample shoe can be inspected.

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

No subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out by the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the shoeing tendered for in this schedule are not to exceed forty-eight per week, and at a minimum wage of 8s. per day. Any infringement of this condition, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50) as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

Tenders to be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

FUNERALS OF DESTITUTE PERSONS AND REMOVAL OF DEAD BODIES IN THE MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th June, from persons willing to undertake Funerals of Destitute Persons and Removals of Dead Bodies to the Melbourne and Port Melbourne Morgues, as required in the several Departments of the Government, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, in the Melbourne district, which includes the following police sub-districts:—Melbourne City, Bourke-street west, Little Bourke-street, East Melbourne, West Melbourne, Albert Park, Alphington, Armadale, Ascot Vale, Auburn, Balaclava, Brunswick, Brunswick East, Brunswick West, Burnley, Camberwell, Carlton, Carlton North, Clifton Hill, Coburg, Collingwood, Essendon, Essendon North, Fitzroy, Malvern, North Fitzroy, Flemington, Hawthorn, Hawthorn West, Hotham Hill, Kensington, Kew, Middle Park, Montague, Northcote, North Melbourne, Port Melbourne, Port Melbourne North, Prahran, Prince's Hill, Richmond, South Richmond, Royal Park, St. Kilda, East St. Kilda, St. Kilda West, St. Kilda-road, South Yarra, South Melbourne, South Wharf, Toorak, and Windsor.

Tenders, which should be upon the printed form, will be received for either funerals or removals, but if both services be included in one tender, it may, if advisable, be accepted for one service only.

For funerals separate prices must be stated for adults, for children under seven years of age, and for still-born children—one sum is to be stated for each, including interment, conveyance, and all charges whatsoever, except ministers' fees. For removals separate prices must be stated for adults and children under seven years of age.

Tenderers are advised to attach to their tenders lists of their business branches, specifying telephonic connexions, as accessibility and means of prompt communication will be considered in accepting the tenders.

The trustees of the Melbourne General Cemetery have notified that the following reduced charges will take effect from 1st July, 1888, for burials upon Police orders:—

	£	s.	d.
Every adult	0	8	6
Child under seven years	0	5	6
Still-born	0	3	6

Tenderers must state the prices in words as well as in figures, without alterations or erasures.

Tenderers must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board for £5 (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

Security will be required, either in cash, Government debentures, or Commissioners' or Post Office Savings Bank deposit-book in favour of the Secretary of the Tender Board, in the sum of £50. Five days will be allowed to complete the security.

Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Funerals or Removals" (as the case may be), are to be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, or addressed to the Chairman, Tender Board, Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

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

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The services are to be performed upon an order signed by a member of the Police Force. Under 31 Victoria No. 310, section 9, cemetery fees are not payable in the cases of paupers buried upon an order signed by a Justice, and in such cases the contractor's account for the burial will be correspondingly reduced.

2. The funerals are to be of the most economical description consistent with propriety. A plain hearse for an adult, and a covered, plain, suitable four-wheeled vehicle for a child under seven years of age, to be provided. The body shall be taken direct to the cemetery, and no more than one body shall be carried in the hearse or vehicle at a time.

3. Coffins for funerals must be sufficiently long, deep, wide, and substantial to bear the corpse and permit it to be extended at full length, and must be fastened down with screws. The contractor shall provide 2 inches of sawdust for the bottom of the coffin: a small block of wood to keep the head of the deceased in position, and sufficient white calico to cover the body. In the event of a body being decomposed, or whenever it may be considered necessary by the member of the Police Force issuing the order for the burial, a coffin must be supplied sufficiently large to leave at least 2 inches between the body and the sides and top and bottom of the coffin, and this space must be filled up round the body with pine or phenyle sawdust by the contractor at his own expense; and in the event of any neglect in so providing or filling up the coffin it will be competent for the Tender Board to inflict a fine not exceeding £3 to be deducted as in Condition 11. Coffins to be properly lowered into the graves, and the graves filled up again.

4. The graves to be dug of the proper depth, and in conformity with the Cemetery Regulations.

5. In the event of the contractor failing to attend punctually to any order, the work will be otherwise performed, and the extra expense incurred, if any, will be charged to the contractor. Should any circumstance, however, make it necessary in any particular case that an immediate removal to the Morgue be effected, the hiring of another vehicle for the purpose will not be an infringement of the contract.

6. When burials or removals are required to take place on Sunday, or, in the case of any lunatic asylum, burials on the same day as the inquest, no delay must take place in complying therewith, and any additional fees charged by the cemetery authorities in the case of burials will be repaid to the contractor.

7. The attendance of a minister of the denomination named in the order for the burial must, if practicable, be provided. If for

any burial such minister is not available the burial service is to be conducted by the resident chaplain deputed by the denomination, and in cases where no such deputy is appointed by the denomination, or where the religious denomination of the deceased is unknown, the services are to be performed by the resident chaplains alternately, and the contractor must inform the Police of the hour when the funeral service will take place, so that the friends of the deceased may attend at the cemetery if they wish. Such order to be produced at the cemetery when the contractor gives the order for interment. The contractor must pay the minister's fee for reading the burial service should it be claimed, and he will be reimbursed, on producing the minister's receipt, which must specify that the burial service was duly and properly performed at the time of the burial, and that he received the fee for so doing; the receipt must also specify the name, age, and denomination of deceased, the name and denomination of the minister who performed the burial service, and the hour when the service was performed.

8. Bodies to be removed to the Morgue shall be placed before removal in shell coffins securely closed, and shall be conveyed in suitable covered four-wheeled vehicles.

9. Every practicable precaution must be taken in order to prevent offensiveness from decomposition, but in no case of removal must any disinfectant be used without the authority of the medical officer performing the *post-mortem* examination.

10. The account is to be rendered monthly to the officer ordering the service for payment at the Treasury, Melbourne. The charge for the minister's fee should be included in the account for the funeral.

11. In the event of any charge of impropriety or neglect in conducting the funerals or removals being established against the contractor, the Government may for the first offence deduct from the security money, by way of fine, £5; and for the second offence a similar amount, and, in addition thereto, may forthwith cancel the contract.

12. Under no circumstances will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract. In the event of the contractor failing to carry on the contract, the security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited, and, in addition, the contractor will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure.

13. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power-of-attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise; and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

No subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out by the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the funerals or removals tendered for in this schedule are not to exceed forty-eight per week, and at a minimum wage of 6s. per day. Any infringement of this condition in the opinion of the Treasurer will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50) as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money; and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement and in all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

CARTAGE.

TENDERS, indorsed "Tender for Delivery of Goods," and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne, will be received at the Pay Office, until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 17th June, for delivery at Ararat, Bairnsdale, Ballarat, Beechworth, Bendigo, Castlemaine, Geelong, Hamilton, Horsham, Maryborough, Sale, Stawell, and Swinburn of such goods and furniture as may be forwarded by or to railway by the Stores and Transport Department to the various Government Departments from the 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

Tenders will be accepted or rejected for each place separately. The prices quoted are to cover all descriptions of parcels and goods, including furniture, &c.

A separate charge is to be made for each consignment, such charge to be for the gross weight thereof, irrespective of the number of packages.

Accounts in all cases to be made out by weight only, and to be rendered to the Stores and Transport Office monthly, supported by the way-bills properly receipted, subject to any deductions for damage sustained to the goods whilst in the custody of the carrier.

Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power-of-attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise, and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

Tenders must express the prices in words as well as in figures, and without alterations or erasures.

Full particulars and forms of tender may be obtained at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne, and at the Police Stations at the places named.

No subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out by the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the cartage tendered for in this schedule are not to exceed forty eight per week, and at a minimum wage of 6s. per day. Any infringement of this condition, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50) as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

RATIONS FOR VICTORIAN ARTILLERY, 1897-8.

ALTERNATIVE Tenders will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 17th June, 1897, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned supplies for Rations for the Victorian Artillery, in such quantities as may be ordered by the Defence Department—delivery to be made at the undermentioned places—during the twelve calendar months commencing on the 1st July, 1897.

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

1st. For the undermentioned supplies, as per separate Schedules 1 to 15 inclusive.

	Pre-liminary Deposit.	Security.
	£	£
Queenscliff, Swan Island, and Port Nepean	1. Bread	4 40
	2. Butter	2 20
	3. Groceries	4 40
	4. Meat	5 50
	5. Potatoes	2 10
Melbourne—St. Kilda-road Barracks	6. Bread	2 10
	7. Butter	1 5
	8. Groceries	2 10
	9. Meat	2 10
	10. Potatoes	1 2
Fort Franklin and South Channel Fort	11. Bread	1 5
	12. Butter	1 2
	13. Groceries	1 5
	14. Meat	1 5
	15. Potatoes	1 2

2nd. For Rations at per ration as per list indorsed on Schedule 16.

	Pre-liminary Deposit.	Security.
	£	£
Queenscliff, &c.	8	80
Melbourne	3	30
Port Franklin, &c.	2	10

Samples of the tea and sugar required at Queenscliff can be seen on application—for Fort Franklin, at the Fort; for Queenscliff, to the Officer Commanding Victorian Artillery, Queenscliff; and for Melbourne, at the offices of the Secretary to the Tender Board.

The prices must be expressed without alterations or erasures, in words as well as in figures, and the total amount of the tender stated.

Printed forms of tender, showing the estimated weekly consumption, and the conditions of contract, may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, Melbourne; for Fort Franklin, at the Fort; and at Queenscliff, from the Officer Commanding Victorian Artillery, by whom also information will be afforded to persons tendering.

Security will be required, either in Government debentures, Melbourne Savings Bank deposit-book, in favour of the Secretary, Tender Board, or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit, as shown above, in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

The security must be completed and contract signed within five days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

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

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

Tenders enclosed in an envelope, and having the words "Tender for" (as the case may be) written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, they must be prepaid, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. All the articles are to be of the best quality of the several kinds, in the best condition, and to be delivered in sound packages, free from all charges for cartage, freight, &c. The goods shall be delivered as may be directed by the officer ordering the supply.

2. Packages suitable for transport of goods supplied must be provided by the contractor free of expense, and the value of these packages, whether in bulk or otherwise, is to be included in the price demanded, except flour, meal, and potato bags, which will remain the property of the contractor, and only the actual net weight or quantity received will be paid for. The empties to be removed at the contractor's expense.

3. Bread.—A sample of the best ordinarily retailed to the public will be considered as a test loaf for first quality.

4. Fresh beef and mutton to be supplied in such proportions of each as may be required.

Beef to be delivered in joints cut alternatively from the aitch-bone, sirloin, rump, fore rib, middle rib, and chuck rib, as for ordinary household use, buttocks only when ordered. Neck, clod, and sticking piece, hock, flank, mouserround, shins, leg-of-mutton piece, and brisket will not be accepted.

Mutton to be delivered in carcasses, sides, or joints, as the quantity for delivery at the different stations admit. Heads to be cut off close to the body, and shanks cut off at the knee joints. Skirts will not be accepted except when delivered as part of a carcass or side. One-third of each indent, if so required, to be supplied as chops, steak, or beef sausages. The chops to be trimmed from undue proportion of fat or bone. The steak to be cut from the rump and of good household description. The sausages to be cut from beef and free from gristle or scraps. All meat to be of prime quality.

5. Potatoes to be dry and free from dirt. Contractor to supply 105 lbs. of potatoes for each cental credited to him, and, in addition, to take back all rejected before being cooked.

6. At the time of delivering the supplies, the contractor shall produce the order for the same to the officer authorized to accept delivery, and such officer shall acknowledge thereon the receipt of the stores accepted, and shall return the order to the contractor, and the account is to be rendered as soon as possible after the delivery of the supplies, accompanied by the receipted delivery order. For the supplies coming under the head of Rations and Medical Comforts, the account is to be rendered monthly for such quantities only as are issued, the difference between the supply and issue to be kept at the contractor's credit. Supplies not issued at the termination of the contract to be removed by the contractor. The rates or quantities quoted in the orders cannot be exceeded.

7. Should the contractor fail to supply any articles at the time mentioned in the order, they or any like supplies suitable for the service will be otherwise procured, and the expense over and above the contract price will be deducted from his account or from the security money.

8. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the supplies as to the quality, the same to be decided by a board of survey composed of persons named by the officer commanding, and the decision of the board is to be considered final. In the event of the decision being against the contractor, the survey fees and expenses (if any) will be deducted as in clause 7.

9. If the board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality it must be immediately replaced by the contractor; failing which, it or any like supply suitable for the service will be procured by the officer requiring it, and the expense charged as in clause 7.

10. As the exact quantity of any article of provisions which may be required cannot be stated, the estimate being approximate only, the Government will not be bound by the quantity stated in the schedule, but will be at liberty to order more or less, according to circumstances, and the contractor will be bound to supply the same as ordered.

11. A refusal to execute orders, or a repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £50, as the Treasurer may direct. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such refusal or repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith and forfeit the whole or any part of the security money.

12. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise, and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

13. In the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, the Government, or the contractor, as the case may be, may give two months' notice of the termination of the contract to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can only be given from the first day of the month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

14. Under no circumstances other than those mentioned in clause 13 will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract. In the event of the contractor failing to carry on the contract, the contract security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited; and in addition the contractor will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure.

15. Where specially indicated in the schedules no subletting will be allowed. All work must be carried out in the factory of the contractor, and the hours of employment of any person engaged in the manufacture of the articles tendered for in those schedules are not to exceed forty-eight per week, and at the minimum wage specified in the schedules concerned. Any infringement of this condition, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor upon report from the Tender Board to such mulct, not exceeding £50 (fifty pounds), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement and in all other respects.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

SUPPLIES FOR THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 17th June, 1897, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned articles, in such quantities as may be ordered, for the Government Printer or other Government Departments, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898:—

	Preliminary Deposit.	Security.
No. 24. Printers' and bookbinders' materials	5	25

Schedules as above, giving an estimate of the articles required, and printed forms of tender, may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, by whom also the samples will be shown and any information or explanation afforded to persons tendering.

Tenders must include the whole of the articles mentioned in the schedule, and a separate price must be stated for each article.

The total amount of the tender where indicated must be expressed in words as well as in figures.

Tenders having alterations or erasures therein will not be entertained.

Tenders must be accompanied by the preliminary deposit as shown above in bank notes, or a bank draft in favour of the Secretary of the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

Security will be required, either in Victorian Government debentures, Commissioners' or Post Office Savings Bank deposit book in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board, or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

The security must be completed and contract signed within ten days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

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

Persons failing to take up their contracts will be disqualified from tendering for Government supplies for a period of twelve months.

Tenders, enclosed in a separate envelope, and having the words "Tender for Printers' and Bookbinders' Materials" written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The Government will not be bound to order from the contractor all or any of the articles enumerated in the schedule, but only those articles, and such quantities of those articles, as it may be found necessary to order. Should the Government, however, require a larger supply of any article than the quantity stated in the schedule, the contractor will nevertheless be bound to supply the same at contract rates.

2. The supplies are to be the same as sample (where so stated), and of the particular manufacture indicated in the schedule of tenders. In the case of different makers' goods, the contractor will be required to supply the kind ordered. In other cases the supplies are to be the best quality of their several kinds or manufacture. A preference will, however, be given to goods of Victorian manufacture, provided the quality is equal to the particular manufacture indicated in the schedule.

3. All orders for supplies will emanate from the Government Printer. These orders must accompany the goods on delivery, otherwise the goods will not be received. Delivery, as a rule, is to be of the full quantity ordered.

4. Supplies ordered must be delivered free of all charges (whether cartage, freight, &c.). The value of all packages, cases, casks, &c., whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices stated in the contractor's tender; all such packages, &c., to be considered the property of the Government, and no charges or expenses whatsoever beyond the price tendered and set out in the schedule will be allowed to the contractor for any articles or packages, cases, casks, &c. The net weight or quantity only will be paid for.

5. Arrangements as to time of delivery and inspection of goods will be made by the Government Printer.

6. Orders must be received within forty-eight hours after the goods not being delivered within that time; and, in the event of the contractor shall have received the order, or within such other time as the order may specify for delivery, it will be competent for the Government Printer, on giving the contractor twenty-four hours' notice, to purchase the supplies, or any like supplies that are suitable for the service, at the contractor's risk, and the extra expense incurred over and above the contract price (if any) will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money.

7. The contractor will be required to furnish his account in the prescribed form simultaneously with delivery of the full quantities of goods ordered, the account being rendered with the order to which it relates. The prices quoted in the orders cannot be increased.

8. The acceptance of the supplies shall be subject to the approval of the Government Printer, whose decision shall be final.

9. Delivery will not be deemed to have been made until the goods have been approved of. All articles rejected must be immediately replaced by the contractor, otherwise purchases will be effected at the contractor's risk, and the extra expense deducted as in Condition 6.

10. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or of delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding fifty pounds, as the Treasurer of the Colony may direct, and the amount may be deducted as in Condition 6, or from the contractor's security. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith, and forfeit the whole or any portion of the security money.

11. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise, and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

12. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being broken, infringed, or vitiated by the importation of stores for the Government Printing Office; or by any article being made at any Government establishment, and supplied for use in the Government Printing Office; or by the consumption of the surplus stock of any Government establishment.

13. In the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in this contract, the Government, or the contractor (as the case may be), may give two months' notice of the termination of the contract to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can only be given from the first day of the month, and within the period for which the contract is made.

14. Under no circumstances other than those mentioned in clause 13 will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract. In the event of the contractor failing to carry on the contract, the contract security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited, and in addition the contractor will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st June, 1897.

CONVEYANCE OF PARCELS.—MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th June, 1897, for the Conveyance of Parcels from the Parcel Office, Melbourne, and their distribution at addresses within the undermentioned districts, for a period of one or three years from 1st July next:—

1. Melbourne.
2. East Melbourne, Richmond, Jolimont, Abbotsford, and Collingwood.
3. Fitzroy, Clifton Hill, Carlton, and North Melbourne.
4. North Carlton and North Fitzroy.
5. Parkville, Royal Park, Brunswick, Moreland, and Coburg.
6. Moonee Ponds, Flemington, Essendon, Ascot Vale, Newmarket, Hotham Hill, and Kensington.
7. Footscray and Yarraville.
8. Spottiswoode, Newport, and Williamstown.
9. Hawthorn, Kew, Glenferrie, Auburn, and Camberwell.
10. South Yarra, Toorak, Hawksburn, and Armadale.
11. Prahran and Windsor.
12. St. Kilda and Balaclava.
13. Malvern and Caulfield.
14. Elsternwick, Elwood, North Brighton, Middle Brighton, and Brighton Beach.
15. Port Melbourne, Port Melbourne North, and Yarra Bank (south side).
16. Albert Park, Middle Park, and South Melbourne.
17. Northcote.

Conditions of contract may be seen at the Parcel Office General Post Office, and at the Post Offices above mentioned.

Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Conveyance of Parcels," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne, to be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne; or, if sent by post, to be prepaid and registered.

Tenders will be received for the whole of the services, as well as for separate services as above specified.

In all tenders, whether for one or three years, the rate at which each parcel will be delivered at address must be stated.

The amount of the deposit for each service to be enclosed with the tender is £5. In case of acceptance of tender, tenderers will be required to enter into a bond, with two approved sureties, for the due fulfilment of the contract to the amount of £50. Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 19th May, 1897.

CONVEYANCE OF PARCELS.—BENDIGO.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th June, 1897, for the Conveyance of Parcels from the Post and Telegraph Office at Bendigo, and their distribution at addresses within a radius of three miles from the principal Post and Telegraph Office of the District, for a period of one or three years from 1st July next.

Conditions of contract may be seen at the Parcel Office, General Post Office, and at the Post Office, Bendigo.

Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Conveyance of Parcels," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne, to be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne; or, if sent by post, to be prepaid and registered.

In all tenders, whether for one or three years, the rate at which each parcel will be delivered at address must be stated.

The amount of the deposit to be enclosed with the tender is £5. In case of acceptance of tender the tenderer will be required to enter into a bond, with two approved sureties, for the due fulfilment of the contract to the amount of £50. Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 19th May, 1897.

TELEGRAPH POLES, BENDIGO, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, 22nd June, 1897, for the supply and delivery of Fifty (50) Telegraph Poles at the Pole Depot, Bendigo.

Specifications may be seen at the Telegraph Engineer's Room, General Post Office, and at the Post Offices at Bendigo, Echuca, Inglewood, Castlemaine, and Kyneton.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for Fifty Telegraph Poles," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

The amount of the preliminary deposit to be enclosed with the tender is £2.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

PURCHASE OF MANURE.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, 22nd June, 1897, for the purchase of Manure at Sturt-street Stables, South Melbourne.

Specifications may be seen at the Stores Branch, General Post Office, and at the Post Offices at Elizabeth-street north, Brighton, Brighton East, Brighton South, Brighton North, Cheltenham, Oakleigh, and Box Hill.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for purchase of Manure," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

The amount of the preliminary deposit to be enclosed with the tender is £2.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 29th May, 1897.

TELEGRAPH POLES, GEELONG, ETC.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, 29th June, 1897, for the supply and delivery of Four hundred and twenty-one (421) Telegraph Poles along the route of the main sewer between the Pumping Station, Spottiswoode, and the Sewerage Farm, Werribee.

Specifications may be seen at the Telegraph Engineer's Room, General Post Office, and at the Post Offices at Geelong, Werribee, Colac, Birregulla, and Wychelsea.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for Telegraph Poles," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

The amount of the preliminary deposit to be enclosed with the tender is £5.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRES OF BALLAN AND BUNGAREE.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on the undermentioned Crown lands:—

No. 1 Block.—All the unoccupied Crown lands in the Eastern Riding, Shire of Bungaree, and Central and East Ridings, Shire of Ballan; area, about 62,000 acres.

Tenderers must state in words and figures the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on each block and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany each tender.

The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Commissioner of Lands and Survey to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Commissioner of Lands and Survey to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Commissioner of Lands and Survey to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from the 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Commissioner of Lands and Survey that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

£5 deposit to be forfeited and contract cancelled if I neglect to commence work within seven days from date of this agreement.

Dated _____ 1897. Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown land described above, or any land that may become forfeited in localities referred to during currency of contract.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to Mr. R. B. Kerr, of Rowsley, and Rabbit Inspector, Ballan, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRES OF BELFAST AND MINHAMITE.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Pomeralla, Koroit, Warrong, Broadwater, Yambuk, Belfast, Willatook, Tyrendarra, St. Helens, Bootalpool, Dunrosc, and Ardmacchie.

Tenderers must state in words and figures the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender.

The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed and poison laid to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals

for a period of twelve months from the 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated 1897.
Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Kamerella, Koroit, Warrong, Broadwater, Yambuk, Belfast, Willatook, Tyrendarra, St. Helens, Bootahpool, Dinniore, and Ardonachie, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated 1897.
Signed _____
Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspectors, Port Fairy and Macarthur, and Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRE OF BENALJA.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Glenrowan, Lurg, Tatong, Toombullup, Moorngag, Samaria, Rothesay, Toorou, Lima, &c. Area about 45,000 acres.

Plans showing the land referred to can be inspected at the office of the Rabbit Inspector, Euroa, or Lands Office, Benalla.

Tenderers must state in words and figures the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender. The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated 1897.
Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown land situated in the parishes of Glenrowan, Lurg, Tatong, Toombullup, Moorngag, Samaria, Rothesay,

Toorou, Lima, &c., area about 45,000 acres, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated 1897.
Signed _____
Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspector, Euroa, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRES OF EUROA AND VIOLET TOWN.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all unoccupied Crown lands situated in the Shires of Euroa and Violet Town.

Plans showing the land referred to can be inspected at the office of the Rabbit Inspector, Euroa, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

Tenderers must state, in words and figures, the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender. The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded with tender for one year's rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from the 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated 1897.
Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown lands in the Shires of Euroa and Violet Town, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract hereto and signed by me.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated 1897.
Signed _____
Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspector, Euroa, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRE OF KORONG.—
NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Wehla, Teluterr, Moligul, Kangeraar, Kingower, Inglewood, Glenalbyn, Salisbury West, Kurting, Brennanah, Powlett, Korong, Tarnagulla, Kurraea, and Wedderburn, not including commons. Tenderers must state in words and figures the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender. The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from the 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated _____ 1897.
Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Wehla, Teluterr, Moligul, Kangeraar, Kingower, Inglewood, Glenalbyn, Salisbury West, Kurting, Brennanah, Powlett, Korong, Tarnagulla, Kurraea, and Wedderburn, not including commons, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated _____ 1897.
Signed _____
Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspector, Inglewood, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey,
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRE OF NEWSTEAD.—
NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Tarrengower, Sandon, Campbelltown, Strangways, and Muckleford.

Plans showing the land referred to can be inspected at the Office of the Land Officer, Castlemaine.

Tenderers must state, in words and figures, the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with a right of renewal for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender. The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be paid annually in advance for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated _____ 1897.
Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Tarrengower, Sandon, Campbelltown, Strangways, and Muckleford, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.
Dated _____ 1897.
Signed _____
Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Land Officer, Castlemaine, Rabbit Inspector, Newstead, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey,
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRE OF PORTLAND.—
NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all Crown lands situated in the Shire of Portland.

Plans showing the land referred to can be inspected at the office of the Rabbit Inspector, Portland, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

Tenderers must state, in words and figures, the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve (12) months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender. The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed and poison laid to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve (12) months from the 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown land situated in the Shire of Portland, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Signed _____

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept the above tender.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspector, Portland, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION—SHIRE OF WARRNAMBOOL.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Framlingham East and West.

Tenderers must state, in words and figures, the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender.

The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above-mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Framlingham East and West, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Signed _____

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspectors, at Mortlake, Pannure, and Woodford, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.—SHIRE OF WARRNAMBOOL.—NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited for the destruction of rabbits on all the Crown lands situated in the parishes of Nullawarre, Luang, Narrawaturk, Mepunga, and Nirrauda.

Tenderers must state in words and figures the total sum for which they are prepared to undertake the destruction of the rabbits on this land and to keep the said land clear of rabbits during the twelve months from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, with the option of renewal by Chief Inspector for a further term of twelve months.

A deposit of £5 must accompany tender.

The work must be conducted, carried on, and completed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report thereon.

No restriction as to material to be used or means or appliances to be adopted will be made.

All burrows must be effectively destroyed to the satisfaction of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report on the work.

In the event of any contractor abandoning his contract before the completion thereof, he shall be liable to forfeit all claim to the amount (if any) to which he would otherwise be entitled for work performed up to the date of abandonment of the contract.

If any contractor fail to carry out his contract in a manner satisfactory to the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands to inspect and report, such contract may be at once terminated by the Department, and any money alleged to be due or claimed on account of work performed prior to the contract being terminated may be forfeited.

The successful tenderers must be prepared to enter upon the land for which their tender is accepted on the 1st of July next, and to at once commence operations for the destruction of the rabbits; and such operations must be continued from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, without intermission.

A grazing licence will be issued to successful tenderer for the land, and the sum of £1 5s. must be forwarded for rent and preparation of licence-fee.

Tenders to be forwarded, up to Noon on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1897, to the Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne, and addressed—"Tender for Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands."

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter, but the Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

The following undertaking must be signed by the successful tenderer:—

I, _____, of _____, do hereby undertake and agree to clear the undermentioned land of rabbits, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract, and to keep the said land clear of the above mentioned animals for a period of twelve months from 1st day of July, 1897, and further do undertake and agree to destroy all burrows; and to perform the whole of the work for the sum of _____ in accordance with conditions of tender, as published in the *Government Gazette* of _____

Payments quarterly, and only to be made on the certificate of the officer or officers appointed by the Minister of Lands that the work has been satisfactorily performed.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Land referred to in above undertaking.

All the Crown land situated in the parishes of Nullawarre, Luang, Narrawaturk, Mepunga, and Nirrauda, or any lands that may become forfeited during currency of contract.

Signed _____

Witness—
On behalf of the Government, I accept of the above tender.

Dated _____ 1897.

Signed _____

Minister of Lands.

Any further particulars required will be supplied as far as practicable on application, either by letter or personally, to the Rabbit Inspectors, Allan-ford and Warrnambool, or Chief Inspector, Lands Department, Melbourne.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 2nd June, 1897.

TENDERS FOR GRAZING LANDS.

Tenders must be sent in on proper form, which can be obtained on application to the Lands Department, Melbourne, or any of the Survey Offices in the country.

Tenders must be placed in the Crown Lands Office Tender-box not later than Twelve noon on Saturday, 26th June, 1897.

NOTE.—No tender will be accepted unless the fee for the period from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, and fee of Five shillings for Licence, are forwarded with the Tender.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Twelve noon on Saturday, 26th June, 1897, for the occupation, for grazing purposes only, of the following unappropriated portions of land, subject to the Regulations approved by the Governor in Council and also the subjoined special conditions.

Every licence granted under section 123 of the Land Act 1890 shall be subject to the conditions set forth in the schedule hereto and to such special conditions and payment in advance of such fee as the Minister may determine, and shall be issued by an officer of the Department of Lands and Survey duly authorized in that behalf.

Under section 7 of the Vermin Destruction Act 1890, all licensees under the section for which these licences will issue are liable for the destruction of rabbits within the boundaries of their licences.

Conditions :

1. The issue of this licence shall not prevent the land comprised therein, or any part or parts thereof, being sold, leased, licensed, alienated, or dealt with under any of the provisions of the Land Act 1890, except under the 123rd section thereof, under which the licence is issued, or being resumed by order of the Governor or Administrator of the Government of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, for any of the purposes for which land may be reserved under section 10 of the Land Act 1890, or for mining purposes.

2. In case the said land, or any part or parts thereof, shall be sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid, the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation other than the return of such portion of his licence-fee paid by him as the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering Division II. of the Land Act 1890 may think fit. This licence is also subject to the rights of the holders of miners' rights or of mining leases now issued or hereafter to be issued to enter upon the allotment hereby licensed, and to search for gold, and to mine therein, and to erect and occupy mining plant and machinery, without making any compensation for surfaces or other damage.

3. Subject to these conditions, the licensee shall be entitled to use the land for the purposes for which the licence has been granted, until notice has been given in the Government Gazette that such land, or any part thereof, has been sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid; and immediately upon such notice being given, all the interest of the licensee in the licensed land described in such notice shall cease and be determined, and any person entitled to occupy the licensed land, or any part thereof, may lawfully make entry upon and hold the same without the permission or sanction of the licensee or any one claiming under her, him, or them.

4. No land comprised in roads from time to time surveyed and marked out within the boundaries of the land comprised in this licence shall be deemed within its operation.

5. This licence entitles the holder thereof, during the period for which it is granted, to use the land therein comprised for depasturing purposes only, but does not confer any right to build thereon, or to cultivate or to fence any portion thereof.

6. If the licensee desire a renewal of this licence, notice that effect must be given to the responsible Minister aforesaid one month prior to the expiration thereof, but nothing herein contained shall be deemed to confer the right to any renewal.

7. The interest in this licence may not be transferred without the consent of the Minister aforesaid and the payment of a fee of £1.

8. No claim whatever shall be made or entertained by reason of the licence not being renewed or transferred.

9. This licence is to be used under and in accordance with the regulations made or to be made under the provisions of the said Act and for the time being in force.

10. This licence may be forfeited if the licensee commit a breach or neglect to comply with any of these conditions.

11. The publication of a notice in the Government Gazette, purporting to declare that the Governor or Administrator, with the advice aforesaid, has forfeited this licence, shall be conclusive evidence that the licence is forfeited.

12. The ring-backing of the timber upon the land by the licensee is expressly forbidden, nor is he entitled to destroy or cut and take away any such timber; and should he be found destroying, felling, or removing live or dead timber without a licence authorizing him so to do he will be prosecuted according to law.

13. The licensee shall destroy all thistles on the land, and on the half width of adjoining roads, and shall be responsible for the destruction of thistles under the Thistle Act in like manner as holders of freehold lands.

14. Free access to water shall be kept open at all times for travelling and other stock and also for persons desiring to take water for domestic supply.

Special Conditions :

1. The period of occupation will be for twelve months—from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

2. The fee for the period from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898—for which the licence will be issued, and fee for licence—must accompany the tender, otherwise the offer of the next highest tenderer who complies with this condition may be accepted.

3. Tenders to be for so much per lot and block per annum.

4. Separate tenders must be lodged for each block.

5. Tenders to be indorsed—"Tender for Lot 1, Block 457," or "Lot 2, Block 1048," or "Lot 3, Block 2401," as the case may be.

6. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

7. Tenderers must give their full name and ordinary postal address.

8. The areas are given as more or less, and all appropriated, alienated, or licensed land (if any) within the boundaries is excluded.

Plans can be seen and information may be obtained in this office.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897.

ARABAT, STAWELL, HAMILTON, AND HORSHAM DIVISIONS.

Lot 1. Grazing block (No. 457)—600 acres, the Mostyn Township reserve, parish of Mostyn.—(Hamilton, 1018/123.)

Lot 2. Grazing block (No. 1048)—770 acres, known as Darlot's Swamp reserve, parish of Longerenong.—(Horsham, 1582/123.)

Lot 3. Grazing block (No. 2401)—4,300 acres, the portion of Tchirree Timber reserve north of Blue Mountains, in parishes of Warrenmang, Barkly, and Tchirree, recently licensed to I. Friend.—(Forests, F.24167.)

Lot 4. Grazing block (No. 3584)—500 acres, reserved under section 110, being allotment 266A, parish of Ledcourt.—(Stawell, 18/123.)

Lot 5. Grazing block (No. 3722)—1,264 acres, allotments 1 and 2, parish of Glenwyllin, county Kara Kara.—(Stawell, 759/123.)

Lot 6. Grazing block (No. 3997)—115 acres, parish of Longerenong, being the Camping and Water reserve on main road from Horsham to Glenorchy, and east of J. Bodey.—(Horsham, 1580/123.)

Lot 7. Grazing block (No. 4124)—46 acres, the 102nd section reserve, parish of Ledcourt, adjoining John Chandler's grazing area.—(Stawell, 989/123.)

Lot 8. Grazing block (No. 4276)—5,620 acres, allotments 125, 124, 124A, 123, 112, 110, 108, 106, and reserve adjoining 105, 103, 104, parish of Awonga, and 37 and 38, Jallakin.—(Horsham, 1149/123.)

Lot 9. Grazing block (No. 4721)—482 acres, allotment 77, parish of Koonik Koonik, recently licensed to Thos. Marsh.—(Horsham, 2590/123.)

Lot 10. Grazing block (No. 4733)—141 acres, a reserve for Public purposes on Dunmunkle Creek, west of allotment 168, parish of Lallat.—(Horsham, 1988/123.)

Lot 11. Grazing block (No. 4982)—336 acres, allotment 8, parish of Edenhope, recently licensed to Collins.—(Hamilton, 1176/123.)

Lot 12. Grazing block (No. 4997)—38 acres, being the reserve around Mitre Rock, adjoining Oldham, parish of Arapiles.—(Horsham, 1607/123.)

Lot 13. Grazing block (No. 6022)—700 acres, allotment 60, parish of Tchirree, adjoining the Glenpatrick Common, on the south-west side of range, being portion of Tchirree State Forest.—(Forests, C.84288.)

Lot 14. Grazing block (No. 6180)—120 acres, parish of Dimboola, being the area south of road, south of allotments 90, 91, and 92, east of allotments 94, 96, 97, 3u, 3, and west of Wimmera River.—(Horsham, 1057/123.)

Lot 15. Grazing block (No. 6306)—81 acres, allotment 7, parish of Dopowora, formerly held under section 32 by M. Kiely.—(Horsham, 4944/32.)

Lot 16. Grazing block (No. 6314)—320 acres, allotments 27, parish of Tallageira, and 26c, Benayeo, recently licensed to A. W. Stephens.—(Horsham, 2835/123.)

Lot 17. Grazing block (No. 6396)—450 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 55a, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to W. H. Morish.—(Forests, F.1355.)

Lot 18. Grazing block (No. 6397)—453 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 55, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to W. H. Morish.—(Forests, M.71328.)

Lot 19. Grazing block (No. 6398)—871 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 56, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to W. H. Morish.—(Forests, M.71327.)

Lot 20. Grazing block (No. 6399)—960 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 54, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to W. H. Morish.—(Forests, F.1585.)

Lot 21. Grazing block (No. 6483)—970 acres, on west of Pyrenees, and east of allotments 24 and 14, parish of Glenpatrick.—(Forests, F.387.)

Lot 22. Grazing block (No. 6551)—350 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 51a, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to W. Morris.—(Forests, F.864.)

Lot 23. Grazing block (No. 6565)—2,100 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, bounded on the north by F. Leerson's block, the west by W. Williamson's and allotment 12 of section A; thence south and east by the forest boundary and Glenpatrick Common to a line south from Mount Avoca; thence to the south-west of F. Leerson's.—(Forests, 93/76.)

Lot 24. Grazing block (No. 6607)—320 acres, allotment 50, parish of Landsborough, in northern portion of Tchirree State Forest, and fronting 3-chain road, formerly licensed to C. Martin.—(Forests, F.771.)

Lot 25. Grazing block (No. 6618)—355 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 51b, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to G. Worthington.—(Forests, F.2274.)

Lot 26. Grazing block (No. 6620)—443 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 53b, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to Jas. Peacock.—(Forests, F.1512.)

Lot 27. Grazing block (No. 6622)—439 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 53c, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to Geo. Peacock.—(Forests, F.1513.)

Lot 28. Grazing block (No. 6774)—1,228 acres, allotments 47 and 49 of section 3, parish of Kentbruck.—(*Hamilton*, 1168/32.)

Lot 29. Grazing block (No. 6775)—20 acres, Water reserve, east and north of allotments 28A and 28B respectively, parish of Panyabyr.—(*Hamilton*, 609/123.)

Lot 30. Grazing block (No. 6777)—16,280 acres, near Heywood, being pastoral allotment J, county of Normanby, recently licensed to S. T. Kittson.—(*Hamilton*, 470/123.)

Lot 31. Grazing block (No. 6778)—17,300 acres, part of pastoral allotment H, parish of Kentbruck, county of Normanby.—(*Hamilton*, 1256/21.)

Lot 32. Grazing block (No. 6794)—425 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, allotment 50A, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to J. Hunter, jun.—(*Forests*, F. 2033.)

Lot 33. Grazing block (No. 6900)—763 acres, allotment 17, parish of Kanawinka, the forfeited leasehold of Margt. Buchan.—(*Hamilton*, 2161/32.)

Lot 34. Grazing block (No. 6991)—159 acres, the Camping and Water reserve, parish of Parrie Yalloak.—(*Ararat*, 1127/32.)

Lot 35. Grazing block (No. 6993)—421 acres, allotment 61, parish of Glenelg.—(*Hamilton*, 3298/32.)

Lot 36. Grazing block (No. 6997)—619 acres, allotment 47, parish of Mouzie.—(*Hamilton*, 1058/32.)

Lot 37. Grazing block (No. 6998)—822 acres, allotments 7B and 16, parish of Dunmore.—(*Hamilton*, 2035/32.)

Lot 38. Grazing block (No. 7010)—979 acres, allotments 104A and 105, parish of Kadnook.—(*Hamilton*, 578/32.)

Lot 39. Grazing block (No. 7011)—465 acres, allotment 5A, parish of Dunmore.—(*Hamilton*, 1370/32.)

Lot 40. Grazing block (No. 7012)—992 acres, allotments 12 and 13, parish of Drajurk.—(*Hamilton*, 344/32.)

Lot 41. Grazing block (No. 7014)—672 acres, allotments 5A and 6, section 8, parish of Myamyn.—(*Hamilton*, 3859/32.)

Lot 42. Grazing block (No. 7015)—291 acres, allotment 1B of section 24, parish of Bunnugal, the forfeited holding of T. Cameron.—(*Ararat*, 302/20.)

Lot 43. Grazing block (No. 7016)—673 acres, allotment 54, parish of Goroke, licensed to M. Tully.—(*Horsham*, 1892/123.)

Lot 44. Grazing block (No. 7025)—534 acres, allotment 37, parish of Moyston West.—(*Ararat*, 1593/32.)

Lot 45. Grazing block (No. 7026)—422 acres, part of allotment 53, in Tchirree State Forest, parish of Tchirree, recently licensed to Jas. Hardy.—(*Forests*, F. 2251.)

Lot 46. Grazing block (No. 7027)—430 acres, in Tchirree State Forest, formerly held by Wm. Witheomba, parish of Tchirree.—(*Forests*, F. 3511.)

Lot 47. Grazing block (No. 7028)—986 acres, allotments 45 and 46, parish of Moyston West.—(*Ararat*, 87/32.)

Lot 48. Grazing block (No. 7029)—594 acres, allotments 190, 191, 192, and 193, parish of Ledcourt.—(*Stawell*, 23/32.)

Lot 49. Grazing block (No. 7030)—60 acres, allotment 92, parish of Kiata, H. W. Salmon's forfeited leasehold and reserve adjoining, east of Kiata.—(*Horsham*, 3379/32.)

Lot 50. Grazing block (No. 7031)—2,370 acres, allotments 27, 28, and 29, of section A, and 28 and 29, of section C, parish of Yallakar.—(*Hamilton*, 1196/123.)

Lot 51. Grazing block (No. 7032)—671 acres, allotment 21, section A, parish of Durong.—(*Hamilton*, 1636/32.)

Lot 52. Grazing block (No. 7033)—10 acres, allotment 19, section A, parish of Glenautin.—(*Hamilton*, 2918/32.)

Lot 53. Grazing block (No. 7034)—5,670 acres, allotments 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, and 49, parish of Kentbruck.—(*Hamilton*, 865/32.)

Lot 54. Grazing block (No. 7035)—446 acres, allotment 10, section 2, parish of Warrack.—(*Hamilton*, 3481/32.)

Lot 55. Grazing block (No. 7036)—640 acres, allotment 9, section A, parish of Anya.—(*Hamilton*, 3190/32.)

Lot 56. Grazing block (No. 7037)—665 acres, allotment 48, parish of Monzie.—(*Hamilton*, 3517/32.)

Lot 57. Grazing block (No. 7038)—795 acres, allotment 41, parish of Hotspur.—(*Hamilton*, 3084/32.)

Lot 58. Grazing block (No. 7039)—813 acres, allotment 43, parish of Hotspur.—(*Hamilton*, 1172/32.)

Lot 59. Grazing block (No. 7040)—747 acres, allotment 30A, parish of Macarthur.—(*Hamilton*, 2796/32.)

Lot 60. Grazing block (No. 7041)—200 acres, allotment A, parish of Macarthur.—(*Hamilton*, 3762/32.)

Lot 61. Grazing block (No. 7042)—1,295 acres, allotments 46A and 48, parish of Woolpoor, recently licensed to G. Lewis.—(*Hamilton*, 1488/123.)

Lot 62. Grazing block (No. 7043)—659 acres, allotment 42, parish of Weecura, the forfeited holding of H. J. Clarke.—(*Hamilton*, 2265/32.)

Lot 63. Grazing block (No. 7044)—900 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 39, parish of Neuarpur.—(*Horsham*, 682/123.)

Lot 64. Grazing block (No. 7045)—740 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 36, parish of Neuarpur.—(*Horsham*, 683/119.)

Lot 65. Grazing block (No. 7046)—920 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 37, parish of Neuarpur.—(*Horsham*, 684/119.)

Lot 66. Grazing block (No. 7047)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 38, parish of Neuarpur.—(*Horsham*, 685/119.)

Lot 67. Grazing block (No. 7048)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 32, parish of Ding-a-ding.—(*Horsham*, 606/119.)

Lot 68. Grazing block (No. 7049)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 33, parish of Ding-a-ding.—(*Horsham*, 607/119.)

Lot 69. Grazing block (No. 7050)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 34, parish of Ding-a-ding.—(*Horsham*, 608/119.)

Lot 70. Grazing block (No. 7051)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 35, parish of Ding-a-ding.—(*Horsham*, 609/119.)

BENDIGO, CASTLEMAINE, SEYMOUR, AND ST. ARNAUD DIVISIONS.

Lot 71. Grazing block (No. 337)—800 acres, in Heathcote State Forest, situated on N.W. boundary of common, and recently licensed to Jno. Campbell, parish of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1561.)

Lot 72. Grazing block (No. 837)—45 acres, between the selections of Wm. McLeod (allotment 40A) and J. F. Wilson, parish of Banyena.—(*St. Arnaud*, 2250/123.)

Lot 73. Grazing block (No. 2350)—720 acres, in Warrowitue State Forest, allotment 51, parish of Warrowitue.—(*Forests*, F. 913.)

Lot 74. Grazing block (No. 2361)—860 acres, in Warrowitue State Forest, being allotment 17, parish of Warrowitue.—(*Forests*, F. 912.)

Lot 75. Grazing block (No. 6005)—230 acres, the unoccupied portion of allotments 17 and 20, parish of Sandon.—(*Castlemaine*, 2583/123.)

Lot 76. Grazing block (No. 6112)—3,000 acres, being allotments 15 and 16 of Warrowitue State Forest, parish of Warrowitue.—(*Forests*, F. 915.)

Lot 77. Grazing block (No. 6123)—1,100 acres, allotment 18 of Warrowitue State Forest, parish of Warrowitue.—(*Forests*, F. 914.)

Lot 78. Grazing block (No. 6163)—954 acres, the Pomppapial State Forest, parish of Pomppapial, divided into two portions by a road, the northern containing 716 acres, and the southern 248 acres.—(*Forests*, F. 726.) *NOTE*.—This reserve is offered for tender as a whole or in two blocks.

Lot 79. Grazing block (No. 6436)—7,900 acres, being block A, the western portion of the Kamarooka and Egerton State Forest, including the common, parishes of Neilborough and Whirraakee.—(*Forests*, F. 1973.) *NOTE*.—For cattle only.

*Lot 80. Grazing block (No. 6667)—1,360 acres, block 2, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1961.)

*Lot 81. Grazing block (No. 6668)—1,200 acres, block 3, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1962.)

*Lot 82. Grazing block (No. 6669)—1,320 acres, block 4, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1963.)

*Lot 83. Grazing block (No. 6670)—1,200 acres, block 5, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1085.)

*Lot 84. Grazing block (No. 6671)—850 acres, block 6, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1085.)

*Lot 85. Grazing block (No. 6672)—1,170 acres, block 7, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1964.)

*Lot 86. Grazing block (No. 6673)—1,620 acres, block 8, Warrowitue State Forest, situated between 5 and 12 miles east from township of Heathcote.—(*Forests*, F. 1965.)

*Lot 87. Grazing block (No. 6674)—1,600 acres, block 9, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1966.)

*Lot 88. Grazing block (No. 6675)—1,256 acres, block 10, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1967.)

*Lot 89. Grazing block (No. 6676)—1,470 acres, block 11, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1968.)

*Lot 90. Grazing block (No. 6677)—2,240 acres, block 12, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1969.)

*Lot 91. Grazing block (No. 6678)—1,250 acres, block 14, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 2909.)

*Lot 92. Grazing block (No. 6679)—850 acres, block 19, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 3238.)

*Lot 93. Grazing block (No. 6680)—700 acres, block 21, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 3239.)

*Lot 94. Grazing block (No. 6681)—480 acres, block 22, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1085.)

*Lot 95. Grazing block (No. 6682)—900 acres, block 23, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1085.)

*Lot 96. Grazing block (No. 6683)—600 acres, block 25, Warrowitue State Forest.—(*Forests*, F. 1085.)

*Plans can be seen at post-office, Heathcote, and at this office.

Lot 97. Grazing block (No. 6789)—305 acres, allotment 118B, parish of Moolerr, formerly licensed to Wm. Hyder.—(*St. Arnaud*, 2370/123.)

Lot 98. Grazing block (No. 6796)—15,000 acres, the portion of Mount Disappointment State Forest, parishes of Glenburnie, Clombiane, and Derril, north of the Dividing Range.—(*Seymour*, M. 74899.)

Lot 99. Grazing block (No. 6913)—740 acres, *green block C2*, parish of Barkly, recently licensed to David Dow.—(*St. Arnaud*, 2248/123.)

Lot 100. Grazing block (No. 7052)—5 acres, a reserve adjoining allotments 40B2 and 4, parish of Hawkestone.—(*Castlemaine*, 2377/123.)

Lot 101. Grazing block (No. 7053)—244 acres, between allotments 3A, 3B, 3C, 23A, 71, and 68, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, C. 86714.)

Lot 102. Grazing block (No. 7054)—340 acres, between allotments 60, and 61, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, C. 86714.)

Lot 103. Grazing block (No. 7055)—2,250 acres, the Timber reserve, recently held under licence as the Bealiba run.—(*Castlemaine*, C. 86714.)

Lot 104. Grazing block (No. 7056)—20 acres, allotment 21B, parish of Coconoor East, adjoining H. Mill's holding.—(*Castlemaine*, B. 3347.)

Lot 105. Grazing block (No. 7057)—345 acres, reserved for Water Supply, being allotment 12, parish of Kalpienung.—(*St. Arnaud*, 2975/123.)

Lot 106. Grazing block (No. 7058)—297 acres, the two reserves and allotment 10, on which are situated the Sands and Whim tanks fronting the main road, parish of Corack.—(*St. Arnaud*, 512/119.)

Lot 107. Grazing block (No. 7059)—406 acres, allotment 122A, parish of Moolerr.—(*St. Arnaud*, 1173/67.)

ALEXANDRA, OMEO, BEECHWORTH, AND BENALLA DIVISIONS.

Lot 108. Grazing block (No. 255)—16,000 acres, pastoral allotments J and G, parish of Kalk Kalk, county of Dargo, east of the Dargo River.—(Omeo, 948/123.)

Lot 109. Grazing block (No. 633)—22,000 acres, formerly known as Tambo North run, on Tambo River, county of Dargo.—(Omeo, 411/123.)

Lot 110. Grazing block (No. 690)—1,000 acres, the Timber reserve, parish of Kergunyah.—(Beechworth, 3963/123.)

Lot 111. Grazing block (No. 2620)—15,400 acres, pastoral allotment A, county of Delatite, parishes of Eurandelong and Wandiligong.—(Beechworth, 3622/123.)

Lot 112. Grazing block (No. 2900)—7,300 acres, allotments 31, 32, 33, 40, 41, 42, 50, and 53A, parish of Koostong.—(Beechworth, 3881/123.)

Lot 113. Grazing block (No. 3503)—20 acres, Crown land between allotment 3, section 8, and the Mitta Mitta River, parish of Bolga.—(Beechworth, 1835/119.)

Lot 114. Grazing block (No. 3293)—1,398 acres, the unselected portion of pastoral allotment C, county of Wonnangatta, parish of Howqua.—(Alexandra, 548/119.)

Lot 115. Grazing block (No. 3841)—62 acres, allotment 5, section F, and land to east of and adjoining Baxter's freehold, and north of the township of Boorgunyah, parish of Barnawartha North.—(Beechworth, 3047/123.)

Lot 116. Grazing block (No. 4082)—180 acres, the Timber reserve, allotments 38 and 75, parish of Strathmerton, adjoining the holdings of Allardyce, Blomley, and Bouchier.—(Benalla, 1097/123.)

Lot 117. Grazing block (No. 6104)—2,810 acres, allotments 45 and 46, and Crown lands between allotments 42 and 44, parish of Mooinp.—(Omeo, 370/123.)

Lot 118. Grazing block (No. 6294)—400 acres, the Timber reserve, Block 115, parish of Yielina.—(Benalla, 1564/123.)

Lot 119. Grazing block (No. 6447)—449 acres, allotments 27 and 37B, parish of Myrrieh, the forfeited holdings of Kane and Reas.—(Benalla, 1166/123.)

Lot 120. Grazing block (No. 6457)—807 acres, allotment 146, parish of Howqua West, recently licensed to R. Forsyth.—(Alexandra, 207/123.)

Lot 121. Grazing block (No. 6751)—3,150 acres, the remnant of the old Tarika run, county of Wonnangatta, parish of Howqua.—(Alexandra, 786/123.)

Lot 122. Grazing block (No. 6761)—320 acres, in the Timber reserve, parish of Tatonga, recently licensed to E. Kelly.—(Beechworth, 3465/123.)

Lot 123. Grazing block (No. 6800)—990 acres, allotment 44, parish of Bingo-Munjie South, recently licensed to R. King.—(Omeo, 458/123.)

Lot 124. Grazing block (No. 6801)—26,600 acres, pastoral allotment K, county of Bogong, recently licensed to G. S. Fitzgerald.—(Omeo, 329/123.)

Lot 125. Grazing block (No. 6817)—51 acres, parish of Yarraweay, being that portion of land reclaimed by levee erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 12 and 13A, section D.—(Benalla, 1372/123.)

Lot 126. Grazing block (No. 6848)—107 acres, parish of Yarraweay, being that portion of land reclaimed by levee erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 13 and 16, section D.—(Benalla, 1372/123.)

Lot 127. Grazing block (No. 6849)—87 acres, parish of Yarraweay, being that portion of land reclaimed by levee erected by Public Works Department, adjoining the Township reserve of Koonoomoo and allotments 4 and 15, section D.—(Benalla, 1372/123.)

Lot 128. Grazing block (No. 6850)—222 acres, parish of Yarraweay, being that portion of land reclaimed by levee erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 3, 19, 20, and 21A, section D.—(Benalla, 1372/123.)

Lot 129. Grazing block (No. 6857)—12,600 acres, pastoral allotment B, county of Wonnangatta, parish of Darlingford, recently licensed to G. G. Sawers.—(Alexandra, 890/123.)

Lot 130. Grazing block (No. 7018)—10 acres, being sections 13 and 14, township of Katanaitite.—(Benalla, H.3496.)

Lot 131. Grazing block (No. 7019)—720 acres, allotment 72, parish of Cudgawa, recently licensed to C. Wheeler.—(Beechworth, 3973/123.)

Lot 132. Grazing block (No. 7060)—482 acres, allotment 81, parish of Merrijig.—(Alexandra, 111/32.)

Lot 133. Grazing block (No. 7061)—705 acres, allotment 80, parish of Merrijig, on the Buttercup and Basin Creeks.—(Alexandra, 51/42.)

Lot 134. Grazing block (No. 7062)—101 acres, portion of allotment C, parish of Wappan, adjoining A. F. and W. A. Bon and C. Woodbridge.—(Alexandra, H.3659.)

Lot 135. Grazing block (No. 7063)—220 acres, allotment C, parish of Wappan, adjoining A. F. and W. A. Bon and J. Doak.—(Alexandra, 358/32.)

Lot 136. Grazing block (No. 7064)—320 acres, allotment 74, parish of Wappan, adjoining A. F. Bon and C. Woodbridge.—(Alexandra, 4925/19.)

Lot 137. Grazing block (No. 7065)—130 acres, parish of Gowangardie, being the north-eastern portion of the Nalinga township reserve, outside Agricultural College area.—(Benalla, 347/123.)

Lot 138. Grazing block (No. 7066)—11,500 acres, the western portion of pastoral allotment R, county of Dargo, parish of Tabberahera, excised for miners in the district.—(Omeo, 571/123.)

Lot 139. Grazing block (No. 7067)—1,600 acres, allotments 29 and 38, parish of Jingellie.—(Beechworth, 3349/123.)

Lot 140. Grazing block (No. 7068)—359 acres, allotment 57, parish of Colac Colac.—(Beechworth, 5881/32.)

Lot 141. Grazing block (No. 7069)—2,000 acres, allotments 34 and 35, parish of Mullagong.—(Beechworth, H.4393.)

Lot 142. Grazing block (No. 7070)—4,050 acres, allotments 15, 16, 16A, 25, 28, and D, parish of Dondangadale.—(Beechworth, H.4351.)

Lot 143. Grazing block (No. 7071)—303 acres, allotment 1 of section 2, parish of Carboor.—(Beechworth, 3824/123.)

Lot 144. Grazing block (No. 7072)—500 acres, subdivision G of the North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee North.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 145. Grazing block (No. 7073)—700 acres, subdivision F of the North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee North.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 146. Grazing block (No. 7074)—350 acres, subdivision A of North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, in parish of Wooragee.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 147. Grazing block (No. 7075)—220 acres, subdivision B of North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 148. Grazing block (No. 7076)—370 acres, subdivision C of North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 149. Grazing block (No. 7077)—470 acres, subdivision D of North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 150. Grazing block (No. 7078)—450 acres, subdivision E of North and South Wooragee Farmers' Common, parish of Wooragee and Wooragee North.—(Beechworth, 3578/123.)

Lot 151. Grazing block (No. 7079)—20 acres, allotments 3 and 3A, section 6, parish of Beethang, the frontage of Bungonia P. R., and recently excised from Village Settlement Reserve.—(Beechworth, 3018/123.)

ECHUCA, KERANG, AND MALLEE DIVISIONS.

Lot 152. Grazing block (No. 826)—400 acres, allotments 152 and 153, parish of Kanyapella, the Timber Reserve adjoining three-chain road and allotments 151, 152A, and 154.—(Echuca, 1804/123.)

Lot 153. Grazing block (No. 2032)—170 acres, unappropriated Crown lands, township of Terrick Terrick, parish of Terrick Terrick West.—(Echuca, 143/123.)

Lot 154. Grazing block (No. 2051)—100 acres, the 102nd section reserve, on Murray River, fronting allotment 5A, section A, parish of Murrabit West.—(Kerang, 1958/123.)

Lot 155. Grazing block (No. 3124)—126 acres, a Timber reserve, parish of Kanyapella, adjoining the three-chain road and P. P. Littlewood's holdings, allotments 154, 154A, 155A, and 155B.—(Echuca, 1802/123.)

Lot 156. Grazing block (No. 3125)—50 acres, the frontage on Goulburn River of allotments 161 and 163, parish of Kanyapella.—(Echuca, 1806/123.)

Lot 157. Grazing block (No. 3331)—71 acres, between P. P. Littlewood's allotment 162, section B, and Goulburn River, parish of Kanyapella.—(Echuca, 1805/123.)

Lot 158. Grazing block (No. 5072)—10,500 acres, in Gunbower State Forest, being allotments 85 to 124 inclusive, recently licensed to J. Watson, less portions excised for all purposes.—(Forests, F. 2091.) Note. (1) For cattle only. (2) Sawmillers to have right to graze.

Lot 159. Grazing block (No. 5073)—12,350 acres, in Gunbower State Forest, being allotments 55 to 84 inclusive, recently licensed to J. Watson, less portions excised for all purposes.—(Forests, F. 2092.) Note. (1) For cattle only. (2) Sawmillers to have right to graze.

Lot 160. Grazing block (No. 6194)—20 acres, the frontage on Goulburn River to allotment 159, parish of Kanyapella.—(Echuca, 1807/123.)

Lot 161. Grazing block (No. 6339)—30,000 acres, allotments 1 to 54A (inclusive), parish of Cohuna, on the Gunbower Island.—(Forests, F. 1241.) Note.—For cattle only.

Lot 162. Grazing block (No. 6350)—250 acres, Mineral Reserve, part of Mallee allotment 23, parish of Kunat Kunat, county of Tatchera, recently licensed to Wm. Coman.—(Mallee, 1138/123.)

Lot 163. Grazing block (No. 6566)—15,994 acres, Mallee allotment 131, county of Lowan, near Mortat, recently licensed to G. Reece.—(Mallee, 1805/123.)

Lot 164. Grazing block (No. 6568)—13,440 acres, Mallee allotment 192, county of Lowan, near Mortat, recently licensed to J. Mulraney.—(Mallee, 2532/123.)

Lot 165. Grazing block (No. 6576)—9,745 acres, Mallee allotment 134, county of Lowan, parish of Minimay.—(Mallee, 1715/123.)

Lot 166. Grazing block (No. 6763)—30 acres, south of Goulburn River, adjoining the three-chain road, the State School, and allotment 159, parish of Kanyapella.—(Echuca, 1803/123.)

Lot 167. Grazing block (No. 7080)—87 acres, adjoining Lake Tutcheroop, the Water channel, the one-chain road, and T. Davey's leasehold, parish of Boga.—(Kerang, 1038/123.)

Lot 168. Grazing block (No. 7081)—10,687 acres, Mallee allotment 25, county of Lowan, parish of Dalwedarre.—(Mallee, M.1360.)

Lot 169. Grazing block (No. 7082)—637 acres, Mallee allotment 212D, county of Lowan, parish of Duchembegarra.—(Mallee, M.1341.)

Lot 170. Grazing block (No. 7083)—119,978 acres, Mallee allotments 40A and 40B, county of Lowan, on South Australian Border, 15 miles north of Serviceton and north of vermin-proof fence.—(Mallee, M.1340.)

Lot 171. Grazing block (No. 7084)—3,213 acres, Mallee allotment 208A, county of Lowan, north of Arapiles.—(Mallee, M.1195.)

Lot 172. Grazing block (No. 7085)—7,185 acres, Mallee allotment 187, county of Lowan, in the "Little Desert," north of Minimay.—(Mallee, M.946.)

Lot 173. Grazing block (No. 7086)—793 acres, eastern portion of Mallee allotment 217C, county of Lowan, parish of Darragan.—(Mallee, M.549.)

Lot 174. Grazing block (No. 7087)—977 acres, Mallee allotments 5 and 9, county of Weeah, near Lake Hindmarsh, and recently licensed to M. Rees, jun.—(*Mallee*, 1803/123.)

Lot 175. Grazing block (No. 7088)—255,263 acres, Mallee blocks 39A and 39B, county of Weeah, on South Australian Border, 25 miles north of Serviceton.—(*Mallee*, 2535/123.)

Lot 176. Grazing block (No. 7089)—885 acres, Mallee allotment 165, county of Lowan, parish of Miram Piram.—(*Mallee*, 1415/123.)

Lot 177. Grazing block (No. 7090)—8,236 acres, Mallee allotment 176, county of Lowan, near Lillimur, recently licensed to C. D. Laud.—(*Mallee*, 1525/123.)

Lot 178. Grazing block (No. 7090A)—8,317 acres, Mallee allotment 177, county of Lowan, near Lillimur, recently licensed to C. D. Laud.—(*Mallee*, 1525/123.)

Lot 179. Grazing block (No. 7091)—11,900 acres, Mallee allotment 168, county of Lowan, near Lawloit, recently licensed to W. Mear.—(*Mallee*, 1608/123.)

Lot 180. Grazing block (No. 7092)—20,000 acres, Mallee allotment 121, county of Lowan, on the west of Wimmera, near Dimboola, recently licensed to J. McDonald.—(*Mallee*, 1677/123.)

BALLARAT, GEELONG, MELBOURNE, SALE, AND BAIRNSDALE DIVISIONS.

Lot 181. Grazing block (No. 81)—23,000 acres, at Mallacoota Inlet, parish of Wau Wauka West.—(*Bairnsdale*, 1498/123.)

Lot 182. Grazing block (No. 389)—10,000 acres, formerly known as Moe and Shady Creek runs, between Shady Creek, the main road, and northern boundary of Moe Swamp, parish of Yarragon.—(*Melbourne*, 1405/123.)

Lot 183. Grazing block (No. 738)—1,099 acres, allotments 146, 147, 148, 149, 152, 152A, and 153, parish of Bittern, being the land reserved for camping ground for travelling stock, and the land east of allotment 152.—(*Melbourne*, 2242/123.) *Note*.—Subject to right of stock *en route* for Phillip or French Islands to use it as a camping ground while detained for an opportunity to cross to these places.

Lot 184. Grazing block (No. 2090)—1,095 acres, east of allotments 13 and 14, south of allotments 41c, 41d, 42c, 42d, and 43c, west of allotments 17c, 17a, 17b, 17d, 17e, and 19, and north of the Southern Ocean, parish of Woolamal, exclusive of roads, school reserve, and 40 acres around huts, shafts, reservoir, &c.—(*Melbourne*, 1201/123.)

Lot 185. Grazing block (No. 4204)—13 acres, frontage to allotments 11 and 12, township of Fyansford, parish of Gheringham.—(*Geelong*, 456/123.)

Lot 186. Grazing block (No. 6325)—840 acres, west of and adjoining allotments 6 and 7 of section B, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, 93/957.)

Lot 187. Grazing block (No. 6330)—1,072 acres, in Raglan State Forest, adjoining allotment 11, and north of John McNaughton's 67th section block, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, F.895.)

Lot 188. Grazing block (No. 6331)—666 acres, being the portion of 67th section holding within the forest, parish of Langi-kal-kal, formerly held by T. Kewley.—(*Forests*, K.16782.)

Lot 189. Grazing block (No. 6332)—20 acres, between C. Loft's 67th section holding and the Trawalla Creek, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, F.1504.)

Lot 190. Grazing block (No. 6359)—90 acres, in the parish of Ondit, west of allotment 53a, parish of Turkeeth.—(*Geelong*, 465/119.)

Lot 191. Grazing block (No. 6372)—125 acres, allotment 21r, parish of Glencoe.—(*Sale*, 1293/123.)

Lot 192. Grazing block (No. 6857)—312 acres, allotment 20, section A, parish of Wallan Wallan.—(*Melbourne*, J.3707.)

Lot 192A. Grazing block (No. 6878)—1,450 acres, bounded by Dividing Range on north, the Kilmore water catchment area on east, allotments 4 of section K and 3 of section J on south, and road along east boundary of allotment 3, section K, on the west, parish of Wallan Wallan.—(*Melbourne*, T.3707.)

Lot 193. Grazing block (No. 6882)—750 acres, parish of Lexton, on the Bet Bet Creek, north of Sarah Eastwood's and west of Hy. Karshlake's holdings, formerly licensed to Geo. Laidlaw.—(*Ballarat*, 1506/123.)

Lot 194. Grazing block (No. 6889)—12,000 acres, being the remnant of Cape Otway run, parishes of Aire and Otway, recently licensed to E. H. Robinson.—(*Geelong*, 811/123.)

Lot 195. Grazing block (No. 6893)—10 acres, in the parish of Darnun, the island formed by Shady Creek, east of allotments 89A and 92, and west of allotment 60, parish of Yarragon.—(*Melbourne*, 2618/123.)

Lot 196. Grazing block (No. 7093)—19 acres, allotments 3 and 4 of section 13, township of Longwarry; this land is fenced.—(*Melbourne*, F.7730.)

Lot 197. Grazing block (No. 7094)—7 acres, allotment 25 of section 20, township of Leongatha, about six chains north-east of railway station.—(*Melbourne*, T.3569.)

Lot 198. Grazing block (No. 7095)—19 acres, allotment 77, parish of Warburton, near the State school.—(*Melbourne*, 534/65.)

Lot 199. Grazing block (No. 7096)—30 acres, at Settlement Point, township of Corinella, west of allotments 31 and 35, excluding sections A and B.—(*Melbourne*, T.7872.)

Lot 200. Grazing block (No. 7097)—9 acres, between sections 5 and 6, P. Slavin's grazing area, the main road, and the Saltwater River, township of Bulla.—(*Melbourne*, T.4883.)

Lot 201. Grazing block (No. 7098)—200 acres, allotment 39c, parish of Meehiyan, E. J. Catron's forfeited holding.—(*Melbourne*, 12645/19.)

Lot 202. Grazing block (No. 7099)—25 acres, south and west of allotment 10, section 8, township of Coalville.—(*Melbourne*, T.7955.)

Lot 203. Grazing block (No. 7100)—104 acres, allotment 49, parish of Woodside.—(*Melbourne*, 15578/32.)

Lot 204. Grazing block (No. 7101)—6 acres, between Jackson and Fisher (allotments 1, 12, and 13, section 8) and the railway line, township of Coalville.—(*Melbourne*, 1629/42.)

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST.

Lot 205. Grazing block (No. 253)—14,000 acres on New South Wales Border, parishes of Bendoc and Bondi.—(*Bairnsdale*, 537/119.)

Lot 206. Grazing block (No. 441)—16,000 acres, the Crown lands in parish of Wabonga South, including pastoral allotment O, being portion of the old Degamero run.—(*Beechworth*, 441/123.)

Lot 207. Grazing block (No. 2815)—350 acres, the reserve between Murray River and the Lagoon fronting Huon's P.R., allotments 1, section 20, and 1 and 2, section 21, parish of Wodonga.—(*Beechworth*, 3386/123.)

Lot 208. Grazing block (No. 4525)—770 acres, parish of Gobarrup, the portion of State Forest in south corner of parish formerly licensed to G. G. White.—(*Forests*, W.41931.)

Lot 209. Grazing block (No. 4526)—750 acres, parish of Gobarrup, the portion of State Forest in south-east corner of parish formerly licensed to G. G. White.—(*Forests*, W.41932.)

Lot 210. Grazing block (No. 6582)—11,680 acres, mallee allotment 189, county of Lowan, north of Mortat.—(*Mallee*, 1061/123.)

Lot 211. Grazing block (No. 7102)—160 acres, proposed Timber reserve in north-west corner of mallee allotment 1025, county of Karkarooe, north-east of Lake Hindmarsh.—(*Mallee*, M.1126.)

Lot 212. Grazing block (No. 7103)—73 acres, allotment 71A, parish of Dinyarrak, recently licensed to G. Ding.—(*Horsham*, 1240/123.)

Lot 213. Grazing block (No. 7104)—496 acres, allotments 96 and 97b, parish of Awonga, recently licensed to Jas. Burns.—(*Horsham*, 1093/123.)

Lot 214. Grazing block (No. 7105)—13,800 acres, pastoral allotment E, county of Normanby, parish of Cobhoboonee, formerly held by Wm. O'Halloran.—(*Hamilton*, 1475/21.) *Note*.—The fencing must be kept in repair.

Lot 215. Grazing block (No. 7106)—667 acres, parish of Langi Kal Kal, north of Trawalla Creek, recently licensed to Geo. Boyd.—(*Forests*, F.3933.)

Lot 216. Grazing block (No. 7107)—351 acres, allotment 30, parish of Wannasau, the forfeited holding of W. L. Squires.—(*Melbourne*, 1683/42.)

Lot 217. Grazing block (No. 7108)—20 acres, allotment 2, section 6, parish of Beethang, the frontage of Bungonia P.R., recently excised from Village Settlement reserve.—(*Beechworth*, 3410/123.)

Insolvency Notices.

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week ending the 9th day of June, 1897.

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.

Order *Nisi*, 16th March, 1897.—Order *Absolute*, 1st April, 1897.

James Francis McDonald, miner, Melbourne, Anderson.

Order *Nisi*, 2nd April, 1897.—Order *Absolute*, 29th April, 1897.

William Pascoe Rodda, agent, Hawksburn, Anderson.

3rd June.

Hagbarth Albert Hogarth, baker, Cheltenham, Shackell.

5th June.

Ernest William Herbert Blackham, civil servant, North Carlton, Jacobm.

Robert Love, ex-publican, Brunswick, Shackell.

Order *Nisi*, 22nd April, 1897.—Order *Absolute*, 3rd June, 1897.

John Simeon Elkington, barrister and solicitor, Melbourne, Shackell.

8th June.

John Sellers Ward, no occupation, Middle Brighton, Cohen.

Thomas Patrick McCarthy, grainer, Williamstown, Anderson.

9th June.

Charles Marriott Watson, solicitor, Melbourne, Shackell.

Order *Nisi*, 13th May, 1897.—Order *Absolute*, 27th May, 1897.

McKenzie and Kolbe, brush manufacturers, Melbourne, Shackell.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

Court of Insolvency,
Melbourne, 9th June, 1897.

In the Court of Insolvency at Ballarat.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of Walter Shuttlewood (No. 1319), of Victoria-street, Sebastopol, miner, and Martin Hynes (No. 1320), of Allendale, miner, have been sequestrated; and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be held at the Insolvency Court Office, at Ballarat, on Monday, the 14th day of June, A.D. 1897, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1896*.

Dated at Ballarat this 9th day of June, A.D. 1897.

W. DICKSON,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of James Francis McDonald, of Melbourne, miner, 90/2954; William Pascoe Rodda, of Hawksburn, agent, 90/2955; Hagharth Albert Hogarth, of Cheltenham, baker, 90/2956; Ernest William Herbert Blackham, of North Carlton, civil servant, 90/2957; Robert Love, of Brunswick, ex-publican, 90/2958; John Simeon Elkington, of Melbourne, barrister and solicitor, 90/2959; John Sellers Ward, of Middle Brighton, no occupation, 90/2960; Thomas Patrick McCarthy, of Williamstown, grainer, 90/2961; Charles Marriott Watson, of Melbourne, solicitor, 90/2962; McKenzie and Kolbe, of Melbourne, brush manufacturers, 90/2963, have been sequestrated; and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Monday, the 14th day of June, A.D. 1897, at the hour of half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated at Melbourne this 9th day of June, A.D. 1897.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Geelong.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Sydney Burgess of Geelong, fireman, has been sequestrated; and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Gheringhap-street, Geelong, on Monday, the 14th day of June, A.D. 1897, at the hour of Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated at Geelong this 9th day of June, A.D. 1897.

D. F. McGRATH,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Warragul.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of William James, of Korumburra, miner, and James Matthews, of Koo-wee-rip, village settler, and Henry Woodward, of Outtrim, miner, all in Victoria, have been sequestrated; and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Warragul, on Thursday, the 17th day of June, A.D. 1897, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated at Warragul this 8th day of June, A.D. 1897.

J. DYSON FARRAR,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Yarrowonga.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Thomas Tighe, of Yarrowonga, in the colony of Victoria, labourer, has been sequestrated; and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Yarrowonga, on Monday, the 14th day of June, A.D. 1897, at the hour of half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated at Yarrowonga this 3rd day of June, A.D. 1897.

JOHN M. HEWITT,
Chief Clerk.

Private Advertisements.

BRITISH NEW GUINEA.
GOVERNMENT LAND SALE.

THE Quarter-acre Township Blocks at Port Moresby hereunder specified are offered for sale by tender. Upset price of each block is £10. Improvements to the value of not less than £200 to be effected on each block within two years of date of acceptance of tender. If improvements not so effected sale to be void.

Tenders to be marked "Lands Tender," and to reach Government Secretary, Port Moresby, before the 31st day of July, 1897.

Tenders to be accompanied by deposit of Two pounds for each block. Deposit to be forfeited if terms of sale not duly fulfilled by purchaser.

Purchase money to be paid at Port Moresby within three months of acceptance of tender.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plan of blocks can be seen at the Department of Public Lands, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne; the Crown Lands Office, Bridge-street, Sydney; and the office of J. C. Smith, Esq., the Agent for British New Guinea, Kent-street, Sydney.

Township of Granville West.

- Sec. II. Allotments 11 and 14.
" III. Allotments 7 and 8.
" IV. Allotments 2 to 6.
" V. Allotments 2 to 4 and 7 to 10.
" VI. Allotments 6 to 14.

A. MUSGRAVE,
Government Secretary.

Port Moresby,
25th March, 1897.

No. 66.—JUNE 11, 1897.—5.

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Water Act 1890, Section 122.

KILMORE WATERWORKS TRUST.

NOTICE to the owners of allotments and tenements in the undermentioned streets:—The main pipe in the said streets being laid down the owners of all allotments and tenements situated as hereunder described are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of June next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cock to be laid so as to supply water from the main pipe within such premises.—Foot-street from the corner of Victoria-street six chains seven feet east; thence three chains forty feet south in Albert-street.

A. M. LUCKIE, Secretary Kilmore Waterworks Trust.
Kilmore, 25th May, 1897. 3031

SHIRE OF CRESWICK.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Shire of Creswick did, on the 1st day of April, 1897, appoint John Sloan, of Allendale, to be Rate Collector, Collector of Statistics, Dog Registrar, Inspector of Nuisances, Slaughter-yards, Dairies, Weights and Measures, and Inspector under the Width of Tires Act to the Shire of Creswick.

By order, DAVID McGRATH, President.

W. H. GORE, Secretary.

Shire Hall, Kingston, 4th June, 1897. 3263

SHIRE OF RODNEY.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A POUND AT KYABRAM.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Shire of Rodney has appointed the yards at Kyabram, known as McKenzie and Co.'s Sale-yards, as a pound, erected on lot 4 on plan of subdivision No. 849, being part of Crown allotment 3, parish of Kyabram East, county of Rodney. Certificate of title, vol. 2530, folio 505888, in accordance with the provisions of the *Pounds Act 1890*.

By order of the Council,

WM. ROONEY, Shire Secretary.

Tatura, 31st May, 1897. 3265

The Pounds Act 1890.

SHIRE OF RODNEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Shire of Rodney has appointed Wednesday in every week the day upon which all cattle not released from the pound shall be sold by auction under the provisions of the *Pounds Act 1890*.

By order of the Council,

WM. ROONEY, Shire Secretary.

Tatura, 31st May, 1897. 3266

SHIRE OF SOUTH BARWON.

BY-LAW No. 3.

A By-law of the Shire of South Barwon, made under section 191 of the *Local Government Act 1890*, and numbered 3, for regulating the speed at which cyclists shall ride through the streets and roads of the shire, and for the better regulation and government of riding and driving of bicycles and other velocipedes.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred in the *Local Government Act 1890*, the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of South Barwon order as follows:—

No person shall ride, drive, or impel a machine upon any footway made or set apart for the use of foot passengers.

Every person who rides, drives, or impels a machine during the hours between sunset and sunrise shall carry a lamp, which shall be attached to the machine, and shall be so constructed and placed as to exhibit a light in the direction in which he is proceeding, and such lamp shall be so lighted and kept lighted as to afford adequate means of signalling the approach and position of such machine.

Every person who rides, drives, or impels a machine shall keep the same upon the near or left-hand side of the roadway, and whenever he shall overtake or pass with such machine any waggon, cart, carriage, or other vehicle, or any horse or other beast of burden, or any foot passenger proceeding along or across the roadway, he shall, within a reasonable distance from and before passing such waggon, cart, or carriage, horse, or other beast of burden, or such foot passenger, by sounding a bell or whistle, give audible and sufficient warning of the approach of his machine.

Every person riding, driving, or impelling a machine who overtakes and passes any vehicle or any horse or other beast of burden shall keep such machine to the right or off side of such vehicle or animal.

In every case where a person riding, driving, or impelling a machine meets or overtakes any waggon, cart, or carriage, or any horse or other beast of burden, and where any animal drawing such waggon, cart, or carriage, or such horse or other beast of burden may, on such meeting or overtaking, become restive or alarmed, or may cease to be under the due control of the person for the time being in charge of such waggon, cart, or carriage, or such horse or other beast of burden, the person riding such machine shall dismount as speedily as possible, and shall continue dismounted so long as may be reasonably necessary.

No person riding, driving, or impelling a machine shall proceed at a greater speed than at the rate of eight miles an hour within the streets and roads of the shire.

The word machine throughout this by-law shall mean a bicycle, tricycle, or other velocipede.

Any person offending against or failing to observe this by-law shall, on conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

The above by-law was passed by the Council of the Shire of South Barwon on the 7th day of May, 1897, and confirmed by the Council at a meeting held on 4th day of June, 1897.

(SEAL)

E. W. GIBSON, President.

A. G. WHITE, Shire Secretary.

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Companies Act 1896 (60 Victoria No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, Baker and Rouse Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 4th day of June, 1897.

Fee	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3262
Stamp.		

Companies Act 1896 (60 Victoria No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, Fernewan and Company, Bendigo, Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 1st day of June, 1897.

5/- Stamp.	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3282
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Crabbe, Cohen, and Kirby, solicitors for the above company.

Companies Act 1896 (60 Victoria, No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, The Ashton Magazine Rifle Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 2nd day of June, 1897.

	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3327
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Companies Act 1896 (60 Victoria, No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, The Numurkah Leader Company Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 4th day of June, 1897.

Received Fee 5/ James Davidson, H.C.O. 4 June, '97. Collector of Imposts Stamps Acts.	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3328
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Companies Act 1896 (60 Victoria, No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, The Clements Hotel and Catering Company Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 7th day of June, 1897.

Fee 5s.	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3329
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Companies Act 1896—(60 Victoria No. 1482).
**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
 CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.**
THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, The Anglo Australian Milk Preserving Company Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the *Companies Act 1896* relating to proprietary companies.
 Dated this 3rd day of June, 1897.

Stamp 5/- cancelled.	EDWARD BARRETT, Deputy Registrar-General.	3317
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Davies and Campbell, 267 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the company.

The Companies Act.—In the matter of THE HEIGHTS OF MARIYBONGONG ESTATE COMPANY LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 128 of the *Companies Act 1896* that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the office of Messrs. Attenborough, Nunn, and Smith, 463 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of July, 1897, at Two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidators.
 Dated the 10th day of June, 1897.
 H. RYAN,
 CHARLES YOUNG, } Liquidators.
 Attenborough, Nunn, and Smith, 463 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the liquidators. 3338

V.R.—In the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria.—
Et. Et.—No. 42497.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff of the Midland Bailiwick, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Thomas Height, farmer, of Sandon, in the Midland Bailiwick of the Colony of Victoria, the said Sheriff will, on Wednesday, the 14th day of July, 1897, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, cause to be sold at the Court House, at Newstead, in the said colony (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the estate and interest (if any) of the said Thomas Height in and to all those pieces of land comprised in allotments 31 A1 and 31 A2, section 2, parish of Campbelltown, and allotment 29b, section 3, parish of Sandon, all in the county of Talbot.
 N.B.—Terms: Cash on the fall of the hammer. No cheques taken.

Dated at Castlemaine this 5th day of June, 1897.
 T. D. ARMSTRONG,
 Sheriff Officer, Castlemaine.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles William Charlesworth, of View-street, Bendigo, in the colony of Victoria, baker, has, by deed dated the 7th day of June, 1897, conveyed and assigned all his estate, property, and effects whatsoever and whosoever unto Charles George Turner, of No. 1 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said colony, manager, as trustee, upon trust for realization and otherwise for the benefit of the creditors of the said Charles William Charlesworth as in the said deed mentioned. All persons, having any claims against the estate are hereby required to send in the same, and the particulars thereof, to the said Charles George Turner, at No. 1 Queen-street, Melbourne, aforesaid, on or before the 12th day of July next, after which date the trustee will proceed to distribute the trust fund amongst those persons only of whose claims he shall have had notice.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1897.
 GILLOTT, BATES, & MOIR, National Mutual Buildings
 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the said trustee. 3297

JOHN COLLINS, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to a judgment of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, made "in the matter of the estate of James Ballantyne," and in an action *The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited* (administrator of the estate of James Ballantyne, deceased) *v.* Ballantyne and others, 1896, No. 1810, the persons claiming to be the next of kin to John Collins, late of Lake Cooper, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the 28th day of May, 1868), are, by their solicitors, on or before the 29th day of September, 1897, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Chief Clerk, Judges' Chambers, at the Law Courts, Melbourne, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment. Wednesday, the 13th day of October, 1897, at a quarter-past Two o'clock in the afternoon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.
 Dated the 7th day of April, 1897.

Stamp 5s.	HOPSON P. WALKER, Chief Clerk.
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NOTE.—The said John Collins was supposed to be the son of Edward Collins, of county Mayo, in Ireland, labourer, and Mary, formerly Neale. The said John Collins was married at Fitzroy, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, in 1863, then being of the age of 26 years.
 Davies and Campbell, 267 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, solicitors for the plaintiff. 3320

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—HENRY PLAYFORD,
 DECEASED.**

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Henry Playford, late of Collins and King streets, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, merchant and produce salesman, deceased (who died on the 27th day of January, 1897, and probate of whose will was granted to Henry Playford, of Asling-street, North Brighton, in the said colony, gentleman, the executor for his life named by and appointed by the said will, leave being reserved to John Kelly, of St. James, in the colony of Victoria, manager of the National Bank streets, Melbourne, and John Middleton Grigg, of Collins and King streets, Melbourne, business manager, to come in and prove the said will on the death of the said Henry Playford (the executor), are hereby required to send in, in writing, the particulars of such claims to Messrs. Ellison and Simpson, of National Mutual Buildings, 397 Collins-street, Melbourne aforesaid, solicitors, on or before the 12th day of July, 1897. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said Henry Playford will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry Playford, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And the said Henry Playford will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1897.
 ELLISON & SIMPSON, National Mutual Buildings, 397
 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executor. 3335

NOTICE TO CREDITORS RE EDWARD GAYNER ROBINSON, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Edward Gayner Robinson, late of "Boulah," Prospect Hill-road, Camberwell, commercial traveller, deceased (who died on the 15th day of April, 1897, and probate of whose will was, on the 31st day of May, 1897, granted to Henry Greer Robinson, of 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, agent, one of the executors named in and appointed by the said will, leave being reserved to Thomas Goodbody Robinson, of Coolgardie, Western Australia, to come in and prove the said will), are requested to send in to the said Henry Greer Robinson, at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, particulars in writing, of their claims, on or before the 15th day of July, 1897, after which date the said Henry Greer Robinson will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 2nd day of June, 1897.
MADDOCK, JOHNSON, & JAMESON, 445 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executor. 3315

JAMES DELARGY, late of the ship *Marion Ballantyne*, seaman, DECEASED, INTESTATE.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, all persons having any claim against the estate of the above-named James Delargy (and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to Walter Ernest Briggs, of Prell's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitor, the attorney under power of Sarah Crehen, of Framlingham, county of Middlesex, State of Massachusetts, United States of America, married woman, a sister of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said Walter Ernest Briggs, on or before the 12th day of July, 1897. And notice is hereby given that after that date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Delargy, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 3rd day of June, 1897.
WALTER BRIGGS & SON, Prell's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, proctors for the administrator. 3330

54 Vict. No. 1060, Sec. 76.
NOTICE.

CREDITORS and others having claims against any of the estates of the deceased persons whose names are hereunder set out are requested to send particulars of their claims to the Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons, Melbourne, by the 19th July, 1897, or they will be excluded from the distribution of the estates:—

ELIZA BECKER, No. 4 Bellevue-street, Richmond, married woman, died 18th May, 1897.
JAMES CLARK, Newry, labourer, died 26th November, 1896.
WALTER JAMES LAY, Kurrajong Heights, near Windsor, N.S.W., no occupation, died 16th April, 1897.
MARK MARKS, otherwise M. SOLOMON MARKS, 109 Peel-street, Windsor, no occupation, died 1st September, 1880 (with will annexed).
FREDERICK WILLIAMS, Murchison South, labourer, died 20th April, 1897.
HENRY WOODWARD, Mitchelltown, near Nagambie, labourer, died 11th May, 1897.

T. F. BRIDE,
Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons.
New Zealand Chambers, 483 Collins-street, Melbourne, 3th June, 1897. 3275

Mining Notices.

RICHMOND QUARTZ GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, REDBANK.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the Plough and Harrow Hotel, Napier-street, St. Arnaud, on Friday, 18th June, 1897, at Eight o'clock p.m.

Business:
1st. To take into consideration and determine the increase of the capital of the company by increasing the amount payable in respect to such share.
2nd. To consider the advisability or otherwise of allotting or disposing of the trust and forfeited shares in the hands of the company.
3rd. To authorize and empower the directors to dispose of the mine, or let the whole or portion thereof on tribute.
4th. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
3071 H. Y. THORN, Manager.

GREAT SOUTHERN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the office of the same, 352 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 30th day of June, 1897, at Three o'clock p.m.

Business:
To increase the capital of the company, in accordance with clause 231 of the *Companies Act 1890*.
To confirm the minutes of said meeting.
3225 W. H. MACLURCAN, Manager.

NEW DEFIANCE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BUNINYONG.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the Board-room, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 21st June, 1897, at Three p.m.

Business:
1. To authorize the directors to dispose of the company's property to a new company to be formed and registered, consisting of 30,000 shares of 5s. each, paid up to 1s. each, to be issued to shareholders in the present company at share for share; any surplus to be disposed of in such manner as the directors may deem best in the interests of the company.
2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board.
3305 ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

NORTH LOCH FVNE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the company will be held on 19th June, 1897, at half-past Eleven o'clock a.m., at 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to consider, and, if thought advisable, to pass the following resolutions:—

1. That the board of directors be authorized to sell and transfer the whole or any portion of the property and plant now held or hereafter acquired by the company for such price and on such terms as it may think fit, and to execute all deeds and documents necessary to carry any such sale and transfer into effect.
2. That the board of directors be authorized and instructed to distribute the proceeds accruing from any such sale amongst the shareholders for the time being, in proportion to the shares held by them.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,
373 Collins-street, Melbourne, 3rd June, 1897. 3224 JOHN BARKER, Manager.

B.B. QUARTZ GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company is hereby convened to be held at the office of the company, at Walhalla, on Saturday, the 26th day of June, 1897, at Eight o'clock p.m.

Business:
1. To alter and amend rule 24 of the rules of the company by striking out the words "One penny," and substituting the word "Threepence," thus giving the directors power to make an ordinary call of Threepence per share if necessary.
2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
3285 A. H. TRICKS, Manager.

BENDIGO GOLDEN STAR COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the company's office, Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at Five o'clock p.m.

Business:
To pass the following resolutions:—
That the directors be and are hereby empowered to give and execute to the Commercial Bank of Australia Limited such mortgages, bills of sale, or other instruments or assurances, or any of them, over the whole, or any of the property of the said company as the said bank may require for the purpose of securing to the said bank the repayment of all moneys now due to the said bank, and all moneys which may hereafter be advanced by the said bank, together with interest thereon, at the rate usually charged by the said bank on similar accounts.
To confirm the minutes of the said meeting.

3283 SAMUEL HENRY MCGOWAN, Manager.

NEWHAVEN G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

THE Second Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board-room, Chamber of Commerce, Malop-street, Geelong, on Wednesday, 30th June, 1897, at Three o'clock p.m.

Business:
To receive directors' and mining manager's reports, statement of accounts for half-year ending 30th May, 1897.
To elect three directors.
To elect two auditors.
General.
(SEAL) FRANK SHRIMPTON, Legal Manager.

Immediately after the General Meeting a Special Meeting will be held to consider letting the mine on tribute. 3284

GREAT SOUTH LONG TUNNEL EXTENDED COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company is hereby convened, and will be held at the registered office of the company, 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:—

1. To authorize the directors to purchase adjoining blocks.
2. To elect additional directors.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
By order,
412 Collins-street, Melbourne, 10th June, 1897. 3331 CH. GROENER, Manager.

**WELCOME STRANGER & STEWART'S HILL
AMALGAMATED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above company will be held at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, 18th inst., at half-past Three p.m.
Business: To reduce the number of directors from seven to three, or as the shareholders may direct.

3307 JAMES SHORTER, Manager.

**GLEN PATRICK EVERSLY GOLD MINING
COMPANY N. L., ELMHURST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the registered office of the company, 418 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 30th June, 1897.

Business:
1. To alter rules 5, 10, 13, 15, 20 in the articles of association in such manner as the shareholders may decide on.
2. To confirm minutes of this meeting.

(By order of the Board),
3309 JOHN L. IRVINE, Manager.

**GORAMBA QUEEN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders is hereby convened, and will be held at Great Western Hotel, King-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 29th June, 1897, at Eight p.m.

Business:
To authorize and empower the directors to dispose of the company's property; to fix the terms upon which the company's property shall be sold; to authorize the directors to let the whole or part of the mine on tribute.

To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
3310 HENRY K. BENNETT, Manager.

**THE BLACK DIAMOND COLLIERY COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, KORUMBURRA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company is hereby convened, and will be held at the office of the company, 235 Collins-street (next Age office), Melbourne, on Monday, 21st June, 1897, at half-past Three o'clock p.m.

Business:
1. To increase the capital of the company by increasing the amount payable in respect of each share to such extent as the meeting may decide.
2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

A. S. ABRAHAM, Manager.
235 Collins-street, Melbourne. 3311

**THE CHARLES DICKENS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the Charles Dickens Gold Mining Company No Liability will be held at the registered offices, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1897, at Four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

1. That rule 5 be rescinded and the following rule substituted, viz:—"The directors shall have full power to cancel an agreement dated the 12th day of September, 1896, and made between Laurence Ellson and Francis Parker Bolton of the one part and the company of the other part, relating to the purchase of the said lease No. 2625, together with all machinery and mining rights in connexion therewith, and to enter into and to carry into effect a fresh agreement with the Occidental Mining and Prospecting Association No Liability, for the purchase of the said property, upon such terms and conditions in all respects as the directors shall think fit."
Dated this 10th day of June, 1897.

By order of the Board,
3332 FRANCIS P. BOLTON, Manager.

**LONG TUNNEL GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, REEDY CREEK.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 1st) of One penny per share has been made, due and payable at the company's office, Sydney-street, Kilmore, on or before Wednesday, 14th July, 1897.

W. A. HICKEY, Manager. 3268
9th June, 1897.

**RICHARDSON'S NEW FIND GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WANDILIGONG.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 11th) of Five shillings per share upon the increased capital has been made upon all the contributing shares in the company, due and payable to me at the registered office of the company, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th July, 1897.

J. PRINCE CAMERON
(Meudell and Cameron), Manager. 3304
10th June, 1897.

**LANDY'S DREAM EXTENDED GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 6th) of One penny per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, the 9th of June, 1897, at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

By order of the Board,
3305 PHIL. TUCKETT, Manager.

**DIAMOND JUBILEE DEEP LEADS GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 3rd) of Sixpence per share has been made, due and payable at the registered office of the company, 341 Collins-street, Melbourne, on 9th day of June, 1897.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES D. DIXON, Manager. 3316
341 Collins-street, Melbourne.

**ELSIE AMALGAMATED G. M. CO.
NO LIABILITY, STEIGLITZ.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 38th) of One penny per share has been made upon the capital of the company, due and payable to the manager at the registered office, 325 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 9th June, 1897.

H. W. SINCLAIR, Manager. 3321
1st June, 1897.

**MAGNET OCCIDENTAL G. M. COMPANY NO
LIABILITY, MOUNT MAGNET, WEST AUSTRALIA.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 2nd) of One halfpenny per share has been made upon the capital of the company, due and payable to the manager at the registered office, 325 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 9th June, 1897.

H. W. SINCLAIR, Manager. 3322
31st May, 1897.

**SOUTH FEDERATION G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
SALTPETRE CREEK.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 31st) of One penny per share has been made upon the capital of the company, due and payable to the manager at the registered office, 325 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 9th June, 1897.

H. W. SINCLAIR, Manager. 3323
1st June, 1897.

**ROY'S LUCK NICKEL AND MINERAL COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, HEAZLEWOOD, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 3rd) of One penny per share has been made upon the capital of the company, due and payable to the manager at the registered office, 325 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 9th June, 1897.

H. W. SINCLAIR, Manager. 3324
31st May, 1897.

**CHERRY TREE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WANDILIGONG.**

NOTICE.—The Calls (1st and 2nd) of 13s. 4d. per share have been made, due and payable at the registered office of the company, 20 Queen's-walk, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 16th June, 1897.

WALTER H. GILL, Manager. 3325

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the New Magenta Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

- The name of the company is to be the New Magenta Gold Mining Company No Liability.
- The place of intended operations is at Matlock, Victoria.
- The registered office of the company will be situated at Walhalla.
- The value of the company's property, including mine and cash, is £1,150.
- The number of shares in the company is Eighteen thousand, of Five shillings each.
- The number of shares subscribed for is Fifteen thousand.
- The name of the manager is Arthur Henry Tricks.
- The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares
Joseph Renshaw, Walhalla, shire secretary	1,000
Robert Mill, Walhalla, hotelkeeper	1,000
John Browning Gilbert, Walhalla, battery manager	1,050
Henry Salmon, Walhalla, mining investor	1,000
H. C. Jones, Traralgon, financial agent	700
H. B. Walkers, Walhalla, mine manager	1,400
Arthur Henry Tricks, Walhalla, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	8,850
Arthur Henry Tricks, Walhalla, legal manager (in trust for the New Magenta Gold Mining Company)	3,000
Total	18,000

Dated this 8th day of June, 1897.
A. H. TRICKS, Manager.
Witness to signature—HENRY HARTRICK.

I, ARTHUR HENRY TRICKS, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

- I am the manager of the said intended company.
 - The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

A. H. TRICKS.
Taken before me this 8th day of June, 1897—R. THOMSON
J.P. 3279

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.
ROYAL MINT GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

I THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register the Royal Mint Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be Royal Mint Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of mining operations is at Club Terrace, Bemm River, Gippsland.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Nicholson-street, Orbost.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is £7,200.
5. The number of shares in the company is 28,800, of Five shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 14,400.
7. The name of the manager is Henry James.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	Number of Shares
Wm. J. G. Gluth, Orbost, hotel-keeper ...	450
Archibald B. Munro, Orbost, bootmaker ...	600
Charles Naylor Henderson, St. Kilda, gentleman ...	450
Lancelot Herbert, Orbost, storekeeper ...	300
Arthur Scott Saunders, Orbost, storekeeper ...	150
Henry James, Orbost, manager (in trust for various shareholders) ...	12,450
Henry James, Orbost, manager (in trust for the company) ...	14,450
	28,800

HENRY JAMES, Manager.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1897.
Witness to signature—GEORGE TEMPLE, J.P.

I, HENRY JAMES, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

HENRY JAMES.

Taken before me, at Orbost, this 31st day of May, 1897—
GEORGE TEMPLE, J.P. 3326

Saturday, 19th June, 1897.
ELLESMERE CONSOLIDATED GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares on which the 2nd call of Threepence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Beehive Mining Exchange, Bendigo, on Saturday, 19th June, at half-past Twelve p.m.

3264

J. H. CURNOW, Manager.

THE JOHNSONS REEF GOLD MINES COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CALIFORNIA GULLY, BENDIGO.

ALL shares upon which the 21st (May) call remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the rooms of Messrs. Keogh and Allard, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, by Mr. W. H. Allard, auctioneer, at Twelve noon, Monday, 21st June, 1897.

Melbourne, 8th June, 1897.

LOUIS WEICHARD, Manager. 3269

CLARENCE UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

WG. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Pall Mall, Bendigo, at Four p.m., on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, all shares on which the 49th call of Sixpence is then unpaid.

3280

J. H. CRAIG, Manager.

PRINCESS MAY GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

GH. HOBSON & CO. will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at half-past Twelve o'clock, on Saturday, the 19th day of June, 1897, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 32,000 on which the 8th call of One penny per share is then unpaid.

3281

J. H. McCOLL, Manager.

THE SLOANES AND SCOTCHMANS QUARTZ
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, STAWELL.

ALL shares in the above-named company on which the 128th or May call of Threepence per share is unpaid are now forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Commercial Hotel, Main-street, Stawell, at Four o'clock p.m., on Monday, the 21st day of June, 1897.

3287

P. GALBRAITH, Manager.

SOUTHERN AND PRENTICE UNITED GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

SIXTY undermentioned shares in the above company, forfeited for non-payment of the 29th call of Fourpence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 21st June, 1897, at Twelve noon:—

All shares numbered 30,001 to 60,000 on which the said call remains unpaid.

3296

JNO. CLARK, Manager.

RICHARDSON'S NEW FIND GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WANDLIGONG.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 9th and 10th calls of Five shillings per share each upon the increased capital will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at Eleven a.m., at the registered office of the company, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, unless the said calls be previously paid.

J. PRINCE CAMERON

(Meudell and Cameron), Manager.

10th June, 1897. 3300

RUTHERGLEN & CARLYLE PROPRIETARY GOLD
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 8th and previous calls will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at half-past Eleven a.m., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless the said calls be previously paid.

W. GRANT MEUDELL

(Meudell and Cameron), Manager.

10th June, 1897. 3301

NEW MORNING STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.

Registered Office: No. 408 Collins-street, Melbourne.
NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares in the above-named company on which the 35th call of Twopence per share, due 12th May, 1897, remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, without any further notice, by Messrs. Gemmell, Tuckett, and Co., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at Eleven o'clock a.m.

FRANK P. BURGESS, Manager.

Melbourne, 10th June, 1897. 3302

MAUDE & HOMEWARD BOUND UNITED GOLD
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of 5th call of One penny per share will be sold by auction, at the Stock Exchange, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, at Three p.m., on Monday, the 21st day of June, 1897, unless previously redeemed and expenses paid.

3303

ALFRED PFAFF, Manager.

NOTICE.

THE CRITERION & QUEENS JUBILEE GOLD
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares in the above company which have been forfeited for non-payment of 4th, 5th, and 6th calls will be sold by auction, at the Melbourne Exchange, by Messrs. Gemmell, Tuckett, on Saturday, the 19th June, 1897, at Twelve o'clock.

3304

W. ESSINGTON KING, Manager.

National Mutual Buildings, Collins-street, 9th June, 1897. 3312

GOLDEN FLEECE GOLD MINING COY.

NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

SALE OF FORFEITED SHARES.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of 20th call of One penny per share, due 12th May, 1897, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, on Saturday, the 19th day of June, 1897, at a quarter past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

3313

H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

NEW GLENPATRICK GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, ELMHURST.

ALL shares forfeited for the non-payment of 4th call of One shilling per share will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, Austral Chambers, 97 and 99 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 18th June, 1897, unless the said call is previously paid.

3314

ALEXR. McLENNAN, Manager.

97 and 99 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3340

CENTRAL CURTIN-DAVIS EXTENDED SILVER
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, DUNDAS,
TASMANIA.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company which have become forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of One penny per share shall be sold by public auction, by Messrs. Lemne and Haynes, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, at Twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 19th day of June, 1897, unless the said shares be previously redeemed.

3315

JAMES FOWLER, Manager.

104 Queen-street, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897. 3341

IDA MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for the non-payment of the 7th call of Threepence per share will be sold by auction, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Melbourne, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at half-past Eleven a.m.

3316

ARTHUR R. CANE, Manager.

418 Collins-street, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897. 3342

BALLARAT ALLUVIAL COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for the non-payment of the 2nd call of Sixpence per share will be sold by auction, at the company's office, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at Eleven a.m.

3317

ARTHUR R. CANE, Manager.

418 Collins-street, Melbourne, 9th June, 1897. 3343

LONDON & RED RUTH UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WANDLIGONG.

A 1/2 shares forfeited for non-payment of the 3rd call of 1 penny per share, due 12th May, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 19th June, 1897, at Twelve noon, unless previously redeemed.

THOS. HAMILTON, Manager.
60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3344

HERCULES CONSOLS COPPER-SILVER MINING CO. NO LIABILITY.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

THE undermentioned manager, give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 4th day of June, 1897, resolved on.

The mode adopted for the increase is by giving 30 shares of 2s. each to each one share of the 3,000 shares existing in the company, and by issuing 10,000 new shares of 2s. each in addition to the said existing shares.

G. M. FOSBERY
(Fosbery and Bloomfield),
Manager of the above-named company.
G. C. ROBINSON, } Directors of the above-
F. M. EDWARDS, } named company.
Dated 8th June, 1897, 418 Collins-street, Melbourne. 3298

Tenth Schedule.

RICHARDSON'S NEW FIND GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

THE undersigned manager, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 3rd day of June, 1897, resolved on. The mode adopted for the increase is by raising the amount of each of the One hundred shares existing in the company from Ten pounds to Twenty pounds.

J. PRINCE CAMERON
(Meudell and Cameron),
Manager of the above-named company.
T. L. STEWART, } Directors of the above-
W. WARRINGTON ROGERS, } named company.
Dated this 7th day of June, 1897. 3299

WELCOME STRANGER & STEWART'S HILL AMALGAMATED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the capital of the above company has been altered and increased from 960 shares of £25 each fully paid up to 50,000 shares of 10s. each, paid up to 4s.
3306

JAMES SHORTER, Manager.

THE VICTORY GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above-named company is situate at 455 Collins-street, Melbourne, and that the name of the manager is George William Shiels.

Given under the common seal of the company, at Melbourne, this 8th day of June, 1897.

For the Victory Gold Mining Company No Liability—
(SEAL) J. ALBERT HALL, } Directors.
E. W. L. FRENCH, }
GEORGE W. SHIELS, Manager.
3314

REYNOLDS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of Reynolds Gold Mining Company, No Liability has been removed to number 419 Bourke-street, Melbourne, and that the name of the manager is Thomas Sommerville.

Dated at Melbourne the 3rd day of June, 1897.
(SEAL) C. TAYLOR, } Directors.
J. CHATFIELD TYLER, }
THOS. SOMMERVILLE, Manager.
3319

Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the estate of LEWIS GLANCE, of Ireland-street, West Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, horse-dealer, an insolvent.

THE above-named Lewis Glance intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne, on the 2nd day of July, 1897, at the hour of half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and that the condition mentioned in section 139 of the said Act may be dispensed with.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1897.
3330 I. GLANCE.

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of JOHN HENRY HEAP, of King-street, West Melbourne, railway employe.

TAKE notice that I intend to apply, on Friday, the 2nd day of July, 1897, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge from my debts pursuant to the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1897.
3333 JOHN HENRY HEAP, the above-named insolvent.

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of JOHN TAYLOR, of 88 River-street, South Yarra, railway employe.

TAKE notice that I intend to apply, on Friday, the 2nd day of July, 1897, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge from my debts pursuant to the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1897.
3334 JOHN TAYLOR, the above-named insolvent.

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the matter of JOHN EDWARD THOMAS, of Bourke-street, Melbourne, clerk.

THOMAS O'LOGHLEN REYNOLDS, of 213 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, law clerk, have been duly elected trustee of the estate of the above-named insolvent. All property of insolvent must be delivered to me, and all proofs of debts should be forwarded to me.

Dated the 10th day of June, 1897.
3335 THOS. O'L. REYNOLDS.

Insolvency.—Hamilton Court.—*Re* GEORGE MCKNIGHT, of Chetwynd, storekeeper.

FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the £1 sterling now payable to admitted creditors.
Hamilton, 8th June, 1897.
3272 R. E. GILES, Assignee.

A SECOND and Final Dividend in the insolvent estate of Abraham E. Levy, late of Bourke-street, Melbourne, now of "parts beyond the seas," tailor, will be payable at our offices, 6, 7, and 8 Fink Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, on and after Monday, 7th June, 1897.

EGGLESTON, WOOTTON, and FULLER, accountants and trade assignees. 3318

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Geelong.—In the matter of ALLIOTT HOPKINS, of Geelong, secretary.

FOURTH Dividend in this estate will be payable at my office, 95 Yarra-street, Geelong, on and after the 14th day of June, 1897, to creditors who have proved their debts.
3270 C. J. MEAD, Assignee.

Impoundings.

A RARAT.—Impounded at Ararat Shire Pound, 29th May, 1897, by Mr. John Jackson, Colvisby.

424. Light red or yellow and white cow, like N off rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.

3276—4/1 F. B. GIBSON, Poundkeeper.

B ALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat Shire Pound.

1 red cow, star, no visible brand
1 iron-grey mare, light face, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th July, 1897.

3345—4/1 GEO. BROWN, Poundkeeper.

B ANNOCKBURN.—Impounded at Bannockburn, 7th June, 1897, by George Capran, Darriwell.

1 bay pony horse, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.

3291—4/1 JAMES GILLAN, Poundkeeper.

B EAUFORT.—Impounded at Beaufort.

1 red and white steer, off ear slit, no visible brand
1 red steer, hole in off ear, no visible brand
1 red and white steer, off ear slit, WS off rump
1 red and white heifer, front quarter off off ear, no visible brand
1 brindle and red cow, little white on face and belly, no visible brand
1 red and white heifer, B off rump
1 red and white steer, B off rump
1 red and white heifer, like 8 off rump
1 black and white cow, off ear notched, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 26th June, 1897.

3274—9/4 W. G. STEVENS, Poundkeeper.

B IRCHIP.—Impounded at Birchip, by Edward Ryan.

1 bay mare, hack, branded like PP near shoulder, and like JJ on off shoulder, small star, off hind fetlock white
1 bay mare, hack, saddle marked, mane slightly cut, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.

The brands on the dark strawberry cow, advertised in *Gazette* of 28th May as to be sold on 19th June, now show like bar in circle over SM off rump.

3346—7/7 ROBT. GORRIE, Poundkeeper.

BRAYBROOK.—Impounded at Braybrook.

- 1 black horse, star, hind feet white, like M off shoulder
 1 bay horse, hack, star, off hind foot white, no visible brand
 1 brown mare, hack, star, near hind foot white, lump near knee, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th July, 1897.

3337—5/3

J. O'SHANESEY,
Poundkeeper.

CARLSRUHE.—Impounded at Carlsruhe, 7th June, 1897, by Inspector Ward.

- 1 bay filly foal, yearling, running star and snip, like C or G near shoulder
 1 bay filly foal, yearling, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th July, 1897.

3286—5/3

WM. MURPHY,
Poundkeeper.

CHILTERN.—Impounded at Chiltern Shire Pound, 4th June 1897, by S. B. Barlow and Sons.

- 1 bay horse, like CCO near shoulder
 JD
 1 yearling spotted bull, no visible brand
 1 red steer, like O off rump, slit and top off off ear
 1 red and white spotted bull calf, no visible brand
 1 red steer, white face, piece out both ears, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th July, 1897.

3292—7/1

THOMAS FINDLAY,
Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick Borough Pound, by C. Morris for Mrs. Morris.

- 1 red and white or strawberry heifer, white spot on forehead, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 28th June, 1897.

3288—4/8

ROBERT WALL,
Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick Shire Pound, by James Dempsey.

- 1 dark-brown mare, broken knees, much enlarged, no visible brand

By A. Graham for T. O. Miller.

- 2 young steers, red and white spotted, and red and white face, belly, and tail, slit near ears, top off off ears

By William Dunne.

- 1 brown mare, knees freshly broken, shod, three white feet, blaze, short tail, blotch mark near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.

3347—8/2

WM. GANE,
Poundkeeper.

DONALD.—Impounded at Donald, by herdsman, Boloko Common, 4th June, 1897.

- 1 red steer, white about face, branded like 1P near loin
 1 red heifer, white face and belly, no visible brand
 1 red heifer, 1 over — near rump
 1 white heifer, like CM off rump
 1 brindled heifer, front quarter and crop near ear, front quarter and slit off ear
 1 white two-year-old steer, no visible brand
 1 red heifer calf, two slits off ear
 1 black steer, white about face, front quarter near ear, slit off ear

- 1 red three-year-old heifer, white face, no visible brand
 4 head of two-year-olds, various colours, branded S near rump, punched hole near ear

- 1 dark-brown steer, white about face, piece off back near ear
 1 brown heifer, tip off ear, two slits and front quarter, slit near ear

- 1 brindle heifer, little white on face, front quarter and crop near ear, front quarter and slit off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 28th June, 1897.

On 8th June, by the herdsman.

- 2 black or brown small ponies, long tails, grey about their heads, branded PD near shoulder

- 1 black mare, hack, branded A near shoulder
 1 bay mare, star, hind feet white, saddle marked, branded W over — near shoulder

- 1 dark-bay mare, star, hind legs white, GM5 near shoulder
 1 black draught horse, star and snip, JS near shoulder

- 1 bay colt, light bred, about two years old, illegible brand near shoulder, small star

- 1 bay heavy draught mare, star and small snip, near hind foot white, no visible brand

- 1 bay heavy draught horse, hind feet white, star, aged, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th July, 1897.

3293—23/11

ALEX. CAMERON,
Poundkeeper.

DIGBY.—Impounded at Digby, by herdsman of Digby Common, 25th May, 1897.

65. Chestnut colt, star in forehead, near hind foot white, no visible brand

On 7th June, by Thomas Burgess.

67. Long-wool wether, back quarter off ear, notch near ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.

3349—5/10

NATH. B. BURGESS,
Poundkeeper.

DRYSDALE.—Impounded at Drysdale, by Mr. Harvey, Paywit.

- 1 heifer, red, white spots on belly

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.

3348—4/1

AGNEW FERGUSON,
Poundkeeper.

FERNTREE GULLY.—Impounded at Ferntree Gully, 5th June, 1897, by Mr. Selman.

- 1 red and white heifer, branded like HW off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th July, 1897.

3350—4/1

JOHN MASON,
Poundkeeper.

GUNBOWER.—Impounded at Gunbower.—Damages £1.

- 1 red and white spotted steer, branded like Z near rump.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.

3366—3/6

J. C. MAHER,
Poundkeeper.

HORSHAM.—Impounded at Horsham, 30th May, 1897, by W. Modra.

- 1 iron-grey mare, hac k \geq 30 near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 25th June, 1897.

3273—4/1

JOHN HEALEY,
Poundkeeper.

HORSHAM.—Impounded at Horsham, 4th June, 1897, by the town ranger.

- 1 brown mare, star, collar marked, SP near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd July, 1897.

3352—4/1

JOHN HEALEY,
Poundkeeper.

JEPARIT.—Impounded at Jeparit, 5th June, 1897.

- 1 bay mare, foal at foot, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.

3353—3/6

JOHN HAMILL,
Poundkeeper.

KEW.—Impounded at Glass' Creek, by Borough Inspector.

- 1 bay mare, black points, saddle marked, slight star, switch tail, shod, near knee scarred, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th July, 1897.

3351—4/1

E. M. OSWIN,
Poundkeeper.

MALDON.—Impounded at Maldon Shire Pound.

- 1 bay mare (hack), S on near shoulder

- 1 chestnut mare (hack), no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.

3289—4/1

PETER BYRNE,
Poundkeeper.

MOOROPNA.—Notice.—The grey mare advertised to be sold on the 16th June should have read T near shoulder, AB near rump.

To be sold on 30th June, 1897.

3354—3/6

M. PHILLIPS,
Poundkeeper.

NEWHAM.—Impounded at Newham Shire Pound, 7th June, 1897, by Mr. John Barker.—Damages 7s. 6d.

26. Strawberry steer, red spots, fat, off horn turned down and broken, near horn fractured, no visible brands.

On 8th June, by Mr. R. Nicholson.

27. Light-red heifer calf, BM near rump, both ears marked

28. Light-red heifer calf, BM near rump, both ears marked

29. Roan heifer calf, BM near rump, both ears marked

30. Black and white heifer calf, BM near rump, both ears marked

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th July, 1897.

3277—8/2

ALFRED CLARINGBOLD,
Poundkeeper.

NEWSTEAD.—Impounded at Newstead Shire Pound.
 1 red and white heifer, like C off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 W. W. WHITCHER,
 Poundkeeper.
 3353—3/6

NUNAWADING.—Impounded at Nunawading Shire Pound.
 1 bay mare, J1D off shoulder, near hind foot white
 1 bay horse, MG near shoulder, hind feet white
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th July, 1897.
 S. J. BURNETT,
 Poundkeeper.
 3355—4/1

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley, 8th June, 1897, by John Jack.
 185. Red steer, piece out of back of off ear, half circle over CM off ribs
 Also by T. King.
 186. Red and white spotted stag, top off off ear, off wall-eyed, blotch brand off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 J. R. KENNEDY,
 Poundkeeper.
 3278—6/5

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley, 9th June, 1897, by J. B. Docker.
 187. Chestnut horse, white face, white feet, T lying under E off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 J. R. KENNEDY,
 Poundkeeper.
 3364—4/8

QUAMBATOOK.—Impounded at Quambatook.
 1 red heifer, yearling, near ear slit, star
 1 red heifer, white on belly, no visible brand
 1 red heifer, white on belly, no visible brand
 1 white and red heifer, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.
 THOMAS MAHER,
 Poundkeeper.
 3356—5/3

RUNNYMEDE.—Impounded at Runnymede, by P. Howard, Esq.
 18. Brown mare, near hind foot white, long tail, branded like half-circle over HP conjoined over LO near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st July, 1897.
 F. W. BURGOYNE,
 Poundkeeper.
 3357—4/8

SHEEP HILLS.—Impounded at Sheep Hills, by Mr. M. McLean.
 64. Red and white steer calf, blind off eye, no visible brand
 65. Red and white steer calf, short tail, no visible brand
 66. White and red heifer calf, no visible brand
 67. White and red steer calf, slit off ear, no visible brand
 68. White and red heifer, no visible brand
 69. Red and white spotted heifer calf, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.
 R. H. STAINTHORPE,
 Poundkeeper.
 3295—7/-

SHEPPARTON.—Impounded at Shepparton.
 1 red and white milking cow, like R off rump, top of horns broken
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th June, 1897.
 CHAS. DUDLEY,
 Poundkeeper.
 3358—4/1

TALBOT.—Impounded at Talbot Shire Pound, 7th June, 1897.
 1 chestnut colt, star, M near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 D. M. McINTOSH,
 Acting Poundkeeper.
 3359—4/1

TALLANGATTA.—Impounded at Tallangatta, 7th June, 1897.
 1 chestnut gelding, like JJ (reversed) near shoulder, off hind foot white, near hip down, spots on back
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 W. L. CARKEEK,
 Poundkeeper.
 3360—4/8

TUNGAMAH.—Impounded at Tungamah Shire Pound 3rd June, 1897, by J. McCarty.
 1 bay saddle horse, aged, star and snip, white spots on back, like W near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd July, 1897.
 S. J. CARRICK,
 Poundkeeper.
 3365—4/8

WANGARATTA.—Impounded at Wangaratta.
 1 black colt, foal, star and snip, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 26th June, 1897.
 B. CANNY,
 Poundkeeper.
 3267—3/6

WORANGA.—Impounded at Woranga, by H. E. Kittson.
 1 red steer, full ears, small star, no visible brand
 1 red heifer, white belly, point off off ear, like P off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd July, 1897.
 JOHN RAY,
 Poundkeeper.
 3361—4/1

POUNDKEEPERS' REMITTANCES.

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

1897.	£	s.	d.
June 4.—J. Healey	0	5	0
June 4.—W. G. Stevens	0	0	0
June 8.—B. Canny	1	0	0
June 10.—E. M. Oswin	0	4	8
June 10.—R. Gorrie	0	7	6
June 10.—J. Hamill	0	4	0
June 10.—E. W. Burgoyne	0	4	0
June 10.—N. R. Burgess	0	5	0
June 10.—A. Ferguson	0	5	0
June 10.—J. Ray	0	5	0
June 10.—W. Cane	1	0	0
June 10.—G. Brown	0	4	1
June 10.—T. Maher	0	5	0
June 10.—D. M. McIntosh, acting	0	3	0
June 10.—J. Healey	0	4	0
June 10.—M. Phillips	0	4	0
June 10.—W. L. Carkeek	0	5	0

ROBT. S. BRAIN,
 Government Printer.

Melbourne, 11th June, 1897.

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