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THE ROYAL ASSENT TO AN ACT OF PARLIAMENT.

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 *Constitution Statute* it was amongst other things enacted that the provisions of the Act of the fourteenth year of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-nine, and of the Act of the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy-six, *For the Government of New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land*, which relate to the giving and withholding of Her Majesty's assent to Bills, and the reservation of Bills for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, and the instructions to be conveyed to Governors for their guidance in relation to the matters aforesaid, and the disallowance of Bills by Her Majesty should apply to Bills to be passed by the Legislative Council and Assembly constituted under the *Constitution Act of Victoria* and the now reciting Statute and by any other Legislative body or bodies which may at any time hereafter be substituted for the present Legislative Council and Assembly: And whereas the Bill hereinafter mentioned was reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon: And whereas by an Order of the Queen in Council made on the eighteenth day of May, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, a copy whereof is hereto appended, Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the said Bill: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, in pursuance of the provisions of the aforesaid Acts, do by this my Proclamation signify that the Bill the title whereof is herein set forth, that is to say,

"An Act providing for the continuance in force for certain limited times of the Rates of Reductions of Salaries provided for in the *Special and other Appropriations Retrenchment Act 1893*,"

which was reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
ISAAC A. ISAACS.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

At the Court at Windsor, the eighteenth day of May, 1897.

PRESENT:

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President	Earl of Kintore
Duke of Norfolk	Chief Justice Way.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's reign, entitled *An Act for the Government of New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land*, it is amongst other things enacted that no Bill which shall be reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon shall have any force or authority within the Colony of New South Wales until the Governor of the said Colony shall signify either by speech or message to the Legislative Council of the said Colony, or by

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Proclamation as therein aforesaid, that such Bill has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, and that Her Majesty has been pleased to assent to the same:

And whereas by another Act passed in the thirteenth and fourteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, entitled *An Act for the better Government of Her Majesty's Australian Colonies*, it was provided, among other things, that the provisions of the said former Act concerning the reservation of Bills for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon should apply to and be in force in the Colony of Victoria:

And whereas the said provisions were maintained in force as regards Bills passed by the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of the said Colony, by a subsequent Act passed in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of the reign of Her said Majesty, entitled *An Act to enable Her Majesty to assent to a Bill as amended of the Legislature of Victoria, to establish a Constitution in and for the Colony of Victoria*:

And whereas the Governor of the said Colony of Victoria has reserved a certain Bill passed by the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of the said Colony, entitled *An Act providing for the continuance in force for certain limited times of the Rates of Reductions of Salaries provided for in the Special and other Appropriations Retrenchment Act 1893*, for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon:

And whereas the said Bill so reserved as aforesaid has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, and it is expedient that the said Bill should be assented to by Her Majesty:

Now therefore Her Majesty, in pursuance of the said Acts, and in exercise of the powers thereby reserved to Her Majesty as aforesaid, doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, declare her assent to the said Bill.

C. L. PEEL.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY IN THE SHIRE OF BACCHUS MARSH.

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.

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in the *Public Service Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1133, Part VI., section 135), I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this my Proclamation appoint

THURSDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF JULY INSTANT,

to be observed as a Public Holiday throughout the Shire of Bacchus Marsh.*

* For Races.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

APPOINTMENTS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

Electoral Registrar,

AMELIA HALL, of Balmarring,

to be the Electoral Registrar for the Balmarring Division of the Electoral District of Mornington, *vice* Peter Nowlan deceased.

Deputy Electoral Registrars,

JOHN J. COPPLESTONE, of Yarraville,

to be a Deputy Electoral Registrar for the Yarraville Division of the Electoral District of Footscray, *vice* James Palmer resigned;

HENRY MANN, of Flinders,

to be a Deputy Electoral Registrar for the Flinders Division of the Electoral District of Mornington, *vice* Peter Nowlan deceased.

Registrars of Births and Deaths,

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

- Flinders ... HENRY MANN, *vice* Peter Nowlan deceased;
- Glenthompson ... SARAH DARCY, Acting, *vice* Thomas Scott resigned;
- Little River ... FLORENCE F. DENT, *vice* Angus Naughton resigned;
- Mt. Koring Registration District ... JOHN J. CAHILL, of Wedderburn, *vice* Robert Steel resigned.
- Terrick Terrick ... JOHN LEAHY, *vice* Margaret Davies resigned;
- Toora ... ISAAC CHURCHLAND, *vice* Alice M. Pothergill resigned.

Medical Practitioner to Examine Lunatics,

ANDREW SHIELDS, Esq., M.D.,

to be a Medical Practitioner to examine patients in the Metropolitan Lunatic Asylum at Kew, when directed by the Chief Secretary to do so (*Lunacy Act 1890*, section 81).

Attendants, Lunatic Asylums,

SARAH DOROTEA GRAU

to be an Artisan Attendant (Assistant Laundress), Hospitals for the Insane, on probation for twelve months, from the 1st July, 1897, *vice* F. C. Scott resigned;

ANN BAKER

to be an Attendant, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, on probation for twelve months, from the 1st July, 1897, *vice* Mary A. Whelan resigned; and

MARY KELLEHER

to be an Attendant, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, on probation for twelve months, from the 5th July, 1897, *vice* Agnes Walsh 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.

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Sworn Valuers,

The gentlemen named hereunder to be Sworn Valuers, under the provisions of the *Transfer of Land Act 1892*, viz.:-

Name and Address.	Place or District.
ARTHUR SYDNEY BAILLIEU, of Melbourne	County of Bourke;
WILLIAM MORRISON BROWN, of Mooroopna	Shire of Rodney;
TIMOTHY MURPHY, of Tongala. (To date from the 1st August, 1897)	County of Rodney.

DEPARTMENT OF SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

Magistrates,

JOHN ALSOP, Esq., Savings Bank Actuary, and JAMES COPPER JOHNSTON, Esq., Health Officer, &c., Point Nepean,

- to Keep the Peace in the Central Bailiwick; and
- DENIS LONG, Esq., of Bulgoback,
- to Keep the Peace in the Eastern Bailiwick of Victoria.

Clerk of Petty Sessions,

WALTER VEITCH (Officer of the Treasury)

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting) at Tallangatta, *vice* J. A. Warnock relieved.

Assignee of Insolvent Estates,

FREDERICK HENRY EDWARDS, Esq.,

to be an Assignee of Insolvent Estates for the Midland Insolvency District, from the 16th July, 1897, inclusive, acting at Mildura, *vice* N. B. McKay resigned.

Commissioners for Taking Declarations, &c.,

CHARLES JAMES O'CONNOR, of Brookwater (Geelong), and JOHN CAMPBELL HAMILTON, of Wodonga,

to be Commissioners for Taking Declarations and Affidavits under the provisions of the *Declarations and Affidavits Act 1890*.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURER.

Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters,

The persons named hereunder to be Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters at the places respectively specified, viz.:-

- Benalla ... JOHN E. HOLMES, Acting, during the absence of F. F. Marsh on leave;
- Heathcote ... CHARLES S. CLARKE (Acting Postmaster), Acting, during the absence of J. Sandy on leave;
- Tallangatta ... WALTER VEITCH, *vice* J. A. Warnock transferred.

Collector of Imposts,

GEORGE THOMAS BROWN (Police Constable, &c.)

to be also a Collector of Imposts at Mitiamo, for the purpose of collecting the fees payable in connexion with making registrations for the sale of Tobacco.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

Vermin District, Local Committee,

A. F. ANDERSON

to be a Member of the Local Committee for the Destruction of Vermin for the North-Eastern Vermin District, *vice* C. A. Cowper resigned.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

Officers of Customs,

EDWARD MILLS (Police Constable No. 3659, &c.)

to be also Acting Officer of Customs at Apsley, from the 2nd July, 1897, during the absence of Constable Albert Hutchinson on leave;

JOHN HENRY NELSON (Station-master)

to be also Officer of Customs for protective purposes at Casterton, from the 24th June, 1897, *vice* George Widdop transferred.

Collector of Imposts,

EDWARD MILLS (Police Constable No. 3659, &c.)

to be also Collector of Imposts at Apsley, from the 2nd July, 1897, during the absence of Constable Albert Hutchinson on leave.

DEPARTMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH.

Telephone Switch Operators,

- ROSE MAUD QUONG, *vice* G. A. Elsey resigned,
- EVA FRANCES ELIZABETH DAVEY, *vice* E. M. Nally transferred,
- MARY CAMPBELL, *vice* C. A. Collins transferred,
- ELIZABETH LUCY POTTER, *vice* E. J. Harricks resigned,
- ELLEN JANE GOURLEY, *vice* F. Roberts resigned, and
- LILLIE ELIZABETH BLACKWELL, *vice* M. A. Richards resigned,

to be Telephone Switch Operators, on probation, from the 1st July, 1897.

The above are new appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that vacancies have occurred on the Staff, consequent on the resignations and transfers 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.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND WATER SUPPLY.

Wardens' Clerks,

The persons named hereunder to act as Wardens' Clerks, temporarily, at the places respectively specified, viz.:-

- Hamilton ... WALTER GRAHAM MOON (Officer of the Treasury);
- Mansfield ... PETER PAUL CONLAN, from the 2nd June, 1897;
- Tallangatta ... WALTER VEITCH (Officer of the Treasury), *vice* J. A. Warnock relieved;
- Yea and Alexandra ... GEORGE THOMAS RYAN (Officer of the Law Department), during the absence of P. F. Fynn on leave.

District Mining Registrars,

ERNEST E. VIRTUE

to act as District Mining Registrar for the Maryborough Mining District, temporarily, from the 24th May, 1897, until the 19th July, 1897, *vice* Peter Virtue deceased;

DAVID HARKNESS (Officer of the Law Department)

to act also as District Mining Registrar for the Maryborough Mining District, temporarily, *vice* E. E. Virtue relieved.

Mining Registrars,

ERNEST E. VIRTUE

to act also as Mining Registrar for the Maryborough and Carisbrook Divisions of the Maryborough Mining District, temporarily, from the 24th May, 1897, until the 19th July, 1897, *vice* Peter Virtue deceased;

DAVID HARKNESS (District Mining Registrar, &c.)

to act also as Mining Registrar for the Maryborough and Carisbrook Divisions of the Maryborough Mining District, temporarily, *vice* E. E. Virtue relieved.

Waterworks Trust Commissioner,

JOHN MAXWELL MCKAY

to be a Commissioner of the Yarrowonga Urban Waterworks Trust, *vice* Joseph Henry Chittock resigned.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Public Vaccinators,

The gentlemen named hereunder to be Public Vaccinators at the places respectively specified, *viz.*:-

Brighton LIONEL FRANCIS PRAAGST, Esq., M.B.,
vice Charles Nathaniel Simons, Esq.,
L.R.C.S., resigned.
Drouin ALFRED COWEN, Esq., M.B., from the 1st
May, 1897, *vice* Robert Smith, Esq.,
L.R.C.S., deceased.
Women's Hospital ... LEWIS JOHN BALFOUR, Esq., M.B., *vice*
John Daniel King Scott, Esq., M.B.,
resigned.

*Trustees of Cemeteries,*GEORGE STEWART,
JOHN WILLIAM GROUT, and
GEORGE BONNEY

to be Trustees of the Grantville Public Cemetery, *vice* E. M. Dixon and James Clarke resigned, and Charles Williams deceased;

JOSEPH WILLINGS HOLLAND

to be a Trustee of the Newbridge Public Cemetery, *vice* Donald McKenzie who has left the district;

GEORGE MCKECHNIE

to be a Trustee of the St. Arnaud Public Cemetery, *vice* George McKenzie deceased.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 20th July, 1897.

Neglected Children's Act 1890, Sections 61 and 62.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 61 and 62 of the *Neglected Children's Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1121), has approved of

THE RAGGED BOYS' HOME, situate at 161 La Trobe-street,
Melbourne

(being an institution formed by private persons empowered in that behalf desirous of taking charge of neglected children gratuitously, as an institution to whose care neglected children may be committed under the provisions of the aforesaid Act; and has approved of

WILLIAM MINTON

as the Manager of such Institution.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

MAGISTRATE.—RESIGNATION.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has accepted the resignation by
JOSEPH GEORGE, Esq.,
of the Commission of the Peace for the Central Bailiwick of Victoria.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 20th July, 1897.

MAGISTRATE TRANSFERRED.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to accept the resignation by
FRANKLIN OSLAND HILSON, Esq.,
of the Commission of the Peace for the Eastern Bailiwick of Victoria, and to appoint him to Keep the Peace in the Western Bailiwick in lieu thereof.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 20th July, 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.*:-

Anderson, Walter James, Melbourne
Dwyer, Athanasius Thomas, Melbourne
Meudell, William, Toorak
Norman, Frank, Koroit
Pitman, Clarence, Melbourne
Reinecke, Charles August, Adelaide
Salmon, Philip Walter, Talbot
Shattock, Edward, Melbourne
Sydenham, George Francis, Colac
Taylor, William Medhurst, Melbourne
Tolstrup, Charles, Castlemaine
Welch, Lionel John Samuel, Collingwood
Wilcox, Horace Alexander, Melbourne

S. WHITEHEAD,

Secretary, Companies Auditors' Board.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 19th July, 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.

CHARLES WILLIAMS, Visiting Officer, Neglected Children and Reformatory Schools,

from the 1st July, 1897, until the 31st December, 1897.

Department of Public Instruction.

THOMAS STEWART MONKHOUSE, Art Inspector,

from the 1st July, 1897, until the 31st December, 1897.

Department of Defence.

PETER JOHN HAZEWINDEL, Assistant Armourer,

for a further period of three months.

Department of Public Works.

JAMES GWYNNS, engine-fitter, employed in effecting repairs required to the pumping plant at Dight's Falls,
from the 6th to the 31st October, 1896;

F. J. DAVIS, employed as a Garden Labourer for the Gardens connected with the Houses of Parliament,
from the 27th November, 1896, until the 26th February, 1897, instead of for the period previously notified. (*Gazette* of 9th July, 1897, page 2853.)

Department of Post and Telegraph.

JOHN DAVIDSON CAMERON, Telegraph Messenger at Beaufort,
from the 1st July, 1897, until the 30th June, 1898.

Department of Mines and Water Supply.

The persons named hereunder, employed on the works as respectively specified, until the 31st December, 1897, *viz.*:-

Geological and Underground Surveys.

E. Lidgley, Senior Field Geologist
W. H. Ferguson, Assistant Field Geologist
S. Hunter, Field Geologist
H. S. Whitelaw, Field Geologist
O. A. L. Whitelaw, Assistant Field Geologist
V. R. Stirling, Assistant Field Geologist
H. Herman, Field Geologist
E. W. Allan, Assistant Field Geologist
H. Foster, Assistant Field Geologist
S. Waters, Chairman
G. Wake, Chairman
W. Baragwanath, Underground Surveyor
D. E. Brown, Assistant Mineralogist
C. Glover, Litho. Draughtsman
A. E. Smith, Draughtsman
W. H. Cundy, Underground Surveyor
C. Reilly, Underground Surveyor
A. M. Howitt, Assistant Field Geologist
J. S. F. Vale, from 7th June, 1897.
E. Hunter, Chairman, from 22nd March, 1897.
T. J. Smith, Chairman, from 8th March, 1897.
C. G. Biggs, Chairman, from 8th May, 1897.
A. W. Dunn, Draughtsman, from 1st July, 1897.
Wm. Baragwanath, jun., Chairman, from 25th June, 1897.

From 1st July, 1897, all of these previously exempted to 30th June, 1897, *vide* G. G., 30th April, 1897, p. 1750

Track Cutting.

J. Fitzmayer, Inspector
A. R. Ralston, Inspector
P. McAllister, Inspector
E. H. Goodenough, Inspector
D. McLennan, from 11th March, 1897.
C. F. Thomson, from 22nd April, 1897.
F. Biggs, from 23rd April, 1897.
P. M. Salmon, from 1st June, 1897.
J. Buck, Inspector, from 28th April to 11th May, 1897, only.
Also labourers under Track Cutting.

Prospecting.

W. Mustard, Prospector } From 1st July, 1897, pre-
 P. E. Scandlean, Prospector } viously exempted to 30th
 James Pleydell, Prospector } June, 1897.
 John J. Pleydell, Prospector }
 T. H. Lewis, Prospector, from 13th February, 1897.
 J. H. Mohr, Cook, from 12th March, 1897, to 4th April, 1897,
 only.
 J. C. Grierson, Cook, from 5th April, 1897.

Laboratory.

F. E. A. Stone, in charge of Laboratory.

Mining Engineer.

H. Rosales, from 1st July, 1897, previously exempted to 30th
 June, 1897.

Department of Agriculture.

H. W. Potts,

engaged in imparting scientific instruction in connexion with
 Dairying from the 1st July, 1897, until the 31st December, 1897.

WILLIAM McCRINDLE,
 G. E. GIBSON, and
 FRED NAM SHING,

employed at the Experimental Tobacco Farm, Edi, from the 1st
 April, 1897, until the 31st December, 1897.

The persons named hereunder, from the first July, 1897, until
 the 31st December, 1897, viz. :-

Experts under the Bonus Regulations, &c.

Romeo Bragato, expert in wine making.
 Robert Crowe, dairy expert.
 E. Deans, practical vineyard overseer.
 A. C. Dreyermann, expert in culture of plants producing
 oils and scents.
 Alfred Hart, poultry expert.
 Joseph Knight, expert in matters appertaining to fruit trees.
 Carl Bogue Lufmann, expert in fruit drying.
 Andrew McEwan, assistant in the culture of fruit trees.
 Daniel McAlpine, expert in matters appertaining to the
 culture of plants and lecturer on botany.
 George Neilson, expert in the culture of fruit trees.
 Archibald S. Neilson, assistant in the culture of fruit trees.
 Joseph Robilliard, expert in fruit drying.
 David Wilson, dairy expert.
 Edward Wilson, expert in the manufacture of oils.
 Also all labourers employed in the Royal Horticultural Gar-
 dens, Burnley; at the Scent Farm, Dumolly; and at the Viti-
 cultural Farm, Rutherglen.

Inspectors of Stock.

Wm. Kyle,
 Christopher Lawler.

THOS. BRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
 Melbourne, the 20th July, 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 remunera-
 tion 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.
John Nulty, war- der, Pentridge Gaol	Chief Secre- tary	To act as Secretary to the Coburg Branch of St. Patrick's Society
Arthur G. Croft, StateSchool No. 1144, Porepun- kah	Public Instruc- tion	To give private tuition at evening classes
Edward J. Hayes, StateSchool No. 2305, Lah Arum	Public Instruc- tion	To give instruction to teachers in singing
James Millar, StateSchool No. 2034, Carag- Carag	Public Instruc- tion	To give instruction in music
Agnes Phillipson, StateSchool No. 2410, Naringan- galook	Public Instruc- tion	To give instruction in music
Harry Sisely, State School No. 208, Echuca	Public Instruc- tion	To give instruction in shorthand

THOS. BRISBANE,
 Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
 Melbourne, the 20th July, 1897.

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 Superin-
 tendent 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.

ASSISTANT LIGHTHOUSE-KEEPER.—DEPARTMENT
 OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

VACANCY at present exists in the Department of Trade
 and Customs for an Assistant Lighthouse-keeper. Yearly
 rate of pay :-Minimum, £96; maximum, £108; with quarters
 when required to reside on the premises; without regular incre-
 ments, but the officer selected may be transferred at his present
 salary if that is more than the maximum.

The duties of the position are—To take charge of a watch in the
 light-tower; to attend to lantern and apparatus; to clean and
 to make ordinary repairs to inside and outside tower, quarters,
 &c.; to attend to signalling, telephonic, and postal work, and
 meteorological instruments; to record strength and direction of
 wind, state of weather, and sea disturbance; to land stores; to
 assist in boat work—life-saving apparatus practice; and generally
 to assist the keeper in the various duties connected with keeping
 the station in proper order.

Applicants should have experience as seamen or boatmen, and
 should produce evidence thereof. Married men are preferred.

Any officer in the Non-clerical Division of the public service
 who may consider himself qualified for the position, and who
 may desire to apply for the same, should send an application to
 the Public Service Board on or before Monday, the 2nd August
 proximo.

By order,

FRANCIS REDDIN,
Pro Secretary.

Public Service Board,
 Melbourne, 15th July, 1897.

ENGINEER, DOCKYARD, WILLIAMSTOWN.—
 DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service
 Board up to Monday, the 16th August proximo, from
 officers in the Public Service and from persons outside the Ser-
 vice for the position of Engineer at the Dockyard, Williamstown,
 Department of Trade and Customs.

Yearly rate of pay :-Minimum, £150; maximum, £186; with-
 out regular increments.

Qualifications and duties :-

It is necessary that such officer should be a thoroughly good
 mechanical engineer and be in possession of a Second Class
 Certificate of Competency or a certificate of higher grade.

His age should not exceed 41 years.
 He will be required to keep the Engines at the Dockyard and
 the 50-ton Crane, Melbourne, in good working order, and also,
 with the aid of an engine-driver and a fireman, work such
 engines. He will also, when required, if he can conveniently be
 spared, act as Second Engineer on the s.s. *Lady Loch*.

By order,

FRANCIS REDDIN,
Pro Secretary.

Public Service Board,
 Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

REVISED REGULATIONS RESPECTING NAVAL
 CADETS.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF CANDIDATES.

REVISED Regulations respecting Naval Cadets, dated 23rd
 April, 1897, have been received from the Right Honorable
 the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Copies can be seen by persons interested upon application to
 the Secretary of Defence, Defence Department, Treasury Gar-
 dens, Melbourne.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
 Acting Premier.

Premier's Office,
 Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

COURT OF PETTY SESSIONS AT GLEN WILLS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has
 been pleased to appoint the days and hour specified here-
 under for the holding of the Court of Petty Sessions at Glen
 Wills, viz. :-

The first Saturday after the fourth Thursday in each month,
 except December, when the court is to be held on the Saturday
 following the third Thursday, at Ten o'clock a.m., commencing
 on the 25th September, 1897.

HENRY CUTHBERT.

Crown Law Offices,
 Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SUPREME COURT.

HIS Honour the Chief Justice has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria:—

FOR TAKING AFFIDAVITS.

Name.	Profession.	Residence.	Jurisdiction.	Duration of Commission (unless revoked).
George Frederick Aloysius Jones	Barrister and Solicitor	Williamstown ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near Williamstown aforesaid, or until he ceases to practise the profession of a barrister and solicitor there
Ernest Evenden Virtue ...	Assignee of Insolvent Estates	Maryborough ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near Maryborough aforesaid, or until he ceases to hold the office of Assignee of Insolvent Estates there
Herbert Tetley Wade ...	Solicitor ...	Bradford ...	That part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called England	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near Bradford aforesaid, or until he ceases to practise the profession of a solicitor there
Charles Joseph Watts ...	Notary Public ...	City of London	That part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called England	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near the city of London aforesaid, or until he ceases to act as a notary public there

J. W. O'HALLORAN,
Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

DEPARTMENT OF MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

THE undermentioned appointments have been made in accordance with the provisions of the *Public Service Act 1890*.

JAMES BAGGE,
Secretary for Public Instruction.

Education Office,
16th July, 1897.

School.			Teacher.	
No.	Name.	Position.	Name.	Date.
2114	Traralgon Creek South ...	Sewing Mistress ...	Blanche Woodruff ...	1st July, 1897
2444	Undera North ...	" ...	Fanny L. Lee ...	"
1037	Rushworth ...	Pupil Teacher ...	Charles Mullany ...	"
2134	Namurkah ...	" ...	Joseph S. Crow ...	"
1409	North Williamstown ...	" ...	Daisy Bannister ...	"
1406	Yarra Park ...	" ...	Catherine M. Forster ...	"
1406	" ...	" ...	Emilie Fielder ...	"
888	Camberwell ...	" ...	Gwynneth L. Phillips ...	"
112	Carlton ...	" ...	Rose H. Smith ...	"
112	" ...	" ...	Cecily Keon ...	"
112	" ...	" ...	Wilfred M. Hobbs ...	"
731	Cressy ...	Sewing Mistress ...	Annabelle McKenzie ...	5th July, 1897
1411	Laang ...	Pupil Teacher ...	Maud S. Thurman ...	1st July, 1897
699	Yea ...	" ...	William T. Lees ...	5th July, 1897
1916	White Hills ...	" ...	Ella K. Hawkins ...	"
1817	Grasmere ...	" ...	Joseph Akeroyd ...	"
1594	Whitehead's Creek ...	Sewing Mistress ...	Ellen Graham ...	"
2959	Research ...	" ...	Ettie Rodda ...	"
1839	Naringal ...	Pupil Teacher ...	Ada H. Powling ...	7th July, 1897

IDIOT ASYLUM AT KEW.—DIETARY SCALE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has cancelled the Dietary Scale for the Warders and Children at the Idiot Asylum at Kew, approved by Order of the 1st July, 1895, and has approved the subjoined scale in lieu thereof:—

IDIOT ASYLUM AT KEW.—DIETARY SCALE FOR PATIENTS AND ATTENDANTS.

	Warders.										Children.														
	Breakfast and Supper.					Both Meals.					Breakfast and Supper.					Both Meals.									
	Bread.	Butter.	Tea.	Sugar.	Milk.	Meat, uncooked, with bone.	Potatoes.	Flour.	Coffee.	Rice.	Cheese.	Bread.	Butter.	Oatmeal.	Sugar.	Tea.	Treracle.	Milk.	Meat, uncooked, with bone.	Potatoes.	Flour.	Rice.	Sago.	Sugar.	Milk.
Males and females ...	16	2	1	4	2	24	16	2	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	4	6	7	1	1	1	1	1

* Salt and pepper as required.

NOTES.—Jam to be issued twice a week in lieu of butter, in the proportion of 2 of jam to 1 of butter. The following allowance to be issued to patients on Christmas Day and Queen's Birthday:—4 ozs. flour, 2 ozs. raisins, 1 oz. suet, 1/2 oz. sugar. Medical Superintendent to issue fresh vegetables or any other extra articles of diet he may deem necessary, and to undraw articles not required and substitute others of equal value.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 20th July, 1897.

Hospitals and Charities Act 1890.

THE MELBOURNE DENTAL HOSPITAL.—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 Melbourne Dental Hospital, are published hereunder, pursuant to an Order of the Governor in Council, made on the 6th day of July, 1897, under the provisions of section 4 of the Act aforesaid.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th July, 1897.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, &c., &c., &c.

THE humble petition of the undersigned sheweth—

That the Melbourne Dental Hospital has been established for the cure of disease and for the relief of diseased aged incurable and destitute persons.

That the said Hospital is supported in whole or in part by the 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 persons who have paid as aforesaid, and who are contributors to the said hospital within the meaning of Division I of Part I. of the *Hospitals and Charities Act 1890*, No. 1099.

That the petitioners are desirous that the Melbourne Dental Hospital should be incorporated under the provisions of the said Act No. 1099.

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

[Here follow 56 signatures.]

The above notice was gazetted 7^o on 9th July, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

JEETHO 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 Jeetho Licensing District to be taken by ballot on Thursday, the 26th day of August next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st June, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

WOORAYL 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 Woorayl Licensing District to be taken by ballot on Thursday, the 26th day of August next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 21st June, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

TOWANINNY 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 Towaninny Licensing District to be taken by ballot, on Thursday, the 26th day of August next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th July, 1897.

ECHUCA LICENSING DISTRICT.—NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF PETITION FOR A POLL OF THE ELECTORS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 28 of the *Licensing Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1111), it is hereby notified by the undersigned, being the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering the said Act, that a petition from one-fifth of the number of the persons whose names for the time being are on the Rolls of Electors for the Electoral Division forming the Echuca Licensing District in force on the 13th day of February, 1897, being the day after the publication in the *Government Gazette* of the number of inhabitants in such Licensing District, praying that a Poll may be ordered to be taken to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in such Licensing District shall be decreased, has been presented to His Excellency the Governor in Council: That such petition has been signed by one-fifth of the number of persons qualified to petition for the District aforesaid: That the said petition has been duly accepted by His Excellency the Governor in Council: And that Mr. Harry Thompson Downe, of Echuca, is named in the petition as the person whom the petitioners desire to be their scrutineer for the purposes of the said Act.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

ECHUCA 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 Echuca Licensing District to be taken by ballot on Thursday, the 26th day of August next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be decreased.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

DROUIN LICENSING DISTRICT.—NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF PETITION FOR A POLL OF THE ELECTORS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 28 of the *Licensing Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1111), it is hereby notified by the undersigned, being the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering the said Act, that a petition from one-fifth of the number of the persons whose names for the time being are on the Rolls of Electors for the Electoral Division forming the Drouin Licensing District in force on the 6th day of February, 1897, being the day after the publication in the *Government Gazette* of the number of inhabitants in such Licensing District, praying that a Poll may be ordered to be taken to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in such Licensing District shall be increased, has been presented to His Excellency the Governor in Council: That such petition has been signed by one-fifth of the number of persons qualified to petition for the District aforesaid: That the said petition has been duly accepted by His Excellency the Governor in Council: And that John Halvy, of Drouin, is named in the petition as the person whom the petitioners desire to be their scrutineer for the purposes of the said Act.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

DROUIN 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 Drouin Licensing District to be taken by ballot on Thursday, the 26th day of August next, to determine whether or not the existing number of Victuallers' Licences in that District shall be increased.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

Licensing Act 1890.

NOTICE BY RETURNING OFFICER OF POLL OF ELECTORS.

TOWANINNY LICENSING DISTRICT.

I WILLIAM WENTWORTH GREENE, a member of the Licensing Court for the said Licensing District, do hereby give notice that, having been so ordered by His Excellency the Governor in Council, I will, on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1897, proceed to take a Poll of the Electors within the said District to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in the said District shall be increased; that the Polling will commence at Eight o'clock a.m., and close at Five o'clock p.m.; and that the following are the polling places where votes may be recorded:—

Quambatook (principal polling place)
Oakvale
Budgerum
Ninyeunook
Tittybong,
Korrak Korrak,
Berriwillcock,
Sea Lake,
Nine Mile, Springfield.

Dated at Inglewood the 14th day of July, 1897.

W. W. GREENE, P.M.,
Returning Officer.

Licensing Act 1890.

WOORNDOO LICENSING DISTRICT.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY RETURNING OFFICER OF RESULT OF POLL OF ELECTORS.

WHEREAS a Poll of Electors within the said Licensing District was, by His Excellency the Governor in Council, ordered to be taken by me, George William Frederick Patterson, under the provisions of the said Act, on the 3rd day of July now instant, to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in the said District shall be increased: I declare that in pursuance of the said Order the Poll was duly taken, and that the determination of the electors is that the number of Victuallers' Licences shall be increased by one licence.

Given under my hand, at Geelong, this 19th day of July, 1897.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE PATENT EARTH CLOSET COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 13th day of December, 1865, No. 71.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE MELBOURNE PATENT STEARINE CANDLE COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 28th day of November, 1865, No. 69.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE MELBOURNE MASONIC HALL COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 25th day of November, 1865, No. 68.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE MELBOURNE DEEP SEA FISHING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 12th day of May, 1866, No. 84.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE COLONIAL WINE COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 30th day of April, 1866, No. 82.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE MELBOURNE BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 28th day of March, 1866, No. 81.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE PRAHRAN AND SOUTH YARRA CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 11th day of November, 1865, No. 67.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless

cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE CLUNES ATHENÆUM COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 19th day of October, 1865, No. 66.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE WOOD'S POINT LEADER NEWSPAPER COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 19th day of October, 1865, No. 65.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE CHEWTON FLAGGING, SLATE, AND MINING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 28th day of August, 1865, No. 60.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE DAYLESFORD SMITHFIELD COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 21st day of August, 1865, No. 59.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***McIVOR HYDRAULIC SLUICING & GOLD MINING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 15th day of August, 1865, No. 58.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE QUEDONG COPPER MINING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 22nd July, 1865, No. 55.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE TEMPLE COURT PASTORAL ASSOCIATION LIMITED.

(Registered on the 6th day of June, 1865, No. 52.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE HAMILTON MASONIC HALL ASSOCIATION COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 13th day of July, 1865, No. 54.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE WILLIAMSTOWN CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 11th day of June, 1866, No. 87.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE GOLD COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 4th day of June, 1866, No. 86.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE QUEENSLIFF FISHING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 30th day of May, 1866, No. 85.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE BRITANNIA PATENT SAFETY FUZE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 7th day of September, 1866, No. 93.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE MARITIME AND GENERAL CREDIT COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

(Registered on the 28th day of August, 1866, No. 92.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company

will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRALIAN PATENT STEAM BORING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 16th day of August, 1866, No. 91.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE STRINGERS CREEK TRAMWAY COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 4th day of August, 1866, No. 90.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE YACKANDANDAH QUARTZ CRUSHING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 17th day of July 1866, No. 89.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE BRIDGE STREET FREEHOLD INVESTMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 14th day of July, 1866, No. 88.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE FRYERS CREEK SLICING AND WATER SUPPLY ASSOCIATION LIMITED.

(Registered on the 19th day of March, 1866, No. 80.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE FLINDERS COPPER MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 26th day of February, 1866, No. 78.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRALIAN VINEYARDS PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 8th day of February, 1866, No. 77.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRALASIAN PATENT SAFETY BLASTING COMPOUND COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 13th day of December, 1865, No. 72.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE PATENT STEAM BORING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 22nd day of January, 1866, No. 75.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE VICTORIA PATENT MANURE AND CHEMICAL COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 8th day of February, 1866, No. 76.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE GEELONG NEWSPAPER COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 17th day of June, 1865, No. 50.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY MAGAZINE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 11th day of September, 1865, No. 64.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE ACCIDENTAL INJURY ANNUITY & LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

(Registered on the 8th day of September, 1865, No. 63.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE MALMSBURY UNITED BREWING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 28th day of August, 1865, No. 61.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE RESOLUTE STEAM TUG COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 13th day of June, 1866, No. 49.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE ECHUCA GAS COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 23rd day of February, 1875, No. 346.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRALIAN PASTORAL INVESTMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 30th day of June, 1865, No. 51.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 159 of the *Companies Act 1896*, that at the expiration of three months from the date hereof the name of the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1890.

HEREBY certify that The Glacier Patent Rabbit Box Company Limited has been this day registered by me, and notify that the said company is incorporated and is limited by shares.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1897.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

MINING LEASES AND A WATER-RIGHT LICENCE DECLARED VOID.

It is hereby notified that the undermentioned Leases and Licences have been declared void :-

District.	Division.	No. of Lease or Licence.	Date of Lease or Licence.	Lessees or Licensees.	Area.		Locality.
					A.	R. P.	
Gold Mining Leases.							
Ararat	Ararat	1456	17th April, 1896	H. Slade and another	33	0 12	Rhymney
"	Raglan	1283	3rd April, 1894	F. Guyatt	15	3 13	Waterloo Swamp
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	3090	13th April, 1897	R. Lewis	26	2 0	Parish of Yarrowee
"	Creswick	3098	25th May, 1897	T. M. Haines and another	25	3 35	Nuggetty Gully
"	Steiglitz	2886	23rd Mar., 1896	J. Billing	30	2 20	Elaine
"	"	2903	"	J. W. Graham	20	3 39	Steiglitz
"	"	3019	20th Oct., 1896	J. Watt	30	3 30	Elaine
"	Gordon	2905	23rd Mar., 1896	W. Fleay	24	0 16	Bolwairah
"	"	3034	3rd Mar., 1897	Black Horse and Egerton Extension G. M. Co. N. L.	34	3 20	Egerton
Beechworth	Beechworth	3761	30th Mar., 1897	J. Godkin	20	3 35	Myrtleford
"	"	3789	27th Feb., 1897	W. Mumery and others	14	2 2	Parish of Myrtleford
"	Yackandandah	3791	30th Mar., 1897	C. E. Schlesinger	109	3 25	Lower Yackandandah Creek
"	Buckland (Bright)	3799	13th April, 1897	D. Cherry	29	3 1	Bright
"	"	3829	16th Mar., 1897	O. V. Briner	26	0 1	Harriestville
"	Goulburn (Wood's Point)	3807	2nd April, 1897	A. B. Peden and another	10	2 19	Stander's Creek
"	Goulburn (Jamieson)	3848	7th April, 1897	L. Ellson	23	3 17	Trenchman's Creek
"	"	3849	"	L. Ellson	24	1 10	"
"	"	3850	2nd April, 1897	H. Patterson	28	0 12	"
"	"	3851	"	H. Patterson	29	3 28	"
"	"	3853	30th Mar., 1897	G. C. Kelly	31	3 23	Stockman's Creek
"	"	3854	"	G. C. Kelly	33	1 10	"
"	"	3863	13th April, 1897	The Australian Prospecting and Mining Co. N. L.	32	3 28	"
Castlemaine	Tarrangower	3436	30th April, 1895	G. Shegog	3	1 22	Welshman's Reef
"	Taradale	3827	28th April, 1897	T. Rollason	31	2 1	Parish of Drummond
"	St. Andrew's	3567	5th May, 1896	W. Hunt	5	3 11	Kinglake
"	"	3703	16th Mar., 1897	D. Walker and others	21	2 3	Parish of Brimbunga
"	"	3725	7th April, 1897	R. A. Escott and another	11	2 1	"
"	"	3733	21st Jan., 1897	C. G. Lush and another	25	2 10	"
"	"	3742	2nd Feb., 1897	C. G. Lush and another	18	3 19	"
"	"	3751	16th Mar., 1897	J. A. Adams	21	0 55	Trap Creek, Queens-town
"	"	3785	30th Mar., 1897	J. B. Ellis	29	2 1	Parish of Jindivick
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	2353	17th April, 1896	New Crinoline G. M. Co. N. L.	33	1 26	Parish of Toombon
"	"	2459	5th Oct., 1896	R. J. Salvado	22	3 4 1/2	Parish of Walhalla
"	"	2503	21st Sept., 1896	S. Yandell	25	0 16	Tubal Cain
"	"	2522	5th Oct., 1896	R. J. Salvado	22	3 4 1/2	Walhalla
"	"	2635	27th Feb., 1897	No. 1 North Landys G. M. Co. N. L.	28	1 36	"
"	"	2675	3rd Mar., 1897	H. D. McKie and another	20	3 35	Parish of Walhalla
"	"	2712	30th Mar., 1897	E. R. Anderson	34	1 33	Walhalla
"	"	2713	13th April, 1897	W. E. Rooko	30	0 0	"
"	Mitchell River	1930	23rd April, 1894	D. B. Sellars and another	4	3 38	Wild Dog Creek
"	"	2591	16th Mar., 1897	T. W. Pinniger	24	2 22	Deptford
"	"	2679	27th Feb., 1897	C. Radford and another	19	3 34	Juhunwaal
"	Mitchell River (Bruthen)	2501	21st Sept., 1896	J. McA. Wright and another	16	2 26	Nowa Nowa
"	"	2652	16th Mar., 1897	E. Fry	24	3 8	Parish of Buchan
"	"	2754	28th April, 1897	W. T. Pearson	24	2 35	Tara Range
"	Onseo (Orbost)	2691	30th Mar., 1897	C. Ryan	22	0 27	Bonni River
"	Russell's Creek (Moo)	2479*	10th Aug., 1896	A. G. K. Johnston	27	0 38	Parish of Neerim
"	Jericho	2520	"	H. Thompson	8	2 27	B.B. Creek
"	"	2628	30th Mar., 1897	W. Tainsh	17	2 31	Jordan
"	"	2630	"	M. Hughes	20	3 38	Jericho
"	"	2634	"	B. Ricketts	32	0 3	"
Maryborough	Maryborough	3571	16th Oct., 1893	R. G. Gladstones	3	2 33	Frenchman's Reef
"	"	3764	21st Oct., 1895	R. J. Crooks	30	1 28	Great Western Reef
"	"	3900	5th Oct., 1896	R. J. Crooks	17	3 19	Chinaman's Flat
"	Dunolly	3280	8th April, 1889	Burnt Creek G. M. Co. Ltd.	27	1 26	Burnt Creek
"	Tarnagulla	3972	30th Mar., 1897	T. Simms	21	3 6	Llanely
"	Avoca	3889	5th Oct., 1896	G. E. Lewis and another	22	0 23	Parish of Yehrip
"	"	3890	20th Oct., 1896	T. L. Barker	20	2 3	North-east of Moonambel
"	Amherst	3918	16th Mar., 1897	C. I. Lowe	28	1 17	Talbot
"	Inglewood	3872	5th Oct., 1896	J. Greig, jun., and another	33	2 38	Parish of Borung
"	"	3874	2nd Nov., 1896	H. Vernon and another	29	1 15	"
"	Wedderburn	3958	27th Feb., 1897	G. H. Wheadon	14	0 23	Wedderburn
Sandhurst	Sandhurst	6195	23rd April, 1892	Aitchee's Luck G. M. Co. Ltd.	39	0 0	Spring Gully
"	"	6714	17th April, 1896	J. Gilbert	10	1 1	Don Juan Reef
"	Heathcote	6697	"	North Butler's G. M. Syndicate N. L.	23	1 17	Parish of Heathcote
"	"	6906	13th April, 1897	H. R. Brookes	15	1 15	Red Hill
"	Kilmore	6703	17th April, 1896	J. G. Radford and another	13	3 7	Parish of Broadford
"	"	6805	5th Oct., 1896	C. R. Rowland	16	3 12	Reedy Creek
"	"	6897	2nd April, 1897	P. Tobin	23	2 39	Comet Creek
Mineral Lease.							
Maryborough	Avoca	710	21st May, 1884	M. Kidston and others	80	3 16	Percydale

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

MINING LEASES, ETC., DECLARED VOID—continued.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease or Licence.	Date of Lease or Licence.	Lessees or Licensees.	Area.	Locality.
Leases of Private Property.						
Ballaarat ...	Creswick ...	2888	2nd Feb., 1897	J. Luplau ...	533 2 36	Parish of Tourlelo
" ...	Blackwood ...	2440	18th Feb., 1895	A. W. Coles ...	29 1 0	Parish of Colmadai
" ...	" ...	3142	4th Sept., 1896	A. Lamb ...	27 2 38	Parish of Moorabool
Castlemaine ...	Castlemaine ...	3020	11th May, 1897	R. Barkla ...	174 0 6	Newstead
" ...	Taradale ...	2768	4th Nov., 1895	W. Young ...	18 1 30	Lauriston
" ...	(Kyneton)	3015	2nd Nov., 1896	W. Young ...	142 0 0	"
Water-right Licence.						
Gippsland ...	Crooked River ...	726	19th May, 1896	D. Taylor ...	5 0 37	25-mile Creek

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

MINING LEASES.

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

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Term (No. of Years).	Lessee.	Area.	Annual Rent.	Fee.	Payable to Receiver at—
Gold Mining Leases.									
Ararat ...	Pleasant Creek ...	1480*	21.6.97	15	G. Barnes ...	177 2 20	44 8 2	1	Stawell
Sandhurst ...	Sandhurst ...	6945	6.7.97	15	H. Birch ...	30 0 0	7 10 0	1	Bendigo
" ...	Heathcote ...	6923	8.6.97	15	J. Hicks ...	17 1 24	4 7 0	1	Heathcote

* The particulars of lease No. 1480, Ararat, are as herein stated, not as published in the *Gazette* of the 15th April, 1897, page 1655.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

H. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines.

APPLICATION FOR A GOLD MINING LEASE REFUSED.—

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned application for a Lease of Auriferous Crown Lands has been refused:—
CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—ST. ANDREW'S DIVISION.

Application No. 773, for lease 3874; H. Chapman and another; 28a. 1r. 13p.; Smith's Gully, Queenstown.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

APPLICATION FOR A GOLD MINING LEASE ABANDONED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned application for a Lease of Auriferous Crown Lands has been abandoned:—
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT—CROOKED RIVER (DARGO) DIVISION.

Application No. 321, for lease No. 2597; J. Shorter; 30 acres; Upper Dargo.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

APPLICATION FOR A MINING LEASE OF PRIVATE PROPERTY ABANDONED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned application for a Lease of Auriferous Lands has been abandoned:—
BALLAARAT DISTRICT—CRESWICK (CLUNES) DIVISION.

Application No. 11 P.P., for lease 3631; L. R. Carter; 5½a. 3r. 36p.; parishes of Clunes and Smeaton.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

THE SHIRE OF DUNMUNKLE AND THE WIMMERA UNITED WATERWORKS TRUST.—APPLICATION OF MUNICIPAL FUNDS.

WHEREAS by section 112 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 Waterworks Trust: And whereas the Municipal Council of the Shire of Dunmunkle is desirous of applying a portion of the municipal fund of the said Shire, that is to say, a sum of One thousand five hundred and twenty-eight pounds thirteen shillings and one penny sterling (£1,528 13s. 1d.) for the purpose of paying interest on moneys borrowed by the Wimmera United Waterworks Trust: The Governor in Council has therefore consented to the said sum of One thousand five hundred and twenty-eight pounds thirteen shillings and one

penny (£1,528 13s. 1d.) being applied by the said Municipal Council of the said Shire from the municipal fund thereof for the purpose aforesaid.

H. Y. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines and Water Supply.
Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

KORUMBURRA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING REGULATION, 1897. No. 2.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Korumburra Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which 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 Regulation following:—

The following are the rates for the year 1897 which the owners and occupiers of lands, tenements, and vacant or unoccupied allotments of land liable to be rated shall pay in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Water Supply District:—

1. For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile of Twenty pounds annual municipal value or under, a rate of One shilling in the pound sterling; provided that such rate shall not in any case be less than Twenty shillings per annum.

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

3. The rate to be paid in respect of vacant or unoccupied allotments of land shall be Ten shillings sterling per annum for each and every additional allotment.

4. For water supplied by measurement (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust), a charge of One shilling for every 1,000 gallons shall be made.

5. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for in each case, when water is supplied by meter, shall be—

(a) If for domestic and other than domestic purposes, the quantity for which the charge, at One shilling per 1,000 gallons, would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure.

(b) All water used over and above the amount allowed by rate, at One shilling for every 1,000 gallons, shall be paid for at the end of each half-year.

6. The foregoing rate is hereby made payable in equal moieties half-yearly in advance.

7. 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 rate.

Passed this 19th day of June, 1897.

(SEAL)

G. W. MITCHELL, Chairman.
A. J. HART, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council the
6th July, 1897.
THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

IN pursuance of the Act of Parliament 51 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.

H. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines.

Department of Mines,
Melbourne, 23rd July, 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 General Remarks, showing Excisions to be made from Area applied for, &c.
					During the First Six Months.	After the First Six Months.		
					A. R. P.			
Gold Mining Leases.								
Ballaarat	...	W. B. Gedge	...	10 3 34	Five men	Five men	Elaine	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. 2822, Ballaarat.
Beechworth	2597 1069	W. Dunkley T. Scoble, "The A1 Extended No. 2."	4019 4042	23 3 25 22 2 26	Four men	Eleven men	Clear Creek, Upper Buckland	15 years.
Gippsland	81	E. R. Stapley	2829	35 2 8	Five men	Fourteen men	Godfrey's Creek, parish of Lauraville	15 years.
"	...	G. Grady	2939	14 0 11	Seven men	Seven men	Mount Tara	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. 1966, Gippsland.
Gippsland	...	R. E. Kurrle	1936	613 2 20	Seventy-six men	Seventy-six men	Parish of Jumbunna East	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. 1603, Mineral.
Mineral Leases.								
Leases of Private Property.								
Ararat	57	A. F. Bradshaw, "Hopkins Valley Junction G. M. Co."	3407	631 3 6	Twenty-seven men	Ninety-three men	Langi Logan	15 years.
Ballaarat	185	W. Treloar, "Ben Nevis Estate G. M. Co."	2980	948 0 0	Thirty-three men	One hundred and twenty-six men	Cardigan	15 years.
"	...	J. H. Dill, "The Spring Hill and Central Lease, G. M. Co. N. L."	3265	120 0 0	Thirty-two men	Thirty-two men	Sneaton	To expire on 9th November, 1911. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.
"	...	J. H. Dill, "The Spring Hill and Central Lease, G. M. Co. N. L."	3266	844 2 15	One hundred and fifteen men	One hundred and fifteen men	Sneaton	To expire on 9th November, 1911. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.
"	...	J. B. Dean, "Gay Star Co. N. L."	3276	3 1 8	Two men	Two men	Parish of Ballaarat	To expire on 11th October, 1911. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.
"	...	J. B. Dean, "Gay Star Co. N. L."	3277	11 2 0	Six men	Six men	Ballaarat	To expire on 18th October, 1911. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.
"	38	J. L. Reilly	3361	277 0 0	Seventeen men	Fifty-seven men	Coimada	15 years. It is under the Crown land and land sold since 29th December, 1884.
"	232	J. Richards and others	3588	9 0 22 1/2	Three men	Five men	Parish of Ballaarat	To expire on 31st January, 1912.
"	233	R. P. Wynne	3589	21 2 23 1/2	Four men	Eleven men	Parish of Ballaarat	15 years.
"	193	W. P. Wynne	3597	35 0 25	Five men	Fourteen men	Parish of Dersal	To expire on 7th October, 1911.
"	...	"The West Loughlin G. M. Co. N. L."	3635	462 0 36	Twenty-six men	Seventy-six men	Parish of Spring Vale	To expire on 19th July, 1911. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES—continued.

Mining District.	No. of Applicants.	Names of Applicants, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	No. of Lease.	Approximate Area intended to be leased.			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.
				A.	B.	F.	During the First Six Months.	After the First Six Months.		
Castlemaine	...	J. Ditchburn, "The O'Connor's Freehold Quartz and Alluvial G. M. Co. N. L."	3181	81	0	2	Twenty-five men	...	Drummond	15 years. This application is made under the provisions of section 326 of the Act.
"	94	E. A. Hannen	3358	56	2	0	Seven men	...	Steel's Creek, parish of Burgoyne	15 years. Excising the buildings and the land within 100 yards of same on allotment 15A.
"	93	H. C. Just and others. "St. Crispin G. M. Co."	3426	29	2	0	Four men	...	Near Sunbury	15 years. Excising the Crown land and overlap on existing lease block.
"	...	J. Butcher	3599	74	0	16	Seven men	...	Muckleford	15 years. This application is made under the provisions of section 305 of the Act.
Maryborough	74	A. R. Cane. "Avoca Alluvial Co."	3177	172	0	0	Thirteen men	...	Parish of Avoca	15 years. Excising from allotments 1 and 73 the houses together with the land within 2 chains of same, and the dam and waterhole together with the land within 1 chain thereof.
"	22	J. Mitchell	3580	58	3	13	Six men	...	Archedale	15 years. Excising the Crown land and drain.
Sandhurst	173	W. J. James	3538	9	0	20	Three men	...	Leidigo	15 years.

Corrigendum.—In the notice published in the Gazette of the 16th inst., p. 2942, the particulars of application for lease No. 3483 should have appeared under the heading "Lease of Private Property."

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.—SEWERAGE PORT MELBOURNE AND SOUTH MELBOURNE.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that sewers have been constructed and are now available in the several streets and lanes within the portion of the Town of Port Melbourne and of the portion of the City of South Melbourne which are designated as Sewerage Area No. 2 of the Metropolis, and which is bounded as follows, that is to say:—

SEWERAGE AREA No. 2. PORT MELBOURNE AND SOUTH MELBOURNE.

Commencing at the intersection of Graham-street and Evans-street and going north-east in a direct line along Evans-street to a point about 320 feet beyond the intersection of Bridge-street, this point being on the centre line of Spring-street, if produced; thence south-east crossing the railway line and then along Spring-street to its intersection with Heath-street; thence north-east along Heath-street to its intersection with Spring-street east; thence south-east along Spring-street east to its intersection with Bay-street; thence south-west along Bay-street to its intersection with Spring-street; thence south-east along Spring-street to its intersection with Esplanade west; thence south-west along Esplanade west to its intersection with Bridge-street; thence south-east along Bridge-street to its intersection with Pickles-street; thence south along Pickles-street to Graham-street, and then south-west still along Pickles-street to its intersection with the foreshore of Hobson's Bay; thence south-east in an irregular line following the foreshore of Hobson's Bay to its intersection with Gatehouse-street; thence north-east along Gatehouse-street to its intersection with Bridport-street; thence north-east along Bridport-street to its intersection with the Melbourne and Port Melbourne Railway line; thence northwards following the railway line to its intersection with the Melbourne and Port Melbourne Railway line; thence southwards along this line to its intersection with Boundary-street; thence north-west along Boundary-street to its intersection with Ross-street; thence south-west along Ross-street to its intersection with the Williamstown-road; thence south-west along Williamstown-road to its intersection with Graham-street; thence south-east along Graham-street for a distance of about 475 feet to its intersection with an unnamed road at rear of State School, such road for a portion of its length forming the north-west boundary of State School; thence south-west along this road to its intersection with Poolman-street; thence south-east along Poolman-street for a distance of about 500 feet to an unnamed road; thence along this unnamed road for a distance of about 450 feet to another unnamed road; thence south-east along this road to its intersection with Swallow-street; thence south-west along Swallow-street to the foreshore of Hobson's Bay; thence south-east in an irregular line following the foreshore of Hobson's Bay to its intersection with Railway-place; thence north-east along Railway-place to its intersection with Clifford-street; thence north-west along Clifford-street to its intersection with Station-place; thence north-east along Station-place to its intersection with Graham-street; thence north-west along Graham-street, crossing the railway line to the starting point at the intersection of Graham-street and Evans-street.

All owners of houses or buildings whose properties are within the above-mentioned limits of the said town and city and sewerage area, and are within 330 feet of and at higher level than any of such sewers are hereby informed that they must, in accordance with the provisions of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1890 and of the said Board's sewerage by-laws, forthwith, or within a period of 28 days from and after the serving upon each of them in manner prescribed by section 159 of the Board's Act of notice so to do, construct and make from their respective houses or buildings into the sewers which are constructed and in readiness for use in the said Sewerage Area No. 2, a covered drain and such branches thereto with such fit and proper works and arrangements as appear to the Board or its officers in accordance with the Board's regulations requisite to secure the safe and proper working of such drain, and to prevent the same obstructing or otherwise injuring or impeding the action of the sewer to which it leads.

Dated this 7th day of July, 1897, at the office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, "Rialto," Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne, where all further information may be obtained.

GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

ARTILLERY PRACTICE.

TARGET Practice will be carried on by the Victorian Permanent Artillery from the undermentioned forts from the 19th to the 31st of July, 1897, between the hours of Nine a.m. and Five p.m.:—

Fort.	Direction of Target.
Queenscliff	S.S.W. and S.E. by E.
Crow's Nest	S. by E.
Swan Island	S.E. and S.W.
Nepean	W.N.W. and N.E.
Eagle's Nest	N.E.
Franklin	N.
South Channel	W.

All forts from which practice is carried on will fly a red flag from the mast-head of flagstaff. All ships and boats should be kept at a distance of at least 800 yards to the left and 1 mile to the right of the line of fire for a distance of 6,000 yards from the battery, in accordance with Orders in Council dated 10th March, 1887.

CHAS. E. UMPHREY,
Lieut.-Col. C.V.F.A.

14th July, 1897.

VICTORIA.—ARRIVALS BY SEA.

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

Port of Arrival, &c.	Place of Departure.											Total Souls.
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total from the Neighbouring Colonies.	The United Kingdom.	Foreign Ports.	South Africa.	
Melbourne.—Adults	Males 1,044	63	203	1,104	505	76	83	3,078	196	533	74	3,881
	Females 579	32	90	167	342	44	14	1,268	91	53	12	1,424
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 103	5	10	31	19	5	1	174	9	29	3	215
	Females 139	2	13	39	16	5	2	207	13	26	5	251
" Infants	Males 15	1	1	3	1	1	...	22	2	1	1	27
	Females 12	1	...	2	2	...	...	17	3	1	1	22
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	1,883	104	317	1,346	885	131	100	4,766	314	644	96	5,820
Total { Adults	Males 1,044	63	203	1,104	505	76	83	3,078	196	533	74	3,881
	Females 579	32	90	167	342	44	14	1,268	91	53	12	1,424
Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 103	5	10	31	19	5	1	174	9	29	3	215
	Females 139	2	13	39	16	5	2	207	13	26	5	251
Infants	Males 15	1	1	3	1	1	...	22	2	1	1	27
	Females 12	1	...	2	2	...	...	17	3	1	1	22
Totals	1,883	104	317	1,346	885	131	100	4,766	314	644	96	5,820

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

ALEXR. WILSON,
Immigration Agent.

VICTORIA.—DEPARTURES BY SEA.

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

Port of Departure, &c.	Place of Destination.											Total Souls.
	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 1,426	132	186	1,068	319	97	21	3,249	219	178	5	3,651
	Females 495	65	110	614	187	42	8	1,521	121	41	4	1,687
" Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 84	6	32	153	18	13	...	306	21	10	...	337
	Females 77	...	32	167	14	5	...	295	19	12	1	327
" Infants	Males 13	...	1	8	2	...	...	24	4	...	...	28
	Females 18	...	1	6	6	...	...	31	10	...	...	41
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	2,113	203	362	2,016	546	157	29	5,426	394	241	10	6,071
Total { Adults	Males 1,426	132	186	1,068	319	97	21	3,249	219	178	5	3,651
	Females 495	65	110	614	187	42	8	1,521	121	41	4	1,687
Children, 12 to 1 year ...	Males 84	6	32	153	18	13	...	306	21	10	...	337
	Females 77	...	32	167	14	5	...	295	19	12	1	327
Infants	Males 13	...	1	8	2	...	...	24	4	...	...	28
	Females 18	...	1	6	6	...	...	31	10	...	...	41
Totals	2,113	203	362	2,016	546	157	29	5,426	394	241	10	6,071

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

ALEXR. WILSON,
Immigration Agent.

AMENDMENT OF RULES FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ALFRED GRAVING DOCK AND PATENT SLIP.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has rescinded rule No. 17 of the Rules for the Management of the Alfred Graving Dock and Patent Slip, and the Schedule of Dues for the use of such Dock and Slip, and has substituted the following rule and schedule of dues therefor, to take effect on and after the 20th July, 1897, viz. :—

ALFRED GRAVING DOCK AND PATENT SLIP.

17. Should the Alfred Graving Dock or Patent Slip be engaged for the purpose of docking or slipping any vessel requiring extensive repairs for a period of not less than ten (10) working days the Commissioner of Trade and Customs may remit such portion of the dock or slip dues as he may deem fit. Vessels using the dock or slip under this rule shall be kept in such a condition as to be able to leave the dock or slip (if required for another vessel) within a period of five days after notice has been given to leave, otherwise full dues will be charged for every day the vessel remains in dock or on the slip after the date of notice has expired.

Amended Schedule of Dock Dues.

	Per ton first day or part of a day.	Per ton second day and each succeeding day.
5,000 tons and under	d. 5	d. 2½
6,000 tons and over	4	2

Subject to a minimum charge for vessels under 900 tons of £20 for the first day, and £10 for the second and each succeeding day; unless such vessels are admitted into dock with other vessels, the combined tonnage of the whole being not less than 1,600 tons, when ordinary dock rates will be charged on each vessel.

Vessels docked together must leave dock on the same day. The twenty-four hours constituting the first day of docking will commence from the time of the dock being dry.

Amended Schedule of Slip Dues.

Day of slipping, 8s. per ton; minimum, £10. Subsequent days, 4d. per ton per diem; minimum, £5. The twenty-four hours constituting the day of slipping shall commence at the time the vessel is hauled up on the slip. Vessels remaining in dock or on slip for a longer period than twenty-four hours shall be charged rates for each complete (full) day of twenty-four hours, and proportional rates for each fourth or part of a fourth of a day.

The above amendments to take effect from 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 20th July, 1897.

TOBACCO LICENCES.

ATTENTION is directed to the fact that licences for the sale of tobacco, cigars, and snuff must be taken out for the year ending 30th June, 1898, during the present month.

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

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 8th July, 1897.

£5 CIGAR LICENCE.

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

ANDREW KIRWAN,

situate at 310 High-street, St. Kilda, 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, 20th July, 1897.

£5 CIGAR LICENCES.—REMOVALS.

THE undermentioned licensed cigar-makers having removed to the premises set opposite their names the said premises are hereby appointed and approved as factories wherein the manufacture of cigars from the leaf within the meaning of Part II. of the *Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890* may be carried on :—

Deters, Adolph, from Rathdown-street, Carlton, to 76 Kay-street, Carlton.
Krusa, Ernest Fredk., from Clara-street, South Yarra, to 286 Chapel-street, Prahran.
Moss, Lazarus, from Johnston-street, Fitzroy, to 420 Brunswick-street, Fitzroy.
Pelzer, J. H. M., from Clara-street, South Yarra, to 243 Malvern-road, Prahran.

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

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

Fisheries Act 1890.

CLOSE SEASON IN THE HOPKINS AND MERRI RIVERS.

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 the Proclamation dated 20th October, 1896, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 23rd October, 1896, page 4396, relating to fishing in the Hopkins and Merri Rivers, and in lieu thereof prescribing the following Close Seasons from the 1st July to the 31st October (both dates inclusive) in each year, viz. :—

1. In the Merri River, for all fish.
2. In the Hopkins River, eastward of a line marked by two posts about one mile and a half from the mouth of the said river, for all fish.
3. In the Hopkins River, westward of the said line to a radius of one quarter of a mile seaward from the mouth of the said river, for bream and perch only.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

Stock Diseases Act 1890.

QUARANTINE DISTRICT ABOLISHED.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, as provided by clause 64 of the Regulations of the 11th November, 1890, made under Part I. of the *Stock Diseases Act 1890*, abolished the Quarantine District hereinafter described, viz. :—

Land in the occupation of Patrick Naughtin, viz. :—Allotment A¹, Eddi Pre-emptive Right, and allotment G, section 74A, parish of Moyhu, county of Delatite, containing seven hundred and thirty-five acres and thirty-five perches or thereabouts: Commencing at the north-east angle of the Eddi Pre-emptive Right, being allotment A¹; thence south ninety-seven chains; thence west fifty chains eighty-six links; thence N. 16° 7' W. three chains sixty-nine links; thence west seven chains fifty links; thence N. 4° 50' W. eleven chains five links; thence N. 60° 18' W. seven chains twelve links; thence N. 54° 35' W. four chains eighty-seven links; thence N. 73° 57' W. nine chains twenty-five links; thence N. 60° 23' W. six chains sixty-one links; thence N. 4° 26' E. ten chains twenty-eight links; thence N. 16° 44' E. ten chains sixty-eight links; thence N. 34° 28' W. three chains twenty-five links; thence N. 59° 44' W. five chains seventy-seven links; thence N. 58° 54' E. six chains nineteen links; thence N. 13° 13' E. four chains thirty-seven links; thence N. 42° 27' E. eight chains thirty-nine links; thence N. 16° 7' W. thirty chains forty-nine links; thence S. 89° 57' W. eighty-two chains to the point of commencement.

J. W. TAVERNER,

Minister of Agriculture.

Department of Agriculture,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

POLLING PLACES FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of section 116 of the *Local Government Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1112), has appointed the places hereunder mentioned to be Polling Places for the Ridings of the Shires respectively specified, viz. :—

SHIRE OF BIRCHIP.

North Riding.

State School No. 3164, Marlbed,
Wakefield's residence, Parish of Watchupga,
State School No. 3236, Parish of Curyo, and
The Shire Office, Birchip,

in lieu of all previous appointments.

Central Riding.

State Schools Nos. 3197 and 3193, Parish of Ballapur,
State School No. 2431, Parish of Narraport, and
The Shire Office, Birchip,

in lieu of all previous appointments.

South Riding.

Jackson's residence, parish of Warmur,
Post Office, Morton Plains, and
The Shire Office, Birchip,

in lieu of all previous appointments.

SHIRE OF OMEO.

Tongio Riding.

Mr. Brunton's house, Brookville,
in lieu of Mr. Brunton's house, Brookville, previously appointed in error.

SHIRE OF PORTLAND.

South Riding.

State School No. 1630, Parish of Tyrendarra,
in addition to previous appointments.

SHIRE OF WARANGA.

Central Riding.

State School No. 1774, Cornella,
in lieu of Vaughan's, late Roulston's, previously appointed.

J. W. TAVERNER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Public Works Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

PATENTS FOR INVENTIONS.

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

- No. 13144. By JAMES COPELAND and HENRY MONTGOMERY COPELAND, both of Brunswick Line, near Wanganui, Wellington, New Zealand, farmers, for "Improvements in the driving mechanism of velocipedes and bicycles."
- No. 13344. By FUSTACE ERNEST WIOZELL, of Billiter House, Hilliter-street, London, England, engineer, for "Improvements in steam-engines."
- No. 13436. By RICHARD LLOYD GURDEN, of 346 Flinders-street, Melbourne, Victoria, civil engineer and surveyor, for "An improved method of constructing cylinders of rotary pumps."
- No. 13663. By WILLIAM CHARLES MURRAY, WILLIAM SHARP, and HENRY BENSON, all of Clarke-street, South Melbourne, Victoria, engineers, for "Improvements in roundabouts."
- No. 13763. By HARRY MORRISON, of 27 Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, London, England, engineer, for "Improvements in brakes."
- No. 13966. By THE ANGLO-FRENCH MOTOR CARRIAGE COMPANY LIMITED, of Digbeth, Birmingham, England, for "An improved autocar."
- No. 14081. By DENIS EMBLETON, of 98 Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, England, mechanical engineer, for "Improvements in stamps for crushing ores, combined with blowing and exhausting mechanism and heating apparatus."
- No. 14208. By WILLIAM TURNBULL, Jun., of Nos. 505 to 527 Victoria-parade, East Melbourne, Victoria, timber merchant, for "Improved contrivances for automatically operating the well doors of lifts or elevators."
- No. 14227. By EDWARD ANDERSON BLANTON, Jun., of Wallingford, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America, engineer, for "Improvements in and connected with means for securing cams and the like upon shafts."
- No. 14230. By OLIN HANSON BASQUIN, of No. 1410 Marquette Building, Chicago, Cook County, State of Illinois, United States of America, gentleman, for "Improvements in vault lights."
- No. 14250. By CHARLES EUGENE LEE, of 76-82 West Jackson-street, in the city of Chicago, county of Cook, and state of Illinois, United States of America, gentleman, for "Secondary batteries."
- No. 14256. By CONRAD FRIEDRICH CHRISTIAN LOHMANN, of No. 13 Andrew-street, Northcote, near Melbourne, Victoria, engineer, for "An improved rotary motor to be driven by steam or other motive fluid."
- No. 14263. By VITTORIO TURATI, of Nos. 23 to 29 *via* Bramante, Milan, Italy, manufacturer, for "Improvements in colour printing machines."
- No. 14279. By FREDERICK JOHN ESMOND, of No. 28 Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of London, England, electrical engineer, for "Pneumatic springs for velocipede saddles and steering handles."
- No. 14281. By WILLIAM SAMUEL SHARPECK, of No. 4 South Elizabeth-street, Chicago, state of Illinois, United States of America, civil engineer, for "Pedal mechanism for applying power in propelling bicycles."
- No. 14301. By GEORGE WILLIAM BALLOU, of 10 Wall-street, in the city of New York, county and state of New York, United States of America, gentleman, and AUGUSTUS SEAYER, of Needham, in the county of Norfolk, state of Massachusetts, United States of America, manufacturer, for "Improvements in glass globes for the diffusion and distribution of light."
- No. 14322. By FREDERICK WILLIAM SELLEY, of Enmore, near Sydney, New South Wales, engineer, and WILLIAM HOLMES NISBET, of Martin-place, Sydney aforesaid, engineer, for "Improvements in slack adjusters for brake gears of railway rolling-stock."
- No. 14331. By WILLIAM FREDERICK WILLIAMS, of 32 Shaftesbury-avenue, London, England, gentleman, for "Improvements in sociable bicycles."
- No. 14338. RUDOLF CHILLINGWORTH, of Ostbahnhof, Nuremberg, Germany, metal stamper, for "A new or improved method or process for the manufacture of hubs for velocipede and other wheels and machinery or apparatus used thereof."
- No. 14350. By THOMAS TREGURTHA, of The New Speedwell Mine, Ballarat East, Victoria, mining manager, for "An improved lift pump principally adapted for use in mines."
- No. 14352. By ROBERT COOKE SAYER, of 11 Clyde-road, Redland, Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, England, engineer, for "Improvements in car couplings."
- No. 14359. By JAMES MARSH, of No. 477 Little Bourke-street, Melbourne, Victoria, engineer, for "An improved automatic flushing syphon cistern."

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 22nd day of July, 1897.

Patent Office,
Lonsdale-street west, Melbourne.

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Patents.

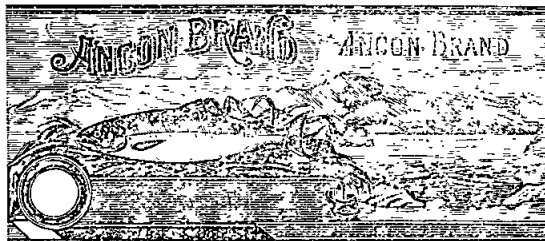
Trade Marks Act 1890 (No. 2).

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

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.

CLASS 42.

5098. Preserved Fish. Joseph Isaac Falk, of No. 32 O'Connell-street, Sydney, New South Wales, importer. 15th June, 1897.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The device and the word "Snapshot;" and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter save and except their name.

CLASS 45.

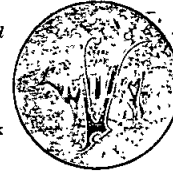
5136. Tobacco whether manufactured or unmanufactured, including Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff. The National Cigarette Company of Australasia Proprietary Limited, of 567 Flinders-street, Melbourne, Victoria. 16th July, 1897.



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.

CLASS 42.

5138. Substances used as Food or as Ingredients in Food. The Bacchus Marsh Concentrated Milk Com any Limited, of 59 William-street, Melbourne, Victoria. 21st July, 1897.



CLASSES 47 AND 48.

5139. Class 47. Common Soap. 5140. Class 48. Toilet and Perfumed Soaps. John McLeod, trading as "The Victoria Soap and Candle Co.," of 330 Flinders-lane, Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer. 22nd July, 1897.

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NOTE.—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 22nd day of July, 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.
1802	WORKS— (4)—Enclosures to verandahs and yards, new wards, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury. Deposit, £22	£ s. d. 435 0 0	Bennett and Son ¹ ...	59/4/2. New Wards, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury	J. W. Taverner. 22.7.97.
1803	(1)—Illuminations, Government House, Melbourne, in connexion with the celebration of the 60th anniversary of the reign of Her Majesty the Queen. No deposit	370 0 0	The New Australian Electric Co. Limited ¹	59/11/9. Illuminations, &c., Public Buildings, &c.	
1804	(3)—Illuminations, Houses of Parliament and Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne, in connexion with the celebration of the 60th anniversary of the reign of Her Majesty the Queen. No deposit	885 0 0	J. A. Newton and Co.	59/11/9. Illuminations, &c., Public Buildings, &c.	

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Melbourne, 23rd July, 1897.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1896-9.)

Contract No.	No. of Services.	Particulars of Contract.	Amount per annum.	Name for Approval.	—
912	95	POST OFFICE— To and from Sale and Dutton, two days a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £10 per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 91, in the name of F. W. Barton, at the rate of £10 per annum, cancelled from 1st July, 1897)	£ s. d. 10 0 0	Mrs. Mary McNaughton	Conveyance of Inland Mails, 1896-9.
943	79	To and from Traralgon and Callignee South, <i>via</i> Traralgon South and Callignee, two days a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £39 15s. per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 77, in the name of Joseph Price, at the rate of £39 15s. per annum, cancelled from 1st July, 1897)	39 15 0	Samuel J. Upson	
944	80	To and from Traralgon and Tyers, two days a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £13 per annum. (In lieu of Contract No. 78, in the name of Joseph Price, at the rate of £13 per annum, cancelled from 1st July, 1897)	13 0 0	Samuel J. Upson	
945	611	To and from Pomona and Stawell, <i>via</i> Bellellon, two days a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, at the rate of £25 per annum	25 0 0	Thos. Barber ...	
946	667	To and from Maroona Railway Station and Tatyoon, <i>via</i> Ross Bridge, two days a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898, at the rate of £25 per annum	25 0 0	J. K. and D. A. McDougall	
947	694	Addition to Contract No. 764, at the rate of £4 5s. per annum, in consequence of the afternoon train service being resumed, once a week, from 15th July, 1897	4 5 0	Vines and McPhee	
948	833	To and from Dalnallace and Jeparit, <i>via</i> Ellam, once a week, from 1st July, 1897, to 31st December, 1897, at the rate of £10 per annum	10 0 0	G. H. Martin ...	

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.
No. 79.—JULY 23, 1897.—2.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1897-8.)

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.
PORTS AND HARBORS—					
	Maintenance of jetty and beacon lights and cleaning sheds and jetties, from the 1st July, 1897, to the 30th June, 1898:—	£ s. d.			
1169	(3)—Apollo Bay (1)	9 17 6	J. Gosney		
1170	(3)—Bairnsdale (1)	5 15 6	A. Reeves		
1171	(3)—Coves (1)	13 16 0	R. Leeson		
1172	(6)—Cunninghame (2)	13 13 6	H. Box		
1173	(3)—Dromana (1)	12 0 0	L. Counsel		
1174	(3)—Drysdale (1)	9 16 0	R. Bartlett		
1175	(1)—Flinders (1)	15 0 0	R. B. Cotton		
1176	(1)—Frankston (1)	12 0 0	Frankston Gas Works		
1177	(1)—Frankston (1)	14 0 0	Jessie Williams		
1178	(3)—Hastings (1)	7 0 0	M. Peddie		
1179	(4)—Lorne (1)	15 0 0	J. J. Smithers		
1180	(1)—Mentone (1)	14 15 0	J. Miller		
1181	(4)—Metung (1)	5 18 0	Margaret Poole		
1182	(1)—Mordialloc (1)	12 10 0	J. P. Organ		
1183	(1)—McLennan's Straits (1)	7 0 0	S. Holland, sen.		
1184	(3)—Paynesville (1)	9 15 9	F. W. Lewis		
1185	(2)—Picnic Point (1)	14 0 0	W. Bertotto		
1186	(2)—Portarlington (4)	14 10 6	J. McShae		
1187	(2)—Portsea (1)	9 18 6	C. Harding		
1188	(1)—Port Albert (1)	12 0 0	E. Stein		
1189	(3)—Port Fairy (1)	14 14 0	E. R. W. Brett		
1190	(1)—Queensferry (1)	13 0 0	Denny and Co.		
1191	(2)—Rosebud (1)	11 15 0	J. Johnson		
1192	(2)—Rye (1)	7 5 0	E. Johnson		
1193	(1)—San Remo (1)	11 10 0	E. Dwyer		
1194	(3)—Seacombe (1)	3 0 0	A. Fitzgerald		
1195	(2)—Snowy River (1)	20 0 0	J. Stirling, sen.		
1196	(2)—Sorrento (1)	15 0 0	W. Clark		
1197	(1)—Stony Point (1)	14 14 0	P. F. Peterson		
1198	(1)—St. Leonards (1)	8 8 0	P. Corrigan		
1199	(2)—Tooradin (1)	8 10 0	H. F. Kernot		
1200	(3)—Welshpool (1)	15 0 0	H. Hull		
	Gas.				
1201	(1)—Geelong (lighting) (18)	18 0 0	P. Murray		
1202	(2)—Portland (lighting) (9)	6 19 9	W. Marr		
1203	(3)—Warrnambool (lighting) (23)	14 0 0	J. Hurley		
	Cleaning sheds and jetties, from the 1st July, 1897, to the 30th June, 1898:—				
1204	(2)—Mornington	2 12 0	T. De Zoete	Cleaning and Lighting Wharfs and Jetties, 1897-8	R. W. Best.
1205	(1)—Mossface	6 0 0	C. H. Jackson		
1206	(1)—Queenscliff	17 5 0	G. Van Tienen		
1207	(2)—Sale Canal	2 0 0	J. Short		
1208	(1)—Swan Reach	0 15 0	A. F. Marshall		
	Maintenance of jetty and beacon lights, from the 1st July, 1897, to the 30th June, 1898:—				
	Gas.				
1209	(1)—Brighton, Middle (Park-street) (1)	13 13 0	Brighton Gas Co. Ld.		
1210	(1)—Geelong (supply of gas to jetty lamps) (18)	6s. 8d. per 1,000 cubic feet	Geelong Gas Co.		
	£ s. d.				
1211	(3)—Mornington (3)	27 10 0	T. De Zoete		
1212	(1)—Portland (supply of gas to jetty lamps) (9)	12s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet	Portland Borough Council		
	£ s. d.				
1213	(1)—Port Fairy (4)	30 0 0	Port Fairy Borough Council		
1214	(1)—Queenscliff (supply of gas to jetty lamps) (11)	12s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet	Queenscliff Gas Works		
1215	(1)—Sale (supply of gas to jetty lamps) (2)	12s. 6d. per 1,000 cubic feet	Sale Borough Council		
	£ s. d.				
1216	(1)—St. Kilda (11)	86 12 6	Metropolitan Gas Co.		
1217	(1)—Warrnambool (supply of gas to jetty lamps) (23)	10s. per 1,000 cubic feet	Warrnambool Town Council		
	Kerosene.				
	£ s. d.				
1218	(1)—Bowen (1)	12 0 0	J. H. Cripps		
1219	(5)—Bullock Island (1)	13 0 0	A. Mearnes		
1220	(1)—Latrobe River (entrance to) (1)	15 0 0	W. Bott		
1221	(4)—Mitchell and Tambo Rivers (3)	48 0 0	W. Southon		
1222	(3)—McLennan's Straits (western entrance to) (1)	7 0 0	A. Fitzgerald		
1223	(1)—McMillan's Straits (1)	9 3 4	F. W. Lewis		
1224	(3)—Shaving Point (1)	11 19 6	J. Smith		
1225	(1)—Waratah Bay (1)	16 0 0	J. Dewar		

VITAL STATISTICS OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS (GREATER MELBOURNE), JUNE, 1897.

(Area of district, exclusive of water, 162,660 acres.)

RETURN for the month of June, 1897, showing the estimated population, also the numbers of registered births and deaths, and excess of the former over the latter, in the Statistical District of Greater Melbourne, embracing a radius of 10 miles, and divided into thirty-one sub-districts.

POPULATION, BIRTHS, AND DEATHS IN GREATER MELBOURNE, JUNE, 1897.

Sub-districts.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1896.	Births--					Deaths--			Excess of Births over Deaths.*
		Including Twins and Illegitimate Children.			Cases of Twins.	Illegitimate Children.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	
		Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.						
Melbourne City--Bourke Ward ...	14,480	26	16	10	...	2	14	7	7	12
" " Gipps Ward ...	7,939	6	4	2	...	1	10	6	4	-4
" " Lonsdale Ward ...	1,220	3	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	2
" " La Trobe Ward ...	3,420	1	1	...	...	...	3	1	2	-2
" " Albert Ward ...	7,044	8	5	3	...	...	5	5	...	8
" " Smith Ward ...	15,850	30	16	14	1	9	12	6	6	18
" " Victoria Ward ...	19,278	49	31	15	...	5	22	12	10	27
North Melbourne Town ...	16,900	41	21	17	...	5	9	7	2	32
Fitzroy City ...	28,976	59	27	32	2	7	40	18	22	19
Collingwood City ...	31,756	70	34	36	...	4	28	13	15	42
Richmond City ...	33,982	85	46	39	1	4	37	16	21	48
Brunswick Town ...	20,426	45	26	19	1	5	27	18	9	18
Northcote Town ...	7,207	22	14	8	...	...	4	3	1	18
Prahran City ...	36,500	86	45	41	2	7	33	12	21	53
South Melbourne City ...	34,860	94	47	47	1	7	42	24	18	62
Port Melbourne Town ...	10,917	42	24	18	...	1	16	11	5	26
St. Kilda City ...	18,355	39	24	15	...	4	20	7	13	19
Brighton Town ...	9,300	15	8	7	...	...	10	4	6	5
Essendon Town ...	12,767	45	28	17	...	3	12	7	5	33
Flemington and Kensington Borough	10,205	29	16	13	1	1	8	3	5	21
Hawthorn City ...	19,868	49	22	27	...	2	17	7	10	32
Kew Borough ...	7,251	24	17	7	...	1	10	4	6	14
Footscray City ...	15,984	47	26	21	...	...	14	11	3	33
Williamstown Town ...	12,850	25	15	10	...	1	11	5	6	14
Oakleigh Borough ...	1,084	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Caulfield Shire ...	8,500	16	8	8	...	1	6	4	2	10
Malvern Shire ...	9,400	22	14	8	...	...	13	4	9	9
Boroondara Shire ...	6,500	21	11	10	...	...	6	4	2	15
Preston Shire ...	3,372	11	5	6	...	...	6	4	2	5
Coburg Shire ...	5,673	10	5	3	...	...	4	3	1	6
Remainder of District (84,135 acres)	12,956	27	9	18	...	...	16	8	8	11
Hospitals, Asylums, &c.†	4,325	53	43	50	1	42	147	90	57	-54
Shipping in Hobson's Bay and River	1,963‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	451,110	1,141	620	521	10	109	603	325	278	538
Daily average ...	...	38'03	20'67	17'36	'33	3'63	20'10	10'83	9'27	17'93

† Includes one case of triplets.

* In cases where the minus sign (-) is prefixed to any number it implies that the deaths exceeded the births by that number.

† Including the Melbourne, Alfred, St. Vincent's, Women's, Children's, Homoeopathic, and Austin Hospitals, the Metropolitan and Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylums, the Immigrants' Home, the Benevolent Asylum, the Infant Asylum, and the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor.

‡ Census figures.

The births and deaths in Greater Melbourne, together with the mean temperature in the shade, the mean atmospheric pressure, and the amount of rainfall, during the month of June, of each of the ten years 1887-96, were as follow:--

Year	Births. Number.	Deaths. Number.	Mean Temperature. °	Mean Height of Barometer. Inches.	Rainfall. Inches.
1887 ...	1,255	571	49.3	29.891	3.04
1888 ...	1,376	629	52.0	29.999	1.19
1889 ...	1,348	686	52.5	29.758	2.78
1890 ...	1,675	651	53.0	29.899	1.71
1891 ...	1,628	649	51.1	29.980	2.54
1892 ...	1,470	614	51.2	30.019	1.29
1893 ...	1,409	631	48.6	29.995	3.21
1894 ...	1,141	494	51.5	29.955	2.18
1895 ...	1,272	585	50.0	29.999	1.74
1896 ...	1,133	629	49.7	29.976	2.58
Mean of ten years ...	1,371	614	50.9	29.947	2.23

The births of 1,141 children, viz., 620 boys and 521 girls, were registered in Greater Melbourne during the month of June. The number was, it will be observed, 8 higher than in June, 1896, which was the lowest recorded for the month during the last eleven years. The number was, however, 230 below the average of the month during the previous ten years, and 254 below that average, if allowance be made for increase of population.

The deaths registered in June numbered 603, viz., 325 of males and 278 of females; the births thus exceeded the deaths by 538, or by 89 per cent. The deaths were, it will be noticed, fewer by 26 than in the corresponding month of the preceding year. They were, however, only 11 below the average of June during the previous ten years, and 13 below it if allowing for increase of population.

To every 1,000 of the population of the district the proportion of births registered was equivalent to 30.77 and of deaths registered 16.26 per annum, as compared with averages of the same month during the last ten years of 37.55 and 16.88 respectively, and averages of the whole year of 34.55 and 18.37.

The highest temperature in the shade recorded at Melbourne Observatory during the month was 67.7° on the 18th, and the lowest was 31.5° on the 13th. The mean temperature of the month (51.4°) was half a degree above the average. The greatest range of the thermometer in any one day (28.5°) took place on the 13th, and the least range (2.5°) on the 19th. The mean daily range was 15.8°. The highest atmospheric pressure recorded was 30.508 inches on the 12th, and the lowest was 29.765 inches on the 25th. The mean atmospheric pressure (30.149 inches) was by far the highest recorded for the month in the last eleven years, and one-fifth of an inch above the average.

Rain fell on seven days, the amount of rainfall being 1.64 inches, being nearly an inch lower than in June, 1896, and three-fifths of an inch below the average of the previous ten years.

Fog occurred on three days during the month.

Males contributed 51 per cent. and females 46 per cent. to the mortality of the month. Children under five years of age contributed 25 per cent. to that mortality, or about the same as in June, 1896, as against 21 per cent. in June, 1895; 28 per cent. in June, 1894; 35 per cent. in June, 1893; 27 per cent. in June, 1892; and 34 per cent. in June, 1891.

Seventy-eight deaths of persons who had attained or passed the age of 75 years were recorded during the month. Of these, a gentleman and a solicitor, each aged 75, died of influenza; a gardener, a labourer, and a shipwright, each aged 75, of heart disease; a gentleman, aged 76, of influenza; a gentleman and a female, each aged 76, of cancer; a female, aged 76, of hemiplegia; a gentleman, aged 76, of heart disease; a lady and a female, each aged 76, of pneumonia; a female, aged 76, of cirrhosis of the liver; a carpenter, aged 77, of erysipelas; a labourer, aged 77, of cancer; a labourer and a female, each aged 77, of apoplexy; a maccaroni maker, aged 77, of dilatation of the heart; a female, aged 77, of pericarditis; a miner and two females, each aged 77, of bronchitis; a carpenter, aged 77, of atheroma; a gentleman, aged 78, of diarrhoea; a clothier, aged 78, of apoplexy; a carpenter, aged 78, of softening of the brain; a master mariner, aged 78, of hemiplegia; a labourer, aged 78, of insanity; a stock-rider, aged 78, of mitral regurgitation; a fisherman, aged 78, of syncope; a labourer and a female, each aged 78, of bronchitis; a mariner, aged 78, of

pneumonia; a pensioner, aged 78, of fracture of the skull, caused by falling down steps; a female, aged 78, of fracture of the femur, caused by falling off the step of a verandah; a female, aged 79, of apoplexy; a gentleman, aged 79, of pericarditis; a female, aged 79, of pneumonia; a labourer, aged 79, was found drowned; a female, aged 80, died of cancer; a tailor, aged 80, of pneumonia; a gardener, aged 80, of cystitis; a female, aged 80, of burns; a gardener, aged 81, of lung disease; a cabman, aged 81, of calculus; two females, each aged 82, of apoplexy and bronchitis respectively; a butcher, aged 82, of callulitis; a female, aged 82, of atheroma; a dealer, aged 83, of bronchitis; a female, aged 85, of valvular disease of the heart; a gentleman, aged 85, of heart disease; a whitesmith, aged 85, of pneumonia; a gentleman, aged 86, of bronchitis; a farmer, aged 87, of cancer; a gentleman, aged 87, of pneumonia; a female, aged 87, of enteritis; a male, of no occupation, aged 89, of apoplexy; a female, aged 89, of senile gangrene; another, aged 93, and a gentleman, aged 96, of bronchitis; a female, aged 100, of congestion of the lungs; two females, aged 75 and 76 respectively; a carpenter, aged 76; a nurse, aged 77; two females, aged 78 and 79 respectively; two females, each aged 80; an hotel-keeper and a nurse, each aged 82; a farmer, aged 84; a compositor, aged 86; a female, aged 87; a gentleman, aged 89; a female, aged 90; and a painter, aged 91, of old age.

Thirty deaths during the month were from external causes, of which 22 were set down to accident, 2 to homicide, and 6 to suicide. The following are the particulars of the accidental deaths.—A labourer, aged 27, was passed over by a railway train; a labourer, aged 60, died of fracture of the ribs, the result of a fall from a horse; a selector, aged 27, of peritonitis, caused by a fall whilst playing football; a boy, aged 8, of injuries, consequent on falling down a sewerage shaft; a male, of no stated occupation, aged 37, of laceration of the brain, the result of a fall from a mutton truck; a labourer, aged 36, of compression of the spinal cord, caused by a fall from a dray, whilst drunk; a pensioner, aged 78, of fracture of the skull, the result of falling down steps; a female, aged 78, of fracture of the femur, caused by falling from the step of a verandah; a male child, aged 1 year, three female children, each aged 5, and four females, aged 48, 59, 65, and 80 respectively, of burns; a male, of unknown occupation, aged 45, and a labourer, aged 79, were found drowned in the River Yarra; and a male, of unknown occupation, aged 35, in Holston's Bay; a female infant, aged 2 months, was overlain; a male infant, aged 7 months, and a labourer, aged 49, were suffocated by fool. The homicidal deaths were those of two new-born female infants, who were suffocated, a verdict of wilful murder being returned. The suicidal deaths were those of a blacksmith, aged 37, and a shipwright, aged 66, who cut their throats; two females, aged 34 and 45 respectively, who poisoned themselves; a female, aged 31, who drowned herself; and a male, of no occupation, aged 31, who hanged himself.

One hundred and fifty four deaths, or 26 per cent. of the whole, took place in public institutions, viz.:—54 in the Melbourne, 15 in the Alfred, 5 in St. Vincent's, 7 in the Women's, 6 in the Children's, 8 in the Homœopathic, and 7 in the Austin Hospitals, 12 in the Metropolitan and 6 in the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylums, 5 in the Immigrants' Home, 17 in the Benevolent and 3 in the Infant Asylums, 2 in the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor, 3 in the Protestant Refuge, 3 in the Melbourne Gaol, and 1 in the Pentridge Stockade.

The deaths of children under five years of age numbered 149, of which 75, or 50 per cent., were of males, and 74, or 50 per cent., were of females. Of those who died, 106 were under one year of age, 21 were between one and two, 7 were between two and three, 11 were between three and four, and 4 were between four and five.

The persons who died at a more advanced age than five years numbered 454. Of these, 250, or 55 per cent., were males, and 204, or 45 per cent., were females; 39 were between five and ten, 10 were between ten and fifteen, 14 were between fifteen and twenty, 9 were between twenty and twenty-five, 22 were between twenty-five and thirty, 29 were between thirty and thirty-five, 30 were between thirty-five and forty, 21 were between forty and forty-five, 30 were between forty-five and fifty, 20 were between fifty and fifty-five, 32 were between fifty-five and sixty, 42 were between sixty and sixty-five, 39 were between sixty-five and seventy, 39 were between seventy and seventy-five, 45 were between seventy-five and eighty, 16 were between eighty and eighty-five, 12 were between eighty-five and ninety, 3 were between ninety and ninety-five, 1 at the age of ninety-six, and 1 at the age of one hundred.

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

CAUSES OF DEATH IN GREATER MELBOURNE, JUNE, 1897.

Classes.	Causes of Death.	Number of Deaths.				Total.	Proportions per cent.
		Males.		Females.			
		Under five years.	Over five years.	Under five years.	Over five years.		
I.	Specific febrile or zymotic diseases ...	9	26	10	20	65	10.77
II.	Parasitic diseases ...	...	2	...	...	2	.33
III.	Dietic diseases ...	4	...	...	...	4	.66
IV.	Constitutional diseases ...	4	51	7	44	109	18.08
V.	Developmental diseases ...	16	8	13	11	48	7.96
VI.	Local diseases ...	32	143	32	116	323	53.57
VII.	Violence ...	2	14	3	11	30	4.98
VIII.	Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	8	3	9	2	22	3.65
	All causes ...	75	250	74	204	603	100.00

CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES, 65 (46).

Sub-class 1. *Miasmatic diseases*.—Scarlet fever, 4 (1); influenza, 15 (13); diphtheria, 28 (6); typhoid, enteric fever, 7 (6).

" 2. *Diarrheal diseases*.—Diarrhoea, 3; dysentery, 2.
 " 5. *Veneral diseases*.—Syphilis, 1 (3).
 " 6. *Septic diseases*.—Erysipelas, 1; pyæmia, septicæmia, 3; puerperal fever, 1 (3).

CLASS II.—PARASITIC DISEASES, 2 (1).

Hydatids, 2.

CLASS III.—DIETIC DISEASES, 4 (3).

Starvation, want of breast milk, 4.

CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES, 109 (128).

Rheumatic fever, rheumatism of heart, 3; gout, 2; rickets, 1; cancer, malignant disease, 36 (39); tabes mesenterica, 1; tubercular meningitis (acute hydrocephalus), 8; phthisis, 49 (65); other forms of tuberculous, scrofula, &c., 3; purpura, 1; anæmia, chlorosis, leucocythæmia, 4; diabetes mellitus, 1.

CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES, 48 (49).

Premature birth, 16 (28); atelectasis, 6 (1); cyanosis, 3; spina bifida, 2; other congenital defects, 2; old age, 19, at the following ages:—73, 73, 74, 75, 76, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 80, 82, 82, 84, 86, 87, 89, 90, and 91.

CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES, 323 (354).

Sub-class 1. *Diseases of the nervous system*, 53 (62).—Inflammation of brain or its membranes, 6; apoplexy, 15; softening of brain, 2; hemiplegia, brain paralysis, 3; paralysis, 6; insanity (general paralysis of insane), 5; chorea, 1; convulsions, 7; paraplegia, diseases of spinal cord, 4; others, 4.
 " 2. *Diseases of the organs of special sense*, 1 (2).—Otitis, 1.

CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES—continued.

Sub-class 3. *Diseases of the circulatory system*, 68 (80).—Endocarditis, valvular disease, 20; pericarditis, 8; angina pectoris, 1; syncope, 3; anæmia, 5; senile gangrene, 2; embolism, thrombosis, 2; heart disease (undefined), 27.

" 4. *Diseases of the respiratory system*, 119 (112).—Laryngitis, 4; croup, 4; asthma, emphysema, 3; bronchitis, 34; pneumonia, 59; congestion of lungs, 8; pleurisy, 5; others, 2.

" 5. *Diseases of the digestive system*, 46 (40).—Stomatitis, 1; diseases of stomach, 2; enteritis, 17 (10); ulceration of intestines, 3; ileus, obstruction of intestine, 2; stricture or strangulation of intestine, 1; hernia, 2; peritonitis, 5; cirrhosis of liver, 3; other diseases of liver, 6; others, 4.

" 7. *Diseases of the urinary system*, 28 (34).—Nephritis, 9; Bright's disease, 10; uræmia, 1; suppression of urine, 2; calculus, 1; diseases of bladder and of prostate, 2; others, 3.

" 8. *Diseases of the organs of generation*, 2 (6).—Ovarian disease, 1; diseases of uterus and vagina, 1.

" 9. *Diseases of parturition*, 4 (7).—Miscarriage, 1; flooding, 1; other accidents of childbirth, 2.

" 10. *Diseases of the organs of locomotion*, nil (8).

" 11. *Diseases of the integumentary system*, 2 (2).—Cellulitis, 1; others, 1.

CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE, 30 (35).

Sub-class 1. *Accident or negligence*.—Fractures, contusions, 8; burn, 3; drowning, 3; suffocation, 3.
 " 2. *Homicide*.—Murder and manslaughter, 2.
 " 3. *Suicide*.—Cut, stab, 2; poison, 2; drowning, 1; hanging, 1.

CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES, 22 (13).
 Debility, atrophy, inanition, 18; tumour, 2; not specified or ill-defined, 2.

N.B.—The figures in parentheses represent the numbers in the corresponding month of the preceding year.

In the month under review, as compared with the corresponding one in the previous year, an increase of 19 deaths occurred under the head of zymotic diseases, and of 9 under ill-defined causes; but, on the other hand, there was a decrease of 19 in the constitutional class, 31 in the local, and 5 under violence. The increased mortality in the zymotic class was due to diphtheria, which caused 28 deaths during the month, as compared with only 6 in June, 1896, whilst the number from scarlet fever also rose from 1 to 4. The decline in the constitutional class occurred under the heads of phthisis and cancer, the deaths from the former having fallen from 63 to 49, and from the latter from 39 to 36. Under local diseases, deaths from diseases of the respiratory system rose from 112 to 119, and of the digestive system from 40 to 46; whereas those from diseases of the nervous system fell from 62 to 53, of the circulatory system from 80 to 63, of the urinary system from 34 to 23, of the generative system from 6 to 2, of parturition from 7 to 4, and of the organs of locomotion from 8 to nil.

The following is a statement of the deaths set down to diphtheria and typhoid fever in each month of the years 1890 to 1896, and the first six months of 1897, from which may be traced the rise and fall of the mortality at various periods of the year. It will be noticed that the mortality from typhoid fever usually attains its maximum in March, and is at a minimum from July to November. It will also be noticed that diphtheria prevailed in an epidemic form during the last three months, and caused a greater mortality in June, 1897, than in any previous month since September, 1890.

DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA AND TYPHOID FEVER, 1890 TO JUNE, 1897.

Month	Deaths from Diphtheria.*								Deaths from Typhoid Fever.							
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.
January	27	8	6	6	1	2	2	5	78	25	16	13	13	26	28	25
February	48	10	13	1	5	8	1	6	73	32	23	19	22	30	27	21
March	66	22	10	2	7	6	7	8	89	36	39	21	31	19	25	19
April	60	15	6	3	5	5	11	18	63	30	28	21	24	20	30	15
May	47	24	15	2	4	5	11	22	36	20	9	11	22	13	10	10
June	55	18	15	1	6	2	6	28	20	11	12	17	6	3	6	7
July	49	11	6	3	4	4	8	...	12	10	8	3	6	3	5	...
August	25	16	4	1	4	4	13	...	5	2	6	2	4	5	2	...
September	30	16	7	9	5	2	11	...	3	6	1	2	4	2	1	...
October	22	9	9	1	3	8	10	...	7	nil	5	nil	1	nil	nil	...
November	23	13	6	nil	2	8	8	...	4	3	3	2	6	1	5	...
December	18	10	3	3	5	3	5	...	13	17	4	9	16	20	10	...
Total	470	172	100	35	51	57	93	...	403	192	154	120	155	142	149	...

* Inclusive of diphtheritic croup, viz., 70 in 1890, 27 in 1891, 12 in 1892, 2 in 1893, 3 in 1894, 5 in 1895, and 12 in 1896.

Office of the Government Statist.
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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SHIRE OF ARAPILES.—ORDER CONFIRMED.

IT is ordered by the Council of the Shire of Arapiles as follows (that is to say):—

Firstly.—That all those pieces of land being parts of Crown allotment number 25A, parish of Toaan, county of Lowan: Commencing at a point on the western boundary of the allotment distant one thousand one hundred and ten links S. 1° 20' W. from the point of intersection of the south side of a one-chain Government road, running in a north-westerly direction through the said allotment with the said western boundary thereof; thence bearing N. 87° 7' E. one thousand and ninety-two links; thence S. 41° 27' E. one hundred and fifty-nine links and six-tenths; thence S. 41° 31' E. two hundred and twenty-four links and four-tenths; thence S. 87° 7' W. one thousand three hundred and fifty-three links and two-tenths; thence along the said western boundary N. 1° 20' E. three hundred and one links to the commencing point, containing three acres two roods twenty-six perches and eight-tenths.

Also all that other portion of the said allotment: Commencing at a point distant two hundred and fifty-five links and eight-tenths in a line bearing N. 87° 7' E. from the south-east angle of the last-described parcel; thence N. 87° 7' E. one thousand four hundred and thirty-seven links; thence S. 48° 11' E. two hundred and eighty-seven links and four-tenths; thence N. 26° 54' E. two hundred and seven links; thence N. 48° 11' W. thirty-two links; thence N. 87° 7' E. thirty-five links and six-tenths; thence N. 26° 54' E. eight hundred and forty-nine links and six-tenths; thence S. 37° 9' W. five hundred and seventy links and eight-tenths; thence S. 87° 7' W. two thousand and fifty-one links; thence S. 41° 31' E. three hundred and eighty-four links to the commencing point, containing six acres and twenty-two perches and eight-tenths or thereabouts.

Also all that other portion of the same allotment: Commencing at a point on the eastern boundary thereof, distant S. 1° 18' W. one thousand one hundred and one links and five-tenths from the north-east angle thereof; thence S. 60° 43' W. nine hundred and forty-one links and five-tenths; thence S. 47° 14' W. eight hundred and fifty-seven links; thence S. 60° 45' W. nine links and three-tenths to point referred to as point "A" in next following parcel; thence S. 42° W. one thousand and eighty-eight links; thence S. 26° 54' W. one thousand two hundred and twenty-five links and one-tenth; thence N. 37° 9' E. one thousand one hundred and eighty-four links and four-tenths; thence N. 12° 39' E. four hundred and thirty-nine links; thence N. 60° 45' E. seven hundred and three links; thence N. 47° 14' E. one thousand seven hundred and forty-six links; thence N. 1° 18' E. one hundred and twelve links to the commencing point, containing seven acres and twenty-four perches and five-tenths or thereabouts.

Also all that other portion of the said allotment: Commencing at a point distant seven hundred and sixteen links and six-tenths in a line bearing S. 60° 45' W. from the point referred to as point "A" in the preceding parcel; thence further S. 66° 45' W. seventy-eight links and one-tenth; thence S. 12° 39' W. sixty-six links and seven-tenths; thence N. 42° E. one hundred and twenty-nine links to the commencing point, containing three perches and four-tenths or thereabouts.

Also all that other portion of the said allotment: Commencing at a point distant N. 1° 18' E. two thousand one hundred and twenty links from the south-east angle thereof; thence N. 81°

36° W. five hundred and six links; thence N. 48° 11' W. three thousand five hundred and two links and two-tenths; thence N. 26° 54' E. two hundred and seven links; thence S. 48° 11' E. three thousand four hundred and ninety-five links and six-tenths; thence S. 81° 36' E. four hundred and twenty-one links; thence S. 1° 18' W. two hundred and one links and a half to the commencing point, containing seven acres three roods twenty-eight perches or thereabouts, should be a public highway from and after the publication hereof in the *Government Gazette*.

Secondly.—That the several pieces of land hereinbefore described should together be in lieu of the pieces or parcels of land hereinafter described (that is to say): Commencing at a point on the eastern boundary of the above-mentioned allotment distant seven hundred and fifty-three links from the north-east angle; thence by the eastern boundary of the allotment S. 1° 18' W. forty-three links; thence S. 47° 14' W. one thousand one hundred and twenty-eight links; thence S. 60° 43' W. two hundred and fifty-five links and a half; thence S. 42° W. six hundred and twenty links; thence S. 66° 45' W. seven hundred and sixteen links and six-tenths; thence N. 42° E. one thousand three hundred and twenty links; and thence N. 60° 43' E. one thousand four hundred and twenty-four links to the commencing point, containing five acres two roods sixteen perches or thereabouts.

Also all that other portion of the same allotment: Commencing at a point distant one hundred and twenty-nine links by a line bearing S. 42° W. from the south-western angle of the last-described parcel; thence S. 42° W. three hundred and forty-eight links; thence S. 26° 54' W. one thousand two hundred and thirty-eight links; thence N. 37° 9' E. one thousand one hundred and forty-six links and two-tenths; and thence N. 12° 39' E. four hundred and sixty links and three-tenths to the commencing point, containing one acre two roods twenty-five perches or thereabouts.

Also all that other portion of the said allotment: Commencing at a point on the western boundary thereof, distant three thousand and ninety-eight links from the south-west angle; thence by the said western boundary N. 19° 20' E. three hundred links; thence S. 88° 47' E. two thousand five hundred and seventy links; thence N. 41° 31' W. one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three links and six-tenths; thence N. 87° 7' E. two hundred and fifty-five links and eight-tenths; thence S. 41° 31' E. one thousand six hundred and forty links; thence N. 26° 54' E. one thousand two hundred and forty-four links and a half; thence S. 48° 11' E. three hundred and ten links and four-tenths; thence S. 26° 54' W. one thousand two hundred and eighty-three links and seven-tenths; thence S. 41° 27' E. one thousand one hundred and six links; thence S. 81° 36' E. two thousand nine hundred and ninety-one links to the eastern boundary of the allotment; thence by the said eastern boundary S. 1° 18' W. two hundred and one links and a half; thence N. 81° 36' W. three thousand and eighty-nine links; thence N. 41° 27' W. one thousand one hundred links; and thence N. 88° 47' W. two thousand eight hundred and forty-seven links to the commencing point, containing twenty-four acres one rood nineteen perches or thereabouts.

And also all that other portion of the said allotment: Commencing at a point distant two hundred and seven links by a line bearing N. 26° 54' E. from the north-eastern angle of the last-described parcel; thence N. 26° 54' E. nine hundred and twenty-eight links and two-tenths; thence S. 37° 9' W. seven hundred and thirty-seven links and six-tenths; thence S. 87° 7' W. one

hundred and ninety-four links and four-tenths; thence S. 26° 54' W. twenty-five links and nine-tenths; and thence S. 48° 11' E. three hundred and ten links and four-tenths to the commencing point, containing three roods thirty-one perches or thereabouts.

Dated the 25th day of May, 1897.

The common seal of the Corporation of the Shire of Arapiles was herewith affixed by the authority of the council of the said shire in the presence of—

(SEAL) JOHN RUSSELL, President.
A. E. BEARD, } Councillors.
R. G. McCLURE, }
ALEX. SINCLAIR, Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council
the 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF PHILLIP ISLAND.—ORDER CONFIRMED.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 390 and 391 of the *Local Government Act 1895*, the Council of the Shire of Phillip Island doth hereby order that the land hereunder described shall be a public highway from and after the date of the publication of this Order in the *Government Gazette*.

NEW ROAD.

All that part of Crown allotment 7, parish of Wonthaggi, county of Mornington: Commencing at the south-east corner of the said allotment 7; thence S. 68° 15' W. one hundred and eight links; thence north one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five links; thence east one hundred links; thence south along the eastern boundary of the said allotment one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five links to the commencing point, containing an area of one acre three roods twenty-six perches.

OLD ROAD.

The above road is declared to be in lieu of a road commencing at the south-east corner of Crown allotment 6 of the said parish of Wonthaggi; thence north by the eastern boundary of the said allotment 6, three thousand and fourteen links; thence easterly by the Powlett River reserve, one hundred and one links; thence south by the western boundary of Crown allotment 7A, two thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine links; thence S. 68° 15' W. one hundred and eight links to the commencing point, containing an area of two acres three roods thirty-eight perches.

19th December, 1896.

The seal of the council was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. T. McFEE, President.
P. ANDERSON, } Councillors.
C. F. BATES, }
H. BONWICK, Shire Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council
the 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF MORTLAKE.—ORDER CONFIRMED.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the 396th and 397th sections of the *Local Government Act 1895*, the Council of the Shire of Mortlake do hereby order and direct that the piece or parcel of land hereinafter described, that is to say:—

All that piece of land situated in the parish of Yeth-youang, in the county of Villiers, in the colony of Victoria, being part of allotment 1 of section 6; Commencing at the north-west corner of said allotment 1, and extending S. 9° 15' E. thirteen chains forty-eight links to the south west corner of said allotment 1; thence N. 73° 39' E. three chains two links; thence N. 9° 15' W. twelve chains seventy-seven links; thence N. 73° 51' E. thirty-one chains six links; thence N. 31° 45' E. one chain forty-nine links; thence S. 73° 51' W. thirty-four chains twenty-one links; and thence S. 55° 28' W. ninety-two links to the commencing point.

Also all that piece of land situated in the parish of Yeth-youang aforesaid, being part of allotment A, known as Seale's pre-emptive section, and part of allotment 13, in the said parish: Commencing at the south-west corner of the said pre-emptive section, bounded on the south by a line bearing N. 80° 46' E. eighty chains; thence by a line bearing S. 77° 16' E. eight chains forty-two links to the River Hopkins; thence by that river to the north-east corner of the said land intended to be hereby conveyed, and distant about one hundred and ten links northerly; and thence by a line bearing N. 77° 16' W. eight chains sixty-five links; and thence by a line bearing S. 80° 46' W. eighty chains nineteen links to the western boundary of the said pre-emptive section, and on the west by a road bearing S. 9° 15' E. one chain to the commencing point which said lands are particularly delineated in the plan deposited in the office of the said shire, and thereon coloured red, acquired by them, shall be a public highway from and after the date of publication of this Order in the *Government Gazette*; and the said Council of the Shire of Mortlake do hereby declare and direct that the said piece of land, by the present Order dedicated to the public, shall be in lieu of the two following existing roads, that is to say:—The existing three-chain road forming the divisional boundary between allotment 1 of section 6 and section A, in the parish of Yeth-youang aforesaid: Commencing at a point bearing N. 73° 39' E. three chains two links from the south-west corner of said

allotment 1 of section 6, bounded on the north by said allotment bearing N. 73° 39' E. eighteen chains sixty-six links; thence by a line bearing N. 31° 45' E. eighteen chains seventy-nine links; thence by a line bearing N. 73° 51' E. four chains forty-seven links; thence by a line bearing S. 31° 45' W. twenty-three chains twenty-five links; thence by a line bearing S. 73° 39' W. twenty chains eighteen links; and thence by a line bearing N. 9° 15' W. three chains two links to the commencing point. Also the existing one-chain road forming the divisional boundary between allotment 1 and part of allotment 3 of section 7, in the parish of Yeth-youang aforesaid: Commencing at the south-west corner of said allotment 1; thence by a line bearing east thirty-five chains; thence by a line bearing south one chain; thence by a line bearing west thirty-four chains ninety-three links; and thence by a line bearing N. 3° 50' W. one chain one link to the commencing point; and which two last-mentioned roads are particularly delineated in the said plan deposited in the office of the said shire, and thereon coloured yellow.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1895.

(SEAL) STEUART G. BLACK, President.
THOS. MONTGOMERY, Councillor.
J. McMEEKIN, Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council
the 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF EUROA.—POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for the Trespas and Sustainance of Cattle while impounded in the Euroa Shire Pound, made and adopted by the Council of the Shire of Euroa on the 12th day of April, 1897:—

Description of Cattle trespassing.	Upon land other than tillage land enclosed with a substantial fence.	Upon tillage land enclosed by a substantial fence.	Amount to be charged daily for sustenance while impounded.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
For every sheep ...	0 0 1	0 1 0	0 0 1
For every goat ...	0 0 1	0 2 0	0 0 6
For every pig ...	0 0 3	0 8 0	0 2 0
For every head of other cattle	0 0 3	0 8 0	0 1 0

By order of the Council,

HENRY PARKER, Shire Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF WYCHEPROOF.—POUND RATES.

TABLE of Rates to be charged for the trespass of cattle and their sustenance while impounded in the Wycheproof, Kancira, and Towanmy Pounds, fixed by the Council of the Shire of Wycheproof as follows:—

Description of Cattle trespassing.	Upon land other than tillage land enclosed by a substantial fence.	Upon tillage land enclosed by a substantial fence.	Amount to be charged daily for sustenance while impounded.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
For every sheep ...	0 0 1	0 0 6	0 0 1
For every goat ...	0 0 3	0 5 0	0 2 0
For every pig ...	0 0 3	0 10 0	0 3 0
For every head of other cattle	0 0 3	0 4 0	0 2 0

Made this 12th day of May, 1897.

(SEAL) J. W. REDGEN, President.
A. G. STEWART, Secretary.

Confirmed this 16th day of June, 1897.

(SEAL) J. W. REDGEN, President.
A. G. STEWART, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th July, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

ESSENDON TOWN.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1895* (No. 1112, section 43), the substance and prayer of a Petition in accordance with the 10th section of Act 1243 and the 41st section of Act 1112, which has been presented to His Excellency the Governor in Council, are published, viz:—

The petitioner, purport to be at least one-fourth of the persons whose names are for the time being on the municipal roll of the Town of Essendon.

July 23, 1897.

Petitioners state that they are desirous that the Town of Essendon should be re-subdivided into four (4) wards, to be named as follows:—

- South Ward,
- East Ward,
- West Ward,
- North Ward.

The petitioners state that the present subdivision of wards is unsatisfactory, inasmuch as a great disproportion exists in respect of the annual valuation of rateable property between the Moonce Ponds, Ascot Vale, and Essendon Wards; likewise with regard to the population of the respective wards, &c.

The petitioners therefore pray that His Excellency in Council may be pleased to re-subdivide the town as desired.

Notices for the petitioners may be served on Messrs. Hickford and Legge, solicitors, 418 Chancery-lane, Melbourne.

J. W. TAVERNER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works
(Roads and Bridges Branch),
Melbourne, 21st July, 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.

EAST NATIMUK AND NORADJUH LINE.

The above line will not be closed for traffic on and after 2nd August, as previously advertised.

SANDOWN PARK RACES AT SANDOWN PARK.

On Wednesday, 28th July, a special train will leave Spencer-street at 11.57 a.m. and Flinders-street at 12.4 p.m. for Sandown Park Race-course platform, and return at 5.35 p.m. It will convey horses only from Spencer-street, passengers only from Flinders-street, horses and passengers from Caulfield, and passengers from Oakleigh. Special passenger trains will leave Flinders-street for Sandown Park Race-course platform (near Spring Vale) at 12.40, 12.55, and 1.25 p.m., and return immediately the races are over. These trains will stop at Caulfield and Oakleigh to pick up or set down passengers. Fares:—Return from Flinders-street or Prince's-bridge:—First class (including admission to the stand), 18s. Including admission to the course—First class, 5s. 6d.; second class, 4s. 6d. To platform—First class, 3s.; second class, 2s. From Caulfield or Oakleigh to platform—First class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 3d. Single—Race-course platform to Flinders-street—First class, 2s. The 10.30 a.m. suburban train, the 12.53 p.m. ordinary train from Dandenong, and the 2.10 p.m. ordinary train from Prince's-bridge, will set down passengers at the Race-course platform. The 4.30 p.m. ordinary train from Prince's-bridge will pick up passengers for Dandenong, &c., at the Race-course platform.

AUCTIONEER.

Applications from Melbourne auctioneers, addressed to the Secretary for Railways, will be received up till noon of Monday, 26th July, for the position of Auctioneer to the Department. Conditions and schedule of duties may be obtained at the Traffic Manager's Office, Spencer-street.

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

ST. ARNAUD SHIRE WATERWORKS TRUST AND WIMMERA UNITED WATERWORKS TRUST.—APPORTIONMENT OF LIABILITIES.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

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| Sir Henry Cuthbert | Mr. McCulloch |
| Mr. Taverner | Mr. Williamson. |
| Mr. McLean | |

WHEREAS by section 22 of the *Water Act 1890* it is enacted that when the Waterworks District of any Waterworks Trust has been or is about to be increased or diminished, the Governor in Council may make such order as appears just for the purpose of apportioning any debts or liabilities between the various localities affected or to be affected by the increasing or diminishing of such Waterworks District, and that every such order should be in all respects binding on the Waterworks Trust's ratepayers, and on all other persons thereby affected: And whereas by a certain Order in Council, bearing date the 2nd February, 1896, the Waterworks District of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust was diminished by the excision therefrom of certain land that is now included within and forms part of the Waterworks District of the Wimmera United Waterworks Trust.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of the provisions of the now in part recited Act, and for the purpose aforesaid, doth order—

That of the total sum advanced to the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust by way of loans, the said Wimmera United Waterworks Trust shall be liable for the sum of Three thousand five hundred and seven pounds fifteen shillings and four pence (£3,507 15s. 4d.), which said sum shall be transferred from the liabilities of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust, and shall be a liability of the said Wimmera United Waterworks Trust, together with a sum of Five hundred and twelve pounds eighteen shillings and three pence (£512 18s. 3d.), being interest due on the said sum of £3,507 15s. 4d. on the 31st December, 1896; and further that the said Wimmera United Waterworks Trust shall be liable for and shall pay such sum for interest (at the rate of Four pounds ten shillings per centum per annum) as may have accrued since the 31st December, 1896, on the said sum of £3,507 15s. 4d., or may hereafter accrue thereon.

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.

SHIRE OF COLAC.—DEVIATION OF A ROAD.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

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| Sir Henry Cuthbert | Mr. McCulloch |
| Mr. Taverner | Mr. Williamson. |
| Mr. McLean | |

WHEREAS by the *Local Government Act 1891* (55 Vict. No. 1243) it is amongst other things enacted that if the council of any municipality prove to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable that any road should be deviated, and that such deviation can be conveniently made through Crown land or land held by licensees or pastoral lessees under the *Land Act 1890*, the Minister may cause such road to be deviated accordingly at the cost of the municipality, and that, upon the publication in the *Government Gazette* of an Order of the Governor in Council declaring the new road a public highway, any portion of the old road mentioned in that behalf in such Order shall cease to be a public highway, but shall remain subject to the right of way and passage to and from any premises which cannot be as conveniently approached from the new road, and that, subject as aforesaid, such old road, or so much thereof as adjoins whose allotments or areas the licensees or lessees (if any) through whose allotments or areas the new road has been carried, shall be added to their allotments or areas in proportion to the amount of land taken from each, and shall be accepted by them as full compensation for any loss or damage suffered through the deviation of the road, and that the Minister shall make the distribution accordingly: And whereas the Council of the Municipality of the Shire of Colac has proved to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable to deviate a road in the parish of Moorbanool in the said shire: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby declare the road defined in the following description to be a public highway (that is to say):—

Three acres one rood one perch, county of Polwarth, parish of Moorbanool, being part of allotment 53: Commencing at a point bearing west fourteen chains sixty-three links from the north-east angle of the said allotment; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively S. 49° 22' E. seven chains seventy-five links, S. 62° 45' E. five chains sixty-two links, S. 29° 1' E. seven chains seventy-nine links, S. 8° 29' W. four chains eight links, and S. 35° 44' E. five chains ninety-six links and a half; thence by a road bearing S. 7° 5' E. two chains eight links and seven-tenths; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 35° 44' W. eight chains twenty links, N. 8° 29' E. four chains fifteen links, N. 29° 1' W. seven chains fifteen links, N. 62° 45' W. five chains forty-three links, and N. 49° 22' W. nine chains three links; and thence by a road bearing east one chain fifty-three links and six-tenths to the point of commencement,

in lieu of an existing road defined in the following description that is to say:—

Four acres eight perches, county of Polwarth, parish of Moorbanool: Commencing at a point bearing west fourteen chains sixty-three links from the north-east angle of allotment 53; bounded thence by the said allotment bearing east fourteen chains sixty-three links and S. 7° 5' E. twenty-three chains forty-eight links; thence by a line bearing S. 35° 44' E. two chains eight links and seven-tenths; thence by allotment 10a bearing N. 7° 5' W. twenty-six chains twenty links; thence by allotment 10a bearing west sixteen chains sixty-eight links; and thence by a line bearing S. 49° 22' E. one chain fifty-three links and six-tenths to the point of commencement.

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.

Land Act 1890, Part I.

ALTERATION OF REGULATIONS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS by the Land Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1106, Part I., sec. 142) power is given to the Governor in Council from time to time to make, alter, and rescind rules, regulations, and orders for the various purposes therein specified: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following alterations in the Regulations made under the provisions aforesaid (that is to say):—

REGULATIONS UNDER PART I. OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

Regulations dated 3rd July, 1893.—Chapter VII.—Leases and Crown Grants.

In line 2 of the Regulation made on 6th July, 1897, the words "for lands licensed subsequent to 29th December, 1891," are hereby inserted after "1890," and the Schedules therein referred to are hereby numbered 39c and 39d respectively, in lieu of 39b and 39c.

The Regulation made on 23rd January, 1895, is hereby cancelled, and the following Regulation is made in lieu thereof, viz:—

Leases issued under Sections 41 and 49 of the Land Act 1890 for lands licensed prior to 29th December, 1891, shall be in the form prescribed in Schedules 39e and 39f hereto, and shall be subject to such other exceptions, reservations, covenants, and conditions as the Governor in Council may in any particular case direct.

Schedule 39b, approved of by Regulation made on 23rd January, 1895, is hereby cancelled.

Chapter XIII.—Timber Licences.

Stripping of Wattle Bark.

Regulation 8 is hereby cancelled, and the following Regulation is made in lieu thereof, namely:—

Every such licence shall be available for the season commencing on the first day of September in any year and ending on the first day of March next following thereafter, and no longer, and shall be in the form and subject to the conditions contained in Schedule 69.

Schedule 69 is amended by excising the following words:—"four months commencing on the 15th day of September, 1891, and ending on the 15th day of January next following," and substituting in lieu thereof the following words, viz:—"six months commencing on the 1st day of September, 1891, and ending on the 1st day of March next following."

The date "15th day of January, 1891," wherever it occurs in Schedule 69, is hereby altered to "1st March, 1891."

Regulation 11 is hereby cancelled, and the following Regulation is made in lieu thereof, namely:—

There may be issued licences for the exclusive right of stripping and removing bark from wattle trees on lands leased under Section 32 of the Land Act 1854 or of the Land Act 1890. Every such licence shall be available for the season commencing on the first day of September in any year and ending on the first day of March next following thereafter, and no longer, and shall be subject to the conditions specified in the Schedule hereto and to a fee of Two pounds.

SCHEDULE.

1. The holder of this licence shall be the lessee under Section 32 of the Land Act 1854 or of the Land Act 1890 of the block referred to herein. The lessee may, however, nominate some person who will be allowed by special permission, to be indorsed on the licence by Secretary for Lands, to act on his or her behalf. All other persons engaged in stripping must obtain an ordinary wattle-bark licence at a fee of Thirty shillings (30s.).

2. The fee shall be payable in advance.

3. This licence is only available for Block _____, parish of _____, held under section 32 of the Land Act 1884 or 1890, by

4. No tree of less than 5 inches in diameter, when of the black or feather-leaf species, nor less than 3 inches, when of the golden or broad-leaf species, shall be stripped of its bark except the golden species be more than 50 miles from the sea-coast, in which case to trees having a diameter of 2½ inches may be stripped. The measurements in each of the foregoing cases shall be taken at 2 feet from the ground.

5. No bark shall be stripped from a tree until after the same has been felled.

6. This licence is personal, and must, when required, be produced by the holder thereof to any Crown lands bailiff or other officer appointed to enforce the regulations under which it is issued.

7. If the licensee shall strip or remove bark from any tree on this block, except in accordance with these regulations, he shall be deemed to have stripped or removed same without a licence.

8. This licence shall be available from 1st September to the 1st March next following thereafter, and no longer.

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

Schedule 39e.

Lease of an Agricultural Allotment under Section 41 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.

THIS INDENTURE made between 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 in the name and on behalf of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria of the one part and

(hereinafter called the "lessee") of the other part Witnesseth that in consideration of the rent hereby reserved and the covenants and conditions herein contained and on the part of the lessee his executors administrators and assigns to be observed and performed Her Majesty doth by these presents grant and demise unto the lessee all that piece of land in the colony of Victoria containing

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 _____ for the term of _____ years yielding and paying for the same unto Her Majesty the Queen her heirs and successors during the said term the rent of _____ shilling per annum for every acre and fractional part of an acre of the said land such rent to be always paid by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year and the next payment thereof to be made on the _____ day of _____

next Reserving and excepting unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors the right of resumption for the public purposes and in accordance with the provisions and conditions hereinafter expressed and contained such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required by the Governor in Council for the formation and construction of public roads highways or bridges and also such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required by the Board of Land and Works for the construction of railways railway

stations or railway works already or hereafter authorized to be constructed and also such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required for the execution construction completion or extension of any waterworks or irrigation works now made or in the course of construction or hereafter to be made under the authority of any present or future laws such parts of the said land when the same may be required for any of the said purposes to be set out by description in a proclamation in the Government Gazette and also described in a notice in writing to the lessee his executors administrators or transferees by the Governor acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council such notice to the lessee his executors administrators and transferees to be sent through the post office addressed to the occupier of the land excepting also unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors all gold and silver and auriferous and argentiferous earth or stone and all copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and mineral ores whatsoever and all mines seams veins lodes and deposits containing gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores in upon and under the demised land together with liberty to Her Majesty her heirs and successors and her and their agents servants lessees licensees and assigns at any time or times hereafter during the said term to enter upon the said land and to search and mine therein for gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and to extract and remove therefrom any gold silver and any auriferous and argentiferous earth or stone copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and for the purpose aforesaid to sink shafts erect machinery carry on any works and do any other things which may be necessary or usual in mining Provided that the said land is and shall be subject to the right of any person being the holder of a miner's right or of a licence to search for metals and minerals or of a mining or mineral lease to enter thereon and to mine for gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and to erect and occupy mining plant or machinery thereon in the same manner and under the same conditions and provisions as those to which such person had at the time of the passing of the Land Act 1890 the right to mine for gold and silver in and upon Crown lands provided that compensation shall be paid to the lessee his executors administrators assigns and transferees by such person for surface damage to be done to such lands by reason of mining thereon such compensation to be determined as provided by law and the payment thereof to be a condition precedent to such right of entry And provided also that the said land may be resumed under section 68 of the said Act And the lessee for himself his heirs executors administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant with her said Majesty her heirs and successors that he the lessee his executors administrators or assigns will observe perform and be bound by the several covenants conditions provisions agreements acts matters and things hereinafter contained (that is to say):—

1. That he or they will during the said term pay unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors 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 not at any time during the continuance of the term hereby granted without a licence from the Governor search in the land hereby demised for or take therefrom any metal or mineral or mineral ore.

Note.—The bearings and measurements are approximately given in this plan. The measurements are in links.

3. That he or they will observe perform fulfil and be bound by the stipulations conditions covenants and provisos contained in the schedule hereto.

4. That these presents are upon this express condition that if at any time and as often as during the said term any part or parts of the said land are required by the Governor in Council for the formation and construction of roads or bridges proposed by the Public Works Department or other public body or officer authorized in that behalf or are required by the Board of Land and Works for the construction of railways railway stations or railway works already or hereafter authorized to be constructed or are required by the Governor in Council or by any corporation person or persons acting in behalf of the Government of Victoria or by any public water trust or irrigation trust or body constituted under the present or future laws for the purpose of the making execution construction completion or extension of any such railway waterworks or irrigation works which they it or he may already or hereafter be authorized to make carry on execute construct complete or extend it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council by proclamation in the Government Gazette and by notice in writing to the lessee his executors administrators or transferees or to the occupier of the said land sent through the post office and addressed to the occupier of the said land to set out the part or parts of the said land which shall be so required for any of the said purposes and so soon as the same shall be so set out all interest at law or in equity of the lessee his executors administrators transferees and assigns in such part or parts shall cease but the lessee his executors administrators transferees and assigns shall be entitled to a reduction pro rata of all future rent herein reserved in respect of the land so required and set out at the rate of One pound for every acre of such land but no compensation shall be claimed or paid for any damage by reason of the severing of the lands so required taken set out or appropriated from any other lands but he or they shall be entitled to compensation for any actual improvements made by him or them on the said land such compensation to be ascertained by an officer to be appointed by the Governor in Council in that behalf.

5. These presents are upon the condition that in case the rent hereby reserved or any part thereof be not paid in accordance with the covenant for payment hereinbefore contained although no demand for payment has been made or in case the lessee his executors administrators or assigns shall not faithfully observe and perform all and every the covenants and conditions herein contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed it shall be lawful for Her Majesty to enter forthwith or 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 Her Majesty and for any bailiff of Crown lands or for any other agents or officers authorized 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 under him or them for ever to expel and remove therefrom without any legal process whatsoever and as effectually as any sheriff might do in case Her Majesty 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 defendants or defendant to such action may plead leave or 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 under him or them to Her Majesty and any bailiff of Crown lands and all persons acting in the matters complained of or of any such bailiff for the entry or trespass or other matters complained of in such action or other proceedings.

6. The term "Governor" in these presents shall mean the Governor or the Administrator of the Government of Victoria for the time being unless such meaning be inconsistent with the context.

In witness whereof 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 said Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies at Melbourne hath on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen caused this demise to be sealed with the Seal of the said colony and the said lessee hath set hereto his hand and seal.

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

SCHEDULE WITHIN REFERRED TO.—SPECIAL CONDITION.

Entered in the Register-book Vol. Fol. Assistant Registrar of Titles. Schedule 33r.

Lease of an Agricultural Allotment under Section 49 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.

THIS INDENTURE made between 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 in the name and on behalf of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria of the one part and (hereinafter called the "lessee") of the other part Witnesseth that in consideration of the rent hereby reserved and the covenants and conditions herein contained and on the part of the lessee his executors administrators and assigns to be observed and performed Her Majesty doth by these presents grant and demise unto the lessee

all that piece of land in the Colony of Victoria containing 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 for the term of years yielding and paying for the same unto Her Majesty the Queen her heirs and successors during the said term the rent of shilling per annum for every acre and fractional part of an acre of the said land such rent to be always paid by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year and the next payment thereof to be made on the day of

next Reserving and excepting unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors the right of resumption for the public purposes and in accordance with the provisions and conditions hereinafter expressed and contained such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required by the Governor in Council for the formation and construction of public roads highways or bridges and also such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required by the Board of Land and Works for the construction of railways railway stations or railway works already or hereafter authorized to be constructed and also such parts of the said land as shall from time to time be required for the execution construction completion or extension of any waterworks or irrigation works now made or in the course of construction or hereafter to be made under the authority of any present or future laws such parts of the said land when the same may be required for any of the said purposes to be set out by description in a proclamation in the Government Gazette and also described in a notice in writing to the lessee his executors administrators or transferees by the Governor acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council such notice to the lessee his executors administrators and transferees to be sent through the post office addressed to the occupier of the land. Excepting also unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors all gold and silver and auriferous and argentiferous earth or stone and all copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and mineral ores whatsoever and all mines seams veins lodes and deposits containing gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores in and upon and under the demised land together with liberty to Her Majesty her heirs and successors and her and their agents servants lessees licensees and assigns at any time or times hereafter during the said term to enter upon the said land and to search and mine therein for gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and to extract and remove therefrom any gold silver and any auriferous and argentiferous earth or stone copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and for the purpose aforesaid to sink shafts erect machinery carry on any works and do any other things which may be necessary or usual in mining. Provided that the said land is and shall be subject to the right of any person being the holder of a miner's right or of a licence to search for metals and minerals or of a mining or mineral lease to enter thereon and to mine for gold silver copper tin antimony coal and all other metals and minerals and mineral ores and to erect and occupy mining plant or machinery thereon in the same manner and under the same conditions and provisions as those to which such person had at the time of the passing of the Land Act 1890 the right to mine for gold and silver in and upon Crown lands provided that compensation shall be paid to the lessee his executors administrators assigns and transferees by such person for surface damage to be done to such lands by reason of mining thereon such compensation to be determined as provided by law and the payment thereof to be a condition precedent to such right of entry. And provided also that the said land may be resumed under Section 68 of the said Act. And the lessee for himself his heirs executors administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant with her

Note.—The bearings and measurements are approximately given in this plan. The by the several covenants conditions provisos agreements acts matters and things herein after contained (that is to say):—

1. That he or they will during the said term pay unto Her Majesty her heirs and successors 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 not at any time during the continuance of the term hereby granted without a licence from the Governor search in the land hereby demised for or take therefrom any metal or mineral or mineral ore.

3. That he or they will observe perform fulfil and be bound by the stipulations conditions covenants and provisos contained in the Schedule hereto.

4. That these presents are upon this express condition that if at any time and as often as during the said term any part or parts of the said land are required by the Governor in Council for the formation and construction of roads or bridges proposed by the Public Works Department or other public body or officer authorized in that behalf or are required by the Board of Land and Works for the construction of railways railway stations or railway works already or hereafter authorized to be constructed or are required by the Governor in Council or by any corporation person or persons acting in behalf of the Government of Victoria or by any public water trust or irrigation trust or body constituted under the present or future laws for the purpose of the making execution construction completion or extension of any such railway waterworks or irrigation works which they it or he may

already or hereafter be authorized to make carry on execute construct complete or extend it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council by proclamation in the *Government Gazette* and by notice in writing to the lessee his executors administrators or transferees or to the occupier of the said land sent through the post office and addressed to the occupier of the said land to set out the part or parts of the said land which shall be so required for any of the said purposes and so soon as the same shall be so set out all interest at law or in equity of the lessee his executors administrators transferees and assigns in such part or parts shall cease but the lessee his executors administrators transferees and assigns shall be entitled to a reduction *pro rata* of all future rent herein reserved in respect of the land so required and set out and also to compensation for the land so required and set out at the rate of Two pounds for every acre of such land but no compensation shall be claimed or paid for any damage by reason of the severing of the lands so required taken set out or appropriated from any other lands but he or they shall be entitled to compensation for any actual improvements made by him or them on the said land such compensation to be ascertained by an officer to be appointed by the Governor in Council in that behalf.

5. These presents are upon the condition that in case the rent hereby reserved or any part thereof be not paid in accordance with the covenant for payment hereinbefore contained although no demand for payment has been made or in case the lessee his executors administrators or assigns shall not faithfully observe and perform all and every the covenants and conditions herein contained and on his or their part to be observed and performed it shall be lawful for Her Majesty to enter forthwith or at any time thereafter upon the land hereby demised and the same to repossess and enjoy and thenceforth the said land hereby granted shall absolutely cease and determine. And it is hereby agreed and declared that in such case it shall be lawful for Her Majesty and for any bailiff of Crown lands or for any other agents or officers authorized 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 under him or them for ever to expel and remove therefrom without any legal process whatsoever and as effectually as any sheriff might do in case Her Majesty 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 defendants or defendant to such action may plead leave or 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 under him or them to Her Majesty and any bailiff of Crown lands and all persons acting in the matters complained of or of any such bailiff for the entry or trespass or other matters complained of in such action or other proceedings.

6. The term "Governor" in these presents shall mean the Governor or the Administrator of the Government of Victoria for the time being unless such meaning be inconsistent with the context.

In witness whereof 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 said Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies at Melbourne hath on behalf of Her Majesty the Queen caused this demise to be sealed with the seal of the said Colony and the said lessee hath set hereto his hand and seal.

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

SCHEDULE WITHIN REFERRED TO.—SPECIAL CONDITION.

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.

Health Act 1890.

INTRODUCTION INTO VICTORIA OF SWINE FROM NEW ZEALAND.—PROHIBITION REPEALED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Tavenner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS by section 267 of the *Health Act 1890* among other things the Governor in Council is empowered from time to time to make, alter, and repeal such Orders as may seem necessary for the purpose of prohibiting or regulating the introduction into Victoria from any country or colony, or part of a country or colony in which respectively any disease in sheep, cattle, horses, dogs, swine, or other animals of the same or any other kind or kinds whatsoever is known to exist, and for the detention in quarantine in such place and for such period as the Governor in Council by such Order appoints or directs of all sheep, cattle, horses, dogs, swine, or other animals of the same or any other kind or kinds whatsoever, or of meat, skins, hides, horns, hoofs, or other parts of any animals, or of hay, straw, fodder, or other articles likely to propagate amongst men or other animals any infectious or contagious disease whatsoever: And it is also enacted that all Orders for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned shall have the like force

and effect as if the same had been inserted in the now in part recited Act: And that all persons offending against any Order made under the authority of the said section shall for each and every offence forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding Fifty pounds, or such smaller sum as the Governor in Council may in any case by such Order direct, and that such sum shall go to form part of the consolidated revenue: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth by this Order repeal the Order made the 16th day of September, 1895, prohibiting introduction of swine into Victoria from New Zealand.

And the Honorable John William Tavenner, Her Majesty's Minister of Agriculture for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Licensing Act 1890.

DROUIN LICENSING DISTRICT.—POLL OF ELECTORS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Tavenner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS the number of Victuallers' Licences in the Drouin Licensing District is below the statutory number: And whereas a petition has been received by the Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 27 of the *Licensing Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1111), from one-fifth of the number of persons whose names for the time being are on the Rolls of Electors for the Electoral Division forming the said Licensing District in force on the day after the publication in the *Government Gazette* of the number of inhabitants therein, praying that a Poll of the Electors may be ordered to be taken to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in such Licensing District shall be increased: And whereas by section 29 of the said Act it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, upon the receipt of any such petition, by an Order in Council, direct any particular member of the Licensing Court for the Licensing District to take a Poll of the Electors upon a day to be fixed in the said Order in Council: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby direct Charles Alfred Costley Crosswell, Esq., Police Magistrate, being a member of the Licensing Court for the

DROUIN LICENSING DISTRICT

aforsaid, to take a Poll of the Electors in the said Licensing District, on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1897, to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in the said Licensing District shall be increased.

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.

Licensing Act 1890.

ECHUCA LICENSING DISTRICT.—POLL OF ELECTORS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Tavenner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS the number of Victuallers' Licences in the Echuca Licensing District is above the statutory number: And whereas a petition has been received by the Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 27 of the *Licensing Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1111), from one-fifth of the number of persons whose names for the time being are on the Rolls of Electors for the Electoral Division forming the said Licensing District in force on the day after the publication in the *Government Gazette* of the number of inhabitants therein, praying that a Poll of the Electors may be ordered to be taken to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in such Licensing District shall be decreased: And whereas by section 29 of the said Act it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, upon the receipt of any such petition, by an Order in Council, direct any particular member of the Licensing Court for the Licensing District to take a Poll of the Electors upon a day to be fixed in the said Order in Council: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby direct Patrick Joseph Dwyer, Esq., Police Magistrate, being a member of the Licensing Court for the

ECHUCA LICENSING DISTRICT

aforsaid, to take a Poll of the Electors in the said Licensing District, on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1897, to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licences in the said Licensing District shall be decreased.

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.

The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1075), Part IV., Section 196.

GENERAL ELECTORAL ROLL RECTIFIED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert
Mr. Taverner
Mr. McLean

Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Williamson.

WHEREAS by Part IV. of *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1075)* it is amongst other things enacted that where any accidental or unavoidable impediment, misfeasance, or omission shall have happened in the preparation or transmission or printing of any general roll or supplementary roll, or ordinary electoral roll or roll of ratepaying electors, the Governor in Council may take all such measures as may be necessary for removing such impediment or rectifying such misfeasance or omission, or may declare any such roll valid as to and notwithstanding such impediment, misfeasance, or omission; and that every such Order in Council shall state specifically the nature of the impediment, misfeasance, or omission, and shall be forthwith published in the *Government Gazette*: And whereas the accidental omissions and the accidental misfeasance described herein have happened in the preparation of the General Roll for the Bendoc Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland East, namely, that the Deputy Electoral Registrar for that Division at Club Terrace did omit from the General List for the Division the names of William A. Blair, of Club Terrace, storekeeper, and James Parker, of Club Terrace, miner, and did also omit from the said List particulars of the residences and occupations of the persons to whom he had issued electors' rights for the Division, and also particulars of the respective numbers of the rights so issued, and did state the name of James McWhan Chalmers as John McWhan Chalmers; and whereas it is expedient to rectify such omissions and misfeasance: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby rectify such omissions and misfeasance by inserting in the General Roll for the Division the two names so omitted, which are set out in the Schedule hereunder, by inserting also the particulars of residence and occupation of each person to whom the said Deputy Electoral Registrar had issued an elector's right for such Division and also the number of each such elector's right, as shown in the copy of such Roll attached to correspondence numbered 97/E.7861 in the Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne, and by altering the name of John McWhan Chalmers to James McWhan Chalmers in the said Roll.

SCHEDULE.

Number of Elector's Right.	Surnames in full.	Christian Names in full.	Residence.	Occupation.	Nature of Qualification.	Situation or other Description of Qualifying Property (if any).
A218701	Blair ...	William A. ...	Club Terrace ...	storekeeper ...	residential	
A218716	Parker ...	James ...	Club Terrace ...	miner ...	residential	

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

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Acts.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR PAWNBROKERS' SHOPS,
TOWN OF BRUNSWICK.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert
Mr. Taverner
Mr. McLean

Mr. McCulloch
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 pawnbrokers' shops in the Town of Brunswick (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 town 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 of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

All pawnbrokers' shops in the municipal district of the Town of Brunswick 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.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR DAIRY PRODUCE SHOPS,
CITY OF HAWTHORN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert
Mr. Taverner
Mr. McLean

Mr. McCulloch
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 dairy produce shops in 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 of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

All dairy produce 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.

DELIVERY OF MILK IN THE CITY OF SOUTH MELBOURNE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS by the *Factories and Shops Act 1896* 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 vendors of milk having shops in the municipal district of the City of South Melbourne praying that a Regulation be made prohibiting the delivery within the said municipal district of milk from a cart or in the street, or at any house or premises, on Wednesday in each week from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: 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 South Melbourne deliver, or cause or permit to be delivered, any milk from any cart or in the street, or at any house or premises, on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon. 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.

Factories and Shops Acts.

HALF-HOLIDAY FOR BOOT DEALERS' SHOPS, BOOT-MAKERS' SHOPS, AND BOOT REPAIRERS' SHOPS, CITY OF COLLINGWOOD.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 dealers' shops, bootmakers' shops, and boot repairers' shops within the municipal district of the City of Collingwood (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 classes substantially interested and affected thereby: 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):—

All boot dealers' shops, bootmakers' shops, and boot repairers' shops in the municipal district of the City of Collingwood shall be closed on Wednesday in each week, from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, provided that no such shops shall be required to be closed on the Wednesday in any week in which such shops 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 DAIRY PRODUCE DEALERS' SHOPS WITHIN THE CITY OF HAWTHORN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 Hawthorn all dairy produce dealers' 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 Nine o'clock on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week, and until half-past Ten 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 of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

It shall be lawful for any dairy produce dealer's shop within the municipal district of the City of Hawthorn to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday in each week from Seven o'clock until Nine o'clock, and on the evening of Saturday in each week from Ten o'clock until half-past Ten 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.

REGULATION OF BUTCHERS' SHOPS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF YEA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 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 Township of Yea in the municipal district of the Shire of Yea all butchers' 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, Thursday, and Friday in each week: And whereas such petition has been certified to by the municipal clerk of the said shire 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 of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

It shall be lawful for any butcher's shop in the Township of Yea within the municipal district of the Shire of Yea to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 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.

PROVISIONS RELATING TO SHOPS EXTENDED TO THE TOWNSHIP OF TOORA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 township of Toora in the municipal district of the Shire of South Gippsland have petitioned the Governor in Council to make an Order extending the provisions aforesaid to the whole of the shops within the said township, and the municipal clerk of the said shire has certified to that effect as provided in the said Acts: And whereas by an Order, made on the 16th day of March, 1897, the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts aforesaid, which relate to shops, were extended to the whole of the shops within the said township of Toora, and it is expedient now to revoke the said Order and to make another Order in lieu thereof: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke the Order aforesaid, and in lieu thereof doth by this Order extend the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts which relate to shops to the whole of the shops within the said township of Toora in the municipal district of the Shire of South Gippsland 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 MILK IN THE CITY OF RICHMOND.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Act 1896 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 vendors of milk having shops in the municipal district of the City of Richmond praying that a Regulation be made prohibiting the delivery within the said municipal district of milk from a cart or in the street, or at any house or premises, on Wednesday in each week from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon: 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 Richmond deliver or cause or permit to be delivered any milk from any cart or in the street, or at any house or premises, on Wednesday in each week from the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon. 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 nor 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.

Hospitals and Charities Act 1890.

INCORPORATION OF THE DENTAL AND ORAL HOSPITAL OF VICTORIA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 therein 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 Dental and Oral Hospital 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

DENTAL AND ORAL HOSPITAL OF VICTORIA.

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 MELBOURNE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Taverner	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

WHEREAS by the Factories and Shops Act 1896 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 Melbourne 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 Melbourne 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 nor 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.

July 23, 1897.

POLLING PLACES FOR ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day of July, 1897.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Sir Henry Cuthbert	Mr. McCulloch
Mr. Tavener	Mr. Williamson.
Mr. McLean	

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 place named in the second column of the Schedule hereunder as a Polling Place within and for the Division of the Electoral District 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.
Essendon and Flemington District—		
Flemington Division ...	Kensington	
Gippsland East District—		
Bendoc Division ...		Club Terrace
Tongio Division ...		Brookville
Villiers and Heytesbury District—		
Curdie's River Division ...		Jancourt
Furnim Division ...		Illowa
Wangaratta and Rutherglen District—		
Doma Mungi Division ...		Brimin

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.

CEMETERIES.

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

CAMPBELLTOWN PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance ...	£30 14 6	
Fees for graves, &c. ...	19 14 0	
	<u>£50 8 6</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Salaries ...	£2 0 0	
Office expenses ...	0 7 6	
Works ...	20 4 6	
Grave-digging ...	5 10 0	
Balance ...	22 6 6	
	<u>£50 8 6</u>	

ROBERT WM. WARRINER,
JOHN WEATHERSON,
W. J. PURTON,

Trustees.

Declared at Campbelltown the 29th day of January, 1897, before ALEXANDER CLARKE, J.P.

DADYMINGA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Fees for graves, &c. ...	£2 0 0	
Balance due to treasurer ...	0 5 3	
	<u>£2 5 3</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Balance ...	£1 15 3	
Salaries ...	0 10 0	
	<u>£2 5 3</u>	

STEPHEN HOWE,
JOHN GILMOUR,
JAMES McCORMACK,

Trustees.

Declared at Tallarook the 13th day of May, 1897, before MICHAEL HICKEY, J.P.

LORQUON PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance ...	£8 5 10	
Fees for graves, &c. ...	3 0 0	
	<u>£11 5 10</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Office expenses ...	£0 7 6	
Works ...	2 5 6	
Balance ...	8 12 10	
	<u>£11 5 10</u>	

D. DUTHIE,
JOHN AFFLECK,
THOS. P. PANNAN,

Trustees.

Declared at Lorquon the 26th day of April, 1897, before W. DAVENPORT, Commissioner for Taking Affidavits.

MACARTHUR PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Fees for graves, &c. ...	£2 17 6	
Rent ...	0 10 0	
Balance ...	5 19 11	
	<u>£9 7 5</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Balance ...	£7 19 11	
Office expenses ...	0 14 0	
Duty stamp ...	0 0 6	
Interest ...	0 13 0	
	<u>£9 7 5</u>	

J. LAW,
JOHN CAMERON,
A. BLACK,

Trustees.

Declared at Macarthur the 11th day of February, 1897, before J. R. LEARMONTH, J.P.

MOUNT COLE PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance ...	£4 8 3	
Fees for graves, &c. ...	1 0 0	
	<u>£5 8 3</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Office expenses ...	£0 0 4	
Contingencies ...	0 5 0	
Balance ...	5 2 11	
	<u>£5 8 3</u>	

A. McGUINNESS,
JOHN BYWATERS,
WILLIAM PADGETT,

Trustees.

Declared at Buanger the 6th day of March, 1897, before ROBT. HORNSBY, J.P.

MYSIA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1896.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance ...	£1 14 7	
Fees for graves, &c. ...	5 12 6	
Contribution to dividing fence ...	1 0 0	
	<u>£8 7 1</u>	
EXPENDITURE.		
Office expenses ...	£0 1 6	
Works ...	3 0 0	
Grave-digging ...	1 5 0	
Balance ...	4 0 7	
	<u>£8 7 1</u>	

W. G. BOYLE,
D. ROLLINSON,
J. EVANS,

Trustees.

Declared at Mysia the 18th day of March, 1897, before GEORGE COURTS, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Fees for graves, &c.	£19 0 0
Balance £90 5s., less cash in hand £7 11s. 6d.	82 13 6
	<u>£101 13 6</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Balance	£87 6 8
Salaries	1 15 0
Works	0 5 0
Grave-digging	4 16 6
Interest on overdraft	7 10 4
	<u>£101 13 6</u>

DAVID CONDIE,
WILLIAM HENRY PHILLIPS,
THOS. FARR,

Trustees.

Declared at Tungamah the 10th day of June, 1897, before JOHN FELL, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£21 7 6
Fees for graves, &c.	32 17 0
	<u>£54 4 6</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£8 0 0
Office expenses	1 12 6
Works	24 9 0
Grave-digging	10 13 0
Balance	9 10 0
	<u>£54 4 6</u>

W. E. AITCHISON,
J. MAHER,
S. BODY,

Trustees.

Declared at Timor the 30th day of March, 1897, before JOSEPH DU BOURG, J.P.

TRARALGON PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December, 1895.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£8 10 6
Fees for graves, &c.	21 11 6
	<u>£30 2 0</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£20 10 6
Office expenses	2 4 0
Works	0 1 3
Insurance	0 10 0
Balance	6 16 3
	<u>£30 2 0</u>

HARRY C. JONES,
PERCY PYE SERGEANT,
JNO. S. MILLIGAN,
T. A. PETTIT,

Trustees.

Declared at Traralgon the 9th day of July, 1897, before T. A. PETTIT, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£6 16 3
Fees for graves, &c.	37 9 0
	<u>£44 5 3</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£24 15 0
Office expenses	1 2 0
Works	9 9 9
Insurance	0 10 0
Balance	8 8 6
	<u>£44 5 3</u>

PERCY PYE SERGEANT,
HARRY C. JONES,
D. J. MCCARTHY,

Trustees.

Declared at Traralgon the 10th day of June, 1897, before T. A. PETTIT, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£8 6 0
Fees for graves, &c.	15 10 0
	<u>£23 16 0</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 0 0
Office expenses	0 10 0
Works	1 15 0
Grave-digging	9 15 6
Contingencies	0 15 4
Balance	6 0 2
	<u>£23 16 0</u>

THOMAS RAW,
DAVID WATSON,
W. NORTON,

Trustees.

Declared at Trentham the 1st day of May, 1897, before T. A. ROGERS, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£27 0 0
Fees for graves, &c.	2 0 0
Other sources of income	0 9 6
	<u>£29 9 6</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Works	£8 12 0
Grave-digging	3 0 0
Balance	17 17 6
	<u>£29 9 6</u>

PATR. MADDEN, JUN.,
H. G. WATSON,
JOHN McNERNEY,

Trustees.

Declared at Port Fairy the 29th day of June, 1897, before WM. EARLE, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£3 13 1
Fees for graves, &c.	5 15 0
	<u>£9 8 1</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 0 8
Works	4 3 4
Grave-digging	2 18 6
Balance	2 5 7
	<u>£9 8 1</u>

J. C. MAHONEY,
WILLIAM SANDERS,
JOHN CAMPBELL,

Trustees.

Declared at Yarragon the 2nd day of July, 1897, before JOHN CAMPBELL, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£30 7 5
Fees for graves, &c.	22 5 0
	<u>£52 12 5</u>
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£4 17 2
Grave-digging	14 10 0
Burial fees refunded	1 15 0
Uncollected fees written off	2 9 7
Balance	29 0 8
	<u>£52 12 5</u>

E. S. PURCELL,
JOHN BORRIE,
JOHN QUINLAN, J.P.,

Trustees.

Declared at Yea the 26th day of February, 1897, before JAMES BERT, 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.
Beechworth— Friday, 13 August	77	Inglewood— Monday, 23 August	78
Boort— Tuesday, 24 August	79	Melbourne— Tuesday, 24 August	79
Castlemaine— Tuesday, 17 August	78	Smythesdale— Tuesday, 10 August	77
Hamilton— Thursday, 19 August	78		

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

SALES (Nos. 7752 AND 7753) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct that sales by auction of the undermentioned Crown Lands will be holden at the times and places mentioned, and that such lands be offered for sale in the lots hereinafter specified, and at the upset price fixed to each lot respectively.

The lands will be sold in fee simple, and subject to the covenants, conditions, exceptions, and regulations directed by the Governor in Council by an Order in Council dated the 17th day of March, 1885, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 20th March, 1885, page 817.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and all such payments shall be made only in gold, silver, or bank notes, or cheques approved of by the receiver and paymaster, and the residue of such price will be payable in twelve (12) equal instalments on the last day of each successive period of three (3) months from the time of sale, or, if the purchaser choose, at any earlier time or times, being one of such last days of any of the periods of three (3) months stated above; such residue of payment will bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, to be computed from the time of sale to the time of payment of such residue or instalment of such residue.

The Governor in Council may, if he think fit, register the transfer of the interest of any purchaser of an allotment sold by public auction prior to the final payment of the purchase money being made. The fee for such registration shall be One pound eleven shillings and sixpence.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

BOORT.—Sale (No. 7752) at FOUR o'clock p.m. on TUESDAY, 24th AUGUST, 1897, at the COURT HOUSE, Boort. To be conducted by M. MACOBOY, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneer: Mr. G. T. PROCTOR.

TOWN LOTS.

BOORT, PARISH OF BOORT, COUNTY OF GLADSTONE.

Upset price £6 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 1. Area 1r. 14p., allotment 1, section 7.
- Lot 2. Area 1r. 14p., allotment 2, section 7.
- Lot 3. Area 1r. 14p., allotment 3, section 7.

QUAMBATOOK, PARISH OF QUAMBATOOK, COUNTY OF TATCHERA.

Upset price £10 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 4. Area 1r. 32p., allotment 1.
- Lot 5. Area 1r. 32p., allotment 2.
- Lot 6. Area 1r. 32p., allotment 3.
- Lot 7. Area 1r. 32p., allotment 4.

Upset price £12 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 8. Area 2r., allotment 8.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 9. Area 2r., allotment 30.
- Lot 10. Area 2r., allotment 31.
- Lot 11. Area 1r. 39p., allotment 36.

COUNTRY LOT.

PARISH OF TEDDYWADDY, COUNTY OF KARA KARA.

At the site of the improvements of Jas. Anderson.

- Upset price £1 2s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey £5 8s. 6d.
- Lot 12. Area 200a., allotment 35a. Valuation £206.

Each lot will be sold to a depth of 50 feet from the surface only.

MELBOURNE.—Sale (No. 7753) at TWO o'clock p.m. on TUESDAY, 24th AUGUST, 1897, at the AUCTION ROOMS of W. L. BAILLIEU & CO., Collins-street. To be conducted by J. C. MEAKIN, Esq., Land Officer.

TOWN LOTS.

LEONGATHA, PARISH OF LEONGATHA, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of the improvements of Eliza Flanagan.

Upset price £35 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 1. Area 3r., allotment 5, section 9. Valuation £63.

No. 79.—JULY 23, 1897.—3.

On Western side of Railway Station.

Upset price £10 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 2. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 20, section 16.
- Lot 3. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 21, section 16.
- Lot 4. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 22, section 16.
- Lot 5. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 23, section 16.
- Lot 6. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 24, section 16.
- Lot 7. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 25, section 16.
- Lot 8. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 26, section 16.

KORUMBURRA, PARISH OF KORUMBURRA, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of improvements of Mrs. J. Elmore.

Upset price £16 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 9. Area 2a., allotment 10, section F. Valuation £8 10s.

COALVILLE, PARISH OF NARRACAN, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Upset price £6 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 10. Area 20p., allotment 2, section 1.
- Lot 11. Area 20p., allotment 3, section 1.
- Lot 12. Area 20p., allotment 4, section 1.

KOONWARRA, PARISH OF LEONGATHA, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Fronting the Railway Station.

Upset price £16 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 13. Area 1r. 10 6-10p., allotment 14, section 3.

MEENIYAN, PARISH OF NERRENA, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Fronting the Railway Station.

Upset price £12 per lot.—Charge for survey £1 8s.

- Lot 14. Area 1a., allotment 2A, section 2.

MEENIYAN, PARISH OF MEENIYAN, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Upset price £8 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 15. Area 3r. 8p., allotment 18, section 4.

DROUIN, PARISH OF DROUIN WEST, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of the improvements of J. J. Morrison.

Upset price £5 12s. per lot.—Charge for survey £1 8s.

- Lot 16. Area 1a. Or. 20p., allotment 26, section 15. Valuation £30.

KOONORK, PARISH OF DOOMBURRIM, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Upset price £10 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 17. Area 3a. 1r. 24p., allotment 3, section 6.
- Lot 18. Area 3a. 1r. 24p., allotment 4, section 6.

LONGWARRY, PARISH OF DROUIN WEST, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

On the South side of Railway Station.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 19. Area 4a. 3r. 36p., allotment 3, section 17.

Upset price £18 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 20. Area 12a., allotment 11, section 17.

Upset price £22 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 21. Area 15a. Or. 6p., allotment 12, section 17.
- Lot 22. Area 15a. 2r. 1p., allotment 13, section 17.

Upset price £18 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

- Lot 23. Area 11a. 3r. 7p., allotment 14, section 17.

COUNTRY LOTS.

PARISH OF ALLAMBEE, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of the improvements of J. Calaher.

Upset price £1 per acre.—Charge for survey £15.

- Lot 24. Area 317a. 1r. 17p., allotment 9. Valuation £439 10s.

PARISH OF MEENIYAN, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of the improvements of Emma J. Catron.

Upset price £1 per acre.—Charge for survey £19.

- Lot 25. Area 199a. Or. 20p., allotment 39c. Valuation £284.

Each lot will be sold to a depth of 50 feet from the surface only.

Mines Act 1890.

LANDS EXCEPTED FROM OCCUPATION, ETC.

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 20th day of July, 1897, excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence, the lands hereinafter described, viz.:-

DOOLAM (GLEN CREEK).—The unappropriated Crown lands in the parish of Doolam, county of Delatite, situate on the banks of Glen Creek, as indicated by pink tint on plan marked B, attached to correspondence 97.H.4993, deposited at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(D.154?) (97.H.4993).

YARCK (GODFREY'S CREEK).—The unappropriated Crown lands in the parish of Yarck, county of Delatite, situate on the banks of Godfrey's Creek, as indicated by pink tint on plan marked A, attached to correspondence 97.H.4993, deposited at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.—(Y.84?) (97.H.4993).

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE,
ETC.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 10 and 13): Notice is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by Orders made on the 20th day of July, 1897, reserved, temporarily, from sale and leasing, and from having a licence granted in respect thereof, and has also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence, in pursuance of section 10 of the *Land Act 1890* aforesaid, the lands hereinafter described, viz.:

DROUIN WEST.—Site for Road purposes.—Four acres three roods thirty-nine perches, county of Buln Buln, parish of Drouin West: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 72; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 65° 6' E. ten chains seventy links, S. 86° 58' E. fifteen chains twenty-two links, and N. 39° 53' E. four chains eighteen links, and by the said allotment and a line bearing S. 37° 47' E. six chains seventy-three links; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 48° 22' E. thirteen chains forty-eight links, and S. 22° 36' W. one chain six links; thence by allotment 123 and a line bearing N. 48° 22' W. thirteen chains ninety-two links; and thence by lines bearing respectively N. 37° 47' W. five chains fifty-eight links, S. 39° 53' W. three chains forty-four links, N. 86° 58' W. fifteen chains forty-seven links, S. 65° 6' W. eleven chains thirteen links, and N. 9° 18' E. one chain twenty-one links to the point of commencement.—(D.173(4)) (97.C.3539).

KOOROOMAN.—Land reserved for a Road.—One acre one rood ten perches, more or less, county of Buln Buln, parish of Koorooman, being the strip of land one chain wide lying between the north boundary of allotment 31 and the Wilkur Creek.—(K.173(4)) (96.T.3421).

LANDSBOROUGH.—Site for Watering and Camping purposes.—Five acres, county of Kara Kara, parish of Landsborough: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment A30; bounded thence by the road from Elmhurst bearing N. 13° 30' W. eight chains; thence by lines bearing respectively east seven chains thirty-six links, and south seven chains seventy-eight links; and thence by allotment A30 aforesaid bearing west five chains forty-nine links to the point of commencement.—(L.119(7)) (96.C.2193).

LANDSBOROUGH.—Site for Watering and Camping purposes.—Ten acres, county of Kara Kara, parish of Landsborough: Commencing at a point on the east side of the road from Landsborough, bearing N. 83° 0' E. three chains, and S. 7° 0' E. five chains twenty links from the intersection of the west side of the said road and the south side of the road forming part of the north boundary of the parish; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 83° 0' E. twelve chains fifty links, S. 7° 0' E. eight chains, and S. 83° 0' W. twelve chains fifty links; and thence by the road from Landsborough aforesaid bearing N. 7° 0' W. eight chains to the point of commencement.—(L.119(7)) (96.C.2492).

STAWELL.—Site for Public Recreation.—Fifty-eight acres three roods nineteen perches, county of Borung, municipal district of Stawell: Commencing at the intersection of the south side of Burgh-street and the east side of Black Range-road; bounded thence by the said road bearing S. 16° 56' W. ten chains twenty-one links and south twenty-two chains thirty links; thence by a road bearing east sixteen chains twenty-three links; thence by Sutherland-street bearing N. 16° 53' E. twenty-six chains eighty-four links; and thence by Burgh-street aforesaid bearing N. 73° 9' W. twenty-two chains to the point of commencement.—(S.324(1)) (97.C.2764).

WARBURTON.—Site for a Mechanics' Institute.—One acre, county of Kvelyn, parish of Warburton, being allotment 13 of section A: Commencing at the south angle of allotment 12; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 55° 25' W. six chains sixty-six links and a half; thence by a right-of-way bearing S. 34° 35' W. one chain fifty links; thence by allotment 14 bearing S. 55° 25' E. six chains sixty-six links and a half; and thence by the road from Lilydale bearing N. 34° 35' E. one chain fifty links to the point of commencement.—(W.348d) (97.C.3661).

WATCHEM.—Site for a Manure Depot.—Four acres three roods ten perches and four-tenths, county of Borung, village of Watchem, being allotment 5 of section 4: Commencing at the south-east angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing west six chains forty-two links; thence by a line bearing north seven chains fifty links; thence by allotment 6 bearing east six chains forty-two links; and thence by a road bearing south seven chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(W.304e) (96.C.1910).

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY
RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 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 ^{1^o} on 25 June, pursuant to Orders of 21 June, 1897.

DEVON.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 12th December, 1887, of fifty-three acres one rood twenty-eight perches of land in the parish of Devon, being part of allotment 52, as a site for Supply of Stone and Timber, is about to be revoked.—(D.171(2)) (96.T.5447).

EAGLEHAWK.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 31st March, 1882, of four acres seven perches and a half of land in the municipal district of Eaglehawk, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked.—(S.100b) (96.C.2082).

EAGLEHAWK.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 1st May, 1883, of eighty-one acres one rood twenty-seven perches of land in the municipal district of Eaglehawk and parish of Sandhurst, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—One acre twenty-four perches, municipal district of Eaglehawk: Commencing at the south angle of allotment 1 of section 30; bounded thence by that allotment, allotment 3, and a line bearing N. 36° 45' W. five chains; and thence by lines bearing respectively N. 53° 15' E. twenty-six links, S. 82° 25' W. three chains ninety-six links, S. 3° 51' E. one chain, and S. 68° 30' E. seven chains seventeen links to the point of commencement.—(S.100a) (96.C.2082).

WHARPARILLA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 11th January, 1887, of twenty-five acres of land in the parish of Wharparilla, being part of allotment 181c, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked.—(W.132(2)) (97.C.3718).

The following Notices were gazetted ^{1^o} on 9 July, pursuant to Orders of 6 July, 1897.

FOOTSCRAY.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 30th March, 1874, of twenty-five acres three roods twenty-four perches of land in the city of Footscray, as sites for Public Gardens, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Fifteen acres one rood twenty-seven perches, being the portion situate east of Whitehall-street.—(F.25b) (96.C.2467).

MELBOURNE.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 13th October, 1873, of one acre one rood twenty-five perches of land in the city of Melbourne, being part of section 44, as a site for State School purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty-six perches and six-tenths: Commencing at a point bearing N. 28° 50' W. twenty-two feet from the north angle of allotment 39 of section 44; bounded thence by Bowen-street bearing N. 28° 50' W. sixty-six feet; thence by a line bearing S. 62° 0' W. one hundred and nine feet three inches; thence by a right-of-way bearing S. 28° 0' E. sixty-six feet; and thence by a road bearing N. 62° 0' E. one hundred and ten feet two inches to the point of commencement.—(M.314f) (97.C.3728).

WILLIAMSTOWN.—The temporary reservation, by Orders of the 20th February, 1865, and the 14th May, 1878, of nine acres two roods nineteen perches of land in the municipal district of Williamstown, as an addition to the site set apart, by Order of the 20th March, 1856, for a Public Park or Pleasure Ground, is about to be revoked.—(W.163(4)) (95.W.44047).

The following Notices were gazetted ^{1^o} on 23 July, pursuant to Orders of 20 July, 1897.

BULLARTO.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 24th September, 1877, of two acres of land in the parish of Bullarto, as a site for affording access to Water, is about to be revoked.—(B.645(4)) (97.C.2407).

COOROOPAJERRUP AND KALPIENUNG.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 20th September, 1881, of three hundred and twenty-one acres one rood thirty-six perches of land in the parishes of Cooroopajerrup and Kalpienung, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof situate west of the Wycheproof and Sea Lake Railway, and comprising an area of twenty-two acres, more or less.—(C.426(4)) and K.175(4)) (96.C.2209).

CORACK.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th February, 1883, of forty-nine acres three roods thirty-five perches of land in the parish of Corack, being part of allotment 8, as a site for Conservation of Water, is about to be revoked.—(C.405(4)) (96.C.2045).

DROUIN WEST.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 23rd June, 1884, of forty acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Drouin West, as a site for affording access to Water, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Four acres three roods thirty-nine perches: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 72; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 65° 6' E. ten chains seventy links, S. 86° 58' E. fifteen chains twenty-two links, and N. 39° 53' E. four chains eighteen links, and by the said allotment and a line bearing S. 37° 47' E. six chains seventy-three links; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 48° 22' E. thirteen chains forty-eight links, and S. 22° 36' W. one chain six links; thence by allotment 123 and a line bearing N. 48° 22' W. thirteen chains ninety-two links; and thence by lines bearing respectively N. 37° 47' W. five chains fifty-eight links, S. 39° 53' W. three chains forty-four links, N. 86° 58' W. fifteen chains forty-seven links, S. 65° 6' W. eleven chains thirteen links, and N. 9° 18' E. one chain twenty-one links to the point of commencement.—(D.173(4)) (97.C.3539).

MARYBOROUGH.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 12th June, 1871, of two roods of land in the municipal district of Maryborough, being portion of section 30, as a site for a Literary Institute, is about to be revoked.—(M.78) (96.C.2198).

ONDIT.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 12th November, 1872, of eighty-five acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Ondit, as a site for Public purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portions thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty-six acres one perch, subdivisions 1b, 1c, 2a, 4a, and 6a of allotments 64, subdivisions 24b, 23a, 22b, and 25e of allotment 61, and the roads in connexion therewith.—(O.6d) (97.T.6935).

TIMMERING.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 13th May, 1879, of forty-nine acres nineteen perches of land in the parish of Timmering, being allotment 138, as a site for affording access to Water, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Forty-one acres two roods nineteen perches: Commencing at the south-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing north twenty chains eighty-one links; thence by a line bearing east twenty chains; thence by allotment 137 bearing south twenty chains eighty-one links; and thence by allotment 156 bearing west twenty chains to the point of commencement.—(T.183(2) (97.C.3907).

TOMARA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 23rd October, 1893, of ten acres one perch of land in the village of Tomara, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked.—(T.228) (97.H.3766).

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 20th day of July, 1897, revoked the temporary reservation of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:—

DEVON.—Site for the supply of Stone and Timber. See *Gazette* of 25 June, 1897.
EAGLEHAWK.—Site for Water Supply purposes. (Order of the 31st March, 1882.) See *Gazette* of 25 June, 1897.
EAGLEHAWK.—Site for Water Supply purposes. (Order of the 1st May, 1883, partly.) See *Gazette* of 25 June, 1897.
WHARFARILLA.—Site for Water Supply purposes. See *Gazette* of 25 June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1897.

LANDS PROPOSED TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106, § 10 and 12): Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to reserve from sale, permanently, the lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 25 June, pursuant to Order of 21 June, 1897.

LILYDALE.—Site for a Shire Hall and Offices about to be permanently reserved, being the site temporarily reserved therefor by Order of the 26th September, 1887.—Twenty-two perches and four-tenths, county of Evelyn, parish of Yering, town of Lilydale, being allotment 2 of section 8: Commencing at the north-east angle of the allotment, being a point on the west side of Castella-street bearing S. 11° 45' W. two chains thirty-five links from its intersection with the south side of the street forming the north boundary of the said section; bounded thence by the first-mentioned street bearing S. 11° 45' W. one chain; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 78° 15' W. one chain seven links, N. 31° 21' W. sixty-three links, and N. 11° 45' E. fifty-four links; and thence by allotment 1 bearing S. 78° 15' E. one chain fifty links to the point of commencement.—(L.66a) (97.C.3800).

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

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 20th day of July, 1897, reserved from sale, permanently, the land hereinafter referred to, viz.:—

LILYDALE.—Site for Shire Hall and Offices. See *Gazette* of 25 June, 1897.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 20th July, 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 25 June, pursuant to Orders of 21 June, 1897.

THE HORSHAM TOWN COMMON is about to be further diminished by deducting therefrom the portion of land hereinafter described, viz.:—Seven acres eighteen perches and six-tenths, parish of Bungallally: Commencing at a point bearing S. 28° 15' W. thirty-seven chains eighty-five links and S. 84° 55' E. five chains forty-four links from the north-east angle of allotment 24A; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively S. 84° 55' E. nineteen chains thirteen links, N. 49° 39' E. twelve chains fifty-six links, N. 1° 21' E. six chains twenty-eight links, N. 26° 50' E. seven chains fifty links, and N. 56° 19' E. twenty-five chains forty-three links; thence by a road bearing south one chain twenty links; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 56° 19' W. twenty-four chains fifty-one links, S. 26° 50' W. seven chains two links,

S. 1° 21' W. six chains fifty links, S. 49° 39' W. thirteen chains forty-two links, and N. 84° 55' W. nineteen chains ninety-seven links; and thence by the Tramway reserve bearing N. 28° 15' E. one chain nine links to the point of commencement.—(97.C.3276.)

THE SANDY CREEK GOLD-FIELD COMMON is about to be abolished.—(97.C.3377.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 9 July, pursuant to Order of 6 July, 1897.

THE KILMORE TOWN COMMON is about to be abolished.—(94.C.84808.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 23 July, pursuant to Order of 20 July, 1897.

THE BEALIBA COMMON is about to be abolished.—(97.C.3323.)

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

SHIRE OF WARANGA.—ROAD NO LONGER REQUIRED FOR PUBLIC TRAFFIC.

WHEREAS the road coloured red in a plan marked "X" deposited in the office of the Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, is within the Shire of Waranga and is a surveyed and reserved road.

And whereas it is alleged that the said road is no longer required for public traffic, and the question whether the said road is or is not required for public traffic has been referred to the council of the said shire and to the Honorable Robert Wallace Best, in his capacity as the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering section 428 of the *Local Government Act 1890*.

Now therefore the said council and the said Robert Wallace Best, as such Minister as aforesaid, having taken the said question into their consideration, do, under the powers vested in them by this present instrument, under the common seal of the Shire of Waranga and the hand and seal of the said Robert Wallace Best, as such Minister as aforesaid, hereby decide that the said road is no longer required for public traffic.

Dated the sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

The common seal of the Shire of Waranga was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) A. W. McROBERT, President.
W. H. GEYLE, Shire Secretary.

(SEAL) R. W. BEST,
Signed, sealed, and delivered by the said Robert Wallace Best in the presence of—

THOS. F. MORKHAM,
Secretary for Lands.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR CRICKET AND OTHER PURPOSES OF PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF KATAMATITE, AT KATAMATITE.

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 13th November, 1882, as a site for Cricket and other purposes of Public Recreation in the parish of Katamatite, at Katamatite.

REGULATION.

The undermentioned gentlemen shall constitute a Committee of Management to exercise control over the said reserve:—

James Thompson,
Robinson Edis, and
Henry Charles Moore.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 16th day of July, 1897, in presence of—

(SEAL) R. W. BEST, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 97/C.4138.)

APPRAISEMENT OF A GRAZING AREA.

IT is hereby notified that the annual rent payable in respect of the undermentioned grazing area has been appraised as follows:—

County.	Parish.	Rate per acre per annum.
Gladstone	Rathscar, allotment 16a	4d.
Ripon	Burrah Burrah, allotment 7	2½d.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

PASTORAL ALLOTMENT AVAILABLE.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Two p.m. of Monday, 9th August, 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, 20th July, 1897.

County.	Allotment.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Gazetted Assessment per annum.
		Acres.	£ s. d.
Lowan ^{1 2 3}	T	6,839	13 10 0

¹ Subject to payment of £150 for improvements.

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.

³ Lease to bear date 1st January, 1897.

Land Acts.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES AND LEASES NOT GRANTED.

IT is hereby notified that the following Applications for Licences and Leases have not been granted:—

No.	Name of Applicant.	Area.	Parish.
		A. R. P.	

Under Section 32 of the Land Act 1890.

4811	Arthur J. Hawkins	524 0 0	Borroopki
5164	Patrick Mullan	320 0 0	Neuarpur
5556	Charles R. Pilven	320 0 0	Dopewarra

Under Section 42 of the Land Acts 1890 and 1891.

5537	Edwin H. Robinson	74 0 0	Bunyip
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Under Section 65 of the Land Acts 1891 and 1891.

368	Daniel Hicks	20 0 0	Clonbinane
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Under Section 67 of the Land Acts 1890 and 1891.

811	Frank Roberts	20 0 0	Toorborac
683	Robert Ellis	120 0 0	"

Under Section 99 of the Land Act 1890.

3396	William M. Hollis	3 0 0	Chiltern
2754	J. W. Ferry	3 0 0	Carapooee West

NOTE.—SEYMOUR DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted 4th October, 1893, p. 3345, re 3492/32, O. Opperman, 180 acres, parish of Bailieston, is hereby cancelled.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

MALLEE LANDS.

Section 99, Land Act 1890.

IT is hereby notified that a permissive occupancy under section 99 of the Land Act 1890 has been granted to Samuel Moore for allotment 18, parish of Kunat Kunat, township of Lake Boga; area 1 acre 3 roods 26 perches.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Crown Lands Department
(Mallee Branch),
Melbourne, 14th July, 1897.

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:—

KOO-WEE-RUP EAST.—The Proclamation bearing date the 16th September, 1895, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Koo-wee-rup East and comprising an area of nine thousand one 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:—Forty acres county of Mornington, parish of Koo-wee-rup East, being allotments 13 and 14 of section N.—(97.V.6957.)

NEERIN.—The Proclamation bearing date the 3rd April, 1894, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Neerin and comprising an area of one thousand one 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:—Twenty-eight acres three roods seventeen perches, county of Buln Buln, parish of Neerin, being allotment 10 of section B.—(97.V.6705.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first 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.

VILLAGE COMMUNITIES.

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 by this Proclamation set apart and appropriate for the purposes of village community allotments the portion of land described hereunder, viz:—

KOO-WEE-RUP.—Twenty-three acres nine perches, county of Mornington, parish of Koo-wee-rup, being allotment 46 of section P—(96.6049/5).

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first 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!

TOWNSHIP IN THE PARISH OF KIRRAK.—PROCLAMATION PARTLY RESCINDED.

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 a Proclamation under the Hand of the Governor and the Seal of the Colony, made in pursuance of the Land Act 1890, and bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1888, certain Crown land in the parish of Kirrak, county of Buln Buln, was defined as a township: And whereas by Part I. of the said Act it is amongst other things enacted that the

Governor in Council may from time to time, by notice in the *Government Gazette*, annul and rescind any Proclamation made under the said Act or any Act of Parliament thereby or theretofore repealed of any portion or portions of Crown lands as towns or townships: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby rescind the Proclamation aforesaid bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1888, so far only as it relates to the portion of the said land situate west of a line being the production southerly of the road forming the west boundary of allotment 60.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first 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.—PROCLAMATION
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 a Proclamation under the hand of the Governor and the Seal of the Colony, made in pursuance of the provisions of Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* (57 Vict. No. 1311), and bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1894, certain lands therein described, comprising an area of one thousand one hundred acres, more or less, situate in the parish of Neerim, were, amongst others, 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 the said Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands described hereunder, viz.:

NEERIM.—Twenty-eight acres three roods seventeen perches, county of Buln Buln, parish of Neerim, being allotment 10 of section B.—(97.V.6705.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

YEA TOWN COMMON ABOLISHED.

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 the Governor in Council may from time to time increase, and, after one month's notice in the *Government Gazette*, diminish, alter, or abolish any common heretofore or hereafter to be proclaimed or re-proclaimed, and may from time to time re-proclaim the whole or any part of any such common for any of the purposes and subject to the provisions of the said Part of the said Act, and that nothing therein contained shall prevent the exercise of the powers conferred by the said Part of the said Act with respect to the leasing or licensing of any land comprised in any common: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby abolish

THE YEA TOWN COMMON.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first 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!

Fisheries Act 1890.

CLOSE SEASON, NORTH ARM, OR LIMEBURNERS' BAY, INNER HARBOR, GEFLONG.

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 *Fisheries Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1093) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make Proclamations which shall have force and effect only in any waters or places specified therein for all or any of the purposes mentioned in section 38 of the said Act; and that every Proclamation under the said Act shall be published in the *Government Gazette*, and may be explained, varied, revoked, annulled, or superseded by any other Proclamation under the said Act: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this Proclamation revoke the Proclamation dated the 11th day of December, 1876, so far only as it defines the mouth of Hovell's Creek, and the Proclamation dated the 23rd day of January, 1893, relating to netting in Limeburners' Bay, and do hereby prohibit 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.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Game Act 1890.

OPOSSUMS TO BE DEEMED NATIVE GAME.

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 *Game Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1095) it is amongst other things enacted that for the purposes of the said Act the term "game" shall mean and include all birds and other animals mentioned in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and the terms "native game" shall mean and include all birds and other animals mentioned in the Third Schedule to the said Act; provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council at any time after the passing of the said Act by proclamation to name any other bird or animal which shall be included in such Second or Third Schedule respectively, and after the publication of any such proclamation in the *Government Gazette* and the expiration of the period mentioned in such proclamation for the time of its coming into operation, the birds or other animals so named shall be deemed and considered as being thenceforward included in such schedule; and whereas it is also enacted that the period of the year during which the said Act shall be in operation as regards all or any of the birds and other animals mentioned in the Third Schedule shall be the period set opposite the name of each such bird or animal in the said schedule in each year or such other period as the Governor in Council may by proclamation in the *Government Gazette* from time to time direct: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby direct that

OPOSSUMS

shall be included in the Third Schedule to the *Game Act 1890* aforesaid, and that the said Act shall be in operation as regards Opossums from the 1st day of November to the 30th day of April in each year, both dates inclusive.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

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: And whereas by the *Land Act 1891* it is amongst other things further enacted that where any portion of Crown lands not exceeding twenty acres, and not contiguous or adjacent to any other Crown lands, is so situated as to make it desirable, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, that the same should be sold, or where any portion of Crown lands not exceeding three acres is required for a site for a church or for any charitable purpose for which land cannot legally be reserved, the Governor in Council may direct the sale of such portion of Crown lands, and for such purpose may increase the area of land described in the Second Schedule to the *Land Act 1890* as lands which may be sold by auction by adding such portion thereto: And whereas by the *Land Act 1893* it is amongst other things further enacted that, notwithstanding anything contained in section 6 of the *Land Act 1890* aforesaid, the Governor in Council may increase the area of land described in the Second Schedule to the said last-mentioned Act as lands which may be sold by auction by adding thereto any portion of the Crown lands described in the said Schedule as Swamp lands: 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, 3, 4, and 8 of section 6 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.	
Moira ¹	Miepoll	3, sec. H	20	0	0	} Formerly held under the <i>Settlement on Lands Act 1893</i> Situated on Bullock Creek, formerly reserved for Water Supply purposes
		1, sec. F	6	0	0	
Gunbower ¹	Mologa	1B, sec. B	15	0	0	
Kara Kara ¹	St. Arnaud	44, sec. AA	20	0	0	Held under section 65 by Joseph Read
Kara Kara ¹	St. Arnaud	45, sec. AA	20	0	0	Held under section 65 by Emily J. Read
Kara Kara ¹	St. Arnaud	46, sec. AA	20	0	0	Held under section 65 by Jane M. Read
Kara Kara ¹	St. Arnaud	39, sec. BB	20	0	0	Held under section 65 by Charlotte M. Read
Buln Buln ¹	Neerim	770	100	0	0	South of land applied for by A. Cowden
Buln Buln ¹	Nayook	13, sec. A	50	0	0	} Recently excised from the Village Settlement area
Bourke ¹	Wallan Wallan	1A, sec. A	22	1	26½	
Mornington ^{1 2}	Pakenham	B	10	3	9	Formerly held under section 32 by Samuel E. Jeans

AREA OF AURIFEROUS LANDS DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.			Description.
		Acres.			
Kara Kara	St. Arnaud	20	}	Now block 44, section AA	
		20			
		20			
		20			
Buln Buln	Neerim	100		Now block 770	

AREA OF LANDS WHICH MAY BE SOLD BY AUCTION DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
Mornington	Pakenham	A. R. P. 10 3 9	Allotment B

AREA OF WATER RESERVES DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.			Description.
		Acres.			
Gunbower	Mologa	15		Now block 1B, section B	

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 6th August, 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 49.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

By His Excellency's Command,

BRASSEY.

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

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Wattles Act 1890, Section 5.

LEASE UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE WATTLES 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, 21st July, 1897.

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

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Lessee.	Section of Wattles Act under which Leased.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated—	Reason for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Offee.
Hamilton	321	Frank L. Gill	5	Bahgallah	12	6.7.97	Non-payment of rent	Casterton

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, 21st July, 1897.

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

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modifications 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.	
							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1015	Thomas P. Lewis	10 0 0	Mitpoll	6	II	1.6.97	0 5 0	..	1 0 0	1 5 0	Euroa	
1017	Ellen Lewis	6 0 0	"	35	II	"	0 3 0	..	1 0 0	1 3 0	"	
1105	Kato Meagher	20 0 0	"	7	II	"	0 10 0	..	1 0 0	1 10 0	"	
753	Helena Hannebery	13 0 0	"	30 and 31	II	"	0 6 6	..	1 0 0	1 6 6	"	
754	John Hannebery	16 0 0	"	27, 28, and 29	II	"	0 8 0	..	1 0 0	1 8 0	"	
289	Mary Cullinan	10 0 0	"	23 and 24	II	"	0 5 0	..	1 0 0	1 5 0	"	
1681	Mary E. Sage	6 0 0	"	4	F	"	0 3 0	..	1 0 0	1 3 0	"	
1908	David J. Walsh	20 0 0	"	22, 25, and 26	F	"	0 10 0	..	1 0 0	1 10 0	"	
1016	Thomas Leahy	6 0 0	"	3	F	"	0 3 0	..	1 0 0	1 3 0	"	
671	John Gerard ¹	220 0 0	Boga	A	B	1.7.91	8 0 0	..	1 0 0	49 0 0 ²	Kerang	
1911	Robert Wright	129 0 0	Murrabit West	6	B	1.7.97	2 16 6	..	1 0 0	4 4 6	Nathalia	
110	William H. H. Bracken	113 0 0	Kotupna	114A	B	"	8 0 0	..	1 0 0	8 16 6	Chiltern	
277	Michael Canny	220 0 0	Eldorado	B	..	1.6.97	0 10 0	..	1 0 0	1 10 0	Bright	
1102	Samuel Mansfield	20 0 0	Wandiligong	..	..	"	3 9 6	..	1 0 0	4 9 6	Wodonga
75	Dominick J. Burgess	139 0 0	Wodonga	29	..	1.7.96	1 3 0	..	1 0 0	4 9 0	"	
689	Henry Grosse	46 0 0	Bonegilla	59b	..	"	3 4 6	..	1 0 0	10 13 6	Rutherglen	
1820	Ellen Thompson (executrix of the will of late P. W. Thompson)	129 0 0	Noreng	5A	X	"	5 1 0	..	1 0 0	11 2 0	Wodonga	
1691	John Schwind	202 0 0	Belvoir West	2	D	1.1.97	5 4 6	..	1 0 0	11 9 0	Kerang	
1240	Alexander J. McKay ³	209 0 0	Meran	33	..	"	8 0 0	..	1 0 0	17 0 0	Portland	
1083	Thomas W. Mullen ⁴	320 0 0	Glenelg	58	..	1.7.97	1 10 0	..	1 0 0	2 10 0	Ararat	
453	John Delaney, jun.	60 0 0	Gorrinn	4	3	"	1 5 0	..	1 0 0	2 5 0	St. Arnaud	
1613	Thomas Robinson	50 0 0	Gowar	27A	..	"	4 0 0	..	1 0 0	11 7 0	Rushworth	
1254	Alexander W. McRobert	160 0 0	Murchison	..	..	"	1 1 6	6 7 0	1 0 0	2 1 6	Bendigo
472	Joseph Drechsler	43 0 0	Sedgwick	4	14	1.6.97	0 18 0	..	1 0 0	0 17 0	Traralgon	
86	Archibald Boyd ⁵	36 0 0	Lockwood	35 and 36	4	1.11.96	0 7 0	..	1 0 0	1 7 0	Maffra	
643	Thomas Fullerton	14 0 0	Boola Boola	5f	..	1.7.97	4 19 6	..	1 0 0	5 19 6	"	
860	Andrew Grogan	199 0 0	Coongulla	40A	..	"	0 5 6	..	1 0 0	1 5 6	"	
1630	John Rawlings	11 0 0	Maflra	112b	..	"	8 0 0	..	1 0 0	1 5 6	"	
353	Soren Christensen, jun. ⁴	320 0 0	Boola Boola	115c	..	"	8 0 0	..	1 0 0	1 5 6	Traralgon	

Under Section 42 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.—Payment to be made half-yearly.

¹ This is a re-licence.
² 4/8 of rent paid on former licence credited.
³ Subject to special condition.
⁴ Permit of leasehold.
⁵ Permit previously issued.
⁶ In lieu of notice gazetted 30th April, 1897, p. 1772.
⁷ Rent and fee paid on permit credited.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED—continued.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to limitation of population and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.		Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
							Payment.	Fee for Licence.	
		A.	R.	F.	£ 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—continued.									
2846	William Dillon	20 0 0	Neerim	77C		1.10.95	0 10 0	1 0 0	Warragul
2832	William Stribling	101 0 0	"	155C		1.11.97	2 10 6	1 0 0	"
2944	Edward Dillon	18 0 0	"	77C		1.6.97	0 9 0	1 0 0	"
3359	Francis J. Mapleson	384 0 0	"	53B		1.6.97	6 12 0	1 0 0	"
3461	James F. Young	47 0 0	"	38A1		1.7.97	1 3 6	1 0 0	"
3532	Henry A. Dickson 1	329 0 0	Dumbalk	97B		"	8 0 0	1 0 0	"
3533	Ellen Maddock	198 0 0	Tumbinna East	11A		"	3 19 0	1 0 0	"
3630	Alfred Negron	12 0 0	Mondak	30	C	1.10.93	0 5 6	1 0 0	Melbourne
3631	James B. Ingram	11 0 0	"	41	G	"	0 5 6	1 0 0	"
3723	William Smith*	17 0 0	"	60	A	1.12.96	0 5 6	1 0 0	"
3724	Edmund Wyons	9 0 0	"	52	A	1.1.96	7 0 0	1 0 0	"
3907	John E. W. Lees	280 0 0	Tarwin	63D		1.6.97	0 5 6	1 0 0	"
4097	John Campbell	169 0 0	Coriella	141A		1.6.97	3 19 6	1 0 0	"
4703	William J. Smith	11 0 0	Seorsby	81	A	"	0 5 6	1 0 0	"
5051	Richard Laube	11 0 0	Wonthaggi North	23	A	1.1.95	0 5 6	1 0 0	"
4109	John Bates sen.	136 0 0	Tarawarra	50	A	1.7.97	3 3 0	1 0 0	"
4692	Walter H. Gannon 1, 4	313 0 0	Kindaka	43		1.1.97	7 16 6	1 0 0	"
5392	Corneille Ryan	37 0 0	Norrone	73D		"	0 10 6	1 0 0	"
2101	Ann A. Richardson	21 0 0	Gembrook	142M		1.7.97	2 17 0	1 0 0	"
4761	William S. Hall	114 0 0	Norrone	16B		1.6.97	0 5 0	1 0 0	"
4618	William Sutherland	10 0 0	Mooroobark	38	2	1.4.97	1 6 0	1 0 0	Kilmore
5704	Walter Sutherland	52 0 0	Wallan Wallan	1	C	"	1 6 0	1 0 0	"
5706	James Sutherland	51 0 0	"	3	C	"	1 6 0	1 0 0	"
4904	Thomas Johnston	15 0 0	Toora	4	E	1.6.97	0 7 5	1 0 0	Yarran
Under Section 42 of the Land Act 1890 and Section 17 of the Land Act 1891.—Payment to be made half-yearly.									
4840	James H. Knight 5	15 0 0	Toora	94, 97, and 98		1.5.97	0 15 0	1 0 0	Yarran
5656	Thomas Slattery 5	11 0 0	"	36		1.6.97	0 11 0	1 0 0	"
Under Section 65 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.—Payment to be made yearly.									
703	Lizzie Nicholson 6	20 0 0	Wollonaby			1.4.97	1 0 0	0 2 6	Oneco
1421	Charles A. Franks	20 0 0	Bullioh			1.7.97	1 0 0	0 2 6	Tallangatta
1821	Agnes E. Riely	20 0 0	Bungil			"	1 0 0	0 2 6	"
1832	Thomas Hedley 6	20 0 0	Kackandandah			1.2.96	0 17 0	0 2 6	Yackandandah
300	John Farrington 6	17 0 0	Bright			1.5.86	0 19 6	0 2 6	Bright
1782	James O. Rothwell	20 0 0	Mooler			1.5.97	1 0 0	0 2 6	St. Arnaud
2278	Louise Ely	19 0 0	Warburton	182		1.6.97	0 19 0	0 2 6	Melbourne
2277	William T. Ely	18 0 0	"	181		"	0 18 0	0 2 6	"
Under Section 67 of the Land Act 1890 as amended by the Land Act 1891.—Payment to be made yearly.									
775	William Pollock	464 0 0	Borodominin	52A		1.6.97	1 18 4	1 0 0	Mansfield
2859	Thomas Wiseman	294 0 0	Nattayallock			1.7.97	1 16 9	1 0 0	Dunolly

1 Portion of leasehold.
 2 This is an amended licence.
 3 £1 licence fee paid at Melbourne on 31st March, 1897.
 4 The track passing through this allotment is to be kept open during the currency of the licence.
 5 Half the rent and purchase money, when paid, to be credited to the Leongatha and Port Albert Railway Construction Fund.
 6 Permit previously issued.
 7 Rent and fee paid on permit credited.
 8 In lieu of notice gazetted 23rd May, 1889, p. 1725.
 9 Rent and fee paid on former licence credited to 1st May, 1897.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED—continued.

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—
							Survey Charge to Licensee when certificate ordered.	Fee for Licence.	
		A.	E.	P.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		
Under Section 87 of the Land Act 1890 (State Forests).									
...	M. Griffin: thinning	10	0	0	Ballarat and Creswick State Forest	30.3.97	...	...	Creswick F. 3157
...	R. A. Neill: thinning	5	0	0	"	24.6.97	...	...	" F. 3090
...	D. Clegg: thinning	5	0	0	"	"	...	...	" F. 3089
...	J. J. Smeaton: thinning	3	0	0	"	"	...	...	" F. 3085
...	P. Murphy: thinning	3	0	0	"	"	...	...	" F. 3084
...	C. Rickard: thinning	3	0	0	"	"	...	...	" F. 3082
...	W. C. Beasley: thinning	5	0	0	"	"	...	...	" F. 3086
...	A. Cramer: thinning	10	0	0	Huntly State Forest	1.6.97	...	...	" F. 2502
...	E. McGoldrick: thinning	5	0	0	Wellsford State Forest	17.5.97	...	...	" F. 3527
...	W. Cole: royalty on 160 sleepers	5	0	0	Moorool State Forest	11.8.97	...	...	" F. 3594
...	W. F. Robinson: royalty on 250 sleepers	...	...	...	Moorool State Forest	2.3.97	...	...	" F. 3045
...	T. Dwyer: royalty on 600 sleepers	...	...	...	Cherrington, Dargie, and Costerfield	25.3.97	...	...	" F. 3045
...	T. Collyer: royalty on 150 sleepers	...	...	...	Cherrington	"	...	...	" F. 3141
...	P. Parker: royalty on 500 sleepers	...	...	...	"	"	...	...	" F. 3192
...	J. Fogarty: royalty on poles	...	...	...	"	"	...	...	" F. 3781
...	H. McCashney: royalty on poles	...	...	...	Wombat State Forest	13.5.97	...	...	" F. 3048
...	E. McKinnon: royalty on 50 red gum logs	...	...	...	Barmah State Forest	28.5.97	...	...	" F. 3449
...	C. Miller: royalty on props	...	...	...	Moorool State Forest	12.4.97	...	...	" F. 3794
...	L. Kruss: royalty on mining props	...	...	...	Tarragower	14.5.97	...	...	" F. 4043
...	L. Kruss: royalty on mining props	...	...	...	Castlemaine	9.6.97	...	...	" F. 3553
...	Yarrawonga Sawmill Coy.: royalty on 216 red gum logs	...	...	...	Burrumine	27.4.97	...	...	" F. 3485
...	Yarrawonga Sawmill Coy.: royalty on 216 red gum logs	...	...	...	Burrumine	13.4.97	...	...	" F. 3485
Under Section 90 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made in advances.									
...	The Tarrago Sawmills Proprietary Ltd.	100	0	0	Nayook	1.6.97 to 30.6.97	1.0.0	1.0.0	Warragul 2916
...	The Tarrago Sawmills Proprietary Ltd.	498	0	0	"	1.6.97 to 30.6.97	5.0.0	5.0.0	" 2915
Under Section 90 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made quarterly.									
11925	Edwin J. Balderson: fallmongery ⁴	0	3	1	Taralgon	1.1.97	1.5.0	1.5.0	Taralgon
11926	Sarah J. Wilson: business	3	0	0	"	1.1.97	5.0.0	5.0.0	Wycheproof
11926	Sarah J. Wilson	3	0	0	"	1.1.97	5.0.0	5.0.0	"
11926	Sarah J. Wilson	3	0	0	"	1.1.97	5.0.0	5.0.0	"
Under Section 90 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.									
75	Richard Blackwell: garden ⁸	3	0	0	Wollanby	1.7.97	1.0.0	1.0.0	Ormeo
1060	Jno. Hy. Broughton: bathing-box	...	...	...	Napean	1.1.96	1.0.0	1.0.0	Meibourne
1060	Jno. Hy. Broughton ⁶	...	...	...	"	1.1.97	1.0.0	1.0.0	"
178	J. W. Carolin: garden ⁶	3	0	0	Sandhurst	1.1.97	1.0.0	1.0.0	Bendigo
425	Andrew Fitzpatrick: garden	0	0	37	Breadford	"	0.1.0	0.1.0	Killmore
73	Kate Andrews: garden	0	0	37	"	"	0.1.0	0.1.0	"
2978	Isabella Harvey: garden	2	3	29	Boola Boloke	1.5.97	0.13.4	0.13.4	St. Arnaud
1069	Alice Mary Burke: garden and residence	1	0	0	Casterton	1.8.97	0.8.4	0.8.4	Casterton
1068	Thomas Burke: garden and residence	1	0	0	"	1.7.97	0.10.0	0.10.0	"
1070	Catherine Burke: garden and residence	1	0	0	"	"	0.10.0	0.10.0	"
1304	Mary Fitzgibbons: garden and residence	0	3	35	Merino	1.8.97	0.8.4	0.8.4	"

⁵ This is a renewal.
⁶ £2 10s. paid to be credited.
⁸ Interim licence.

¹ Amount paid.
² 6-in. props, 1s. per 100 feet; 8-in. props, 1s. 6d. per 100 feet; 10-in. props, 4s. per 100 feet; panneling pieces, 8d. per 100.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED—continued.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to measurement of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—			
							Survey Charge to revenue except where otherwise ordered.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of first Payment.				
							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Under Section 123 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.													
1358	Albert E. Maddison ¹	302 0 0	Towong	...	...	1.5.97	1	0	0	0	5	0	Tallangatta
1359	A. Hancock ²	22,000 0 0	Crown lands, Elliminyt, Yeo, &c.	...	...	1.7.97	1	0	0	0	5	0	Colac
1406	John J. Nichol	312 0 0	Coprocumbra and Weeruga	...	...	1.6.97	4	0	0	0	5	0	Barnsdale
1385	Wm. Young	68 0 0	Valian Wallan	20	A	1.7.97	1	19	0	0	5	0	Kimoro
1386	Geo. Loveland	160 0 0	Neereman	...	...	1.6.97	0	17	0	0	5	0	Maryborough
1384	Wm. O'Reilly	20 0 0	Kooyang	...	...	1.7.97	1	0	0	0	5	0	Casterton
13847	Richard Moresey	2,970 0 0	Bangallah	...	...	1.6.97	19	5	0	0	5	0	"
13848	Reverend of Jas. Laidlaw	1,570 0 0	Yalakar	...	...	1.7.97	12	7	6	0	5	0	Harrow
13849	T. J. Smith	1,572 0 0	Weeruga	...	...	1.6.97	5	10	0	0	5	0	Casterton
13850	E. H. Clarke	65 0 0	Linn	...	...	1.6.97	1	10	0	0	5	0	"
2397	Edward Ryan	65 0 0	Rocheford	...	...	1.7.96	0	5	0	0	5	0	Benalla
13901	Patrick Houltham ³	64 0 0	Rosebath	...	...	1.7.97	0	10	4	0	5	0	Kyneton
13902	W. C. Davis	739 0 0	Warran	...	...	1.6.97	0	5	4	0	5	0	Portland
13903	M. and A. Collins	336 0 0	Edenhope	...	...	1.7.97	3	10	0	0	5	0	Harrow

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 16th July, 1897, p. 2960, so far as date of licence is concerned. ² Amount paid. ³ This is a renewal. ⁴ Licence expires on 30th June, 1898.

Land Act 1890, Sections 44 and 49.

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.	Extent.	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.	Rent due to date.	Fees.	Total to pay.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Under Section 44 of the Land Act 1890.														
1.7.97	Wm. Redfern, jun.	...	Drankeet	319	2	36	126	0	0	...	8	0	0	Mansfield
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1890.														
1.7.96	George Mackay	...	Korumburra	112	1	20	22	10	0	...	5	13	0	Melbourne

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

Land Act 1890, Section 32.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases, under section 32 of the Land Act 1890, 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. Payments to be made half-yearly.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 23rd July, 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—
		Acre.						£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	
5163	Edward Murray ¹	165	Burroway	74	D	1.7.96	2½ years less 3 days	0 13 9	...	1	1 7 8 ^a	Bethanga
5246	John Park	197	Tatarno	27	8	1.7.97	1½ years less 3 days	0 10 5	...	1	1 16 5	"
5746	John Sirl	202	Tatonga	6		"	"	0 16 10	...	1	1 16 10	Talangatta
1894	Charles C. F. W. Utterhardt ¹	237	Ludrik-Munjie	12A		1.1.97	2 years less 3 days	0 19 8	...	1	0 16 10 ^a	Omeo
3732	Alexander J. Sutherland	66	Balmoral	11	11	"	"	0 6 11	...	1	1 6 11	Harrow
3204	Francis Mahney	587	Durong	19	A	1.7.97	1½ years less 3 days	2 8 11	5 15 0	1	1 9 3 11	"
738	John Howick	850	Parrie Yallock	1		"	"	3 10 10	...	1	4 10 10	Ararat
1284	John K. McDougall	440	Waigania	61		"	"	2 5 10	...	1	3 5 10	"
1103	John Maunder	90	Wehla	17		"	"	0 11 3	...	1	1 11 3	Ingwood
3568	Charles R. Parker	40	Seymour	20A		"	"	0 5 0	...	1	5 1 0	Seymour
3580	Robert Pattison	160	Moorbarool	14A		"	"	0 13 4	...	1	1 13 4	Colac
2236	James Murphy	230		40		"	"	0 19 2	...	1	1 19 2	"
5175	Lethia S. Atkinson	191	Wangerrip	65		"	"	0 15 11	...	1	1 15 11	"
3693	Thomas Parsons	231	Barranunga	68		"	"	0 19 3	...	1	1 19 3	"
5857	James Sample	272	Weeaprounah	56		"	"	1 2 8	...	1	2 2 8	"
5273	Martin Whelan	39	Carlip	21A and 22A		"	"	0 8 3	...	1	1 8 3	Bairnsdale
5717	William Scharlemann	112	Purgasoolah	17A		"	"	0 9 4	...	1	1 9 4	"
5263	Francis C. Peterson	60	Coopracanbra	A		"	"	0 5 0	...	1	1 5 0	"
5170	Anna B. McKee	634	Gelatnipy East	25		"	"	2 12 10	...	1	3 12 10	"
4771	Charles Moon	314	Murrindal East	14		"	"	1 6 2	...	1	2 6 2	"
5926	George J. Harrison	390	Wongumrang East	63 and 64		"	"	3 17 6	...	1	4 17 6	"
4684	Joseph H. Bonford	312	Boolo Poole	34		"	"	1 6 0	...	1	2 6 0	"
4992	Eveline B. Feychenne	276	"	33		"	"	1 3 0	...	1	2 3 0	"
7482	Charles V. O'Mara	79	Winyar	22A		1.7.96	2½ years less 3 days	0 6 7	...	1	1 9 9	Traralgon
6618	Mary A. Kelly	319	Eoola Boola	109A		1.7.97	1½ years less 3 days	0 10 4	...	1	1 10 4	Rosedale
14361	Francis P. Conlon	51	Willung	520		"	"	1 6 7	...	1	2 6 7	Bairnsdale
15093	William O'Connell	89	O'Boost East	84A	A	"	"	0 4 3	...	1	1 4 3	Yarram
15382	Donald McDonald	104	Woorarra	21		"	"	0 8 3	...	1	1 8 3	"
14327	Edward Quine	239	Mirboo South	42B		"	"	0 8 8	...	1	1 8 8	Warragul
14811	Philip Colussy	117	Korumburra	60		"	"	0 9 9	...	1	1 9 9	"
15174	Robert Colussy	118	Wonthaggi	72E		"	"	0 9 5	...	1	1 9 5	"
7484	William M. Ore	283	Nerriva	35A		"	"	1 13 4	...	1	2 13 4	Melbourne
3174	Alexander N. Murchison	177	Wy Y Yang	19A		"	"	0 2 6	...	1	1 2 6	Traralgon
3050	Edwin W. Williams	171	Weeaprounah	B		"	"	0 14 9	...	1	1 14 9	Colac
3349	James McKenzie	201	Carpenters	16A and 16B, 24A, 61		"	"	0 5 3	...	1	1 5 3	Camperdown
								0 17 6	...	1	1 17 6	

¹ Permit previously issued.

^a Rent and fee paid on permit credited.

Land Acts.

LICENCES AND LEASES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1869, 1884, 1890, AND 1891 REVOKED OR DECLARED VOID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licences and Leases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have been revoked, forfeited, or declared void for the reasons specified in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee or Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed or Leased.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated—	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
<i>Licences under The Land Act 1869.</i>								
Echuca ...	397	Maurice Murray ...	47	Echuca North	0 2 0	...	Non-payment of rent	Echuca
Castlemaine	2931	William Williams ...	49	Walmer ...	20 0 0	6.7.97	Non-payment of rent	Castlemaine
"	2933	George Williams ...	49	"	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
<i>Licence under The Land Act 1869 as amended by The Land Act 1878.</i>								
Horsham ...	12097	Elizabeth M. Bradley	19	Wonwondah	134 0 0	...	Non-payment of rent	Horsham
<i>Licences under the Land Acts 1884, 1890, and 1891.</i>								
State Forests	1929	J. Landrigan ...	87	Maryborough	...	...	Expired ...	Maryboro'
"	1933	R. Christie ...	87	"	...	...	Expired ...	"
"	46	T. Muncey ...	87	Kotupna ...	...	...	Expired ...	Melbourne
"	47	J. Singleton ...	87	"	...	...	Expired ...	"
"	60	G. Birthisel ...	87	Tchuterr ...	...	...	Expired ...	"
"	59	J. Birthisel ...	87	"	...	...	Expired ...	"
"	1141	W. J. Nicholas ...	87	Yielima State Forest	3 0 0	...	Expired ...	"
"	1036	McKinnon and Elrington	87	Barrnah State Forest	...	...	Expired ...	Echuca
"	1561	Tuck Bros. ...	87	Burrainino	...	...	Expired ...	Yarrowonga
"	217	J. Christiansen ...	87	Bundalong & Burrainino	...	...	Void ...	"
"	2158	F. Nelson ...	87	Wellsford State Forest	...	...	Void ...	Bendigo
"	2225	A. Scott ...	87	Enfield State Forest	...	...	Void ...	Creswick
"	494	Freeland Bros. ...	87	Stawell ...	...	...	Expired; new licence to issue from 1.7.97	Stawell
Kerang ...	671	John Gerrand ¹ ...	42	Boga ...	320 0 0	6.7.97	To issue re-licence dated 1.7.91	Kerang
Echuca ...	1947	John Watson and others	99	Rochester ...	0 1 35	...	Land sold ...	Rochester
Hamilton ...	818	Reid, Evans, and Righthoti	99	Heywood ...	...	...	Abandoned ...	Portland
"	1685	Maria McLean ...	99	Broadwater	3 0 0	...	Non-payment of survey fees	Port Fairy
Ararat ...	1786	Martha Robertson ...	99	Glenpatrick	3 0 0	...	Non-payment of rent	Avoca
Castlemaine	1810	Louis Tuckett; permit	42	Eddington ...	192 0 0	...	Mining objection ...	Maryboro'
St. Arnaud ...	1602	John Daly ...	99	Cooroopajerrup	3 0 0	...	Expired ...	Wychebrook
Geelong ...	3	Samuel Alexander ...	42	Irrewillip ...	101 0 0	...	Expired ...	Colac
Bairnsdale ...	1742	Abraham Petersen ...	99	Colquhoun	...	...	Void ...	Bairnsdale
"	628	Dougald McDougall	99	"	0 0 20	...	Non-payment of rent	"
"	418	Benjamin H. Green	99	Bumberrah	0 1 0	...	Non-payment of rent	"
"	596	Arthur Murren ...	99	Rosedale ...	0 1 0	...	Land sold ...	Rosedale
"	586	John J. Murren ...	99	"	2 1 32	...	Land sold ...	"
"	1510	Mary A. Pywell ...	42	Yeerung ...	171 0 0	...	Expired ...	Sale
Melbourne ...	795	C. S. Ross and Co. ...	99	South Melbourne	2 2 38	...	Abandoned from 31.3.97	Melbourne
"	1822	A. Kier and Co. ...	99	"	1 0 0 ²	...	Licensee's request ...	"
"	2782	Romcke, Gunnersen, and Co.	99	"	1 0 0	...	Licensee's request ...	"
"	1891	George Walker ² ...	42	Mirboo ...	308 0 0	6.7.97	To issue re-licence dated 1.7.92	Warragul
State Forests	857	F. F. Lewin ...	87	Mount Cole State Forest	3 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Ararat
Omeo ...	913	Julia A. Traill ...	67	Dargo ...	320 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Omeo
Beechworth	1084	John Brown ...	67	Myrtleford	178 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Bright
Horsham ...	94	Albert J. Ball ...	42	Wail ...	253 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Horsham
Hamilton ...	1504	William C. Pike ...	42	Bilpah ...	156 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Hamilton
Ararat ...	135	Frances M. Cruickshank	65	Burrumbeep	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Ararat
"	546	Herbert Myers ...	65	"	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	1381	James L. Hamer ...	67	Yehrip ...	119 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Avoca
Castlemaine	513	Antonio Lanfranchi	65	Trentham ...	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Daylesford
"	156	Francis Cherry ...	65	"	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	62	Charles H. Beach ...	65	"	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	936	Augustus W. Vance	65	Tchuterr ...	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Inglewood
"	2735	Ellen O'Brien ...	67	"	747 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	2958	Charles K. Wilson ...	67	Kurting ...	45 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
St. Arnaud ...	1014	Thomas Anderson ...	67	Moolerr ...	420 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	St. Arnaud
Bairnsdale ...	955	Norman G. Wait ...	67	Cabanandra	596 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Bairnsdale
"	1667	James G. Scouller ...	42	Colquhoun	162 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	1239	John McGuinness ...	42	Wy-Yung ...	50 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
Geelong ...	1504	Francis Pilloud ...	42	Wyelangta	273 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	Colac
Melbourne ...	38	Carl A. Axnick ...	42	Darnum ...	126 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Warragul
"	3606	Josiah Rowley ...	42	Narraean South	300 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	"
"	2923	Henry J. Joyner ...	42	Monbulk ...	10 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	Melbourne
"	817	Edmond Hayes ...	42	Nerrona ...	283 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	2274	Herbert A. Ely ...	65	Warburton	18 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	2353	John Handasyde ...	65	Warrandyte	19 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	1897	George C. Stillie ...	65	Greensborough	20 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
"	3945	Frederick Wien ...	42	Toora ...	9 0 0	"	Licensee's request ...	Yarram

¹ £48 of rent paid to be credited to re-licence.

² £69 6s. of rent paid to be credited to re-licence.

LICENCES AND LEASES REVOKED, ETC.—continued.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee or Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed or Leased.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated—	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
Leases under <i>The Land Act 1869</i> as amended by <i>The Land Act 1873</i> .								
Hamilton ...	4884	George Jennings ...	20	Bahgallah ...	60 0 0	6.7.97	Non-payment of rent	Casterton
Bairnsdale ...	2653	Joseph Evans ...	20	Coongulme-rang	319 1 2	"	Non-payment of rent	Bairnsdale
Sale ...	10014	George A. Wilson, jun.	20	Willung ...	43 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Rosedale
Leases under the Land Acts 1884 and 1890.								
Beechworth ...	1805	Margary Stephens ...	32	Bruarong ...	765 0 0	6.7.97	Non-payment of rent	Yackandandah
" ...	4792	John Haig ...	32	Mullagong ...	98 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
" ...	4069	James A. Bell ...	32	Dandongdale	317 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Bright
" ...	5127	William Morrison ...	32	Barwidgedale	212 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
Horsham ...	5119	Alfred Merrett ...	32	Lawloit ...	240 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Nhill
" ...	4948	James Kealy ...	32	Tallageira ...	671 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Horsham
" ...	738	Johann C. Habel ...	32	Neurapur ...	26 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	"
" ...	186	Jane Burns ...	32	Awonga ...	640 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	Harrow
Hamilton ...	2108	William Bond, jun.	32	Warrain ...	553 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Portland
" ...	794	Christian Hona ...	32	Ardonachie & Dunmore	337 0 0	"	Abandoned	"
" ...	2251	Christopher Corrigan	32	Youpayang	699 0 0	"	Abandoned	Casterton
Ararat ...	1082	Thomas Mahony ...	32	Burrah Burrah	800 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Ararat
Seymour ...	1559	Maud C. Kelly ...	32	Woodbourne	631 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Kilmore
St. Arnaud ...	1801	John Stewart ...	32	Barrakee ...	138 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	Wedderburne
Bairnsdale ...	183	William S. Barke ...	32	Murrungowar	249 0 0	"	Lessee's request	Bairnsdale
" ...	3539	Abram L. Plumstead	32	Yalmy ...	149 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	"
" ...	5519	Thomas Phillips ...	32	Tambo ...	667 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
" ...	2115	Henry Bucknall ...	32	Mallacoota	447 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
Sale ...	5126	John Moyle ...	32	Willung ...	225 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Rosedale
" ...	3113	James C. Milligan ...	32	Carrajung and Willung	911 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
" ...	2145	Peter Bertrud ...	32	Traralgon ...	31 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Traralgon
" ...	7095	John D. Merriman ...	32	Callignee ...	152 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	"
Melbourne ...	15045	John D. Loader ...	32	Wonga Wonga South	473 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Yarram
" ...	14326	Alexander Cakebread	32	Yarragon ...	315 0 0	"	Non-payment of rent	Warragul
" ...	14251	William Cunningham	32	Nerrena ...	151 0 0	"	Non-compliance with conditions	Melbourne

NOTES.

The undermentioned *Gazette* notices are hereby cancelled :—
HAMILTON DISTRICT.—Notice gazetted 22nd January, 1897, p. 190, *re* licence 680/99, William McGregor, 1 acre, Heywood.
BENDIGO DISTRICT.—Notice gazetted 4th June, 1897, p. 2120, *re* licence 1055/49, Elias L. Babidge, 20 acres, Redcastle.

Land Act 1890, as amended by the *Land Act 1891*, Section 21.

THE following Application for the right to a Lease of a Pastoral Allotment under Section 21 of the *Land Act 1890* as amended by the *Land Act 1891* having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent and Fee specified may be received at the Treasury, Melbourne.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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

Number of Lease.	Name.	County.	Allotment.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Date of Lease.	Rent half-yearly, payable in advance.	Fee.	Total of first payment.
				Acres.		£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
1957	Ernest J. Watson ^{1 2}	Buln Buln ...	A	14,320	1.7.97	18 15 0	2	22 15 0 ³

¹ In lieu of notice published in *Government Gazette* of 2nd April, 1897, p. 1356.

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.

³ Includes fee for first lease.

Land Act 1890, Section 67.

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.	
Under Section 67 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .							
61	Nellie Bennett ...	12 0 0	Omeo ...	1.8.97	0 3 0	0 5 0	Omeo
2616	C. McGhie ...	225 0 0	Moliagul ...	1.4.97	1 17. 6	0 5 0	Dunolly 174

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897.

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

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, 21st July, 1897.

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

District.	Corr. No.	Name.	Parish.	Block.	Area.	Reason.
					Acres.	
Horsham	4316	Uriah Culverhouse...	Jung Jung	195A	116	To issue licence under section 42
"	4638	Edward Fraser ...	Bungalally	24A	65	To issue licence under section 42
"	5704	John D. Scott ...	Tarrayurk	A ¹	107	To issue licence under section 42
Melbourne	10820	Rauben Hodgskiss ...	Wonthaggi North	48	98	To issue licence under section 42
"	16931	Michael Kanavan ...	"	84	116	To issue licence under section 42

Land Acts 1890 and 1891, Sections 32, 42, and 49.

AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING AREAS AVAILABLE.

THE undermentioned allotments or portions of allotments will be available for application, under the above sections, at the offices mentioned hereunder, on or before Friday, the 6th August, 1897. All applications lodged on or before that date will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

NOTE.—Incoming licensee or lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

County.	Parish.	Area Available.	Allotment.	Land Offce.	Remarks.
		Acres.			
Moira	Mundoona	23 70 78	34A, sec. A 34B, sec. A 34C, sec. A	Benalla	Formerly reserved for township purposes
Delatite	Dandorgadale	317	E	Beechworth	
Bogong	Barwidgee	212	35	"	
"	Mullagong	98	A	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John Haig
"	Bruarong	765	22	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Margary Stevens
Lowan	Dopewora	320	61	Horsham	Formerly recommended to Charles R. Pilven
"	Booroopki	524	70, 71, & 75	"	Formerly recommended to Arthur J. Hawkins
"	Neuarpur	320	54	"	Formerly recommended to Patrick Mullan
"	"	26	60	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Johann C. Habel
"	Minimay	224	55B	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John E. Molloy
"	Mortat	267	75	"	"
"	Awonga	640	111	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Jane Burns
"	Tallageira	671	47	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of James Kealy
"	Lawloit	240	79	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Alfred Merrett
Borong	Wail	253	232	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Albert J. Ball
Follett	Balgallah	12	50G	Hamilton	Formerly held under the Wattles Act by Frank L. Gill
Villiers	Bilpah	156	87B	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of William C. Pike
Normanby	Warrain	553	50	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of William Bond, jun.
"	Ardonachie and Dunmore	537	A, 60, & 61	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Christian Hona
Dundas	Youpayang	699	22	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Christopher Corrigan
Ripon	Burrah Burrah	800	16	Ararat	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Thomas Mahony
Gladstone	Barrakee	138	123A	St. Arnaud	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John Stewart
Grant	Anakie	36	18F	Geelong	"
Polwarth	Aire	219	22B	"	Formerly applied for by Reynolds H. Robinson
"	Wyelangta	273	55A	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Francis Pilloud
"	Irrewillipe	101	56D	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Samuel Alexander
Cronjingolong	Mallagoota	447	47	Bairnsdale	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Henry Bucknall
"	Yalmy	149	4	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Abram L. Plumstead
"	Murrungowar	249	46	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of William S. Barke
Dargo	Tambo	667	107	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Thomas Phillips
"	Wy-Yung	59	85	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John McGinness
Tambo	Colquhoun	162	107	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of James G. Scouller
Tanjil	Yeerung	171	A	Sale	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Mary A. Pywell
Bulu Bulu	Callignee	152	640	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John D. Merriman
"	Traralgon	31	58B	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Peter Bertrus
"	Carrajung and Willung	911	61 74A	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of James C. Milligan
"	Willung	225	83	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John Moyle
"	Budgeres	71	56C	"	Adjoining the holding of H. Morris
"	Yarragon	215	52B	Melbourne	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Alexander Cakebread
"	Wonga South	473	82	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of John D. Loader
"	Nerrena	151	14D	"	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of William Cunningham
"	"	253	20A	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Edmond Hayes
"	Toora ¹	9	168 & 169	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Frederick Wien
"	Narracan South	300	64D	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Josiah Rowley
"	Darnum	126	42B	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Carl A. Axnick
Evelyn	Monbulk	10	15, sec. J	"	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Henry J. Joyner
Mornington	Bunyip	74	Pt. 87	"	Formerly recommended to Edwin H. Robinson

¹ Section 17 of the Land Act 1891.

NOTE—BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.—In Proclamation in Gazette of 9th July, 1897, p. 2863, re Agricultural and Grazing Lands Increased, the block number for the 190 acres, parish of Burrowye, should be 85 not 84.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

Land Acts.

AURIFEROUS LANDS AVAILABLE.

THE undermentioned Auriferous Lands will be available for application at the offices mentioned hereunder on or before Friday, the 30th July, 1897. All applications lodged on or before that date will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

NOTE.—Incoming licensees to pay value of improvements (if any) on these lands.

County.	Parish.	Area Available.	No. of Allotment.	Land Office.	Remarks.
		Acres.			
Bogong	Myrtleford	178	...	Beechworth	Forfeited 67th section holding of John Brown
Dargo	Dargo	320	122	Omeo	Forfeited 67th section holding of Julia A. Traill
Ripon	Burumbep	20	...	Ararat	Forfeited 65th section holding of Frances M. Cruickshank
"	"	20	...	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of Herbert Myers
Kara Kara	Yehrip	119	...	"	Forfeited 67th section holding of James L. Hamer
Gladstone	Kurting	45	...	Castlemaine	Forfeited 67th section holding of Charles K. Wilson
"	Tchuterr	20	...	"	Forfeited 67th section holding of Augustus W. Vance
Dalhousie	Trentham	20	...	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of Antonio Lanfranchi
"	"	20	...	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of Francis Cherry
"	"	20	...	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of Charles H. Beach
"	Tooborac	20	...	Seymour	Formerly recommended to Frank Roberts
"	"	120	...	"	Formerly recommended to Robert Ellis
Croajingolong	Cabanandra	596	...	Bairnsdale	Forfeited 67th section holding of Norman G. Wait
Evelyn	Warrandyte	19	2L	Melbourne	Forfeited 65th section holding of John Handasyde
"	Greensborough	20	...	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of George C. Stillie
"	Warburton	18	351	"	Forfeited 65th section holding of Herbert A. Ely

R. W. BEST,
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Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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 20 of <i>The Land Act 1869</i> as amended by <i>The Land Act 1878</i> .									
10069	B. S. Boehm	211 0 11	Natimuk	7.7.97	84 16 0	1 6 0	8 10	86 10 10	Horsham
970	Jas. Bell	319 3 34	Archdale	30.6.97	8 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 10	Melbourne
1001	Jas. Bell	287 3 36	"	"	7 4 0	1 6 0	12 0	9 2 0	"
1006	Jas. Bell	182 3 39	Barp	"	4 11 6	1 6 0	7 8	6 5 2	"
1552	Jas. Bell	159 0 4	Bet Bet	"	4 0 0	1 6 0	6 8	5 12 8	"
2233	G. T. Bell	199 3 36	Archdale	"	27 10 0	1 6 0	8 4	29 4 4	"
3009	R. T. Kennedy	42 0 0	Panyule	25.6.97	6 6 0	1 1 0	1 9	7 8 9	"
2485	Donald Ferguson	21 2 23	Flowerdale	"	5 10 0	1 1 0	0 11	6 11 11	"
4661	Edward Finnae	247 0 0	Gowar	21.6.97	49 8 0	1 6 0	10 4	51 4 4	"
2128	George Brice, jun.	320 0 0	Waranga	28.6.97	80 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	82 4 10	Rushworth
4773	The Bendigo Permanent Land and Building Society	319 1 7	Terrappee	18.6.97	40 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	42 4 10	Melbourne
5675	J. Ryan	303 3 30	Bunguluke	6.7.97	30 18 0	1 11 6	12 11	33 2 5	"
5199	Peter Virtue	319 3 18	Towaninny	30.6.97	88 3 0	1 11 6	13 4	90 7 10	"
2590	Michael Egan	96 1 10	Terrappee	"	16 19 6	1 6 0	4 1	18 9 7	"
2578	Maria Egan	40 0 0	"	"	3 0 0	1 1 0	1 8	4 2 8	"
6351	Honora Egan	300 1 29	"	"	158 0 6	1 11 6	12 7	160 4 7	"
4921	Martin Kyne	230 0 0	"	"	62 5 0	1 6 0	9 7	64 0 7	"
4943	Honora Kyne	96 0 0	"	"	18 0 0	1 6 0	3 9	19 9 9	"
487	William Davidson	256 0 0	Charlton East	"	32 0 0	1 6 0	10 8	33 16 8	"
3212	J. McCluskey	222 2 37	Molka	5.7.97	33 9 0	1 6 0	9 4	35 4 4	"
1124	Michael Maher	320 0 0	Charlton East	9.7.97	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	"
1558	Joseph T. Brown	19 2 11	Worrough	23.6.97	2 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	3 1 10	"
5318	Jas. Phelan	285 1 17	Moondarra	6.7.97	7 3 0	1 6 0	11 11	9 0 11	Walhalla
5828	T. McNamara	319 3 37	Katunga	29.6.97	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	Nunurkah
5477	S. Sims	320 0 16	Kerang	2.7.97	24 1 6	1 11 6	13 5	26 6 5	Kerang
7844	T. Forge	175 2 37	Pine Lodge	5.7.97	3 7 6	1 6 0	7 4	7 0 10	Shepparton
2100	J. Byrne	150 0 28	Murrabit	2.7.97	3 15 6	1 6 0	6 4	5 7 10	Kerang
4453	A. H. Vicary	23 0 26	Devenish	10.7.97	1 4 0	1 1 0	1 0	2 6 0	Benalla
4923	Cath. Kiley	66 3 0	Rothsay and Samaria	9.7.97	8 14 0	1 6 0	2 10	10 2 10	Melbourne
14952	Cath. Stafford ¹	98 2 23	Samaria	"	32 3 6	1 6 0	4 2	33 13 8	"
2788	T. and C. Mountjoy	51 1 39	Turrumberry	8.7.97	10 8 0	1 6 0	2 2	11 16 2	Echuca
5737	John Sherritt	56 0 6	Beechworth	7.7.97	8 11 0	1 6 0	2 5	9 19 5	Beechworth
344	Maria Gill	105 3 18	Hinnomunjie	19.6.97	5 6 0	1 6 0	4 5	6 16 5	Omeo
Under Section 18 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .									
2616	Geo. Reddick	16 0 0	Metcalf	16.6.97	30 8 0	1 1 0	1 8	32 10 8	Kyneton 89.0/1657
2128	Patrick Morris	4 2 8	Gorrockburkghap	16.7.97	"	1 1 0	0 8	2 1 8	Melbourne
1514	J. J. Lake	17 0 37	Murrabit West	2.7.97	"	1 1 0	1 0	2 2 0	Kerang 1/133
Under Section 36 of the <i>Mines Act 1890</i> .									
123/36	Joseph Considine	0 1 0	Wombat	3.7.97	3 10 0	1 1 0	0 2	4 11 2	Daylesford
29/36	John Berryman	0 0 37 ^{1/2}	Sandhurst	9.7.97	10 0 0	1 1 0	0 5	11 1 5	Bendigo

¹ Notice in *Gazette* of 2.7.97, page 2820 re this payment is hereby cancelled.

² Includes certificate fee.

³ Includes £1 certificate fee.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

Settlement on Lands Act 1893, Sections 5 and 20.

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 Rent 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, 22nd July, 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 1893.—Payment to be made half-yearly.									
7732	G. O'Reilly	11 0 6	Kaniva	26		1.6.97	0 3 0	0 3 0	Nhill
7735	J. R. Porter	8 1 0	Branxholme (Condah Swamp)	42	12	1.7.97	0 2 3	0 2 3	Hamilton
4860	Henry Scharf	20 0 0	Yallock	76		1.5.95	0 5 0	0 5 0	Warragul
7813	Samuel Simmill ¹	19 0 0	"	126		1.6.97	0 4 9	0 4 9	"
7847	Frederick Simmill	19 0 0	"	123		"	0 4 9	0 4 9	"
6774	George Smith ²	20 0 0	Katamatite	12		"	0 5 0	0 5 0	Yarrawonga
6298	James MacGibbon ³	5 0 5½	Yalca	14	B ¹	1.7.97	0 1 6	0 1 6	Nunurkah
7441	Robert Jarvis ⁴	17 0 16½	Mardan	Portion 16 of allot. 49		1.6.97	0 4 6	0 4 6	Warragul
3572	H. Middleton	10 1 14	Scoresby	64	A	1.1.95	0 2 9	0 2 9	Melbourne
6198	W. H. Marshall ⁵	20 0 0	Echuca North	170		1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Echuca
6199	Agnes Morris	19 3 39	Arapiles	19		"	0 5 0	0 5 0	Horsham
7621	Ewen Macpherson	15 2 5	{ Yarragon (Moe Swamp)	{ 17A 21	{ C ¹ C ¹	"	0 4 0	0 4 0	Warragul
4645	D. McMenamin ⁶	15 0 0	Koo-wee-rup East	57, 58, & 59	R	1.7.95	0 3 9	0 3 9	Melbourne
7711	Edward Neave	15 0 7	{ Yarragon (Moe Swamp)	{ 8 3	{ C ¹ C ¹	1.7.97	0 4 0	0 4 0	Warragul
7712	F. Nicholson ⁷	9 2 28	Mooroolbark	7	2	1.6.97	0 2 6	0 2 6	Melbourne
5651	Patrick Flanagan ⁸	7 0 38	Bullarto	20	I	1.7.97	0 2 0	0 2 0	Daviesford
5840	James H. Hall ⁹	19 3 4	Kaniva	1		1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Nhill
5842	H. H. Hobbs	20 0 0	Koo-wee-rup East	131	O	"	0 5 0	0 5 0	Melbourne
5975	Jeremiah Keppel ¹⁰	15 0 39	"	39	U	"	0 4 0	0 4 0	"
6993	T. E. Lumley ¹¹	124 1 8	Tyntynder West	10 & 11	1	1.5.94	0 15 8	0 15 8	Kerang
5165	F. W. Burhop ¹²	20 0 0	Koo-wee-rup	7	J	1.6.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	Melbourne
7134	Margaret Cook	20 0 0	Koo-wee-rup East	137	O	1.7.97	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
7232	Louis N. Day	12 3 6	{ Yarragon (Moe Swamp)	{ 23 10	{ C ¹ C ¹	1.6.97	0 3 3	0 3 3	Warragul
3253	C. M. Dixon ¹³	10 0 1	Koo-wee-rup East	6 & 81	Q	1.1.95	0 2 9	0 2 9	Melbourne
5531	Alexander Dobson	5 3 3	Bundalong	14	B	1.7.97	0 1 6	0 1 6	Yarrawonga
7231	R. G. Dryden ¹⁴	15 3 0	Barmah	9B, 13, & 14	A	1.5.97	0 4 0	0 4 0	Echuca
Under Section 20 of the Settlement on Lands Act 1893.—Payment to be made half-yearly.									
1414	Reid B. Hitchins ¹⁵	38 1 8	Neerim East ("Bell" H.A.)	14 & 15	C	1.7.94	0 9 9	0 9 9	Warragul
1488	William Johnson ¹⁶	17 1 10	Korumburra ("Korumburra" H.A.)	2	5	1.8.96	0 4 6	0 4 6	"
1279	Francis Eccles ¹⁷	3 0 7	{ Coongulmerang and Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	{ 1 1 & 1A	{ 1 B	1.7.95	0 1 0	0 1 0	Bairnsdale
1753	P. S. Phillips ¹⁷	2 3 17	{ Coongulmerang and Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	{ 2 2 & 2A	{ 1 B	1.1.95	0 0 9	0 0 9	"
1706	P. Redenbach ¹⁷	3 3 31	{ Coongulmerang and Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	{ 3 3 & 3A	{ 1 B	"	0 1 0	0 1 0	"

¹ To be debited with £38 6s. 9d. for improvements on the land.
² To be debited with £13 10s. for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by J. Beirs, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 1168.
³ To be debited with £12 10s. for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by David Marshall, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 1679.
⁴ To be debited with £25 for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by J. Cadwallader, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 2123.
⁵ To be debited with £5 for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by F. Sandie, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1896, p. 4474.
⁶ In lieu of permit for allotments 57 and 58 of section R, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.
⁷ This allotment was formerly held by J. T. Wilson, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 1919.
⁸ To be debited with £26 for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by H. Leahan, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 597.
⁹ To be debited with £13 for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by A. Hill, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1897, p. 1168.
¹⁰ To be debited with £30 for improvements on the land, which was formerly held by C. J. Hedley, whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 1896, p. 4749.
¹¹ In lieu of permit for allotment 10 of section 14, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.
¹² To be debited with £20 for improvements on the land.
¹³ In lieu of permit for allotment 81 of section Q, which is hereby cancelled. Dixon is to be debited with £10 for improvements on allotment 6 of section Q, which was formerly held by A. T. Leithhead (6052/5), whose permit has been cancelled. See *Gazette*, 14th May, 1897, p. 1919. Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.
¹⁴ Dryden is to be debited with £13, being the amount of aid advanced to him when he previously held the land. See notice in *Gazette*, 2nd October, 1896, p. 4063.
¹⁵ In lieu of permit for allotment 15 of section C (held under section 5 of the Settlement on Lands Act), which is hereby cancelled (2392/5). Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.
¹⁶ In lieu of permit for allotment 2 of section 7 ("Premier" H.A.), which was cancelled in *Gazette*, 16th October, 1896, p. 4239. Johnson is to be debited with £41, being the amount of monetary aid advanced to W. B. Hall (210/20), the previous holder of the allotment (2 of section 5), whose permit was cancelled in *Gazette*, 15th January, 1897, p. 123.
¹⁷ In lieu of permit gazetted 28th June, 1895, p. 2519, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.

PERMITS TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANTS—continued.

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 20 of the <i>Settlement on Lands Act 1893</i> .—Payment to be made half-yearly—continued.									
1452	Eli Knight ¹	6 3 8	Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	6 & 6A	A } B }	1.1.95	0 1 9	0 1 9	Bairnsdale
1451	Henry Kohte ¹	6 1 6	Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	5 & 5A	A } B }	"	0 1 9	0 1 9	"
1499	Thomas Lovell ¹	6 1 37	Wuk Wuk ("Lindenow" H.A.)	7 & 7A	A } B }	"	0 1 9	0 1 9	"

¹ In lieu of permit gazetted 28th June, 1895, p. 2519, which is hereby cancelled. Rents paid (if any) to be credited, and monetary aid received to be debited.
 NOTE.—The notice gazetted 31st August, 1894, p. 3538, re permit 910/5, J. Towers, 10 acres, parish of Monbulk, is hereby cancelled. 5s. rent paid is to be credited to the allotment now held by Towers, at Scoresby.

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, 21st July, 1897.

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

Corr. No.	Name.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Situation.	Pay Office.
				Acres.		
1172/5	J. Connor	13	H	13	Miepoll	Euron
4613/5	D. McKenzie	17		16	Colbinabbin	Rushworth
1055/20	G. Bacon	24	B	40	Kamarooka	Bendigo
5838/5	J. E. Holland	4		15	Toosan	Horsham
5351/5	H. W. Cain	45	12	9	Branxholme	Hamilton
1537/20	D. Meehan	16		50	Coonguhnerang	Bairnsdale
3617/5	S. McDonald	14	2	16	Rosedale	Rosedale
3160/5	T. Cavanagh	20 and 46a		5	Sale	Sale
3985/5	Annie Woodland	13	16	7	Darnum	Warragul
5358/5	O. Cosgriff	6	C	19	Yarragon	"
6166/5	W. Matheson	14	C	16	"	"
5977/5	C. A. Wilkinson	20	C	20	"	"
5259/5	H. Coles	4A	C	21	"	"
4920/5	A. W. Towers	6	C and C	16	"	"
4869/5	J. L. Smith	17	C	16	"	"
4343/5	J. Gillick	22	C	12	"	"
4341/5	W. E. Giblett	19A	C	13	"	"
4155/5	F. Conley	15	C	19	"	"
4067/5	J. Bennett	2	C	16	"	"
4921/5	C. H. Tempest	11	C	12	"	"
5518/5	T. Delany	20	C	20	"	"
1305/20	A. B. Foote	3A	C	37	Neerim East	"
5688/5	E. Goring	12	C	15	Doomburrim	"
5796/5	J. Hunter	18A	C	20	Koo-wee-rup	Melbourne
5908/5	P. Jordan	23	C	11	Koo-wee-rup East	"
4023/5	W. S. Brown	15A	C	14	"	"
		1	C			
		3	C			
		12	C			
		6	B			
		2	1			
		5	H			
		2 and 60	Q			
		52	U			

Land Acts.

TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Transfer of Licences under the 65th and 123rd sections of the *Land Act 1890* 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.		
2553	E. M. Marks	William Swinton	792 0 0	Boola Boloke	123	1.7.96	3 6 0	£1, St. Arnaud, 28.6.97	St. Arnaud
2704	John B. Nutting	Edward Swinton	497 0 0	"	123	"	2 1 5	£1, St. Arnaud, 28.6.97	"
2728	Tristram Opie, jun.	Hugh Robinson	26 0 0	Gowar	123	"	3 6 0	£1, Melbourne, 7.7.97	"
1115	Jno. Archer	Janet M. Blanchard	9 0 0	Greensborough	65	1.12.91	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 5.7.97	Melbourne

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 Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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Land Act 1890, Section 2.
TRANSFER OF LEASEHOLDS.

THE Board of Land and Works has sanctioned the undermentioned Applications to Transfer Leaseholds under Section 32 of The Land Act 1894.

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.

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No. of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Date of Lease.	Term of Lease.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
3522	Leonard L. Philpott	Edwd. Butterworth	320 0 0	Doomburrim ...	1.7.88	10½ years less 3 days	2 13 4	£1, Melbourne, 6.7.97	Melbourne
15754	Elizth. B. Symonds	Thos. Edwards	166 0 0	Wonthaggi North	1.1.90	9 years less 3 days	1 7 8	£1, Melbourne, 6.7.97	"
1922	Robt. G. Wood	Michl. Mechan	65 0 0	Lalbert ..	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	0 16 3	£1, Melbourne, 27.4.97	Kerang
3585	M. Tobin, the elder	Charles Park. Tobin	705 0 0	Gibbo ...	1.1.90	9 years less 3 days	5 17 6	£1, Melbourne, 29.6.97	Tallangatta
5953	Jas. Williams	Thomas Dalton, jun.	175 0 0	Wodonga ...	1.7.90	8½ years less 3 days	2 3 10	£1, Melbourne, 13.7.97	Wodonga

Land Act 1890, Section 18.

APPLICATION FOR A GRANT APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Grant having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Balance to complete the Purchase and Fees specified may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officer.

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.	
				Grant.	Certificates.	Assurance.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
Under Section 18 of the Land Act 1890.								
John McIntyre ...	Kooroh ...	20 0 0	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10 ¹	St. Arnaud 2237

¹ £20 rent paid credited.

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Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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

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.	Purchase Money.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				Fees.			Total to pay.	
				Grant.	Survey.	Assurance.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
Under Section 36 of the Land Act 1890.								
Charlotte E. Jamieson	Clarksdale ...	1 0 0	1 5 0	1 1 0	1 19	0 0 1	4 5 1	Ballarat T.7415
Charles Mactaggart ...	" ...	1 0 0	3 0 0	1 1 0	...	0 0 2	4 1 2	" Mo.34003
Maria Davey ...	Boort ...	1 0 0	5 0 0	1 1 0	...	0 0 3	6 1 3	Boort D.33094
A. H. Long ...	Alexandra ...	0 2 13	10 0 0	1 1 0	1 4	0 0 5	12 5 5	Alexandra H.3568

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Department of Lands and Survey,

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

HEARING OF REASONS AGAINST THE FORFEITURE OF CERTAIN LICENCES AND LEASES BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER 123TH 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, 21st July, 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.
Poster, 5th August, 1897 ...	The Land Officer ...	14726/32	1.7.89	Thos. Gerety ...	117	Wonga Wonga South
Drouin, 13th August, 1897	The Land Officer ...	14725/32	"	Thos. Gerety ...	117	"
		1526/65	1.1.93	Oscar Larsen ...	20	Noojee
		1980/42	1.7.93	Thos. C. Parker ...	240	Neerim East
		731/44	2.1.93	Danl. Hart ...	320	Darnum

Land Act 1890, Part II.

LEASES FOR MALLEE ALLOTMENTS CANCELLED.

It is hereby notified that the Leases for the Mallee Allotments specified in the Schedule hereunder have been cancelled.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 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.	No. of Allotment.	County.	Area.	Pay Office.
1.1.95	Herold, Rosa Ella Concorcia ...	924	Karkaroc ...	474 acres ...	Warrack-nabeal
1.7.95	Hickey, Martin ...	1192	" ...	482 acres ...	"

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, 21st July, 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—
1.1.84	99E	Lowan ...	1 square mile	Haebich, August	Haebich, Johann George	£ s. d. 8 0 0	1st July, 1897 ...	Dimboola
2.1.88	27D	Karkaroc	652 acres ...	Bretag, Johann Carl Wilhelm	Bretag, Johanna...	8 3 0	" ...	Warrack-nabeal
1.1.90	19A ^s	Tatchera ¹	320 acres ...	Fidge, Edward	Barrett, John Thomas	4 0 0	" ...	Swan Hill

¹ Part of allotment 19H.

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, 21st July, 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—
1.7.91	467	Karkaroc	592 acres ...	Syrett, William Thomas	Lynch, John, the elder	£ s. d. 2 0 0	1.7.97	Warracknabeal
1.1.89	35	"	1 square mile	Moloney, Martin	Treloar, Elizabeth	2 0 0	"	"
1.1.84	37A	Lowan ...	1 square mile	Sanders, Frederick	Sanders, Georgina	2 0 0	1.7.96	Nhill
"	1680	Borong	134 acres ...	O'Connor, Daniel	O'Connor, Phillip, and Naughton, Lacky	1 10 0	1.7.95	Donald

Land Act 1890, Section 123 (Mallee Lands).

RENEWAL OF LICENCES UNDER SECTION 123 OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

It is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case have been paid and the Licences forwarded to the applicants.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount Due.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Rent for Year.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
2538	Miles, Edward ...	Acres. 255,263	Blocks 39A and 39B, county of Weeah	1.7.97	£ s. d. 1 10 0	£ s. d. 0 5 0	£ s. d. 1 15 0	Nhill
1417	Pluckhahn, H. J. W. ...	885	Allotment 165, county of Lowan	"	5 0 0	0 5 0	5 5 0	"

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Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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

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Land Act 1890, Section 123 (Mallee Lands).

ISSUE OF LICENCES UNDER SECTION 123 OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

THE issue of Licences to the following persons having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case have been paid and the Licences forwarded to the applicants.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount Due.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Rent for Year.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		Acres.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
2457	Keyte, Ann	637	Allotment 212D, county of Lowan	1.7.97	1 5 0	0 5 0	1 10 0	Horsham
2541	Macklin, Thomas	8,317	Allotment 177, county of Lowan	"	6 10 0	0 5 0	6 15 0	Nhill
2539	Molloy, John E.	7,185	Allotment 187, county of Lowan	"	0 1 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	Horsham
2537	Morris, Joseph	10,687	Allotment 25, county of Lowan	"	5 0 0	0 5 0	5 5 0	Nhill
2004	Anstey, F. E.	11,900	Allotment 168, county of Lowan	"	4 10 0	0 5 0	4 15 0	"
2540	Molloy, John E.	11,680	Allotment 189, county of Lowan	"	1 7 10	0 5 0	1 12 10	Horsham
1718	Neill, James	9,745	Allotment 184, county of Lowan	"	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 15 0	"
2838	Stanton, William	15,994	Allotment 191, county of Lowan	"	3 0 0	0 5 0	3 5 0	"

NOTE.—The licences previously issued for these areas to William Moar, R. Bell, James Neill (29,350 acres), and George Reece respectively, have now expired.

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Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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

Land Act 1890, Part II.

REDUCTION OF AREAS OF MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

IT is hereby notified that the Areas of the Mallee Allotments as hereunder have been reduced as specified, and Rents adjusted accordingly.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st July, 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—
					£ s. d.	
1.1.84	Haebich, August	99B	Lowan	1 square mile 160 acres	2 0 0	Dimboola
2.1.88	Brotag, Johann Carl Wilhelm	27D	Karkaroc	628 acres	2 0 0	Warrack-nabnal
1.1.90	Fidge, Edward	19H	Tatchera	688 acres	2 0 0	Swan Hill

Land Act 1890, Part II.

RENTS DUE ON MALLEE BLOCKS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1897.

LESSEES of Mallee Blocks are hereby notified that the Rents and Fees due for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1897, 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.

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Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

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No. of Block.	Area in Square Mths.	Name of Lessee.	Average number of Stock departing for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1897.		Amount payable.	No. of Instalment.	Instalment of Survey Fee.	Total to pay.
			Sheep.	Cattle.				
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
32A	150	Macpherson, Dugald	...	267	20 0 6	23	0 13 11	20 14 5
33A	150		...	267	20 0 6	27	0 12 6	20 13 0
33B	141		...	267	20 0 6	27	0 12 1	20 12 7
36A	149		...	266	19 19 0	27	0 12 6	20 11 6
1A	241	Smith, Robert Barr	4,439	5	55 17 3	27	0 12 0	56 9 3
1B	237		4,439	5	55 17 3	27	1 1 3	56 18 6
2A	191	Fisher, Joseph	4,440	5	55 17 6	27	1 0 6	56 18 0
2B	198		4,440	5	55 17 6	27	1 0 11	56 18 5
3A	201	Elder, Sir Thomas	4,440	5	55 17 6	27	1 0 6	56 18 0
3B	189		4,440	5	55 17 6	27	0 19 6	56 17 0
11A	96	McEdward, Alexander	925	45	14 18 9	27	0 13 2	15 11 11
11B	97		925	45	14 18 9	27	0 11 10	15 10 7
12A	145		925	45	14 18 9	27	0 14 6	15 13 3
12B	156		925	45	14 18 9	27	0 14 2	15 12 11
13A	114		925	45	14 18 9	27	0 13 11	15 12 8
13B	107		926	45	14 19 0	27	0 14 0	15 13 0
14A	108		926	45	14 19 0	27	0 13 2	15 12 2
14B	112		926	45	14 19 0	27	0 13 6	15 12 6
29A	152		926	44	14 17 6	27	0 18 3	15 10 9
29B	152		926	44	14 17 6	27	0 18 3	15 10 9

Mallee Lands Act 1896, Section 7.

ISSUE OF PERPETUAL LEASES FOR MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

It is hereby notified that the Applications for perpetual leases of Mallee Allotments named in the Schedule hereunder having been approved, the leases have been forwarded to the undermentioned Receivers 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, 21st July, 1897.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Name of Applicant.	Area.	Allotment.	Parish.	County.	Amount to be Collected.				Vermin District.	Total to pay.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
						Rent payable yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees for Lease.	Vermin Rate.			
1.7.97	Allen, Benjamin	A. B. P. 423 0 23	21	Pier-Millan	Karkaroc	£ s. d. 3 12 4	£ s. d. 3 12 4	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 0 4 0	North-Eastern	£ s. d. 4 16 4	Warracknabeal
"	O'Shaunassy, William Nelson	437 0 28	44	Tyufunder North	Tatchera	3 13 0	3 13 0	1 0 0	0 4 0	"	4 17 0	Swan Hill
"	McCulloch, Andrew	637 3 34	23	Burunga	Karkaroc	5 6 4	5 6 4	1 0 0	0 5 0	Middle	6 11 4	Wycheproof

¹ Formerly allotment 787, Karkaroc. ² Formerly allotment 567, Tatchera. ³ Formerly allotment 414, Karkaroc.
NOTE.—No further rents are to be received on account of Mallee Lease (section 187) for allotment 79p, Tatchera, residence/licence (section 19) having been issued. *Gazette*, 9.7.97, page 2993. Pay Office, Wycheproof.

Mallee Lands Act 1896.

MALLEE LANDS AVAILABLE FOR SELECTION UNDER SECTION 7 AS AGRICULTURAL ALLOTMENTS, EITHER UNDER LICENCE OR PERPETUAL LEASE.

APPLICATIONS, 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, 21st July, 1897.

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	632	"
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	640	"
772	632	"
773	640	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres	County.	Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
774	649	Karkaroc	911	476	Karkaroc
775	640	"	912	489	"
776	632	"	928	476	"
777	640	"	931	347	"
778	640	"	932	762	"
779	474	"	933	646	"
780	473	"	934	639	"
794	474	"	935	640	"
795	474	"	936	639	"
796	473	"	937	632	"
797	474	"	938	639	"
798	640	"	939	629	"
799	640	"	940	474	"
800	632	"	942	413	"
801	640	"	943	474	"
802	640	"	944	474	"
803	640	"	945	443	"
804	640	"	946	475	"
805	632	"	947	474	"
806	640	"	948	640	"
807	640	"	949	639	"
808	632	"	950	633	"
809	632	"	951	639	"
810	631	"	952	640	"
811	631	"	953	581	"
812	640	"	954	634	"
813	640	"	955	719	"
814	633	"	957	635	"
815	640	"	971	449	"
816	640	"	977	611	"
817	640	"	978	630	"
818	640	"	979	714	"
819	663	"	980	699	"
820	609	"	981	689	"
821	640	"	982	679	"
822	474	"	983	669	"
823	474	"	984	655	"
824	474	"	985	655	"
825	474	"	986	604	"
835	483	"	987	477	"
836	487	"	988	474	"
836A	487	"	989	469	"
837	596	"	990	468	"
838	613	"			
839	602	"			
840	576	"	1035	603	"
841	797	"	1037	636	"
842	841	"	1038	690	"
843	641	"	1039	655	"
844	639	"	1040	649	"
845	639	"	1041	644	"
846	639	"	1042	637	"
847	632	"	1043	630	"
848	639	"	1044	621	"
849	639	"	1045	612	"
850	474	"	1046	602	"
851	473	"	1047	592	"
853	474	"	1048	463	"
854	640	"	1049	452	"
855	640	"	1051	408	"
856	633	"	1052	374	"
857	641	"	1055	246	"
858	641	"	1065	480	"
859	642	"	1066	611	"
860	640	"	1067	641	"
861	826	"	1068	641	"
862	640	"	1069	641	"
863	640	"	1070	611	"
865	472	"	1071	641	"
866	477	"	1072	641	"
868	474	"	1073	641	"
869	475	"	1074	640	"
871	474	"	1075	640	"
878	480	"	1076	640	"
879	477	"	1077	640	"
880	512	"	1078	576	"
881	508	"	1079	555	"
883	641	"	1080	617	"
884	641	"	1081	616	"
885	803	"	1082	616	"
886	640	"	1083	616	"
887	638	"	1084	617	"
889	639	"	1085	616	"
890	632	"	1087	616	"
891	640	"	1088	616	"
892	640	"	1089	616	"
893	474	"	1091	343	"
894	474	"	1092	484	"
895	473	"	1093	481	"
896	474	"	1130	481	"
897	468	"	1133	629	"
898	467	"	1134	606	"
899	468	"	1140	633	"
900	468	"	1141	633	"
901	632	"	1142	559	"
902	632	"	1144	632	"
903	625	"	1145	633	"
904	632	"	1146	617	"
905	633	"	1147	616	"
906	633	"	1148	632	"
907	631	"	1149	632	"
909	642	"	1150	617	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26a and 27a

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

Subdivisions of block 27B

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MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

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	"
Subdivisions of block 27B		
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	"
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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	635	"
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 of Piangil

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
3	481	Tatchera, parish of Piangil
4	481	"
5	482	"
6	480	"
7	480	"
11	478	"
12	479	"
13	479	"
14	480	"
15	480	"
15	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	"
33	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	"
Subdivisions of blocks 20A and 20B		
5	399	Weeah
9	678	"
45	390	"
1019	555	Karkaroc
1034	548	"
Subdivisions of block 64A		
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	570	"
531	632	"
532	640	"
533	640	"
557	631	"
559	639	"
560	629	"
581	631	"
582	638	"
583	635	"
584	638	"
599	631	"
604	628	"
605	640	"
606	574	"
607	499	"
608	627	"
609	629	"
Subdivisions of blocks 21A and 21B		
281	639	"
282	639	"
Subdivision of block 66B		
440A	640	Tatchera, parish of Woorimen

NOTE.—Incoming licensee or lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments

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, 21st July, 1897.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square m. &c.	Situation, &c.
6B	241	County of Millewa
32B	140	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
43B	79	North end of Lake Albacutya
44A	104	County of Weeah
44B	101	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 "	"
9c	442 acres	"
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 "	"
75c	1 sq. mile and 287 "	"
75d	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	"
162D	640 acres	"
165	1 sq. mile and 320 acres	"
166B	5 sq. miles and 198 "	"
168	18 " and 380 "	"
169	19 " and 117 "	"
170	13 " and 201 "	"
171	20 " and 347 "	"
173	13 " and 160 "	"
174	14 " and ...	"

MALLEE 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 160 "	"
184	15 " and 160 "	"
187	11 " and 145 "	"
189	18 " and 160 "	"
191	24 " and 634 "	"
192	21 " and ...	"
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	"
208A	12 " and 533 "	"
210i	640 acres	"
210K	2 sq. miles	"
212i	637 acres	"
212F	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.

BALLAN.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that J. Keogh, Esq., Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has notified me, in accordance with section 23 of Act No. 1242, that he will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Ballan, on Wednesday, the 18th day of August, 1897, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Supplementary List for the South Ballan Division of the Electoral District of Grant. Dated at Ballan the 19th day of July, 1897.—W. ARNOLD, Clerk of the Revision Court.

BENDIGO.—LICENSING COURTS.—SANDHURST GROUP.—In the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Barkly, Darling, Golden Square, Sutton, White Hills, Axedale, Kangaroo Flat, Mandurang, Sandhurst South, Strathfieldsaye, Huntly, Raywood, and Woodstock. Each and every of the above-named Licensing Courts doth hereby individually and severally order and appoint Tuesday, the 7th day of September, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Law Courts, Bendigo, as the time for a Sitting of each and every of the said Licensing Courts. Dated at Bendigo this 20th day of July, 1897.—(By the Courts) HAROLD MORRISON, Clerk of the Licensing Courts.

CARLTON.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Carlton, on Tuesday, the 10th day of August, 1897, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Northern and Southern Divisions of the Electoral District of Carlton, for the Electoral District of Carlton South, and for the Cardigan Division of the Electoral District of Melbourne East. Dated at Carlton this 19th day of July, 1897.—WILL. BLACKLOW, Clerk of the said Revision Court.

CHILTERN.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Chiltern, on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, A.D. 1897, at Ten a.m., to revise the Supplementary Lists of Electors for the Chiltern and Barnawartha Divisions of the Electoral District of Bogong. Dated at Chiltern this 17th day of July, A.D. 1897.—W. F. BÜSSE, Clerk of the said Revision Court.

DONALD.—In the Revision Court in Donald for the Watchem Division of the Borung District, and the Wooroonook Division of the Donald and Swan Hill District.—Notice is hereby given that William Leader, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice that he will hold a Revision Court in the Court House, Donald, on Thursday the 5th day of August, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists of the said Divisions.—W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of the Court.

EPHING.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held on Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1897, at Eleven o'clock a.m., to revise the Supplementary Lists for the Nillumbik Division of the Electoral District of Evelyn, and the Donnybrook, Epping, and Morang Divisions of the Electoral District of Bourke East.—W. F. HAWKINS, (Acting) Clerk of Petty Sessions. Court House, Epping, 19th July, 1897.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of section 23 of the *Purification of Rolls Act 1891*, Revision Courts will be held on the undermentioned days and dates, at the hours, and at the places named, for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Divisions of the Electoral Districts hereinafter respectively set out:—

At **FERNTREE GULLY**, on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, 1897, at Nine a.m., for the Scoresby Division of the Electoral District of Dandenong and Berwick.

At **HEIDELBERG**, on Monday, the 16th day of August, 1897, at Ten a.m., for the Heidelberg Division of the Electoral District of Bourke East.

At **YARRA GLEN**, on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, 1897, at half-past Nine a.m., for the Yarra Glen Division of the Electoral District of Evelyn.

At **HEALESVILLE**, on Thursday, the 5th day of August, 1897, at half-past Two p.m., for the Healesville and Warburton Divisions of the Electoral District of Evelyn, and for the Marysville Division of the Electoral District of Anglesey.

At **LILYDALE**, on Friday, the 13th day of August, 1897, at Ten a.m., for the Lilydale and Wandin Divisions respectively of the Electoral District of Evelyn.

At **ANDERSON'S CREEK**, on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1897, at Eleven a.m., for the Anderson's Creek and Templestowe Divisions respectively of the Electoral District of Evelyn.

At **ELTHAM**, on Tuesday, the 10th day of August, 1897, at Eleven a.m., for the Eltham Division of the Electoral District of Evelyn.

Dated at Heidelberg this 15th day of July, 1897.—**D. BERRIMAN**, Clerk of the said Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Electoral Revision Courts for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the undermentioned Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland West will be held at the places and on the days and hours hereinafter set out, viz:—

At the Court House at **YARRAGON**, on the 9th day of August, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the Allambee and Shady Creek Divisions.

At the Court House at **WARRAGUL**, on the 10th day of August, 1897, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the Brandy Creek, Lardner, and Warragul Divisions.

At the Court House at **DROUIN**, on the 18th day of August, 1897, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the Drouin and Longwarry Divisions.

Dated at Warragul this 15th day of July, 1897.—**J. DYSON FARRAR**, Clerk of the said Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Revision Courts will be held on the undermentioned dates, at the undermentioned times and places, for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Divisions of the Electoral Districts hereinafter respectively set out, namely:—

At **RUTHERGLEN**, on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, A.D. 1897, at Ten a.m., at the Court House, for Rutherglen, Dona Mungi, and Lilliput Divisions of the Electoral District of Wangaratta and Rutherglen.

At **WAHGUNYAH**, on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, A.D. 1897, at Two p.m., at the Court House, for Gooramadda and Carlyle Divisions of the Electoral District of Wangaratta and Rutherglen.

Dated at Rutherglen this 17th day of July, A.D. 1897.—**W. F. BÜSSK**, Clerk of the said Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Revision Courts will be held on the undermentioned dates at the times and places specified for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Divisions of the Electoral Districts as respectively set out, viz:—

At **KANIVA**, on Tuesday, the 10th August, 1897, at half-past Ten a.m., at the Court House, for the Lawloit Division of the Electoral District of Lowan and the Albacutya Division of the Electoral District of Donald and Swan Hill.

At **DIMBOOLA**, on Wednesday, the 11th August, 1897, at Eleven a.m., at the Court House, for the Dimboola and Kiata Divisions of the Electoral District of Lowan.

At **NHILL**, on Thursday, the 12th August, 1897, at Ten a.m., at the Court House, for the Nhill Division of the Electoral District of Lowan.

Dated at Nhill this 13th day of July, 1897.—**F. W. BOND**, Clerk of Revision Courts.

LEIGH ROAD.—**ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.**—Notice is hereby given that the Revision Court for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Leigh and Shelford Divisions of the Electoral District of Grenville will be held at the Court House, Leigh Road, on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1897, at Ten a.m.—**JOHN G. RAWLINGS**, Clerk of Revision Court.—Dated at Court House, Leigh Road, this 20th day of July, 1897.

MILAWA.—**ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.**—Notice is hereby given that Charles Leonard Dobbin, Esq., a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Milawa, on Friday, the 20th day of August, 1897, at the hour of Eleven a.m., for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Oxley, Grata, and Whorouly Divisions of the Electoral District of Delatite, and the Oxley Division of the Electoral District of Wangaratta and Rutherglen. Dated at Milawa the 17th day of July, 1897.—**A. E. CAWSEY**, Clerk of the Revision Court.

RUPANYUP.—**ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.**—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Rupanyup, on Saturday, the 14th day of August, 1897, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Rupanyup Division of the Electoral District of Borung, and the Wallaloo Division of the Electoral District of Kara Kara. Dated at Rupanyup this 19th day of July, 1897.—**W. J. MAHONEY**, Clerk of the Revision Court.

ST. ARNAUD.—In the Revision Court in St. Arnaud, for the Avon Plains, Gooroc, St. Arnaud, and Stuart Mill Divisions of the District of Kara Kara.—Notice is hereby given that William Leader, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice that he will hold a Revision Court in the Court House, St. Arnaud, on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, 1897, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists of the said Divisions.—**W. W. HARRIS**, Clerk of the Court. St. Arnaud, 13th July, 1897.

WALHALLA.—**ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.**—Notice is hereby given that an Electoral Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Walhalla, on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists for the Walhalla Division of Gippsland Central District, and Barclay River Division of Gippsland North District. Dated at Walhalla this 15th day of July, 1897.—**H. S. SABINE**, Clerk of the Revision Court.

WODONGA.—**ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.**—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Wodonga, on Thursday, the 12th day of August, A.D. 1897, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Supplementary Lists of Electors for the Wodonga Division of the Electoral District of Bogong.—Dated at Wodonga this 17th day of July, A.D. 1897.—**W. F. BÜSSK**, Clerk of the said Revision 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	...	Tuesday	...	3 August
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	...	Monday	...	16 August
Port Fairy	...	Thursday	...	18 November
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	14 December
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	...	Thursday	...	18 November
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	7 September
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	15 September
Benalla	...	Thursday	...	14 October
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	...	8 September
Castlemaine	...	Wednesday	...	11 August
Daylesford	...	Thursday	...	2 September
Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	19 October
Geelong	...	Tuesday	...	19 October
Hamilton	...	Wednesday	...	13 October
Horsham	...	Wednesday	...	18 August
Kilmore	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Kyneton	...	Tuesday	...	27 July
Mansfield	...	Thursday	...	23 September
Maryborough	...	Wednesday	...	27 October

Melbourne	...	Monday	...	2 August
Mildura	...	Monday	...	22 November
Nhill	...	Thursday	...	26 August
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	23 November
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	28 October
Port Fairy	...	Thursday	...	14 October
Portland	...	Thursday	...	12 August
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	16 November
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	...	4 August
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	...	14 September
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	...	9 December
Warragul	...	Wednesday	...	25 August
Warrnambool	...	Thursday	...	21 October

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	12 October
Bacchus Marsh	...	Friday	...	1 October
Bairnsdale	...	Thursday	...	18 November
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	7 September
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	15 September
Benalla	...	Thursday	...	14 October
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	...	7 September
Bright	...	Friday	...	17 September
Camperdown	...	Wednesday	...	28 July
Casterton	...	Tuesday	...	10 August
Castlemaine	...	Wednesday	...	11 August
Charlton	...	Tuesday	...	21 September
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	14 September
Clunes	...	—	...	—
Colac	...	Tuesday	...	27 July
Creswick	...	—	...	—
Daylesford	...	Thursday	...	2 September
Donald	...	Wednesday	...	1 December
Dunolly	...	Thursday	...	16 September
Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	19 October
Geelong	...	Tuesday	...	3 August
Hamilton	...	Wednesday	...	13 October
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	...	Wednesday	...	27 October
Melbourne	...	Monday	...	2 August
Mildura	...	Monday	...	22 November
Mornington	...	Thursday	...	16 December
Nhill	...	Thursday	...	26 August
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	23 November
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	28 October
Port Fairy	...	Friday	...	15 October
Portland	...	Thursday	...	12 August
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	16 November
Seymour	...	Tuesday	...	3 August
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	...	4 August
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	...	14 September
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Walhalla	...	Thursday	...	2 December
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	...	9 December
Warracknabeal	...	Tuesday	...	24 August
Warragul	...	Wednesday	...	25 August
Warrnambool	...	Thursday	...	21 October
Wodonga	...	Tuesday	...	7 December
Yarrowonga	...	Wednesday	...	13 October
Yea	...	Tuesday	...	28 September

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Melbourne	...	—	...	—
COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.				
ARARAT DISTRICT.				
Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	12 October
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	17 August

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	7 September
Clunes	...	—	...	—
Creswick	...	—	...	—

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.

Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	15 September
Bonalla	...	Thursday	...	14 October
Bright	...	Friday	...	17 September
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	14 September
Jamieson	...	Wednesday	...	22 September
Kilmore	...	Tuesday	...	17 August
Mansfield	...	Thursday	...	23 September
Wodonga	...	Tuesday	...	7 December

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

Castlemaine	...	Wednesday	...	11 August
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	...	—	...	—
Hepburn (Daylesford)	...	Thursday	...	2 September
Kyneton	...	Tuesday	...	27 July

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.

Bairnsdale	...	Thursday	...	18 November
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	23 November
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	28 October
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	16 November
Walhalla	...	Thursday	...	2 December

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.

Dunolly	...	Thursday	...	16 September
Inglewood	...	Wednesday	...	22 September
Maryborough	...	Wednesday	...	27 October
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	...	14 September

SANDHURST DISTRICT.

Bendigo	...	Tuesday	...	7 September
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.

Fencing, &c., Viticulture College, Rutherglen. Particulars also at the College, Rutherglen. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 29th July

Painting and repairs, Police Buildings, Learmonth. Particulars also at Police Stations, Learmonth and Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 29th July

Repairs to Old Warden's Quarters, Dunolly. Particulars also at Police Stations, Dunolly, Maryborough, and Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 29th July

Replacing and repairing boundary fences, Lunatic Asylum, Beechworth. Particulars also at Police Station, Beechworth. Preliminary deposit, £3. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 29th July

Purchase and removal of Morgue, Port Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 29th July

Alterations and additions to Court House, Richmond. Preliminary deposit, £3. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 29th July

Victorian Defences.—Painting Gunner's House, Gellibrand Battery, Williamstown. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 29th July

Repairs, painting, and papering Caretaker's House, Titles Office, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 29th July

Repairs to Storage Tanks, and supplying and fixing four new tanks with pipes and connexions, &c., Lunatic Asylum, Ararat. Particulars also at Police Station, Ararat, until the 22nd July; and after that date at Police Station, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 29th July

Painting and repairs, Court House, Palmerston. Particulars also at Police Station, Palmerston. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 29th July

Repairs, &c., to damage caused by white ants, State School Residence, No. 722, Illabarook. Particulars also at Police Station, Scaradale; also at Police Station, Ballarat, until the 29th July; and after that date at Police Station, Geelong. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 5th August

General repairs, Police Buildings, Bourke-street west, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 5th August

Repairs, &c., Court House, Gisborne. Particulars also at Police Station, Gisborne. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 5th August

Rebuilding Chimney, State School No. 1854, Lyonville. Particulars also at Police Stations, Trentham and Daylesford. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 5th August

Removal of Gallery, repairs, &c., State School No. 1479, Brighton-road, St. Kilda. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 5th August

Repairs, Court House, Natimuk. Particulars also at Police Stations, Natimuk and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 5th August

Repairs to fencing, Court House, Moonambel. Particulars also at Police Stations, Moonambel, Avoca, and Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 5th August

Repairs, &c., Post Office, Wahgunyah. Particulars also at Post Office, Wahgunyah. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 5th August

New Post Office, &c., Orbost. Particulars also at Police Station, Bairnsdale, until the 5th August; after that date at Police Station, Orbost. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 19th August

Yarra Improvement Works.—Dredging embankment on South side of river from Engineer's Depot to Friendly Societies' Gardens; also dredging and removal of end dams to new cut in above-mentioned Gardens. Preliminary deposit, £150. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 19th August

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, 22nd July, 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, 26th July.—Removal of gatehouses 4, 6, and 8, Kilmore and Lancefield line, and re-erection as station offices at Rushworth, Kyabram, and Nathalia. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Seymour, Rushworth, Shepparton, and Numurkah stations. Preliminary deposit, £10.

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.

Monday, 26th July.—Cartage, in the metropolitan district, till 30th June, 1898. (Fresh tenders.) Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 26th July.—Additions and alterations to Prahran station buildings. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £15.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply, till 30th June, 1898, as per schedule, of tallow. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street (No. 1 basement). Preliminary deposit, £10.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply, as required, of 300,000 bricks, delivered at any station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £10.

Monday, 26th July.—Supply of tents, as required, till 30th June, 1898. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 2nd August.—Repairs, till 31st December, 1898, of platelayers' tools on the lines from Dimboola to Serviceton and to Jeparit. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Dimboola and Nhill stations.

Monday, 2nd August.—Construction and erection of timber foot-bridge at Camberwell station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £10.

Monday, 2nd August.—Painting station buildings, &c., at Camperdown and Terang. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Camperdown, Terang, and Warrnambool stations. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 2nd August.—Painting station buildings, &c., at Garvoc, Panmure, Cudgee, and Allansford. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Terang, Panmure, and Warrnambool stations. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 2nd August.—Painting station buildings, &c., at Traawool, Kerrisdale, Homewood, and Yea. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Tallarook, Kerrisdale, and Yea stations. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 9th August.—Construction and erection of engine-shed at Dimboola. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Horsham, and Dimboola stations. Preliminary deposit, £40.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

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

TENDERS FOR BRASS LETTERS AND GOLD AND WORSTED EMBROIDERY, ETC., OF VICTORIAN MANUFACTURE, FOR MILITARY UNIFORMS.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 29th July, 1897, from persons willing to supply Brass Letters and Gold and Worsted Embroidery, &c., for Military Uniforms, to 30th June, 1902.

Preliminary deposit, £2; security, 2½ per cent. on amount of tender, but in no case will security of less than £1 be received.

Printed forms of tender and conditions of contract can be obtained at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne, and from the Controller of Stores, Ordnance Stores, St. Kilda-road, by whom also samples will be shown and all information given to persons tendering.

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 (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.

Any single item in the schedule may be tendered for and may be accepted or rejected separately.

The total amount of tender must be stated in words as well as in figures.

Tenders having alterations or erasures therein will not be entertained.

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 the contract signed within five days of the acceptance of the tender, failing which tenders may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

The conditions of contract are those published under "General Stores for 1897-8," in the *Government Gazette* of 26th March, 1897, p. 1264, except as to clause No. 19, which has been amended as shown in the tender form, and clauses 17 and 18, which have been substituted by the following clause:—

It will be competent either for the contractor, on his own behalf, or for the Secretary of the Tender Board, on behalf of the Government, to terminate the contract, by giving three full calendar months' notice, in writing, 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, and under no other circumstances will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract except in the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, when the Government or the contractor, as the case may be, may give two months' notice, in writing, 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.

Tenders enclosed in an envelope, and having the words "Tender for Brass Letters, Gold and Worsted Embroidery, &c.," written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

ISAAC A. ISAACS,
Acting Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st July, 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, 24th July, 1897.

NOTE.—No tender will be accepted unless the fee for the period from 1st August, 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, 24th July, 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 surface 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 to 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 of 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-barking 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 eleven months—from 1st August, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

2. The fee for the period from 1st August, 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 958," or "Lot 2, Block 2401," or "Lot 3, Block 4506," 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, 8th July, 1897.

ARARAT, STAWELL, HAMILTON, AND HORSHAM DIVISIONS.

Lot 1. Grazing block (No. 958)—4,891 acres, comprising the Timber Reserve, parishes of Ashens, Marna, and Iongerong, together with the 102nd section reserve, allotments 11 and 12, Marna, and the 40 acres in south-west corner, recently licensed to W. H. Bullivant.—(*Horsham*, 62/119.)

Lot 2. Grazing block (No. 2401)—4,300 acres, the portion of Tchirree Timber Reserve, north of the Blue Mountains, parishes of Barkly, Warreunang, and Tchirree, recently licensed to I. Friend.—(*Forests*, F.24187.)

Lot 3. Grazing block (No. 4506)—536 acres, the Leah Swamp, allotment 7, parish of Boikerbert, adjoining Newland's P.R.—(*Hamilton*, 214/123.)

Lot 4. Grazing block (No. 4788)—4,084 acres, allotments 28, 29, 30, 31, 24, and 25A, parish of Lambruk, recently licensed to T. Kelly.—(*Hamilton*, 1463/123.)

Lot 5. Grazing block (No. 6234)—136 acres.—*Withdrawn*.

Lot 6. Grazing block (No. 6778)—17,300 acres, part of pastoral allotment H, parish of Kentbruk, county of Normanby.—(*Hamilton*, 1256/21.)

Lot 7. Grazing block (No. 6969)—420 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 21, parish of Leor, formerly licensed to Queensland Investment and Land Mortgage Co. Ltd.—(*Horsham*, 1424/123.)

Lot 8. Grazing block (No. 6970)—460 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 22, parish of Leor, formerly licensed to Queensland Investment and Land Mortgage Co. Ltd.—(*Horsham*, 1425/123.)

Lot 9. Grazing block (No. 6972)—500 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotment 24, parish of Leor, formerly licensed to Queensland Investment and Land Mortgage Co. Ltd.—(*Horsham*, 1427/123.)

Lot 10. Grazing block (No. 7030)—60 acres, allotment 92, parish of Kiata, comprising H. W. Salmon's forfeited block and reserve adjoining, about 30 chains east of Kiata.—(*Horsham*, 3379/32.)

Lot 11. Grazing block (No. 7104)—496 acres, allotments 96 and 97B, parish of Awonga, formerly held by Burns.—(*Horsham*, 1093/123.)

Lot 12. Grazing block (No. 7109)—6 acres, being Crown lands adjoining State school, Pretty Hills, parish of Bootahpool.—(*Hamilton*, C.3196.)

Lot 13. Grazing block (No. 7110)—37 acres, the southern portion of allotment 1, section 15, parish of Ardonachie, the forfeited 85th section leasehold of A. J. Morton.—(*Hamilton*, B.9429.)

Lot 14. Grazing block (No. 7111)—641 acres, allotment 7, parish of Bessiebell, Robt. Jenkin's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 918/32.)

Lot 15. Grazing block (No. 7112)—557 acres, allotments 7A and 20, parishes of Glenelg and Varrain.—(*Hamilton*, 1375/123.)

Lot 16. Grazing block (No. 7113)—804 acres, allotment 26, section A, parish of Drik Drik, F. M. Egan's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 551/32.)

Lot 17. Grazing block (No. 7114)—1,880 acres, *South Australian Border*, allotments 51 and 52, parish of Ardn, recently licensed to Kilsby.—(*Hamilton*, 1462/123.)

Lot 18. Grazing block (No. 7115)—85 acres, the Minimay township reserve, parish of Minimay.—(*Horsham*, 1449/123.)

BENDIGO, CASTLEMAINE, ST. ARNAUD, AND SEYMOUR DIVISIONS.

Lot 19. Grazing block (No. 4546)—79 acres, the Water Reserves south of allotment 36, west of allotment 19, and north-east of allotment B, parish of Banyena.—(*St. Arnaud*, 1251/123.)

Lot 20. Grazing block (No. 6163)—954 acres, the Pompapier State Forest, parish of Pompapier, divided into two parts 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 21. Grazing block (No. 6334)—2,340 acres, the portions of sections 10 and 11, Ellesmere and Axedale State Forest, parish of Axedale.—(*Forests*, F.997.)

Lot 22. Grazing block (No. 6436)—7,900 acres, parishes of Neilborough and Whirrakoe, being the western portion of Kamarooka and Egerton State Forest, including the common, recently licensed to O'Donohue and others.—(*Forests*, F.1973.) *Note*.—For cattle only.

Lot 23. Grazing block (No. 6956)—48 acres, the frontage of allotment 81 to the Avoca River, parish of Coonoor West.—(*St. Arnaud*, 1561/123.)

Lot 24. Grazing block (No. 7116)—320 acres, parish of Tarcombe, being G. Y. Robinson's forfeited block.—(*Seymour*, 889/123.)

Lot 25. Grazing block (No. 7117)—40 acres, allotments 23 and 24, township of Colbinabbin, county of Rodney.—(*Bendigo*, B.10551.)

ALEXANDRA, OMEO, BEECHWORTH, AND BENALLA DIVISIONS.

Lot 26. Grazing block (No. 2620)—15,600 acres, pastoral allotment A, county of Delatite, parishes of Eurandelong and Wandiligong.—(*Beechworth*, 3622/123.)

Lot 27. Grazing block (No. 4869)—5,000 acres, allotments 75, 76, 80, 85, 86, and 87, parish of Wyeboon.—(*Beechworth*, 3156/123.)

Lot 28. Grazing block (No. 5083)—4,650 acres, portion of pastoral allotment M, county of Bogong, west of Big River and east of pastoral allotment N, also allotments 22 and 23, parish of Bundara-Munjie.—(*Omeo*, 798/123.)

Lot 29. Grazing block (No. 6104)—2,840 acres, allotments 45 and 46, and Crown lands between allotments 42 and 44, parish of Moonup.—(*Omeo*, 570/123.)

Lot 30. Grazing block (No. 6705)—19 acres, allotment 3, section B, parish of Tatong, on Kelfeera Swamp.—(*Benalla*, 1165/123.)

Lot 31. Grazing block (No. 6847)—51 acres, parish of Yarroyah, being that portion of land reclaimed by levée erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 12 and 13A, section D.—(*Benalla*, 1372/123.)

Lot 32. Grazing block (No. 6848)—107 acres, parish of Yarroyah, being that portion of land reclaimed by levée erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 13 and 16, section D.—(*Benalla*, 1372/123.)

Lot 33. Grazing block (No. 6849)—87 acres, parish of Yarroyah, being that portion of land reclaimed by levée erected by Public Works Department, adjoining the Township reserve of Koonoomoo and allotments 4 and 15, section D.—(*Benalla*, 1372/123.)

Lot 34. Grazing block (No. 6850)—222 acres, parish of Yarroyah, being that portion of land reclaimed by levée erected by Public Works Department, adjoining allotments 3, 19, 20, and 21A, section D.—(*Benalla*, 1372/123.)

Lot 35. Grazing block (No. 7074)—350 acres, subdivision A of the North and South Woorragee Farmers' Common, parish of Woorragee.—(*Beechworth*, 3378/123.)

Lot 36. Grazing block (No. 7118)—13,000 acres, portion of pastoral allotment B, parish of Adjie, county of Benambra.—(*Beechworth*, 3875/123.)

Lot 37. Grazing block (No. 7119)—6,000 acres, allotments 30, 32, 37, 41, 46, and 47, parish of Nariel, county of Benambra.—(*Beechworth*, 3876/123.)

Lot 38. Grazing block (No. 7120)—4,700 acres, allotments 11, 19, 28, 29, 30, and 33, parish of Koetong.—(*Beechworth*, 3589/123.)

Lot 39. Grazing block (No. 7121)—740 acres, allotment 59, parish of Dorchapel.—(*Beechworth*, 1553/32.)

Lot 40. Grazing block (No. 7122)—540 acres, allotment 69, parish of Dorchapel.—(*Beechworth*, 1553/32.)

Lot 41. Grazing block (No. 7123)—854 acres, allotment 51, parish of Nariel, A. McIntosh's forfeited leasehold.—(*Beechworth*, 1246/32.)

Lot 42. Grazing block (No. 7123A)—530 acres, allotment 44, parish of Thowgla, G. H. Fenby's forfeited leasehold.—(*Beechworth*, 4623/32.)

Lot 43. Grazing block (No. 7124)—15 acres, subdivisional allotment 9A, Kelfera Swamp, parish of Tatong.—(*Benalla*, V.6307.)

Lot 44. Grazing block (No. 7125)—10 acres, subdivisional allotment 21, Kelfera Swamp, parish of Tatong.—(*Benalla*, 1798/123.)

Lot 45. Grazing block (No. 7126)—36 acres, subdivisional allotment 11, Kelfera Swamp, parish of Tatong.—(*Benalla*, 1800/123.)

Lot 46. Grazing block (No. 7127)—44 acres, subdivisional allotment 10, Kelfera Swamp, parish of Tatong.—(*Benalla*, 1799/123.)

Lot 47. Grazing block (No. 7128)—3,750 acres, in the Timber reserve, parish of Niagara, being that portion of Whanregarwen North Common and adjacent Crown lands on west, lying north of a line the production westerly to parish boundary of southern boundary of allotment 5, section B.—(*Alexandra*, H.242.)

Lot 48. Grazing block (No. 7129)—656 acres, allotment 34A, parish of Jinderboine, recently licensed to T. Bouchier.—(*Omeo*, 76/123.)

EOHUA, KERANG, AND MALLEE DIVISIONS.

Lot 49. 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 50. Grazing block (No. 2835)—1,300 acres, adjoining the holdings of J. Smith, M. E. Clarke, J. Baird, W. J. Davey, H. H. Jones, J. McMullen, W. and F. Radcliffe, and W. McDonald, being portion of Wandella Forest, parish of Meran, recently licensed to W. and F. Radcliffe.—(*Kerang*, 1786/123.)

Lot 51. Grazing block (No. 5072)—10,500 acres, in Gunbower State Forest, allotments 85 to 124, recently licensed to J. Watson.—(*Forests*, F.2091.) Note.—1. For cattle only. 2. Sawmillers to have right to graze.

Lot 52. Grazing block (No. 5073)—12,350 acres, in Gunbower State Forest, allotments 55 to 84, recently licensed to J. Watson.—(*Forests*, F.2092.) Note.—1. For cattle only. 2. Sawmillers to have right to graze.

Lot 53. Grazing block (No. 6194)—20 acres, the frontage on Goulburn River to allotment 159, parish of Kanyapella.—(*Echuca*, 1807/123.)

Lot 54. Grazing block (No. 6339)—30,000 acres, allotments 1 to 54A, parish of Cohuna, on the Gunbower Island, recently licensed to McNaughton.—(*Forests*, F.1241.) Note.—For cattle only.

Lot 55. 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 56. Grazing block (No. 6568)—13,440 acres, Mallee allotment 192, county of Lowan, near Mortat, recently licensed to J. Mulraney.—(*Mallee*, 2532/123.)

Lot 57. Grazing block (No. 7084)—8,213 acres, Mallee allotment 298A, county of Lowan, north of Arapiles.—(*Mallee*, M.1195.)

Lot 58. Grazing block (No. 7086)—793 acres, eastern portion of Mallee allotment 217C, county of Lowan, parish of Darragan.—(*Mallee*, M.549.)

Lot 59. 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 60. 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 61. 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.)

Lot 62. Grazing block (No. 7136)—35 acres, west of J. McCoy, and adjoining the 1-chain and 3-chain roads, parish of Undera.—(*Echuca*, 1632/123.)

BALLARAT, GEELONG, MELBOURNE, SALE, AND BAINNSDALE DIVISIONS.

Lot 63. Grazing block (No. 253)—14,000 acres on *New South Wales Border*, parishes of Bendoc and Bondi.—(*Bairnsdale*, 537/119.)

Lot 64. Grazing block (No. 2412)—300 acres (fenced), being the proposed site for cemetery at Springvale, parish of Dandenong, having a four-roomed house thereon.—(*Melbourne*, 2150/123.) Note.—The fence and buildings to be kept in thorough repair.

Lot 65. Grazing block (No. 2467)—400 acres, being the land recently licensed to the Australian Deodorizing, Disinfecting, and Fertilizing Co., parishes of Clarendon and Lal Lal.—(*Ballarat*, 2438/123.)

Lot 66. Grazing block (No. 2722)—28 acres, allotment 7, section 7A, parish of Eglinton, a Road and Water reserve.—(*Ballarat*, 2435/123.)

Lot 67. Grazing block (No. 6195)—240 acres, south of allotment 7, and between allotments 9 and 10 and 11 and 12 of section C, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Ballarat*, 2454/123.)

Lot 68. Grazing block (No. 6196)—130 acres, south-east of allotments 11 and 12, section C, and north of allotments 13 and B, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Ballarat*, 2454/123.)

Lot 69. Grazing block (No. 6325)—840 acres, west of and adjoining allotments 6 and 7 of section B, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, S.F.93/957.)

Lot 70. Grazing block (No. 6331)—666 acres, being the portion of 67th section holding within the forest formerly held by T. Kewley, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, K.16782.)

Lot 71. Grazing block (No. 6826)—10 acres, parish of Builengrook, recently licensed to J. W. Webb.—(*Melbourne*, 2980/123.)

Lot 72. Grazing block (No. 7130)—473 acres, in Raglan State Forest, being Robt. Neil's forfeited 67th holding, recently licensed to C. Loft, parish of Langi-kal-kal.—(*Forests*, F.4145.)

Lot 73. Grazing block (No. 7131)—19 acres, the Stone and Water reserve on Coghill's Creek, allotment 50, parish of Clunes, exclusive of 2 acres at bridge.—(*Ballarat*, 2139/123.)

Lot 74. Grazing block (No. 7132)—1,300 acres, the Marine Frontage reserve between Curdie's Inlet and Port Campbell, parishes of Narrawaturk and Paaratte.—(*Geeelong*, T.8063.)

Lot 75. Grazing block (No. 7133)—240 acres, in township of Layard, and adjoining reserve, parish of Modewarre.—(*Geeelong*, 20/119.)

Lot 76. Grazing block (No. 7134)—6 acres, the swampy land between the old and new beds of the Yarra River, and adjacent to allotments 38 and 39, parish of Yering.—(*Melbourne*, T.8674.)

Lot 77. Grazing block (No. 7135)—12 acres, allotments 1, 2, 3, and 4 of section 7, township of Seacombe.—(*Sale*, 1027/123.)

Lot 78. Grazing block (No. 7137)—31 acres, in the north of parish of Gherang Gherang, between allotment 14 on the west and the roads, recently licensed to W. C. Matthews.—(*Geeelong*, 486/123.)

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST.

Lot 79. Grazing block (No. 2804)—920 acres, allotments 28, 30, and 30A, parish of Killawarra, the eastern portion of Timber reserve, recently licensed to W. Payne.—(*Benalla*, 752/123.)

Lot 80. Grazing block (No. 2879)—145 acres, the Water reserve fronting main road from Echuca to Kerang, and adjoining allotment 9c, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, 1436/123.)

Lot 81. Grazing block (No. 6637)—2,900 acres, block K, in Moornbool State Forest, south of road to Whroo, and west of Bailieston Run.—(*Forests*, F.2438.)

Lot 82. Grazing block (No. 6939)—35 acres, the frontage to allotment 45, section E, on Gunbower Creek, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, 1855/123.)

Lot 83. Grazing block (No. 7138)—20 acres, the creek frontage to allotments 156 and 156A, parish of Kanyapella.—(*Echuca*, 106/123.)

Lot 84. Grazing block (No. 7139)—75 acres, a reserve for Public Purposes north-west of allotment 45, parish of Coonoor West, recently licensed to H. Moore.—(*St. Arnaud*, 1538/123.)

TENDERS FOR LIGHT-HOUSE OIL.

TENDERS will be received until noon on Wednesday, the 28th July, 1897, for the supply and delivery of not less than 6,000 gallons, or more than 12,000 gallons, of Mineral Oil.

Particulars at Harbor Office, Customs, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £10.

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

Melbourne, 21st June, 1897.

Insolvency Notices.

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week ending the 21st day of July, 1897.

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.

17th July.

William Shedden Turnbull, labourer, Richmond, Anderson.

21st July.

John Oswald Mitlan, lodginghouse-keeper, Melbourne, Jacob.

Charles Outen, labourer, Hatherley, Cohen.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

Court of Insolvency,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1897.

In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of William Shedden Turnbull, of Richmond, labourer, 90/2987; John Oswald Mitlan, of Melbourne, lodginghouse-keeper, 90/2988; Charles Outen, of Hatherley, labourer, 90/2989, have been sequestrated, and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Monday, the 26th day of July, 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 21st day of July, A.D. 1897.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Warragul.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Henry Beamish, of Neerim North, in Victoria, farmer and contractor, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Warragul, on Thursday, the 29th day of July, 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 20th day of July, A.D. 1897.

J. DYSON FARRAR,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Ballarat.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of James Watterson (1928), of 32 Ragnlan-street, Ballarat, groom, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Ballarat, on Monday, the 26th day of July, 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 Ballarat, this 21st day of July, A.D. 1897.

W. DICKSON,
Chief Clerk.

Private Advertisements.

THE UNITED SHIRE OF METCALFE.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the United Shire of Metcalfe, under section 428 of the *Local Government Act 1890*, to apply to the Governor in Council to grant to William Glover and Richard Onians, of Melbourne, salesmen, a licence to close with unlocked swing-gates for a period of five years the following roads:—

A road running east and west between allotments one B one, one and two of section 6, parish of Hawkstone, county of Dalhousie, and allotments seven and eight of section 3 of the said parish; and thence running north-easterly between said allotment two of section 6, and allotment forty A of section 3 of the said parish, to the north corner of said allotment forty A.

A road running north and south between said allotment eight and allotments forty A one and forty B² of section 6, parish of Hawkstone aforesaid.

All the roads referred to are in the United Shire of Metcalfe.

The reasons for the said application are—

1. The lands abutting on each side of the said roads belong to the said William Glover and Richard Onians.
2. The said roads are not, and never have been, used.
3. The traffic along the roads specified is so slight that the continuation of the temporary closing of the same by means of unlocked swing-gates will not be injurious to the public.

By order of the Council,

W. C. REEVES, Shire Secretary.

Shire Office, Metcalfe, 29th June, 1897.
Henry J. Armstrong, applicants' solicitor, Kyneton. 14

Pounds Act 1890.

SHIRE OF WYCHEPROOF.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wycheproof Shire Council has established a Pound, to be known as the Towaninny Pound, at the yards known as Pine Lodge yards, situated on part of Crown allotment 2, section 4, parish of Towaninny; and has appointed William Nalder, jun., as Poundkeeper.

A. G. STEWART,
Shire Secretary. 4

Wycheproof, 12th May, 1897.

Pounds Act 1890.

SHIRE OF WYCHEPROOF.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wycheproof Shire Council has established a Pound, to be known as the Kaneira Pound. The yards are situated on allotment 4, section B, township of Kaneira, parish of Kaneira, at the rear of the Coffee Palace; and has appointed Thomas Coffey as Poundkeeper.

A. G. STEWART,
Shire Secretary. 5

Wycheproof, 12th May, 1897.

SHIRE OF MILDURA.

REGULATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following regulations were duly confirmed by the Council of the Shire of Mildura on the 3rd day of June, 1897, the required legal notices having been given, viz:—

Regulation fixing the fine on all impounded cattle at Ten shillings (10s.) per head.

Regulation prohibiting the keeping of swine in Block D and Williamstown, Mildura.

Copies of these regulations may be seen at the Shire Offices, Deakin-avenue.

ALTERATION OF BY-LAW NO. 8.

Notice is hereby given of the alteration of By-law No. 8 having been duly confirmed by the Council of the Shire of Mildura on the 3rd day of June, 1897, to read as follows, viz:—

Any person who, between sunset and the following sunrise, excepting four nights before full moon, the night of full moon, and two nights thereafter, shall drive any vehicle within Block D and Williamstown, Mildura, without having a light on the off side of the front of such vehicle, shall, on and after this by-law coming into law, be subject to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for every such offence.

BY-LAW NO. 9.

Notice is hereby given that the following by-law was duly confirmed by the Council of the Shire of Mildura on the 3rd day of June, 1897:—

By-law for regulating bicycle and tricycle traffic within the Shire of Mildura—

(1) No person shall ride a bicycle or tricycle on any aligned footpath within the following boundaries in the town of Mildura, namely:—Eleventh-street, on the south-west; Walnut-avenue, on the north-west; Seventh-street, on the north-east; and San Mateo-avenue, on the south-east; nor shall any person propel any bicycle or tricycle on any street within the said boundaries at a greater speed than at the rate of ten (10) miles per hour. Any person offending against either of these provisions shall, upon conviction, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding Two pounds.

(2) Any person who shall ride any bicycle or tricycle within Block D or Williamstown, in the Shire of Mildura, between sundown and sunrise, without having a lighted lamp attached to the front thereof, which will show a white light in the direction in which he or she is proceeding, or who shall ride any bicycle or tricycle on the streets of the said Block D or Williamstown without carrying a bell or alarm attached to the said bicycle or tricycle, and shall not sound the said bell or alarm whilst approaching or crossing every intersection of the streets, or approaching any pedestrian, equestrian, or vehicle, shall forfeit and pay, on conviction, a sum not exceeding Two pounds.

(3) Any person riding or impelling any bicycle or tricycle causing any injury, accident, or collision with any other person, machine, or vehicle, or being concerned therein, who shall proceed on his or her way without stopping a reasonable time to see the extent of any injuries caused, and giving his or her name and address to the person injured, or to some one on his or her behalf, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

BY-LAW NO. 10.

Notice is hereby given that the following by-law was duly confirmed by the Council of the Shire of Mildura on the 1st day of July, 1897:—

All owners of house property in Block D and Williamstown, and all agents for same, shall give notice to the Secretary of the Shire whenever premises become vacant, and also when they are re-let, and householders will be held liable for the cost of closets if such be removed from their premises except by order of the council.

By order of the Council,

(SEAL) C. LEWIS,
Shire Secretary.

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SHIRE OF NUNAWADING.

REGULATION NO. 4.

Regulation No. 4 of the Shire of Nunawading, made under the provisions of section 3 of the Council's By-law No. 11, for keeping order upon and preventing obstruction of any of the carriage-ways and foot-ways and public places of the said shire, and for any breach whereof the offender will be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the Local Government Acts 1890 and 1891, and of the by-laws made thereunder, the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Nunawading order as follows:—

That from and after the date of this regulation coming into operation—

1. No person shall obstruct any of the carriage-ways, foot-ways, or public places of the said Shire of Nunawading by assembling thereon.

2. This regulation shall come into operation on the day after its publication in the *Government Gazette* of the Colony of Victoria as a regulation of the Shire of Nunawading.

3. From and after the date of this regulation coming into operation, Regulation No. 3, made under the provisions of section 3 of the Council's By-law No. 11, and intitled a regulation for keeping order upon and preventing obstruction of carriage-ways and foot-ways of the shire shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed by the Council of the Shire of Nunawading on the 31st day of May, 1897, and confirmed by special order on the 28th day of June, 1897.

(SEAL) SAMUEL COLLIER, President.
EDWARD BISHOP, Councillor.
JOHN R. KEFFORD, Shire Secretary.

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SHIRE OF HAMPDEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hampden Shire Council have appointed Mr. Joseph Henry Matthew, of Camperdown, as inspector of dairies, nuisances, slaughter-houses, and of cattle intended for slaughter for the Shire of Hampden.

(SEAL) JAMES C. MANIFOLD, President.
WILLIAM A. TAYLOR, Councillor.
J. F. PHILLIPS, Secretary.

Shire Hall, Camperdown, 7th July, 1897. 636

TAKE notice that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, as storekeepers, at Beac, trading as "Sheffield and Cooper," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the undersigned John Cooper, who will carry on the business as heretofore in his own name.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1897.

E. SHEFFIELD.
JOHN COOPER.

Witness—W. H. EDEN, clerk to J. L. Price, solicitor, Geelong. 665

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned Frederick William Archer and John Day the younger, as railway refreshment-room keepers at Bendigo and elsewhere, in the colony of Victoria, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 17th day of June, 1897.

F. W. ARCHER.

JOHN DAY the Younger.

Witness to signatures—GEO. H. TATCHELL, solicitor, Bendigo. 661

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Henry Seymour and Harry Thorpe, as wholesale and retail grocers, under the name of the "Eaglehawk Cash Store," at Eaglehawk, near Bendigo, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 21st day of June, 1897. The said business will be continued to be carried on by the said Harry Thorpe under the same name on his own behalf, and by whom all debts due by and to the said firm will be paid and received.

Dated the 21st day of June, 1897.

HENRY SEYMOUR.
HARRY THORPE.

Witness to signature of Henry Seymour—THOS. NAPOLEON WOODWARD, solicitor, Bendigo.

Witness to signature of Harry Thorpe—JNO. WILKINSON, managing clerk to Messrs. Connelly, Tatchell, and Dunlop, solicitors, Bendigo. 662

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned Frederick Joseph Barham and Arthur Johnson, in the business of carriers between Melbourne and Williamstown, under the style of "Barham and Johnson," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the date hereof. The undersigned Frederick Joseph Barham will continue to carry on the business of a carrier as heretofore under the name of "F. J. Barham," and will discharge all liabilities in connexion with the said partnership and receive all moneys due and owing thereto. The undersigned Arthur Johnson will also carry on the business of a carrier as heretofore under the name of Arthur Johnson.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1897.

F. J. BARHAM.
A. JOHNSON.

Witness to the signature of the said Frederick Joseph Barham—JAMES HALL, solicitor, Melbourne and Williamstown.

Witness to the signature of the said Arthur Johnson—G. F. A. JONES, solicitor, Melbourne and Williamstown. 707

THE partnership hitherto existing between us as furniture warehousemen under the name of Wallach's Estate, Melbourne, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Jacob Brandt will receive all moneys due to the firm and pay all outstanding liabilities of the firm.

Dated this 31st day of May, 1897.

JACOB BRANDT.
VIOLETTE M. ARON,

By her attorney, Maurice Aron.

Witness to signature Jacob Brandt—H. A. BRANDT, solicitor, 321 Collins-street, Melbourne.

Witness to signature Violette M. Aron—GEO. GODFREY, solicitor, Ludstone Chambers. 709

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned Thomas Tully Orde and James McMillan, as saw-millers, at Lyonville and Outtrim, and as farmers, at Lyonville, in Victoria, under the name and style of "Orde and McMillan," has been dissolved by mutual consent on the 17th day of July, A.D. 1897. The saw-milling business at Lyonville and Outtrim aforesaid will be carried on by the said James McMillan in his own name, and the farm at Lyonville by the said Thomas Tully Orde in his own name. All moneys due to the firm will be payable to the said James McMillan, who will pay all moneys owing by the firm.

Dated the 17th day of July, A.D. 1897.

T. T. ORDE.
JAMES McMILLAN.

Witness—EDWARD ELLIS, managing clerk to S. Grenfell, solicitor, Daylesford.

Sydney Grenfell, solicitor, Daylesford. 746

NOTICE is hereby given that the office of the Cowarr Butter Co. Ltd. is at Cowarr.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1897.

637 WM. FOGARTY, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned Albert Cowell and Samuel Davis, in the business of tailors and financiers, carried on by us at 300 Flinders-street, Melbourne, under the name, style, or firm of "Davis and Cowell," was dissolved on the 5th day of June, 1897, by mutual consent.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1897.

SAMUEL DAVIS.
ALBERT COWELL.

Witness—R. B. LEMMON. 699

A RETURN of the affairs of the Australasian Insurance Company, from the 1st day of April, 1897, to the 30th day of June, 1897, pursuant to *The Australasian Insurance Companies Act 1897*—

Capital subscribed for on shares of £5 each, £250,000.	
Capital paid up on above, at 10s. per share	£25,000 0 0
Amount of Fire Guarantee Fund	nil
Amount of Life Accumulated Fund at 31.3.97	20,593 2 0
Amount of Marine Guarantee Fund	nil
Reserve Fund	nil
Fire premiums	nil
Life premiums	285 17 2
Marine premiums	nil
Interest and dividends	330 13 4
Revenue from other sources	nil
Amounts owing by the company	621 4 6
	£46,830 17 0

Amounts invested—	
On freehold securities	£32,572 15 10
On Government securities	180 0 0
On other securities	13,122 7 3
Land, buildings, and office furniture	nil
Debts due to the company	nil
Fire losses	nil
Life losses (claims)	49 11 2
Marine losses	nil
Management expenses	179 19 3
Charges, &c.	nil
Cash at bankers	584 13 3
Surrenders	18 9 5
Cash in hand	9 10 2
Agents' balances	1 4 7
Accrued interest	112 6 1
	£46,830 17 0

Amount of capital paid up	£25,000 0 0
Rate or amount of last dividend, per centum per annum	nil
Reserved profit at that time	nil
Amount carried to Reserve Fund since last return	nil
Amount of fire risks	nil
Amount of marine risks	nil
Amount of life risks	39,586 2 9

I, GEORGE SHAW, Chairman of the Directors of the Australasian Insurance Company, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing is a true and faithful return and statement of the affairs of the said company during the period specified.

GEORGE SHAW.

Sworn this 9th day of July, 1897, before me—JAMES BELL, J.P. 644

The Companies Act 1890.

THE PERFECTING OF PATENTS COMPANY PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the Perfecting of Patents Company Proprietary Limited is situate at No. 37 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1897.

711 JAMES D. FINLAY, Secretary.

In the Supreme Court.—In the matter of Part I. of the Companies Act 1890, and in the matter of FRASER AND COMPANY LIMITED.

THE creditors of the above-named company, other than those whose claims have been admitted or allowed, are required on or before the 21st day of August, 1897, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to Robert George McCutcheon, of No. 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, the official liquidator of the said company; and if so required by notice, in writing, from the said official liquidator or his solicitors are by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of such Judge of this Honorable Court as shall be sitting at chambers at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Monday, the 30th day of August, 1897, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.

5s. Stamp
Cancelled.
H. H. P.
21/7/97.

HENRY H. PEARSON,
Associate.

Blake and Riggall, of 120 William-street, Melbourne, solicitors to the said official liquidator. 705.

In the matter of Part I. of the *Companies Act 1890*, and of The WARRAGUL SAWMILL COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 128 of the *Companies Act 1890*, that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the offices of Messieurs Snowdon, Neave, and Demaine, solicitors, 433 Chancery-lane, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 25th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, 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 this 19th day of July, 1897.
R. E. TWEDDELL, } Liquidators.
HENRY HINE, }

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In the matter of FERGUSON AND MITCHELL LIMITED, of Melbourne, manufacturing stationers, printers, &c., in liquidation.

A SECOND and Final Dividend will be payable at my office, 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, on and after Monday, 26th July, 1897.

704 J. H. BUTLER, Liquidator.

THE AILMENTS REMEDY COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company is now situate at number 98 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

Dated at Melbourne this 22nd day of July, 1897.
701 R. J. OEHR, Secretary.

Companies Act 1890.

THE registered office of The Glacier Patent Rabbit Box Company Limited is at No. 547 Flinders-street, Melbourne. Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.

J. MARTYN, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitor to the company. 722

NORTHERN PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above society has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. C. MACDONALD, } Directors.
ARTHUR J. MASTERS, }
B. D. SMITH, Manager. 685

KEYSTONE PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) ED. EDWARDS, } Directors.
B. D. SMITH, }
A. MACLACHLAN, Acting Secretary. 686

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MARK COLLIER, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mark Collier, late of "Croydon," Crimea-street, Saint Kilda, in the colony of Victoria, gentleman, deceased (who died on the 31st day of May, 1897, and probate of whose will was, on the 21st day of June, 1897, granted by the Supreme Court of the said colony, in its probate jurisdiction, to McHenry Pierce England, of Mathoura-road, Toorak, near Melbourne, in the said colony, gentleman), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to the said McHenry Pierce England, at No. 65 Mathoura-road, Toorak aforesaid, on or before the 31st day of August, 1897, after which date the said McHenry Pierce England will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mark Collier, deceased, which shall have come to his hands among 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 so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1897.
GILLOTT, BATES, & MOIR, National Mutual Buildings, corner of Collins and Queen streets, Melbourne, proctors for the said executor. 693

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE ELIZA COOK, late of No. 192 Punt-road, Prahran, in the colony of Victoria, widow, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the above-named Eliza Cook, deceased, and probate of whose will has been granted by the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria to George Knowles, of Post Office Chambers, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, merchant, and Lavinia Cook, of Punt-road, Prahran, widow, the executor and executrix named in the said will, are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executor and executrix, care of the undersigned, on or before the 30th day of August, after which date the said executor and executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.
FARMER & TURNER, 62 Orient Chambers, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executor and executrix. 710

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MRS. JULIA BENJAMIN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Julia Benjamin, late of No. 21 Dalgety-street, St. Kilda, in the colony of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the 13th day of May, 1897, and probate of whose will was, on the 19th day of July, 1897, granted by the Supreme Court of the said colony, in its probate jurisdiction, to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said colony), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to the said company, at the above address, on or before the 31st day of August, 1897, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Julia Benjamin, deceased, which shall have come to its hands among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice, and it will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.
LYONS & TURNER, of Nos. 341 and 343 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the said company. 712

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 30th August, 1897, or they will be excluded from the distribution of the estates:—

THOMAS WILLIAM BURGESS, No. 41 Grosvenor-street, Collingwood, cab-owner, died 26th April, 1897.

HENRY MANSELL (with will annexed), Hovell-street, Echuca East, carrier, died 25th July, 1896.

JEAN M. MENAGER, otherwise JOHN MENAGER, Great Western, vigneron, died 4th June, 1897.

DAVID PHILLIPS (with will annexed), Clarendon-street, South Melbourne, carpenter, died 21st November, 1869.

WILLIAM PARSONS, No. 31 Newry-street, Windsor, cab-driver, died 1st July, 1897.

JEAN BAPTISTE RIMAILHO (with will annexed), No. 3 Essex-lane, off Cardigan-street, Carlton, glazier, died 3rd July, 1897.

SARAH WILD, Emu Creek, hawker, died 26th June, 1896.

T. F. BRIDE,

Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons.
New Zealand Chambers, 483 Collins-street, Melbourne, 21st July, 1897. 716

Mining Notices.

A 1 EXTENDED MINING SYNDICATE NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the "A 1 Extended Mining Syndicate No Liability" will be held at the Board-room, Prell's Buildings, 60 to 70 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 2nd day of August, 1897, at half-past Three o'clock p.m., to effect the following purposes:—

1. To pass a resolution requiring that the syndicate be voluntarily wound up under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1890*.
2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the syndicate's property which may remain after the completion of the winding up.
4. To confirm minutes of meeting.

585 JNO. S. DANE, Manager.

ALHAMBRA GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company is hereby convened, and will be held at the office of the company, 307 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 2nd August, 1897, at Four o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To pass a resolution requiring the company to be voluntarily wound up under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*.
2. To appoint liquidator.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

582 SYDNEY W. FULTON, Manager.

PROPRIETARY BAMBOO CREEK GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at Scott's Hotel, Collins-street, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1897, at Four o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—

- First.—To authorize the directors to re-form the company by selling the company's property to a new company, to be formed to take over the assets and liabilities of the company.
- Second.—To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purposes, and the number and value of such shares, and the allocation thereof.
- Third.—To pass such other resolutions as may be necessary for carrying out the above objects.
- Fourth.—To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the directors,
612 JAMES FOWLER, Manager.

**NEW GLENPATRICK GOLD MINING COMPY.
NO LIABILITY, ELMHURST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above-named company will be held at Austral Chambers, 97 and 99 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 2nd August, 1897, at Twelve noon.

Business:

1. To increase the capital of the company by altering clause (1) in the company's rules as the meeting may decide, and to revise the rules accordingly.
2. Confirm minutes of meeting.

ALEXR. McLENNAN, Manager.

Austral Chambers, Queen-street, Melbourne. 614

**THE IVANHOE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the company will be held at Proll's Buildings, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 30th day of August, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, passing the following resolutions:—

1. That the agreement dated the 1st day of July, 1897, and expressed to be made between this company of the one part and The London and Globe Financial Corporation Limited of the other part, for the sale of this company's mine and water and other rights, and all its property and assets of every kind, with the exceptions therein mentioned, be and the same is hereby approved and ratified.

2. That the directors be and they are hereby authorized to execute all such documents and do all such acts and things as may in their opinion be expedient for carrying out the said sale upon the terms and conditions mentioned in the agreement referred to in the preceding resolution.

Dated at Melbourne the 12th day of July, 1897.

By order of the Board,

JOHN BRANDON, Manager.

NOTE.—A copy of the agreement can be seen by shareholders at any time during office hours at the company's office, North British Chambers, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, and at Finsbury House, Blomfield-street, London Wall, London, E.C. 584

**MUCKLEFORD DEEP LEADS GOLD MINING CO.
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at Sheehan's Kangaroo Hotel, Maldon, on Thursday, the 12th day of August, 1897, at half-past Seven o'clock p.m., for the transaction of the following

Business:

1. To increase the capital of the company.
2. To increase the number of shares.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

J. SOMER, Manager. 658

DUKE UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the company is hereby convened, and will be held on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1897, at half-past Three o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Chalk and Cahir, number 28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

Business:

To elect three directors, to remain in office until the general meeting of the company, to be held in the month of June, 1898.

To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated the 20th day of July, 1897.

J. A. CHALK, Manager. 667

**THE SULEJMAN PASHA MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.**

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company, and the Shareholders therein, will be held at the company's office, No. 7 Lydiard-street, North Ballarat, on Monday, 9th August, 1897, at Eight o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To consider and order on the advisability or otherwise of authorizing the directors to dispose of the company's mine and plant.

2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

J. H. CUNNINGHAM, Manager.

7 Lydiard-street, North Ballarat, 23rd July, 1897. 676

**CAPERTEE KEROSENE SHALE & OIL MINING COY.
LIMITED.**

A GENERAL Meeting of the above company will be held on Friday, the 30th July, 1897, at Eight p.m., in Phair's Hotel, 327 Collins-street.

Business: General.

CHARLES J. ROSS, Manager. 694

**GOLDEN GATE CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY
MATHINNA, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held in the Union Club Hotel, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 10th August, 1897, at Three p.m.

Business:

1. To take into consideration the financial affairs of the company.

2. To receive the manager's statement, and confirm minutes of meeting.

The first Half-yearly Meeting of the company will take place after the above, at half-past Three p.m.

By order of the Directors,

H. CUMING, Manager.

360 Collins-street, Melbourne, 22nd July, 1897. 697

No. 79.—JULY 23, 1897.—5.

**ANGLO SAXON MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
EDJUDINA, W.A.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company will be held on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1897, at half-past Three o'clock in the afternoon, at the registered office of the company, Queen-street, Melbourne, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, of passing the following extraordinary resolutions:—

1. That the capital of the company be increased in such manner as the meeting may decide.

2. That Rule 24 of the company's Rules and Regulations be struck out, and the following Rule substituted therefor:—

"At the general meeting of the company to be held in the month of January, 1898, two directors, to be decided by the directors, and, in case of disagreement, by lot, shall retire and a fresh election take place to fill the vacancies occasioned thereby, and at the general meeting of the company to be held in the month of July, 1898, the three directors who have been longest in office shall retire from office and a fresh election take place, and thereafter in the months of January and July in every succeeding year the two or three members of the directorate who have been longest in office in each alternate half year shall retire and a fresh election take place."

3. That the following new Rule, to be known and designated as Rule number 42A, shall be inserted in the Rules of the company, between Rules 42 and 43:—

"The directors may from time to time make such calls as they think fit, not exceeding Sixpence per share per month, upon the members in respect of all moneys unpaid on the shares held by them respectively."

4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

A. E. GIBSON, Manager.

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**REYNOLDS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Reynolds Gold Mining Company No Liability will be held at 1 Eldon Chambers, Bank-place, Melbourne, on Monday, the 26th day of July, 1897, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the transaction of the following business:—

1. To pass a resolution consenting to and concurring in a resolution passed by the Board of Directors on the 31st day of May, 1897, as follows, namely:—That this company make a further issue of Five hundred shares, which shall be deemed to be fully paid up to One pound per share, and that the same be allotted to the proprietors of the Lease numbered 2528, Gippsland, in consideration of arrangements for partnership and union of interests with such proprietors.

2. To confirm minutes of such meeting.

THOS. SOMMERVILLE, Manager.

419 Bourke-street, Melbourne, 7th July, 1897. 714

GAY STAR COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.

NOTICE.—The Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Board Room, Proll's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1897, at half-past Three p.m.

Business:

To receive and adopt reports and balance-sheets, and elect two auditors for next half-year.

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J. B. DEAN, Manager.

**THE OPHIR GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WEDDERBURN.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company is hereby convened, and will be held at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1897, at half-past Three p.m.

Business:

1. To pass a resolution to write up the 10,000 contributing shares from 11s. 3d. to 20s.

2. To pass a resolution to increase the capital of the company from £40,000 to £50,000 by increasing the amount of shares from £1 to £1 5s. each per share, making all shares contributing to rank alike, and to authorize the directors to take the necessary steps to carry out the same, such increase of capital to be for the purpose of acquiring additional property and raising money to work the mine.

3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

A. CLARENCE-JOHNSTONE, Manager.

338 Collins-street, Melbourne, 13th July, 1897. 727

**LEXINGTON PROPRIETARY COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company is hereby convened, and will be held at the registered office, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 9th day of August, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the transaction of the following business:—

1. To pass a resolution requiring that the company be voluntarily wound up under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.

3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property which may remain after the completion of the winding up.

4. To confirm minutes of meeting.

RICHARD FORD, Manager.

60 Queen-street, Melbourne.

N.B.—At this meeting the directors will submit a scheme for reorganizing the company.

G. Marriott Watson, solicitor, 50 Chancery-lane, Melbourne. 729

THE OPHIR GOLD MINING COY. NO LIABILITY, WEDDERBURN.

THE Third Ordinary Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1897, at Three p.m.

Business:
To receive the directors report and balance-sheet for the half-year ended 30th June, 1897.
General.

A. CLARENCE-JOHNSTONE, Manager.
338 Collins-street, Melbourne, July, 1897. 726

LITTLE COMET GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.

THE Half-yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the above company will be held at the company's office, Bridge-street, Wood's Point, on Saturday, the 31st day of July, 1897, at 8 o'clock p.m., to transact the usual business.

R. S. D. MORGAN, Manager.
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YOU HING QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 2nd) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the above-named company, due and payable on Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1897, at the office of the company, 204 Little Bourke-street, Melbourne.

H. HOY LING, Manager.
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SANDSTONE BOULDER GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—A Call (the 4th) of One penny per share has been made on the contributing shares of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, 11th August, 1897, at the office of the company, Modern Chambers, 317 Collins-street, Melbourne.

C. J. RICHARDSON, Manager.
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Twelfth Schedule.

GIPPSLAND MINES PROPRIETARY COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Gippsland Mines Proprietary Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1896*.

- The name of the company is to be Gippsland Mines Proprietary Company No Liability.
- The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Gippsland.
- The registered office of the company will be situated at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.
- The value of the company's property, including claim, £800.
- The number of shares in the company is Thirty-four (34), of £25 each.
- The number of shares subscribed for is 34.
- The name of the manager is John Leahy.
- The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names, Addresses, and Occupations.	Number of Shares
David Jones, Toorak, stevedore	1
Percy Day, Toorak, woolbroker	1
R. Veun Brown, Sydney, agent	1
J. H. Moore, Sydney, agent	1
T. J. Henley, St. Kilda, investor	1
John Leahy, Melbourne, legal manager	1
John Leahy, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	28
	34
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Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.

JOHN LEAHY, Manager.

Witness to signature—PERCY DAY.

I, JOHN LEAHY, 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.

JOHN LEAHY.
Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 19th day of July, 1897—
G. T. LANGHIDGE, J.P.

MEMORIAL OF REGISTRATION.

The *Companies Act 1890*.—Part II., Division 4, section 309, ss. 1. **I, JOHN LEAHY, of Melbourne, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—**

- I am the manager of the said intended company, to be named the Gippsland Mines Proprietary Company No Liability.
- Five per cent. of the subscribed capital of the said company is at this time paid up.
- 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.

JOHN LEAHY.
Taken before me this 19th day of July, 1897—G. T. LANGRIDGE, J.P. 687

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Renison Bell North Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1896*.

- The name of the company is to be the Renison Bell North Mining Company No Liability.
- The place of intended operations is at North Mount Dundas, Tasmania.
- The registered office of the company will be situated at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.
- The value of the company's property is £16,000.
- The number of shares in the company is 32,000, of Ten shillings each.
- The number of shares subscribed for is 25,000.
- The name of the manager is Arnold S. Burbidge.
- 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
W. Hay Dickson, Melbourne, mining agent	200
J. Feldheim, Melbourne, agent	200
A. Haddow, North Melbourne, merchant	200
G. C. Scott, Melbourne, merchant	200
Arnold S. Burbidge, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	24,200
Arnold S. Burbidge, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for company)	7,000
	32,000

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

Witness to signature—HERBERT HOWSON.

I, ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, 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.

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE.
Taken before me this 22nd day of July, 1897—R. BALDERSON, J.P. 672

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Lord Nelson North Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1896*.

- The name of the company is to be "The Lord Nelson North Gold Mining Company No Liability."
- The place of operations is at St. Arnaud, in the colony of Victoria.
- The registered office of the company will be situated at 409 Collins-street, Melbourne.
- The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is £3,000.
- The number of shares in the company is Thirty-six thousand, of One pound each.
- The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty thousand.
- The name of the manager is Alfred Pfaff.
- 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
Honorable John A. Wallace, M.L.C., Collins-street, Melbourne, gentleman	5,000
Thomas Baker, Bond-street, Abbotsford, manufacturer	2,500
Oscar van Assche, Queen-street, Melbourne, share-broker	500
William Hordern, Queen-street, Melbourne, share-broker	500
Alfred Pfaff, 409 Collins-street, Melbourne, legal manager	1,000
Alfred Pfaff, 409 Collins-street, Melbourne, legal Manager (in trust for shareholders)	20,500
	36,000

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.

ALFRED PFAFF, Manager.

Witness to signature—LUDWIG MARTIN.

I, ALFRED PFAFF, 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.

ALFRED PFAFF.
Taken before me this 22nd day of July, 1897—A. W. FRASER, J.P. 673

Twelfth Schedule.

OCEANA MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Oceana 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 Oceana Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Zeehan, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, Twenty-five thousand pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is One hundred and fifty thousand, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is One hundred thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Arthur Capper Moore.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follow:—

Names, Addresses, and Occupations.	Number of Shares
Sprigg, William Gardiner, Melbourne, accountant	250
Dodds, Henry, Melbourne, gentleman	250
Learmonth, Thomas, St. Kilda, gentleman	250
Campbell, Alexander, Melbourne, mining investor	250
Moore, Thompson, Melbourne, mining investor	250
Moore, Ernest Thompson, Melbourne, Liquidator of the Oceana Proprietary Company Limited	98,750
Moore, Arthur Capper, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for company)	50,000
	150,000

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.

A. CAPPER MOORE, Manager.

Witness to signature—H. McDONNELL.

I, ARTHUR CAPPER MOORE, 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 Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

A. CAPPER MOORE.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 21st day of July, 1897—
JAMES SHACKELL, J.P. 715

Twelfth Schedule.

EMPRESS OF INDIA & HENRY FOSTER CONSOLIDATED GOLD COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Empress of India & Henry Foster Consolidated Gold 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 Empress of India & Henry Foster Consolidated Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Reedy Creek.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 341 Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, Seven hundred and fifty pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is Fifteen thousand, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Fifteen thousand.
7. The name of the manager is John Barnacle.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names, Addresses, and Occupations.	Number of Shares
Palmer, William, miner, Broadford	750
Colban, J. R. W., miner, Broadford	1,150
Balmer, Edward, miner, Reedy Creek	1,300
McLaren, James, manufacturer, Melbourne	1,650
Fenton, J. E., printer, Broadford	950
Ratcliff, E., decorator, Armadale	800
Kurrie, R. P., gentleman, Jumbunna	750
Barnacle, J., accountant, Melbourne (in trust for other shareholders)	7,650
	15,000

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.

J. BARNACLE, Manager.

Witness to signature—DAVID A. LEWIS.

I, JOHN BARNACLE, 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 Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

J. BARNACLE.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 21st day of July, 1897—
WILLIAM BELL, J.P. 700

Twelfth Schedule.

NORTH BLACK HILLS SILVER-LEAD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the North Black Hills Silver-Lead 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 North Black Hills Silver-Lead Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Mount Deddick, East Gippsland.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, £1,500.
5. The number of shares in the company is 2,000 (Two thousand), of One pound each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 2,000.
7. The name of the manager is John Leahy.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names, Addresses, and Occupation.	Number of Shares
David Jones, Toorak, stevedore	100
Henry A. Underwood, Melbourne, accountant	100
Percy Day, Toorak, woolbroker	100
T. J. Henley, St. Kilda, investor	100
John Leahy, Melbourne, legal manager	100
John Leahy, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	1,500
	2,000

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.

JOHN LEAHY, Manager.

Witness to signature—T. J. HENLEY.

I, John Leahy, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am 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 Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

JOHN LEAHY.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 22nd day of July, 1897—
A. W. FRASER, J.P.

The Companies Act 1890, Part II., Div. 4, Sec. 309, Sa. 1.
I, JOHN LEAHY, of 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company, to be named the North Black Hills Silver-Lead Mining Company No Liability.
 2. Five per cent. of the subscribed capital of the said company is at this time paid up.
 3. 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.

JOHN LEAHY.

Taken before me this 22nd day of July, 1897—A. W. FRASER, J.P. 688

YORKSHIRE QUARTZ GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, ELAINE.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 36th call of Threepence per share will be sold by auction, in the Hall of the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 31st July, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon.

G. C. ROBINSON, Manager. 669

31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

NEW HERCULES MINE NO LIABILITY, MOUNT REID, TASMANIA.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 1st call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, on Saturday, the 31st day of July, 1897, at half-past Eleven o'clock a.m.

By order of the Board,
ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager. 670

KANUMBRA GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of 7th call of Threepence per share will be sold by auction, at the Stock Exchange, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 2nd day of August, 1897, at Three p.m., unless previously redeemed.

671 ALFRED PFAFF, Manager.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE GOLD MINING COMPANY, WOOD'S POINT, NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 1st call of One penny per share on the capital of above company will be sold by public auction, by Mr. W. H. Allard, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 2nd August, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

By order of the Board,
A. SCHMEIDT, M.A., Legal Manager.

Stalbridge Chambers, Chancery-lane, 443 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, 21st July, 1897. 695

BONANZA GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 16th and previous calls of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 31st July, 1897, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless such calls be previously paid.

RICHARD FORD, Manager.
60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 723

ROCKY RIVER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WEST COAST, TASMANIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of 19th and previous calls will be sold by public auction, at the office of the company, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 31st July, 1897, at quarter-past Twelve p.m., unless such calls be previously paid.—

Nos. 100,001 to 200,000 inclusive.
RICHARD FORD, Manager.
60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 725

In the Court of Mines for the Mining District of Beechworth at Chiltern.—In the matter of the WAGANTAH GOLD MINING COMPANY No Liability, and in the matter of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Lynne Wharton, the liquidator of the above-named company, has prepared a schedule showing the realized amount of the assets and the liabilities of the said company, the amount of moneys available for the claims in the matter of the winding up and the proposed plan of distribution thereof, and that the said schedule is open in the office of the liquidator, number 359 Collins-street, Melbourne, and at the office of the undersigned Hamilton, Wynne, and Riddell, number 421 Collins-street aforesaid, for inspection by the contributories to, and creditors of, the company, and that the claims mentioned in the schedule will, after the lapse of fourteen days from the publication of this notice, be paid at the office of the said liquidator.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.
HAMILTON, WYNNE, & RIDDELL, 421 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the liquidator. 696

DON'S REWARD G. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BLUEY'S CREEK.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Howell Hodgson has been appointed manager, vice W. Christensen resigned, and the office of the company is situated in Dav-street, Omeo.

(SEAL) E. P. MARGRETTES, } Directors.
ROBT. MCCOY, }
Omeo, 17th July, 1897. 663

NORTH BERRY PROPRIETARY G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above-named company has been removed from 382 Collins-street, Melbourne to Albert-street, Creswick.

(SEAL) E. VERRY, } Directors.
JOHN MURRAY, }
675

RUSSELLS REEF AMALGAMATED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) HENRY HICK, } Directors.
HENRY HILL, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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SOUTH RUSSELLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. WATSON, } Directors.
B. D. SMITH, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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No. 1 SOUTH RUSSELLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. WATSON, } Directors.
HENRY HILL, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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MCCRACKEN'S FREEHOLD GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. WATSON, } Directors.
B. D. SMITH, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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EGYPTIAN QUARTZ AND ALLUVIAL GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. WATSON, } Directors.
HENRY HILL, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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NORTH LOCH FYNE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) B. D. SMITH, } Directors.
H. J. CHICK, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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SOUTH LOCH FYNE EXTENDED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from Imperial Chambers, Bank-place, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) B. D. SMITH, } Directors.
C. G. MEEHAN, }
JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
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DOWLING FOREST ESTATE GOLD FIELDS COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 373 Collins-street, Melbourne, to 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.

(SEAL) A. E. MOORE, } Directors.
E. A. PARRY, }
B. D. SMITH, Legal Manager.
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Insolvency Notices.

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—In the Court of Insolvency, Western District, Stawell.—In the matter of HARRY LEADER ALLARD, of Callawadda, farmer, an insolvent.

THE above-named Harry Leader Allard intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Stawell, on Tuesday, the 17th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and a dispensation of the condition mentioned in section 139 of the said Act.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1897.
WILLIAM LINDSAY, Patrick-street, Stawell, solicitor for insolvent. 640

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—In the Court of Insolvency at Horsham.—In the matter of JAMES BALL the younger, of Pimpino, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, an insolvent.

THE above-named James Ball the younger intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Horsham, on the 18th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for an order dispensing with the condition mentioned in section 139 of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the said Act.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.
JAMES BALL, JUN. 646

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—In the Court of Insolvency at Horsham.—In the matter of ALBERT JOHN BALL, of Pimpino, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, an insolvent.

THE above-named Albert John Ball intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Horsham, on the 18th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for an order dispensing with the condition mentioned in section 139 of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the said Act.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.
ALBERT JOHN BALL. 647

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Horsham.—In the matter of RONALD KIEFEL, of Natimuk, in the colony of Victoria, hairdresser and tobacconist, an insolvent.

THE above-named Ronald Kiefel intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, on the 18th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as such application may be heard, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1897.
J. WELDON POWER, solicitor for the insolvent, Horsham. 650

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of RICHARD NEAL, of Jallukar, in the colony of Victoria, farmer, an insolvent.

THE above-named Richard Neal intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Stawell, on the 17th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock a.m., for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

RICHARD NEAL. 659

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of JOHN MCGEE, of Stawell, in the colony of Victoria, an insolvent.

THE above-named John McGee intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Stawell, on the 17th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock a.m., for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

JOHN MCGEE. 660

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—The Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of SAMUEL LYTCHGOE CHAPMAN, of South Yarra, licensed victualler.

FIRST and Final Dividend will be payable at my office, 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, on and after Wednesday, 21st July, 1897.

F. W. DANBY, Trustee. 702

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of **WALTER SLINGO JAGO**, of 32 Cromorne-street, Richmond, butcher's assistant.

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne, on Friday, the 13th day of August, 1897, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.
WALTER SLINGO JAGO, the above-named insolvent, 32 Cromorne-street, Richmond, 23rd July, 1897. 668

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Shepparton.—In the matter of **JOHN JAMES HEHR**, of Shepparton, in the colony of Victoria, butcher and stockdealer.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by a resolution of the creditors assembled at the general meeting of creditors in this estate, held at Shepparton on the 15th day of July instant, I, the undersigned, **Thomas James Davey**, of 9 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, incorporated accountant, was elected to fill the office of trustee of the property and estate of the said insolvent; and such election has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the said insolvent must deliver them up to me, and all debts due to the insolvent must be paid to me. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to me, at the offices of the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. DAVEY, Trustee.
Davey, Flack, and Co., incorporated accountants, 9 Queen-street, Melbourne. 691

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of **ALEXANDER WHITE**, 14 Western Market, Melbourne, wholesale fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by a resolution of creditors assembled at a general meeting of creditors in this estate, held at Melbourne in the colony aforesaid, on the 19th day of July, 1897, I, the undersigned **Thomas James Davey**, of No. 9 Queen-street, Melbourne, incorporated accountant, was elected to fill the office of trustee of the estate and property of the said insolvent, and such election has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the said insolvent must deliver them up to me, and all debts due to the insolvent must be paid to me. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to me on or before the 5th day of August, 1897.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.

THOMAS J. DAVEY, Trustee.
Davey, Flack, and Co., incorporated accountants, 9 Queen-street, Melbourne. 692

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne, Central District.—In the estate of **LOUIS WILTON PERRETT**, of No. 21 Charlotte-street, Collingwood, in the colony of Victoria, collector.

THE above-named **Louis Wilton Perrett** intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Melbourne, on the 13th day of August, 1897, at the hour of half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and for an order that the condition mentioned in section 139 of the said Act be dispensed with.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1897.

698 **LOUIS W. PERRETT**, the above-named insolvent.

Notice under Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of **THOMAS LESTER REDDICK**, trading as "Reddick Bros.," of High-street, Echuca, in the colony of Victoria, tinsmith and plumber.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by a resolution of the creditors assembled at the general meeting of creditors held at the Court of Insolvency, Echuca, on the 12th day of July, 1897, I, the undersigned **John Herbert Butler**, of 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, accountant, was appointed to fill the office of trustee of the property of the above-named insolvent, and such appointment has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the insolvent must deliver them to me. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to me, at the office of Messieurs Danby, Butler, and Co., accountants and trade assignees, 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1897.

J. H. BUTLER, Trustee.
Danby, Butler, and Co., accountants and trade assignees. 703

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of **THOMAS PATRICK MCCARTHY**, of Florence-street, Williamstown, in the colony of Victoria, grainer, an insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Examination Sitting of the Court will be held in the above estate on Monday, the 26th day of July, 1897, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Insolvency Court, Law Courts, William-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.

ROBERT C. ANDERSON, Assignee.
H. W. Hunt, 317 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the assignee. 708

The Insolvency Act 1890.—The Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of **SAMUEL** and **WILLIAM MAKEHAM**, of Hodgkinson, merchants, trading as Makeham Bros.

SECOND and **Final** Dividend will be payable at my office, 66 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, on and after Wednesday, 28th July, 1897.

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F. W. DANBY, Trustee.

The Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Horsham.—In the matter of **ANDREW JACK**, of Murtoa, in the colony of Victoria, commission agent, an insolvent.

THE above-named **Andrew Jack** intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Horsham on the 18th day of August, 1897, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and that the condition of section 139 of the said Act be dispensed with.

O. W. SAWYER, Murtoa, solicitor for the said insolvent. 744

In the Court of Insolvency at Hamilton.—In the estate of **LEONARD ROBINSON**, of Hamilton, in the colony of Victoria, doctor of medicine, insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of creditors of the above-named insolvent, held at the Court House, at Hamilton, on Thursday, the 15th July instant, I, the undersigned, **Edward Henry Atkinson**, of Hamilton, accountant, was duly elected trustee of the estate of the said insolvent.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1897.

E. H. ATKINSON,
Louis Horwitz, Thomson-street, Hamilton, solicitor for trustee. 747

Impoundings.

ARARAT.—Impounded at Ararat Shire Pound, 16th July, 1897, by Mr. Charles Sinnott, Concongella South.

458. Bay mare, white face, blotched brand near shoulder, saddle marked, small lump near fore foot

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

653—4/8

F. B. GIBSON,
Poundkeeper.

AVOCA.—Impounded at Avoca, 15th July, 1897.

1 dark-brindle and white steer, piece out bottom off ear, Q off rump, four years old.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

739—4/1

JAMES BATCHELOR,
Poundkeeper.

BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat City Pound.

1 brown cobby pony (horse), saddle marked, star, like π over M off shoulder, near hind heel white, shod

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

666—4/1

C. D. CADDEN,
Poundkeeper.

BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat Shire Pound.

1 roan cow, like MC near rump
1 red and white heifer, G off rump
1 brindle and white heifer
1 red heifer, few white spots, H off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

733—5/3

GEO. BROWN,
Poundkeeper.

BERWICK.—Impounded at Berwick Shire Pound, by **M. McCormack**.

1 bay or brown spring-cart mare, running star, square cut tail, branded like C near shoulder
1 black filly foal, near fore foot and both hind feet white, no visible brand, progeny of above
1 brown filly, star, streak, and snip, no visible brand, apparently unbroken

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 13th August, 1897.

656—7/

ALFRED CHALK,
Poundkeeper.

BEVERIDGE.—Impounded at Beveridge.

1 red cow, notch out of near ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th August, 1897.

740—3/6

R. THANE,
Poundkeeper.

CARAMUT.—Impounded at Caramut, by **D. J. Hassett**.

1 black pony mare, PD near shoulder
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If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th August, 1897.

721—4/1

MARTIN HASSETT,
Poundkeeper.

CARLSRUHE.—Impounded at Carlsruhe, 18th July, 1897, by Inspector Ward.

1 bay mare, white face, hind feet white, hump, off front foot little white, saddle marked

On 19th July, by Mr. E. Brister.

1 yellow-roan heifer calf, like Δ off rump
1 red and white bull calf, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

657—6/5

WILLIAM MURPHY,
Poundkeeper.

COBDEN.—Impounded at Cobden, 16th July, 1897, by the Herdsman.

2 red heifers, white faces, like Γ off rump, notch in off ear
1 white heifer, S off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

641—4/8

WM. RYDER,
Poundkeeper.

COBURG.—Impounded at Coburg, 10th July, 1897.

1 bay horse, fetlock enlarged, blotch brand near shoulder
1 brown or black horse, like K off shoulder
1 dark-roan horse, Γ near shoulder
1 light-roan horse, star, broken knees, JB near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

736—5/3

J. BUZAGLO,
Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick Shire Pound.

1 roan bull calf, owner Pollard
1 bay horse, hind feet white, star, M off shoulder, like R off rump

1 black and white cow, like Γ off rump
1 brown mare, owner Mrs. Torney

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

720—6/5

WM. CANE,
Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick Shire Pound.

1 roan bull calf, owner Pollard

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th August, 1897.

648—3/6

WM. CANE,
Poundkeeper.

DANDENONG.—Impounded at Dandenong.

1 red and white spotted heifer, about 2 years old, H near rump, fresh branded

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

752—4/1

PHILIP O'BRIEN,
Poundkeeper.

GOULBURN.—Impounded at Goulburn Shire Pound, by Mr. Muller.

1 strawberry cow, branded C near rump, piece out under part of off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

743—4/8

J. MELBOURNE,
Poundkeeper.

HORSHAM.—Impounded at Horsham, 14th July, 1897, by the Town Ranger.—Trespass 3d.

1 chestnut horse, hack, near hind foot white, shod, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 13th August, 1897.

738—4/8

JOHN HEALEY,
Poundkeeper.

INGLEWOOD.—Impounded at Inglewood, by Mr. Slone.

2 red heifer calves, half of near ear cut off, no visible brand
1 speckled steer calf, blotch off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th August, 1897.

735—4/1

PHILIP DAWSON,
Poundkeeper.

JEPARIT.—Impounded at Jeparit, 16th July.

1 black mare, hack, like M near shoulder
1 chestnut hack, like S off shoulder

1 bay hack, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th August, 1897.

649—5/3

JOHN HAMILL,
Poundkeeper.

KORUMBURRA.—Impounded at Korumburra, by Henry Sanders, jun., Whitelaw, near Korumburra.

1 red heifer, white spots on rump, shoulder, and forehead, like A or N off rump, U on off back

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st July, 1897.

652—4/8

ROBERT LITTLE,
Poundkeeper.

LANCEFIELD.—Impounded at Lancefield Shire Pound, 17th July, 1897, by S. Johnston, Nulla.

1 grey mare, like C or G near shoulder
1 dark-bay pony mare, star, like D near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

718—4/8

JOHN WATERLAND,
Poundkeeper.

LARA.—Impounded at Lara, on 16th July, 1897.

1 red and white steer, white mark down back and tail, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 10th August, 1897.

664—4/1

A. E. TEESDALE,
Poundkeeper.

MALDON.—Impounded at Maldon Shire Pound.

1 brown mare, hack, branded C on off shoulder

1 brown mare, hack, branded C on off shoulder, hind fetlock injured

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

635—5/10

PETER BYRNE,
Poundkeeper.

MOIRA.—Impounded at Lower Moira, by W. Coupar.

1 strawberry steer, slit under near ear, no visible brand
1 strawberry heifer, blotched K near rump, slit both ears

1 strawberry heifer, O in off ear, Γ off rump
1 white heifer, no visible brand

1 red and white cow, L Γ near rump, slit near ear
1 roan cow, indescrutable brand off rump, hoop horns

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 13th August, 1897.

645—6/5

JOHN MIDDLETON,
Poundkeeper.

MOORABBIN.—Impounded at Moorabbin Shire Pound, by John Butler, inspector.

214. Red cow, horns cut short
216. Light-yellow cow, white and yellow head

By Chas. Hayes.
217. Bay horse, unshod, JD conjoined off shoulder, hind feet white

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.

729—6/5

EWEN McSWAIN,
Poundkeeper.

MOUNT MORIAC.—Impounded at Mount Moriac, 12th July, by J. Berryman.

1 black heifer, white belly, no visible brand
1 yellow and white heifer, branded like P on rump

1 black heifer, no visible brand
1 red and white heifer, no visible brand

On 15th July.
1 yellow and white heifer, no visible brand
1 red heifer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th August, 1897.

748—7/7

THOMAS JOHNS,
Poundkeeper.

MOUNT ROUSE.—Impounded at Mount Rouse Shire Pound, Penhurst, 20th July, 1897, from Penhurst Common, by the herdsman.

1 roan steer, white on forehead and belly, top and front notch near ear, back slit off ear, like J near rump

On 21st July, from Devon Park Estate.
1 red and white bald-faced steer, no visible brand

1 red and white heifer, mottled face, like JR conjoined off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.

750—7/

ALEX. KENNEDY,
Poundkeeper.

NEWSTEAD.—Impounded at Newstead Shire Pound.

1 red and white bull calf, white on face and belly, no visible brand

1 yellow heifer calf, notch near ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th August, 1897.

630—4/8

W. W. WHITCHER,
Poundkeeper.

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley, 18th July, 1897, by G. M. Lang.
197. Red and white steer, slit in off ear, top off near ear, JL near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
749—4/8 J. R. KENNEDY,
Poundkeeper.

PORT FAIRY.—Impounded at Port Fairy Borough Pound, by S. T. Avey.
1 grey horse, branded O off shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th August, 1897.
751—4/1 JOSEPH KEATES,
Poundkeeper.

ROKEWOOD.—Impounded at Rokewood.
1 cross-bred wether, back notch off ear
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
753—3/6 THOMAS SCOTT,
Poundkeeper.

RUTHERGLEN.—Impounded at Rutherglen Shire Pound, 17th July, 1897, by Mr. T. O'Dea.
1 chestnut horse, star, saddle marked, YB near shoulder
1 bay mare, light breed, strips down face, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
730—4/8 R. TURNER,
Poundkeeper.

SALE.—Impounded at Sale, 12th July, 1897, by Mr. W. Pearson, Kilmarnock Park.
1 cow, red and white face, blotch brands near and off ribs, piece out under near ear
Same date, by E. Watt, for Messrs. Mathieson and Davis.
1 red steer, like K off rump, slit off ear
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th August, 1897.
642—5/10 C. M. LEAN,
Poundkeeper.

SHEPPARTON.—Impounded at Shepparton.
1 red and white heifer, faint brand near ribs
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th August, 1897.
731—3/6 CHAS. DUDLEY,
Poundkeeper.

SWAN HILL.—Impounded at Swan Hill.
1 brown gelding, star forehead, branded J in circle near shoulder, off hip down
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.
741—4/1 THOS. PYE,
Poundkeeper.

TALBOT.—Impounded at Talbot Shire Pound, 16th July, 1897.
1 dark-brown horse, star, off hind fetlock white, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
734—4/1 D. M. McINTOSH,
Acting Poundkeeper.

TARALGON.—Impounded at Taralgon, 18th July, 1897, by E. Crinnigan, of Morwell.
1 red heifer, branded like M near rump, notch cut out of bottom side near ear, white spot on belly
1 brown alderney heifer notch cut out of point off ear, white spots on flanks, rump, hips, and ribs, no visible brand
1 brown alderney heifer, notch cut out of point off ear, white spots on jaws, no visible brand
1 red and white speckled heifer, indescribable brand near rump, notch cut of point off ear
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
737—8/2 JAS. BOYD,
Poundkeeper.

TYLDEN.—Impounded at Tylden, 21st July, 1897, by Mr. T. W. Schooling.
1 medium draught bay mare, young, had sore shoulders, rough coat, shod front feet, hind feet white, white spot on back, and blaze down face
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
654—5/3 CHAS. F. SWINBURNE,
Poundkeeper.

VIOLET TOWN.—Impounded at Violet Town, by Thos. Treahy.
1 red heifer, white face, point off near ear, no visible brand
1 red cow, white flanks, swallow, point off both ears, like JT near rump, blotch off loin
1 yellow heifer, no visible brand
1 white steer, red ears, no visible brand
1 white steer, red ears, near ear slit, like DH near ribs
1 spotted heifer, no visible brand
1 red heifer, swallow off ear, no visible brand
1 red cow, white spots, point off off ear, blotch off loin, like M off ribs
1 yellow cow, white belly and tail, point off off ear, like O off loin, like M (indistinct) off ribs
1 brown alderney bull, no visible brand
1 spotted steer, key-hole mark off ear, no visible brand
1 roan heifer, back notch off off ear, no visible brand
1 red cow, back quarter off off ear, like WP off rump, blotch off loin
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
651—13/5 W. T. ROBINSON,
Poundkeeper.

WARRACKNABEAL.—Impounded at Warracknabeal, 17th July, by M. T. Tracey, from Cannum.
1 bay mare, hack, rising four years old, star on forehead, white snip on nose, W on near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th August, 1897.
732—4/8 WM. GARDINER,
Poundkeeper.

WARRONG.—Impounded at Warrong.
6 heifer calves, red and white, near ears marked
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold 11th August, 1897.
754—3/6 PATRICK KAVANAGH,
Poundkeeper.

WATCHEM.—Impounded at Watchem, by Mr. Woods.
1 black and white bull, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th August, 1897.
719—3/6 E. J. GLOWREY,
Poundkeeper.

WERRIBEE.—Impounded from Sewage Farm, 14th July.
1 dark grey horse, black points, branded like WF off shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 9th August, 1897.
742—3/6 D. CANNY,
Poundkeeper.

YARRAWONGA.—Impounded at Yarrawonga Shire Pound, by C. Chappel, Pelluebla.
1 red steer, white on back, belly, and head, piece out of back of off ear, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th August, 1897.
717—4/8 J. C. LOWE,
Poundkeeper.

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July 22.—J. Boyd	0 7 6
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