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PUBLIC AND BANK HOLIDAYS.

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 Part VI. of the *Public Service Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1133), in Part III. of the *Banks and Currency Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1164), and in the *Public and Bank Holidays Act 1897* (61 Vict. No. 1534), I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do by this my Proclamation appoint the days and dates hereunder mentioned to be observed as Public Holidays or Bank Holidays (as the case may be) at the places respectively specified, viz. :—

THURSDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF JANUARY INSTANT,
as a Bank Holiday at Wycheproof;

MONDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF JANUARY INSTANT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the Shire of Colac* and as a Bank Holiday at Birchip;

WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the West Riding of the Shire of Leigh, as a Public Half-Holiday, from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, throughout the Town of Geelong,* and as a Bank Half-Holiday, from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, at Geelong, Rochester, and Rokewood;

WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND, AND FRIDAY, THE 4TH, DAYS OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as Public Holidays throughout the Shire of Alberton; *

TUESDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Bank Holiday at Kaniva;

WEDNESDAY, THE 9TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Bank Holiday at Minyip;

THURSDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the Borough of Queenscliff* and the Shire of Moorabbin;

FRIDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the Borough of Oakleigh;

SATURDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the Shire of Wyndham;

WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Bank Holiday at Castlemaine;

MONDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT,
as a Public Holiday throughout the Shire of Wallhalla.

* For races.

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

No. 6.—JANUARY 21, 1898.—1.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT VICTORIA.

IT is hereby notified that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JANUARY INSTANT, the Public Offices will be closed, that day being appointed by the *Public and Bank Holidays Act 1897* to be observed as a Public Holiday throughout Victoria.

Chief Secretary's Office, 21st January, 1898.
A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

CONSUL-GENERAL FOR FRANCE.

WITH reference to the notification which was published in the *Government Gazette* of the 14th May, 1897, relative to the transaction by Monsieur Maistro, Vice-Consul for France, of the business of the office of the Consul-General for France, during the absence from the colony of

Monsieur DEJARDIN, Consul-General for France, the Governor now directs it to be notified that Monsieur Dejardin has returned to Melbourne and resumed charge of his office.

Premier's Office, Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.
GEORGE TURNER,
Premier.

CERTIFICATION OF ACCOUNTS.

ACT. No. 1066.—GENERAL REGULATIONS RESPECTING PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, CLAUSE 31.

PURSUANT to Clause 31 of the General Regulations respecting Public Accounts, the Governor in Council has authorized

THE UNDER-TREASURER
to certify accounts under the *Berry Annuity Act 1897* (61 Vict. No. 1535).

The Treasury, Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.
GEORGE TURNER,
Treasurer.

PAYMENT OF RENEWAL PREMIUMS ON GUARANTEE POLICIES.

OFFICERS in the Public Service are reminded that the Renewal Premiums on Guarantee Policies held by the Government on their behalf became due at the end of the past month. Any omission to make payment of the premiums will, on its being reported, be attended by the stoppage of the salary of the officer in default until notice of the payment of the premium shall have been received.

The Treasury, Melbourne, 4th January, 1898.
H. W. MEAKIN,
Under-Treasurer.

Fire Brigades Act 1890.

PERMISSION FOR FIRE BRIGADES' DEMONSTRATION.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 64 of the *Fire Brigades Act 1890*, the Country Fire Brigades Board has granted permission to hold a Fire Brigades' Demonstration at Warnambool, on the 8th, 9th, and 10th days of March, 1898, subject to the regulations made thereunder.

J. N. STEVENS,
Secretary Country Fire Brigades Board.
Offices of the Board, Melbourne,
14th January, 1898.

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION.
NON-CLERICAL DIVISION.

THE following Candidates have duly passed the examination for the above Division, held on the 18th December, 1897 :-

Order of Merit.	—	Marks.
<i>Foresters.</i>		
1	Grainger, A. W.	406
2	Davey, H. W.	390
3	Paterson, J. C.	383
4	Dixon, H. S.	346
5	Brocklebank, J. G.	315
6	Bradbury, H.	294
7	Jones, T. H.	270
<i>Asylum Attendants.</i>		
1	Mathews, W. A.	478
2	Smith, A. J.	473
3	Lynch, Michl.	472
4	Ryan, C.	469
5	Duckett, J.	459
6	Danaher, D. K.	453
7	Haves, Michl.	443
8	Hockridge, F. C.	440
9	Sweeney, T. J.	438
10	Hocking, S.	434
11	Rider, W. H.	431
12	Mayer, A.	430
13	Plumstead, M. D.	426
14	Rutherford, Geo.	425
15	O'Brien, H.	424
16	Byrne, John	423
17	Sheehy, J.	420
18	McVitty, Geo.	417
19	Nance, E. W.	417
20	Fenton, M. P. H.	417
21	Landale, H.	416
22	Dick, J. L.	415
23	Harnetty, Jas.	413
24	Clayton, W. H.	413
25	McGuigan, John	407
26	Alannix, D. P.	407
27	Connellan, J. P.	406
28	Maguire, T. J.	404
29	McCaffrey, T. P.	402
30	Head, R. C.	396
31	Lucas, Wm.	393
32	Swete, R. A.	391
33	O'Loughlin, P. P.	388
34	Mannix, T. J.	385
35	Farguer, Alexr.	382
36	O'Shea, J. M.	381
37	Mithen, A. J.	379
38	Newman, T. F.	378
39	Hume, W. D.	377
40	Deacon, R. J.	376
41	Coakley, T. D.	376
42	Wallace, R. F.	372
43	Smith, A.	372
44	Graham, Isaac	368
45	Lee, M. O'D.	367
46	Bandewig, M. J. J.	367
47	Gracy, H.	366
48	English, J. W.	365
49	Meyer, H.	363
50	Hume, Geo.	360
51	Shewlin, E.	358
52	Dowling, W.	358
53	Murphy, R.	351
54	Gannell, E. H. T.	349
55	Ahern, Thos.	345
56	Christie, A. C.	341
57	Smith, M. A.	340
58	Moran, P. H.	339
59	Lacey, W. S. A.	339
60	Inkster, J. M.	336
61	Farrell, T. P.	335
62	Ellis, S. T.	334
63	Foley, Michl.	332
64	Desmond, M. P.	332
65	Walsh, J. C.	328
66	Portingale, G. E.	327
67	Kehoe, P.	326
68	McGuinness, H.	323
69	Ruff, E.	321
70	Lindley, F. F.	318
71	Bryan, F. P.	314
72	Robson, G. J. R.	314
73	Healy, B.	314
74	McGann, A. T.	310
75	Mann, Wm.	309
76	Vance, John	309
77	Humphreys, J. A.	299
78	May, A.	295
79	Baben, John	287
80	Muir, M. H.	286
81	O'Leary, T.	285
82	Walle, F. J.	285
83	Whelan, P. A.	284
84	Calnin, Jas.	281
85	Pawcett, John	281
86	Corlass, A.	280

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION—continued.

Order of Merit.	—	Marks.	
<i>Asylum Attendants—continued.</i>			
87	Cowcher, J. J.	275	
88	Finlan, J. P.	274	
89	Coughlan, W.	269	
90	McNamara, J. B.	267	
91	Smith, G. T.	260	
92	Buckley, W. F.	254	
<i>Officers in Service (Male).</i>			
	Marks.	Marks.	
Allen, F.	356	Massey, J. S.	420
Angwin, J. H.	360	Michell, Thos.	346
		Middleton, Chas.	273
Barry, W. J. K.	378	Mills, A. T.	359
Beeden, H. J.	397	Mullany, T. M.	268
Bourke, W. J.	304	Murphy, T. H.	348
Bridge, Wm.	387		
Broughton, T.	368	McCarthy, M. J.	272
Brown, F. A. P.	394	McGregor, W. F.	307
		McGuinness, P. P. F.	345
Cahill, John	303	McKellar, A. A. B.	413
Cain, J.	331	MacKinlay, W.	345
Catlin, G. H.	325		
Cooper, C. H.	350	Osborne, R. A.	357
Corry, L.	301		
Cox, G.	301	Padgen, A.	315
Davey, W. B.	350	Phillips, W. T.	375
Dempsey, J. E.	359	Planck, R. A.	336
Downing, A. W.	331	Price, Jas.	323
Dunk, J. A.	275		
Ellison, W. A.	387	Roberts, H. V.	306
Elsun, S. F.	360	Roots, W. H.	352
		Rowland, D.	321
Ficinus, A. G.	272	Schafer, C. T.	292
Gallagher, B. P.	326	Scott, A. R.	373
Gilbert, A.	290	Shaw, W. R.	351
Green, E. G.	350	Stephens, T. A.	333
Griffiths, T. W.	309	Stewart, C.	416
Griffiths, W.	282	Stewart, H. H.	398
		Sweeney, J. J.	274
Hamilton, F. M. J.	261		
Hammerberg, C. E.	308	Tate, W. H.	391
Hand, John	375	Thompson, T. J.	371
Healy, D.	312	Tighe, T. J.	297
Henshaw, T.	313	Tinney, A. F.	362
Holloway, W. H.	322	Tyers, W. A.	424
Jellett, F. E.	389	Wingfield, R. J.	433
Johnston, P. C.	393	Wright, G. A.	305
Jones, H. H.	460		
<i>Officers in Service (Females).</i>			
Barbour, Minnie W.	411	Mateo, Eliza J.	381
Byrne, Margt.	395	McManus, Cath.	304
Job, Eliza	410	Tulloch, Jane	399
Kitchen, Mary E.	393		
<i>Defences and Discipline Act.</i>			
Treize, J. P.	421	Coe, E. W.	337
Keck, A. H.	409	Dusting, Geo.	332
Prideaux, Geo.	335	Pierce, Jas.	308
Masters, C. J.	395	Codner, W. G.	288
McMahon, T. W.	383	Eastgate, W. G.	288
Rae, Hy.	382	Foy, Thos.	277
Roche, Wm.	380	Curtis, A. G.	262
Rourke, J. J.	348	Monck, Louis	260
Woods, A. S.	338	Regan, J. E.	253

By order,
Public Service Board,
20th January, 1898.
J. D. MERSON,
For Secretary.

CARPENTER AND ATTENDANT, NATIONAL MUSEUM.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Monday, the 31st January instant, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service, for the position of Carpenter and Attendant, National Museum, Chief Secretary's Department.

Yearly rate of pay—Minimum, £102; maximum, £126. Regular increments are not provided for.

The hours of duty are from Eight a.m. till Five p.m. throughout the year, excepting on Sundays, Good Friday, and Christmas Day—holidays being allowed in lieu of public holidays at such times as may be found convenient to the museum. The duties are to dust and clean glass and woodware of cases; to share with the attendant the work of keeping records of visitors; to exercise diligent supervision over visitors; to make and repair cases, stands, and boxes; to do such carpenter's and joiner's work and french polishing as may be required; and generally to obey and carry out instructions. The person selected must be a practical tradesman for carpenter's and joiner's work; and, in view of the responsibilities of the position, it is essential that a person of sober habits and good character and address should be selected.

The officer selected may be transferred at his present rate of pay.

By order,
Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 10th January, 1898.
FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Acts.

TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES.

THE Public Service Board, in pursuance of the powers contained in section 27 of the *Public Service Act 1893* and section 59 of the *Public Service Act 1890*, makes the following Regulation determining the scale or amount to be paid to the undermentioned officer, and submits the same for the approval of the Governor in Council:—

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Name of Officer.	Position.	Yearly Rate.
W. J. Cother	District Inspector of Stock, 4th Class, Geelong	£ 100

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

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 14th January, 1898.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Public Service Acts.

TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES.

THE Public Service Board, in pursuance of the powers contained in section 27 of the *Public Service Act 1893* and section 59 of the *Public Service Act 1890*, makes the following Regulation determining the scale or amount to be paid to the undermentioned officer, and submits the same for the approval of the Governor in Council:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Name of Officer.	Rate.
Health Officer and Superintendent, Quarantine Station, Point Nepean	14s. per day

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

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 31st December, 1897.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council

EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES AS MUNICIPAL SURVEYORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ninetieth (90th) Examination of Candidates for Certificates of "Competency" or "Qualification" under the Local Government Acts, will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th February.

Candidates must give notice not later than the 7th February of intention to appear at examination.

T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary Municipal Surveyors' Board.

Department of Public Works
(Local Government Branch),
Melbourne, 21st January, 1898.

VOTE FOR FENCING CEMETERIES.

NOTICE is hereby given that, with a view to the distribution of the vote of £100 for 1897-8 for fencing cemeteries, all applications for aid from this vote should, in order to be considered, be forwarded, addressed to me, not later than the 28th February next.

Every application should be accompanied by a detailed statement of the manner in which it is proposed to spend any grant which may be made, of the extent to which the grant will be supplemented by local contributions, and of the balance in hand of the trustees.

No grant will be made to any cemetery where the trustees have not complied with the provisions of section 32 of the *Cemeteries Act 1890* (as to furnishing accounts).

J. W. COLVILLE,
Secretary Board of Public Health.

Public Health Department,
Melbourne, 12th January, 1898.

CHILD'S BODY FOUND IN THE CYCLORAMA YARD, FITZROY.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS on Saturday, the 20th November last, the dead body of a male child, wrapped in a towel and brown paper, was found in the Cyclorama yard, Fitzroy: And whereas at an inquest it was shown that death had been caused by suffocation, and a verdict of Wilful Murder was returned against some person or persons unknown: Notice is hereby given that a Reward of Fifty pounds will be paid by the Government for information which will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the murderer or murderers.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 18th January, 1898.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—NEW ZEALAND.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Marine Department, Wellington, is published for general information.

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

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 17th January, 1898.

(Extract from *New Zealand Gazette*, 6th January, 1898.)

[Notice to Mariners, No. 1 of 1898.]

STEWART ISLAND, PATERSON INLET—SUNKEN ROCKY PATCH, CODFISH ISLAND; ALSO SUNKEN ROCK, KAIPIPI BAY.

CODFISH ISLAND.—A rocky patch extending over an area of 60 feet, carrying 3 feet of water at low tide, lies one-third of a mile off shore on the south-east side of the island.

From this danger High Rock bears N.E. by N., distant 1 mile.

KAIPIPI BAY.—A pinnacle rock, carrying 3½ fathoms of water at low tide, with deep water all round, lies 1½ cables' length to the eastward of the point on the south side of the bay.

Caution.—Vessels should not attempt to pass on the inside of either of these dangers.

NOTE.—All bearings are correct magnetic, and the soundings are calculated for low-water springs.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2553 and 2541; New Zealand Pilot, Chapter VIII., pages 340 and 348.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th January, 1898.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, is published for general information.

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

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 14th January, 1898.

PORT ADELAIDE BEACONS.

MASTERS of vessels and others are cautioned against damaging (by collision or otherwise) the electric light beacons in the Port Adelaide River, for which offence they are liable to a penalty of £100. A reward of £5 is also offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of the offenders.

THOS. N. STEPHENS,
President Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 20th December, 1897.

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works having made sewers for carrying off the sewage from each and every property which, or any part of which, abuts on the streets or parts of streets in which such sewers are laid, and which are included within the sewerage area hereinafter described, doth hereby declare that on and after the 21st day of February, 1898, each and every property which, or any part of which, abuts on the said streets or parts of streets shall be deemed to be a sewerage property within the meaning of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Acts 1897.

The sewerage area hereinbefore referred to is—

SEWERAGE AREA No. 5.

Melbourne.—The area bounded by Flinders-street, Spring-street, Evelyn-street, Albert-street, Gisborne-street, Victoria-parade south, Spring-street, Victoria-street, Rathdown-street, Grattan-street, Berkley-street, Pelham-street, Peel-street, Victoria-street, Hawke-street, Railway-place, Dudley-street, Adderley-street, Latrobe-street, and Spencer-street.

By order of the Board,

E. G. FITZ GIBBON, Chairman.
GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

Office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
501 Collins-street, Melbourne, 18th January, 1898.

January 21, 1898.

DEPARTMENT OF MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

THE undermentioned Teachers have been appointed to the following vacancies, advertised on the 10th December, 1897.

Education Office,
21st January, 1898.

JAMES BAGGE,
Secretary for Public Instruction.

School.			Teacher.	
No.	Name.	Position.	Name.	Classification.
957	Walhalla	Head Teacher	John T. Burke	IV., 1, 14
957	Walhalla	1st Female Assistant	Elizabeth M. Smyth	V., 1, 49,
487	Myrionong	Head Teacher	Mary Parmenter	V., 3, 36
540	Rochford	"	Edward W. Smith	VI., 1, 9
972	Cobaw	"	Alice E. Hood	VIII., 7
1380	Winchelsea Plains	"	Alice E. Meagher	VIII., 53
1547	Grassdale	"	Williamina J. Ross	VIII., 131
1574	Barwon Heads	"	Marian Hale	VI., 2, 90
1981	Prairie	"	Emma Mitchell	VIII., 26
2189	Cardinia	"	Fanny A. Uridge	VIII., 59
2664	Barrakee South	"	William E. Hall	VIII., 121
2740	Gellibrand River East	"	Ethel I. Marshall	VII., 3, 7
3290	Yarranyljup	"	Charles M. Waters	E., 34

DEPARTMENT OF MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

VACANCIES for Head Teachers and Assistants advertised in accordance with the provisions of the Public Service Act 1890.

Number.	Name.	County.	Locality.	Class.	No. of Rooms in Quarters.		Percentage.	Allotment.	Average Attendance.		Teacher required
					£	Annua.			Nov.	Dec.	
2853	Burnley	Bourke ... ..	...	2	6	90 Sept., '97	...	761	736	Head Teacher
1333	Upper Campaspe	Dalhousie	Near Woodend ...	7	...	86 Mar., '97	...	11	11	"	
1863	Bengworden ...	Tanjil	" Bairnsdale ...	7	4	12 88 Nov., '97	...	16	15	"	
1882	Wooronook ...	"	Chalton	7	4	9 71 June, '97	...	15	12	"	
2045	Murra Warra South	Borong	" Wail	7	2	4 97 July, '97	...	19	15	"	
2087	Leitchville ...	"	Pyramid Hill ...	7	...	94 July, '97	...	17	13	"	
2170	Boulite	"	Murtoa	7	...	75 Sept., '97	...	21	15	"	
2316	Mincha East ...	"	Pyramid Hill ...	7	4	4 78 Nov., '96	...	16	12	"	
2323	Lang Lang East ...	Mornington	Grantville	7	2	4 58 Feb., '97	...	12	16	"	
2697	Morri Morri ...	"	Kara Kara	7	2	4 87 May, '97	...	14	13	"	
2864	Budgeroe	Bulu Bulu	Morwell	7	...	77 June, '97	...	19	21	"	
2956	Gruyere South ...	"	Healesville	7	...	99 Nov., '97	...	17	8	"	
3026	Koonik Koonik ...	Lowan	Gorokle	7	...	80	...	...	...	"
3055	Condah South ...	"	Milltown	7	...	78 Aug., '97	...	14	...	"	
3257	Sutton	"	Kancira	7	...	81 Mar., '97	...	16	12	"	
3235	Weapronah and }	Polwarth	Colac	7	...	90 Mar., '97	...	12	10	"	
3247	Moorbanool }										
2511	Fitzroy	Bourke ... ..	...	...	...	96 June, '97	...	691	652	1st Fem. Asst., 3rd class
2778	Surrey Hills ...	Bourke ... ..	...	...	...	93 Nov., '97	...	329	301	1st Fem. Asst., 4th class
614	Taradale	Talbot ... ..	...	...	...	78 Oct., '97	...	127	108	1st Fem. Asst., 6th class
690	Yangery	Villiers ... ..	...	...	...	89 June, '97	...	85	85	"
717	Waterloo Flat ...	Ripon ... ..	...	...	...	86 Sept., '97	...	134	131	"
2602	Birchip	Karkaroo ... ..	...	...	...	91 Nov., '97	...	102	90	"
2995	Brim ... ..	"	...	...	...	92 Nov., '97	...	86	79	"
3109	Beulah	Karkaroo ... ..	...	...	...	62 Aug., '97	...	101	85	"
824	Goverville	Bourke ... ..	...	...	...	93 July, '97	...	527	477	Female Asst., 8th class
957	Walhalla	Tanjil ... ..	...	...	...	75 Sept., '97	...	402	347	"
2420	Allendale	Talbot ... ..	...	...	...	100 Oct., '97	...	425	396	"
2855	Prahran West ...	Bourke ... ..	...	...	...	97 July, '97	...	1250	1182	"
2948	Auburn	Bourke ... ..	...	...	...	90 May, '97	...	644	602	Male Asst., 8th class

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

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

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

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

JAMES BAGGE,
Secretary Public Instruction.

Education Department,
21st January, 1898.

TREASURY—VICTORIA.

TRANSACTIONS DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1897.

Account.	During the Quarter ending 31st December, 1897.		Total from 1st July, 1897, to 31st December, 1897.			
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.		Cr.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Finance, 1897-8—						
Receipts:						
Revenue (see pages 5051 to 5056) ...			1,790,303	13 5		3,374,253 4 3
Expenditure:						
Under Votes and Appropriations (see page 154)...	1,463,761	5 11	21,104	4 1	3,757,108	5 5
The Year 1897-8, for Finance of 1896-7 ...					511,523	7 2
The Year 1896-7 ...					2,687	18 8
The Year 1897-8 ...	13,849	17 9	9,027	15 5	53,833	10 9
The Year 1897-8—Cr. Account ...					32,975	18 5
Advances ...	40,199	0 8	22,060	2 6	358,341	13 6
Other Governments ...	34,690	0 0	25,570	15 4	70,467	14 3
Agent-General ...	55,978	10 11	81,906	3 11	135,504	8 3
Treasurer's Remittance Account ...	415,830	0 4	241,579	10 2	916,958	4 11
Loan Agents ...	120,000	0 0	284,315	0 6	406,512	10 0
London and Westminster Bank ...	80,900	0 0	80,940	16 0	457,108	14 6
Loan Receipts—Act No. 1451 ...			25,000	0 0		
" " Act No. 1468 ...			153,120	10 11		
Loan Act 1296—Premium Account ...	3,972	2 6			3,972	2 6
" " 1369 ...						
" " 1468 ...	3,561	17 5	3,518	19 5	3,561	17 5
Loan Expenditure—Act No. 805 ...					457	18 11
" " Act No. 845 ...					3	10 0
" " Acts Nos. 989 and 1196 ...	4,149	19 4	816	13 1	4,811	16 10
" " Act No. 1015 ...	24,272	9 3	276	9 3	36,536	14 3
" " Acts Nos. 1217 and 1233 ...			806	18 0	1,141	14 4
" " Act No. 1296 ...	60,504	1 8	4,003	13 6	113,817	5 10
" " Act No. 1451 ...	33,272	6 2	535	19 5	70,173	11 2
" " Act No. 1468 ...	84,948	19 11			84,948	19 11
Land Sales by Auction Fund—Cr. Account ...						
Sundry Debtors { Dr. Account ...	6,537	4 2	5,352	9 6	6,537	4 2
" " { Cr. " ...			6,537	4 2	5,352	9 6
Post Office Savings Bank Fund ...	27,452	5 0	29,802	9 0	408,700	17 8
Commissioners of Savings Bank Fund ...	111,016	12 5	85,226	5 2	180,766	14 5
Loans to Municipalities, Cr. Account ...			882	10 0		
Loans to Shires for Wire Netting, { Dr. Account ...	541	0 0	761	8 1	2,605	2 6
" " { Cr. " ...			304	6 3	124	16 0
Act No. 1434 ...	1,033	0 2	62,519	0 1	2,139	15 6
Licensing Act Fund ...						
Assurance Fund ...			0	8 1	1,528	1 5
Police Superannuation Fund ...	10,133	19 2	9,752	16 4	21,349	5 11
Ammunition Fund ...	1,919	12 2	130	1 3	2,171	15 6
Bungaree Loan Liquidation Account ...	75	0 0	225	0 0	75	0 0
Ocean Mails—Contribution, non-contracting countries ...			11	17 2		
Loans to Corporations—Redemption Account ...			61	6 3		
Port Phillip Pilot Sloop and Superannuation Fund ...	373	11 8	717	2 4	899	13 1
Municipalities Contribution—Prince's-bridge ...						
Customs Overtime Goods ...					15	10 7
Naval and Military Clothing Fund ...	852	1 4	1,082	17 6	2,208	1 5
Railway Accident Fund ...	1,094	0 7	4,131	15 4	2,581	0 1
Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20 ...	82,731	8 7	100,167	17 4	171,246	12 7
Other Trust Funds ...	51,556	18 5	54,473	5 7	122,355	15 6
Treasurer's Investment Account—Specific ...	29,875	0 2	1,295	0 0	44,823	1 3
Sundry Investors ...	1,295	0 0	29,875	0 2	6,599	12 6
The Treasurer—Commissioners of Savings Bank ...						
Security Account ...	25,000	0 0	73,183	14 0	125,000	0 0
Commissioners of Savings Bank Security Account ...	73,183	14 0	25,000	0 0	98,194	14 0
Suspense { Dr. Account ...						
" " { Cr. " ...	1,406	13 6	839	15 0	0	10 0
Mallee Land Account ...			1,832	17 4	1,604	5 0
Yarra Improvement Contribution Account ...	3,250	12 1	6,000	0 0	4,744	3 7
					6,000	0 0
	2,876,438	8 4	3,249,150	2 2	8,231,143	16 2
	2,262,518	9 5	1,889,806	15 7	4,452,041	18 3
CASH ACCOUNT ...	5,138,956	17 9	5,138,956	17 9	12,683,185	14 5

Treasury,
Melbourne, 15th January, 1898.

GEORGE TURNER,
Treasurer.

VICTORIA.

STATEMENT No. 1.

EXPENDITURE OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1897-8
 DEFAYED DURING THE QUARTER ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1897.

Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries.			Contingencies.			All Other.			Total.			Credits.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
I. Chief Secretary	93,381	16	5	34,011	2	6	20,195	10	3	147,591	9	2	2,215	16	5
II. Minister of Public Instruction ...	116,182	0	5	10,672	17	4	5,330	13	5	132,185	11	2	75	1	11
III. Attorney-General	12,693	5	6	3,172	6	9	...	...	...	15,865	12	3	47	0	0
IV. Solicitor-General	9,286	11	11	4,031	19	2	...	...	...	13,318	14	1	0	13	3
V. Treasurer	18,310	19	5	5,076	7	1	32,818	7	9	56,205	14	3	250	2	10
VI. Minister of Defence	22,728	18	3	12,156	12	6	1,183	19	2	36,069	9	11	70	18	0
VII. Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	11,396	6	7	7,061	15	11	8,084	9	6	27,042	12	0	46	6	10
VIII. Commissioner of Public Works ...	5,532	17	9	1,275	11	11	22,774	17	11	29,583	7	7	328	14	6
IX. Commissioner of Trade and Customs	19,213	1	3	6,338	7	7	309	4	8	25,860	13	6	61	7	7
X. Postmaster-General	70,741	12	4	7,676	7	6	31,429	5	11	109,847	5	9	135	10	5
XI. Minister of Mines and Water Supply	5,501	14	11	1,563	0	2	5,735	17	6	12,800	12	7	132	5	11
XII. Minister of Agriculture	1,626	13	11	709	9	4	10,216	10	11	12,552	14	2	...	...	...
XIII. Minister of Health	1,615	15	0	907	7	2	992	9	8	3,515	11	10	18	11	5
XIV. Minister of Railways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	408,939	7	6	408,939	7	6	14,361	17	9
Total VOTES	388,714	16	8	94,653	4	11	518,010	14	2	1,031,378	15	9	17,744	6	10
Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS ...	13,802	6	0	119	14	9	418,460	9	5	432,382	10	2	3,359	17	3
Total VOTES AND SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS	402,517	2	8	94,772	19	8	966,471	3	7	1,463,761	5	11	21,104	4	1

Treasury,
Melbourne, 11th January, 1898.

**EXPENDITURE OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1897-8 DEFRAYED
DURING THE QUARTER ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1897.**

Division.	Sub-division.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries.	Contingencies.	All Other.	Total.	Credits.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
I. CHIEF SECRETARY.							
1	1	Legislative Council	287 10 0	...	...	...	...
2	1/5	Legislative Assembly	1,954 7 1	...	...	...	...
3	6	Ditto ... ..	...	253 9 1	...	...	...
4	1	Parliamentary Standing Committee on Railways	...	...	65 4 6	...	...
5	2	Victorian Parliamentary Debates	440 17 3	...	...	...	...
6	1/2	Ditto ... ..	...	160 18 0	...	...	...
7	3	The Library	227 9 9	...	...	...	...
8	1	Ditto ... ..	...	245 11 1	...	...	...
9	2	Refreshment Rooms ... ..	...	253 8 6	...	...	...
10	3	Parliament Gardens	104 5 2	...	...	...	...
11	1	Ditto ... ..	...	9 5 6	...	...	...
12	2	Chief Secretary's Office	2,109 6 4	591 6 9	...	...	24 0 2
13	3	Observatory	414 12 0	95 13 2	...	...	...
14	4	Ditto ... ..	...	26 18 1	...	...	...
15	5	Government Botanist	115 5 0	...	...	...	...
16	6	Ditto ... ..	...	149 15 3	...	...	...
17	7	Inspection of Factories and Shops	613 19 1	...	...	...	...
18	8	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
19	9/10	Friendly Societies	513 15 4	1 19 8	...	...	...
20	11	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
21	12	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	750 0 0	...	750 0 0
22	1/2	Government Statist	1,481 7 11	...	...	...	...
23	3	Ditto ... ..	...	57 11 4	...	...	...
24	4	Allowances to Registrars ... ..	...	...	946 3 6	...	...
25	1/3	Police	58,230 5 2	8,176 12 7	...	...	320 14 3
26	4	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	41 2 10
27	1/3	Penal Establishments and Gaols	8,763 5 10	5,931 8 6	...	...	1,079 19 2
28	4	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
29	1/3	Hospitals for the Insane	12,094 1 3	15,535 6 1	...	...	...
30	4	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
31	1/3	Neglected Children and Reformatory Schools	1,101 13 1	492 5 6	10,420 0 6	...	...
32	4	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
33	5	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
34	1/5	Public Library	2,174 11 5	...	...	...	...
35	6	Ditto ... ..	...	664 5 3	...	...	...
36	1/2	Government Shorthand Writer	450 6 0	10 19 9	...	...	...
37	3	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
38	1/2	Audit Office and Public Service Board	2,124 0 1	197 4 4	...	...	...
39	3	Ditto ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
40	1/2	Aborigines	183 18 8	1,158 4 1	...	...	...
41	3	Ditto ... ..	...	...	272 6 3	...	...
42	...	Exhibitions ... ..	...	...	950 0 0	...	...
43	...	Grants ... ..	...	...	6,791 15 6	...	...
44	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Total Chief Secretary			93,384 16 5	31,011 2 6	20,195 10 3	147,591 9 2	2,215 16 5
II. MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.							
45	1/4	Education	6,373 6 3	...	...	...	...
46	1	Ditto	109,808 14 2	...	...	...	42 19 2
47	2	Ditto ... ..	...	10,672 17 4	...	...	32 2 9
48	3	Buildings ... ..	...	...	458 19 7	...	...
49	...	Melbourne University ... ..	...	...	812 10 0	...	...
50	...	Technical Schools ... ..	...	...	3,261 9 11	...	...
51	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	797 13 11	...	...
Total Minister of Public Instruction			116,182 0 5	10,672 17 4	5,330 13 5	132,185 11 2	75 1 11
III. ATTORNEY-GENERAL.							
52	1/2	Supreme Court	685 13 0	...	...	...	...
53	3	Ditto ... ..	...	232 0 0	...	...	...
54	1/5	Law Officers of the Crown	2,427 2 2	...	...	...	...
55	6	Ditto ... ..	...	660 13 7	...	...	...
56	1/3	Crown Solicitor	1,109 18 4	...	...	...	...
57	4	Ditto ... ..	...	60 4 0	...	...	...
58	1/2	Prothonotary	491 3 6	...	...	...	...
59	3	Ditto ... ..	...	4 3 2	...	...	...
60	1/2	Master in Equity and Lunacy	926 7 0	...	...	...	...
61	3	Ditto ... ..	...	239 7 4	...	...	...
62	1/6	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles	5,655 14 0	...	...	...	...
63	7	Ditto ... ..	...	81 7 10	...	...	...
64	1/3	Patents	485 14 5	...	...	...	...
65	4	Ditto ... ..	...	28 18 6	...	...	...
66	1/2	Sheriff	911 11 1	...	...	...	47 0 0
67	3	Ditto ... ..	...	1,865 12 4	...	...	...
Total Attorney-General			12,693 5 6	3,172 6 9	...	15,865 12 3	47 0 0
IV. SOLICITOR-GENERAL.							
68	1/2	County Courts, Courts of Insolvency, &c.	1,690 2 0	...	...	...	...
69	3	Ditto ... ..	...	1,875 0 7	...	...	...
70	1	Police Magistrates and Wardens	2,541 17 3	...	...	...	...
71	2	Ditto ... ..	...	703 9 9	...	...	...
72	...	Clerk of Courts	5,033 6 8	...	...	...	...
73	1	Coroners	21 9 0	...	...	...	...
74	2	Ditto ... ..	...	1,453 8 10	...	...	0 13 3
Total Solicitor-General			9,286 14 11	4,031 19 2	...	13,318 14 1	0 13 3

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE DURING THE QUARTER ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1897—continued.

Division.	Sub-division.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries.	Contingencies.	All Other.	Total.	Credits.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
V. TREASURER.							
38	1/3	Treasury	5,783 2 3	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	392 6 11	...	...	...
39	1/3	Income Tax Office	2,413 11 0	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	56 4 0	...	...	...
40	1	Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons	353 14 9	...	...	...	...
41	1/2	Government Printer	5,707 16 9	...	...	...	...
	3	Ditto	4,052 14 8	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	4,627 16 2	...	...	174 6 9
42	...	Advertising ... ..	...	...	489 11 6	...	...
43	...	Grant to Charitable Institutions ... ..	...	...	26,872 2 3	...	1 5 10
44	...	Transport, Samples, and Marine Insurance ... ..	...	...	586 7 11	...	7 4 9
45	...	Unforeseen and Accidental Expenditure ... ..	...	...	1,112 3 3	...	67 5 6
46	...	Allowance—Carriage of Victorian Coal ... ..	...	...	2,738 6 1	...	...
47	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	1,019 16 9	...	...
		Total Treasurer	18,310 19 5	5,076 7 1	32,818 7 9	56,205 14 3	250 2 10
VI. MINISTER OF DEFENCE.							
49	1/3	Administrative and Pay Branch	356 6 7	...	...	...	...
	4/6	Ordnance and Military Stores Branch	827 7 0	...	...	...	...
	7	Administrative, Pay, and Stores Branches ... ..	...	160 14 2	...	...	...
	8	Cadet Corps	176 6 9	...	...	...	...
	9	Ditto ... ..	...	27 5 2	...	...	...
	10	Mounted Rifles	444 18 10	...	...	...	...
	11	Ditto ... ..	...	405 17 6	...	...	...
	12	Victorian Rangers	436 3 5	...	...	...	...
	13	Ditto ... ..	...	382 16 11	...	...	...
	15	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	518 3 0	...	70 13 0
	16	Naval Forces, Officers	1,203 3 10	...	...	...	...
	17	Ditto, Petty Officers and Men	3,502 14 9	...	...	...	...
	18	Ditto ... ..	...	1,602 11 6	...	...	...
	19/20	Naval Brigade	641 9 0	...	...	...	...
	21	Ditto ... ..	...	282 5 9	...	...	...
	22	Permanent Military Forces	694 15 0	...	...	...	...
	23	Ditto ... ..	...	87 8 5	...	...	...
	24	Permanent Staff, Militia	1,117 5 3	...	...	...	...
	25	Ditto ... ..	...	204 19 4	...	...	...
	26	Military Staff Clerks	211 17 11	...	...	...	...
	27	Ditto ... ..	...	11 5 8	...	...	...
	28	Victorian Artillery	5,062 1 11	...	...	...	...
	29	Ditto ... ..	...	2,017 5 6	...	...	...
	30	Permanent Section, Victorian Engineers	1,152 4 6	...	...	...	...
	31	Ditto ... ..	...	176 5 8	...	...	0 5 0
	32	Militia Pay	6,902 3 6	...	...	...	...
	33	Ditto, Contingencies ... ..	...	6,797 16 11	...	...	...
	34	Ordnance Branch ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
		Total Minister of Defence	22,728 18 3	12,156 12 6	1,183 19 2	36,069 9 11	70 18 0
VII. COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS AND SURVEY.							
50	1/4	Survey, Sale, and Management of Crown Lands	9,145 4 0	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	1,969 5 1	...	...	...
	6	Ditto ... ..	...	...	200 1 1	...	...
51	1	Public Parks, Gardens, and Reserves	66 0 0	...	...	...	...
	2	Ditto ... ..	...	610 0 3	...	...	...
52	1/4	Botanical and Domain Gardens	1,417 18 11	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	284 2 8	...	...	...
53	1	Expenses of carrying out the Land Tax Act	160 16 3	...	...	...	...
	2	Ditto ... ..	...	1 9 0	...	...	...
54	1/2	Extirpation of Rabbits and Wild Animals	112 0 0	...	...	...	...
	3	Ditto ... ..	...	3,013 11 6	...	...	46 6 10
55	1/8	State Forests and Nurseries	994 7 5	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	1,183 7 5	...	...	...
56	...	Village Settlements and Labour Colonies ... ..	...	...	911 17 2	...	...
57	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	6,972 11 3	...	...
		Total Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	11,896 6 7	7,061 15 11	8,084 9 6	27,042 12 0	46 6 10
VIII. COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.							
58	1/5	Public Works	5,532 17 9	...	...	...	...
	6	Ditto ... ..	...	1,275 11 11	...	...	18 14 2
59	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	123 15 3	...	...
60	...	Works and Buildings—	...	...	...	...	...
	1	Wharfs, Jetties, Harbors, Rivers, &c. ... ..	...	...	4,883 0 10	...	...
	2	Police Buildings ... ..	...	...	818 14 4	...	...
	3	Gaols and Penal Establishments ... ..	...	...	189 9 9	...	...
	4	Lunatic Asylums ... ..	...	...	3,354 1 0	...	250 0 0
	5	Reformatories and Industrial Schools ... ..	...	...	66 19 11	...	...
	6	Court Houses ... ..	...	...	538 14 9	...	...
	7	Light-houses and Light-ships ... ..	...	...	200 15 9	...	...
	9	Lands and Survey ... ..	...	...	29 1 9	...	...
	10	Treasury Buildings ... ..	...	...	2 16 9	...	...
	11	Sundry Works, Melbourne ... ..	...	...	1,246 19 0	...	0 3 7
	12	Post Offices and Telegraph Stations ... ..	...	...	578 11 8	...	...
	13	Fences and Repairs to Fences, &c. ... ..	...	...	150 16 3	...	...
	14	Rents and Furniture ... ..	...	...	4,080 3 9	...	6 5 0
	15	Customs, &c., Buildings ... ..	...	...	87 9 5	...	...
	16	State School Buildings ... ..	...	...	1,276 11 4	...	53 11 6
	17	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	2,341 8 10	...	0 0 3
61	...	Defence Works and Buildings ... ..	...	...	821 0 8	...	...
62	...	Road Works and Bridges ... ..	...	...	1,384 6 11	...	...
		Total Commissioner of Public Works	5,532 17 9	1,275 11 11	22,774 17 11	29,583 7 7	328 14 6

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE DURING THE QUARTER ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1897—continued.

Division.	Sub-division.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries.	Contingencies.	All Other.	Total.	Credits.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
IX. COMMISSIONER OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.							
63	1/4	Trade and Customs	13,172 14 6	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	1,115 18 6	...	...	24 15 0
64	1/4	Ports and Harbors, Mercantile Marine, &c. ...	3,628 0 0	...	...	...	1 0 0
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	4,221 1 6	...	...	30 8 11
65	1/3	Distilleries, Excise, and Explosives	1,836 7 7	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	719 10 2	...	...	5 3 8
66	1/3	Marine Board	575 19 2	...	...	...	...
	4	Ditto ... ..	...	281 8 5	...	...	...
67	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	369 4 8	...	...
Total Commissioner of Trade and Customs			19,213 1 3	6,338 7 7	309 4 8	25,860 13 6	61 7 7
X. POSTMASTER-GENERAL.							
68	1/5	Post and Telegraph Offices	70,741 12 4	...	...	...	...
	6	Ditto ... ..	...	7,676 7 6	...	...	135 10 5
69	...	Telegraph Lines ... ..	...	...	3,035 17 0	...	...
70	...	Mail Service ... ..	...	...	28,070 1 6	...	...
71	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	323 7 5	...	...
Total Postmaster-General			70,741 12 4	7,676 7 6	31,429 5 11	109,847 5 9	135 10 5
XI. MINISTER OF MINES AND WATER SUPPLY.							
72	1/4	Mines and Water Supply	5,501 14 11	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	451 10 8	...	...	...
	6	Ditto ... ..	...	1,111 9 6	...	...	0 2 5
73	...	Prospecting for Gold and Coal ... ..	...	...	152 8 0	...	...
74	...	Waterworks in Country Districts ... ..	...	...	459 3 10	...	...
75	1	Coliban and Geelong Works ... ..	...	...	2,554 16 10	...	132 3 6
	2	National Works ... ..	...	...	746 0 4	...	...
76	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	1,823 8 6	...	...
Total Minister of Mines and Water Supply			5,501 14 11	1,563 0 2	5,735 17 6	12,800 12 7	132 5 11
XII. MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE.							
77	1/4	Agriculture and Industries	824 2 11	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	243 19 5	...	...	...
78	...	Experimental Cultivation ... ..	...	...	8 13 4	...	...
79	...	Vine Diseases Eradication ... ..	...	...	6,825 0 9	...	...
80	1/2	Scab Prevention and Diseases in Stock	802 11 0	...	...	...	...
	3	Ditto ... ..	...	465 9 11	...	...	...
81	...	Grants ... ..	...	...	3,382 16 10	...	...
Total Minister of Agriculture			1,626 13 11	709 9 4	10,216 10 11	12,552 14 2	...
XIII. MINISTER OF HEALTH.							
82	1/4	Public Health	1,615 15 0	...	...	...	...
	5	Ditto ... ..	...	907 7 2	...	...	18 10 11
	6	Ditto, Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	992 9 8	...	0 0 6
Total Minister of Health			1,615 15 0	907 7 2	992 9 8	3,515 11 10	18 11 5
XIV. MINISTER OF RAILWAYS.							
83	1	Victorian Railways ... ..	...	...	407,330 12 5	...	14,360 18 2
84	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	1,608 15 1	...	0 19 7
Total Minister of Railways			...	...	408,939 7 6	408,939 7 6	14,361 17 9
Total VOTES			388,714 16 8	94,653 4 11	548,010 14 2	1,031,378 15 9	17,744 6 10

VICTORIA

**EXPENDITURE OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1897-8
DEFRAYED DURING THE QUARTER ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1897.**

Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries.		Contingencies.		All Other.		Total.		Credits.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.										
<i>Under Schedule D to The Constitution Act:</i>										
Part 1. The Governor	1,749	18 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 2. The Judges, including Act No. 1142	6,485	8 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 3. The Ministers	2,683	6 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 4. The Executive Council	150	10 0	1 3 1	...	...	...	...	...	302	9 0
" 4. The Legislative Council	1,108	2 6	119 11 8	...	126 11 6	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Interest on Loans, &c.:</i>										
36 Vict. Nos. 428 and 439, 46 Vict. No. 741, 51 Vict. No. 963, 53 Vict. No. 1015, 57 Vict. No. 1341, and 58 Vict. No. 1369	2,858	7 3	...	...	...	...
60 Vict. No. 1468	28,184	16 9	...	...	569	15 1
37 Vict. No. 468	10	14 6	...	...	...	...
39 Vict. No. 531 and 40 Vict. No. 535	13	19 4	...	...	...	...
42 Vict. No. 608	13	19 5	...	...	...	...
45 Vict. No. 717	908	1 3	...	...	...	...
46 Vict. No. 789	40,220	2 0	...	...	...	...
47 Vict. No. 760	80,440	4 0	...	...	...	...
48 Vict. No. 805	80,844	3 6	...	...	...	...
56 Vict. No. 1283	382	10 0	...	...	...	...
56 Vict. No. 1296	14,528	16 0	...	...	...	...
60 Vict. No. 1451	262	13 5
Expenses in connexion with Interest on Loans	400	0 0	...	...	1,047	16 6
56 Vict. No. 1283—Redemption of Treasury Bonds	5,200	0 0	...	...	...	...
<i>Pensions, &c.:</i>										
54 Vict. No. 1066—Audit	166	13 4
54 Vict. No. 1075—Officers of Parliament	295	19 11	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1078—County Court Judges	375	0 0	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1083—Defences	458	18 5	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1113—Lunacy Statute	659	17 3	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1133—(25 Vict. No. 160)—Civil Service	23,631	0 2	...	...	230	8 6
54 Vict. No. 1133—(47 Vict. No. 773)—Public Service	22,896	18 7	...	...	25	15 0
54 Vict. No. 1135—Victorian Railways	15,332	11 4	...	...	367	7 8
57 Vict. No. 1324—Public Service Board	412	10 0	...	...	...	...
58 Vict. No. 1377 and 66 Vict. No. 1474—Victorian Railways Commissioners	146	13 3	...	...	...	...
<i>Miscellaneous:</i>										
53 Vict. No. 1046—Agricultural and other Industries	2,239	7 10	...	...	7	14 6
54 Vict. No. 1066—Commissioners of Audit and Public Service Board	750	0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1075—Electoral Expenses	4,783	13 2	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1075 and 58 Vict. No. 1373—Expenses of Members of the Legislative Assembly	4,215	4 3	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1083—Australasian Naval Forces	32,875	0 0	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1106, sec. 159—Rates upon unoccupied Mallee blocks	462	17 0	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1120—Mining Boards	500	0 0	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1128, sec. 51—Foreign Mails	8,082	7 7	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1128, sec. 53—Gratuities to Masters of Vessels	1,343	3 7	...	...	379	4 3
54 Vict. No. 1128, sec. 90—Maintenance of a Line of Telegraphic Communication between Port Darwin and Penang	2,404	1 2	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1151—University of Melbourne	2,250	0 0	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1167—The Mint	3,533	6 8	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1200—Fire Brigades	4,171	5 6	...	...	...	...
54 Vict. No. 1379—Endowment of Municipalities	32,909	8 3	...	...	...	...
58 Vict. No. 1439—Victorian Railways Commissioner's Salary	875	0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
59 Vict. No. 1443—Australasian Federation Enabling Act	459	0 0	...	...	...	...
Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS	13,802	6 0	119 14 9		418,460	9 5	432,382	10 2	3,359	17 3

PATENTS FOR INVENTIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioner has accepted the complete specifications in the following applications:—

No. 14038. By JOHN WILLIAM McDONNELL, of Napier, New Zealand, journalist, for "Improvements in bottles and stoppers therefor."

No. 14722. By LEWIS STEWART BLAIR, of No. 215 Swanston-street, Melbourne, Victoria, mirror manufacturer and decorator, for "An improved method of producing designs on silvered glass."

No. 14748. By JOHN DIXON, of 45 Commercial-road, South Yarra, Victoria, ice merchant, for "An improved apparatus for cooling compartments."

No. 14820. By EMANUEL MOTZ, of Brewer Mine, in the county of Chesterfield, United States of America, miner, and HENRY FROST WELCH, of 205 East Bay-street, Charleston, in the county of Charleston, and State of South Carolina, United States of America, merchant, for "Improvements in and relating to electrolytic process and apparatus for the separation of metals from their ores and solutions."

No. 14823. By ALBERTUS KAPTEYN, of York-road, King's Cross, in the county of London, England, engineer, for "Improvements in triple valves for pneumatic railway brakes."

No. 14855. By AMERICAN RAILWAY ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY, of 14 Stone-street, New York City, United States of America, for "Improvements in means for use in lighting railway cars or carriages by electricity and for regulating the current of the same."

No. 14859. By the Right Honorable DOUGLAS MACKINNON BAILLIE HAMILTON COCHRANE, Earl of Dundonald, of 34 Portman-square, in the county of London, England, for "A yielding seat applicable as a saddle for velocipedes."

No. 14860. By GEORGE GATTON MELHUIS HARDINGHAM, of 191 Fleet-street, in the county of Middlesex, England, civil engineer, for "An improved driving mechanism for cycles."

No. 14864. By CHARLES ORME BANTIAN, of 8a Manchester-square, in the county of London, England, electrical engineer, for "Improvements in or relating to electrical meters, applicable to prepayment electrical meters."

No. 14874. By NEW INDUSTRIES AND FINANCE LIMITED, of No. 4 Queen Victoria-street, London, England, for "Improvements in pneumatic and other rubber tyres."

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 20th day of January, 1898.

Patent Office,
Lonsdale-street west, Melbourne.

J. P. HOLMES,
Pro Commissioner of Patents.

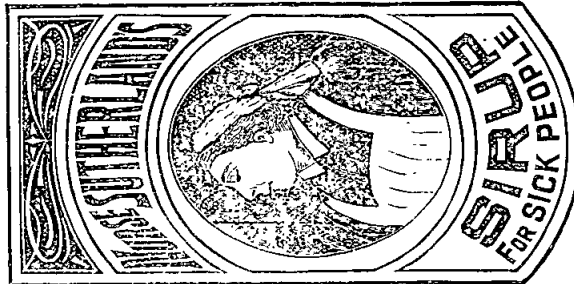
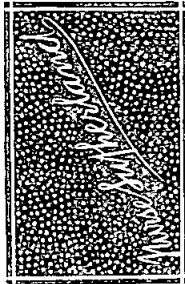
Trade Marks Act 1890 (No. 2).

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 letters, the words "Nurse Sutherland," and the representation of Nurse Sutherland; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 3.

5385. Medicine for human use. John Roy, of 17 Gordon-grove, Malvern, Victoria, agent. 5th January, 1898.



CLASS 4.

5392. Raw or partly-prepared Vegetable, Animal, or Mineral Substances. Arthur Harry Hassell, of 24 Queen-street, Melbourne, Victoria, importer. 10th January, 1898.

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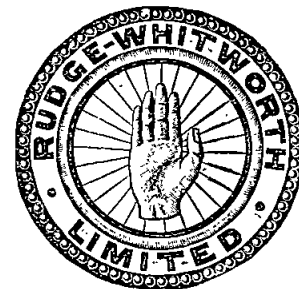
CLASS 45.

5394. Tobacco, manufactured and unmanufactured, including Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff. Daniel Wallace Keir, of 90 Smith-street, Collingwood, Melbourne, Victoria, tobacco merchant. 12th January, 1898.

RAMBLER

CLASS 22.

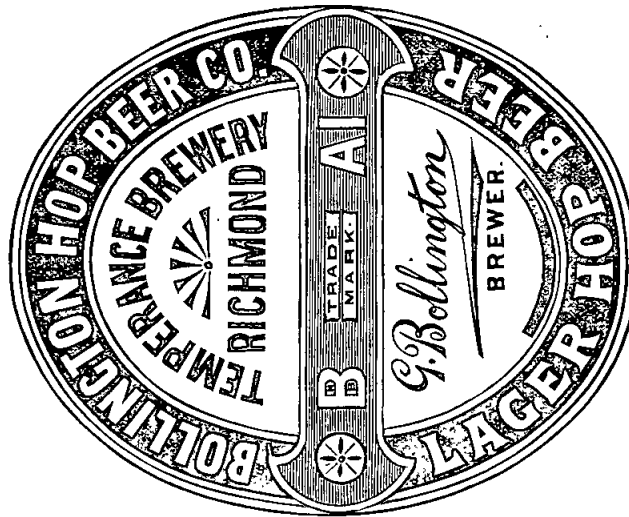
5402. Bicycles, Tricycles, and other Velocipedes, and parts of the same not included in other classes. Rudge Whitworth Limited, of 31 Spon-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, England, cycle manufacturers. 17th January, 1898.



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

CLASS 44.

5106. Aerated Beverages. George Bollington, of Stawell-street, Burnley, Richmond, Victoria, aerated water and beverage manufacturer. 20th January, 1898.



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 20th day of January, 1898.

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

J. P. HOLMES,
Pro Commissioner of Trade Marks.

Companies Act 1896.

THE MELBOURNE PATENT SMELTING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 15th day of June, 1883, No. 763.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE DANDENONG STEAM-PRESS BRICK AND TILE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 11th day of July, 1883, No. 773.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

HOUSEHOLD CO-OPERATIVE SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 13th day of June, 1883, No. 767.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE AUSTRAL SPORTING CLUB LIMITED.

(Registered on the 13th day of July, 1883, No. 774.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE CARLTON SPORTING CLUB No. 1 LIMITED.

(Registered on the 5th day of May, 1883, No. 758.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

ROCK WELL PADDOCK SILVER MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 16th day of March, 1886, No. 1008.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE STANDARD GREASE COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 17th day of July, 1883, No. 775.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

Companies Act 1896.

THE BROKEN HILL NORTH SILVER MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

(Registered on the 26th day of November, 1885, No. 975.)
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 21st day of January, 1898.
EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

*Companies Act 1896.***THE PYRAMID SUGAR COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 29th day of August, 1883, No. 784.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***KING SOUND PASTORAL COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 18th day of August, 1883, No. 782.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE NORTH-EASTERN FARMERS' JOINT STOCK COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 10th day of August, 1883, No. 778.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE PATENT GUANO COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 7th day of August, 1883, No. 777.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***EQUITABLE SPORTING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 5th day of July, 1883, No. 771.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE NATIONAL SPORTING CLUB LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 5th day of July, 1883, No. 770.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE MELBOURNE SPORTING CLUB LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 26th day of June, 1883, No. 769.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***BON HILL BRICK COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 19th day of March, 1884, No. 823, folio 1613.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE FARMERS UNITED THRESHING COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 4th day of October, 1881, No. 618, folio 1547.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

*Companies Act 1896.***THE VICTORIAN TRUST AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED.**

(Registered on the 14th day of March, 1883, No. 1274, folio 1521.)

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 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Horsham Gas Company Limited (registered on the 29th day of October, 1877, No. 421) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Victoria Sugar Company Unlimited (registered on the 6th day of August, 1864, No. 10, folio 611) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Purveyors Association Limited (registered on the 12th day of February, 1877, No. 398) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of Australasian Agency and Banking Corporation Limited (registered on the 6th day of March, 1877, No. 400) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Warramboul Baths Company Limited (registered on the 26th day of March, 1877, No. 402) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Melbourne and Suburban Tramway Company Limited (registered on the 7th day of December, 1876, No. 391) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Portsea-Sorrento Swimming Bath Company Limited (registered on the 5th day of January, 1877, No. 393) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Brighton Gas Company Limited (old company) (registered on the 26th day of January, 1877, No. 397) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of Bramble Cay Guano Company Limited (registered on the 4th June 1877, No. 405) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Portland Brick and Tile Company Limited (registered on the 3rd day of July, 1877, No. 408) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Australian Pyrites Company Limited (registered on the 31st day of July, 1877, No. 412) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of Victorian Loan and Finance Company Limited (registered on the 29th day of August, 1877, No. 417) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Wimmera Commercial and Agricultural Company Limited (registered on the 12th September, 1877, No. 413) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1896.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 160 of the *Companies Act 1896*, the name of The Australia Felix Insurance Company Limited (registered on the 10th day of October, 1877, No. 420) has been struck off the Register, and on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said company will be dissolved.

Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1890.

HEREBY certify that The Glacier Butter 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 14th day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1890.

HEREBY certify that J. Kitz and Sons Limited has been this day registered by me, and notify that the said company is incorporated and is limited by shares.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1890.

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

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1890.

HEREBY certify that Schuchard and Company Limited has been this day registered by me, and notify that the said company is incorporated and is limited by shares.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

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

Companies Act 1890.

HEREBY certify that the Yarrowonga Wine 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 January, 1898.

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

GOLD MINING LEASES SURRENDERED.

BRUCHWORTH DISTRICT—BUCKLAND (BRIGHT) DIVISION.

No. 3686, dated 16th November, 1896; S. R. Moodie; 19a. 1r. 12p.; Brookside.

No. 3687, dated 27th February, 1897; S. R. Moodie; 18a. 2r. 4p.; Buckland.

No. 3688, dated 24th December, 1896; S. R. Moodie; 28a. 1r. 30p.; Buckland.

No. 3689, dated 31st December, 1896; S. R. Moodie; 16a. 3r. 35p.; Buckland.

No. 3690, dated 24th December, 1896; S. R. Moodie; 17a. 2r. 5p.; Buckland.

No. 3775, dated 16th March, 1897; S. R. Moodie; 18a. 3r. 37p.; Buckland.

No. 3861, dated 30th March, 1897; S. R. Moodie; 29 acres; Buckland.

A new lease, No. 4111, has been issued in lieu of the above leases.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.
Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

MINING LEASES DECLARED VOID.

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

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Lessees	Area.	Locality.
					A. R. P.	
Gold Mining Leases.						
Ararat	Ararat	1532	15th Nov., 1897	W. Crisp	8 2 19	Korn's Lead
"	Pleasant Creek	1174	28th Jan., 1890	Victoria and St. George United Gold Extracting Co. N. L.	7 2 13	Parish of Stawell
"	"	1415	23rd Mar., 1896	Wm. Cragg	99 0 30	Parishes of Illawarra and Bellaura
"	"	1517	4th Oct., 1897	W. Thomas	25 1 5	McLean's Reef
"	Raglan	1471	5th Oct., 1896	J. Provis	7 1 22	Waterloo South
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	1507*	8th Dec., 1884	The Black Hill Co. N. L.	16 1 5	Black Hill
"	"	1869*	8th Jan., 1889	The Black Hill Co. N. L.	75 0 12	"
"	"	2393*	14th Nov., 1893	The Black Hill Co. N. L.	12 1 23	"
"	"	2789*	28th May, 1895	The Black Hill Co. N. L.	5 0 13	"
"	"	3013	20th Oct., 1896	G. R. Pratt	27 3 0	St. Helen
"	"	3118	7th April, 1897	R. Lewis	26 1 16	Parish of Yarrowee
"	Creswick	2868*	5th May, 1895	W. Tennant	36 2 0	Parish of Creswick
"	"	2923*	"	W. Tennant	36 2 30	Borough of Creswick
"	"	2973	5th Oct., 1896	A. G. Chaffer	13 0 25	Wombat
"	"	3015	"	M. Malone and another	32 1 37	Parish of Korweinguboora
"	Smythe's Creek	1606	14th April, 1883	E. Morey	6 3 34	Linton
"	"	2552	2nd Oct., 1894	J. Ferguson and another	28 0 36	"
"	"	2655	9th Oct., 1894	D. Glasgow	23 1 11	Cooney's Hill
"	"	2900	23rd Mar., 1896	W. Bell the younger	23 1 32	Pitfield Plains
"	"	3081	28th April, 1897	J. M. Hickson	27 0 8	Parish of Clarksdale
"	"	3382	"	J. M. Hickson	27 1 9	"
"	"	3109	2nd April, 1897	W. Coates	27 2 15	Parish of Argyll
"	"	3121	28th April, 1897	J. M. Hickson	26 2 30	Derwent Jacks
"	"	3122	"	J. M. Hickson	29 1 15	"
"	"	3201	15th Nov., 1897	W. E. Baker	27 3 19	Parish of Argyll
"	Blackwood	3078	16th Mar., 1897	J. Williams	29 3 23	Parish of Blackwood
Beechworth	Beechworth	3878	7th April, 1897	J. Spencer and others	25 1 5	Sydney Reef
"	"	3879	28th April, 1897	J. Spencer	8 1 4	Lower Three-mile Creek
"	"	4096	4th Oct., 1897	G. S. E. Anderson and another	29 3 29	Baddy Hill
"	"	4097	"	R. L. Guthwaite and others	29 0 18	"
"	"	4098	"	D. Slater, jun., and another	29 1 24	"
"	"	4102	4th Oct., 1897	S. J. Warnock	18 3 28	Palmerston
"	Yaakandandah	3708	21st Sept., 1896	W. Hine	25 3 39	Parish of Wooragee
"	"	3709	5th Oct., 1896	W. Hine	26 3 18	"
"	Euckland (Bright)	2867	30th Mar., 1897	C. McDonald	22 3 0	Harrierville
"	"	4110	15th Nov., 1897	L. Ellison	32 3 1	near Wandiligong
"	Goulburn (Wood's Point)	3570	23rd Mar., 1896	Lady Brassey G. M. Co. N. L.	37 3 15	Spring Hill
"	"	3582	28th April, 1897	A. Schmidt	22 1 0	near Wood's Point
"	"	3883	"	A. Schmidt	20 3 18	"
"	"	4013	4th Oct., 1897	G. D. Mendell	29 3 34	Raspberry Creek
"	Goulburn (Jamieson)	3844	30th Mar., 1897	P. Fontaine	17 3 23	Mt. Terrible
"	"	3855*	"	W. Higgins	32 0 36	Head of Cable Creek
"	"	3893	28th April, 1897	E. J. Longmore	28 2 39	Baker's Creek
"	"	3955	13th April, 1897	F. Longmore	30 0 17	"
"	"	3939	6th July, 1897	W. Knowles	30 0 0	Cable Creek
"	Goulburn (Alexandra)	3561	23rd Mar., 1896	E. T. Poppel	31 1 4	Parish of Alexandra
"	"	3946	4th Oct., 1897	A. Pfaff	29 1 16	Kanumbra
"	Indigo (Chiltern)	4025	6th Sept., 1897	T. C. Reynolds	38 2 37	Chiltern West
"	Mitta Mitta (Dark River)	3413	30th April, 1895	J. Gram	26 3 14	Dark River
"	"	3908	28th April, 1897	Glen Tana G. M. Co. N. L.	16 0 31	"
"	Mitta Mitta (Tallangatta)	3716	5th Oct., 1896	W. Lightbound	26 0 37	Parish of Burrungabugge
"	Mitta Mitta (Corryong)	4049	4th Oct., 1897	J. Button and others	2 2 1	Mt. Elliott
Castlemaine	Fryer's Creek	3908	15th Nov., 1897	I. R. Watson	22 0 24	Moonlight
"	"	3909	"	W. R. Williams	21 3 2	"
"	Taradale	3482	16th Sept., 1895	J. Smith and another	16 0 18	Victoria Reef
"	Taradale (Kyneton)	3324	23rd April, 1894	H. Meyer	11 2 15	Gambetta Reef
"	Tarrngower	3884	4th Oct., 1897	J. C. Williams and another	15 1 10	Parish of Maldon
"	St. Andrew's	3549	23rd Mar., 1896	G. McKay	24 0 14	Parish of Woori Yallock
"	"	3576	28th April, 1897	J. Quigley and another	25 3 19	Parish of Monbulk
"	"	3638	7th April, 1897	D. McLeish	8 1 0	Parish of Flowerdale
"	"	3641	4th Sept., 1896	The Ghost Gully G. M. Co. N. L.	24 0 2	Parish of Burgoyne
"	"	3673	20th Oct., 1896	E. Wood	20 1 3	Parish of Brimbunga
"	"	3674	5th Oct., 1896	C. E. Cowan and another	26 0 16	Reefton
"	"	3810	13th April, 1897	J. Ure and another	23 0 21	Beenak
"	"	3887	4th Oct., 1897	J. R. Kefford and another	25 0 0	Parish of Warrandyte
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	2157*	24th June, 1895	J. B. Gilbert	20 0 3	South of Mt. Lookout
"	"	2497	21st Sept., 1896	D. McClelland	29 2 37	Donnelly's Creek
"	"	2598	3rd Mar., 1897	P. Hannan and another	32 1 8	Fear Not Gully
"	"	2662	"	P. Hannan and another	32 1 11	Walhalla
"	"	2663	"	P. Hannan and another	32 1 11	"
"	Mitchell River	2890	16th Mar., 1897	G. S. Pinniger	28 2 14	Deptford
"	"	2683	"	S. R. Bellingham and another	27 3 21	Smythe's Creek
"	" (Bruthen)	2507	21st Sept., 1896	W. Stelner and another	29 3 19	Nowa Nowa
"	Omeo	2450	5th Oct., 1896	R. Yuille and another	14 0 37	Sheep Station Creek
"	"	2517	"	E. Gatenby	21 1 36	Mt. Wills
"	"	2766	28th April, 1897	P. H. G. P. S. Conant	18 0 34	Wombat Creek
"	"	2771	"	W. Sturrock	29 3 20	Mt. Wills
"	"	2772	"	J. Keane	30 0 7	"
"	"	2775	"	V. E. F. McArthur and another	12 1 18	"
"	"	2781	"	G. Grady	13 1 12	One Speck Creek

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

MINING LEASES DECLARED VOID—continued.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Lessees.	Area.	Locality.
					A. R. P.	
Gold Mining Leases—continued.						
Gippsland	Omeo	2943	4th Oct., 1897	J. Biggs	11 1 30	Mt. Wills
"	"	2954	"	R. Forsyth	29 3 2	Que Speck Creek
"	"	2955	"	W. Galway and another	29 0 9	"
"	(Orbost)	2845	30th Oct., 1897	L. Herbert and others	9 3 15	Parish of Nungal
"	Jericho	2631	13th Mar., 1897	D. J. O'Sullivan	24 2 28	Jericho
"	"	2877	17th Aug., 1897	D. C. McDougall and another	12 3 13	Dry Creek
"	Tarwin	2127	23rd April, 1895	W. R. Jackson	21 0 33	Parish of Wonga Wonga South
"	Crooked River	2473	16th Mar., 1897	A. J. Hodgkinson	29 3 34	Upper Dargo
"	"	2487	5th Oct., 1896	A. J. Hodgkinson	18 1 10	Parish of Mullawyo
"	"	2557	2nd April, 1897	T. Connolly and another	14 1 13	Parish of Quag-Munjie
"	"	2734	13th April, 1897	The North Gippsland Proprietary Co. N. L.	20 0 26	Crooked River
Maryborough	Maryborough	4011	28th April, 1897	F. W. Trompf	24 3 37	Waterloo Flat
"	Dunolly	3975	30th Mar., 1897	C. Williamson	26 0 30	Eddington
"	"	3977	28th April, 1897	A. A. Foster and another	24 0 0	Moliagul
"	"	3985	"	J. Liddell and another	32 2 14	"
"	"	4006	"	S. R. Snow and another	14 0 21	"
"	"	4016	"	R. Matthews	13 2 12	Inkerman
"	"	4030	30th Oct., 1897	A. A. Foster and another	12 1 3	Moliagul
"	"	4031	28th April, 1897	James Mason	19 1 35	"
"	Avoca	3907	20th Oct., 1896	D. Solomon and another	39 3 4	South of Pyrences Reef
"	"	4089	15th Nov., 1897	T. D. Hughes and another	20 0 8	Paddy's Gully
"	"	4090	4th Oct., 1897	W. H. Wooldridge	29 2 17	North-east of Moonambel
"	"	4129	19th Oct., 1897	Jno. Roberts	18 3 10	Parish of Glenmuna
"	"	4148	15th Nov., 1897	T. D. Hughes and another	21 1 8	Paddy's Gully
"	Amherst	3899	7th April, 1897	T. Baker	31 3 0	Parish of Bung Bong
"	Inglewood	3875	20th Oct., 1896	The Sunrise G. M. Co. N. L.	30 0 0	Parish of Inglewood
"	"	3968	30th Mar., 1897	J. W. Pennington	28 0 34	Burke's Flat
"	"	3987	13th April, 1897	R. F. Dawson	31 0 25	Inglewood
Sandhurst	Sandhurst	6916	8th Sept., 1896	G. Phillips	22 1 2	Parish of Sandhurst
"	"	6925	9th Sept., 1896	J. G. Smith and others	8 2 6	Parish of Whirakee
"	"	6988	23rd Mar., 1896	W. Regan and another	16 1 34	Sparrowhawk
"	"	6796	21st Sept., 1896	Excelsior Red White and Blue Co. Ltd.	26 3 16	Parish of Sandherst
"	"	6816	5th Oct., 1896	E. S. Kenney and another	27 3 0	Diamond Hill
"	"	6875	21st Jan., 1897	G. Oldfield, jun.	4 0 32.5	Parish of Mandurang
"	"	6888	16th Mar., 1897	J. L. Carter	5 1 12	Parish of Marong
"	"	6913	30th Mar., 1897	G. W. Hosken	2 3 6	Diamond Hill
"	"	6980	28th April, 1897	E. Buckland	35 2 25	Sugarloaf Range
"	"	7035	15th Nov., 1897	W. Johnstone	24 2 28	Bird's Reef
"	Eaglehawk	6351	2nd Oct., 1893	J. Mani	15 3 12	Parish of Nerring
"	"	6512*	16th Oct., 1894	J. Tenby	11 1 8	Job's Gully
"	"	6676	24th Feb., 1896	F. Harritable	10 0 18	Sebastian
"	"	6734	23rd Mar., 1896	S. H. McGowan	9 3 25	Eaglehawk
"	"	6804	5th Oct., 1896	S. H. McGowan	11 0 20	Sebastian
"	Kilmore	6830	14th Dec., 1896	W. P. Jones	16 0 2	Reedy Creek
"	"	6879	16th Mar., 1897	M. Doolan and another	18 3 1	Parish of Derril
"	Heathcote	6715	17th April, 1896	A. R. Cane	36 0 27	Parish of Custerfield
Lease of Reserved Lands.						
Maryborough	Tarnagulla	2C5*	30th June, 1896	F. Pickersgill	11 3 8	Tarnagulla
Leases of Private Property.						
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	3635	4th Oct., 1897	E. Symons	3 0 11	Parish of Ballaarat
"	Smythe's Creek	3395	19th Oct., 1897	C. Hanlon	908 3 4	Parish of Kuruc-a-ruc
Castlemaine	Paradale (Kyneton)	1208	24th Feb., 1890	J. Bennis and another	69 2 33	Lauriston
"	Tarngower	3599	19th Oct., 1897	J. Butcher	74 0 16	Muckfold
"	St. Andrew's	3493	15th Nov., 1897	D. J. W. McHaffie	27 1 2	Black Flat
Maryborough	Dunolly	3505	4th Oct., 1897	W. Shaw	258 0 9	Bot Bet
"	Maryborough	3592	4th Oct., 1897	A. Michelson	22 1 0	Havelock

* Declared void on an application, under section 31 of Act 1514, for an inquiry.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

MINING LEASE.

THE undermentioned Mining Lease, with the lessee's name, extent of ground leased, and annual rent reserved, has been recently issued, and is now awaiting execution by the lessee. If the lease be not executed within the period prescribed by the regulations under which the application for such lease shall have been made it 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—
						A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£	
Beechworth	Buckland (Bright)	4111	13.12.97	15	S. R. Moodie	148 3 3	18 12 6	1	Bright

* Issued in lieu of Nos. 3686, 3687, 3688, 3689, 3690, 3775, and 3861, surrendered. Fine, £7.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

HY. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines.

COMPANIES AUDITORS' BOARD.

THE following is a complete List of Persons licensed up to the present date under provisions of Section 31 of the Companies Act 1896 to act as Auditors for Companies:—

Abraham; Abraham Shachtel, Melbourne
 Ahsalom, William, Melbourne
 Acheson, William Morrin, Ballarat
 Adamson; John, Melbourne
 Aikins; John, Ballarat
 Ainslie, William, Stawell
 Akins, Edgar Alfred, Ballarat
 Allan, William Alexander, Melbourne
 Amess, Samuel, jun., Melbourne
 Anderson; Robert Caldwell, Melbourne
 Anderson, Walter James, Melbourne
 Annells, George Richard, Adelaide
 Armstrong, Joseph, Walthalla
 Arnold; William Bowman, Melbourne
 Atkinson; Edward Henry, Hamilton

Baillieu, Arthur Sydney, Melbourne
 Bainbridge; Joseph Procter, jun., Melbourne

Baker, John Alfred, Melbourne
 Balding; Edwin Gerald, Melbourne
 Balfour-Melville, Robert Andrew Agnew, Melbourne

Bannister, Henry, Geelong
 Barker, Charles, Ballarat
 Barker, George Henderson, Ballarat
 Barker, John Martin, Ballarat
 Barker, Louis Irving, Melbourne
 Barker, William Weeks, Bendigo
 Barkla; Thomas, Melbourne
 Barlow, Arthur, Melbourne
 Barnacle, John, Melbourne
 Barnet, David Tod, Footscray
 Barr, Robert, Fitzroy
 Barrows, James, Mildura
 Bartlett, Sidney, Corryong
 Batten, Henry John, Ballarat
 Battersby, Nathaniel, Melbourne
 Beattie, David, Melbourne
 Beattie, Robert, Melbourne
 Bechervaise, Edward, Geelong
 Beilby, Walter, Melbourne
 Bell, Joseph, Mincha
 Bell, Louis Morrison, Traralgon
 Bentley, John Gowán, Melbourne
 Bicknell, Henry John, South Melbourne
 Billinghurst, Faircombe Lovett, Castle-maine

Birch, Henry, Bendigo
 Black, Alexander, Macarthur
 Blackham, William George, Bendigo
 Blackwell, Richard Thomas, Melbourne
 Bloomfield, Arthur Stoughton, Melbourne
 Bolton, Stuart Blacker, Horsham
 Bosher, David Thomas, Ballarat
 Bouilly, William, Melbourne
 Boyd, William, Melbourne
 Brentnall, Thomas, Melbourne
 Brierley, Arthur James, Sydney
 Bristow, George Brutton Neave, Stawell
 Broadbent; William, Melbourne
 Brown, Adolphe Frank, Melbourne
 Brown, Edward Nathan, Melbourne
 Brown, Frank, Kangaroo Flat
 Brown, Henry Blomfield, Geelong
 Brown, William Gilmour, Melbourne
 Brownell, Peter James, Melbourne
 Buckland, Thomas John, Ascot Vale
 Buckley, Frederick Alexis, Kyneton
 Buckley, George Edman, Melbourne
 Bunce, Thomas Gregory, Ballarat
 Burchett, Caleb, Poowong
 Burgess; Frank Percy, Melbourne
 Burns, Andrew, Melbourne
 Butler, John Herbert, Melbourne
 Butler, Richard Harding, Melbourne
 Buzzard, Charles Colby, Melbourne

Cahir, John James, Ballarat
 Callaway, Henry George, Melbourne
 Cameron, James Prince, Melbourne
 Cameron, William Cunningham, Melbourne
 Campton, William John Tasman, Melbourne
 Carney, Thomas Patrick, Melbourne
 Carr, Henry Alexander, Walthalla
 Carr, Robert Cockburn, Melbourne
 Carrie, Gilbert, Daylesford
 Carter, William, Hamilton
 Cattanaeh, William, Flemington
 Chalk, John Alfred, Ballarat
 Cheatham, Frank Pickersgill, Dunolly
 Christophers, Henry Albert Marquis, Melbourne
 Christy, William Arthur, Ballarat
 Cleveland, Arthur William, Melbourne

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Coffey, William James, Adelaide
 Connan, James Alexander, North Carlton
 Connell; John Minton, Melbourne
 Connor, Robert Arthur Henry, Yarram
 Cooke, Courtenay; Melbourne
 Cooper, Charles Alfred, Melbourne
 Cordner, Henry, St. Kilda
 Cox, William Mason, Melbourne
 Cozens, David, Milawa
 Craig, James Henry, Bendigo
 Crawford, James John, Koroit
 Creaton, Stanley, Melbourne
 Creeth, William Frederick, Bendigo
 Creeth, William James, Bendigo
 Crellin, Edward Douglas, Melbourne
 Crofts, John Drake, Bendigo
 Croker, Edward Joseph, Richmond
 Cross, Henry, Hamilton
 Crosthwaite, William Hey, Melbourne
 Cummins, George Marshall, Melbourne
 Cummins, Walter Ashley, Melbourne
 Cunningham, James, Beechworth
 Curnow, James Henry, Bendigo

Dalton, Walter Edwin, Adelaide
 Daly, William John, Melbourne
 Danby, Frederick Wootton, Melbourne
 Daniel, George Henry, Sneaton
 Davey, Thomas James, Melbourne
 Davies, George Schoen, Melbourne
 Davies, William, Abbotsford
 Davis, Clement Henry, Melbourne
 Dawson, Peter, Melbourne
 Day, Herbert William, Geelong
 Densum, Richard Crigge, Daylesford
 Densham, William, Melbourne
 Derrick, John, Lancefield
 Dill, Joseph Hamilton, Ballarat
 Ditchburn, John, Melbourne
 Dixon, Charles David, Melbourne
 Dodd, Walter Henry, Coolgardie, W.A.
 Donovan, Patrick James, Tamleugh West
 Dorrington, William Howitt, Tallangatta
 Douglas, William Smellie, Melbourne
 Douglass, Charles Wade, Bendigo
 Dowding, Edwin Percy, Talbot
 Downes, Frederick Courthope, Ballarat
 Downing, Joseph Tregarthen, Melbourne
 Driffield, Lancelot Curdon, Melbourne
 Dunne, Michael John, Warrnambool
 Dunstan, Henry, Yackandandah
 Dwyer, Athanasius Thomas, Melbourne

Ellis, Christopher Waltham, Melbourne
 Emery, Frederick Richard, Port Fairy
 Erwin, Henry, Newbridge
 Evans, Oliver Rhys, Port Fairy
 Eyres, Charles, Ballarat

Faulkhead, Nathaniel Drier, North Fitzroy
 Fennell, William Garde, Melbourne
 Fenton, Isaac, Melbourne
 Ferdinando, Benjamin James, Melbourne
 Ferguson, Robert Alexander, Melbourne
 Field, Frederick James, Maryborough
 Field, William, Geelong
 Finlayson, William Govan, Ballarat
 Flack, Edwin Harold, Melbourne
 Flanders, John Gray, Mortlake
 Fletcher, John, Beechworth
 Flint, Arthur Reginald, Melbourne
 Flint, William Summers, Melbourne
 Follen, Isaac Clement, Melbourne
 Foley, Francis Joseph, Ivanhoe
 Foley, William Henry Tennent, Ivanhoe
 Ford, Richard, Melbourne
 Fosbery, Godfrey Montague, Melbourne
 Fraser, Robert, Melbourne
 Fuller, Arthur John, Melbourne

Geilhofer, Richard Ludwig Frederick, Warrnambool
 Gibson, James, Melbourne
 Giddy, William Henry, Melbourne
 Gilbert, William Paige, Avoca
 Gilfillan, James Blair, Melbourne
 Gillman, George, Melbourne
 Gill, William Rothwell, Bendigo
 Gilmour, Andrew, Melbourne
 Gladstones, Robert, Melbourne

Glennie, Atheling Alexander Edgar, Melbourne
 Godden, Danvers, Melbourne
 Goodall, Thomas, Warrnambool
 Gorman, Owen, Furnim
 Gray, Zachariah, Melbourne
 Grieve, Robert Alexander Proudfoot, St. Arnaud
 Grieve, Robert William Chalmers, Stawell
 Gudgeon, Wilfred Wayth, Melbourne
 Gurr, Edward George, Geelong

Hall, John Edward, Footscray
 Hamilton, Duncan Roxburgh, Bendigo
 Harris, Thomas William, Footscray
 Harrison, Alfred, Warracknabeal
 Hastings, Edward Percival, Melbourne
 Haughton, William, Box Hill
 Hawkins, Samuel Proudfoot, Portland
 Head, John, Melbourne
 Heather, Edward Drinkall, South Melbourne
 Hemming, John, Bendigo
 Henry, Thomas Edward Campbell, Portland

Herald, David, Melbourne
 Higgins, John, Melbourne
 Hill, William Clisby, Melbourne
 Hills, Tom Agg, Melbourne
 Hindle, Joseph Ilingworth, Tallangatta
 Hiscock, Walter George, Melbourne
 Hodgson, Robert Lord, Melbourne
 Hogg, Thomas, Melbourne
 Holden, George Frederick, Wallace
 Holman, Herbert Hensley, Perth, W.A.
 Holmes, Charles Morell, Melbourne
 Holt, William, Melbourne
 Hooke, Frederick Garnsey, Melbourne
 Hooke, Robert William England, Hawthorn
 Howden, John McAlister, Melbourne
 Huggins, Thomas Sharpe, Melbourne
 Hunt, Ebenezer, Melbourne
 Hunt, Samuel Bagster, Melbourne
 Hunter, Alexander, Ballarat
 Hunter, William, Hawthorn
 Hyndman, William Moody, Melbourne

Isles, Henry Bunkin, Warrnambool
 Ivory, Henry James, Melbourne

Jackson, John, Melbourne
 Jackson, William, Ballarat
 Jacobs, William Bird, South Melbourne
 Jarvie, William Pemberton, Melbourne
 Jenkins, John Shanks, Melbourne
 Jenkinson, Edward Dickson, South Yarra
 Johnson, John Simpson, Kyneton
 Johnston, Robert, Melbourne
 Jordan, Hugh Thom, Melbourne
 Joy, Frederick George, Melbourne

Kay, David, Lilydale
 Kay, Edward, Adelaide
 Kay, George Adam, Melbourne
 Kell, Andrew, Port Fairy
 Kempson, Augustus Henry, Kerang
 Kempson, Peter Quartus, Stawell
 Kent, Charles, Ballarat
 Kidd, Thomas, Melbourne
 Kirton, William Milburn, Ballarat
 Kitchen, Joseph Valentine, Ballarat

Lambert, Robert Mann, Ballarat
 Lancaster, James Henry, South Melbourne
 Langford, Albert Edward, Melbourne
 Leary, Francis James, Geelong
 Letts, George, Horsham
 Levey, Felix, Melbourne
 Levinsohn, Levi, Melbourne
 Love, John Dickson, Tatura
 Lovell, Reginald Henry, Melbourne
 Lowe, Robert Ernest, Melbourne
 Luckie, Alfred Mackenzie, Kilmoro

Macdonald, Alexander Cameron, Melbourne
 Macdonald, John, Melbourne
 Macintosh, Theodotus James, Melbourne
 Mack, James Smith, Warrnambool
 Mack, Joseph, Warrnambool
 Mackenzie, Robert William Berry, Melbourne
 Macmeikan, James, Melbourne
 Magnus, Gustav, Stawell West
 Marquand, George, Melbourne
 Marquand, George Lyell, Melbourne
 Marriott, Henry Geary, Melbourne
 Marshall, John, Melbourne
 Martin, Thomas, Ballarat
 Mason, Benjamin Shaw, Melbourne
 Mason, Valentine Frank, Melbourne
 Matthews, Frederick John, Clunes
 Mellor, Alfred, Melbourne
 Meudell, George Dick, Melbourne
 Meudell, William, Toorak
 Meudell, William Grant, Melbourne
 Mewton, William Arthur, Melbourne
 Millson, John Bourne, Warrnambool
 Miners, Thomas Carthew, Maryborough
 Miscamble, Frederick Wilson, Melbourne
 Moir, James Edwin, Richmond
 Moore, Arthur Capper, Melbourne
 Moore, Frederick Thomas, Armadale
 Moore, Frederick Thomas, Benalla
 Moore, Joseph, Creswick
 Moore, Timothy Steadman, Benalla
 Morley, Alban Cyril, Parkville
 Morres, Leslie Byron, Melbourne
 Morrison, Alexander Thomson, Ballarat
 Morrison, Archibald Maenaught, Beechworth
 Morton, Richard Taylor, Melbourne
 Morton, Thomas Richards Burrowes, Melbourne
 Murphy, Joseph, Melbourne
 Murray, Allan, Ballarat
 Murray, George Houston, Yarragon
 Myers, Clove, Geelong
 MacDougal, Finlay John, Melbourne
 McArthur, Donald, South Melbourne
 McCallum, John Campbell, Port Fairy
 McCallum, Samuel Cameron, Heidelberg
 McColl, George Guthrie, Melbourne
 McCracken, George Vernon, Geelong
 McCrimble, Andrew, Melbourne
 McCulloch, James, Melbourne
 McCutcheon, Henry Gerald, Melbourne
 McGowan, Samuel Henry, Bendigo
 McIntosh, Henry, Morwell
 McKiernin, William Henry, Melbourne
 McLeod, Donald, Daylesford
 McMeekin, John, Mortlake
 McNair, Robert, Bendigo
 McNamara, Michael Quealy, Benalla
 McQuie, James Blackmore, Melbourne

Nacken, Henry, Sydney
 Nankivell, Thomas, Coolgardie, W. A.
 Neeson, John, Bendigo
 Nicholas, Frank George Turner, Perth, W. A.
 Nicholson, David, Tragowel
 Nicholson, George, Melbourne
 Nickolls, Henry Berkeley, Melbourne
 Norman, Frank, Korat
 Norris, Harry Gould, Melbourne
 North, Henry Yalden, Bendigo
 Northcott, William Palmer, Creswick
 Norton, Clyde Bicknell, Melbourne

Oakley, Augustus Walter, Melbourne
 Oehr, Rudolph John, Melbourne
 Officer, Frank Suetonius, Melbourne
 Ogilvy, Adam Loftus, Mirboo North
 Oldham, Henry Ross, Mildura
 Osborne, George Henry, St. Arnaud
 Osborne, Thomas Hamilton Treacy, Warrnambool
 Outtrim, Frederick Thomas, Maryborough
 O'Halloran, James Bernard, Benalla
 O'Meara, James Thomas Fatterson, Melbourne

Palmer, Frederick, Melbourne
 Park, James Charles, Melbourne
 Paterson, Duncan Aubrey, Melbourne

Paterson, James Edward, Sale
 Paterson, William, Melbourne
 Pegler, George Henry, Malvern
 Petrie, George Alexander, Bendigo
 Pevtress, John Barber, Melbourne
 Phillips, Henry Neville, Maryborough
 Pick, George, Ivanhoe
 Pike, William James, Melbourne
 Pitman, Clarence, Melbourne
 Powers, Daniel, Geelong
 Pratt, William Nathaniel, Melbourne
 Price, Edwin Albert, Melbourne
 Price, Granville Sharpe, Melbourne
 Pringle, Frederick, Bendigo
 Pullman, Edwin, Melbourne
 Pyke, Eleazer, Melbourne

Rain, William, Learmonth
 Rainey, Phineas, Melbourne
 Rattray, David Grant, Kerang
 Reid, Andrew, Melbourne
 Reid, James, Williamstown
 Reinecke, Charles August, Adelaide
 Remington, William Francis, Melbourne
 Rennick, Charles, Coolgardie, W. A.
 Renwick, Arthur Hamilton, Warrnambool
 Richardson, Charles John, Melbourne
 Richardson, Frederick George, Surrey Hills
 Ridge, Mayhew Alfred, Melbourne
 Riley, James Henry, Melbourne
 Robb, John, Daylesford
 Robertson, George, Elsternwick
 Robertson, John Alexander, South Melbourne
 Robertson, William Nolan, Melbourne
 Roche, Joseph Francis, Melbourne
 Rogers, Charles Henry, Melbourne
 Rogers, John Edward, Ballarat
 Rollason, Thomas, Melbourne
 Rooke, Thomas, Melbourne
 Ross, Murray, Melbourne
 Ross, Robert, Ballarat
 Round, Charles Henry, Warragul
 Rucker, William Sigismund, Melbourne
 Ruffle, George, Melbourne
 Runting, William James, Melbourne
 Ryan, John Patrick, Nhill

Salmon, Philip Walter, Talbot
 Salmon, William Frederick, Melbourne
 Salthouse, Alfred, Melbourne
 Sanger, Harry Edward, Bendigo
 Sauerbrey, John George, Bendigo
 Saunders, Arthur Francis William, Oakleigh
 Sawers, John, Bendigo
 Scarlett, Frederick, Melbourne
 Schmidt, Adolphus, Melbourne
 Schroeder, Ehrenfried, Castlemaine
 Scott, Allan, Melbourne
 Scott, George, Sale
 Selby, George William, Melbourne
 Sevier, George Ogilvy, Hamilton
 Shackell, Edward Herbert, Melbourne
 Shackell, Robert Henry, Melbourne
 Shadders, Richard Steel, Melbourne
 Sharp, William Thomas Valentine, Melbourne
 Shattock, Edward, Melbourne
 Sinclair, Hugh William, Melbourne
 Sinecock, William Flamank, Melbourne
 Slattery, John James, Castlemaine
 Small, William, Melbourne
 Small, William Paul, Melbourne
 Smart, John Johnston, Toorak
 Smibert, Charles Ritchie, Melbourne
 Smith, Benjamin Doughty, Melbourne
 Smith, Henry Windle Cleverdon, Melbourne
 Smith, Hervey Percival, Melbourne
 Smith, John, Horsham
 Smith, John Kennedy, Bairnsdale
 Smith, Richard Thomas, Melbourne
 Smith, Sidney, Warrnambool
 Smyth, Walter Edward Frank, Ballarat
 Snowball, Fitzgerald, Melbourne
 Spillman, John Forbes, Ballarat
 Spooner, Charles Herbert, London
 Sprigg, William Gardiner, Melbourne
 Stacey, Theodore Charles, Melbourne
 Stanfield, John George, Bendigo
 Stevenson, William Ernest, Bendigo
 Stillman, Thomas William, Melbourne
 Stobie, David Grieve, Melbourne

Strangward, West Outtrim, Melbourne
 Stribling, Edward, Euroa
 Stubbs, John, Shepparton
 Sugden, Robert Johnson, South Melbourne
 Swift, William George, Northcote
 Swifte, Edmund-Henry Lenthal, Ballarat
 Sydenham, George Francis, Colac
 Tait, Peter Wares, Camperdown
 Tatlock, Alfred James Rolland, Hamilton
 Taylor, Frederick Augustus, Ararat
 Taylor, Henry D'Esterre, Melbourne
 Taylor, John, Hawksburn
 Taylor, Robert James, Daylesford
 Taylor, Samuel Charles Palmer, Melbourne
 Taylor, William Medhurst, Melbourne
 Templeton, Colin, Melbourne
 Thomas, William, Tandara
 Thompson, Henry, Melbourne
 Thompson, William Daniel, Ballarat
 Thorp, William Henry, Melbourne
 Tilley Thomas, Kensington
 Tolstrup, Charles, Castlemaine
 Tope, Richard, South Melbourne
 Treyvaud, Louis Samuel, Rushworth
 Tuckett, Charles Helton, Melbourne
 Tuckett, Philip Sydney, Melbourne
 Tuckett, William Henry, Melbourne
 Tulloch, Thomas Yelf, Melbourne
 Tulloch, William George, Melbourne
 Tulloh, George Henry, Portland
 Turner, Hugh Gemmill, Melbourne
 Tweddell, Richard Ellidge, Melbourne
 Tyler, John Chatfield, Melbourne

Underwood, Henry Albert, Melbourne
 Urquhart, James, Melbourne

Vaile, Cyril Elmes, Melbourne
 Valentine, Andrew McClure, Melbourne
 Valentine, John, Melbourne
 Venman, William Tuckey, Melbourne
 Vines, Caleb, Echuca
 Virtue, Ernest Evenden, Maryborough

Walker, David, Ballarat
 Walker, Donald, Bendigo
 Walker, Harry, Eldorado
 Walker, Samuel, Ballarat
 Walker, William, Melbourne
 Walker, William Bain, Eaglehawk
 Wall, Alfred Henry, Port Fairy
 Wall, William James, Port Fairy
 Wallace, Robert, Melbourne
 Walters, Herbert Augustus, Melbourne
 Warne, James, Melbourne
 Warnock, Samuel James, Melbourne
 Watkin, Edwin James, East Melbourne
 Webb, Edward Joseph, Ballarat
 Webster, William, Ballarat
 Welch, Lionel John Samuel, Collingwood
 West, Roderick MacDonald, Ballarat
 West, Walter, Traralgon
 White, John, Shepparton
 White, Richard, Kilmore
 Whitfield, John Anderson, Geelong West
 Whitton, Percy, Melbourne
 Wilcox, Horace Alexander, Melbourne
 Wilkinson, Louis Charles, Melbourne
 Williams, Arthur Gowan Shann, Melbourne
 Williams, Ivor Josiah, Warrnambool
 Williams, Richard, Rosedale
 Williamson, Charles Alexander, Melbourne
 Williamson, Robert Wilson, Melbourne
 Willmott, William Charles, Middle Park
 Wilson, Edwin Lionel, Melbourne
 Wilson, Frederick George, Melbourne
 Wilson, Frederick Hamilton, Melbourne
 Wilson, William, Castlemaine
 Wiseman, Albert Thomas, Melbourne
 Wood, Eric Inglis, Melbourne
 Wood, Frederick George, Melbourne
 Woodfall, Arthur, Melbourne
 Woodforde, Frank Dudley, Adelaide
 Woodward, Thomas, Melbourne
 Woolcott, James Dyer, Ballarat
 Woolton, Horace Edgar, Melbourne
 Wright, George, Melbourne
 Wright, Matthew James, Geelong
 Wynne, Charles, Melbourne

Young, Archibald James, Geelong
 Young, James, Daylesford.

S. WHITEHEAD,
 Secretary, Companies Auditors' Board

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1896-9.)

Contract No.	No. of Service.	Particulars of Contract.	Amount per annum.	Name for Approval.	—
1010	979	POST OFFICE— To and from Great Southern and Rutherglen, six days a week, from 1st December, 1897, to 30th June, 1899, at the rate of £13 per annum	£ s. d. 13 0 0	W. J. Thomas ...	Conveyance of Letters, &c., 1898-9.
1011	801	Addition to Contract No. 696, for increasing the frequency between Queenscliff and Point Lonsdale from three days to six days a week, from the 27th December, 1897, to 24th April, 1898, at the rate of £15 10s. per annum	15 10 0	John Burn ...	

Corrigenda.

Contract No. 915, gazetted 4th June, 1897, p. 2109, name of contractor should be E. Liebschwager, in lieu of E. Siebschwager.
Contract No. 1008, *Gazette*, 14th January, 1898, p. 87, name of contractor should be Helen Freeman.
Contract No. 1009, *Gazette*, 14th January, 1898, p. 87, name of contractor should be A. S. McLean.

The undermentioned Contracts have been cancelled, viz.:

Contract No. 597, Service No. 665, George Logan, from the 8th January, 1898, £10 per annum.
Contract No. 128, Service No. 139, D. A. Andrade, from the 8th January, 1898, £14 per annum.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

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.
MINES—					
1674	Cutting track 193, at 3s. 4d. per chain. Deposit, £5	Rates ...	Chas. Hamilton ...	Loans, 1897-8 ...	Hy. Foster. 5.1.98.
1675	Clearing and cutting track 165, section 2, at 6s. per chain	Ditto ...	A. R. McDonald ...	Ditto ...	Hy. Foster. 14.1.98.
1676	Cutting and clearing track 279, at 2s. 4d. per chain	Ditto ...	G. Brettner ...	Ditto ...	Hy. Foster. 15.1.98.
RAILWAYS—					
1677	(2)—Supply and delivery of engine coal for one year, ending 31st December, 1898:— At Melbourne—Lambton Colliery Co., of New South Wales; Burwood Coal Co., of New South Wales; Dudley Coal Co.; Newcastle Wallsend Coal Co., of New South Wales; Newcastle Coal Mining Co., of New South Wales—at 10s. 10d. per ton; Kembla Coal Co., at 10s. 4d. per ton ... At Geelong—Lambton Colliery Co., of New South Wales; Burwood Coal Co., of New South Wales; Dudley Coal Co.; Newcastle Wallsend Coal Co., of New South Wales; Newcastle Coal Mining Co., of New South Wales—at 11s. per ton; Kembla Coal Co., of New South Wales, at 10s. 6d. per ton. Deposit, £950	Rates ...	Jas. Paterson and Co. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons Ltd. McIlwraith, McEacharn, and Co. Propy. Ltd. Huddart, Parker, and Co. Prop. Ltd. Adelaide Steamship Co. Ltd. Melbourne Steamship Co. Ltd.	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20	R. G. Kent, Secretary, by order of the Railways Commissioner. 19.1.98.
1678	(2)—Supply and delivery of 100 400-gallon tanks, at 54s. each, at Spencer-street. Deposit, £10	Ditto ...	Wm. Howard Smith and Sons Ltd.	Ditto ...	
1679	(2)—Manufacture and delivery of 500 wrought-iron cradles. Deposit, £25	250 0 0	Sinclair Bros.	Ditto ...	
1680	(4)—Additions and alterations to station-master's residence at Numurkah. Deposit, £18	182 10 5	John Livingstone	Votes and Loans ...	
WORKS—					
1681	(4)—Repairs to stone work, roofs, &c. Supreme Court, Geelong. Deposit, £10	197 15 0	W. Sadler ...	60/6/1. Court Houses	
1682	(2)—Sundry works, new wards, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury. Deposit, £7	147 9 0	M. O'Meara ¹ ...	60/4/2. New Wards, Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury	
1683	(6)—Painting, &c., State School No. 1467, Prahran. Deposit, £8	159 13 0	F. Hentsch ¹ ...	60/16/1. State Schools	
1684	Extras on Contract No. 1279 of 1897-8, for general repairs to Police buildings, Bourke-street west, Melbourne	24 1 4	H. G. Morris ¹ ...	60/2/1. Police Buildings	J. W. Taverner. 20.1.98.
1685	(3)—Painting Orderly Room, Port Melbourne. Deposit, £6	114 0 0	S. Hunt ¹ ...	61/1. Defences ...	

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Corrigenda.

Railways.—*Gazette* No. 117, of 26th November, 1897, Contract No. 6829/1541/97-8, J. T. Lord, Fund should read "Act 1516, Item 13."—R. G. KENT. 19.1.98.

Works.—Contract No. 1321, of 1897-8, for dredging embankment on south side of River Yarra—contractor, M. Walsh—should be charged to "Yarra Improvements Contribution Account," not to "Act No. 1451, Treasury Bonds Loan Account 1896."—J. W. TAVERNER. 20.1.98.

Melbourne, 21st January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
BOWENVALE.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 1st February, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office at Bowenvale for a period of one, three, or five years.

The successful applicant will be required to perform all duties in connexion with the Post and Telegraph Office, Money Order Office, and Savings Bank, deliver telegrams and letters, and provide suitable public and office accommodation.

The telegraph business will be conducted by telephone.

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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

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

Offers to be indorsed "Offer for Management of Post and Telegraph Office, Bowenvale," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the tender-box at the General Post Office, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

The lowest or any offer will not necessarily be accepted.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 10th January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
BANNOCKBURN.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 1st February, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office at Bannockburn for a period of one, three, or five years.

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

Separate offers are invited for conducting the telegraph business by telephone or Morse system (new code).

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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

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

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 10th January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
RUPANYUP.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 1st March, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office, Rupanyup, for a period of one, three, or five years.

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

The business must be conducted at the premises leased by the Government during the currency of such lease.

The telegraph business to be conducted by Morse system (new code).

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
MIRBOO NORTH.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th February, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office at Mirboo North for a period of one, three, or five years.

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

The business must be conducted at the premises leased by the Government during the currency of such lease.

The telegraph business will be conducted by telephone.

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

The business must be conducted at the premises at present leased by the Government during the currency of such lease. The telegraph business will be conducted by telephone.

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
ELMORE.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 1st March, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office at Elmore for a period of one, three, or five years.

The successful applicant will be required to perform all duties in connexion with the Post and Telegraph Office, Money Order Office, and Savings Bank, deliver telegrams and letters, and provide suitable public and office accommodation.

The telegraph business will be conducted by the Morse system (new code).

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

**MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE,
KANIVA.**

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 15th February, 1898, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office, Kaniva, for a period of one, three, or five years.

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

The telegraph business to be conducted by the Morse system (new code).

The amount per annum for which the above duties will be undertaken must be stated.

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

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

Offers to be indorsed "Offer for Management of Post and Telegraph Office, Kaniva," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the tender-box at the General Post Office, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

COURTS OF PETTY SESSIONS ALTERED.

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

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The business must be conducted at the premises leased by the Government during the currency of such lease.

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F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

SHIRE OF BULB BULB.—ORDERS CONFIRMED.

ORDER UNDER SECTIONS 390 AND 391 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1890.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 390 and 391 of the *Local Government Act 1890*, the Council of the Shire of Bulb Bulb do hereby order that the land hereunder described shall be a public highway from and after the date of publication of this Order in the *Government Gazette* :—

All that piece or parcel of land, the property of the Shire of Bulb Bulb, being part of lot 3, block F, on plan of subdivision No. 3924, lodged in the Office of Titles, and being part of Crown allotment 21, parish of Neerim, county of Bulb Bulb, and being more particularly delineated and described in the certificate of title entered in the register-book, vol. 2656, fol. 531622: Commencing at a point seventy-seven links and six-tenths from north-east corner of said lot 3, block F, of allotment 21, on allotment line bearing south; thence south one hundred and five links and two-tenths; thence N. 71° 48' W. five hundred and eighty-five links and three-tenths; thence east three hundred and twenty links and two-tenths; thence S. 71° 48' E. two hundred and forty-eight links and three-tenths to the commencing point, and containing by admeasurement one rood thirty-six perches and seven-tenths, be the same a little more or less.

Such public highway is hereby declared to be in lieu of the old road hereinafter described :—

Commencing at the north-east corner of lot 3, block F, of subdivision of allotment 21, parish of Neerim; thence west two hundred and thirty-six links and one-tenth; thence N. 71° 48' W. three hundred and twenty links and two-tenths; thence east five hundred and forty links and two-tenths; thence south one hundred links to the commencing point, and containing by admeasurement one rood twenty-two perches and one-tenth, be the same a little more or less.

The common seal of the Shire of Bulb Bulb was hereunto affixed by order of the Council, dated 7th September, 1897—

(SEAL) THOS. HOGAN, President.
W. H. BARR, Councillor.
ROBERT WARD, Councillor.
W. YOUNG, Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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All that piece or parcel of land, the property of the Shire of Bulb Bulb, being part of lot 4, block F, on plan of subdivision No. 3924, lodged in the Office of Titles, and being part of Crown allotment 21, parish of Neerim, county of Bulb Bulb, and being more particularly delineated and described in the certificate of title entered in the register-book, vol. 2653, fol. 530590: Commencing on the northern boundary of lot 4, block F, of said allotment 21, at a point distant six hundred and twenty-two links from north-west corner of said lot 4, said boundary bearing east from corner; thence S. 53° 46' W. two hundred and eighty-three links and three-tenths; thence west one hundred and thirty-eight links; thence N. 71° 48' W. two hundred and sixty-three links and one-tenth; thence south one hundred and five links and two-tenths; thence S. 71° 48' E. two hundred and forty-six links and three-tenths; thence east one hundred and eighty-four links and seven-tenths; thence N. 55° 46' E. four hundred and sixty-one links; thence west one hundred and seventy-seven links and seven-tenths to the commencing point, and containing by admeasurement three roods and six perches and one-tenth, be the same a little more or less.

Such public highway is hereby declared to be in lieu of the old road hereinafter described :—

Commencing at the north-west corner of lot 4, block F, of subdivision of allotment 21, parish of Neerim; thence east six hundred and twenty-two links; thence N. 55° 46' W. one hundred and seventy-seven links and seven-tenths; thence west seven hundred and sixty-nine links; thence south one hundred links to the commencing point, and containing by admeasurement two roods and thirty-one perches and three-tenths, be the same a little more or less.

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Confirmed by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRES OF PHILLIP ISLAND AND WOOLAMAI AND POOWONG AND JEETHO.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1890* (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 petitioners purport to constitute a majority of the rate-payers in the portion of the Shire of Phillip Island and Woolamai described in their petition, and they desire that the

area so described may be severed from the said Shire of Phillip Island and Woolamai, and annexed to the Shire of Poowong and Jeetho.

Area described in petition is as follows :—Commencing at the north-east corner of allotment 62, parish of Jumbunna, county of Mornington; thence west along a sectional road to the north-west corner of same allotment; thence south along the boundary of allotments 62 and 63, parish of Jumbunna; thence southerly by the boundary of the parishes of Kongwak and Wonthaggi North to the south-west corner of allotment 13, parish of Kongwak; thence east along the southern boundary of the last-mentioned allotment to the north-east corner of (block A), allotment 9, in the same parish; thence south along the eastern boundary of allotment 9 to the Powlett River; thence south-westerly by the Powlett River to the north-west corner of allotment 29b, parish of Kirrak; thence south along the boundary of that allotment to the south-west corner of same allotment; thence east along the southern boundary of allotments 29b, 29A, 31, 32c, 33, and 42 to the south-east corner of the last-mentioned allotment, all in the parish of Kirrak; thence north along the east boundary of allotment 42 to the north-east corner of same allotment; thence east by the parish boundaries of Kongwak and Kirrak to the south-east corner of allotment 21, parish of Kongwak; thence north by the boundary of same parishes to the south-west corner of allotment 27, parish of Kongwak; thence east along the southern boundary of allotments 27, 28, 41, and 42 to the south-east corner of the parish of Kongwak; thence northerly by the east boundary of the parish of Kongwak to the north-east corner of allotment 37, in the same parish; thence westerly along the north boundaries of allotments 37, 30A, 2, 25A, 24b, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, in the parish of Kongwak; thence north along the boundaries of the parishes of Jumbunna and Jumbunna East to the commencing point.

The petitioners state that their interests are identical with those of the Shire of Poowong and Jeetho, inasmuch as their natural outlets are by roads leading through the said shire to Jumbunna and Outtrim stations; and, as they must use the roads of the Shire of Poowong and Jeetho, it is their wish to contribute towards the maintenance thereof.

The petitioners further state that the Council of the Shire of Phillip Island and Woolamai have expended next to nothing in the area proposed to be severed during the last three years, the result being that the roads are in a dangerous state and almost impassable, thereby retarding the progress of the district, and as San Remo, the municipal centre, is so remote from their holdings, it is impossible to obtain proper representation.

The petitioners therefore humbly pray that His Excellency in Council may be pleased to sever that portion of the Shire of Phillip Island and Woolamai above described, and annex same to the Jumbunna Riding of the Shire of Poowong and Jeetho.

Notices on behalf of the petitioners may be served on Mr. Richard Nutter Scott, Kongwak, *via* Korumburra.

J. W. TAVERNER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works,
(Roads and Bridges Branch),
Melbourne, 18th January, 1898.

ARTILLERY PRACTICE DURING JANUARY.

TARGET Practice will be carried on by the Victorian Permanent Artillery from the undermentioned forts from the 10th to the 29th January, 1898, 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,
Major C.V.P.A.

8th January, 1898.

ARTILLERY PRACTICE AT HASTINGS.

TARGET Practice will be carried on by the Hastings 40-Pr. Battery, between the hours of Two p.m. and Six p.m. on Friday, the 28th January, 1898.

One hour before and during practice a red flag will be hoisted from the Gun Shed, Hastings.

General Direction—E.S.E.

In accordance with the provisions of an Order in Council dated 10th March, 1887, all ships and boats should be kept at a distance of at least one mile to the right or 800 yards to the left of the line of fire for a distance of 6,000 yards from the battery.

A. E. OTTER, Lt.-Col.,
Commanding V. Rangers.

17th January, 1898.

ARTILLERY PRACTICE AT SUNBURY.

ARTILLERY Practice will be carried on by the Field Artillery Brigade at the Race-course Range, at Sunbury, on the 26th January, 1898, during the whole day.

The public are warned against the danger of handling unexploded shells.

W. KELLY, Lt.-Col.,
Comdg. Field Artillery Brigade.

18th January, 1898.

**CHARLTON WATERWORKS TRUST DISTRICT
PROCLAIMED AN "URBAN DISTRICT."**

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the *Water Act 1890* (No. 1156) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may proclaim any city, town, borough, or populous place, comprising the whole or any portion of a Waterworks District, to be an "Urban District" for the purposes of the said Act, and may name the limits thereof: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby proclaim the whole of the Waterworks District of the Charlton Waterworks Trust, as such district is limited and defined by a certain Order in Council bearing date the 21st December, 1897, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 24th December, 1897, to be an "Urban District" for the purposes and within the meaning of the said Act.

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

BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

HY. FOSTER,
Minister of Mines and Water Supply.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

BAIRNSDALE IRRIGATION AND WATER SUPPLY TRUST.—REGULATION No. 11.*

THE Commissioners of the Bairnsdale Irrigation and Water Supply Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, hereby make the following Regulation for determining the rates and charges to be paid in respect of water supplied or available for supply by the Trust within the Urban Division, and for other purposes, during the calendar year 1898:—

1. The following rates and charges are those which the owners and occupiers of lands, houses, and tenements situate in the Urban Division of the Trust area shall pay in respect of water supplied or available for supply to such lands, houses, or tenements situate on any street in which pipes for water supply are laid, or which lands, houses, or tenements, if not on such streets, are supplied with water by reticulation from such pipes, for the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1898, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1898, and such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand and receive the said rates:—

- (a) On every house, tenement, or lands, a rate of Eightpence for every One pound per annum of municipal valuation.
- (b) For water supplied from the wharf at Bairnsdale for shipping or any other purpose, a maximum charge of Sixpence per 100 gallons, or Sixpence for any fractional part thereof, and a minimum charge of Three shillings per 1,000 gallons, or Three shillings for any fractional part thereof exceeding 500 gallons, except in cases of special agreement with the Trust.
- (c) For water supplied by the said Trust by measurement (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust, or water supplied under terms of sub-section (c) of section 1 of this Regulation), One shilling per 1,000 gallons.
- (d) Water supplied to gardens, nurseries, manufactories, aerated water and cordial makers, brewers, bakers, butchers, livery and coach-horse stables, hotel premises, and for any other than domestic purposes, may be charged for by measurement at the discretion of the Trust.
- (e) For water supplied to Government departments, cricket clubs, bowling greens, boating clubs, show-yards, cattle-yards, and recreation reserves, shall be charged by measurement at the rate of Two shillings per 1,000 gallons, provided that the minimum quantity to be charged for shall not be less than 30,000 gallons per annum.
- (f) Private water-troughs will be charged for at the rate of Forty shillings per annum each, except when, in the opinion of the Trust, a meter shall be necessary.

2. The rates and charges for water and all sums due to the Trust under this Regulation shall be paid by and be recoverable from the owner of the premises, or the occupier or person requiring, receiving, or using the supply of water.

3. The said rates and charges shall be payable in advance, by equal instalments, on the 1st day of January, 1898, and on the 1st day of July, 1898 (except in the case of water supplied by meter or by agreement, which shall be payable at such time or times as may be determined by the Trust from time to time), and the first payment shall be made at the time when the owner or occupier shall become liable to pay the rates and charges for the supply of water as hereinbefore mentioned.

In the construction of this Regulation the word "person" shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation, whether aggregate or sole; and the word "Trust" shall mean the Bairnsdale Irrigation and Water Supply Trust.

The foregoing Regulation was made by the Commissioners of the Bairnsdale Irrigation and Water Supply Trust on the 2nd day of December, 1897, under and by virtue of the provisions of the *Water Act 1890*, and the corporate seal of the Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) HARRY PAYNE, Chairman.
DAVID WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
E. TWENTYMAN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 21st December, 1897.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

* Re-published in lieu of that on pages 4882 and 5010 of the *Gazette* of 1897 and page 28 of the *Gazette* of 7th January instant, in which there is a typographical error.

**BOROUGH OF HORSHAM WATERWORKS TRUST.—
RATING REGULATIONS FOR 1898.**

THE Commissioners of the Borough of Horsham Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, do hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. For all lands and tenements within the Borough of Horsham Waterworks Trust District the water rate for the year 1898 shall be One shilling and ninepence in £1 on the municipal valuation for the year 1897-8, with a minimum charge of £1 upon all lands and tenements valued at or under £11, except such as are entitled to the provisions of section 120 of the *Water Act 1890*.

2. All rates and charges on land and tenements having no water meters shall be due and payable half-yearly in advance, that is to say, on the 1st January and 1st July, 1898. And all rates and charges on lands and tenements where water meters are affixed payments shall be due and payable at the end of each quarter, that is to say, on 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December, 1898. All payments shall be payable at the Trust's Offices, Town Hall, Wilson-street, Horsham.

Passed on the 20th day of November, 1897.

(SEAL) H. J. BRADSHAW, Chairman.
A. ARNOTT, } Commissioners.
CON. CURRAN, }
HERBERT C. CROUCH, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

KILMORE WATERWORKS TRUST.—REGULATIONS.

THE Commissioners of the Kilmore Waterworks Trust do hereby, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Water Act 1890*, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, make the following Regulations:—

1. Clauses numbered 1, 2, and 3 of the regulation made and adopted by the Trust on the 5th day of March, 1894, shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

2. The charge for water supplied from and after the 1st day of January, 1898, from the works of the Trust shall be as follows:— For street water-troughs Twenty shillings per year. All water-troughs to be fitted with approved self-acting ball taps to prevent overflow.

3. For every steam-boiler supplied with water from the works of the Trust, Fifteen shillings per annum for each horse-power of such steam-boiler.

4. For water supplied by the Trust by measurement (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust) Sixpence for every 1,000 gallons.

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

- 1. If for domestic and other than domestic purposes the quantity for which the charge at Sixpence per 1,000 gallons would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure.
- 2. If for other than domestic purposes only, 60,000 gallons per half-year.

The foregoing Regulation was made and adopted on the 3rd day of January, 1898, and the seal of the Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) PATRICK SKEHAN, Chairman.
JOHN TAYLOR, Commissioner.
A. M. LUCKIE, Trust Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

**SWAN HILL SHIRE WATERWORKS TRUST.—REGU-
LATIONS BY THE BOARD OF LAND AND WORKS,
IN RESPECT TO THE SUPPLY OF WATER AT
KERANG AND CASTLE DONNINGTON.**

WHEREAS default having been made by the Swan Hill Shire Waterworks Trust in payment of the interest due on loans granted by the Governor in Council to such Trust, and the said Trust having also failed to form a sinking fund for the liquidation of such loans, and the Board of Land and Works having done all things necessary under the powers in that

behalf, has entered upon and taken possession of the lands, tenements, and works of the said Trust, and is now maintaining and managing the same.

And whereas the said Board is now desirous of framing Regulations dealing with the maintenance and management of those portions of the works of the Trust comprised within the Urban Districts (towns of Castle Donnington and Kerang) that have been duly so proclaimed by the Governor in Council.

Now therefore the said Board of Land and Works hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. Private water-troughs shall be charged at the rate of Forty shillings per annum each.

2. The rate to be charged for water supplied from stand-pipes shall be Fourpence per 100 gallons.

3. On all buildings in course of erection where water is required for building purposes the rate to be charged shall be Ten shillings per centum on the contract price of the work, excepting in such cases as the Minister of Water Supply shall direct that the supply shall be by measure, at the rate of Three shillings and fourpence per 1,000 gallons, or by special agreement.

4. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for in each case where water is supplied by measure shall be—(1) If for domestic and other than domestic purposes, the quantity the charge for which at Three shillings and fourpence per 1,000 gallons would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure; and (2) If for other than domestic purposes, only 6,000 gallons per quarter.

5. Any person receiving water from the Board who shall take and carry away such water from his premises, or who shall allow any person to take or carry away such water, or shall sell the same to any other person, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

6. Any person not having agreed to be supplied by the Board who shall take or carry away water from any drinking-tap, stand-pipe, trough, or private or public service-pipe shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

7. Before any person shall affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Board, or alter or repair, or in any way interfere with any pipe of the Board, or any service-pipe, cock, or fitting, connected with the pipes of the Board, he shall obtain from the Board a licence in that behalf to execute such works; and any unlicensed person affixing, altering, repairing, or in any manner interfering with any such pipe, service-pipe, cock, or fitting, as aforesaid, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds.

8. Such licence shall be for such period, and be from time to time renewable, as the Board shall see fit; and the Board may at any time cancel such licence in the event of the holder thereof, by himself or his employés, committing any breach of these by-laws.

9. Before any such licence shall be granted by the Board, the person applying for same shall satisfy the Board that he is a competent plumber.

10. Any person, whether licensed as aforesaid or not, who shall offend by opening any ground so as to uncover any pipe or pipes, the property of the Board, without giving two days' notice to the Board of his intention so to do, or who shall in any way tamper with or alter any pipe, the property of the Board, without the permission in writing of the Board being first obtained, or who shall wilfully or carelessly break, injure, or open any lock, cock, valve, pipe, work, or engine, the property of the Board, shall be liable for each such offence to a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds.

11. Any person, whether licensed as aforesaid or not, who shall lay any pipe to communicate with the pipes of the Board, or with any service-pipe therefrom, without giving two days' notice of the day and hour when such pipe is intended to be made to communicate with the pipes of the Board, or who shall make such communication except under the superintendence and according to the directions of some officer of the Board, or who shall lay any leaden or other pipe to communicate with the pipes of the Board of a strength and material not sanctioned by the Board, shall be liable for each such offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and, in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Board. Wrought-iron piping of approved quality, and lead piping of the following weights only, will be allowed to be fixed for either internal or external services:—

Diameter of Pipe.	Weight of Pipe per yard.
3/4 inch	5 lbs.
1 inch	6 lbs.
1 1/4 inch	7 1/2 lbs.
1 1/2 inch	9 lbs.
1 3/4 inch	12 lbs.
2 inch	16 lbs.
2 1/2 inch	20 lbs.

All fittings must be of good quality, and of strength sufficient to bear with safety the maximum pressure to which they may be subject. Ordinary connexion with sub-mains must be made with proper stop-cock, screwed ferrules, and with 2 feet of lead piping with brass unions. One service-pipe only for domestic supply for each tenement will be permitted. The maximum size of service-pipes, unless by special consent of the Board, shall be, for tenements of annual value not exceeding £40, 1/2-in. bore, for tenements exceeding £40 annual value, 3/4-in bore.

12. All connexions with lead and iron pipes must be made with brass union couplings. All joints connecting lead pipes must be "wiped" joints, and in no case will "bolt" or "copper bit" joints be allowed on water service-pipes, either in the interior or on the exterior of any building or tenement on pain of cancellation of licence. A high-pressure screw-down stop cock shall be fixed on each house service between the main and the building line, and at a uniform distance of three (3) feet from the building line, properly secured and covered with an approved cast-iron cap.

13. No extensions of private services will be allowed except by consent of the Board.

14. If any person neglect to repair any service-pipe conveying water from the pipes of the Board into the premises of such person, after having received notice from any officer of the Board that such service-pipe requires repairing, the Board may stop the water from flowing into such premises, either by cutting off the service-pipe or otherwise, as to the said Board may seem fit, until the necessary repairs shall have been effected. The service-pipes from the mains being the property of the owners or occupiers of the tenements supplied by such service-pipes, the occupiers (if any), and, if none, the owner, shall be responsible for keeping the same in repair, and in every instance in which, after notice that repairs to service-pipes are required, damage is caused by reason of their leaking or being otherwise out of repair or broken, the occupier or owner shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and, in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Board.

15. All water-troughs supplied from the pipes of the Board shall be lined with metal, so as to be perfectly water-tight, and shall have proper and efficient fittings for supplying them automatically. All such troughs and fittings shall be kept in proper order and repair. No water-trough, the supply to which is charged under sub section (iv.) of section 2 of these by-laws, shall be of greater capacity than 25 gallons. Should any trough or the fittings thereof be out of repair or leaking, the supply thereto will be cut off until the same has been properly and efficiently repaired.

16. Any person supplied with water by the Board who shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds; and, in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Board.

17. No meter shall be affixed until it shall have been examined, tested, and approved by a duly authorized officer of the Board. Each meter must be capable of registering at least one million (1,000,000) gallons.

18. If any meter shall cease registering, or be reported by the inspector or any authorized officer of the Board as out of repair or registering inaccurately, the Board shall estimate and charge for the water consumed during the period such meter was not in working order, and until it is repaired and re-fixed, either by taking an average of the quantity used during the previous quarter or during the corresponding period of the previous year, or the Board may insert a check-meter on the service-pipe.

19. Meters affixed to services shall not be removed or interfered with except upon written application to and with the approval of the Board, unless for the purpose of repair, as mentioned in the last preceding section, in which case notice, in writing, must be given to the officer in charge of the works of the Board six days at least before removal.

20. A separate meter shall in every case be provided for each tenement where the supply is by measure.

21. Baths supplied from the pipes, except where the supply is by meter, shall not exceed 6ft. 3in. in length along the centre line, by a mean width of 2 feet and a depth of 1ft. 9in., the ends sloping inwards. Overflow pipes to baths will not be permitted.

22. No person shall use a hose attached to any tap or pipe used for the purpose of supplying the water of the Board for domestic purposes to any house or premises for watering any garden, laying dust, or for any other purpose whatsoever, unless where a water meter is fixed and the water is supplied by measure; and any person offending against this by-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each such offence.

23. No person who may be supplied by measure shall use the water for irrigation purposes after the blowing of the tower whistle at Eight o'clock each evening; and any person offending against this by-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

24. If any person supplied by water by the Board does, or causes to be done, anything in contravention of any of these Regulations, or fails to pay his rates when due, or fails to do anything which under these Regulations ought to be done, or wilfully or negligently allows water to run to waste, the Board may cut off the supply of water from the premises of such person, either by cutting the pipes by or through which water is supplied or otherwise, and may cease to supply him with water so long as the cause of injury remains or is not remedied.

25. The water supplied in the above district shall be received and consumed under and in accordance with these Regulations, and not otherwise, through pipes and meters laid, placed, and being under, and in accordance with the same Regulations, and not otherwise.

26. In the construction of these by-laws the word "person" shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation, whether aggregate or sole; and the word "Board" shall mean the Board of Land and Works.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 24th day of December, 1897, in the presence of the undersigned, two members of the Board—

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

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 31st December, 1897.

THOS. BRISDANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

**THE WARRNAMBOOL WATERWORKS TRUST.—
REGULATION No. 7.**

THE Warrnambool Waterworks Trust doth hereby, pursuant to and in exercise and execution of the powers and authorities conferred on it by the *Water Act 1890* (and whose Water District has, for the purposes of the said Act, been proclaimed an Urban District), make the Regulation following:—

The following rates and charges are those which the owners and occupiers of lands and tenements shall pay for the year 1898 in respect of water supplied by the Trust, that is to say:—

- (a) On every house or tenement, whether occupied or not, a rate of Eighteen pence for each pound sterling on the amount of the annual value, but the annual minimum amount to be paid shall be One pound sterling.
- (b) Unoccupied lands where no water is laid on shall be charged Five pounds per centum on the amount of the annual valuation.
- (c) Houses unoccupied for a period of not less than six calendar months, commencing on the 1st day of January or the 1st day of July, shall be charged two-third rates.
- (d) Tenements built and used for storage purposes only, such as bonded stores, warehouses, and wholesale stores, not being dwellings nor used in retail business, a rate of Twelve pence in the pound on the amount of the annual valuation, except in cases where the Trust shall order a meter to be used.
- (e) Private water-troughs shall be charged at the rate of Twenty shillings per annum each, except when the Trust shall order a meter to be used, in which case the minimum quantity of water to be charged for, half-yearly, shall be 10,000 gallons.
- (f) For water supplied by the Trust by measure, except in special agreement with the Trust, or otherwise provided for in this Regulation, the rate shall be Twelve pence per 1,000 gallons.
- (g) The rate to be charged to non-ratepayers for water supplied from stand-pipes shall be Threepence per 100 gallons; and ratepayers shall be charged for the quantity of water which, at Twelve pence per 1,000 gallons, exceeds the amount of the assessed rate payable for lands or tenements, according to their distance from such stand pipe.
- (h) Water for gas engines shall be charged for at the rate of Ten shillings per annum for each engine, except in cases where the Trust shall order a meter to be used.
- (i) For steam boilers the rate shall be Twelve shillings and sixpence per annum for each horse-power of each boiler, except in cases where the Trust shall order a meter to be used.
- (j) On buildings in course of erection where water is required for building purposes the rate shall be Ten shillings per centum on the contract price of the work, or by special agreement. Wooden houses shall be charged half rates. Payments to be made before the supply is given.
- (k) For water supplied to shipping the charge shall be Five shillings per 1,000 gallons, with a minimum charge of Five shillings. With fixed meters the charge shall be Two shillings per 1,000 gallons.
- (l) Supplies of water for purposes not specified herein must be paid for at such rate as the Trust shall in each case determine, and the preliminary payment at such rate must be made at the office of the Trust before a supply can be taken or used.
- (m) In the event of any dispute as to which sub-section applies to any particular case, the Trust shall have power to decide or to make a special charge.
- (n) The minimum quantity of water to be charged for in each case where water is supplied by measure for domestic and other than domestic purposes shall be the quantity which, at Fourteen pence per 1,000 gallons, equals the amount of the assessed rate for the year which would be payable for the premises or land so supplied if charged otherwise than by measure.
- (o) For water supplied to public gardens, parks, show grounds, baths, hospitals, or charitable institutions, the charge shall be Ninepence per 1,000 gallons, and the supply must be taken through a meter.

The foregoing Regulation (No. 7) was made and adopted by the Commissioners of the Warrnambool Waterworks Trust on the 21st day of December, 1897, and the seal of the Trust was hereto affixed in our presence—

(SEAL) R. A. PHILP, Chairman.
H. E. LAWSON, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF NUMURKAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING Regulation for 1898 for the purpose of levying rates within the Rural Portion of the district of the Trust.
REGULATION No. 27.

Whereas the Governor in Council has, by an Order made the 14th day of December, 1896, under the provisions of section 100 of the *Water Act 1890*, divided the Shire of Numurkah Waterworks Trust District, exclusive of that portion thereof proclaimed an Urban District on the 23rd day of June, 1890, and the 30th day of September, 1895, into divisions, and directed that the necessary rates for paying interest on all moneys borrowed by the Shire of Numurkah Waterworks Trust for the construction and maintenance of their waterworks or to meet any other expenses in

connexion therewith, shall be levied in such divisions, viz.:— Number 1 Division and No. 2 Division, and has further directed that such rates be levied differentially as between such divisions, and has by a further Order made the 13th day of December, 1897, determined the proportion in which such divisions shall be rated respectively one to another for the year 1898.

The Commissioners of the Shire of Numurkah Waterworks Trust, under the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, hereby make the following rates to be levied within the aforesaid divisions of the district of the Trust, the boundaries of which divisions are fully set forth in the Order in Council of the 14th December, 1896, hereinbefore mentioned:—

1. In Number 1 Division, Fivepence in the pound sterling. In Number 2 Division, Fourpence in the pound sterling. The respective rates to be levied on the annual value of all rateable property, situated as above, described according to the valuation for the time being for the municipal rates of the Shire of Numurkah.

The rates hereby made shall be for the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1898, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1898.

2. Such rates are hereby made payable in one instalment, and shall be due on the 1st day of January, 1898.

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

The foregoing Regulation was made by the Commissioners of the Shire of Numurkah Waterworks Trust on the 23rd day of December, 1897.

The seal of the said Trust was hereto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) A. MEIKLEJOHN,
GEORGE STICKELS, } Commissioners.
DAVID CARLISLE,
B. LANCASTER, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

**NHILL WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING
REGULATIONS FOR 1898.**

THE Commissioners of the Nhill Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, do hereby make the following Regulations:—

The following are the rates and charges which the owners and occupiers of lands and tenements shall pay in respect of water supplied by this Trust within the Nhill Waterworks Trust District, that is to say:—

- 1. For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile of less than Eleven pounds sterling annual municipal value, the sum of One pound per annum.
- 2. For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile of Eleven pounds or more than Eleven pounds annual value, an amount equal to Two shillings in the pound on the amount of the municipal valuation.
- 3. For all tenements in the said district situate otherwise than on streets in which the pipes for the supply of water have been laid down, and which tenements are not supplied with water by reticulation from such pipes, and being within a quarter of a mile of any stand-pipe for the supply of water, one-half of the before-mentioned rates; and where such tenements are over a quarter of a mile from such stand-pipe, and within half a mile thereof, one-fourth of the before-mentioned rates.
- 4. For every steam-boiler supplied with water from the works of the Trust, One pound per annum on each inch diameter of the cylinder.
- 5. For water supplied by the Trust by measurement, One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons (or at such price as may be specially agreed upon), and the minimum quantity of water to be charged for to all owners or occupiers of gardens and lawns or other lands where water is supplied by the Trust for the purpose of irrigation or ornamental purposes, shall be as follows:—
One-sixteenth of an acre or less, per annum, 3,000 gallons.
Exceeding one-sixteenth of an acre, but not exceeding one-eighth of an acre, per annum, 12,000 gallons.
Exceeding one-eighth of an acre, but not exceeding one-quarter of an acre, per annum, 16,000 gallons.
Exceeding one-quarter of an acre, but not exceeding half an acre, per annum, 28,000 gallons.
Exceeding half an acre, but not exceeding one acre, per annum, 40,000 gallons per acre. For every additional acre and proportionately according to the foregoing scale, for every fractional part of an acre.

That the before-mentioned rate is made for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1898, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1898, and shall be payable half-yearly in advance, on the 1st day of January, 1898, and the 1st day of July, 1898.

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

Passed this 4th day of January, 1898.

The seal of the said Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. MACDONALD, Chairman.
JAMES MUSSEN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

**ST. ARNAUD SHIRE WATERWORKS TRUST—
RATING REGULATION.**

THE Commissioners of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 75 of the *Water Act 1890*, do make the following Regulation:—

No. 18.

Regulation for the making of a rate for the year 1898 on all rateable property within the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust District.

The following rate is made for the year 1898, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1898, and terminating on the 31st day of December, 1898, on the annual value of all rateable property within the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust District, according to the valuation for the time being on the lands and tenements for the municipal rates of the respective shires in which such lands and tenements are situated, that is to say, a rate of Eighteen pence in the pound sterling on such valuation.

Such rate is hereby made payable on the 1st day of January, 1898.

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

The foregoing Regulation No. 18 was made and adopted by the Commissioners of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust on the 9th day of December, 1897.

The common seal of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust was affixed hereto, by authority of the Commissioners of the said Trust, in the presence of—

(SEAL) P. J. HOBAN, Chairman.
GEO. LAING, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

**WYCHEPROOF WATERWORKS TRUST.—SINKING
FUND.**

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twentieth day
of January, 1898.*

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor.

Mr. Peacock | Mr. Foster.

WHEREAS by section 20 of the *Water Act 1890* (No. 1156) it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time, after any Waterworks Trust has been by Order in Council duly constituted; make additional Orders in Council not inconsistent with the provisions of the said Act relating to such Waterworks Trust, and that the Governor in Council may in any such Order (among other things)—

(a) Make any Order which might have been made in the Order in Council originally constituting such Waterworks Trust.

(b) Repeal any of the provisions of any previous Order in Council relating to such Waterworks Trust.

And whereas by a certain Order in Council bearing date the 13th day of December, 1897, liabilities were apportioned between the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust and the Wycheproof Waterworks Trust.

And whereas it is deemed necessary to repeal clause 3 of the said Order in Council.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order that the said clause 3 of the Order in Council, bearing date as aforesaid, shall be and the same is hereby repealed, and doth further order that in lieu thereof the following shall be deemed to be clause 3 of the aforesaid Order in Council bearing date the 13th day of December, 1897:—

(3) That of the sum of Two thousand seven hundred and sixteen pounds twelve shillings and twopence (£2,716 12s. 2d.), due on the 30th June, 1897, by the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust, in respect of sinking fund for the liquidation of the loans advanced to it on that date, the said Wycheproof Waterworks Trust shall be liable for the sum of One thousand and ninety-six pounds sixteen shillings and fourpence (£1,096 16s. 4d.), which said sum shall be transferred from the liabilities of the St. Arnaud Shire Waterworks Trust, and shall be a liability of the Wycheproof Waterworks Trust.

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

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

First and second class return tickets, at 1d. and 1d. per mile respectively, available by the specials only going, and for return by all ordinary trains (express excepted) for one calendar month, will be issued as under, and the trains will run on the dates specified. Children under twelve years, half fare. For further particulars see posters exhibited at stations.

Beaufort—Horsham.—Saturday, 22nd January.—From Melbourne to Beaufort and all stations thence to Horsham inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Friday, 21st January. The special train will leave Spencer street at 9.20 a.m.

Winchelsea—Warrnambool.—Saturday, 22nd January.—From Melbourne to Winchelsea and all stations thence to Warrnambool inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Friday, 21st January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 10.35 a.m.

Seymour—Cobram.—Saturday, 22nd January.—From Melbourne to Seymour and all stations thence to Cobram inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Friday, 21st January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 9.50 a.m.

Avenel—Wangaratta—Beechworth.—Saturday, 22nd January.—From Melbourne to Avenel and all stations thence to Beechworth inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Friday, 21st January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 9.5 a.m.

Bendigo—Echuca.—Monday, 24th January.—From Melbourne to Bendigo and all stations thence to Echuca inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 11.15 a.m.

Seymour—Nathalia.—Monday, 24th January.—From Melbourne to Seymour and all stations thence to Nathalia inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 9.50 a.m.

Drouin—Sale.—Monday, 24th January.—From Melbourne to Drouin and all stations thence to Sale inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Prince's-bridge station, up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Prince's-bridge station at 2.32 p.m.

Carlsruhe—Daylesford—Clunes.—Tuesday, 25th January.—From Melbourne to Carlsruhe and all stations thence to Clunes inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 8.50 a.m.

Bacchus Marsh, Ballarat.—Tuesday, 25th January.—From Melbourne to Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Gordons, Warrenheip, and Ballarat. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 2.45 p.m.

Woodend, Castlemaine—Maryborough.—Tuesday, 25th January.—From Melbourne to Woodend, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and all stations thence to Maryborough inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Spencer-street at 7.15 a.m.

Cranbourne—Leongatha.—Tuesday, 25th January.—From Melbourne to Cranbourne and all stations thence to Leongatha inclusive. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, and at Prince's-bridge station, up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Prince's-bridge at 8.20 a.m.

A.N.A. EXCURSIONS.

First and second class return tickets, available by the specials only going, and for return by all ordinary trains (express excepted) for one calendar month, will be issued as under. The second class adult fares are quoted after certain stations. The first class fares are nearly 50 per cent. additional. Children under 12 years half fare. For further particulars see posters at stations.

Warrnambool—Winchelsea.—Monday, 24th January.—To Melbourne from Warrnambool and all stations thence to Winchelsea inclusive. Fares:—From Warrnambool, 14s. 10d.; from Terang, 12s. 5d.; from Camperdown, 11s. 4d.; from Colac, 9s. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Warrnambool at 1.25 p.m.

Horsham, Murtoa, Lubeck, Stawell, Great Western, Ararat, Beaufort.—Monday, 24th January.—To Melbourne from Horsham, Murtoa, Lubeck, Stawell, Great Western, Ararat, and Beaufort. Fares:—From Horsham, 18s.; from Stawell, 13s. 6d.; from Ararat, 11s. 11d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Horsham at 10.40 a.m.

Echuca—Tatura.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Echuca and all stations thence to Tatura inclusive. Fares:—From Echuca, 13s. 1d.; from Tatura, 10s. 2d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Echuca at 2.10 p.m.

Cobram—Seymour.—Monday, 24th January.—To Melbourne from Cobram and all stations thence to Seymour inclusive. Fares:—From Cobram, 13s. 11d.; from Numurkah, 12s. 1d.; from Shepparton, 10s. 5d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Cobram at 11 a.m.

Nathalia—Seymour.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Nathalia and all stations thence to Seymour inclusive. Fares:—From Nathalia, 13s. 3d.; from Numurkah, 12s. 1d.; from Shepparton, 10s. 5d.; from Nagambie, 7s. 6d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Nathalia at 2 p.m.

Sale—Drouin.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Sale and all stations thence to Drouin inclusive. Fares:—From Sale, 11s. 8d.; from Traralgon, 9s. 1d.; from Warragul, 6s. 1d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Sale at 11.25 a.m.

Beechworth—Everton—Wangaratta—Benalla—Avenel.—Monday, 24th January.—To Melbourne from Beechworth, Everton, Wangaratta, Benalla, and all stations thence to Avenel inclusive. Fares:—From Beechworth, 15s. 4d.; from Wangaratta, 13s. 2d.; from Benalla, 11s. 1d.; from Euroa, 8s. 10d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Saturday, 22nd January. The special train will leave Beechworth at 10 a.m.

Maryborough—Kyneton.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Maryborough and all stations thence to Kyneton inclusive. Fares:—From Maryborough, 10s. 4d.; from Castlemaine, 7s. 6d.; from Kyneton, 5s. 9d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Maryborough at 1.45 p.m.

Clunes—Creswick—Daylesford—Woodend.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Clunes and all stations thence to Woodend inclusive. Fares:—From Clunes, 10s. 3d.; from Creswick, 9s. 5d.; from Daylesford, 7s. 4d.; from Trentham, 6s. 4d.; from Woodend, 5s. 1d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Clunes at 4.5 p.m.

Leongatha—Lang Lang.—Tuesday, 25th January.—To Melbourne from Leongatha and all stations thence to Lang Lang inclusive. Fares:—From Leongatha, 7s. 6d.; from Korumburra, 6s. 9d.; from Nyora, 5s. 8d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Monday, 24th January. The special train will leave Leongatha at 1.30 p.m.

Ballarat and Ballarat East.—Wednesday, 26th January.—To Melbourne from Ballarat and Ballarat East. Fare:—From Ballarat, 7s. 2d. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Tuesday, 25th January. The special train will leave Ballarat at 8.48 a.m.

FOUNDATION DAY AND TEST CRICKET MATCH EXCURSIONS.

On 24th, 25th, and 26th January tickets, at Holiday Excursion fares, will be issued to and from all stations (suburban excepted), and on 27th, 28th, and 29th January to Melbourne only. The tickets will be available for return till 4th February inclusive.

FOUNDATION DAY CHEAP EXCURSION.

Ferntree Gully Line.—On Wednesday, 26th January, a special train, picking up excursionists at all stations to Camberwell inclusive, will leave Prince's-bridge at 9.48 a.m., and return from Upper Ferntree Gully at 6.45 p.m. Fares from Melbourne:—First class return, 2s. 10d.; second class, 2s. 1d.; children under 12 years, half-fare.

SEA-SIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1897, till 30th April, 1898, Sea-side Excursion tickets will be issued at some of the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, Wensleydale, Dean's Marsh, Forrest, Timboon, Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Frankston, Hastings, Bittern, Mornington, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Foster, Toora, Welshpool, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes. The tickets will be available for three months, and the journey may be broken at Melbourne for three days, going and returning. Purchasers of sea-side tickets to Queenscliff or to Warrnambool and Port Fairy (*via* Peshurst) and Port Fairy (*via* Terang) may make Drysdale or Marcus Hill, or Koroit respectively, their destination instead. For full particulars see posters at all stations.

EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 19th November, 1897, till 30th April, 1898, first and second class return tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Prince's-bridge stations (as the case may be) by certain trains on Fridays, and by all trains on Saturdays, to Lancefield, Romsey, Riddell's Creek, Gisborne, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, Maldon, Daylesford, Beaconsfield, Toongabbie, Briargolong, Beechworth, Yackandandah, Bright, Huon Lane, Tallangatta, Mansfield, Yarra Glen, Healesville; and from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Portland to Beechworth or to Bright.

COMBINED RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1897, till 30th April, 1898, combined rail and coach tickets will be issued at Spencer-street and Prince's-bridge stations (as the case may be), and at the Central Booking Office, to Sassafraz, Launching Place, Yarra Junction, Warburton, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Filian's, Marysville, Buxton, Jamieson, Gaffney's Creek, Wood's Point, Bousteads, Omeo, Bruthen, Buchan, Lorne, Port Campbell, Princetown, Peterborough, Flinders, Inverloch.

The fare to Buxton does not include the short local coach journey between Alexandra-road station and Alexandra, which costs 1s. each way.

Combined rail and coach circular tickets will also be issued from Melbourne to Healesville (by rail), thence to Marysville and Alexandra (by coach), and Alexandra-road to Melbourne (by rail); and Melbourne to Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo and Bairnsdale (by coach), hence to Melbourne (by rail), and *vice versa*.

For full particulars see posters at all stations.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

In addition to the trains to the St. Kilda, Port Melbourne, Williamstown, Brighton, Sandringham, Mordialloc, and Frankston sea-side resorts, cheap Sunday trains are run from Melbourne as under, viz.:—

Ferntree Gully line.—Train leaves Prince's-bridge at 11 a.m., returns at 6.50 p.m.

Lilydale and Healesville line.—Train leaves Prince's-bridge at 11.10 a.m., returns at 6.35 p.m.

Whittlesea line.—Train leaves Spencer-street at 11.5 a.m., returns at 7.10 p.m.

Bacchus Marsh line.—Train leaves Spencer-street at 11.15 a.m., returns at 6.35 p.m.

Special cheap fares.—The tickets will be available till the following Monday.

Pleasure parties.—On application at Chief Traffic Manager's Office (Room 67), arrangements will be made for reduced fares and for reserved accommodation. Minimum number, first class, 6; second class, 10.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS TO BLACK ROCK AND BEAUMARIS ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS, AND WEDNESDAYS.

Special Beaumaris circular tickets, available by train and tram, will be issued at all stations, Spencer-street to Brighton Beach and Prince's-bridge to Caulfield inclusive, by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, by all trains on Sundays, and by the 2 p.m. train from Flinders-street and the 1.10 p.m. train from Prince's-bridge on Wednesdays. First class, 1s. 8d.; second class, 1s. 6d.

First and second class special return tickets to Black Rock, *via* Sandringham, available for train and tram, will be issued at Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran stations by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, by all trains on Sundays, and by the 2 p.m. train from Flinders-street on Wednesdays. First class, 1s. 4d.; second class, 1s. 1d.

First and second class special return tickets to Black Rock and Beaumaris, *via* Sandringham, will be issued at any north or south suburban stations (Brighton line excepted) within 10 miles of Melbourne by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, and by all trains on Sundays as under:—Black Rock—First class, 1s. 10d.; second class, 1s. 4d. Beaumaris—First class, 2s. 2d.; second class, 1s. 8d.

Children under sixteen years of age will be charged half-fare. The journey may be broken. Tickets issued on Saturdays and Sundays are available till the following Monday.

BAND CONCERTS AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays the Victorian Railways Military Band (40 performers) will give musical performances in the new rotunda, Brighton Beach, from 8 to 10 p.m. Special return fares from Melbourne and other stations—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. Trains leave Flinders-street at 7, 7.20, 8, and 8.20 p.m., and return from Brighton at 9.38, 10, and 10.20 p.m., and later. Please see programme at stations.

ROWSLEY STATION.

On and after 1st February Rowsley station will be closed for traffic.

VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB RACES AT CAULFIELD.

On Saturday, 22nd January, special trains will leave Flinders-street as often as may be required from 11.42 a.m. till 1.39 p.m., and return immediately the races are over. Return fares:—First class, 2s.; first class (including admission to the grand stand), 12s.; second class, 1s.; second class (including admission to the flat), 3s.

Mordialloc, Frankston, and Oakleigh Lines.—On Saturday, 22nd January, none of the passenger trains leaving Prince's-bridge for Mordialloc, Frankston, or Oakleigh will stop to set down passengers at Caulfield between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1.20 p.m. Caulfield periodical ticket-holders will be allowed to travel from Flinders-street by the Caulfield race specials without extra payment.

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

CEMETERIES.

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

APSLEY PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December, 1897.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance	...	£3 7 9
Fees for graves, &c.	...	15 10 0
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		£18 17 9
EXPENDITURE.		
Salaries	...	£2 10 0
Office expenses	...	0 2 6
Works	...	1 18 4
Grave-digging	...	6 10 0
Balance	...	7 16 11
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		£18 17 9

ROBERT TAYLOR,
PETER RUTH,
JOHN FLYNN,
FRANCIS LIDDARD,
D. McBAIN,
W. McDONALD,
Trustees.

Declared at Apsley the 7th day of July, 1897, before W. T. HOARE, J.P.

BEECHWORTH PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December, 1897.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£242 11 7
Fees for graves, &c.	274 7 6
Interest	3 0 0
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	£519 19 1
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£19 2 0
Office expenses	9 3 6
Works	5 0 6
Building	163 3 0
Grave-digging	130 0 0
Insurance	0 13 6
Contingencies	5 18 4
Balance	186 18 3
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	£519 19 1

Examined and found correct—WILLIAM LACK, Auditor.

JAS. CUNNINGHAM,
JAMES KYLE,
JOSEPH P. DALTON,
D. FIDDES,
JAMES INGRAM,

Trustees.

Declared at Beechworth the 7th day of January, 1898, before
M. DODD, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£12 8 0
Fees for graves, &c.	7 3 0
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	£19 11 0
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 0 0
Works	2 5 0
Grave-digging	2 0 0
Balance	10 6 0
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	£19 11 0

W. H. EDNEY,
ANTHONY BROWN,
SAMUEL CARR,

Trustees.

Declared at Geelong the 10th day of June, 1897, before
W. R. ANDERSON, J.P.

OAKLEIGH PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December, 1897.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£59 13 6
Fees for graves, &c.	84 3 6
Rent	0 10 0
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	£144 7 0
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£20 0 0
Office expenses	0 5 10
Works	18 12 0
Grave-digging	18 13 0
Water rates	0 10 0
Balance	86 6 2
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	£144 7 0

W. H. THOMSON,
W. S. BATES,
D. SIMPSON, M.B.,

Trustees.

Declared at Oakleigh the 8th day of January, 1898, before
D. W. NICOLL, J.P.

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

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£21 11 6
Fees for graves, &c.	20 10 0
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	£42 1 6
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£8 0 0
Office expenses	1 13 0
Works	5 10 0
Grave-digging	7 10 0
Balance	19 8 6
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	£42 1 6

JOHN CALHOUN,
FRED. WILLEY,
GEORGE PARSONS,

Trustees.

Declared at Portarlington the 25th day of January, 1897, before
FRED. WILLEY, J.P.

SUTTON GRANGE PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December, 1897.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£1 6 7
Fees for graves, &c.	6 4 6
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	£7 11 1
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£2 2 0
Office expenses	0 1 8
Works	0 7 6
Balance	4 19 11
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	£7 11 1

JAMES GRAY,
WILLIAM RICHARDS,
WILLIAM FERGUSON,
JOHN GRIMMEN,

Trustees.

Declared at Castlemaine the 8th day of January, 1898, before
E. D. WILLIAMS, 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.
Ararat—		Orbost—	
Friday, 25 February	3	Thursday, 17 February	3
Colac—		Traralgon—	
Friday, 25 February	6	Thursday, 27 Jan. *121, 124	
Euroa—		(Supplementary)—	
Wednesday, 16 February	3	Thursday, 27 Jan. 124	
Kerang—		Yea—	
Friday, 4 March	6	Tuesday, 25 Jan. ... 124	Monday, 24 Jan. 121
Melbourne—			

* Detailed particulars published in this number of Gazette.

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

SALES (Nos. 7779 AND 7780) 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, 20th January, 1898.

COLAC.—Sale (No. 7779) at ELEVEN o'clock a.m., on FRIDAY, 25th FEBRUARY, 1898, at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. J. G. JOHNSTONE & CO., Colac. To be conducted by M. TAYLOR, Esq., Land Officer.

TOWN LOTS.

COLAC, PARISH OF COLAC, COUNTY OF POLWARTH.

Near the Cemetery, fronting Hearn-street.

Upset price £51 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
Lot 1. Area 2a. 1r. 13 9-10p., allotment 152b.

Upset price £53 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

Lot 2. Area 2a. 1r. 25 5-10p., allotment 152A.
Lot 3. Area 2a. 1r. 25 5-10p., allotment 151B.

Upset price £32 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey £1.

Lot 4. Area 2a. 1r. 23 4-10p., allotment 151A:

Fronting Pound-road.

- Upset price £47 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 5. Area 2a. 1r. 20 6-10p., allotment 150b.
 Upset price £48 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 6. Area 2a. 1r. 24 6-10p., allotment 159a.
 Lot 7. Area 2a. 1r. 24 5-10p., allotment 149b.
 Upset price £34 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 8. Area 2a. 1r. 4p., allotment 149a.

IRREWILLIPE, PARISH OF IRREWILLIPE, COUNTY OF POLWARTH.

- Upset price £21 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 9. Area 2a. 3r. 39p., allotment 1, section 9.

CRESSY, PARISH OF CRESSY, COUNTY OF GRENVILLE.

- Upset price £4 per lot.—Charge for survey £1
 Lot 10. Area 2r., allotment 7, section 7.
 Lot 11. Area 2r., allotment 8, section 7.
 Lot 12. Area 2r., allotment 9, section 7.
 Lot 13. Area 2r., allotment 10, section 7.

FORREST, PARISH OF YAUGHER, COUNTY OF POLWARTH.

On the south side of Railway station.

- Upset price £2 10s. per acre.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 14. Area 3a. 2r. 14 2-10p., allotment 7, section E.
 Lot 15. Area 2a. 2r. 18 1-10p., allotment 8, section E.
 Lot 16. Area 3a. 1r. 7p., allotment 9, section E.
 Lot 17. Area 4a. 2r. 9 8-10p., allotment 10 section E.
 Lot 18. Area 4a. Or. 14 1-10 p., allotment 11, section E.
 Lot 19. Area 4a. Or. 35 2 10p., allotment 12, section E.
 Lot 20. Area 4a. 2r. 1 1-10p., allotment 13, section E.
 Upset price £5 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 21. Area 1r. 36 2-10p., allotment 2, section A.
 Lot 22. Area 1r. 36 2-10p., allotment 3, section A.
 Lot 23. Area 1r. 36 2-10p., allotment 4, section A.

COUNTRY LOTS.

- PARISH OF OLANGOLAH, COUNTY OF POLWARTH.
On the River Aire, at the site of improvements of J. Madden.
 Upset price £1 per acre.—Charge for survey £18.
 Lot 24. Area 315a. 2r. 34p., allotment 42. Valuation £200.

- PARISH OF WONGARRA, COUNTY OF POLWARTH.
At the site of improvements of M. Wheeler.
 Upset price £1 3s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey £20.
 Lot 25. Area 317a. 2r. 15p., allotment 28a. Valuation £396 5s.

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

KERANG.—Sale (No. 7780) at TEN o'clock a.m., on FRIDAY, 4th MARCH, 1898, at the COURT HOUSE, Kerang. To be conducted by M. MACBOY, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneer: Mr. J. T. PROCTER.

TOWN LOTS.

- KOONBROOK, PARISH OF MURRABIT, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.
At the site of improvements of S. Ware.
 Upset price £8 5s. per lot.—Charge for survey £2 3s. 10d.
 Lot 1. Area 2a. 2r. 31p., allotment 10, section 21. Valuation £118 12s.
At the site of improvements of Chas. Murphy.
 Upset price £8 15s. per lot.—Charge for survey £2 7s. 5d.
 Lot 2. Area 2a. 3r. 30p., allotment 19b, section E. Valuation £50.
At the site of improvements of F. Fasham.
 Upset price £9 per lot.—Charge for survey £3 16s. 6d.
 Lot 3. Area 2a. 3r. 39p., allotment 28, section E. Valuation £138.
 Upset price £9 per lot.—Charge for survey £3 13s.
 Lot 4. Area 3a., allotment 4, section 11. Valuation £225. (Jas. Ah Chung.)
At the site of improvements of S. H. Dalton.
 Upset price £6 2s. 6d. per lot.—Charge for survey £2 3s. 10d.
 Lot 5. Area 2a. 1r. 33p., allotment 19a, section E. Valuation £12.
 Upset price £2 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey £2 3s. 10d.
 Lot 6. Area 2r., allotment 3a, section 14.

COUNTRY LOTS.

- PARISH OF BOGA, COUNTY OF TATCHERA.
At the site of improvements of Fresh Food and Frozen Storage Co. Ltd.
 Upset price £8 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 7. Area 2a., allotment 8, section 2. Valuation £800.
 PARISH OF MACORNA, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.
At the site of improvements of Nellie C. Caldwell.
 Upset price £1 5s. per acre.—Charge for survey £4 12s. 1d.
 Lot 8. Area 176a. 1r. 13p., allotment 5a, section B.

PARISH OF LODDON, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

- Adjoining the holding of Chas. Mills.*
 Upset price £1 15s. per acre.—Charge for survey £3 14s.
 Lot 9. Area 39a. 1r. 7p., allotment 16a, section C.

PARISH OF MINCHA WEST, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

- On the Railway Line from Bendigo to Swan Hill, adjoining the holding of W. Quintan, jun.*
 Upset price £1 5s. per acre.—Charge for survey £2 9s.
 Lot 10. Area 17a. Or. 27p., allotment 26c.

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

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF PROCLAMATION OF A TIMBER RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to revoke (in part) the Proclamation of the undermentoned Reserve for the Preservation and Growth of Timber, viz:—

The following Notice was gazetted 1st on 24 December, pursuant to Order of 21 December, 1897.

FRANKLIN AND WOMBAT TIMBER RESERVE.—The proclamation bearing date the 16th October, 1882, by which certain reserves made for the preservation and growth of timber were proclaimed, is about to be revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the reserve in the parishes of Franklin and Wombat comprised within the boundaries hereinafter described, viz:—Eleven acres one rood thirty-five perches, county of Talbot, parish of Wombat: Commencing at the north angle of allotment 6A of section 30; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 50° 39' E. two chains seventy links, S. 28° 40' E. four chains eighty-nine links, S. 49° 32' E. six chains thirty-eight links, S. 49° 18' E. five chains forty-seven links, S. 16° 47' E. four chains 41 links, S. 8° 10' E. four chains twenty-nine links, and S. 50° 39' W. seven chains twenty-one links; thence by a road bearing N. 27° 45' W. six chains three links, and N. 39° 21' W. two chains forty-four links; and thence by allotment 6A aforesaid, bearing N. 51° 13' E. five chains ninety-six links, and N. 39° 22' W. fifteen chains ninety-five links to the point of commencement. —(W.179 (?) (96 F.1853).

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

REGULATIONS FOR MANAGEMENT OF THE WOOLSTHORPE TOWN COMMON.

IN pursuance of the Regulations relating to Commons made by the Governor in Council on the 3rd July, 1893, the managers of the Woolsthorpe Town Common, having drafted the following Regulations for management thereof, submit the same for revision by the Board of Land and Works and approval by the Governor in Council, in lieu of the Regulations heretofore in force in respect of such Common:—

REGULATIONS.

- Ratepayers, holders of miners' rights, business licences, or carriers' licences, and farmers residing within a distance of five miles from the common, may respectively depasture thereon four head of large cattle, or the equivalent of the whole or a portion thereof in small cattle, on the basis that one head of large cattle be deemed equivalent to three head of small cattle. A farmer having under cultivation not less than one-tenth portion of the land occupied by him, may depasture on the common one additional head of large cattle, or the equivalent in small cattle, for every ten acres of such land cultivated by him.
- No person shall depasture on the common stock of which he is not the *bona fide* owner.
- The fees for depasturing stock on the common shall be as follow, and shall be payable half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in every year:—
 For every horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, ass, or mule, Fifteen shillings (15s.) per annum.
 For every head of other large cattle, Ten shillings (10s.) per annum.
 For every head of small cattle, Three shillings and fourpence (3s. 4d.) per annum.
 Progeny under six months old, of stock legally pasturing on the common, free.
- No bull or entire horse over the age of nine (9) months shall be allowed to depasture on the common, without the permission, in writing, of the managers, who may refuse to allow thereon any beast or animal which, in their opinion, would be dangerous to stock on the common.
- The herdsman shall, with the assistance of the owners, muster, during the last week of every half-year, all stock on the common, and shall, during the same week, take delivery of stock that may be placed on the common, and the managers shall, on payment of the prescribed fees on stock, of which the owners shall have furnished, in writing, the number and description, give a receipt for the same, and the herdsman shall forthwith, with the assistance of the owners or persons in charge, brand such stock in a conspicuous place with the common brand, which shall be of pitch or tar, or a mixture of both.
- All stock on which the prescribed fees shall not be paid within ten (10) days after the beginning of each half-year shall be deemed to be trespassing on the common, and shall be liable to be impounded.

7. No stock registered in the books of the managers shall be removed from the common, unless notice of intention so to do be first given to the herdsman, who shall obtain a receipt from the owner for the stock removed.

8. The managers or herdsman shall not be responsible for the loss of, or injury to, stock depasturing on the common, save as provided in clause nine (9).

9. The herdsman shall, on any stock straying from the common, or on being removed therefrom without the consent of the owners, notify them within three days thereof; and if the herdsman fail or neglect to give the owners notice, in writing, within the time specified, the former shall, should the stock be lost, be held responsible for the loss, which shall not exceed Five pounds (£5) for every horse, and Three pounds (£3) for every head of other large cattle.

10. No animal affected with any contagious disease shall be allowed to depasture on the common; and as soon as the herdsman shall discover that any stock legally depasturing thereon is infected with any such disease, he shall forthwith give notice thereof, in writing, to the owner or owners of such stock, and to the managers of the common, and shall at once take steps to remove such stock therefrom, and shall not be responsible for any loss the owner or owners thereof may suffer.

11. The herdsman shall assist the owners of stock legally depasturing on the common to separate any that they may require to remove.

12. All carcases found on the common, which the owner or owners thereof may refuse or neglect to remove, after receiving twenty-four (24) hours' notice, in writing, from the managers or herdsman, may be removed or destroyed by burning or otherwise at the expense of such owner or owners.

Every person offending against any of the foregoing Regulations shall, on conviction before any justice, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds (£20) for each offence.

ROBERT McLAREN, } Managers.
W. VAUGHAN, }

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 20th January, 1898.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

WESTERN VERMIN DISTRICT.

BALANCE-SHEET for the Year ended 31st December, 1897

Amount of rate—1,760 square miles, at 9s. per square mile, £792.

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Vermin rates collected for year 1894	1	2	0			
Vermin rates collected for year 1895	11	1	0			
Vermin rates collected for year 1896	71	1	0			
Vermin rates collected for year 1897	100	0	2			
Vermin rates paid by the Board of Land and Works for year 1897	281	5	0	464	9	2

Amounts recovered from lessees on account of vermin destruction—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Sale of carbon	1	13	6			
Refund costs	4	11	11			
				6	5	5
Bank balance	36	4	5			
Cheques outstanding	2	15	4			
				38	19	9
				£509	14	4

EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Balance, 31st December, 1897				169	5	2
Salaries and office expenses—						
Inspector's salary (12 months)	156	0	0			
Secretary's salary (12 months)	45	0	0			
Stationery and postages	12	11	11			
Advertising and printing	7	3	9	220	15	8
Expenses of members of local committee	72	0	0	72	0	0
Amounts expended on vermin destruction—						
Repairs vermin-proof fence	7	4	4			
Wild dogs, £16 13s. 4d.; Auditors, £3; Carbon, £1 13s. 6d.	21	6	10			
				28	11	2
Interest				17	6	6
Cheque-book				1	15	10
				£509	14	4

Audited and found correct—

P. BATEMAN, } Auditors.
J. C. MACDONALD, }

Nhill, 5th January, 1898.

We certify that the above statement is correct—

J. NO. WALKER, } Members of Local
J. H. CHAMPNESS, } Committee.

Settlement on Lands Act 1894.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following applications for Leases under Section 10 of the Settlement on Lands Act 1894 having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When lease is ready for execution lessee will be duly advised.

Corr. No.	Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Rent due to date.	Lease Fee.	Half-yearly Instalment of Survey Fee.	Yearly Instalment of Aid Advanced.	Total to pay.	Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
2522	1.1.97	John Mason ¹	Bundalong	A. R. P. 15 3 4	£ s. d. 0 8 0	£ s. d. 0 5 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0*	£ s. d. 1 2 0	£ s. d. 3 9 6	Yarrawonga
2524	1.7.97	John Lander ¹	Kiata	10 2 25	£ s. d. 0 5 6	£ s. d. 0 5 0	£ s. d. 0 5 0,	£ s. d. 0 3 0	£ s. d. 0 18 6	Nhill

¹ In lieu of notice in Gazette, 97/5016.
² This includes 15s. 6d. short paid under permit.
³ First and second instalment of survey fee.

NOTES.

Re notice in Gazette, 31st December, 1897, p. 5016, H. M. Bolder, Korumburra, 3089/5, for 9a. 3r. 32p. read 9a. 2r. 32p.
Re notice in Gazette, 31st December, 1897, p. 5017, Samuel Wynn, Korumburra, 1972/5, rent is payable at Warragul (not Korumburra).
Re notice in Gazette, 31st December, 1897, p. 5017, Thos. Chas. Sw. Bullarto, 1881/5, rent is payable at Daylesford (not Bullarto).
Re notice in Gazette, 31st December, 1897, p. 5017, Wm. Herford, Meersclbark, 3381/5, for 5a. read 6a. (survey fee).

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 18th January, 1898.

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

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, 19th January, 1898.

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

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to 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.	
...	Hugh Dick ¹	4,300 0 0	Cobram Run (Benalla District)	...	...	1.1.98	30 0 0	...	0 5 0	30 5 0	Melbourne
3041	Wm. Wall : saw-mill ²	3 0 0	Cobaw	...	...	1.4.97	2 10 0	...	...	10 0 0	Kyneton
1882	Henry Southern : saw-mill ³	3 0 0	Toombullup North	...	...	1.1.98	4 0 0	...	...	1 0 0	Wangaratta
11241	Jno. Callinan : ship	...	Bumberrah	...	...	1.7.97	1 0 0	...	...	0 10 0	Bairnsdale
2130	Annie Clarke : garden	0 3 39	Boram Boram	...	...	1.2.98	1 0 0	...	...	0 18 4	Hamilton
2001	Amherst District Hospital : timber area ⁴	100 0 0	Amherst	...	...	1.9.97	3 0 0	...	...	3 0 0	Talbot
...	Wm. Ryan	32 0 0	Tatang (block 7188)	...	...	1.12.97	2 0 0	...	...	1 8 4	Benalla
...	John Heppell	6 0 0	Yaromulla	...	...	"	0 12 0	...	...	0 12 0	Kerang
...	J. B. Gundry	400 0 0	Turrambully North	...	...	1.1.97	3 15 1	...	...	0 5 0	Echuca
...	Wm. Carkeek	12 0 0	Yielma (block 4756)	...	...	1.1.98	1 0 0	...	...	0 5 0	Nathalia
...	James Brady	8,000 0 0	Block 105	...	...	1.1.98	5 0 0	...	...	0 15 0	Talgaigatta
...	Thomas Mates	18 0 0	Bungawero	...	...	1.12.97	0 7 0	...	...	0 5 0	Bright
...	C. Martin (trustee of J. F. Martin)	2,000 0 0	Georamulla (block 709)	...	...	1.17.97	1 12 0	...	...	0 5 0	Wangaratta
...	Charles Evans	235 0 0	Carruno (block 3782)	...	...	1.11.97	1 12 0	...	...	0 5 0	Riddergen
...	M. Cain	180 0 0	Mollagui	...	...	1.1.98	2 18 8	...	...	0 5 0	Oneco
14344	J. Stewart	47 0 0	Coonoer East	...	...	1.7.97	2 7 0	...	...	1 5 0	Dunolly
14346	John A. Sutherland	39 0 0	Wooreago North	...	...	1.12.97	0 13 0	...	...	0 5 0	St. Arnaud
14409	J. H. Bilston	13,100 0 0	Kentbruck	...	...	1.8.97	10 0 0	...	...	0 12 7	Chilburn
14500	A. M. MacLeod	5,670 0 0	"	...	...	1.1.98	5 17 2	...	...	0 8 4	Portland
453	F. H. Furze and others ¹	43,000 0 0	Yielma State Forest	...	...	1.1.98 to 30.6.98	75 0 0	...	...	0 5 0	Echuca
880	A. M. Leersen	813 0 0	Tchiree	...	...	1.12.97 to 30.6.98	0 17 6	...	...	0 5 0	Melbourne
541	M. Griffin	122 0 0	Majorca Plantation	...	...	1.1.98 to 30.6.98	0 12 6	...	...	0 5 0	Maryborough

¹ This is a renewal.
² Amount paid.
³ In lieu of notice in Gazette of 7th May, 1897.

⁴ Interim licence.
⁵ £3 deposit paid credited.

Land Act 1890, Sections 2 and 44.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When lease is ready for execution lease 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.	Total.	Residence.	Rent Payable End-Yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees.		Total to pay.		
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
1.2.91	Joseph Costello	Darriman	146 0 0	72 0 0	...	116 0 0	188 0 0	Yes	3 13 0	51 2 0	1 1 1	53 2 0	Yarram Yarram	8328/3/175	
Under Section 44 of the Land Act 1890.															
1.1.98	Annie Symes	Upotipotpon	47 1 29	27 0 0	...	21 0 0	48 0 0	Yes	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 1 1	3 4 0	Benalla	1670	
"	William Long	Wonga	104 3 5	70 0 0	7 10 0	116 0 0	132 10 0	Yes	2 12 6	2 6 6	1 1 1	4 4 6	Yarram Yarram	5020	
"	Ellen Neagle	Tarra Tarra	88 1 8	93 15 0	...	8 0 0	101 15 0	Yes	2 4 6	2 4 6	1 1 1	4 4 6	"	5441	
"	August Reitzow	Leongatha	88 0 21	25 8 0	...	43 8 0	72 16 0	Yes	0 14 6	0 14 6	1 1 1	2 14 6	Melbourne	1611	
"	Geo. Alexr. McGowan	Woolanai	289 2 13	15 18 0	...	560 10 0	708 8 0	Yes	7 8 0	7 8 0	1 1 1	9 8 0	"	2307	
"	Edwd. Armytage	Wonga	67 3 16	32 10 0	...	53 0 0	85 10 0	Yes	1 14 0	1 8 0	1 1 1	3 8 0	Yarram Yarram	2241	
Under Section 20 of The Land Act 1869 as amended by The Land Act 1878.															
1.2.91	Joseph Costello	Darriman	146 0 0	72 0 0	...	116 0 0	188 0 0	Yes	3 13 0	51 2 0	1 1 1	53 2 0	Yarram Yarram	8328/3/175	

1 Ga. overpaid under licence credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

January 21, 1898.

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, 19th January, 1898.

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

District.	Corr. No.	Name.	Parish.	Block.	Area.	Reason.
					Acres.	
Alexandra	379	Clara E. Coghill	Dueran	119B	635	To issue an amended lease
"	380	Clara E. Coghill	"	119A	312	To issue an amended lease
Kerang	963	Stephen H. Kane	Gredgwin	16A	44	To issue licence under section 42
Bairnsdale	2828	John Hetherington	Maramingo	B	48	To issue licence under section 42
Sale	5481	Mary J. O'Hara	Hazelwood	B ¹	23	To issue licence under section 42
"	5355	Walter J. Lyon	Sale	A	62	To issue licence under section 42
"	5777	Frederick W. Smith	Carrajung	67C	40J	To issue an amended lease

Land Act 1890, Section 123.

RENEWAL OF LICENCES FOR THE YEAR 1897-8 APPROVED.

IT is hereby notified that the Renewal of Licences under Section 123 of the Land Act 1890 for the year 1897-8 to the undermentioned persons has been approved, the Rent and Fee specified in each case having been paid.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Yearly Payment.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 123 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.								
1284	John Egan	7 0 0	Toolamba	1.7.96	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 15 0	Shepparton
1284	John Egan	7 0 0	"	1.7.97	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 15 0	"
332	H. Gerecke	4 0 0	Koetong	"	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 13 0	Tallangatta
102	D. Gibson	1,200 0 0	Tongio East	"	3 0 0	0 5 0	3 5 0	Omeo
3735	Felix O'Connor	5 0 0	Wooragee	"	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 10 0	Beechworth
1009	W. J. Andrew	3 0 0	Gunbower West	"	0 1 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	EchUCA
926	Geo. Titford	2 0 0	Kunat Kunat	"	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 9 8 ¹	Swan Hill
1794	W. J. Reid and Son	20 0 0	Loddon	"	1 0 0	0 5 0	1 5 0	Kerang
...	S. Marshall, John Kane, and Wm. Scanlon	1,212 0 0	Koo-wee-rup	"	5 0 0	0 5 0	5 5 0	Melbourne 2582

¹ Area increased from 1st November, 1897, to 6 acres, and rent to 6s. per annum.

Land Act 1890, Section 99.

RENEWAL OF LICENCES FOR THE YEAR 1898 APPROVED.

IT is hereby notified that the Renewal of Licences under section 99 of the Land Act 1890 for the year 1898 to the undermentioned persons has been approved, the Rent and Fee specified in each case having been paid.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Payment.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 99 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made quarterly.								
2519	J. Pearce: residence	0 0 20	Mordialloc	1.1.98	0 5 0	...	0 5 0	Melbourne
2914	Wm. S. Watson: residence	...	South Melbourne	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
612	H. J. Timbs: residence	...	Sandridge Bend	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2784	Thos. Rees: residence	...	South Melbourne	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
1297	Peter Finn: quarry	1 0 0	Phillip Island	"	1 5 0	...	1 5 0	"
1766	Margt. Hendrey: residence	...	Mordialloc	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2693	A. Scully: residence	...	Sandridge Bend	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2540	Jno Morris: quarry	...	Cut-paw-paw	"	1 5 0	...	1 5 0	"
2674	Shepherd's Patent Composition Pavement & Stone-breaking Coy.	1 2 11	Jika Jika	"	6 5 0	...	6 5 0	"
2620	Wm. Roberts: residence	...	South Melbourne	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2837	Jno. Sharp and Sons	2 2 38 ¹ / ₂	Yarra Bank South ¹	"	41 5 0	...	41 5 0	"
2010	W. J. Anderson: creamery site	1 1 22 ¹ / ₂	Korkuperrimul	"	1 5 0	...	1 5 0	"
2043	The Bacchus Marsh Concentrated Milk Coy. Ltd.	0 3 20	Gorrockburkghap	"	1 5 0	...	1 5 0 ²	"
1524	G. T. Loach: residence	...	Port Melbourne	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2506	G. T. Loach: residence	...	South Melbourne	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
411	Alexr. Grievie: residence	...	Tyabb	"	0 5 0	...	0 5 0	"
1658	Wright, Orr, and Co.	0 0 35	Yarra Bank South	"	8 15 0	...	8 15 0	"
Under Section 99 of the Land Act 1890.—Payment to be made yearly.								
979	Katie Waide: garden site	2 2 0	Katunga	1.1.97	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Numurkah
976	Mary Waide: garden site	2 2 0	"	"	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	"
84	W. R. Boys: garden site	1 0 0	Kunat Kunat	"	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Swan Hill
85	Annie Boys: garden site	3 0 0	"	"	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	"
1309	P. Finn and Co.: tramway	...	Phillip Island	1.1.98	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Melbourne
1089	David Bedford: garden	2 0 0	Mooreoolbark	"	0 15 0	...	0 15 0	"
1384	Geo. Henry: garden	1 1 9	Poowong	"	0 15 0	...	0 15 0	Warragul
1383	Geo. Henry: garden	0 2 2	"	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
2063	Jno. Boag: garden	2 2 17	Leongatha	"	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Melbourne
2064	David Hy. Boag: garden	2 2 21	"	"	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	"

¹ Allotment 7, section 103.

² Rent increased.

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.				
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Under Section 67 of the Land Act 1890.										
3544	P. Monaghan	36 0 0	Poropunkah	...	1.5.95	0 6 0	0 5 0	Bright		
3544	P. Monaghan	36 0 0	"	...	1.5.96	0 6 0	0 5 0	"		
3544	P. Monaghan	36 0 0	"	...	1.5.97	0 6 0	0 5 0	"		
2924	J. Toolhey	40 0 0	Berringa	...	1.11.97	0 6 8	0 5 0	Bethanga		
3760	J. Pooley	604 0 0	Tatonga	...	1.1.98	5 0 8	0 5 0	Tallangatta		

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

APPLICATION FOR A GRANT APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Grant having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Purchase Money 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—			
			Purchase Money.	Fees.			Total to pay.				
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Under Section 76 of the Land Act 1890.											
Robert, William, and Michael Casey ¹	Ondit	1 3 29	13 10 5	1 1 0	...	0 0 7	14 12 0	Colac	C.81715		

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 30th July, 1897, p. 3091, in the name of William Casey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

Land Act 1890, Section 2.

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.	Balance to complete Purchase.	Fees.			Total to pay.	Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				Grant.	Certificaste.	Assurance.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Under Section 18 of the Land Act 1890.								
Mary Flintoft (administratrix to the estate of Jas. Flintoft deceased)	Lang Lang	20 0 0	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10 ¹	Warragul 1603

¹ £24 rent paid credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

PUBLIC HEARINGS BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER THE 128TH SECTION OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the times and places mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, applications for licences under Parts 2 and 3 of *The Land Act 1890*, applications for leases and licences under Parts 3, 4, and 8 of *The Land Act 1890*, and Divisions 3, 4, and 8 of Part 1, *Land Act 1890*, objections to such applications, objections to proposed proclamations, alterations, additions, diminutions, revocations, or unions of commons, and reasons against forfeiture of any leases or licences under the *Land Act 1890*, or any of the Acts thereby repealed, deemed liable to forfeiture for any cause except non-payment of rent or fees, will be publicly heard by the persons whose names are set opposite such places respectively in such Schedule, being persons appointed by me, the responsible Minister of the Crown administering the *Land Act 1890*, to hear the same and report thereon in writing to me.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
And President of the Board of Land and Works.

Place of Meeting of Local Land Board.	Time of Meeting.	Members of Local Land Board.
1898.		
Portland	Wednesday, 2nd February, at Ten a.m.	H. C. Malcolm, Esq.
Casterton	Friday, 4th February, at Ten a.m.	H. C. Malcolm, Esq.
Penshurst	Thursday, 10th February, at half-past Nine a.m.	H. C. Malcolm, Esq.
Edenhope	Wednesday, 16th February, at Ten a.m.	H. C. Malcolm, Esq.
Warragul	Friday, 4th February, at Eleven a.m.	J. C. Meakin, Esq.
Foster	Wednesday, 9th February, at Ten a.m.	J. C. Meakin, Esq.
Koramburra	Thursday, 10th February, at Eleven a.m.	J. C. Meakin, Esq.

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TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Transfer of Licences under the 67th, 99th, 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—
277	B. P. Ekberg ...	Isaac H. Jones ...	A. R. P. 3 0 0	Jirnkee ...	99	1.1.97	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 29.12.96	Omeo
1548	A. J. Moore ...	Fred. Austerberry	2 0 0	Echuca ...	99	"	0 15 0	£1, Melbourne, 23.12.97	Echuca
136	W. D. Christian	John Thos. Christian	80 0 0	Block 3120...	99	1.7.97	2 1 6	£1, Melbourne, 14.12.97	"
2164	J. Considine ...	Wm. P. Broome ...	24 0 0	Talgarno ...	123	"	1 4 0	£1, Melbourne, 12.1.98	Bethanga
1487	Elizabeth Sander-son	M. E. Swanton ...	210 0 0	Boola Boloke	67	1.1.94	1 15 0	£1, St. Arnaud, 19.7.97	St. Arnaud

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

Land Act 1890, Sections 2 and 32.

TRANSFER OF LEASEHOLDS.

THE Board of Land and Works has sanctioned the undermentioned Applications to Transfer Leaseholds under Section 32 of the Land Acts 1884 and 1890.

Note.—No Transfer will have any legal effect till same has been duly registered at the Office of Titles under the *Transfer of Land Act 1890*.

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Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

No. of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Date of Lease.	Term of Lease.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
1242	Thos. McMinn	Wm. Parsons	A. R. P. 74 0 0	Alexandra ...	1.7.86	12½ years less 3 days	£ s. d. 0 18 6	£1, Melbourne, 13.12.97	Alexandra
1053	Wm. Magill ...	Frank Kennedy	708 0 0	Glenrowen and Lurg	"	12½ years less 3 days	8 17 0	£1, Melbourne, 24.11.97	Benalla
1137	Edward Nicholls	Wm. H. Whittakers	657 0 0	Cobbannah ...	1.1.89	10 years less 3 days	5 9 6	£1, Melbourne, 25.11.97	Omeo
1439	Laura M. D. Nicholls	Chas. Wm. G. Whittakers	304 0 0	Quag-Munjic ...	1.7.89	9½ years less 3 days	2 10 8	£1, Melbourne, 25.11.97	"
1447	Ethel Nicholls	Edward S. Whittakers	959 0 0	"	1.1.92	7 years less 3 days	7 19 10	£1, Melbourne, 25.11.97	"

HEARING OF REASONS AGAINST THE FORFEITURE OF CERTAIN LICENCES AND LEASES BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER 123RD 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.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

R. W. BEST,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the *Land Act 1890*.

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.
Seymour, 4th February, 1898 St. Arnaud, 3rd February, 1898	The Land Officer ...	2097/32	1.1.93	Charles H. Bath ...	153	Woodbourne
	The Land Officer ...	682/42	1.1.91	James Guerin ...	284	Tottington
Geelong, 31st January, 1898 Colac, 8th February, 1898 ...	Malcolm Taylor, Esq.	3622/32	1.7.90	Mary Roberts ...	672	Angahook
	Malcolm Taylor, Esq.	691/123	1.6.93	T. Eldridge ...	285	Yaughar
	"	2583/32	1.7.92	A. W. F. Edgar ...	60	Elliminyt
	"	2582/32	"	W. R. Edgar ...	100	"
Cobden, 9th February, 1898 Melbourne, 3rd February, 1898	Malcolm Taylor, Esq.	3924/32	1.1.93	John Walsh ...	820	Carpentait
	The Land Officer ...	1203/42	"	Robt. Jones ...	227	Nangana
	"	12838/32	1.7.89	Jos. Hoffman ...	200	Brimbonga
	"	5770/32	1.7.88	Jane Slaven ...	465	Gracedale
	"	1600/49	1.1.92	Hy. Renfree ...	115	Gembrook
Warragul, 4th February, 1898 Foster, 9th February, 1898	The Land Officer ...	2855/42	1.7.94	Jas. Howard ...	320	Bullengarook
	The Land Officer ...	1777/65	1.8.90	Jno. Plunkett ...	20	Neerim
Korumburra, 10th February, 1898	The Land Officer ...	895/32	1.1.88	Jas. Johnston ...	334	Darriman
	"	14308/20	1.11.88	Elizth. Curtis ...	20	Tarra Tarra
	"	1769/42	1.7.93	Jno Sumners ...	10	Toora
	"	15475/32	1.1.92	Ellen O'Donnell ...	765	Kirrak
"	15770/32	1.7.94	Joseph Stamp ...	176	Leongatha	

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.	
					£ 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> .									
11453	Jas. Nugent ...	112 3 14	Karramomus ...	12.1.98	36 14 6	1 6 0	4 9	38 5 3	Shepparton 5/425
4453	Saml. Year ...	314 2 16	Leaghur ...	5.1.98	7 17 6	1 11 6	13 2	10 2 2	Melbourne 3/21
2540	Saml. Year ...	319 1 37	"	"	16 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	18 4 10	" 3/21
15491	E. O' Cain ...	9 0 0	Wangaratta South ...	4.1.98	1 18 6	1 1 0	0 5	2 19 11	Wangaratta 6/130
14308	Mary A. Copeman ...	320 0 0	Warrenbayne ...	8.1.98	104 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	106 4 10	Melbourne 6/111
15990	A. A. and H. S. Dale (executors of Wm. Dale)	38 0 6	Wangaratta North ...	4.1.98	8 15 6	1 1 0	1 8	9 18 2	" 7/136
10914	R. B. Amery ...	80 0 0	Boweya ...	5.1.98	2 0 0	1 6 0	3 4	3 9 4	Wangaratta 4/6
10015	R. B. Amery ...	320 0 0	"	"	8 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 10	" 4/6
11142	J. Sadler ...	117 0 9	Glenrowen ...	6.1.98	5 18 0	1 6 0	4 11	7 8 11	" 5/485
14454	J. English ...	312 3 30	Mundoona ...	14.1.98	39 2 6	1 11 6	13 1	41 7 1	Melbourne 5/171
14022	J. English ...	319 2 17	"	"	56 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	58 4 10	" 6/171
15935	A. Williams ...	259 2 3	Euroa ...	18.12.97	52 0 0	1 6 0	10 10	53 16 10	" 6/565
568	G. Excell, jun. ...	320 3 23	Jeruk ...	16.12.97	80 11 0	1 11 6	13 5	82 15 11 ¹	Charlton 1/166
9439	Jas. Nugent ...	319 3 33	Karramomus ...	12.1.98	112 6 0	1 11 6	13 4	114 4 10	Shepparton 4/400
5916	W. Jones ...	320 0 0	Kout Narin ...	15.12.97	16 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	18 4 10	Harrow 96-7/5645
5101	M. A. Merrett ...	319 3 37	Leeor ...	"	8 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 10	Nhill 384/2
6119	N. P. Rasmussen (transferor of W. Meek)	319 3 14	Arapiles ...	24.12.97	168 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	170 4 10	Melbourne 321/7
6608	D. McClure ...	307 0 34	Lowan ...	7.12.97	100 9 0	1 11 6	12 10	102 13 4	" 95-6/9635
7949	D. McClure ...	155 1 4	"	"	51 7 0	1 6 0	6 6	52 19 6	" "
4276	J. Flynn ...	319 3 11	Murrandarra ...	"	112 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	114 4 10	" 198/4
2050	R. Flynn ...	112 0 0	"	"	39 4 0	1 6 0	4 8	40 14 8	" "
5009	J. Laurie ...	320 0 0	Hotspur ...	"	128 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	130 4 10	" 285/3
6662	R. Flynn ...	204 3 24	Bringalbart ...	"	71 15 0	1 6 0	8 7	73 9 7	" 299/4
8642	J. Flynn ...	319 3 29	"	"	112 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	114 4 10	" 363/4
6277	R. Crawford ...	319 2 32	Kaniva ...	"	72 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	74 4 10	" 147/4
5655	M. J. Rogers ...	319 3 30	Leeor ...	"	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	" 313/3
1269	A. Camoron ...	60 0 0	Bealiba ...	"	21 0 0	1 6 0	2 6	22 8 6	" 91-2/9855
8095	K. Buffham ...	319 3 32	Koonik Koonik and Nurcoung Gymbowen ...	9.12.97	176 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	178 4 10	" 136/4
4965	A. Buffham (formerly Knight)	319 3 13	"	"	120 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	122 4 10	" 564/2
4764	S. W. Lancaster ...	319 2 6	Minimay ...	16.12.97	40 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	42 4 10	" 94-5/2018
5919	G. Bull ...	319 2 33	Dopevora ...	"	64 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	66 4 10	" 96-7/5648
5904	H. Watson ...	288 2 15	Kentbruck ...	5.1.98	50 11 6	1 6 0	12 1	52 9 7	Portland 393/4
4955	H. Watson ...	217 2 28	"	"	70 17 0	1 6 0	9 1	72 12 1	" 397/4
4944	H. Watson ...	102 0 5	Mumbannar ...	"	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	" 2/41
2203	M. A. Ball ...	319 3 37	Cooroopajerrup ...	7.12.97	32 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	34 4 10	Melbourne 2/41
3498	T. O'Shaughnessy ...	309 0 0	Waranga ...	"	92 14 0	1 11 6	12 11	94 18 5	" 3/425
5193	T. Morecroft ...	319 3 16	Wousang ...	4.1.98	40 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	42 4 10	Wedderburne 2/480
1526	H. G. Johnson ...	319 2 5	Corack ...	18.12.97	16 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	18 4 10	Donald 6/72
4061	H. Naylor ...	104 3 4	Rich Avon West ...	21.12.97	5 5 0	1 6 0	4 5	6 15 5	Melbourne 3/104
2178	H. Naylor ...	198 2 31	"	"	20 0 0	1 6 0	8 4	21 11 4	" 3/103
3241	M. C. McCluskey ...	319 3 32	Molka ...	15.12.97	16 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	18 4 10	" 2/366
479	Thos. Dunstan ...	154 0 0	Swanwater ...	6.1.98	7 14 0	1 6 0	6 5	9 6 5	St. Arnaud 2/206
761	Isabella Jenkins ...	150 0 0	Tambo ...	7.1.98	3 15 0	1 6 0	6 3	5 7 3	Bairnsdale 2/270
8678	A. F. Gellion ...	129 3 17	Alberton West ...	8.1.98	45 10 0	1 6 0	5 5	47 1 5	Sale 3/201
4638	The Great Morwell Coal Mining Coy. Limited	146 0 0	Narracan ...	"	3 13 0	1 6 0	6 1	5 5 1	Melbourne 5/199
15886	Thos. Wills ...	318 2 13	Dumbalk ...	12.1.98	151 10 6	1 11 6	13 4	153 15 4	Warragul 5/560
Under Section 18 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .									
13259	Jas. Patterson, jun.	20 0 12	Trawalla ...	6.1.98	1 0 0	1 1 0	0 11	3 1 11 ²	Ballarat
Under Section 36 of the <i>Mines Act 1890</i> .									
354/36	A. G. Hickey ...	0 0 12	Sandhurst ...	7.1.98	5 0 0	1 1 0	0 3	6 1 3	Bendigo
356/36	Barkly Hyett ...	0 0 17	"	"	15 0 0	1 1 0	0 8	16 1 8	"
H.24334	J. H. Kiene ...	0 0 4	Ballarat ...	10.1.98	35 12 10	1 1 0	1 6	36 15 4	Ballarat
321/36	J. J. Greenshields ...	0 0 15 ⁴	Castlemaine ...	12.1.98	5 0 0	1 1 0	0 3	6 1 3	Castlemaine

¹ 6s. 1d. paid at Charlton 5th January, 1898.
² Includes £1 certificate fee.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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

Land Act 1890, Part II.

LEASE FOR MALLEE ALLOTMENT CANCELLED.

IT is hereby notified that the Lease for the Mallee Allotment specified in the Schedule hereunder has been cancelled.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

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.
1.7.90	Smith, Archibald	91	Karkaroo	665 acres	Horsham

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Land Act 1890, Part II.

TRANSFERS OF LEASES OF MALLEE ALLOTMENTS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

It is hereby notified that the Transfers of the Leases of Mallee Allotments specified in the Schedule hereunder have been registered at the Office of Titles.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
 Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.
 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—
						£ s. d.		
1.1.84	17B	Karkaroc	422 acres ...	Ryan, Thomas, the younger	Goudie, Alice Maud	2 0 0	1.7.97	Donald
1.1.94	68	Weeah ...	269 acres ...	McLennan, Donald	Sleep, Mary Anna	3 7 4	1.1.98	Horsham
1.7.90	197	Karkaroc	1 square mile 5 acres	Urbahns, Henry Frederick Charles	Mackenzie, Hannah	4 0 0	"	Warracknabeal
1.7.91	450	"	577 acres ...	Durham, John ...	Gellatly, John Duncan	2 0 0	1.7.97	"
1.1.91	179	Tatchera	1 square mile 21 acres	Walsh, William ...	Currie, Mary ...	4 0 0	1.1.98	Wycheproof
1.7.93	443	"	488 acres ...	Kelly, Bridget ...	Burke, Robert ...	6 2 0	"	Swan Hill

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.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
 Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.
 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—
						£ s. d.		
1.1.84	172c	Borong ...	428 acres ...	Connolly, John ¹	Cloonan, James ...	5 7 0	1st July, 1897 ...	Donald
2.1.88	29s	Karkaroc	295 acres ...	Bell, George and Moses	Bell, Fred ...	2 0 0	1st Jan., 1898 ...	Warracknabeal
2.1.88	29r	"	640 acres ...	Bell, George and Moses	Bell, John ...	2 0 0	" ...	"
1.7.87	120e	Tatchera	583 acres ...	Sims, Samuel ...	Gray, William John; and Wright, Robert	7 5 9	" ...	Kerang

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 24th September, 1897, p. 3614.

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 Rent adjusted accordingly.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
 Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.
 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 1.1.98.	Pay Office.
					£ s. d.	
1.1.92	Strachan, David ¹	665	Karkaroc ...	26 square miles 368 acres	54 0 0	Warracknabeal
2.1.88	Bell, George and Moses ...	29L	" ...	1 square mile 238 acres	4 0 0	"
1.7.87	Sims, Samuel ...	120A	Tatchera ...	1 square mile 524 acres	2 0 0	Kerang

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 10th September, 1897, p. 3510.

Mallee Lands Act 1890, Section 7.

APPLICATION FOR PERPETUAL LEASE OF MALLEE ALLOTMENT DECLARED ABANDONED.

It is hereby notified that the following Application for Perpetual Lease of Mallee Allotment specified in the Schedule hereunder has been abandoned.

R. W. BEST,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
 Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.
 Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

No. of Application.	Name of Applicant.	No. of Allotment.	County.	Area.
264	Carmichael, John L. C.	502	Tatchera ...	640 acres

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, 19th January, 1898.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

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	"
693	364	"
694	341	"
695	340	"
699	478	"
700	498	"
701	474	"
702	474	"
703	474	"
704	640	"
705	640	"
706	632	"
707	640	"
708	640	"
709	640	"
710	640	"
711	632	"
712	640	"
713	640	"
714	634	"
715	635	"
716	630	"
717	631	"
718	631	"
719	631	"
720	631	"
721	632	"
722	620	"
723	640	"
724	632	"
725	640	"
726	640	"
727	640	"
728	513	"
729	632	"
730	640	"
731	597	"
732	474	"
733	474	"
734	474	"
743	474	"
750	474	"
751	632	"
752	640	"
753	632	"
754	632	"
755	640	"
756	640	"
757	639	"
758	632	"
759	639	"
760	639	"
761	632	"
762	632	"
763	551	"
764	631	"
765	632	"
766	633	"
767	631	"
768	631	"
769	640	"
770	640	"
771	632	"
772	640	"
773	640	Karkaroc
774	640	"
775	640	"
776	632	"
777	640	"
778	640	"
779	474	"
780	473	"
795	474	"
796	473	"
797	474	"
798	640	"
799	640	"
800	632	"
801	640	"
802	640	"
803	640	"
804	640	"
805	632	"
806	640	"
807	640	"
808	632	"
809	632	"
810	631	"
811	631	"
812	640	"
813	640	"
814	633	"
815	640	"
816	640	"
817	640	"
818	640	"
819	663	"
820	609	"
821	640	"
822	474	"
823	474	"
824	474	"
825	474	"
835	483	"
836	487	"
836A	487	"
837	586	"
838	613	"
839	602	"
840	576	"
841	797	"
842	841	"
843	641	"
844	639	"
845	639	"
846	639	"
847	632	"
848	639	"
849	639	"
850	474	"
851	473	"
853	474	"
854	640	"
855	640	"
856	633	"
857	641	"
858	641	"
859	642	"
860	640	"
861	826	"
862	640	"
863	640	"
865	472	"
866	477	"
868	474	"
869	475	"
873	480	"
879	477	"
880	512	"
881	508	"
883	641	"
884	641	"
885	803	"
886	640	"
887	638	"
889	639	"
890	632	"
891	640	"
892	640	"
893	474	"
894	474	"
895	473	"
896	474	"
897	468	"
898	467	"
899	468	"
900	468	"
901	632	"
902	632	"
903	625	"
904	632	"
905	638	"
906	633	"
907	631	"
909	642	"
911	476	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
912	439	Karkaroc
924	474	"
928	476	"
931	347	"
932	762	"
933	646	"
934	639	"
935	640	"
936	639	"
937	632	"
938	639	"
939	639	"
940	474	"
942	413	"
943	474	"
944	474	"
945	443	"
945	475	"
947	474	"
948	640	"
949	639	"
950	633	"
951	639	"
952	640	"
953	581	"
954	634	"
955	719	"
957	635	"
971	449	"
977	611	"
978	630	"
979	714	"
980	699	"
981	689	"
982	679	"
983	669	"
984	655	"
985	655	"
986	604	"
987	477	"
988	474	"
989	469	"
990	468	"
1036	603	"
1037	666	"
1038	660	"
1039	655	"
1040	649	"
1041	644	"
1042	637	"
1043	630	"
1044	621	"
1045	612	"
1046	602	"
1047	592	"
1048	463	"
1049	452	"
1052	374	"
1065	480	"
1066	611	"
1067	641	"
1068	641	"
1069	641	"
1070	641	"
1071	641	"
1072	641	"
1073	641	"
1074	640	"
1075	640	"
1076	640	"
1077	640	"
1078	576	"
1079	555	"
1080	617	"
1081	616	"
1082	616	"
1083	616	"
1084	617	"
1085	616	"
1087	616	"
1088	616	"
1090	616	"
1091	343	"
1092	484	"
1093	481	"
1130	481	"
1133	629	"
1134	606	"
1140	633	"
1141	633	"
1142	559	"
1144	632	"
1145	633	"
1146	617	"
1147	616	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

Subdivisions of block 27B

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
1148	632	Karkaroc
1149	632	"
1150	617	"
1151	617	"
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	"
1	613	Tatchera, parish of Piangil West
2	637	"
3	637	"
4	637	"
5	637	"
6	636	"
7	636	"
8	635	"
9	635	"
10	634	"
11	632	"
12	637	"
13	637	"
14	637	"
15	637	"
16	638	"
17	638	"
18	638	"
19	639	"
20	639	"
21	637	"
22	637	"
23	637	"
24	637	"
25	637	"
26	637	"
27	637	"
28	637	"
29	636	"
30	636	"
31	637	"
32	637	"
33	637	"
34	637	"
35	637	"
36	637	"
37	637	"
38	637	"
39	636	"
40	636	"
41	635	"
42	634	"
43	635	"
45	626	"
46	621	"
47	621	"
48	618	"
49	637	"
51	636	"
52	635	"
53	636	"
54	636	"
55	635	"
56	635	"
57	635	"
58	635	"
59	634	"
60	644	"
61	635	"
62	634	"
63	636	"
64	635	"
65	634	"
66	634	"
69	634	"
70	639	"
71	631	"
72	631	"
73	635	"
74	635	"
75	635	"
76	636	"
77	637	"
78	579	"
79	639	"

Subdivisions of block 27B

Subdivisions of blocks 20A and 20B

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
2	482	Tatchera, parish of
3	481	Piangil
4	481	"
5	482	"
6	480	"
11	478	"
12	479	"
13	479	"
14	480	"
15	480	"
17	482	"
18	482	"
19	481	"
20	481	"
21	480	"
27	478	"
28	478	"
29	477	"
30	476	"
31	477	"
32	476	"
34	483	"
35	486	"
36	486	"
37	485	"
38	487	"
39	486	"
43	477	"
44	479	"
45	479	"
47	480	"
48	479	"
50	479	"
52	479	"
54	442	"
56	480	"
59	480	"
61	476	"
62	477	"
64	478	"
Subdivisions of blocks 20A and 20B		
5	399	Weeah
9	578	"
1019	555	Karkaroor
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	"
527	640	"
528	640	"
529	640	"
530	570	"
531	632	"
532	640	"
533	640	"
567	631	"
569	639	"
560	629	"
583	635	"
584	638	"
593	481	"
604	628	"
605	640	"
606	574	"
607	499	"
608	627	"
609	629	"
Subdivisions of blocks 21A and 21B		
281	639	"
282	639	"
Subdivisions of block 22A		
155B*	100	Lowan

NOTE.—Incoming licensee or lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.
 * All applications received on or before Friday, the 21st January, 1898, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

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 five years and eleven months, from the 1st January, 1898, 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, 19th January, 1898.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square miles.	Situation, &c.
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 Albcutya
44A	104	County of Weeah
44B	104	County of Weeah

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements (if any) on these blocks.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

THE undermentioned Mallee Allotments are now available for application. Particulars as to position of allotments and character of country can be obtained on application at the Local Land Offices. Plans and forms of application can be obtained at the Land Offices in the district, or from the Crown Lands Department, Melbourne. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate of registration, to be obtained from any Receiver and Paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

The tenure of lease is five years and eleven months from the 1st January, 1898.

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 "	"
9a	442 acres	"
20c	553 "	"
25	17 sq. miles	"
26	15 "	"
30b	8 " and 471 acres	"
46A ¹	550 acres	"
67	8 sq. miles and 160 acres	"
68a	6 " and 284 "	"
75a	1 sq. mile and 287 "	"
75H	1 " and 284 "	"
115D	392 acres	"
121	31 sq. miles and 160 "	"
124	23 " and 320 "	"
126B	1 sq. mile and 41 "	"
137B	605 acres	"
138	13 sq. miles and 558 acres	"
138A	16 " and 286 "	"
139a	8 " and 320 "	"
140	21 " and 583 "	"
141	15 " and 120 "	"
148	1 sq. mile and 45 "	"
152	2 sq. miles	"
155	1 sq. mile and 44 acres	"
162B	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	26 " and 347 "	"
173	13 " and 160 "	"
174	14 " and ...	"
175	14 " and ...	"
176	12 " and 556 acres	"
177	12 " and 637 "	"
178A	8 " and 178 "	"
178B	8 " and 178 "	"
182	16 " and 152 "	"

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
183	14 sq. miles and 136 acres	Lowan
184	15 " and 160 "	"
185	13 " and 253 "	"
187	11 " and 145 "	"
189	18 " and 160 "	"
191	24 " and 634 "	"
192	21 " " " "	"
193A	9 " and 422 acres	"
193B	8 " and 532 "	"
194	15 " and 120 "	"
195	9 " and 18 "	"
196B	10 " " " "	"
196C	5 " " " "	"
199	3 " and 320 acres	"
201	490 acres " " "	"
201B	488 " " " "	"
208A	12 sq. miles and 533 acres	"
210f	640 acres " " "	"
210k	2 sq. miles " " "	"
212F	1 sq. mile and 3 acres	"
217C	1 " and 341 "	"
221	554 acres " " "	"
220A	1 sq. mile and 324 acres	"
221A	381 acres " " "	"
70	442 " " " "	Tatchera, parish of Piangil, on west side of Euston and Swan Hill roads

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

Courts.

ALEXANDRA.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that Harold Morrison, Esq., Police Magistrate in and for the colony of Victoria, will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Alexandra, on Wednesday, the 9th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Ratepayers' and General Lists of Electors for the Acheron and Alexandra Divisions of the Electoral District of Anglesey. Dated at Alexandra this 19th day of January, 1898.—P. P. CONLAN, Clerk of the Revision Court.

BALLAN.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that J. Keogh, Esq., a 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 2nd day of February, 1898, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the List of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the South Ballan Division of the Electoral District of Grant. Dated at Ballan the 14th day of January, 1898.—W. ARNOLD, Clerk of the Revision Court.

BIRCHIP.—In the Revision Court in Birchip, for the Wirm birchip Division of the Electoral District of Donald and Swan Hill.—Notice is hereby given that William Leader, Esq., 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 in Birchip, on Friday, the 18th day of February, 1898, at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists of the said Division.—W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of the Court.

CARISBROOK.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Carisbrook, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of February, 1898, at Two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of revising the General List and List of Ratepaying Electors in the Carisbrook Division of the Electoral District of Maryborough. Dated at Carisbrook this 15th day of January, 1898.—T. C. SKEHAN, Clerk of the Revision Court.

CASTLEMAINE.—LICENSING COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that the Sittings of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts hereunder named will be held during the month of February, 1898, at the place, date, and hour specified below:—

Place of Sitting.	Date and Hour.	Name of District.
Castlemaine ...	Friday, 4th February, 1898, at Ten a.m.	Castlemaine, Chewton, Harcourt, Fryers, Sutton Grange, Maldon, Baringhup, Newstead, and Walmer

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.—(By order) J. H. DUNNE, Clerk of Licensing Courts.

CASTLEMAINE.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that W. R. Anderson, Esq., a Police Magistrate in and for the colony of Victoria, has given me notice, in pursuance of section 23 of the *Purification of Rolls Act 1891* (No. 1242), that he will hold a Revision Court, at the Court House, Castlemaine, on Friday, 11th February, 1898, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and General Lists for the Castlemaine and Harcourt Divisions of the Electoral District of Castlemaine. Dated this 18th January, 1898.—J. H. DUNNE, Clerk of Revision Court.

CLUNES.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Court for the Licensing Districts of Tourelle and Glendaruel will be held at the Court House at Clunes, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1898, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated this 14th day of January, 1898.—(By order) JOSEPH FOX, Clerk of the Licensing Court.

CLUNES.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House at Clunes, on Friday, the 1st day of April, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of the County Court Town of Clunes. Dated at Clunes this 18th day of January, 1898.—JOSEPH FOX, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

COLAC.—LICENSING COURT.—A Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Cape Otway will be holden at the Court House, Colac, on Friday, the 4th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Colac the 19th January, 1898.—J. W. LLOYD, Clerk of the said Court.

CRESWICK.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House at Creswick, on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of the County Court Town of Creswick. Dated at Creswick this 18th day of January, 1898.—JOSEPH FOX, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

CUNNINGHAME.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Cunninghame, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the List of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the Bumberrah Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland East. Dated at Cunninghame this 15th day of January, 1898.—J. W. STEPHEN, Clerk of the Revision Court.

DARGO.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at Dargo, on Thursday, the 17th day of February, 1898, at the hour of Nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Wonnangatta Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland East. Dated at Dargo the 14th day of January, 1898.—THOS. H. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Revision Court.

DAYLESFORD.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Daylesford, on Wednesday, the 6th April, 1898, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of Daylesford. Dated at Daylesford this 13th January, 1898.—H. P. STEPHEN, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

DONALD.—In the Revision Court in Donald, for the Watchem Division of the Electoral District of Borung and the Wooroonook Division of the Electoral District of Donald and Swan Hill.—Notice is hereby given that William Leader, Esquire, 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 in Donald, on Thursday, the 17th day of February, 1898, at 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.

DONALD.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held in the Court House in Donald, on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Donald Jury District.—W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

DUNOLLY.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—It is hereby notified that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House at Dunolly, on Wednesday, the 6th day of April, 1898, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of Dunolly. Dated at Dunolly the 17th day of January, 1898.—D. W. O'GRADY, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

ELMORE.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that an Electoral Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Elmore, on Saturday, the 5th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of Revising the List of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the Elmore Division of the Electoral District of Mandurang. Dated at Elmore this 15th day of January, 1898.—G. ASPINALL, Clerk of the Revision Court.

This notice is in lieu of that published in *Government Gazette* of 31st December, 1897.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS will be held at the places, on the dates, and at the hours hereunder mentioned, to revise the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the undermentioned Divisions of Electoral Districts:—

At the Court House, PRAHRAN, on 24th February, 1898, at Ten a.m., South Yarra and Prahran Electoral Districts and Toorak Division of Toorak Electoral District.

At the Court House, RICHMOND, on 5th February, 1898, at Ten a.m., Jolimont and Richmond West Divisions of Jolimont and West Richmond Electoral District and Richmond Central, Richmond North, and Richmond South Divisions of Richmond Electoral District.

At the Court House, BRIGHTON, on 11th February, 1898, at Ten a.m., Brighton, Brighton East, Brighton South, Elsternwick, and Garden Vale Divisions of Brighton Electoral District.

Dated at Prahran this 13th day of January, 1898.—E. NOTLEY MOORE, Clerk of Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that G. W. F. Patterson, Esquire, a Police Magistrate of and for the Colony of Victoria, will, pursuant to the provisions of section 23 of Act 1242, hold Revision Courts for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the undermentioned Divisions of the Electoral Districts of Geelong and Grant, as under:—

At the Court House, Gheringhap-street, GEELONG, on Tuesday, the 8th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock a.m., for the Barwon, Bellarine, Kardinia, and Villamanta Divisions of the Electoral District of Geelong.

At the Court House, GEELONG WEST, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898, at Noon, for the Geelong West and Newtown and Chilwell Divisions of the Electoral District of Geelong and for the Gheringhap, Lara, Moorpanyal, and Peak Divisions of the Electoral District of Grant.

Dated at Geelong this 14th day of January, 1898.—D. F. McGRATH, Clerk of Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Electoral Revision Courts will be held at the times and places hereunder mentioned, for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and General Lists of persons claiming to be entitled to vote for members of the Legislative Assembly for the undermentioned Divisions of Electoral Districts:—

At MAFFRA, on Monday, the 7th February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock a.m., at the Court House, for the Briagolong and Maffra Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland North.

At SALE, on Friday, the 18th February, 1898, at Ten o'clock a.m., at the Court House, for the Denison and Sale Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland Central.

At STRATFORD, on Monday, the 28th February, 1898, at Ten o'clock a.m., at the Court House, for the Clydebank Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland Central and the Stratford Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland North.

Dated at Sale this 17th January, 1898.—E. D. MOORS, Clerk of the Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Public notice is hereby given that Revision Courts will be held on the undermentioned dates, at the undermentioned places, for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Divisions of the Electoral Districts hereinafter respectively set out, viz:—

At MALVERN, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Malvern and Armadale Divisions of the Electoral District of Toorak and the Malvern East Division of the Electoral District of Eastern Suburbs.

At CHELTENHAM, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Heatherton and Mordialloc Divisions of the Electoral District of Dandenong and Berwick.

At OAKLEIGH, on Thursday, the 24th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Oakleigh Division of the Electoral District of Dandenong and Berwick.

At CAULFIELD, on Friday, the 11th day of February, 1898, at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Caulfield East Division of the Electoral District of Eastern Suburbs and the Southern Division of the Electoral District of Toorak.

At DANDENONG, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Dandenong and Lyndhurst Divisions of the Electoral District of Dandenong and Berwick.

At BERWICK, on Saturday, the 5th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Berwick Division of the Electoral District of Dandenong and Berwick.

At PAKENHAM, on Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Pakenham and Beaconsfield Divisions of the Electoral District of Mornington and the Gembrook Division of the Electoral District of Evelyn.

Dated at Malvern this 17th day of January, 1898.—A. ALDRIDGE KELLEY, Clerk of the said Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Revision Courts for revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and General Lists for the undermentioned Divisions of the Electoral District of Numurkah and Nathalia will be held as follow:—

NUMURKAH and WUNGHNU Divisions, at the Court House, Numurkah, at Ten a.m., on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1898.

NATHALIA and MOIRA Divisions, at the Court House, Nathalia, at Eleven a.m., on Thursday, the 17th day of February, 1898.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1898, at Numurkah.—P. IRWIN, Clerk of the said Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Electoral Revision Courts will be held as hereinafter mentioned, for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and the General Lists for the undermentioned Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland West:—

At the Court House at YARRAGON, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon, for the Allambie and Shady Creek Divisions.

At the Court House at WARRAGUL, on Tuesday, the 15th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the Brandy Creek, Lardner, and Warragul Divisions.

At the Court House at DROUIN, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of February, 1898, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the Drouin and Longwarry Divisions.

Dated at Warragul the 14th day of January, 1898.—J. D. 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 times and places specified, for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Divisions of the Electoral District of Polwarth hereinafter set out, namely:—

At COLAC, on Friday, the 4th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, for the Corangamite, Beac, and Weering Divisions.

At WINCHELSEA, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1898, at half-past Two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, for the Winchelsea East and Winchelsea West Divisions.

At BIRREGURRA, on Friday, the 25th day of February, 1898, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, for the Cape Otway Division.

Dated at Colac this 17th day of January, 1898.—J. W. LLOYD, Clerk of the said Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Electoral Revision Courts will be held at the places and times mentioned below, for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Divisions of Electoral Districts, as follow:—

At the Court House, EDENHOPE, on Tuesday, the 8th day of February, 1898, at Two p.m., for the Apley and Edenhope Divisions, Electoral District of Normanby.

At the Court House, BALMORAL, on Wednesday, 23rd February, 1898, at Ten a.m., for the Balmoral Division, Electoral District of Dundas.

At the Court House, HARROW, on Thursday, 24th February, 1898, at Ten a.m. for the Mullagh and South Harrow Divisions, Electoral District of Dundas.

Dated at Harrow the 15th day of January, 1898.—THOS. GONNOR ABBOTT, Clerk of the Revision Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that Revision Courts will be held on the undermentioned dates, at the places and times specified, for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Divisions of the Electoral Districts hereinafter respectively set out:—

At the Court House, CLUNES, on Friday, the 4th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the Clunes and Beckworth Divisions of the Electoral District of Clunes and Allandale.

At the Court House, ALLENDALE, on Wednesday, the 9th day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the Smeaton Division of the Electoral District of Creswick and the Tourelle Division of the Electoral District of Clunes and Allandale.

At the Court House, CRESWICK, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the Creswick and Bullarook Divisions of the Electoral District of Creswick.

Dated at Creswick this 18th day of January, 1898.—JOSEPH FOX, Clerk of the said Revision Courts.

GEELONG.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Wyndham will be held on Monday, the 31st day of January, 1898, at Ten a.m., at the Court House, Gheringhap-street, Geelong. Dated this 15th day of January, 1898.—(By order) D. F. McGRATH, Clerk of the Licensing Court.

HEATHCOTE.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Court House, Heathcote, on Friday, the 1st day of April, 1898, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury Lists for the Jury District of Heathcote. Dated at Heathcote the 8th day of January, 1898.—W. T. TONKS, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

HOPETOUN.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at Hopetoun on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the List of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the Corong Division of the Electoral District of Donald and Swan Hill. Dated at Hopetoun the 15th day of January, 1898.—A. SMOLEHER, Clerk of the Revision Court.

KORUMBURRA.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Korumburra, on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1898, at Ten a.m., for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of Korumburra. Dated at Korumburra the 12th day of January, 1898.—W. G. SMITH, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

KYNETON.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Campaspe, Carlsruhe, Emberton, Gisborne, Kyneton, Lauriston, Malmesbury, Newham East, Riddell's Creek, Sunbury, Taradale, Tylden, and Woodend will be held at the Court House at Kyneton, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Kyneton the 13th day of January, 1898.—(By order) P. BARTOLD, Clerk of the said Courts.

LANDSBOROUGH.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—It is hereby notified that William Leader, Esquire, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice that he will hold a Revision Court at Landsborough, for the Landsborough Division of the Electoral District of Stawell, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the above-mentioned Division. Dated at Landsborough 13th day of January, 1898.—W. H. PUDDICOMBE, Clerk of Revision Court.

MAJORCA.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Majorca, on Tuesday, 22nd day of February, 1898, at Twelve noon, for the purpose of revising the General and Ratepayers' Electoral Lists for the Majorca and Rodborough Divisions of the Electoral District of Maryborough. Dated at Majorca this 15th day of January, 1898.—P. F. WALSH, Clerk of Revision Court.

MANSFIELD.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that Harold Morrison, Esq., Police Magistrate in and for the colony of Victoria, will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Mansfield, on Friday, the 11th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Ratepayers' and General Lists of Electors for the Mansfield Division of the Electoral District of Delatite. Dated at Mansfield this 18th day of January, 1898.—P. P. CONLAN, Clerk of the Revision Court.

MELTON.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—It is hereby notified that J. Keogh, Esquire, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice that he will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Melton, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of February, 1898, at half-past Nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and the General Lists for Melton and Mount Cottrell Divisions of the Electoral District of Bourke West. Dated at Melton this 15th day of January, 1898.—JAS. WADE, Clerk of the Revision Court.

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 4th day of February, 1898, at the hour of Nine o'clock a.m., for the purpose of revising the General and Ratepaying Lists for the Oxley, Greta, 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 12th day of January, 1898.—A. E. CAWSEY, Clerk of the Revision Court.

OAKLEIGH.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Dandenong, Heatherton, Mordialloc, Nunawading, Oakleigh, and Scoresby will be held at the Court House, Oakleigh, on Thursday, the 27th day of January, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Malvern this 17th day of January, 1898.—(By order) A. ALDRIDGE KELLEY, Clerk of the said Licensing Courts.

OMEQ.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Omeo and Tongio Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland East, will be holden at the Court House, Omeo, on Thursday, the 24th February, 1898, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.—J. A. CREELMAN, Clerk of the said Revision Court. Omeo, 13th January, 1898.

ORBOST.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that an Electoral Revision Court will be holden at the Court House, Orbost, on Tuesday, the 8th day of February, 1898, at Five p.m., for the purpose of revising the General Lists and Lists of Ratepaying Electors for the Buchan and Snowy River Divisions of the Electoral District of Gippsland East. Dated at Orbost this 17th day of January, 1898.—(By order of the Court) GEO. D. FERRY, Clerk of the said Court.

QUEENSLIFF.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Queenscliff, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the General List and the List of Ratepaying Electors for the Queenscliff Division of the Electoral District of Barwon. Dated at Queenscliff the 19th day of January, 1898.—P. LINGFORD, Clerk of the Revision Court.

SALE.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House at Sale, on Tuesday, the 5th April, 1898, at Ten o'clock a.m., to revise the Jury List for the Jury District of Sale. Dated at Sale this 17th day of January, 1898.—E. D. MOORS, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

SCARSDALE.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that R. E. Johns, Esquire, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice, in pursuance of section 23 of the *Purification of Rolls Act 1891*, that he will hold a Revision Court at the Town Hall, Scarsdale, on Thursday, the 3rd February, 1898, at the hour of Twelve noon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists for the Scarsdale Division of the Electoral District of Grenville. Dated at Scarsdale this 18th January, 1898.—P. J. SHEIL, Clerk of the said Revision Court.

SHEPPARTON.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House at Shepparton, on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Assize Town of Shepparton. Dated at Shepparton, the 17th day of January, 1898.—W. P. MILNE, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

SMYTHESDALE.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that R. E. Johns, Esquire, a Police Magistrate in and for the Colony of Victoria, has given me notice, in pursuance of section 23 of the *Purification of Rolls Act 1891*, that he will hold a Revision Court at the Court House, Smythesdale, on Tuesday, 8th February, 1898, at the hour of Twelve noon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists for the Smythesdale Division of the Electoral District of Grenville. Dated at Smythesdale this 18th January, 1898.—P. J. SHEIL, Clerk of the said Revision Court.

ST. ARNAUD.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held in the Court House in St. Arnaud, on Wednesday, the 6th day of April, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the St. Arnaud Jury District.—W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

ST. ARNAUD.—IN THE REVISION COURT IN ST. ARNAUD FOR THE AVON PLAINS, GOOROC, ST. ARNAUD, AND STUART MILL DIVISIONS OF THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KARA KARA.—Notice is hereby given that William Leader, Esq., 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 in St. Arnaud, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Electoral Lists of the said Division.—W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of the Court.

STEIGLITZ.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, at Steiglitz, on Wednesday, the 9th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Ratepayers' and General Lists for the Steiglitz Division of the Electoral District of Grant. Dated at Steiglitz the 19th day of January, 1898.—E. WILLIAMSON, Clerk of the Revision Court.

TALLANGATTA.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that an Extended Sitting of the Annual Licensing Court for the Licensing Districts of Murray, Koctong, and Mitta Mitta will be held at the Court House, Tallangatta, on Thursday, the 3rd day of February, 1898, at Nine o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Beechworth this 15th day of January, 1898.—JOSEPH ROWAN, P.M., Chairman of said Court.

TUNGAMAH.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that Charles Leonard Dobbin, Esq., a Police Magistrate in and for the colony of Victoria, has given me notice, in pursuance of section 23 of Act No. 1242, that he will hold a Revision Court at Tungamah, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and General Lists for the Tungamah, Mokoan, and Upotipotpon Divisions of the Electoral District of Benalla and Yarrowonga. Dated at Tungamah, the 17th day of January, 1898.—J. T. FAIGH, Clerk of the Revision Court.

TRENTHAM.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that an Electoral Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Trentham, on Monday, the 14th day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the List of Ratepaying Electors and the General List for the Tylden Division of the Electoral District of Kyneton. Dated at Trentham this 12th day of January, 1898.—FRED. JAS. COX, Clerk of Revision Court.

Juries Act 1890.

WANGARATTA.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be holden at the Court House, Wangaratta, on Thursday, the 7th day of April, A.D. 1898, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the Jury District of Wangaratta.—E. MURPHY, Clerk of Petty Sessions. Court House, Wangaratta, 13th January, 1898.

WODONGA.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 23 of Act No. 1242, a Revision Court will be held at the Court House, Wodonga, on Thursday, the 10th day of February, A.D. 1898, at Ten o'clock a.m., for the purpose of revising the General List and List of Ratepaying Electors for the Wodonga Division of the Electoral District of Bogong. Dated at Wodonga this 15th day of January, A.D. 1898.—W. F. BÜSSE, Clerk of the said Revision Court.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes: pursuant to Order in Council of 21st December, 1897.

Ararat	...	Thursday	...	10 March
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	...	5 April
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	15 February
Beechworth	...	Tuesday	...	1 March
Benalla	...	Wednesday	...	4 May
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	...	8 February
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	17 March
Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	15 March
Geelong	...	Wednesday	...	2 February
Hamilton	...	Friday	...	22 April
Horsham	...	Tuesday	...	8 March
Maryborough	...	Friday	...	20 May
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	...	15 February
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	10 May
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	22 February
Shepparton	...	Friday	...	15 April
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	...	18 May
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	14 June
Warrnambool	...	Thursday	...	3 February

GENERAL SESSIONS: pursuant to Order in Council of 21st December, 1897.

Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	19 April
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	...	22 March
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	8 March
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	20 April
Benalla	...	Wednesday	...	23 February
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	...	2 March
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	3 February
Daylesford	...	Tuesday	...	15 February
Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	5 April
Geelong	...	Tuesday	...	5 April
Hamilton	...	Tuesday	...	1 March
Horsham	...	Wednesday	...	9 February
Kilmore	...	Thursday	...	28 April
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	...	2 February
Mansfield	...	Friday	...	11 March
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	24 February
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	...	1 February
Mildura	...	Thursday	...	26 May
Nhill	...	Friday	...	22 April
Omeo	...	Wednesday	...	25 May
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	May
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	15 March
Portland	...	Friday	...	4 March
Sale	...	Thursday	...	24 March
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	...	16 February
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	...	23 February
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	8 February
Wangaratta	...	Wednesday	...	16 March
Warragul	...	Thursday	...	24 February
Warrnambool	...	Wednesday	...	16 March

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	19 April
Bacchus Marsh	...	Friday	...	1 April
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	...	22 March
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	8 March
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	20 April
Benalla	...	Wednesday	...	23 February
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	...	1 March
Bright	...	Thursday	...	21 April
Camperdown	...	Tuesday	...	1 February
Casterton	...	Wednesday	...	2 March
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	3 February
Charlton	...	Tuesday	...	26 April
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	19 April
Clunes	...	Tuesday	...	29 March
Colac	...	Wednesday	...	2 February
Creswick	...	Wednesday	...	30 March
Daylesford	...	Tuesday	...	15 February
Donald	...	Tuesday	...	28 June
Dunolly	...	Wednesday	...	11 May
Echuca	...	Tuesday	...	5 April
Geelong	...	Thursday	...	3 February
Hamilton	...	Tuesday	...	1 March
Heathcote	...	Friday	...	29 April
Horsham	...	Wednesday	...	9 February
Inglewood	...	Wednesday	...	27 April
Jamieson	...	Thursday	...	10 March
Kerang	...	Friday	...	29 April
Kilmore	...	Thursday	...	28 April
Korumburra	...	Tuesday	...	3 May
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	...	2 February
Mansfield	...	Friday	...	11 March
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	24 February
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	...	1 February
Mildura	...	Thursday	...	26 May
Mornington	...	Thursday	...	9 June
Nhill	...	Friday	...	22 April
Omeo	...	Wednesday	...	25 May
Palmerston	...	Thursday	...	5 May
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	15 March
Portland	...	Friday	...	4 March
Sale	...	Thursday	...	24 March
Seymour	...	Tuesday	...	15 February
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	...	16 February
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	...	23 February
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	8 February
Walhalla	...	Thursday	...	2 June
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	...	17 March
Warracknabeal	...	Wednesday	...	20 April
Warragul	...	Thursday	...	24 February
Warrnambool	...	Wednesday	...	16 March
Wodonga	...	Tuesday	...	15 March
Yarrowonga	...	Tuesday	...	22 February
Yea	...	Wednesday	...	27 April

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.

Melbourne	...	...	...	...
ARARAT DISTRICT.				
Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	19 April
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	8 February
BALLARAT DISTRICT.				
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	8 March
Clunes	...	Tuesday	...	29 March
Creswick	...	Wednesday	...	30 March
BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.				
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	20 April
Benalla	...	Wednesday	...	23 February
Bright	...	Thursday	...	21 April
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	19 April
Jamieson	...	Thursday	...	10 March
Kilmore	...	Thursday	...	28 April
Mansfield	...	Friday	...	11 March
Wodonga	...	Tuesday	...	15 March

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.			
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	3 February
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	...	—	—
Hepburn (Daylesford)	...	Tuesday	15 February
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	2 February
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.			
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	22 March
Omeo	...	Wednesday	25 May
Palmerston	...	Thursday	5 May
Sale	...	Thursday	24 March
Walhalla	...	Thursday	2 June
MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.			
Dunolly	...	Wednesday	11 May
Inglewood	...	Wednesday	27 April
Maryborough	...	Thursday	24 February
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	23 February
SANDHURST DISTRICT.			
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	1 March
Heathcote	...	Friday	29 April

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.

- Repairs to Post Office, Rutherglen. Particulars also at Post Office, Rutherglen. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 27th January
- New bath-house, Idiot Asylum, Kew. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 27th January
- Repairs, &c., State School No. 522, Rutherglen. Particulars also at Police Station, Rutherglen. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 27th January
- Painting Gun-shed, Gellibrand Battery, Williams-town. Particulars also at Orderly Room, Gellibrand Battery. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 27th January
- Painting Orderly Room, Victoria-street. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 27th January
- Painting Artillery and Infantry Orderly Room, Albert Park. Preliminary deposit, £4 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, painting, &c., State School No. 2411, Nhill. Particulars also at Police Stations, Nhill and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Repairs and painting, State School No. 860, Great Western. Particulars also at Police Station, Great Western, and Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, State School No. 1549, Murtoa. Particulars also at Police Stations, Murtoa and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, &c., State School No. 298, Horsham. Particulars also at Police Station, Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, &c., State School No. 1686, Lallat Plains. Particulars also at Police Stations, Rupanyup and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, &c., State School No. 1595, Rupanyup. Particulars also at Police Stations, Rupanyup and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, State School No. 1934, Sheep Hills. Particulars also at Police Stations, Warracknabeal and Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, State School No. 1439, Pimpinio. Particulars also at Police Station, Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Painting, repairs, &c., to Post Office, Euroa. Particulars also at Police Station, Euroa. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Repairs to planking, &c., Picnic Point Jetty, Brighton Beach. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, shelving, &c., City Court, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
- Building in tie-rods, &c., K. 2 cottage, Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
- Repairs, Police Quarters, Penshurst. Particulars also at Police Stations, Penshurst and Hamilton, until the 25th inst.; after that date at Police Stations, Warrnambool and Portland. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February

- Repairs to roofs, Surveyor's Quarters, Ararat. Particulars also at Police Station, Ararat, and Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Repairs, &c., to quarters, State School No. 33, Dana-street, Ballarat. Particulars also at Police Station, Geelong, and Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 3rd February
 - Painting Residence, State School No. 531, Roke-wood. Particulars also at Police Stations, Roke-wood and Ararat, until 25th inst.; after that date at Police Station, Camperdown, and Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Repairs, &c., Post Office, Terang. Particulars also at Police Stations, Colac and Terang, until 25th inst.; after that date at Police Station, Warrnambool. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Cleaning windows, &c., National Museum. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Repairs, painting, &c., Police Quarters, Caramut. Particulars also at Police Stations, Ararat and Caramut, until the 25th inst.; after that date at Police Stations, Hamilton and Warrnambool. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Renovation, &c., Training College, Carlton. Preliminary deposit, £1 ... 3rd February
 - Winding and repairing Clocks, &c., Government Offices, Melbourne and Suburbs, for one year. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 3rd February
 - Purchase and removal of boiler, engine, pumps, &c., Engine House, Yarra Bank. Preliminary deposit, 5 per cent. of purchase money ... 17th February
- 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, 20th January, 1898.

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, 24th January.—Tar paving at Inglewood. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Bendigo and Inglewood stations. Preliminary deposit, £2.

Monday, 24th January.—Tenders are invited from co-operative bodies of men for the construction (labour only) of the bodies of 6 corridor cars. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Deposit, £3 per car.

Monday, 31st January.—Removal of gate-house No. 43, near Gelliondale, and re-erection, with new fencing, at Tooradin. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Tooradin station. Preliminary deposit, £3.

Monday, 31st January.—Erection of cattle yard and race at Kilmore East. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Kilmore East station. Preliminary deposit, £3.

Monday, 31st January.—Removal and re-erection of gate-house No. 10, and erection of fencing at Redesdale. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Kyneton and Redesdale stations. Preliminary deposit, £3.

Monday, 31st January.—Erection of cattle and sheep yards and races at Avenel. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Seymour and Avenel stations. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 31st January.—Removal of gate-houses, Nos. 50 near Warragul and 6 near Buln Buln, and re-erection as a residence at Spring Vale. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Spring Vale station. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Monday, 31st January.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of spiral and volute springs. Particulars at the office of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £50.

Monday, 31st January.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of interlocking, point, signal, and gate fittings (till 31st December, 1900). Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £40.

Monday, 31st January.—Purchase and removal of gate-house No. 29, near Inglewood. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Inglewood station. Deposit, £1.

Monday, 31st January.—Removal and re-erection of gate-house No. 14, at Merrigum. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Merrigum station. Preliminary deposit, £2.

Monday, 31st January.—Purchase and removal of gate-house at Camberwell station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Deposit, £1.

Monday, 31st January.—Tar paving at Bendigo station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street, and at Bendigo station. Preliminary deposit, £3.

Monday, 31st January.—Purchase, till 31st December, 1898, of old tarpaulins and rope. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street (No. 1 Basement). Deposit as specified.

Monday, 7th February.—Erection of station buildings, "Down" side, and alterations, &c., to buildings "Up" side, at Camberwell station. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £20.

Monday, 21st February.—Supply of steel rails and fish-plates. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit, £750.

Monday, 14th March.—Purchase in lots of not less than 100 tons of 2,000 tons of old iron rails, delivered at any railway station, siding, or pier. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Deposit, 5 per cent. of the amount of tender.

Monday, 14th March.—Purchase in lots of not less than 100 tons of 400 tons of unserviceable steel rails, delivered at any railway station, siding, or pier. Particulars at the office of the Engineer for Existing Lines, Spencer-street. Deposit, 5 per cent. of the amount of tender.

Monday, 21st March.—Supply of alternate current transformers; and one main switchboard. Particulars at the Telegraph Superintendent's Office, Spencer-street. Preliminary deposit in each case £20.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

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

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 Monday, 31st January, 1898.

NOTE.—No tender will be accepted unless the fee for the period from 1st February, 1898, 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 Monday, 31st January, 1898, 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 1896* 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 five months—from 1st February, 1898, to 30th June, 1898.

2. The fee for the period from 1st February, 1898, 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 2488," or "Lot 2, Block 2629," or "Lot 3, Block 6943," 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, 12th January, 1898.

ARARAT, STAWELL, HAMILTON, AND HORSHAM DIVISIONS.

Lot 1. Grazing block (No. 2488)—62 acres, Camping and Water reserve, east of Dunnunkle Creek and west of and adjoining allotment 199, parish of Bachelia.—(*Stawell*, 328/123.)

Lot 2. Grazing block (No. 2629)—617 acres, allotments 115, 116, 117, and 118, parish of Joel Joel, reserved for Timber.—(*Stawell*, 358/119.)

Lot 3. Grazing block (No. 6943)—1,291 acres, allotments 14, 27A, 27B, and 27C, parish of Lambruk, recently licensed to H. Snell.—(*Hamilton*, 2834/123.)

Lot 4. Grazing block (No. 7329)—504 acres, allotments 22, 39, and 43, parish of Geerak, J. Cameron's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 302/32.)

Lot 5. Grazing block (No. 7330)—602 acres, allotment 73, section 8, parish of Tarragal, J. Wilson's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3933/32.)

Lot 6. Grazing block (No. 7331)—336 acres, allotment 40, parish of Glenaulin, Ann Barr's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 209/32.)

Lot 7. Grazing block (No. 7332)—941 acres, allotment 24, parish of Kanawinka, S. Robertson's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3608/32.)

Lot 8. Grazing block (No. 7333)—594 acres, allotment 53, parish of Winyayung, S. E. Young's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 1992/32.)

Lot 9. Grazing block (No. 7334)—989 acres, allotments 22 and 23, section B, parish of Durong, A. Tansoy's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3881/32.)

Lot 10. Grazing block (No. 7335)—593 acres, allotment 53, parish of Glonelg, M. Linn's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3030/32.)

Lot 11. Grazing block (No. 7336)—681 acres, allotment 7A, parish of Lambruk, A. M. Rooke's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3633/32.)

Lot 12. Grazing block (No. 7337)—320 acres, allotment 5B, parish of Murrandarra, M. A. Mason's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 3200/32.)

Lot 13. Grazing block (No. 7338)—800 acres, allotment 16, parish of Burrak Burrak, T. Mahoney's forfeited leasehold.—(*Hamilton*, 1082/32.)

BENDIGO, CASTLEMARINE, ST. ARNAUD, AND SEYMOUR DIVISIONS.

Lot 14. Grazing block (No. 6005)—230 acres, the unoccupied portion of allotments 17 and 20, parish of Sandon, formerly licensed to Mizzen.—(*Castlemaine*, 2583/123.)

Lot 15. Grazing block (No. 6085)—400 acres, parish of Tchuterr, formerly licensed to Jas. Rodger, jun.—(*Castlemaine*, 2814/128.)

Lot 16. Grazing block (No. 7276)—586 acres, known as Green block 113, parish of Archdale.—(*Castlemaine*, 2988/67.)

Lot 17. Grazing block (No. 7313)—230 acres, portion of the revoked Orville Common, block 10, parish of Moliagul.—(*Castlemaine*, C.4296.)

Lot 18. Grazing block (No. 7313a)—60 acres, portion of the revoked Orville Common, south of McGhie's and east of Querip's blocks, parish of Moliagul.—(*Castlemaine*, B.14773.)

Lot 19. Grazing block (No. 7339)—33 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 1, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 20. Grazing block (No. 7340)—35 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 2, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 21. Grazing block (No. 7341)—170 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 3, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 22. Grazing block (No. 7342)—70 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 4, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 23. Grazing block (No. 7343)—185 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 5, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 24. Grazing block (No. 7344)—220 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 6, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 25. Grazing block (No. 7345)—200 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 7, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 26. Grazing block (No. 7346)—290 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 8, parish of Bealiba.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 27. Grazing block (No. 7347)—680 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 114, parish of Archdale.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 28. Grazing block (No. 7348)—370 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 115, parish of Archdale.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 29. Grazing block (No. 7349)—420 acres, portion of the revoked Bealiba Common, block 116, parish of Archdale.—(*Castlemaine*, B.11086.)

Lot 30. Grazing block (No. 7350)—906 acres, allotments 18 and 60, parish of Bealiba, formerly licensed to M. Cameron.—(*Castlemaine*, 1192/67.)

Lot 31. Grazing block (No. 7351)—2,000 acres, blocks 34, 35, 37, and part of 36 not fenced, parish of Brenannah.—(*Castlemaine*, 2312/123.)

ALEXANDRA, OMEO, BEECHWORTH, AND BENALLA DIVISIONS.

Lot 32. Grazing block (No. 7284)—16,450 acres, the southern portion of pastoral allotment D, county of Benambra, recently licensed to Whitehead.—(*Beechworth*, 3975/123.)

Lot 33. Grazing block (No. 7352)—20 acres, the Roberts Creek frontages of allotments 1 and 5, section 8, parish of Porcupkah, A. Cameron's land.—(*Beechworth*, 2163/123.)

Lot 34. Grazing block (No. 7353)—22 acres, the frontage on Owens River to Greenvale pre-emptive right, parish of Killawarra.—(*Benalla*, 438/123.)

Lot 35. Grazing block (No. 7354)—26 acres, parish of Strathmerton, the Cemetery and Recreation reserves, situated east of the railway line.—(*Benalla*, C.4774.)

Lot 36. Grazing block (No. 7355)—708 acres, allotments 105, 108a, and 109a, parish of Dueran, the forfeited leasehold of Honora Healy.—(*Alexandra*, 793/32.)

ECHUCA AND KERANG DIVISIONS.

Lot 37. Grazing block (No. 3630)—1,000 acres, allotments 35, 36, 37, and 38, parish of Moira, reserved for timber.—(*Echuca*, 1550/123.) NOTE.—No sheep will be allowed to graze on this area.

Lot 38. Grazing block (No. 6265)—80 acres, the Timber reserve between allotment 7, section B, and the Gunbower Creek, opposite to blocks 26 and 27 of Gunbower State Forest, parish of Colurna.—(*Echuca*, 1965/123.)

Lot 39. Grazing block (No. 7195)—15 acres, the portion of 110th Section reserve (allotment 17, section F) east of the dam, parish of Boort.—(*Kerang*, 1962/123.)

Lot 40. Grazing block (No. 6600)—630 acres, between the south end of Kow Swamp and allotments A1, 12, and 18, parish of Patho, formerly licensed to W. J. Norman.—(*Echuca*, 1701/123.)

Lot 41. Grazing block (No. 7356)—15 acres, between allotment 8A, section C, and Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.6572.)

Lot 42. Grazing block (No. 7357)—60 acres, between allotments 8B, section C, and Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.6572.)

Lot 43. Grazing block (No. 7358)—25 acres, between allotment 8c and Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.6572.)

Lot 44. Grazing block (No. 7359)—54 acres, between allotment 11 and Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.6572.)

Lot 45. Grazing block (No. 7360)—110 acres, between allotment A3, section A, and the Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.6572.)

Lot 46. Grazing block (No. 7361)—185 acres, between allotment B1, section A, and the Kow Swamp, parish of Patho.—(*Echuca*, H.8251.)

Lot 47. Grazing block (No. 7362)—25 acres on Gunbower Island, the frontage on Cockatoo Lagoon to allotment 9, section 7, parish of Gunbower.—(*Echuca*, 1089/123.)

* NOTE.—Plans can be inspected at the Post-offices, Moliagul and Archdale.

BALLARAT, GEELONG, MELBOURNE, SALE, AND BAINSDALE DIVISIONS.

Lot 48. Grazing block (No. 2120)—370 acres, being the fore-shore reserve fronting township of St. Leonards, and allotments 34a, 34c, 34d, and south of allotment 41b, parish of Paywit.—(*Geelong*, 329/119.)

Lot 49. Grazing block (No. 3420)—376 acres, the Deep Water Morass reserve, parish of Coongulmerang.—(*Bairnsdale*, 1543/123.)

Lot 50. Grazing block (No. 4099)—500 acres, parish of Buninyong, commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 133b, easterly by a line to the north-west angle of allotment 31A; thence south 60 chains, west 60 chains to J. Nicholson; thence north-west by Nicholson's and E. and J. Kinsman's holdings and a road to point of commencement.—(*Ballarat*, 2624/123.)

Lot 51. Grazing block (No. 6947)—880 acres, allotments 51c, 52A, and 52b, parish of Willung, formerly licensed to Feely and O'Connor.—(*Salc*, 1295/123.)

Lot 52. Grazing block (No. 7320)—320 acres, allotment 63b, parish of Mirboo, the forfeited holding of Jas. More.—(*Melbourne*, 13138/19.)

Lot 53. Grazing block (No. 7323)—270 acres, allotments 97 to 102, section Q, portion 3 of Swamp subdivision, west of Longwarry, and south of portion 2, parish of Koo-wee-rup East.—(*Melbourne*, T.7358.)

Lot 54. Grazing block (No. 7324)—265 acres, allotments 54, 55, 61, and 62, section P, portion 4 of Swamp subdivision, adjoining the Village Settlement on west parish of Koo-wee-rup East.—(*Melbourne*, T.7358.)

Lot 55. Grazing block (No. 7363)—13 acres, allotments 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Township reserve on West Creek, parish of Wonthaggi North.—(*Melbourne*, T.16181.)

Lot 56. Grazing block (No. 7364)—15 acres, allotments 5, 6, and 7, and the creek frontage, Township reserve, on West Creek, parish of Wonthaggi North.—(*Melbourne*, T.16181.)

Lot 57. Grazing block (No. 7365)—9 acres, allotment 9 of Township reserve, on West Creek, parish of Wonthaggi North.—(*Melbourne*, T.16181.)

Lot 58. Grazing block (No. 7366)—40 acres, allotment 8, and creek frontage of Township reserve, on West Creek, parish of Wonthaggi North.—(*Melbourne*, T.16181.)

Lot 59. Grazing block (No. 7367)—86 acres, allotment 14b, parish of Chintin, James Penman's forfeited selection.—(*Melbourne*, 11557/20.)

Lot 60. Grazing block (No. 7368)—6 acres, allotments 1b and 1c of section 1, township of Seacombe, the forfeited garden sites of R. and A. Burns.—(*Salc*, 61/99.)

TENDERS FOR GRAZING.—STUDLEY PARK.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Noon on Monday, 31st January, 1898, for the right to graze quiet cattle on the undermentioned area from 1st February, 1898, to 30th June, 1898.

Plan and special conditions may be seen at this office.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner for Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands Department,
Melbourne, 12th January, 1898.

Lot B. Studley Park, 30 acres, being the area within the enclosure on south side of the park, parish of Boroondara.—(*Melbourne*, 2359/123.)

NOTE.—A deposit of £2 is required as a guarantee everything will be kept in repair.

QUARRYING ON CROWN LANDS.

Section 99, *Land Act 1890*.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Noon on Monday, 31st January, 1898, for the right to quarry on Crown lands situated near the Heidelberg-road and the Merri Creek, formerly known as Kilpatrick's Quarry.

The period of occupation will be for eleven months from 1st February, 1898, and the amount for such period must accompany each tender, and be placed in the Crown Lands Tender-box, but the highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders must give their full name and postal address. Plan and special conditions may be seen, and all information obtained, at this office.

R. W. BEST,

Commissioner for Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands Department,
Melbourne, 12th January, 1898.

REMOVING GRASS.—MELBOURNE OLD CEMETERY.

TENDERS will be received, till Noon on 31st January, for the right to cut and remove grass from the Old Cemetery, at West Melbourne, for the period 1st February to 15th December, 1898.

Particulars and conditions from Accountant.

Deposit, £1.

J. W. COLVILLE,

Secretary Board of Public Health.

Public Health Department,
Railway Buildings, Spencer-street,
12th January, 1898.

Insolvency Notices.

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the period ending the 19th day of January, 1898.

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.

10th January.

Ernest Cyrus Young, railway employé, South Yarra, Anderson.

Herman Richter, formerly baker (now out of business), Melton, Cohen.

Court of Insolvency, Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of Ernest Cyrus Young, of South Yarra, railway employé, 90/3124; Herman Richter, of Melton, formerly baker, now out of business, 90/3125, have been sequestrated, and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Monday, the 24th day of January, A.D. 1898, 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 19th day of January, A.D. 1898.

H. WILSON MACLEOD,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Maryborough.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Benjamin Lord, of Maryborough, late hotelkeeper, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Maryborough, on Monday, the 24th day of January, A.D. 1898, 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 Maryborough this 17th day of January, A.D. 1898.

D. HARKNESS,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Seymour.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Samuel Warren, of Goulburn Weir, caretaker, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Seymour, on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, A.D. 1898, 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 Seymour this 15th day of January, A.D. 1898.

W. C. T. FERGUSON,
Chief Clerk.

Police Sale.

WALHALLA.

THE undermentioned unclaimed property will, unless previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the Walhalla Police Station, on Tuesday, 1st March, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon:—

3 picks and handles; 3 long drills; 6 short drills; 1 hammer; 2 axes; 1 saw; 1 fryingpan; 1 meat cleaver; 30 sticks of dynamite; and various other articles of miscellaneous description and small value.

H. M. CHOMLEY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department (Chief Commissioner's Office),
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898.

Private Advertisements.

DANDENONG WATERWORKS TRUST.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 399 of the *Water Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that the Monbulk Creek, the Monbulk Reservoir, situated on the Monbulk Creek, in the parish of Narre Worran, and the Service Reservoir in the Police Paddock, situated in the parish of Narre Worran, all of which are under the control of the Dandenong Waterworks Trust, are hereby required to be kept free from contamination or pollution for domestic water supply.

(SEAL) JOHN ROGERS, Chairman.
Dandenong, 18th January, 1898. 5455

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WILLIAM BARNES, of Enfield, has been appointed herdsman of the Cardigan Farmers' Common for the year ending 31st December, 1898.

5469 H. Y. BROWNING, Secretary, Ross Creek.

CITY OF HAWTHORN.

By-LAW No. 42.

A By-law of the Council of the municipality of the City of Hawthorn, made under the *Health Act 1890*, and numbered 42.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Health Act 1890*, the Council of the municipality of the City of Hawthorn hereby orders and directs:—

1. By-law No. 35, made and passed by the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Hawthorn, shall be and is hereby repealed.

2. On and after the 21st day of January, 1898, the occupier of every building within the City of Hawthorn shall furnish every closet, attached thereto or used in connexion therewith, with a double-pan service.

3. Such occupier shall cause to be placed in every such closet a pan constructed of galvanized iron, properly riveted and soldered, so as to be perfectly watertight, and provided with an air-tight lid, and of such a shape as will admit of it being fitted with such air-tight lid, and of a capacity not less than 2 cubic feet and not exceeding 2½ cubic feet, and having handles firmly fixed thereto.

4. Every such pan shall be of the form of the approved pattern lying at the Town Clerk's office, Town Hall, Burwood-road, Hawthorn.

5. Such occupier shall cause every such pan to be emptied and cleansed at least once a week, and from time to time as soon as any portion of the contents of such pan shall have accumulated therein as to be within a distance of 3 inches from the top of the pan.

6. The occupier of every building within the City of Hawthorn shall daily place in each pan in use in connexion therewith a quantity of some effective disinfectant and deodorant sufficient to effectually disinfect and deodorize such pan and the contents thereof.

7. No person shall remove any such pan except between the hours of Eleven o'clock in the evening and Five o'clock in the following morning.

8. No occupier of a building within the City of Hawthorn shall allow any privy, cesspool, or pan attached to or used in connexion with such building to have connected therewith or attached thereto any pipe or other appliance capable of being used for the purpose of discharging or removing any of the contents of such privy, cesspool, or pan upon or under the surface of any adjoining land or into any drain or sewer, unless such drain or sewer be the property of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works.

9. No person shall within the City of Hawthorn place or build any privy, earth-closet, cesspool in front of any building, or at a less distance than 5 feet from any public highway, or from the door or window of any building or from any lane or street of a width at any part exceeding 12 feet, or at any less distance than 4 feet from any partition fence, or having any front or back door or trap abutting or opening upon a street or lane exceeding 12 feet in width.

10. No person shall remove, cart, or carry any night-soil, offal, fat, bones, or blood through or along any street within the City of Hawthorn, except in air-tight carts and except between the hours of Eleven in the evening and Five o'clock in the following morning.

11. The occupier of any house, building, tenement, or other premises within the City of Hawthorn shall cause to be provided and kept therein a covered receptacle not less than 2 cubic feet, and not exceeding 6 cubic feet in contents, constructed of galvanized iron, properly riveted and soldered, so as to be watertight, with handles thereto, so that the same may with the contents thereof, when full, be readily and conveniently movable by the public scavenger for the purpose hereinafter mentioned, and shall cause all dust, ashes, rubbish, or other refuse produced, collected or accumulated on any such premises to be from time to time placed in such receptacle, which receptacle shall be kept covered, and shall be placed in the yard of such tenement or premises and in such a place that the contents of such receptacle may be readily and conveniently discharged and removed by the public scavenger or other person or persons authorized or appointed to remove the same by the council of the said city.

12. Any person committing a breach of this by-law No. 42 shall forfeit and pay for every such breach a penalty or sum not exceeding Ten pounds and not less than Five shillings, or if such breach be a continuing one or default such person shall forfeit and pay for every such last-mentioned breach a penalty not exceeding Five pounds and not less than Five shillings for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued.

Made and adopted by the Council of the City of Hawthorn on the 15th day of December, 1897.

Confirmed by the Council of the City of Hawthorn on the 12th day of January, 1898.

(SEAL) RICHARD ARDAGH, J.P., Mayor.
R. W. E. HOOKE, Councillor.
H. T. HAYNES, Town Clerk.

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BOROUGH OF SALE.

A By-law of the Borough of Sale, made under section 191 of the *Local Government Act 1890*, and numbered Fifteen, for appointing the hours during which it shall be lawful to drive into or through the municipal district by certain streets therein any travelling cattle or cattle intended for sale, slaughter, or shipment.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1890*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Sale order as follows:—

Section 44, Part I., of the Thirteenth Schedule of the *Local Government Act 1890* is hereby adopted in and for the Borough of Sale.

Passed this 20th December, 1897.

Confirmed this 17th January, 1898.

(L.S.) W. D. LESLIE, Mayor.
C. R. GEOGHEGAN, Town Clerk.

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TOWN OF GEELONG.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Geelong will proceed at the expiration of one month from the publication hereof to borrow £500, at the rate of interest of 3½ per centum per annum, for the purpose of purchasing certain lands at North Geelong for municipal uses.

G. McKENZIE, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,
Geelong, 19th January, 1898. 5474

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Henry Horne and Alexander Nicolson, of Terang, trading as "Horne and Nicolson," blacksmiths and wheelwrights, at Baynes-street, Terang, has been dissolved as from the 7th day of January, 1898. The said Alexander Nicolson retires from the business, which will in future be carried on by the said Henry Horne at the same address and under his own name. And all debts and moneys due by and owing to the late partnership will be paid and received by the said Henry Horne.

Dated this 8th day of January, 1898.
HENRY HORNE.
ALEXANDER NICOLSON.

Witness—SAML. PICKEN, solicitor, Terang.
Doyle, McKacharn, and Picken, High-street, Terang, solicitors for the said parties. 5461

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Samuel Ead and George Robinson, carrying on business as storekeepers and ironmongers at Scandinavian-crescent and Camp-street, Talbot, under the style or firm of "Ead and Robinson," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The undersigned, Samuel Ead, will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the late firm up to this date, so far as relate to the storekeeping business, which he will henceforth carry on by himself at Scandinavian-crescent, Talbot; and the undersigned, George Robinson, will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the late firm up to this date, so far as relate to the ironmongery business, which he will continue to carry on by himself at Camp-street, Talbot.

Dated this 17th day of January, 1898.
SAMUEL EAD.
GEORGE ROBINSON.

Witness to the signatures of the said Samuel Ead and George Robinson—ALFRED E. ROFFEY, law clerk, Talbot. 5457

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between Arthur Noel Harrison and Edward Hawley, trading as the No. 7 Cash Store, Lytleton-terrace, Bendigo, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, and will in future be carried on by the said Edward Hawley, who will receive and pay all accounts owing by and owing to the said company.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1897.
(Signed) ARTHUR NOEL HARRISON.
EDWARD HAWLEY.

Witness—WILLIAM WOODS. 5465

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned Andrew Augustine Miller, Corinna Ethel May Taylor, and Joseph Bilton, as millers, corn and flour dealers, of Armstrong-street, Ballarat, under the firm of "A. A. Miller and Co.," was, on the 24th day of November, 1897, dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Andrew Augustine Miller, who on that day retired from the said business; and all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Corinna Ethel May Taylor and Joseph Bilton.

A. A. MILLER.
C. E. M. TAYLOR.
JOSEPH BILTON.

Witness to the signatures of the said Corinna Ethel May Taylor and Joseph Bilton—F. H. REMFRY, clerk to Sugden and Gribble, solicitors.

Witness to signature of Andrew Augustine Miller—THOS. MANN, solicitor, Ballarat. 5534

In the matter of the ARARAT DISTRICT BUTTER AND CHEESE FACTORY COMPANY LIMITED and of the Companies Act 1896.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at Ararat, on the 11th day of January, 1898, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily.

And at the same meeting Herbert Eltoft Webb, of Ararat, in the colony of Victoria, solicitor, was appointed liquidator, for the purposes of such winding up.

Dated 18th day of January, 1898.
H. DODD, Chairman.
Witness—C. V. C. MILLER, law clerk, Ararat. 5466

Companies Act 1896.

SCHUCHARD AND COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of Schuchard and Company Limited is at 285 Little Collins-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.
MAX SCHUCHARD, Managing Director.
Robertson and Wischer, solicitors, 443 Chancery-lane, Melbourne. 5554

Companies Act 1896.—60 Victoria No. 1482.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.

THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, L. Kitz and Sons Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the Companies Act 1896 relating to proprietary companies.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1898.
Fee 5/—R. G. O.
Received—Jas. Davidson, Collector of Imposts, Stamps Acts.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Crisp and Cameron, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the said company. 5536

Companies Act 1896.—60 Victoria No. 1482.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONDITIONS OF SECTION 2.

THIS is to certify that, in my opinion, Schuchard and Company Limited has, up to the date of this certificate, duly complied with all the requirements prescribed by section 2 of the Companies Act 1896 relating to proprietary companies.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.
5s.
Stamp Cancelled.
19.1.98.

EDWARD BARRETT,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Robertson and Wischer, solicitors, 443 Chancery-lane, Melbourne. 5553

FRANK LISTER & COY. LD. IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL claims against the above company must be sent to me on or before the 28th inst.

THOS. R. CLAYTON, Liquidator.
524-526 Collins-street, Melbourne, 19th January, 1898. 5497

THE GLACIER BUTTER BOX COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above-named company is situate at No. 547 Flinders-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1898.
G. E. ANDREW, Secretary.
Pavey, Wilson, and Cohen, 61 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the company. 5523

PURSUANT to the Trusts Act 1890, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Caroline Lemke, late of Germantown, near Geelong, widow, are required to send particulars thereof to Robert Renzow and Henry Grossmann, the executors of the will of the said deceased, at the office of Mr. J. L. Price, solicitor, Geelong, on or before the 18th day of February next; and that after that day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 17th day of January, 1898.
J. LONGVILLE PRICE, Yarra-street, Geelong, proctor for the said executors. 5452

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Trusts Act 1890, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Henry Dunne, late of Macedon Upper, in the colony of Victoria, retired civil servant, deceased (who died on the 9th day of September, 1897, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 15th day of October, 1897, to Eliza Dunne, widow, and Ellen Jane Dunne, spinster, both of Macedon Upper aforesaid, the executrices named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby requested to send particulars of such claims to the executrices, care of the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of March, 1898, after which date the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1898.
WILLIAM HUNTER PEERS, 430 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said executrices. 5541

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 28th February, 1898, or they will be excluded from the distribution of the estates:—

ROARDY DOOLY, Green's Creek, miner, died 29th November, 1897.

CAROLINE KORTFELT, No. 10 Duke-street, Abbotsford, married woman, died 17th November, 1897.

THOMAS RIPKEY, No. 314 Bay-street, Port Melbourne, died 23rd May, 1887.

T. F. BRIDE,
Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons.
New Zealand Chambers, 483 Collins-street, Melbourne, 19th January, 1898. 5471

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—WILLIAM ROBERTSON,
DECEASED.**

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1896* notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Robertson, late of Moy Hall, Narracorte, in the province of South Australia, grazier, deceased (who died on the 28th day of May, 1897, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 31st day of December, 1897, to William Shiels, of Fitzroy-street, St. Kilda, in the said colony, barrister-at-law, one of the executors appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims, on or before the 21st day of February, 1898, to the said executor, at the offices of the undersigned. And notice is hereby given that after the said last-mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Robertson, deceased, which shall have come to his hands as such executor as aforesaid amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated the 15th day of January, 1898.

MADDEN & BUTLER, 406 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the executor. 542

CONTINUATION OF USE OF ADOPTED SURNAME.

I THE undersigned Matilda Travers, of number thirty-seven Bunting-street, Burnley, in the colony of Victoria, registered nurse, do hereby give notice that I intend to adopt and continue the use of the surname of "Travers" (a surname adopted by my husband, and by which I have now for some years been known) as my sole and true surname.

And I have deposited in the office of the Registrar-General of the Colony of Victoria, at Melbourne, a deed-poll, dated the 13th day of January, 1898, number 7294, evidencing such intention.

Dated the 17th day of January, 1898.

MATILDA TRAVERS.

Witness—E. E. DILLON, solicitor, Melbourne. 5524

LOST, from Broadmeadows, bay cob pony horse, branded JS near shoulder; 30s. reward. Glasscock, Kirk's Bazaar. 5280

LOST from Hamilton's paddock, Preston, bay mare, branded B off neck, reward. Hunt, 27 William-street, Melbourne. 5543

Mining Notices.

MORNING STAR G. M. COY. N. L., DONNELLY'S CREEK.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Rialto, Foster-street, Sale, on Saturday, the 22nd inst., at Two p.m.

Business: To consider ways and means for the future working of the mine.

By order,

J. R. PERROTT, Manager.

Sale, 7th January, 1898. 5356

**THE NEW PERTHSHIRE MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, STAWELL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company will be held at the company's office, Main-street, Stawell, on Friday, the 28th January, 1898, at Eight o'clock p.m., for passing the following resolutions:—

1. That the directors be and are hereby authorized and empowered, on behalf of the company, to offer and sell in Great Britain or elsewhere the whole or any part of the company's property on such terms as they may deem best in the interests of the company.

2. That the directors be and are hereby authorized to affix the seal of the company to such power or powers of attorney in the name of the company, empowering such person or persons, corporation or coporations as the directors may deem necessary to exercise all or any of such acts, matters, or things as the directors could do or exercise for the purpose of carrying out the objects contained in the preceding resolutions.

3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

5365

G. B. N. BRISTOW, Manager.

**STEWARTS UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company will be held at the company's office, City Chambers, High-street, Bendigo, on the 29th day of January, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon.

Business:

1. To authorize the directors to dispose of the property of the company; borrow money and secure same, and any debts and liabilities from time to time of the company, upon the company's property; and to give such authorities in the premises as the shareholders think fit.

2. To make additional rules, and alter existing rules of the company.

3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

5368

JAS. H. MCCOLL, Manager.

No. 6.—JANUARY 21, 1898.—4.

**SOUTH MOUNT DEDDICK SILVER LEAD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at the company's registered office, 317 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 31st January, 1898, at Eight o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To increase the capital of the company to such amount and in such manner as the meeting shall decide.

2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

A. W. COLES, Manager.

317 Collins-street, Melbourne, 13th January, 1898. 5403

**LOCH FYNE & B. B. GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the company will be held at the Commercial Hotel, Wood's Point, on Saturday, the 29th January, 1898, at Four o'clock p.m., to consider—

1. The disposal of shares forfeited and sold for non-payment of calls.

2. Steps to be taken for the purchase of machinery and carrying on of company; or,

3. The sale of the company's property.

4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

5439

R. MACKAY, Manager.

**FENBY'S REWARD GOLD MINE NO LIABILITY,
MOUNT ELLIOTT, CORRYONG.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Board Room, Broken Hill Chambers, No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 28th day of January, 1898, at quarter-past Two o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To pass the necessary resolutions to reconstruct the company by selling the property to a new company to be formed and registered of 48,000 shares of 3s. each, 24,000 to be issued paid up to 2s. 1d. per share, and 24,000 to 2s. 6d. per share; calls to be at the rate of 2d. per share on the 2s. 1d. shares, and on the 2s. 6d. shares 1d. per month, and to be made concurrently on both classes of shares; the 2s. 1d. paid shares to be distributed to holders of contributing shares, and the 2s. 6d. paid shares to holders of paid-up shares at share for share.

2. To empower the directors to deal with any forfeited or trust shares in the hands of the company.

3. To confer upon the directors the necessary authority and powers to carry the above resolutions into effect.

4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

The share register will be closed from Thursday, 21st inst., at Five o'clock p.m. until after the meeting.

Proxies must be lodged with the manager at the registered office of the company at least 24 hours before the meeting.

By order of the Board,

5402

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

**TURPIES REWARD GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT EAST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the company will be held at the company's office, 341 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 25th of January, 1898, at the hour of Two p.m.

Business:

To increase the capital of the company.

To alter the name of the company.

To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated this 10th day of January, 1898.

By order of the Board,

5519

CHAS. D. DIXON, Manager.

**GAY STAR COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.
NOTICE.**

THE Half-yearly General Meeting of above company will be held in the Board-room, Prell's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 28th day of January, 1898, at half-past Three p.m.

Business: To receive and adopt balance-sheets and reports, and elect directors and auditors.

5521

J. B. DEAN, Manager.

**NORTH CRINOLINE G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
DONNELLY'S CREEK.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above company will be held in Mechanics' Hall, Cowwarr, at half-past Seven p.m., on 31st January.

Business: To alter rule relating to number shares qualifying shareholders to act as directors.

5551

**RED WHITE & BLUE G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
BLACKWOOD.**

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above company will be held at the company's office, 7 Lydiard-street, North Ballarat, on Monday, 7th February, 1898, at Eleven o'clock a.m.

Business:

To authorize and empower the directors to borrow such a sum of money, not exceeding £300, as the majority may direct, and to secure the repayment thereof and interest thereon by mortgage and bill of sale over the company's property or any part thereof, and also to affix the company's seal to all deeds and documents necessary to carrying out the instructions of the meeting.

To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

5552

E. A. LESTER, Manager.

**CAPERTEE KERSENE SHALE & OIL MINING
COY. LIMITED.**

THE General Half-yearly Meeting of the above company will be held on Friday, the 28th January, 1898, at Phair's Hotel, 327 Collins-street, at Eight p.m.

Business: General.
5550 CHARLES J. ROSS, Manager.

**GREAT COLEBROOK BLOCKS NO LIABILITY,
NORTH MOUNT DUNDAS, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at a quarter to Three p.m., for the purpose of considering, and, if deemed advisable, of passing the following resolutions:—

1. That the Great Colebrook Blocks No Liability is hereby required to be voluntarily wound up.
2. That Arnold S. Burbidge be appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.
3. That the books and documents of the said company be disposed of as the directors shall determine.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

N.B.—For the purpose of this meeting the share register will be closed from Friday, 4th February, at Five p.m., until after the meeting.

Proxies must be lodged with the manager, at the registered office of the company, at least 24 hours before the meeting.
5501

**GREAT COLEBROOK MINE NO LIABILITY, NORTH
MOUNT DUNDAS, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at half-past Two p.m., for the purpose of considering, and, if deemed advisable, of passing the following resolutions:—

1. That the Great Colebrook Mine No Liability is hereby required to be voluntarily wound up.
2. That Arnold S. Burbidge be appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.
3. That the books and documents of the said company be disposed of as the directors shall determine.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

N.B.—For the purpose of this meeting the share register will be closed from Friday, 4th February, at Five p.m., until after the meeting.

Proxies must be lodged with the manager, at the registered office of the company, at least 24 hours before the meeting.
5502

**CAMBRIAN PROPRIETARY GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, REDBANK, AVOCA.**

THE Third Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, on Friday, the 28th day of January, 1898, at Three p.m.

Business:

1. To receive directors' report and balance-sheet for the half-year ended 31st December, 1897.
2. General.

A. CLARENCE-JOHNSTONE, Manager.
Melbourne, 24th January, 1898. 5522

**NORTH COLEBROOK MINE NO LIABILITY, NORTH
MOUNT DUNDAS, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at a quarter past Two p.m., for the purpose of considering, and, if deemed advisable of passing, the following resolutions:—

1. That the North Colebrook Mine No Liability is hereby required to be voluntarily wound up.
2. That Arnold S. Burbidge be appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.
3. That the books and documents of the said company be disposed of as the directors shall determine.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

ARNOLD S. BURBIDGE, Manager.

N.B.—For the purpose of this meeting the share register will be closed from Friday, 4th February, at Five p.m. until after the meeting.

Proxies must be lodged with the manager, at the registered office of the company, at least 24 hours before the meeting.
5503

**CAMPBELLTOWN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above-named company will be held at Yager's Hotel, Campbelltown, on Monday, 31st January, at half-past Seven p.m.

Business:—To consider future management of the company.

By order,

GEO. SWANSON, Manager.

Campbelltown, 13th January, 1898. 5535

**THE WARRANTYTE PROPRIETARY GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WARRANTYTE.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at company's office, 456 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 7th February, 1898, at Three p.m.:—

Business:

1. That the company be voluntarily wound up.
2. To pass resolutions (a) as to the course to pursue of such winding up; (b) the mode of disposal of any surplus after completion of winding up; (c) the disposal of books and documents of the company.
3. To confirm minutes of meeting.

GEORGE W. SHIELDS, Manager.

Melbourne, 20th January, 1898. 5520

**THE SOUTH LYELL THARSIS MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company will be held on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at Two o'clock in the afternoon, at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne, for the purpose of considering, and, if deemed advisable of passing, the following resolutions:—

1. That the South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability is hereby required to be voluntarily wound up.
2. That the directors of the company be appointed liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

3. That the directors shall forthwith take the necessary steps to form and register, under Part II. of the *Companies Act 1890*, a new company, to be called the South Tharsis Mining Company No Liability, for the purpose of taking over the whole of the assets and liabilities of the said South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability, and defraying all costs of and incidental to the winding up.

4. That the capital of the new company shall be £60,000, in 120,000 shares of 10s. each, and the consideration for the said sale shall be the issue to the shareholders of the South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability of 90,000 shares in the new company, 20,000 of which shall be issued as paid up to Five shillings per share, and 70,000 as paid up to Two shillings per share. Of such shares, 20,000, issued as paid up to Five shillings as aforesaid, shall be allotted to the shareholders in the South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability holding shares paid up to Five shillings per share in that company, and 40,000 shall be allotted to shareholders holding shares paid up to Two shillings per share. The remainder of such 90,000 shares as aforesaid shall be allotted to the shareholders in the South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability upon payment to the new company of Eight shillings per share, in proportion to their respective holding, in the ratio of one for every two, payment to be made as follows, viz.:—Four shillings on application, Two shillings in one month, and Two shillings in two months. The whole of the proceeds realized to be placed to the credit of the new company. Should any shares be unapplied for by the shareholders entitled thereto, the directors to allot same to any other person or persons being a shareholder or shareholders in accordance with priority of application.

5. That the new company shall hold the remaining 30,000 shares of its capital in reserve, to be issued upon such terms and at such times as shall be directed by the shareholders of the new company.

6. That the directors shall be and are hereby authorized to enter into, sign, and affix the seal of the South Lyell Tharsis Mining Company No Liability to all such acts, matters, and things whatsoever as may be deemed or found necessary for the purpose of carrying any of the preceding matters into effect.

7. That the books and documents of the said company be disposed of as the directors shall determine.

8. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

By order of the Board,

5528 S. J. WARNOCK, Manager.

**BAYLEY'S CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE OF EIGHTH CALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 8th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the above company, and is due and payable at the registered office, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, the 9th day of February, 1898.

39 Queen-street, Melbourne, 17th January, 1898.

By order of the Board,

5510 THOS. ROLLASON, Manager.

**MOUNT LYELL BLOCKS MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE OF EIGHTH CALL OF TWOPENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 8th) of Twopence per share has been made on the contributing shares of the above company, numbered from 25,001 to 60,000 inclusive, and is due and payable at the registered office of the company, 39 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, the 9th day of February, 1898.

39 Queen-street, Melbourne, 19th January, 1898.

By order of the Board,

5511 THOS. ROLLASON, Manager.

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Nuggetty Extended Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be the "Nuggetty Extended Gold Mining Company No Liability."
2. The place of operations is at Nuggetty Reef, Maldon.
3. The registered office of the company is at Reef-street, Maldon.
4. The value of the company's property, including leased ground, shafts, &c., is £2,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty-four thousand, of Five shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty-four thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Nicholas Gilbert Crayford.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as under:—

Names, Addresses, Occupations.	No. of Shares
Thomas Cleave, Maldon, miner	8,000
William Henry Tamlyn, Maldon, hotel-keeper	1,000
John Bows, Maldon, contractor	800
Nicholas Gilbert Crayford, Maldon, manager (in trust for shareholders)	14,200
Total	24,000

N. GILBERT CRAYFORD, Manager.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1898.
Witness—W. H. TAMLYN.

I, NICHOLAS GILBERT CRAYFORD, 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.

N. G. CRAYFORD.

Taken before me, at Maldon, this 15th day of January, 1898—
THOS. B. DAVISON, J.P. 5472

The Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

THE REFORM PROPRIETARY GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register The Reform Proprietary Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be "The Reform Proprietary Gold Mining Company No Liability."
2. The place of operations is at Myrtleford, in the county of Bogong, in Victoria.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Equitable Buildings, 320 Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is Six thousand pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty thousand, of One pound each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Thomas Lees Field.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	Number of Shares
Ralph Godschall Johnson, Harcourt-street, Hawthorn	3,500
Valentine John Sandler, "Elsinore," Kew	8,000
George Guthrie McColl, Russell-street, Camberwell	500
James Smith Reid, "Duneira," Upper Macedon	8,000
Total	20,000

T. LEES FIELD, Manager.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1898.
Witness to signature—JAMES SHACKELL, J.P.

I, THOMAS LEES FIELD, of Equitable Buildings, 320 Collins-street, Melbourne, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

T. LEES FIELD.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, this 18th day of January, 1898—JAMES SHACKELL, J.P.
Gillott, Bates, and Moir, National Mutual Buildings, Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the company. 5475

No. 6.—JANUARY 21, 1898.—5.

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Royal Dora Copper 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 the "Royal Dora Copper Mining Company No Liability."
2. The place of mining operations is at Lako Dora, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 99 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including leased ground and machinery, is £10,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is Sixty thousand, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Sixty thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Richard Gilpin.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares
T. J. Dibdin, Hawthorn, mining investor	200
Joseph English, Moonee Ponds, mining investor	200
J. Leishman, Kingston, mining investor	200
J. Chalmers, Launceston, mining investor	200
R. Noble, Toorak, mining investor	200
R. Gilpin, Melbourne, mining agent (in trust for shareholders)	59,000
Total	60,000

Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

R. GILPIN, Manager.

Witness to signature—W. V. D. LITTLE.

I, RICHARD GILPIN, 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.

R. GILPIN.

Taken before me this 20th day of January, 1898—A. E. MOORE, J.P. 5645

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

NORTH DORA EXTENDED PROPRIETARY COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the North Dora Extended Proprietary 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 Dora Extended Proprietary Company No Liability."
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Lako Dora, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Equitable Building, 320 Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, £250.
5. The number of shares in the company is One hundred, of £10 each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is One hundred.
7. The name of the manager is Harry Vinton.
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
H. Edwards, Carlton, gentleman	5
A. E. Clarke, Collins-street, Melbourne, sharebroker	5
W. Dalrymple, Malvern, gentleman	5
A. Gilpin, Ballarat, gentleman	5
W. B. Bartlam, Townsville, gentleman	5
Harry Vinton, Collins-street, Melbourne, accountant (in trust for shareholders)	75
Total	100

Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

H. VINTON, Manager.

Witness to signature—W. DALRYMPLE.

I, HARRY VINTON, 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.

HARRY VINTON.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 20th day of January, 1898—J. C. HOLLAND, J.P. 6512

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the New Windermere Gold Mines Company No Liability, 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 The New Windermere Gold Mines Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at or near Black Flag, W.A.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including leasehold and machinery, is £25,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is 100,000, of One pound each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 25,000.
7. The name of the manager is John Potts.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares
William Knox, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, mining investor	200
Harvey Patterson, Collins-street, Melbourne, mining investor	200
H. H. Drysdale, Collins-street, Melbourne, mining investor	200
W. B. Clancy, Takenham, mining investor	200
Frank Gerraty, St. Peter's-street, Adelaide, mining investor	200
John Potts, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	24,000
John Potts, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for company)	75,000
	100,000

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

JOHN POTTS, Manager.

Witness to signature—T. M. MACARTNEY.

I, JOHN POTTS, of 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 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.

JOHN POTTS.

Taken before me this 19th day of January, 1898—THOS. ARKLE, J.P. 5500

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Mount Dora 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 the Mount Dora Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of intended operations is at Lake Dora, 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 and machinery, is £6,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is Sixty thousand, of Five shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Sixty thousand.
7. The name of the manager is George Ruffle.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares
William Allan, Stock Exchange Club, Melbourne, mining investor	200
John Alexander Lyall, 31 Patterson-street, Launceston, Tasmania, mining investor	200
Cornelius Lynch, 14 Wright-street, Middle Park, mining investor	200
James William Siddall, St. James' Buildings, William-street, Melbourne, importer	200
Charles George Turner, 1 Queen-street, Melbourne, merchant	200
George Ruffle, Equitable Building, Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	59,000

Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

GEO. RUFFLE, Manager.

Witness to signature—CHAS. A. BARCLAY.

I, GEORGE RUFFLE, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

GEO. RUFFLE.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 20th day of January, 1898—T. J. DIBDIN, J.P. 5498

Twelfth Schedule.

THE VICTORIA LYELL MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Victoria Lyell 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 Victoria Lyell Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Gormanston, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 90 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, is Fifty thousand pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is One hundred and twenty-five thousand, of One pound each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is One hundred thousand.
7. The name of the manager is G. A. Lawson.
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
Henry Dodds, mining investor, Melbourne	200
Thomas Walker, mining investor, Melbourne	200
Cooke Adams, doctor of medicine, Melbourne	200
H. F. Young, hotel-keeper, Melbourne	200
H. A. Paxton, mining investor, Melbourne	200
G. A. Lawson, manager, Melbourne	99,000
G. A. Lawson, manager (in trust for company)	25,000
	125,000

Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

G. A. LAWSON, Manager.

Witness to signature—J. S. THOMPSON.

I, G. A. LAWSON, 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.

G. A. LAWSON.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 19th day of January, 1898—T. BARRETT, J.P. 5544

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

QUEEN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register the Queen Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be the Queen Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Beenak, Victoria.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at National Mutual Buildings, No. 395 Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is £12,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty-four thousand, of One pound each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty-four thousand.
7. The name of the manager is John Rowe.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	Number of Shares
J. P. Lonergan, Queen-street, Melbourne, mining investor	2,024
M. G. B. Jefferson, Collins-street, Melbourne, legal manager	1,886
J. Byrne, Flinders-street, Melbourne, Customs agent	1,968
R. D. Duncan, Beenak, miner	820
H. S. Massey, Beenak, miner	820
John Rowe, Collins-street, Melbourne, accountant (in trust for shareholders)	15,882
	24,000

JNO. ROWE, Manager.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

Witness to signature—JOHN MOORE.

I, JOHN ROWE, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

JNO. ROWE.

Taken before me at Melbourne this 20th day of January, 1898—A. HARRIS, J.P. 5532

Twelfth Schedule.—Act No. 1074.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the New Criterion Gold Mining Company as a no liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be the New Criterion Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of intended operations is at Dargo High Plains.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at No. 154 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including mine and machinery, is £4,875.
5. The number of shares in the company is Eighteen thousand, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twelve thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Frederick George Joy.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares
Allan, A. C., Collins-street, Melbourne, surveyor ...	264
Gair, K. S., Collins-street, Melbourne, agent ...	208
Jacobs, I., Queen-street, Melbourne, mining investor ...	364
King, W. E., Collins-street, Melbourne accountant ...	320
Woolcott, R. R., Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor ...	320
Joy, F. G. (in trust for shareholders), Queen-street, Melbourne, accountant ...	10,524
Joy, F. Geo. (in trust for company), Queen-street, Melbourne, accountant ...	6,000
	18,000

Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

F. GEO. JOY, Manager.

Witness to signature—R. G. SCOTT.

I, FREDERICK GEORGE JOY, 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.

F. GEO. JOY.

Taken before me, this 20th day of January, 1898.—G. LOOKER, J.P. 5533

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

KANOWNA GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register Kanowna Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the company is to be Kanowna Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Kanowna, Western Australia.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 408 Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is Thirty thousand pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is Sixty thousand, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Forty-five thousand.
7. The name of the manager is William Barridge.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	Number of Shares
Thompson Moore, Melbourne, investor ...	200
Charles Shackell, Melbourne, investor ...	200
Charles Wacey, Melbourne, contractor ...	200
Albert E. Botchell, Melbourne, investor ...	200
William R. Ray, Melbourne, physician ...	200
G. A. Lawson, Melbourne, legal manager ...	200
Montague Moore, Melbourne, investor ...	200
Henry F. Young, Melbourne, licensed victualler ...	200
William Barridge, Melbourne, agent (in trust for shareholders) ...	43,400
William Barridge, Melbourne, agent (in trust for company) ...	15,000
	60,000

W. BARRIDGE, Manager.

Dated this 17th day of January, 1898.

Witness to signature—JAMES SHACKELL, J.P.

I, WILLIAM BARRIDGE, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

W. BARRIDGE.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 17th day of January, 1898.—JAMES SHACKELL, J.P. 5538

Twelfth Schedule.

LONDON AND TASMANIAN TRIBUTE COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the London and Tasmanian Tribute 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 "London and Tasmanian Tribute Company No Liability."
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Hall's Creek, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Imperial Chambers, Bank-place, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, £2,250.
5. The number of shares in the company is 20,000, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 14,000.
7. The name of the manager is William Robert Warren.
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
W. Dickson, Breewarrina, New South Wales, grazier ...	1,200
J. Edwards, Maffra, grazier ...	500
H. W. Ferd Kayser, Waratah, Tasmania, mine manager ...	2,100
B. D. Smith, Queen-street, Melbourne, accountant ...	280
W. R. Warren, Imperial Chambers, Melbourne, legal manager ...	1,650
W. R. Warren, legal manager (in trust for company) ...	6,000
W. R. Warren, legal manager (in trust for shareholders) ...	8,150
	20,000

Dated this 15th day of January, 1898.

W. R. WARREN, Manager.

Witness to signature—A. MACLACHLAN.

I, WILLIAM ROBERT WARREN, 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.

W. R. WARREN.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 15th day of January, 1898.—JOHN BARKER, J.P. 5540

THE PARKS REEF No. 3 SOUTH COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

G. H. HOBSON & CO. will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 24,000 on which the 6th call of One halfpenny per share is then unpaid.

5459

J. H. MCCOLL, Manager.

CONFIDENCE EXTENDED COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by public auction, at Victoria Hotel, Bendigo, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at Four o'clock p.m., all shares forfeited on which the 42nd call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid, unless the said call and expenses be previously paid to me.

5460

W. W. BARKER, Manager.

LONDONDERRY GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—James Andrew and Co. will sell by auction, at the Beehive Exchange, Bendigo, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at half-past Four p.m., all shares from 1 to 800 inclusive on which the 35th call of One pound per share and expenses are then unpaid.

5461

CHRISTOPHER MOORE, Manager.

THE ALPINE CONSOLIDATED COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares from 1 to 32,000 on which the 4th call of Threepence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Bendigo, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at Four p.m., unless the call, with expenses, be previously paid to me.

5462

HENRY Y. NORTH, Manager.

GOLDEN PYKE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Pall Mall, Bendigo, at Four p.m., on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, all shares on which the 47th call of Threepence is then unpaid.

5463

J. H. CRAIG, Manager.

PHOENIX RED WHITE & BLUE TRIBUTE G. M. CO.
N. L.

ALL shares in the above company upon which the 5th call of One penny per share shall remain unpaid by Saturday, 29th January, 1898, will be sold on that day by public auction.
W. G. BLACKHAM, Manager.
Beehive Chambers, Bendigo. 5464

AVOCA PROPRIETARY NO LIABILITY, AVOCA.
THE undermentioned shares in the above-named company forfeited for non-payment of the 10th call of Two shillings per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 1st February, 1898, at Twelve noon :-
All shares numbered 1 to 2,000 on which the said call remains unpaid.
5495 JOHN CLARK, Manager.

CATHCART GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, ARARAT.

THE undermentioned shares in the above-named company forfeited for non-payment of the 13th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 1st February, 1898, at Twelve noon :-
All shares numbered 1 to 30,000 on which the said call remains unpaid.
5496 JOHN CLARK, Manager.

RICHARDSON'S NEW FIND GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, WANDILIGONG.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 11th call of Five shillings per share upon the increased capital of the above company will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.
J. PRINCE CAMERON
(Meudell and Cameron), Manager.
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898. 5504

McEVROY'S COMPANY NO LIABILITY, ELDORADO.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 27th call of Threepence per share upon the increased capital of the above company will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.
J. PRINCE CAMERON
(Meudell and Cameron), Manager.
Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 13th January, 1898. 5505

THE WARDEN GOLD MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 21st call of Threepence per share, due the 8th day of December, 1897, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.
H. S. DICKSON, Manager.
31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5507

KANUMBRA GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of 12th call of Three halfpence per share will be sold by auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.
5508 ALFRED PFAFF, Manager.

BAYLEY'S CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY,
NO LIABILITY.

SHARES FORFEITED FOR NON-PAYMENT 7TH CALL.
NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. Gemmill, Tuckett, and Co. will sell by public auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, at half-past Eleven a.m., all shares in the above company on which the 7th call of Threepence, due on the 8th December, 1897, still remains unpaid.
39 Queen-street, Melbourne, 17th January, 1898.
By order of the Board,
5509 THOS. ROLLASON, Manager.

THE NAPOLEONS NEW PROPRIETARY COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares in the above-named company forfeited for the non-payment of the 1st call of Three halfpence per share will be sold by public auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1898, at Two p.m., unless previously redeemed.
By order of the Board,
5513 W. J. GORRIE, Manager.

THE NORTH GIPPSLAND PROPRIETARY COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares in the above-named company forfeited for the non-payment of the 10th call of Three halfpence per share will be sold by public auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, at a quarter to Twelve a.m., unless previously redeemed.
By order of the Board,
5514 W. J. GORRIE, Manager.

THE OTIS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company on which the 12th call of One penny per share has not been paid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, 1 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 29th January, 1898, at Eleven o'clock a.m., unless previously redeemed.
5515 G. M. CUMMINS, Manager.

THE SVENGALI SILVER MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

FINAL NOTICE.
SHARES forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of One shilling per share, due 8th December, 1897, will be absolutely sold by auction, at the Melbourne Stock Exchange, Collins-street, on Saturday, the 29th January, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon.
A. C. MACDONALD, Manager.
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898. 5516

METROPOLITAN GOLD MINING COMPANY,
NO LIABILITY, LITTLE BENDIGO, BALLARAT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of 10th call of Three halfpence per share, due the 8th day of December, 1897, will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, 408 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 31st day of January, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless such shares are previously redeemed.
5517 H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

THE TRILBY DUNDAS SILVER MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

FINAL NOTICE.
THE sale of shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of Sixpence per share, due 8th December, 1897, is postponed to Saturday, the 29th of January, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon, at the Melbourne Stock Exchange.
A. C. MACDONALD, Manager.
Melbourne, 20th January, 1898. 5518

GOLDEN CROWN GOLD MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 7th call of One penny per share on the increased capital will be sold by auction, at the office of the company, 479 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 29th January, at Eleven o'clock a.m., unless previously redeemed.
5525 R. L. BALDING, Manager.

ALLIANCE G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, STEIGLITZ.

ALL shares on which the 33rd call of One penny per share is not paid are forfeited, and will be sold by auction at rooms of John Vale and Son, Collins street, Melbourne, on Thursday, 27th January, 1898, at Eleven o'clock a.m., unless paid on previous.
H. W. FORD, Manager.
Stock Exchange, Collins-street. 5547

MOUNT OWEN LYELL EXTENDED MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for the non-payment of the 1st call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, 60 Market-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th January, 1898, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.
By order of the Board,
5548 CH. GROENER, Manager.

NEW PERSEVERANCE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CROSSOVER.

Registered Office: 34 Queen-street, Melbourne.
SALE OF FORFEITED SHARES.
NOTICE is hereby given that all shares upon which the 18th call of Twopence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1898, at half-past Eleven o'clock a.m., unless the shares are previously redeemed.
JAMES WHYTE, Manager.
34 Queen-street, Melbourne, 14th January, 1898. 5549

The Companies Act.
THE MINING EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company is situate at No. 17 Queen-street, Melbourne.
Dated the 23rd day of December, 1897.
5499 DAVID BLAIR, Secretary.

MOUNT LYELL PEAKS MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Douglas McWhae has been appointed manager of the above company, and that the registered office of the company is situated at No. 30 Queen-street, Melbourne.
Dated this 17th day of January, 1898.
5526 (SEAL) CHAS. GEO. TURNER, WM. ALLAN, } Directors.

**THE NORTH MOUNT LVELL CONSOLIDATED
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

To the Registrar-General, Melbourne.

SIR.—The North Mount Lyell Consolidated Mining Company No Liability hereby gives you notice, in accordance with the *Companies Act 1890*, that the name of the manager of the company is James Patrick Madden.
Dated this 22nd day of December, 1897.

The common seal of The North Mount Lyell Consolidated Mining Company No Liability was hereto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. P. LONERGAN, } Directors.
H. MACDONALD, }
Countersigned by—
5529 JAS. P. MADDEN, Manager.

**THE NORTH MOUNT LVELL CONSOLIDATED
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

The Registrar-General, Melbourne.

SIR.—The North Mount Lyell Consolidated Mining Company No Liability hereby gives you notice, in accordance with the *Companies Act 1890*, that the registered office of the company is situated at Prell's Buildings (third floor), 60 to 70 Queen-street, Melbourne.
Dated this 22nd day of December, 1897.

The common seal of The North Mount Lyell Consolidated Mining Company No Liability was hereto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. P. LONERGAN, } Directors.
H. MACDONALD, }
Countersigned by—
5530 JAS. P. MADDEN, Manager.

**GREAT DORA PROPRIETARY MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that William Douglas McWhae has been appointed manager of the above company, and that the registered office of the company is situated at No. 90 Queen-street, Melbourne.
Dated this 18th day of January, 1898.

(SEAL) CHAS. GEO. TURNER, } Directors.
JAMES THOMSON, }
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Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency at Shepparton.—In the matter of THOMAS GEDDES, of Shepparton, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper, an insolvent.

THE above-named Thomas Geddes intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Shepparton on the 16th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvency Acts, and that the condition mentioned in section 139 of the *Insolvency Act 1890* be dispensed with.
Dated this 19th day of January, 1898.

SUTHERLAND & MACFARLANE, Maude-street, Shepparton, solicitors for the insolvent. 5535

In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of WILLIAM GARRICK, of No. 2 Coates-lane, off Little Collins-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, soap maker, trading as "Garrick and Co."

THE above-named William Garrick intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, on the 18th day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890* and for a dispensation of the condition mentioned in section 139 of the said Act, or alternatively for an immediate absolute certificate of discharge pursuant to the Insolvency Acts.
Dated this 21st day of January, 1898.

M. H. DAVIES, Normanby Chambers, Chancery-lane, Melbourne, insolvent's solicitor. 5531

Insolvency Act 1890 and *Insolvency Act 1897*.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of THOMAS BUNYAN, of Pelluebla, in the colony of Victoria, farmer and grazier, an insolvent.

THE above-named Thomas Bunyan intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at the Insolvency Court, Law Courts, William-street, Melbourne, on the 18th day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvency Acts, and for an order dispensing with the condition mentioned in section 139 of the *Insolvency Act 1890* and granting an immediate absolute certificate of discharge.
W. H. LEWIS, 95 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the said Thomas Bunyan. 5539

Insolvency Act 1890.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of JOHN LAWSON, of 7 York-street, Glenferrie, in the Colony of Victoria, railway employe, an insolvent.

THE above-named John Lawson intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne, on Friday, the 11th day of February, 1898, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1890*, and for dispensation with the conditions of section 139 of the said Act.
Dated this 20th day of January, 1898.

HENRY UPTON, Prell's Buildings, Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the said John Lawson. 5546

NOTICE is hereby given that William Henry Rupert Forsyth, of Bunyip, labourer, now insolvent, will, at the next County Court, to be held at Warragul, on Thursday, 24th February, 1898, apply for a release from such insolvency, dispensing with the payment of Seven shillings in the £1.
5449 W. H. R. FORSYTH.

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of HERBERT HEATHCOTE WATSON, of corner King and Collins-streets, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, ship's officer, an insolvent.

THE above-named Herbert Heathcote Watson intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency on the 11th day of February, 1898, 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*.

Dated this 18th day of January, 1898.

H. W. C. SIMPSON (Ellison and Simpson), National Mutual Buildings, Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the said insolvent. 5537

The *Insolvency Act 1890*.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the estate of CHARLES PHILIP PETLEY, of "Calpe," Wellington-street, Brighton, in the colony of Victoria, retired civil servant.

ATENTH Interim Dividend of Elevenpence in the £1 will be payable at our offices, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on and after Saturday, 15th inst.

MEUDELL & CAMERON, incorporated accountants, agents for the trustee.
Melbourne, 13th January, 1898. 5506

Impoundings.

ALLANSFORD.—Impounded at Allansford, by P. Coleman.

1 white heifer, JC off rump, ears marked

By Shire Impounder.

1 white and red heifer, ears marked, like L off ribs
1 white and red heifer, near ear marked, no visible brand
1 yellow and white bull, no visible brand or mark

By John Sharpe.

1 yellow heifer, like JC near rump, ears marked

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 10th February, 1898.

5484-7/7

A. MILNE,
Poundkeeper.

AVOCA.—Impounded at Avoca, 13th January, 1898.

1 red and white bald-faced stag, two notches out back near ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5485-4/1

JAMES BATCHELOR,
Poundkeeper.

AVOCA.—Impounded at Avoca, 15th January, 1898.

2 black heifers, one with white on face, JM off ribs, punch hole off ear

1 red and white ditto, same brand
1 black cow, near ear marked, C off ribs, like JJ near rump
1 strawberry-necked heifer, swallow near ear, no visible brand
2 yearling bulls, one black and brindle and one white, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5476-7/1

JAMES BATCHELOR,
Poundkeeper.

AXE CREEK.—Impounded at Axe Creek.

7. Red and white spotted cow, T near rump
8. Bay mare, light draught, shod, hind fetlocks white, N near shoulder
9. Chestnut pony mare, streak, scars on near hip, near hind leg and fetlock lame, well bred, like N over like C near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.

5556-6/5

BENJN. CODE,
Poundkeeper.

BACCHUS MARSH.—Impounded at Bacchus Marsh Shire Pound, by Molesworth Greens.

1 roan mare, branded V near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5487-4/1

JAMES HANSON,
Poundkeeper.

BALLAN.—Impounded at Ballan.

1 red steer, C near rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.
 5486—3/6 SY. COOPER,
 Poundkeeper.

BALMORAL.—Impounded at Balmoral, by H. Nelson.

1 Red and white spotted steer, K near rump, Ω off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5537—3/6 F. P. WENSLEY,
 Poundkeeper.

BERWICK.—Impounded at Berwick Shire Pound, by A. E. Brunt.

1 yellow and white heifer, branded like DC on milking rump, about eighteen months old
 1 brindle and white heifer, branded like DC on milking rump, about eighteen months old
 1 brown and white heifer, almost bald face, branded like DC on milking rump, about eighteen months old
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th February, 1898.
 5473—7/ ALFRED CHALK,
 Poundkeeper.

BUNINYONG.—Impounded at Buninyong.

1 red and white heifer, bald face, like MG on rump
 1 red and white heifer, like TS on rump
 1 red and white bull, like MG on rump
 1 red and white steer, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th February, 1898.
 5470—5/3 PATRICK MORRIS,
 Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 18th January, 1898, by W. Nicholas.

8. Bay gelding, star on forehead, hind feet white, branded K near shoulder
 9. Brown gelding, star on forehead, S off shoulder, broken knees
 10. Bay mare, star on forehead, near hind foot white, shod
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5558—6/5 J. LIVOCK,
 Poundkeeper.

CASTERTON.—Impounded at Casterton, 14th January, 1898, by G. T. Fitzgerald, from Steep Bank.—Trespass 6s.

3. Red and white steer, notch out near ear, top off off ear, branded like JC near rump, like CS off loins
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5488—4/8 J. LIVOCK,
 Poundkeeper.

CRESWICK.—Impounded at Creswick Shire Pound.

1 red heifer, R off rump
 1 red and white steer, R off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5478—4/1 WM. CANE,
 Poundkeeper.

HADDON.—Impounded at Haddon.

1. Brown horse, star, HG near shoulder, hind fetlocks white
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.
 5479—3/6 THOMAS ROACH,
 Poundkeeper.

JEETHO.—Impounded at Jeetho Pound, Bena.

1 spotted red and white cow, branded JFD off rump, owner unknown, trespassing in Binding paddock
 1 yellow heifer, branded D off rump
 1 yellow and white heifer, branded D off rump
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th February, 1898.
 5477—5/3 R. J. FULLER,
 Poundkeeper.

JEETHO.—Impounded at Jeetho Pound, Bena.

1 brown horse, scar on rump, no visible brand
 1 bay horse, with scar, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th February, 1898.
 5559—4/1 R. J. FULLER,
 Poundkeeper.

LEXTON.—Impounded at Lexton.

1 bay filly, about 3 years, little white hind fetlocks, BS near shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th February, 1898.
 5560—4/1 W. H. WARREN,
 Poundkeeper.

MERINO.—Impounded at Merino, 12th January, 1898.

1 light-bay mare, black points, running star, saddle-marked, 2 near shoulder, faint brand off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5490—4/1 T. D. CLARKE,
 Poundkeeper.

MOORA.—Impounded at Moora, 16th January, 1898.

1 yellow and white steer, Ω W or Ω W off rump (the G or C reversed)
 1 strawberry heifer, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.
 On 20th January.
 1 strawberry cow, no visible brand, big notch out of front of off ear
 1 brindle heifer, white back and belly, white tail
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 23rd February, 1898.
 5489—8/2 E. MATHESON,
 Poundkeeper.

MOOROOPNA.—Impounded at Mooroopna.

1 dark-red bull, star on forehead, half white tail, white on belly, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.
 5491—4/1 M. PHILLIPS,
 Poundkeeper.

NATHALIA.—Impounded at Nathalia, by E. Jeffery.

1 red cow, two slits near ear, white flanks and belly, WS off rump
 1 red cow, mottled face, two slits off ear, JM off rump
 1 red cow, white face, back, and belly, hole in off ear, R off rump
 1 red cow, mottled face, white belly, slit off ear, JM off rump
 1 yellow heifer, slit near ear, HO near rump
 1 white cow, slit near ear, piece off off ear, JM off rump, like B near rump
 1 red and white bullock, notch out near ear, like H off rump
 1 yellow-spotted poley bullock, slit off ear, like JM off rump
 1 red and white heifer, slit off ear, blotch off shoulder, like S over another letter off rump
 1 red and white heifer, slit off ear, like S over another letter off rump
 1 red yearling steer, white face, back, and belly, both ears slit, like JH conjoined off rump
 1 roan and white yearling heifer, piece out under off ear, no visible brand
 By A. Colvin, Yielima.
 1 chestnut mare, hack, star in forehead, like 10 over horseshoe near shoulder, like O on neck near side
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5502—15/2 G. C. FOSTER,
 Poundkeeper.

NEWBRIDGE.—Impounded at Newbridge, 19th January, 1898, by Alen Borland, Laanecoorie.

1 draught horse, black, three white feet, blazed face, branded like F near shoulder, scar on off hip
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5561—4/8 V. POLA,
 Poundkeeper.

OMEO.—Impounded at Omco Shire Pound, 15th January, 1898, by A. Fregon, foin Tongio.

1 bay horse, star and snip, one hind foot white, branded JE conjoined, S near shoulder, and like T off shoulder
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5467—4/8 W. MESLEY,
 Poundkeeper.

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley, 17th January, 1898, by J. C. Shanks.

55. White bullock, hole and slit in off ear, H off rump
 56. Red and white heifer, slit in off ear, piece out of back of near ear, F off rump and ribs
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.
 5458—5/3 J. R. KENNEDY,
 Poundkeeper.

RAYWOOD.—Impounded at Raywood.

1 black draught horse, star and snip, hind feet white, JD near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th February, 1898.

5563—4/1

WM. JOHNSON,
Poundkeeper.

RUTHERGLEN.—Impounded at Rutherglen Shire Pound, 12th January, 1898, by order D. J. Hamilton, Esq.—Damages 4s.

1 roan and white heifer, bald face, hole both ears, HB off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5492—4/8

R. TURNER,
Poundkeeper.

SALE.—Impounded at Sale, 8th January, 1898, by A. McLachlan, for Mrs. M. McLachlan.

1 red bull, spotted face, notches out off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd February, 1898.

5453—4/1

C. McLEAN,
Poundkeeper.

SHEPPARTON.—Impounded at Shepparton.

1 bay mare, medium draught, star, hind feet white, LF near side of neck

1 dark-bay mare, hack, black points, star, hobble strap on near fore foot, like D near shoulder

1 strawberry yearling heifer, Δ W off rump

1 red and white yearling bull, white face

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.

5564—6/5

CHAS. DUDLEY,
Poundkeeper.

SKIPTON.—Impounded at Skipton, 13th January, 1898.

2. Red steer, white face, tip near ear, AW near rump

3. Red steer, white face, same brand and ear mark

4. Red steer, white face, same brand and ear mark

5. Red heifer, same brand and ear mark

6. Black heifer, white face, AW near rump, tip near ear

7. Red steer, white face, tip near ear, AW near rump

8. Brindle heifer, small slit off ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.

5493—7/

JOHN DALY,
Poundkeeper.

SWAN HILL.—Impounded at Swan Hill, 12th January, 1898.

1 roan and white cow, branded TW near rump, slit in near and off ears

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.

5480—4/8

THOMAS PYE,
Poundkeeper.

TALLANGATTA.—Impounded at Tallangatta, 31st December, 1897.

1 brown mare, JHB conjoined near shoulder, G5 on back

1 brown gelding, heavy sort, blotch off shoulder

1 bay filly, pony, like writing X off shoulder

8th January, 1898.

1 bay mare, pony sort, branded D over A near shoulder, running star

1 bay foal, progeny of above

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th February, 1898.

5481—7/7

W. L. CARKEEK,
Poundkeeper.

TRARALGON.—Impounded at Traralgon, 13th January, 1898, by Mr. S. Williamson.

1 red and white spotted bull, faint brand, like JI off ribs, slit off ear, piece out top side same ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5491—4/8

JAS. BOYD,
Poundkeeper.

WANGOOM.—Impounded at Wangoom.

1 dark-roan young bull

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd February, 1898.

5482—3/6

WM. TOAL,
Poundkeeper.

WERRIBEE.—Impounded Werribee, 12th January, 1898.

1 red and white cow, ears slit, branded like WB off rump, W near ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th February, 1898.

5565—4/8

D. CANNY,
Poundkeeper.

WINCHELSEA.—Impounded at Winchelsea, by W. Wallace.

149. Four crossbred lambs, mixed sex, no visible brands or marks

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th February, 1898.

5566—4/1

J. J. RANKIN,
Poundkeeper.

WODONGA.—Impounded at Wodonga.

1 red cow, white face, Δ off ribs; with red calf

1 red cow, white face, like NS off rump

1 red yearling, no visible brand

1 yellow steer, ML off rump

1 strawberry heifer, ears notched, PD off ribs

1 red heifer, short tail, like JP conjoined near thigh

1 chestnut horse, sore back, ∇ over ∞ near shoulder

1 bay horse, shod, like \sim over \sim near shoulder, chestnut streak

down face, near hind and off fore legs white, like \odot over \bar{J} near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 17th February, 1898.

5567—0/4

A. KYLE,
Poundkeeper.

WYCHEPROOF.—Impounded at Wycheproof.

1 bay horse, branded A near shoulder, M off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th February, 1898.

5483—4/1

M. MATHESON,
Poundkeeper.

YARRAWONGA.—Impounded at Yarrowonga Shire Pound, by E. Adkins.

1 roan bull, about two years old, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 7th February, 1898.

5454—4/1

J. C. LOWE,
Poundkeeper.

YARRAWONGA.—Impounded at Yarrowonga Shire Pound, by E. Adkins.

2 red and white steers, M near rump, piece off near ear

2 red steers, M near rump, piece off near ear

1 white heifer, K off rump

1 red and white heifer, K off rump

1 brindle and white heifer, AS off ribs

1 red and white heifer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th February, 1898.

5468—7/

J. C. LOWE,
Poundkeeper.

POUNDKEEPERS' REMITTANCES.

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

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January 14.	—W. Toal	0	2	6
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January 20.	—J. Boyd	0	5	0
January 20.	—A. Milne	0	5	0
January 20.	—J. Daly	0	10	0
January 20.	—S. Cooper	0	3	6
January 20.	—M. Phillips	0	4	0
January 20.	—E. Matheson	0	10	0
January 20.	—R. Turner	0	5	0
January 20.	—J. Livock	0	5	0
January 20.	—J. Batchelor	0	3	0
January 20.	—J. Hanson	0	4	6
January 20.	—T. Roach	0	2	0
January 21.	—B. Code	0	6	6
January 21.	—G. C. Foster	0	13	0
January 21.	—J. J. Rankin	0	5	0
January 21.	—V. Pola	0	5	0
January 21.	—A. Kyle	0	10	0
January 21.	—W. Johnson	0	4	0
January 21.	—W. P. Wensley	0	5	0
January 21.	—D. Canny	0	4	0
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Melbourne, 31st December, 1897.

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