



SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

VICTORIA GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

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THE AUSTRALASIAN FEDERAL CONSTITUTION POLL, 1899.

REPORT BY RETURNING OFFICER OF THE RESULT OF THE POLLING IN VICTORIA FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THE AUSTRALASIAN FEDERAL CONSTITUTION AS PROPOSED TO BE AMENDED IN THE PARTICULARS APPEARING IN THE FIRST SCHEDULE TO THE AUSTRALASIAN FEDERATION ENABLING ACT 1899.

I, Charles Alfred Topp, being the Returning Officer appointed under the provisions of the *Australasian Federation Enabling Act 1896* and the *Australasian Federation Enabling Act 1899*, hereby report that at the polling held on the twenty-seventh day of July, 1899, pursuant to the said Acts the number of votes recorded was as stated hereunder, namely :—

For the acceptance of the Constitution as proposed to be amended 152,653.

For the rejection of the Constitution as proposed to be amended ... 9,805.

Dated at Melbourne this eighth day of August, 1899.

CHARLES A. TOPP,

Returning Officer for Victoria.

To the Honorable the Chief Secretary.

CERTIFICATE OF RESULT OF POLLING IN VICTORIA FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THE AUSTRALASIAN FEDERAL CONSTITUTION AS PROPOSED TO BE AMENDED IN THE PARTICULARS APPEARING IN THE FIRST SCHEDULE TO THE AUSTRALASIAN FEDERATION ENABLING ACT 1899.

I, the undersigned Alexander James Peacock, being the Chief Secretary for Victoria, hereby certify that at the polling held in accordance with the provisions of the *Australasian Federation Enabling Act 1896* and the *Australasian Federation Enabling Act 1899* on the twenty-seventh day of July, 1899, the number of votes recorded for the acceptance of the Australasian Federal Constitution as proposed to be amended was 152,653; and that the number of votes recorded for the rejection of such Constitution was 9,805.

Dated at Melbourne this eighth day of August, 1899.

A. J. PEACOCK,

Chief Secretary for Victoria.

