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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of 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), I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do by this my Proclamation appoint the days and dates hereunder mentioned to be observed as Public Holidays at the places respectively specified, viz. :-

TUESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF APRIL INSTANT, throughout the Shire of Mansfield;

TUESDAY, THE 24TH, WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH, AND THURSDAY, THE 26TH DAYS OF APRIL INSTANT, throughout the Town of Warrnambool, from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon on each day; *

WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF APRIL INSTANT, throughout the Borough of Echuca, and the Shires of Echuca and Healesville;

THURSDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL INSTANT, throughout the Shire of Yea;

WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF MAY NEXT, throughout the North Riding of the Shire of Huntly and the Western Riding of the Shire of Waranga.

* For Races.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

JOHN MADDEN.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. McLEAN,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

APPOINTMENTS.

THE Lieutenant-Governor in Council has, by Orders made on the 9th day of April, 1900, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz. :-

DEPARTMENT OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

Deputy Electoral Registrar,

JOHN PAUL McLENNAN (State School Teacher), of Ten Mile, to be a Deputy Electoral Registrar for the Jamieson Division of the Electoral District of Anglesey, vice George T. Allen resigned.

Registrar of Births and Deaths,

STEWART AUGUSTUS WALL

to be Acting Registrar of Births and Deaths at Yea, from the 10th to the 16th March, 1900, during the absence of Martha E. Wall on leave.

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Governors of Gaols,

CHARLES STUART PATTERSON

to be Governor of the Geelong Gaol, from the 24th November, 1899, vice T. Meagher transferred;

ROBERT PATERSON

to be Deputy Governor of the Penal Establishment at Pentridge, from the 16th March, 1900, vice T. Meagher promoted.

Attendants, Lunatic Asylums,

The persons named hereunder to be Attendants, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, for twelve months, on probation, from the dates respectively specified; such appointments being new appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that vacancies have occurred on the Staff from the causes specified, and having requested that such vacancies should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that appointments to fill such vacancies are required, and that there are no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the same, that is to say :-

Name.	Appointment to take effect from--	Cause.
Thomas Joseph McKeone	14th March, 1900	Retirement of George Haysom
George Kendall Allen (<i>Asylum for Idiots</i>)	24th March, 1900	Promotion of H. Landale

The persons named hereunder to be Attendants, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, for twelve months, on probation, from the 1st March, 1900; such appointments being new appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having made request to the Minister that such new appointments should be made, and the Public Service Board having certified that such new appointments are required, and that there are no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the same, that is to say :-

HENRY ALEXANDER BOLLE,
JOHN BOURKE,
JAMES BYRNE,
PATRICK FRANCIS CLOONAN,
EDMUND DICKS,
HENRY JAMES DOUGHERTY,
ROBERT FORREST,
CHARLES ALFRED GRAHAM,
JOHN MANCAY,
WILLIAM JOSEPH MOSSOP,
JOHN KENNETH McTAVISH,
JOHN O'HARA,
ALFRED SMITH,
ROBERT BOWEN WALTON, and
JOHN MOFFAT WHITE.

Nurses, Lunatic Asylums,

The persons named hereunder to be Nurses, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, on probation, for twelve months, from the dates respectively specified; such appointments being new appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that vacancies have occurred on the Staff, from the causes specified, and requested that such vacancies should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that appointments to fill such vacancies are required, and that there are

no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill such vacancies, that is to say:—

Name.	Appointment to take effect from—	Cause.
Sarah Ellen Claxton	12th March, 1900	Resignation of Mary F. Reardon
Bridget Griffin ...	12th March, 1900	Transfer of Ellen Ketts
Teresa Macken ...	21st March, 1900	Resignation of E. Cunningham

The persons named hereunder to be Nurses, 3rd Grade, Hospitals for the Insane, for twelve months, on probation, from the dates respectively specified; such appointments being now appointments, the Permanent Head of the Department having made request to the Minister that such new appointments should be made, and the Public Service Board having certified that such new appointments are required; and that there are no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the same:—

Name.	Appointment to take effect from—
Bridget Ann Crennan ...	28th February, 1900
Mary Lee ...	
Maria Sherritt ...	
Alice Gibbins (<i>Asylum for Idiots</i>) ...	20th March, 1900

Fifth Class Officer, Audit Office,

STEPHEN HENRY GROOM

to be an Officer of the 5th Class in the Clerical Division of the Public Service, in the Audit Office, on probation, from the 7th March, 1900; a new appointment, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that a vacancy has occurred on the Staff, consequent on the death of Ralph Anderson, and requested that such vacancy should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that an appointment to fill such vacancy is required, and that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill such vacancy.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Members of Boards of Advice,

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

ALFRED GALE

for the School District of the Borough of Talbot, No. 12;

CHARLES A. AKINS,
ISIDORE ISAACSON,
WILLIAM LINDSAY,
GEORGE MITCHELL, and
WILKINSON WAYMAN

for the School District of the Borough of Stawell, No. 55;

GEORGE L. JOHNSON

for the School District of the Shire Riding of the Shire of Beccoworth, No. 93;

ROBERT HICKLETON

for the School District of the Shire of Belfast, No. 94;

JAMES CONLEY and
WILLIAM H. V. WILLIAMSON

for the School District of the South Riding of the Shire of Buninyong, No. 116;

THOMAS BRYANT,
ARTHUR IRISH,
RICHARD ODGERS,
ROBERT RENKIN, and
THOMAS SILVEY

for the School District of the West Riding of the Shire of Buninyong, No. 117;

ROBERT PEARSON

for the School District of the East Riding of the Shire of Creswick, No. 130;

WILLIAM T. PLUMB

for the School District of the East Riding of the Shire of Dundas, No. 136;

JAMES W. FAGAN,
JOHN A. HICKOX,
WILLIAM MAIN,
KENNETH MACKENZIE, and
WILLIAM THOMSON

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

SAMUEL M. BEECROFT

for the School District of the Shire of Goulburn, No. 151;

JOHN COUTTS and
JOHN SMITH

for the School District of the North Riding of the Shire of Lexton, No. 173;

ARTHUR H. MAYSON and
WILLIAM REID

for the School District of the Southern Riding of the Shire of Mount Franklin, No. 208;

HENRY BENNETT,
RICHARD CORNISH,
HENRY FINTER,
CORNELIUS JOHNSON, and
CHARLES A. SOUTHWELL

for the School District of the Shire of Newham, No. 212;

ALEXANDER SIMPSON

for the School District of the Central Riding of the Shire of Oxley, No. 222;

JOHN B. FARQUHARSON

for the School District of the Middle and Coast Ridings of the Shire of Winchelsea, No. 264;

ALEXANDER MUNRO

for the School District of the Shire of Coburg, No. 272;

DONALD FORBES

for the School District of the Ballangeich Riding of the Shire of Mortlake, No. 294;

ROBERT FORGE and
THOMAS W. HOWELLS

for the School District of the Moira Riding of the Shire of Numurkah, No. 312;

DONALD CAMPBELL and
WILLIAM W. JOHNSTONE

for the School District of the South Riding of the Shire of Warrnambool, No. 355;

WILLIAM SMITH

for the School District of the South Riding of the Shire of Wimmera, No. 358;

HANS GLISMANN and
JOHN TYLER

for the School District of the Beaconsfield Riding of the Shire of Berwick, No. 397.

Truant Officer,

JAMES LAIDLER KIDD,

whose services as a Truant Officer were dispensed with under the provisions of section 121 of the *Public Service Act 1890*, re-appointed from and after the 15th March, 1900, to be a Truant Officer, Second Grade, under the provisions of section 20 of the said Act, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that a new appointment should be made on the staff, and the Public Service Board having certified that it is requisite to make such new appointment.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Sheriff's Substitute,

CHARLES BROOKING WERE, of Hamilton

(as Deputy Clerk of the Peace and Acting Registrar of the County Courts at Hamilton), appointed by virtue of the provisions of section 87 of the Act No. 1104, to do and perform, with respect to the Courts at Hamilton, in the place and stead of the Sheriff, all such acts and things as the Sheriff is by the said Act authorized to do or perform, vice W. I. Moon relieved and transferred.

DEPARTMENT OF THE SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

Assistant Registrar of County Court,

HILARY RICHARD McDONALD (Clerk of Petty Sessions, &c.),
Avoca,

to be also Assistant Registrar to enter plaints and other process and issue plaints, summonses, and all other process and proceedings returnable at the County Court at Maryborough (Act No. 1078, section 27), during the absence of C. J. Grey on leave.

Clerks of Courts, &c.,

CHARLES BROOKING WERE (Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster), Hamilton,

to be also Registrar of the County Court, Chief Clerk of the Court of Insolvency and Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Hamilton, vice W. G. Moon relieved and transferred.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURER.

Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters,

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

Boort ... JAMES D. FINEGAN (Acting Postmaster), Acting, during the absence of F. E. H. Glenton on leave;

Chiltern ... JAMES S. BUCHANAN (Acting Postmaster), Acting, vice George Bingham relieved;

" ... DENIS SHEEHAN (Acting Postmaster), Acting, during the absence of J. S. Buchanan on special leave;

Hamilton ... CHARLES B. WERE, vice W. G. Moon transferred;

St. Arnaud ... THOMAS J. MOUNTJOY (Acting Postmaster), Acting, during the absence of H. A. Krone on leave;

Yea ... MARY J. BOXELL (Acting Postmistress), Acting, during the absence of H. Barclay on leave.

Fifth Class Officer,
THOMAS MILLS

to be an Officer of the 1st Subdivision of the 5th Class in the Clerical Division of the Public Service, in the Treasury Department, on probation from the 2nd April, 1900; a new appointment, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that a vacancy has occurred on the Staff, consequent on the retirement of W. Gates, and requested that such vacancy should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that an appointment to fill such vacancy is required, and that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill such vacancy.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

Crown Lands Bailiff,

F. H. STUBBS (Forest Foreman)

to be also a Crown Lands Bailiff in and for Victoria.

Trustees,

JOSEPH LOCKWOOD,
JOHN CHARLES BLYTH,
ANDREW SHEEAN,
MICHAEL HONAN, and
ALBERT EDWARD CUTTS

to be Trustees of the land temporarily reserved on the 22nd December, 1899, as a site for a Mechanics' Institute and Public Hall at Birchip.

Managers of Commons,

GEORGE MITCHELL

to be a Manager of the Amherst Goldfields Common, *vice* the same gentleman retired;

DONALD MCBAIN,
WILLIAM WATKINS,
ALBERT HUTCHISON,
JOHN TAYLOR, and
FRANCIS JOHN HOARE

to be Managers of the Apley Town Common;

THOMAS WALSH,
ALEXANDER JAMES MILLER,
WILLIAM WATSON,
CHARLES ROMANO,
GEORGE DERRICK, and
EDWARD SWANTON

to be Managers of the Stuart Mill Town and Goldfields Common, *vice* Thomas Walsh, Alexander Macdonell, Alexander James Miller, Charles Romano, Thomas Harvey, and Julius Goltz, all retired.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Fifth Class Officer,

CHARLES MICHAEL GLEESON

to be an Officer of the 5th Class in the Clerical Division of the Public Service, in the Department of Public Works, on probation from the 4th April, 1900; a new appointment, the Permanent Head of the Department having reported that a vacancy has occurred on the Staff, consequent on the transfer of W. S. Wedd, and requested that such vacancy should be filled, and the Public Service Board having certified that an appointment to fill such vacancy is required, and that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill such vacancy.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

Officers of Customs and Collectors of Imposts,

DAVID ARTHUR THOMAS (Protective Officer of Customs for Victoria at Cobram)

to be also Acting Officer of Customs and Collector of Imposts at Cobram, from the 17th March, 1900, during the absence of Michael Quinane on leave;

THOMAS BROOKER (Police Constable No. 4716)

to be also Officer of Customs for preventive purposes at Jingellic, during the absence of Constable Frederick Ross on leave.

Collectors of Customs,

FRANK HORACE PELL SINCLAIR

to be Acting Collector of Customs at Echuca, from the 12th March, 1900, during the absence of A. A. Rouvray on leave;

ALVARA LOFTHOUSE SLATER (an Officer of the Law Department)

to be also Acting Collector of Customs at Port Fairy, from the 19th March, 1900, *vice* T. G. Ryan relieved;

HENRY THEODORE EISEMAN

to be Acting Collector of Customs at Wahgunyah, from the 13th March, 1900, during the absence of C. E. MacD. Corney on leave.

Keeper of Powder Magazine,

ALVARA LOFTHOUSE SLATER

to be also Keeper of the Powder Magazine at Port Fairy, from the 19th March, 1900, *vice* T. G. Ryan relieved.

Assistant Immigration Agent,

ALVARA LOFTHOUSE SLATER

to be also Assistant Immigration Agent at Port Fairy, from the 19th March, 1900, *vice* T. G. Ryan relieved.

Assistant Inspector of Fisheries,

ALVARA LOFTHOUSE SLATER

to be also an Assistant Inspector of Fisheries at Port Fairy, from the 19th March, 1900, *vice* T. G. Ryan relieved.

Charge of Harbor Department,

ALVARA LOFTHOUSE SLATER

also to have charge of the Harbor Department at Port Fairy, from the 19th March, 1900, *vice* T. G. Ryan relieved.

THOS. PRISBANE,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 9th April, 1900.

Settlement on Lands Act 1893.

APPOINTMENT OF A STEWARD.

THE Honorable the Minister of Lands has appointed the undermentioned officer of the Public Service a Steward under the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*:-

THOMAS CULLINAN, Constable.-(Corr. V.19449).

THOS. F. MORKHAM,

Secretary for Lands.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Victorian Government Stock Acts.

NOTICE.

VICTORIAN Government Three per cent. Stock may now be purchased at the Receipt and Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne, in amounts of £5 or any multiple of £5 at a premium of One pound (£1) per cent., with accrued interest from 1st April, 1900.

WM. SHIELDS,

Treasurer.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 2nd April, 1900.

GENERAL ELECTION 1900.

SUPPLEMENTARY ELECTORAL ROLLS.—ISSUE OF ELECTORS' RIGHTS.

IT is hereby notified that Supplementary Rolls of non-ratepaying electors for the Legislative Assembly will be made up on the 1st May proximo, and that persons who are not already enrolled may, if duly qualified, secure enrolment by obtaining Electors' Rights from the Registrars for their respective Divisions, or their Deputies.

The Rolls so prepared will form portion of those to be used at the General Election which will, in the ordinary course, take place about the month of October next, and they will be the last Rolls which will come into force before that month.

The Electoral Registrars and Deputy Electoral Registrars throughout the Metropolitan area and in the cities and principal towns throughout the colony will keep open their offices for the issue of Rights until Ten o'clock p.m. each night from Friday, the 27th April instant, to Tuesday, the 1st May, both inclusive (Sunday excepted).

Persons desiring enrolment are advised to apply for Rights without delay.

CHARLES A. TOPP,

Under Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 6th April, 1900.

MANAGEMENT OF POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE, BRANXHOLME.

OFFERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, the 24th April, 1900, from persons willing to undertake the management of the Post and Telegraph Office, Branxholme, for a period of three or five years.

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

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 obtained.

Offers to be indorsed "Offer for Management of Post and Telegraph Office, Branxholme," 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, 28th March, 1900.

April 20, 1900.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES
WITHIN THE COLONY OF VICTORIA OF THE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 31st December, 1899, to the 31st March, 1900.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Specie and Bullion per cent. of Total Liabilities.
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest { Bearing Interest	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 132,600 4 8	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 1,022,723 16 1	19.17
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest { Bearing Interest	... ..	13,691 4 10	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	... ..	79,528 15 11	
Balances due to other Banks	38,237 12 1	...	Notes and Bills of other Banks	... ..	169,039 17 10	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest { Bearing Interest	154,737 3 1	182,964 15 2	Balances due from other Banks	... ..	53,460 17 3	
Crown Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest { Bearing Interest	2,643,462 18 0 2,737,525 18 8	5,382,988 16 8	Amount of all debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	... ..	4,202,027 0 7	
Total Amount of Liabilities	£	5,747,303 1 4				
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of March, 1900	...	1,600,000 0 0	Total Amount of Assets	£	5,726,770 7 8	
Rate of last dividend declared to the shareholders	...	8 per cent. per annum				
Amount of last dividend so declared	...	64,000 0 0				
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	846,150 0 0				

Melbourne, 6th April, 1900.

C. R. COWPER, Manager.
C. M. TERRY, Accountant.

I, NICHOLLS JOSEPH SIBLEY, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 31st December, 1899, to the 31st March, 1900, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1899*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver, and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the colony of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

N. J. SIBLEY.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this { E. J. FULFORD, Commissioner for Taking Declarations and Affidavits for the Colony of Victoria.
5th day of April, 1900,

And I, JOHN SAVERS, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Nicholls Joseph Sibley are true in every particular.

JOHN SAVERS.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this { E. J. FULFORD, Commissioner for Taking Declarations and Affidavits for the Colony of Victoria.
12th day of April, 1900,

OVERSEER OF WOOLLEN FACTORY, PENTRIDGE.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 5th May next, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service, who are qualified for transfer to the position of Overseer of the Woollen Factory, Pentridge, Chief Secretary's Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£180 minimum, £204 maximum. Regular increments are not provided.

The qualifications necessary for the positions are:—A general knowledge of wool, its condition from a shrinkage point of view, and its adaptability for manufacturing into various classes of goods.

A knowledge of dyeing plain and fancy colours, both with wool and coir yarn.

A practical and experimental knowledge of carding and spinning and ability to manage looms, &c.

Ability to give instruction in finishing tweeds and other goods for market, to control prison labour, and to conduct a woollen factory in all its branches.

The officer selected will be required to do duty in the Penal Establishment, Pentridge, every third Sunday.

By order,

FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

ENGINEER MECHANIC, YARRA BEND LUNATIC ASYLUM.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 28th April instant, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service for transfer to the position of Engineer Mechanic at the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylum, Chief Secretary's Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£138 minimum, £150 maximum, with quarters when required to reside on the premises. Regular increments are not provided.

By order,

FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.—(Part II., Division 2.—Tobacco.)

E5 CIGAR LICENCE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the Regulations under Division 2 of Part II. of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890, permission has been granted to Charles Edward Bilston to manufacture cigars from the leaf in a room at the premises situate at 132 Dorcas-street east, South Melbourne, the said room being shown on the plan attached to the licensee's application, and approved and appointed as a factory; and it is further notified that the said room is the only portion of the aforesaid premises wherein the said Charles Edward Bilston is allowed to store leaf tobacco or to carry on any operations connected with the manufacture of cigars from the leaf under the aforesaid regulations and within the meaning of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.

C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 11th April, 1900.

Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.—(Part II., Division 2.—Tobacco.)

E5 CIGAR LICENCE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in accordance with the regulations under Division 2 of Part II. of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890, permission has been granted to Joseph John Lyons to manufacture cigars from the leaf in a room at the premises situate at 59 Russell-street, Melbourne, the said room being shown on the plan attached to the licensee's application, and approved and appointed as a factory, and it is further notified that the said room is the only portion of the said premises wherein the said Joseph John Lyons is allowed to store leaf tobacco or to carry on any operations connected with the manufacture of cigars from the leaf under the aforesaid regulations and within the meaning of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.

C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 12th April, 1900.

Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.—Part II., Division 2.—Tobacco.

E5 CIGAR LICENCE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the regulations under Division 2 of Part II. of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890, permission has been granted to Samuel Engelsman to manufacture cigars from the leaf, in a room at the premises situate at 427 Station-street, North Carlton, the said room being shown on the plan attached to the licensee's application, and approved and appointed as a factory, and it is further notified that the said Samuel Engelsman is allowed to store leaf tobacco or to carry on any operations connected with the manufacture of cigars from the leaf, under the aforesaid regulations and within the meaning of the Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.

C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 12th April, 1900.

Fisheries Act 1890.

SHIRE OF BRIGHT.—CLOSE SEASONS FOR ENGLISH TROUT.

IT is hereby notified for general information that it is intended, at the expiration of one month from the date of this notice, to move His Excellency the Governor in Council to make and publish in the Government Gazette a proclamation, under the Fisheries Act 1890, determining that the times and seasons at which the taking of English Trout in the waters described below shall commence on 1st July and cease on 7th July in each year, for a period of two years from the date of such proclamation.

The waters referred to above are as follow:—

In the Ovens River, in and bordering on the Shire of Bright, from the source of such river to its junction with the Buffalo River.

In the Buffalo River, bordering on the Shire of Bright, from the source of such river to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Myrtle Creek, bordering on the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Happy Valley Creek, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Euroben Creek, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Backland River, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such river to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Morris Creek, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the German Creek, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In the Snowy Creek, in the Shire of Bright, from the source of such creek to its junction with the Ovens River.

In any of the tributaries of the above-named streams contained within the boundaries of the Shire of Bright.

C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Factories and Shops Acts.

IN compliance with an application in writing under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, and after due inquiry, I, the Chief Secretary of Victoria, being the responsible Minister for the time being administering the Factories and Shops Acts, do hereby suspend the operation of the first clause of section 30 of the Factories and Shops Act 1890, as re-enacted by the Factories and Shops Act 1896, in the

FACTORY OR WORK-ROOMS OF MR. M. BORCHARDT, CAP MANUFACTURER, RAMSDEN-PLACE, MELBOURNE,

for a period of eight weeks from the 9th April, 1900, upon the following express conditions, that is to say:—

1. That no person or persons shall employ in the said factory or work-rooms more than twelve females for more than forty-eight hours in any one week, and that the said twelve females shall not be employed for more than sixty hours in any one week, nor for more than eleven hours in any one day, in preparing or manufacturing articles for trade or sale.
2. That each female so employed shall receive not less than Twelve shillings per week for each week during which she works overtime, and, in addition, each wage-worker shall be paid for such overtime at the rate of time and a half, and each piece-worker shall be paid Threepence per hour for overtime in addition to ordinary earnings by piece-work.
3. That each female so employed shall receive Sixpence tea money each evening she works overtime.
4. That none of such females shall be so employed for more than forty-eight hours in any one week without their consent.
5. That a copy of this Order be kept conspicuously and continually posted in such factory or work-rooms for the information of all concerned.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, the 12th day of April, 1900.

A. McLEAN,
Chief Secretary.

EXAMINATIONS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENCE AS SHORTHAND WRITERS.

IT is hereby notified that an Examination of Applicants for Licence as Shorthand Writers will be held at the Law Courts, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 12th May proximo, at Eleven a.m.

Every applicant shall, prior to admission to examination, produce to the Public Service Board satisfactory evidence—

- (a) Of having attained the age of 21 years.
- (b) Of good moral character (clause 2).

Attention is specially invited to clause 3 of the Regulations published in the Government Gazette of the 13th October, 1893, page 4033; and previous notice, in writing, must be sent to the Chairman of Examiners, Hansard Office, Parliament Houses, Melbourne, not later than Wednesday, the 9th prox.

M. BYRNE,
Secretary to the Law Department.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 12th April, 1900.

April 20, 1900.

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EXAMINATION OF MINING AND FACTORY
ENGINE-DRIVERS.

APPLICATIONS will be received at this office up to the 21st prox. from candidates who desire to be examined in any of the country districts (Gippsland excepted). Forms of applications and regulations may be obtained at this office or from the Inspectors of Mines and Factories.

R. U. BIRRELL,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 23rd March, 1900.

EXAMINATION OF MINING AND FACTORY
ENGINE-DRIVERS.

THE Board of Examiners will hold examinations at Bairnsdale, on the 2nd and 3rd May; and at Toongabbie, on the 4th May. Candidates will be notified by post-card when and where to attend for examination.

R. U. BIRRELL,
Secretary to Board.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1900.

PATENTS.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED.

APRIL 11-18.

The letter C denotes that a Complete Specification accompanied the Application.

11th April.

17070. JOHN MEGGS, Elwood Butts, Elsternwick, near Melbourne, "Improvements in and relating to targets and indicators for rifle practice."

17071. JAMES AITKEN, the Breakwater, near Geelong, "An improved rotary pump for air, water, or other fluids."

17072. FRANCIS WEBSTER, 35 Canterbury-road, Albert Park, "An improved combined tram or railway rail joint, fish-plate, and chair."

12th April.

17073. JOHN HOWARD ANGAS, Currie-street, Adelaide, S.A., "Improvements in rotary disc ploughs other than stump-jump ploughs." (Assignee of *Walter Charles Barton*, N.S.W.) C.

17074. JOHN HOWARD ANGAS, Currie-street, Adelaide, S.A., "Improvements in stump-jump disc ploughs." (Assignee of *Walter Charles Barton*, N.S.W.) C.

17075. EDWIN WOOD, 231 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, "A combined autographic register and printing appliance." (Assignee of *Richard S. Furdon*.)

17076. TALBOT BAKER, The Hut, Little Nicholson-street, Abbotsford, near Melbourne, "An improved forcing machine for removing the hair from the fur on the skins of rabbits and other animals."

17077. GEORGE BOLLINGTON, 175 to 179 Stawell-street, Richmond, "Improvements in machines for bottling and corking liquids under high pressure." C.

18th April.

17078. EDWIN PHILLIPS, 533 Collins-street, Melbourne, "An improved bicycle, driven by the weight of the rider's body." (Communicated by *Enrico Giovanni*, Italy.) C.

17079. EDWIN PHILLIPS, 533 Collins-street, Melbourne, "Improvements in and relating to lightning arresters." (Communicated by *Alexander Jay Wurtz*, U.S.A.)

17080. WILLIAM MATTHEWS, Peak Hill, N.S.W., "An improved earth scoop." C.

17081. ALFRED GRIFFITHS, 374 Green Lanes, Small Heath, near Birmingham, England, and EDWARD HENRY PEARCE, Northmead, Solihull, near Birmingham aforesaid, "Improvements in machinery to be employed in connexion with the shaping and bevelling of glass plates." C.

17082. JOSEPH GAUT, 63 Renwick-street, Leichhardt, near Sydney, N.S.W., and JOHN JOSEPH ROUSE, 375 George-street, Sydney, N.S.W., "Improvements in photographic cameras." C.

17083. CHARLES BRISTOW, Marton, Wellington, N.Z., "Improvements in seed-sowing apparatus." C.

17084. PRESSED STEEL CAR COMPANY, Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., "Improvements in and relating to hopper-bottom railway cars." (Assignee of *Charles Thomas Schoen*, U.S.A., and *John Morrison Hansen*, U.S.A.) C.

17085. PRESSED STEEL CAR COMPANY, Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., "Improvements in and relating to gondola and other railway cars." (Assignee of *Charles Thomas Schoen*, U.S.A.) C.

17086. PRESSED STEEL CAR COMPANY, Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., "Improvements in and relating to hopper-bottom railway cars." (Assignee of *Charles Thomas Schoen*, U.S.A.) C.

PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATION ACCEPTED.

16719. BARGER.

COMPLETE SPECIFICATIONS ACCEPTED.

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

15003. JOHN KIEL TULLIS, 1 Ford-road, Kelvinside, county of the city of Glasgow, North Britain, tanner and currier, "Improvements in treating hides and skins."

16059. ROBERT RHID, 105 a Beckett-street, Melbourne, Victoria, engineer, "An improvement in inflators and in clips for holding same on cycles."

16068. FREDERICK WILLIAM MARINO, 107 Montgomery-road, Sharrow, Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, manufacturer, and FREDERIC STUBBS, "Edgegate," Osborne-road, Sheffield aforesaid, engineer, "Improvements in or relating to the precipitation of gold from chloride or bromide solutions containing it."

16691. JOSEPH SMITH, Salt Lake City, county of Salt Lake, state of Utah, United States of America, inventor, "Improvements in the treatment of gold and silver ores and like materials."

16743. SOLOMON ROBERT DRESSER, Patent-alley, Bradford, county of McKean, state of Pennsylvania, United States of America, manufacturer, "Improvements in pipe couplings."

16918. GEORGE WESTINGHOUSE, Westinghouse Building, Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, state of Pennsylvania, United States of America, engineer, CHARLES APPLETON TERRY, 120 Broadway, New York, United States of America, patent attorney, and HARRY PHILLIPS DAVIS, 327 Neville-street, Pittsburgh, aforesaid, electrical engineer, "Improvements relating to conductors for electric railways on the overhead system."

16941. WILLIAM JAMES MUIR, Poowong East, Victoria, farmer, "Improvements in bucket supports and the like."

These accepted complete specifications are now open to public inspection, at this office, on payment of the prescribed fee.

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 19th day of April, 1900.

Patent Office,
Lonsdale-street west, Melbourne.

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Patents.

LETTERS PATENT SEALED.

11th April.

16037. Short; 16073. Lamm; 16232. Rowe; 16403. The Imperial Writing Machine Company Limited (*Kidd*); 16413. Hill; 16414. Penman; 16435. Ostberg; 16454. Mitchell and Hill.

TRADE MARKS.

APPLICATIONS.

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

CLASS 3.

6409. A medicinal or pharmaceutical preparation. Henry Lee Davis, of "Sans Souci," Beaconsfield-parade, Albert Park, near Melbourne, Victoria, gentleman. 5th April, 1900.

REXOZON

CLASSES 1, 2, 3, 47, AND 48.

6417.—Class 1. Chemical substances used in manufactures, photography, or philosophical research and anti-corrosives. **6418.**—Class 2. Chemical substances used for agricultural, horticultural, veterinary, and sanitary purposes. **6419.**—Class 3. Chemical substances prepared for use in medicine and pharmacy. **6420.**—Class 47. Common Soap, Detergents, Starch, Blue, and other preparations for laundry purposes. **6421.**—Class 48. Perfumery, including toilet articles, preparations for the teeth and hair, and perfumed soap. The Patent Borax Company Limited, of Ledsam-street, Ladywood, Birmingham, Warwickshire, England, manufacturers. 12th April, 1900.

CALASKO

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The word "Loyalty"; and the proprietor disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 38.

6422. All Goods in this Class. Richard Allen, trading as "Richard Allen & Co.," of Flinders-lane, Melbourne, Victoria, warehouseman. 12th April, 1900.

THE
LOYALTY
BRAND

CLASS 45.

6423. Tobacco, whether Manufactured or Unmanufactured, Plug Tobacco, Cut Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, Snuffs, &c. William Thomas Valentine Sharp, of a Beckett-street, Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer. 18th April, 1900.

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NOTE.—Any person who has grounds of objection to the registration of any of these Marks may, within one month of the date of this *Gazette* (or such further time, not exceeding three months, as the Commissioner may allow), give notice, in duplicate, at the Patent Office (Trade Marks Branch), in the Form II in the Third Schedule to the Rules under the *Trade Marks Act 1890* (No. 2), of opposition to such registration.
Dated this 15th day of April, 1900.

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

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Trade Marks.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900.)

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.
		£ s. d.			
2055	MINES— Extending track 219 from Spring Hill, Connor's Plains, to Mount Skene (on track No. 66). Length, 11 miles 24 chains. Deposit, £47s.	87 0 0	John Cullen	Loans, 1899-1900	A. R. Outtrim. 12.4.1900.
2056	Reconstructing track 228, section 1, up the Dargo River, from Birregun's Crossing to Antonio's. Length, 5 miles 22 chains. Deposit, £7. (Any previous contract for this work has been cancelled)	137 3 0	P. Daly & Co.	Ditto	
	PORTS AND HARBORS—				
2057	(1)—Supply of 18 uniforms for officers and crew of s.s. <i>Lady Loch</i>	41 10 6	Lincoln Stuart & Co. Pty. Ltd.	Contingencies, 1899-1900	C. Carty Salmon.
2058	(5)—Maintenance of jetty light and cleaning shed and jetty at Sorrento, from 1st April to 30th June, 1900	3 0 0	W. Sutton	Ditto	
2059	(2)—Maintenance of jetty light and cleaning shed and jetty at Paynesville, from 1st April to 30th June, 1900	3 0 0	J. M. May	Ditto	
	WORKS—				
2060	(3)—Additions to State School No. 1906, Cudgewa. Deposit, £10	197 12 6	T. Greenhill	Loan 1561, Act 1566. State Schools	Geo. Graham. 19.4.1900.
2061	(3)—Repairs to jetty, St. Leonards. Deposit, £10	143 0 0	A. and J. Turnbull	61/1/5. Wharfs, Jetties, &c.	
2062	(8)—Redecking Shepparton bridge. Deposit, £10	188 6 0	James W. Macqueen	Trust Funds, Public Works Account, Act 1622. Levee Works	
2063	Extras on Contract 99-1900/1734, removal of State School No. 141, Yarrawee, and re-erection of same at State School No. 3201, Koo-wee-rup North	6 13 9	T. Wood	Loan 1561, Act 1566. State Schools	

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Contracts Cancelled.

Ports and Harbors.—Contract No. 1093 (Series 1899-1900), in the name of C. H. Morgan, has been cancelled on and from 31st March, 1900. Contract No. 1857 (Series 1899-1900), in the name of Henry Bird, sen., has been cancelled on and from 31st March, 1900.

Melbourne, 20th April, 1900.

April 20, 1900.

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ORDER IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1899-1900.)

Serial No.	Particulars of Contract.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
2064	MINES AND WATER SUPPLY— Patent safety oil engine and vaporizer, complete	£ s. d. 211 10 0	R. Hornsby and Sons	Loan	Approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council the 9th April, 1900. —Thos. Brisbane, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Melbourne, 20th April, 1900.

CASTLEMAINE AND BENDIGO WATER SUPPLY DISTRICT.

NOTICE to the owners of tenements in the undermentioned streets and roads, and the private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys opening thereto. The main pipe in the said streets being laid, the owners of all tenements situated as under are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of July next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe within such premises.

J. TRAVIS.

Secretary for Mines and Water Supply.

Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 10th April, 1900.

BENDIGO.

1. Townsend-street, about 9 chains. From Neal-street to a point about 15 chains easterly.
2. Howard-street, about 5 chains. From Pike-street to a point about 5 chains south-easterly.
3. Hodgkinson-street, about 5 chains. From Michael-street to a point about 5 chains easterly.
4. Abbott-street, about 3½ chains. From Mundy-street to a point about 20 chains northerly.
5. Poor Man's Gully-road, about 15 chains. From Marong-road to a point about 29 chains north-westerly.

RAYWOOD.

1. Speke-street, about ½ chain. From Froude-street northerly ½ chain.

KANGAROO FLAT.

1. Bone Mills-road, about 8½ chains. From Hope-street to a point about 8½ chains north-westerly.

EAGLEHAWK.

1. Letheby-road, about 13 chains. From Murchison-street to a point about 27 chains westerly.
2. Green-street, about 9 chains. From Nelson-street to a point about 9 chains south-easterly.
3. Mount-street, about 6 chains. From Franklin-street to a point about 11 chains northerly.
4. Wood-street, about 6 chains. From Dowding-street to Weatherall-street.
5. Weatherall-street, about 6 chains. From Sinalley-street to a point about 6 chains westerly.
6. Temperance-street, about 5½ chains. From Tariff-street northerly to Hall-street west.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

1. Farnsworth-street, about 7½ chains. From Walker-street to a point about 7½ chains north.
2. Monk's Hill-road, about 7 chains. From Adelaide-street to a point about 7 chains southerly.
3. Maldon-road, about 24 chains. From municipal boundary about 25 chains westerly.

MALDON.

1. Allen's-road, 817 feet. From Reef-street to a point 817 feet easterly.
2. Parker-street, about 3 chains. From Chapel street to a point about 3 chains easterly.
3. Church-street, about 1 chain. From Adair-street to a point about 7 chains southerly.
4. Unnamed street, about 6 chains east of municipal boundary off Porcupine-road, about 6½ chains. From Porcupine-road to a point about 6½ chains southerly.
5. Church-street, 361 feet. From Franklin-street to a point 361 feet north.
6. Boundary road, 932 feet. From the junction of Phoenix and Boundary roads to a point 932 feet easterly.
7. Union-street, 480 feet. From Mills-street to a point 480 feet east.
8. Parker-street, 211 feet. From Chapel-street to a point 211 feet south-easterly.
9. Chapel-street, 517 feet. From Adair-street to a point 517 feet south-easterly.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

EIGHT HOURS ANNIVERSARY AT MELBOURNE.

On Saturday, 21st April, tickets at holiday excursion fares will be issued to Melbourne from Ballarat (both routes), Bendigo, Seymour, Warragul, Leongatha, and all intermediate stations (suburban excepted), by all trains timed to reach Melbourne not later than 2.45 p.m. The tickets will be available for return till 25th April inclusive.

EIGHT HOURS DAY (21ST APRIL) TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.

Brighton line.—From 10.10 a.m. till 12.10 p.m. trains will leave Brighton Beach for Flinders-street at fifteen minutes intervals.

Essendon line.—Extra trains will leave Essendon for Flinders-street at 9.26 and 9.45 a.m.

St. Kilda line.—Commencing at 10.5 a.m., trains will run at fifteen minutes intervals from Flinders-street and St. Kilda as long as required.

Camberwell line.—After 8.30 a.m., ten minutes intervals as long as required.

Williamstown line.—The 6.3 and 6.58 a.m. "down," and the 6.39 and 7.34 a.m., and 12.18 p.m. "up" Newport trains will not run. A special time-table will be in force during the morning. See posters at stations.

Caulfield line.—Extra trains will leave Prince's-bridge for Caulfield at 8.32 and 11.35 a.m., and return at 9.30 a.m. and 12.3 p.m.

All trains will stop at intermediate stations.

Trains on other lines as usual.

GOODS SHEDS HOLIDAY.

The following arrangements will be in force on Eight Hours' Day:—"A" shed open from 6 a.m. till 12 noon for receipt and despatch of cream cans, rabbit crates, and perishables only. Produce shed open all day. Delivery of perishables will be given from No. 8 road from 6 a.m. till 12 noon. Exhibition and chaff sheds and Arden and Flinders streets sidings closed all day. Shipping shed closed, but will be opened for despatch of urgent outwards goods provided notice is given the day before.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO RIDDELL'S CREEK, GISBORNE, MACEDON, WOODEND, TRENTHAM, AND DAYLESFORD, ON SATURDAY, 28TH APRIL.

The special train will leave Spencer-street at 8.50 a.m., and return from Daylesford at 7.20 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 13d. per mile; second class, 1d. per mile. Tickets can be obtained at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, up till 5 p.m. on 27th April, and at Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and Middle Footscray stations up till the starting time of train. See posters at stations.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS.

Holiday Excursion tickets, available for return till the following Monday, will be issued by last trains on Fridays and by all trains on Saturdays, to and from all stations outside a radius of 9 miles of each other, provided the return journey can be completed within the time for which the ticket is available. These tickets are also issued by the following trains from Melbourne on Fridays:—Bendigo line, 4.50 p.m.; Ballarat line, 4.40 p.m.; Warrnambool and Queenscliff lines, 4.15 p.m.; Seymour line, 5.15 p.m.; Bairnsdale line, 4.30 p.m.; Frankston line, 5.30 p.m.; and by the 6.8 p.m. train from Frankston to Melbourne.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS.

Till 30th April, 1900, tickets in connexion with the following cheap excursions will be issued:—Sea-side and Gippsland Lakes Mountains Districts; combined rail and coach; Saturday and Sunday excursions to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc; Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday excursions to Black Rock and Beaumaris; also excursions to Cowes and San Remo. Full particulars can be obtained from the "Book Time-table," or from posters at stations.

COWES AND SAN REMO REDUCED FARES.

Combined rail and steamer return tickets to Cowes and San Remo will be issued at the following reduced fares:—

	To Cowes.		To San Remo.	
	1st Class.	2nd Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.
From—	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Melbourne	10 6	8 0	14 6	12 0
Geelong	19 6	14 0	23 6	18 0
Ballarat	25 6	18 0	29 6	22 0
Bendigo	31 0	22 0	35 0	26 0

Tickets available for return for three months. Three days break of journey allowed in Melbourne each way on tickets from Geelong, Ballarat, and Bendigo. These fares will also be granted to passengers from Cowes and San Remo to Melbourne.

SUNDAY TRAIN.—FERNTREE GULLY LINE.

On Sundays, commencing 8th October, a train stopping at all stations will leave Prince's-bridge for Upper Ferntree Gully at 11 a.m., and return at 6.50 p.m. Special cheap fares:—From Melbourne, first class, 2s. 11d.; second class, 1s. 11d. The special tickets will be available for return till the following Monday.

SEA-SIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, Sea-side Excursion tickets will be issued at some of the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, 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* Penshurst) and Port Fairy (*via* Teatong) may make Drysdale or Marcus Hill or Kororo respectively their destination instead. For full particulars see posters at all stations.

EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 17th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, 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 Toongabbie, Briarong, Beechworth, Yackandandah, Bright, Huon Lane, Tallangatta, Mansfield; and daily from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Portland to Beechworth or to Bright.

COMBINED RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, 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 Sassafras, Launching Place, Yarra Junction, Warburton, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Fillians, Marysville, Buxton, Jamieson, Gaffney's Creek, Wood's Point, Bousteads, Omeo, Bruthen, Buchan, Lorne, Port Campbell, Princetown, Peterborough, and Flinders.

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), thence to Melbourne (by rail), and *vice versa*.

Combined rail and coach tickets will also be issued as follow:—(1) Bright to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 64s.; second class, 51s. 6d. (2) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 72s.; second class, 59s. 6d. Residents of Omeo who take advantage of these tickets will require to pay the coach fare to Bright or Bairnsdale (according to the route travelled), in addition to the above fares. The coach fares are—Omeo to Bright, 35s.; Omeo to Bairnsdale, 27s. (3) Beechworth to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Bright (by coach), thence to Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 101s. 6d.; second class, 88s. (4) Beechworth to Bright (by rail), thence to Bairnsdale (by coach), thence to Melbourne and Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 101s. 6d.; second class, 88s.

For full particulars see posters at all stations.

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

From 18th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, both dates inclusive, cheap suburban sea-side excursion tickets will be issued by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, and by all trains on Sundays, as follows—Children under sixteen years of age travel at half-fare:—

To Williamstown.—From Flinders-street, Spencer-street, North Melbourne, South Kensington, and Footscray. Rail only—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From Yarraville.—Rail only—First class, 8d.; second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 11d.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Williamstown, children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban stations, within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Beach if desired. Available for return on day of issue only.

To Port Melbourne.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare. Available for return on day of issue only.

To St. Kilda.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare. Available for return on day of issue only.

To Brighton Beach.—Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Windsor—Second class, 6d. From stations nearer to Brighton Beach, children under sixteen years of age may travel at half ordinary return fare on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Available for return on day of issue only. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from North Brighton or Middle Brighton if desired.

To Sandringham.—From Spencer-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Sandringham children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fare on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 6d.; second class, 1s. Available for return on day of issue only. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Hampton if desired.

To Mordialloc.—From Prince's-bridge, Richmond, South Yarra, Hawksburn, Toorak, and Armadale—First class, 1s. 6d.; second class, 1s. From stations nearer to Mordialloc children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. Available for return till the following Monday. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Cheltenham or Mentone if desired.

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 9.50 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 9.50 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.

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

On Saturday, 21st April, trains will run as required from 12 noon till 2 p.m., and at 2.20 p.m. The usual arrangements as to entrance of passengers will be carried out.

BENALLA AND BENDIGO TRAINS.

On Saturday, 21st April, passengers for the 12.5 p.m. train to Benalla and the 12.15 p.m. train to Bendigo will be booked at and enter by the gate in Spencer-street next Collins-street.

ADULT AND SCHOOL EXCURSIONS.

On and after 1st May a new scale of special cheap fares will be in force except on Cup Day, Prince of Wales Birthday, Christmas, Boxing, and New Year's days, Good Friday, and Easter Monday, when Holiday Excursion fares will be charged.

(By order) R. A. McILWRAITH, Acting Secretary.

TREE RESERVES IN THE SHIRE OF LILYDALE.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the ninth day of April, 1900.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. McLean	Mr. McColl
Mr. Irvine	Mr. Melville
Mr. Davies	Mr. Watt
Mr. Outtrim	Mr. Salmon.
Mr. Graham	

WHEREAS by the Local Government Act 1890 (54 Vict. No. 1112) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council, at the request of the council of any municipality, including the City of Melbourne and the Town of Geelong, may, by Order to be published in the *Government Gazette*, direct that any portion of a street or road in the municipal district shall be a Tree Reserve, so that the portion of such street or road remaining available for traffic upon both sides of such Tree Reserve, including footpaths, shall in no place be reduced by any such Tree Reserve to less than forty-six feet, and so that no such Reserve be a greater length than ten chains, and that the Governor in Council may revoke any such Order, and that the council of the municipality shall have charge of such Reserve, and may fence and plant the same with trees, and tend and cultivate the same: Now therefore His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in compliance with a request made by Council of the Shire of Lilydale, doth by this Order declare certain portions of Main-street, in the Township of Lilydale, in the said Shire, as shown on a plan marked "A," deposited at the Office of the Department of Public Works, Melbourne, to be Tree Reserves within the meaning of section 417 of the Act aforesaid, and doth furthermore authorize the Council of the said Shire to take charge of, and fence, plant, and cultivate the same.

And the Honorable George Graham, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Public Works for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

April 20, 1900.

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VITAL STATISTICS OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS (GREATER MELBOURNE), MARCH, 1900.

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

RETURN for the month of March, 1900, showing the estimated population, also the numbers of registered births and deaths, and excess of the former over the latter, in the Statistical District of Greater Melbourne, embracing a radius of 10 miles, and divided into thirty-one sub-districts.

POPULATION, 1899; AND BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN GREATER MELBOURNE, REGISTERED IN MARCH, 1900.

Sub-districts.	Estimated Population, 31st Decem- ber, 1899.	Births.					Deaths.			Excess of Births over Deaths.*
		Including Twins and Illegitimate Children.			Cases of Twins.	Illegitimate Children.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	
		Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.						
Melbourne City—Bourke Ward ...	14,260	19	11	8	...	1	11	5	6	8
" Gipps Ward ...	8,500	3	2	1	...	...	6	4	2	-3
" Lonsdale Ward ...	2,540	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1
" La Trobe Ward ...	4,930	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	-3
" Albert Ward ...	7,480	10	4	6	...	...	6	...	6	4
" Smith Ward ...	15,230	23	11	12	1	4	17	8	9	6
" Victoria Ward ...	20,490	24	13	11	1	2	35	16	19	-11
North Melbourne Town ...	16,770	48	22	26	1	4	21	13	8	27
Fitzroy City ...	30,080	67	45	22	2	8	29	12	17	38
Collingwood City ...	32,680	71	31	40	...	6	33	12	21	38
Richmond City ...	34,330	78	41	37	...	6	32	18	14	46
Brunswick Town ...	23,720	42	16	26	2	...	22	8	14	20
Northcote Town ...	8,430	28	17	11	2	...	8	5	3	20
Trahan City ...	36,650	66	42	24	1	4	31	13	18	35
South Melbourne City ...	36,830	88	44	44	3	3	23	16	7	63
Port Melbourne Town ...	11,310	36	19	17	...	4	14	7	7	22
St. Kilda City ...	19,860	31	18	13	...	3	12	9	3	19
Brighton Town ...	10,120	20	9	11	...	...	10	4	6	10
Essendon Town ...	18,560	49	20	29	...	4	15	9	6	34
Flemington and Kensington Borough	10,060	26	15	11	...	...	5	1	4	21
Hawthorn City ...	21,220	46	24	22	1	...	20	8	12	26
Kew Borough ...	7,720	10	5	5	...	...	4	3	1	6
Footscray City ...	16,740	50	26	24	1	2	9	6	3	41
Williamstown Town ...	13,640	30	12	18	1	3	16	6	10	14
Oakleigh Borough ...	1,330	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
Caulfield Shire ...	9,460	16	8	8	...	...	6	2	4	10
Malvern Shire ...	10,590	17	9	8	1	...	6	3	3	11
Boroondara Shire ...	7,650	14	5	9	1	...	5	3	2	9
Preston Shire ...	3,530	8	5	3	...	1	6	3	3	2
Coburg Shire ...	6,330	11	6	5	...	...	4	3	1	7
Remainder of District (84,135 acres)	12,875	24	14	10	1	...	15	9	6	9
Hospitals, Asylums, &c.† ...	4,430	107	56	51	2	53	144	84	60	-37
Shipping in Hobson's Bay and River	1,965‡	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	-2
Total ...	477,790	1,066	552	514	21	109	571	294	277	495
Daily average ...	...	34.39	17.81	16.58	.68	3.52	18.42	9.48	8.94	15.97

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

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

‡ Census figures.

The births and deaths in Greater Melbourne, together with the mean temperature in the shade, the mean atmospheric pressure, and the amount of rainfall, during the month of March of each of the ten years 1890-99, were as follows:—

	Births. Number.	Deaths. Number.	Mean Temperature. °	Mean Height of Barometer. Inches.	Rainfall. Inches.
1890 ...	1,540	995	66.6	30.005	1.62
1891 ...	1,338	792	65.6	30.025	1.26
1892 ...	1,652	863	65.6	29.910	1.56
1893 ...	1,353	701	65.5	30.013	1.45
1894 ...	1,258	625	65.5	29.920	.88
1895 ...	1,187	580	63.5	30.058	1.80
1896 ...	1,270	628	60.1	29.940	1.96
1897 ...	1,189	561	59.8	29.956	1.40
1898 ...	1,147	879	65.1	29.940	.37
1899 ...	1,090	644	65.5	29.900	2.98
Mean of ten years ...	1,302	727	64.3	29.967	1.54

The births of 1,066 children, viz., 552 boys and 514 girls, were registered in Greater Melbourne during the month of March. The number was the lowest recorded for the month during the previous ten years, and was, moreover, 236 below the average of the month during that period, or 273 below it if allowance be made for the increase of population.

The deaths recorded in March numbered 571, viz., 294 of males and 277 of females; the births thus exceeded the deaths by 495, or 87 per cent., as against 69 per cent. in March, 1899, and 79 per cent. according to the average. The number was, it will be noticed, 73 smaller than in March, 1899, and, with one exception, March, 1897, the lowest recorded for the month during the previous ten years; it was also 156 below the average of March during the last ten years, or 178 below it allowing for the increase of population.

To every 1,000 of the population of the district the proportion of births registered was equivalent to 26.27 and of deaths registered to 14.07 per annum, as compared with averages of the same month in 1899 of 27.26 and 16.14 respectively, and during the last ten years of 33.09 and 18.45 respectively, and averages of the whole year of 31.27 and 16.80.

The highest temperature in the shade recorded at Melbourne Observatory during the month was 89.8° on the 13th, and the lowest was 45.6° on the 29th. The mean temperature of the month (62.1°) was 2.2° below the average. The greatest range of the thermometer in any one day (38.2°) took place on the 13th, and the least range (1.3°) on the 20th. The mean daily range was 19.2°. The highest atmospheric pressure recorded was 30.272 inches on the 22nd, and the lowest was 29.623 inches on the 24th. The mean atmospheric pressure (29.925 inches) was slightly below the average.

Rain fell on eleven days, the amount being 3.95 inches, which was higher than in any corresponding month during the previous twenty-two years, except March, 1883, and 2.41 inches above the average during the last ten years.

The mean humidity of the month was .694.

Males contributed 51 per cent. and females 49 per cent. to the mortality of the month. Children under five years of age contributed 26 per cent. to that mortality, as against 40 per cent. in March, 1899; 43 per cent. in March, 1898; 33 per cent. in March, 1897; 38 per cent. in March, 1896; 37 per cent. in March, 1895; and 42 per cent. in March, 1894.

The deaths of infants under twelve months numbered 124, as compared with 180 in March, 1899. The rate of infantile mortality was 116 per 1,000 births, registered in the month under review, as compared with 165 in March, 1899; 174 in March, 1898; 121 in March, 1897; 143 in March, 1896; 137 in March, 1895; 149 in March, 1894; 186 in March, 1893; 189 in March, 1892; 200 in March, 1891; and 184 in March, 1890.

Fifty persons—as against 39 in March, 1899—whose deaths were recorded during the month had attained or passed the age of 75 years. Of these, a female, aged 75, died of diarrhoea; a master mariner, aged 75, of gastric catarrh; a gentleman, aged 75, of hepatitis; two gentlemen, each aged 76, of cancer and apoplexy respectively; a female, aged 76, of heart disease; a carpenter, aged 76, of bronchitis; a female, aged 76, of pneumonia; a gardener, aged 77, of Bright's disease; two females, each aged 78, of phthisis and bronchitis, respectively; a farmer and a female, each aged 79, of diarrhoea; a boilermaker, aged 79, of cancer; a gentleman, aged 79, of apoplexy; a miner, aged 80, of influenza; a surveyor and a female, each aged 80, of softening of the brain; a grazier, aged 80, of heart disease; a gentleman, aged 81, of diarrhoea; a male, of no occupation, aged 81, of insanity; a female, aged 81, of gastritis; a gentleman, aged 81, of disease of the prostate; a female, aged 82, of insanity; a carpenter, aged 82, of heart disease; a lamp-lighter, aged 83, of injuries, the result of being run over by a cab, a verdict of manslaughter being returned; a female, aged 83, of dropsy; a master mariner, aged 84, of hemiplegia; a gentleman, aged 84, of hemiplegia; a female, aged 85, of heart disease; a male, of no occupation, aged 86, of pneumonia; a farmer, aged 86, of disease of the prostate; a female, aged 87, of syncope; another, aged 88, of cerebral hæmorrhage; a labourer, aged 89, of pneumonia; a governess, aged 89, of injury to the hip joint, caused by a fall in a room; a female, aged 91, of heart disease; another, aged 93, of diarrhoea; five females, aged 76, 76, 78, 79, and 80, respectively, a caretaker, aged 81, a male, of no occupation, aged 83, a groengrocer and a female, each aged 84, a female, aged 87, an engineer, aged 88, and a female, aged 93, of old age.

Eighteen of the deaths recorded during the month—as compared with 32 in March, 1899—were from external causes, of which 13 were set down to accident, 1 to homicide, 3 to suicide, and 1 to execution. The following are the particulars of the accidental deaths:—A painter, aged 34, and a gentleman, aged 61, were passed over by railway trains; a boy, aged 14, by a cart; a jockey, aged 22, was killed by a fall from a horse; a labourer, aged 57, was knocked down by a pony; a driver, aged 26, was killed by a fall from a lorry; a labourer, aged 33, died of injuries, the result of a fall of earth in a shaft; a governess, aged 89, of injury to hip joint, caused by falling in a room; a male and a female child, each aged 4, and a female, aged 67, of burns; a female child, aged 4, was drowned by falling into the River Yarra; and a labourer, aged 63, was suffocated by falling into a vat of carbolic oil. The homicidal death was that of a lamp-lighter, aged 83, who was run over by a cab, a verdict of manslaughter being returned against the driver. The suicidal deaths were those of a striker, aged 29, who cut his throat; a pensioner, aged 61, who drowned himself; and a female, aged 58, who hanged herself. The execution was that of a butcher, aged 42, who was hanged in the Melbourne Gaol for the murder of a child.

One hundred and forty-seven deaths, or 26 per cent. of the whole, took place in public institutions, viz.:—59 in the Melbourne, 23 in the Alfred, 1 in St. Vincent's, 2 in the Women's, 8 in the Children's, 8 in the Homeopathic, and 12 in the Austin Hospitals; 12 in the Metropolitan and 3 in the Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylums; 5 in the Immigrants' Home; 10 in the Benevolent and 1 in the Infant Asylums; 1 in the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor; 1 in the Protestant Refuge; 1 in the Eye and Ear Hospital; and 1 in the Melbourne Gaol.

The deaths of children under five years of age numbered 151, of which 77, or 51 per cent., were of males, and 74, or 49 per cent., were of females. Of those who died, 121 were under one year of age, 18 were between one and two, 3 were between two and three, 2 were between three and four, and 4 were between four and five.

The persons who died at a more advanced age than five years numbered 420. Of these 217, or 52 per cent., were males, and 203, or 48 per cent., were females; 13 were between five and ten, 9 were between ten and fifteen, 9 were between fifteen and twenty, 23 were between twenty and twenty-five, 31 were between twenty-five and thirty, 31 were between thirty and thirty-five, 32 were between thirty-five and forty, 20 were between forty and forty-five, 26 were between forty-five and fifty, 31 were between fifty and fifty-five, 26 were between fifty-five and sixty, 29 were between sixty and sixty-five, 52 were between sixty-five and seventy, 38 were between seventy and seventy-five, 19 were between seventy-five and eighty, 19 were between eighty and eighty-five, 9 were between eighty-five and ninety, 2 were between ninety and ninety-five, and 1 at the age of ninety-eight.

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

CAUSES OF DEATH IN GREATER MELBOURNE, MARCH, 1900.

Classes.	Causes of Death.	Number of Deaths.					Proportions per cent.
		Males.		Females.		Total.	
		Under Five Years.	Over Five Years.	Under Five Years.	Over Five Years.		
I.	Specific febrile or zymotic diseases ...	5	22	7	21	55	9.63
III.	Dietic diseases ... ..	...	1	2	...	3	.53
IV.	Constitutional diseases	7	65	7	61	140	24.52
V.	Developmental diseases	10	6	8	11	35	6.13
VI.	Local diseases	43	108	39	105	295	51.66
VII.	Violence	1	12	2	3	18	3.15
VIII.	Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	11	3	9	2	25	4.38
	All causes	77	217	74	203	571	100.00

CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES, 55 (104).

Sub-class 1. *Miasmatic diseases*.—Influenza, 10 (2); whooping-cough, 1 (21); diphtheria, 2 (7); typhoid, enteric fever, 17 (32).

" 2. *Diarrhoeal diseases* (35).—Diarrhoea, 10; dysentery, 1.

" 3. *Malarial diseases*.—Beriberi, 2.

" 5. *Veneral diseases*.—Syphilis, 4 (2).

" 6. *Septic diseases* (4).—Erysipelas, 1; pyæmia, septicæmia, 6; puerperal fever, 1.

CLASS III.—DIETIC DISEASES, 3 (11).

Starvation, want of breast milk, 2; delirium tremens, 1.

CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES, 140 (104).

Rheumatism, 1; gout, 2; cancer, malignant disease, 49 (35); tabes mesenterica, 1; tubercular meningitis (acute hydrocephalus), 9 (5); phthisis, 63 (41); other forms of tuberculosis, scrofula, &c., 11 (7); purpura, 2; anæmia, 1; diabetes mellitus, 1.

CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES, 35 (52).

Premature birth, 7 (24); atelectasis, 2; cyanosis, 5; imperforate anus, 1; other congenital defects, 3; old age, 17 (19), at the following ages:—72, 72, 73, 74, 76, 76, 78, 79, 80, 81, 83, 81, 84, 87, 88, and 93.

CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES, 295 (316).

Sub-class 1. *Diseases of the nervous system*, 62 (53).—Inflammation of brain or its membranes, 3; apoplexy, 13; softening of brain, 3; hemiplegia, 3; paralysis, 7 (1); insanity (general paralysis of insane), 9 (3); epilepsy, 3; convulsions, 6; idiopathic tetanus, 1; paraplegia, diseases of spinal cord, 2; others, 12 (9).

" 2. *Diseases of the organs of special sense*, 1 (nil).—Ophthalmia and diseases of eye, 1.

" 3. *Diseases of the circulatory system*, 53 (46).—Endocarditis, valvular disease, 11; pericarditis, 5 (1); syncope, 8; aneurism, 1; senile gangrene, 1; embolism, thrombosis, 4; heart disease (undefined), 23 (18).

CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES—continued.

Sub-class 4. *Diseases of the respiratory system*, 49 (53).—Asthma, emphysema, 3; bronchitis, 11 (9); pneumonia, 30 (32); congestion of lungs, 1; pleurisy, 3; others, 1.

" 5. *Diseases of the digestive system*, 87 (126).—Quinsy, 1; diseases of stomach, 8 (3); enteritis, 61 (82); ulceration of intestines, 5; ileus, obstruction of intestine, 2; intussusception of intestine, 1; hernia, 1; peritonitis, 1 (7); cirrhosis of liver, 2 (6); other diseases of liver, 4; others, 1.

" 6. *Diseases of the lymphatic system and ductless glands*, 1 (1).—Diseases of spleen, 1.

" 7. *Diseases of the urinary system*, 25 (25).—Nephritis, 7 (7); Bright's disease, 7 (8); uræmia, 2; diseases of bladder and of prostate, 5; others, 4.

" 8. *Diseases of the organs of generation*, 3 (3).—Ovarian disease, 1; diseases of uterus and vagina, 2.

" 9. *Diseases of parturition*, 7 (5).—Miscarriage, 1; puerperal mania, 2; puerperal convulsions, 1; flooding, 1; other accidents of childbirth, 2.

" 10. *Diseases of the organs of locomotion*, 3 (4).—Arthritis, osteitis, 3.

" 11. *Diseases of the integumentary system*, 4 (nil).—Carbuncle, 1; cellulitis, 2; eczema, 1.

CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE, 18 (32).

Sub-class 1. *Accident or negligence*.—Fractures, contusions, 8; burn, 3; drowning, 1; suffocation, 1.

" 2. *Homicide*.—Manslaughter, 1.

" 3. *Suicide*.—Cut, 1; drowning, 1; hanging, 1.

" 4. *Execution*.—Hanging, 1.

CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES, 25 (25).

Dropsy, 1; debility, atrophy, inanition, 21; tumour, 1; not specified or ill-defined, 2.

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

In the month under review, as compared with the corresponding one of the previous year, deaths from zymotic diseases fell off by 49 or by nearly one-half, those from dietic diseases by 8, those from developmental diseases by 17, those from local diseases by 21, and those due to violence by 14; but those from constitutional diseases increased by 36. Under the class, zymotic diseases, deaths from influenza increased by 8; but whooping cough fell off by 20, diphtheria by 5, and typhoid or enteric fever by 15. Under the class, local diseases, deaths from diseases of the nervous system increased by 9, and those from diseases of the circulatory system by 7; whilst those from diseases of the digestive system fell off by 39. The increase of deaths from constitutional diseases is chiefly due to an increase of 14 in cancer and of 22 in phthisis.

The following is a statement of the deaths set down to diphtheria and typhoid fever in each month of the years 1890 to 1899, and the first three months of 1900, from which may be traced the rise and fall of the mortality at various periods of the year. It will be noticed that the mortality from typhoid fever usually attains its maximum in March, and is at a minimum from July to November. It will also be noticed that the mortality from both causes during the month was much below the average.

DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA AND TYPHOID FEVER IN EACH MONTH, 1890, TO MARCH, 1900.

Month	Deaths from Diphtheria.*											Deaths from Typhoid Fever.										
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.
January...	27	8	6	6	1	2	2	5	5	1	2	78	25	16	13	13	26	28	25	38	22	18
February...	48	10	13	1	5	8	1	6	17	4	3	73	32	23	19	22	30	27	21	34	25	10
March...	66	22	10	2	7	6	7	8	20	7	2	89	33	39	21	31	19	25	19	41	32	17
April...	60	15	6	3	5	5	11	18	13	2	...	63	39	28	21	24	20	30	15	36	29	...
May...	47	24	15	2	4	5	11	22	12	7	...	36	20	9	11	22	13	10	10	35	16	...
June...	55	18	15	1	6	2	6	28	12	6	...	20	11	12	17	6	3	6	7	9	9	...
July...	49	11	6	3	4	4	8	11	12	9	...	12	10	8	3	6	3	5	4	nil	1	...
August...	25	16	4	1	4	4	13	12	8	7	...	5	2	6	2	4	5	2	2	5	1	...
September...	30	16	7	9	5	2	11	14	7	3	...	3	6	1	2	4	2	1	nil	2	nil	...
October...	22	9	9	4	3	8	10	12	7	5	...	7	nil	5	nil	1	nil	nil	1	5	1	...
November...	23	13	6	nil	2	8	8	4	10	1	...	4	3	3	2	6	1	5	3	5	1	...
December...	18	10	3	3	5	3	5	11	5	4	...	13	17	4	9	16	20	10	14	12	6	...
Total...	470	172	100	35	51	57	93	151	128	56	...	403	192	154	120	155	142	149	121	222	143	...

* Inclusive of diphtheritic croup.

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 12th April, 1900.

JAMES J. FENTON,
Assistant Government Statist.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

	No. of Gazette.
Ballaarat—Thursday, 3rd May	33
Beelworth—Saturday, 21st April	29
Benalla—Tuesday, 8th May	*33, 36
Mansfield—Wednesday, 16th May	37
Melbourne—Tuesday, 24th April	29
Russhworth—Friday, 18th May	37
Stawell—Thursday, 10th May	36
Traralgon—Monday, 14th May	36

* Detailed particulars published in this number of Gazette.
Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Land Acts, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to revoke the temporary reservations of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:-

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 30 March, pursuant to Orders of 26 March, 1900.

TOWONG.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 13th September, 1886, of thirty-nine acres two roods of land in the parish of Towong, situate in section U, as a site for watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-Two acres twenty-four perches, more or less; Commencing at the south-west angle of the site; bounded thence by a line bearing S. 52° 33' E. one chain; thence by a line bearing N. 37° 30' E. to the Thowgla Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the east boundary of allotment 5A; and thence by that allotment bearing S. 37° 30' W. twenty-one chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(T.1344) (99.C.10779).

WANGARATTA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 20th December, 1869, of thirteen acres, more or less, of land in the town of Wangaratta, as a site for Sanitary purposes, is about to be revoked.—(W.68) (99.C.11501).

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 12 April, pursuant to Orders of 9 April, 1900.

CASTLEMAINE.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 23rd September, 1872, of one acre two roods of land in the municipal district of Castlemaire, being part of section 24, as a site for Public purposes, is about to be revoked.—(C.3) (99.C.10862).

FRANKLIN AND WOMBAT.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 26th April, 1875, of certain Crown lands in the parishes of Holcombe, Wombat, and Franklin, as a site for Supply of Firewood, is about to be revoked, so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-One hundred and fifty acres, more or less, parishes of Franklin and Wombat, being the portion lying between the east boundary of the township of Hepburn and a line running south from the south-east angle of allotment 4 of section 1, parish of Franklin.—F.77(2) W.179(7) (99.C.10309).

GLENLYON.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 9th March, 1886, of two acres two roods three perches and a half of land in the town of Glenlyon, as a site for Watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-One acre three roods twenty-six perches: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 10 of section 40; bounded thence by that allotment bearing east five chains sixty-eight links; thence by the Water Supply Reserve bearing north four chains seven links; thence by Dysart-street bearing S. 74° 28' W. three chains ninety-seven links and west one chain eighty-six links; and thence by a line bearing south three chains one link to the point of commencement.—(G.836) (99.C.8392).

MACORNA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 3rd November, 1879, of one thousand one hundred and fifty acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Macorna, as a site for Supply of Timber, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-Thirty-two acres one rood twenty-two perches: Commencing at a point bearing S. 8° 0' W. thirty-five chains from the north-west angle of allotment C of section C; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 81° 51' W. ten chains seventy-one links, S. 49° 1' W. fifteen chains ten links, S. 53° 55' E. fourteen chains fifty-two links, S. 82° 0' W. five chains seventy-three links, and S. 81° 51' E. seven chains eighty-eight links; and thence by allotment C aforesaid bearing N. 8° 9' E. twenty-four chains seventeen links to the point of commencement.—(M.491) (60.11.20723).

SHEPPARTON.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 25th November, 1884, of one acre three roods eight perches of land in the town of Shepparton, being allotments 1, 1A, 2, and 2A, of section 20, as a site for the use of the Goulburn District Rural Industries and Horticultural Association, is about to be revoked.—(S.283(ii)) (99.C.11771).

SWANWATER.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 23rd January, 1890, of one hundred and two acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Swanwater, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-Five acres three roods thirty-nine perches and four-tenths, being allotments 2 and 3 of section 10; Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 2; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 89° 50' W. seven chains fifty links, S. 0° 10' W. nine chains forty-five links and a half, N. 61° 1' E. three chains sixty-four links and a half, N. 86° 5' E. four chains eighty-one links and a half, N. 32° 30' W. ninety links, and N. 0° 10' E. six chains fifty-eight links to the point of commencement.—(S.367(9)) (98.C.7268).

WERRAP.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 26th April, 1897, of nine hundred and five acres two roods thirty-nine perches of land in the parish of Werrap, being mallee allotment 22, and part of mallee allotment 23, as a site for Timber and Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:-Eighty-three acres three roods twenty perches: Commencing at the north-east angle of the site; bounded thence by a road bearing south thirty-seven chains forty links; thence by a line bearing west twenty-one chains eleven links; thence by the west side of the Railway reserve bearing northerly to the south boundary of mallee allotment 8; and thence by that allotment bearing east twenty-two chains twenty-nine links to the point of commencement.—(M.514v) (99.C.3857).

WOMBAT STATE FOREST.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 27th November, 1899, of twenty-one thousand eight hundred acres, more or less, of land as an addition to the Reserve for the growth and preservation of Timber, known as the Wombat State Forest, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Nineteen acres two roods two perches, county of Bourke, parish of Macedon, being allotment 6 of section D.—(M. 34x) (99.N.16718).

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC PARK AND RECREATION PURPOSES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MORNINGTON, KNOWN AS THE "MORNINGTON PARK," AND OF SUCH PORTION OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF MOOROODUC AS IS KNOWN AS THE "ROYAL PARK."

THE Council of the Shire of Mornington, the duly appointed Committee of Management of the Reserve for Public Park and Recreation purposes in the Township of Mornington, known as the "Mornington Park," and of such portion of the Reserve for Public Purposes in the Parish of Moorooduc as is known as the "Royal Park," having framed the following Regulations for the care, protection, and management thereof, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, and other charges for entering therein or thereupon, submit the said Regulations to the Board of Land and Works to be made by such Board in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 136 of the *Land Act 1890* :—

REGULATIONS.

1. The park shall be open to the public free of charge from sunrise to sunset, except as hereinafter provided.
2. No person shall enter or remain in the parks who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.
3. No person shall damage in any way the trees, shrubs, seats, gates, fences, or buildings, in the parks.
4. No person shall climb or jump over the fences or gates, stick bills thereon, or cut names, letters, or figures on any of the buildings, fences, gates, seats, or trees in the parks, or throw stones or deposit any glass or rubbish therein, or remove any sand or loam therefrom.
5. No person shall place in the parks any horses, cattle, sheep, or other animals, or light any fires therein, without the written permission of the Council.
6. No dogs shall be allowed into the parks on such days as fees for admission thereto are charged, as hereinafter provided.
7. No person shall erect any dwelling, booth, or other structure, or offer for sale in the parks any fruit, refreshments, goods, or articles of any description, without first obtaining the written permission of the Council.
8. No person shall engage in any game or sport or in dancing in the parks or use the bicycle track therein on Sundays.
9. No person shall carry on the trade, business, calling, or occupation of a bookmaker in the parks without first obtaining the permission in writing of the Council, but such trade, business, calling, or occupation shall not be conducted in or on any of the buildings therein, or in or on the space between the buildings and the chain fence adjacent thereto.
10. Every person hiring or erecting in the parks any booth, tent, table, or other structure for the purpose of offering for sale any article, or for the purpose of any game or amusement shall pay such fee as the Council may fix from time to time.
11. No person shall enter the parks on any day set apart for sports or fêtes, nor bring therein any horse, carriage, or other vehicle except on production of a ticket issued by the Council duly authorizing the admission of such person, horse, carriage, or other vehicle; but no such ticket of admission shall be of any avail except on the date for which it was issued, nor shall it authorize the holder thereof to enter any building, erection, or enclosure or cultivated spot within the parks, and every such ticket shall be surrendered on demand to the gate-keeper or other person authorized by the Council to collect the tickets.
12. Any person being drunk or disorderly or assaulting any other person shall be liable to be removed from the parks, notwithstanding such person may have purchased a ticket of admission thereto.
13. All net proceeds of sports or fêtes other than those held for the benefit of the public charitable institutions shall be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the parks.
14. The maximum scale of fees for admission to the parks on such days (not exceeding twelve in any one year) as the parks may be set apart for fêtes or other sports shall be as follows :—

	s. d.
For the admission of every adult	1 0
For the admission of every saddle horse, exclusive of rider	1 0
For the admission of every carriage, cart, or other vehicle drawn by one horse	2 0
For the admission of every additional horse	0 6

Every person offending against these Regulations shall, in accordance with section 136 of the *Land Act 1890*, on conviction before any justice, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence, and every person who knowingly and wilfully offends against any such Regulations, and who, after he has been warned by any bailiff of Crown lands or any constable, does not desist from so offending, may be forthwith apprehended

by such bailiff or constable, and taken before some justice of the peace, and shall on conviction forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds.

Dated at Mornington this 5th August, 1899,

(SEAL) ROBT. NUNN, President.
HENRY E. MOORS, Shire Secretary.

The Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Land Act 1890*, section 136, doth hereby make the foregoing Regulations in respect of the Reserve for Public Park and Recreation purposes in the Township of Mornington, known as the "Mornington Park," and of such portion of the Reserve for Public purposes in the Parish of Moorooduc as is known as the "Royal Park."

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 12th day of April, 1900, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. C.11964.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF KOO-WEE-RUP EAST.

WHEREAS by section 111 of the *Land Act 1898* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1890*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint George James Archer, George David Leithhead, and Stephen Cox Middenway to be members of the Committee of Management of the land temporarily reserved by Order of 4th July, 1899, as a site for Public Recreation in the parish of Koo-wee-rup East, in the room of George Archer, George Leithhead, and Stephen Middenway.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 12th day of April, 1900, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. C.12023.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR QUARRY AND WATERING PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF CLUNES.

WHEREAS by section 111 of the *Land Act 1898* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved either temporarily or permanently for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1890*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint the Council of the Borough of Clunes to be a Committee of Management of the land temporarily reserved by Order of 27th February, 1900, as a site for Quarry and Watering purposes in the parish of Clunes.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 12th day of April, 1900, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.11122.)

ELLESMERE AND AXEDALE STATE FOREST DIMINISHED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation under the Hand of the Governor of Victoria and the Seal of the Colony, made in pursuance of *The Land Act 1869*, and bearing date the 4th day of May, 1874, a Reserve made for the Preservation and Growth of Timber, and comprising an area of eighteen thousand acres, more or less, was proclaimed under the designation of "Ellesmere and Axedale State Forest: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part the said Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation so far only as it relates to the portion of land hereunder described, viz.:—

Thirty-eight acres twenty-three perches, county of Bendigo, parish of Ellesmere, being the portion situate between allotments 98c and 101, and north of allotment 103.—(E.97(2) (99.F.22116.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) JOHN MADDEN.
By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Settlement on Lands Act 1893.***HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATIONS.—PROCLAMATIONS
PARTLY REVOKED.****PROCLAMATION**

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* (57 Vict. No. 1311) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time set apart and appropriate for occupation by the members of associations or societies under the said Part of the said Act blocks of any land not alienated from the Crown and not being auriferous lands or lands permanently reserved for any purpose whatsoever, provided that such blocks of land shall not include any malice block or allotment except such as may have been or may hereafter be purchased by the Crown in accordance with the conditions of the *Land Act 1890*; and that, except as to so much of any block as may be occupied or leased under the said Part of the said Act, no Proclamation setting apart a block for a society shall remain in force for longer than three years or for an association for longer than six months after in each case the survey and subdivision of such block; and that at the expiration of such three years or six months (as the case may be) all land in any block which is not occupied or leased under Part II. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* aforesaid shall be deemed and taken to be unoccupied Crown land: And whereas by certain Proclamations as hereunder set forth, made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Part of the said *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, certain lands respectively described in such Proclamations were set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of associations or societies under the said Part of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part each of such Proclamations: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby order as follows, viz.:

MACEDON, NEWHAM, AND WOODEND.—The Proclamation bearing date the 26th September, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the parishes of Macedon, Newham, and Woodend, and comprising an area of six thousand three hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of homestead associations or societies, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty acres, county of Bourke, parish of Macedon, being allotment 21 of section C.—(90.V.21471.)

MONBULK.—The Proclamation bearing date the 30th January, 1894, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Monbulk, and comprising an area of three thousand acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for occupation by the members of homestead associations or societies, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Nineteen acres twenty-two perches, county of Evelyn, parish of Monbulk, being allotments 36 and 37 of section E.—(90.V.10740.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **JOHN MADDEN.**
By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Marine Act 1890.***PORTS IN VICTORIA.—ADDITIONAL REGULATION.****PROCLAMATION**

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part II. of the *Marine Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1165) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, may from time to time define the limits and boundaries of ports in Victoria, and frame rules and regulations for the governance and preservation of the said ports respectively, and for the regulation of shipping in the same, and also for the due protection and preservation and the good government and management of all public wharfs, and may appoint officers to carry out and enforce such rules and regulations; but that no rules or regulations made as aforesaid respecting any public wharf shall have any force or validity to repeal or affect any by-law passed by the corporation of the city of Melbourne or of the town of Geelong or by the council of any borough, district, or shire for preventing obstruction and encumbrances in and upon any wharf within the limits of such city, town, borough, district, or shire; and that any such limits, boundaries, rules, and regulations may from time to time be in like manner altered, amended, or repealed, and others substituted in their stead: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby make the following Additional Regulation for Ports in Victoria, that is to say:—

PORT OF PORT PHILLIP.*Submarine Mining in the vicinity of Swanspit Buoy Light.*

For the purpose of permitting practice in submarine mining, vessels shall not, on and from the 26th day of March, until and including the 23rd day of April, 1900, be navigated or anchored

in the waters to the northward and westward of the Swanspit Buoy light, within an area bounded by a supposed line running south-easterly from Swan Beacon to Swanspit Buoy light; thence northerly to small Black Can Buoy moored east by north five cables from the north-east end of Swan Island; thence westerly to the outer pile which marks the entrance of the channel leading to Swan Island jetty; thence due south to Swan Point; and from thence southerly along the shore to the starting point.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **JOHN MADDEN.**

By His Excellency's Command,
C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

TIMBER RESERVE DIMINISHED.**PROCLAMATION**

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation under the Hand of the Governor of Victoria and the Seal of the Colony, made in pursuance of *The Land Act 1869*, and bearing date the 30th day of May, 1882, a Reserve made for the Preservation and Growth of Timber, situate in the parishes of Callignee and Jeeralang, and comprising an area of five thousand six hundred acres, more or less, was amongst others proclaimed: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part the said Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation so far only as it relates to the portion of land hereunder described, viz.:—

CALLIGNEE AND JEERALANG TIMBER RESERVE.—The Proclamation bearing date the 30th May, 1882, by which certain reserves made for the preservation and growth of timber were proclaimed—Fifty-five acres, more or less, county of Buln Buln, parish of Callignee, being the portions comprised in allotments 6, 20, and 21 of section C.—(C.433) (90.C.11556).

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) **JOHN MADDEN.**
By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
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*Settlement on Lands Act 1893.***VILLAGE COMMUNITIES.—PROCLAMATIONS
PARTLY REVOKED.****PROCLAMATION**

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part I. of the *Settlement on Lands Act 1893* (57 Vict. No. 1311) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time set apart and appropriate for the purposes of "village community allotments" any land not alienated from the Crown and not being auriferous lands or lands permanently reserved for any purpose whatsoever, provided that such land shall not include any malice block or allotment except such as may have been or may hereafter be purchased by the Crown in accordance with the conditions of the *Land Act 1890*, and may at any time revoke any such Proclamation: And whereas by certain Proclamations as hereunder set forth, made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Part of the said *Settlement on Lands Act 1893*, certain lands respectively described in such Proclamations were set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments under the said Part of the said Act: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part each of such Proclamations: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby order as follows, viz.:—

KOO-WEERUP EAST.—The Proclamation bearing date the 16th September, 1895, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Koo-weerup East, and comprising an area of nine thousand one hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Two thousand and twenty-eight acres two roods twenty-seven perches, county of Mornington, parish of Koo-weerup East, being allotments 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 37, 40, 41, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 55a, 56, 57, and 58 of section D, allotments 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, and 17 of section E, allotments 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 of section

M, allotments 1, 9, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 of section N, allotments 61, 62, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, and 187 of section O, and allotments 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, and 64 of section P.—(00.V.22115.)

MACEDON, NEWHAM AND WOODEND.—The Proclamation bearing date the 26th September, 1893, by which certain lands situate in the parishes of Macedon, Newham and Woodend, and comprising an area of six thousand three hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments is hereby revoked, so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty acres, county of Bourke, parish of Macedon, being allotment 21 of section C.—(00.V.21471.)

MONBULK.—The Proclamation bearing date the 30th January 1894, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Monbulk, and comprising an area of three thousand acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Nineteen acres twenty-two perches, county of Evelyn, parish of Monbulk, being allotments 36 and 37 of section B.—(00.V.16740.)

YALLOCK.—The Proclamation bearing date the 16th September, 1895, by which certain lands situate in the parish of Yallock, and comprising an area of two thousand five hundred acres, more or less, were, amongst others, set apart and appropriated for the purposes of village community allotments, is hereby revoked so far only as it relates to the portion of the said lands hereinafter described, viz.:—Eighty acres, county of Mornington, parish of Yallock, being allotments 106, 107, 108, and 109.—(00.V.21215.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) JOHN MADDEN.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
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TEMPORARY MANAGEMENT OF A WATER RESERVE.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the *Water Act 1890* it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time, by Proclamation, place under the temporary management and control of, or may absolutely vest in, any Waterworks Trust any public water reserve or any waterworks, stream, or reservoir, either on any Crown lands, or begun, constructed, or provided for by any moneys provided by Parliament before or after the passing of the said Act: Provided, however, that notice of intention to make such Proclamation shall be advertised, for a period of at least one month previously to the making thereof, in the *Government Gazette* and in some newspaper generally circulating in the neighbourhood of the property to be vested by such Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, in exercise of the power conferred by the said Act (notice of intention having been duly advertised), do hereby place under the temporary management and control of the Hamilton Waterworks Trust the Water Reserve herein described, that is to say:—

NORTH HAMILTON.—Five hundred and forty-six acres three rods two perches, county of Dundas, parish of North Hamilton, being the land permanently reserved by Order of the 3rd September, 1883, as a site for Park and Gathering Ground for Water Supply purposes, and described in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th September, 1883, page 2039.—(99.C.11015.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) JOHN MADDEN.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
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Chinese Act 1890.

EXEMPTIONS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part I. of the *Chinese Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1073) it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, to exempt any person or class of persons from the provisions of the said Part of the said Act, and to declare that such provisions shall not at any time, or for any specified period, apply to the person or class of persons mentioned in such Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do by this Proclamation exempt the Chinese named in the Schedule hereto subjoined from the provisions of Part I. of the *Chinese Act 1890* aforesaid, for the periods specified opposite their respective names in the said Schedule, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Period for which exempt.
Ah Bow	Moonee Ponds	Gardener	Three years from the 9th April, 1900
Ah Cheong	Glass-street, Essendon	Gardener	
Ah Goon	Glass-street, Essendon	Gardener	
Ah Hay	Hawthorn	Gardener	
Ah Howe	Brunswick	Gardener	
Ah Leung	Tarrawingee	Vineyard labourer	Six months from the 9th April, 1900
Ah Loney	Eaglehawk	Gardener	
Ah Shing	220 J. Bourke-street, Melbourne	Tea salesman	
Ah Tem	Creswick-street, Hawthorn	Gardener	
Ah Toon	Wunghnu	Gardener	
Ah Weng	Cotham-road, Kew	Gardener	Three years from the 9th April, 1900
Ah Yen	(late of Melbourne) ... ..	...
Charlie Ah Hing	Benalla	Cook	
Chin Darg	Merri Creek, East Brunswick	Gardener	
Chin Joe	Merri Creek, East Brunswick	Gardener	
Chin Loon	Balwyn	Gardener	Six months from the 9th April, 1900
Chin Tong	Merri Creek, East Brunswick	Gardener	
Chun Ah Won	(late of Melbourne)	French polisher	
Eh Cheong	East Brighton	Gardener	
Hing Lee	Wellington-street, Kew	Gardener	
L. Ah Yen	(late of Geelong)	Gardener	Three years from the 9th April, 1900
Lew Ah Tung	(late of Ballarat East)	Gardener	
Loney Ah Cheong	Brighton	Gardener	
Pang John Kee	59 Nicholson-street, Carlton	Laundryman	
Shie Shing	443 Swanston-street, Melbourne	Laundryman	
Poon Woo	189 L. Bourke-street, Melbourne	Banana merchant	One year from the 1st February, 1900
Tye Ho	288 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne	Cabinetmaker	
Wong Ah Sueo	Essendon	Gardener	

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

JOHN MADDEN.
By His Excellency's Command,
C. CARTY SALMON,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

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Land Acts.

AREAS OF LANDS INCREASED AND DIMINISHED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir John Madden, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the Land Acts it is amongst other things enacted that, subject to the provisions of the *Land Act 1898*, the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, at any time increase or diminish the area of land comprised in any of the classes mentioned in Part I., Division 1, section 9, of the said *Land Act 1898*, but that the area of lands which may be sold by auction (class 6) shall not be increased: And whereas by the said Acts it is further enacted that where any portion of Crown lands not exceeding fifty acres, and not contiguous or adjacent to any other Crown lands, is so situated as to make it desirable, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, that the same should be sold, or where any portion of Crown lands not exceeding three acres is required for a site for a church or for any charitable purpose for which land cannot legally be reserved, the Governor in Council may direct the sale of such portion of Crown lands, and for such purpose may increase the area of lands which may be sold by auction (class 6 aforesaid) by adding such portion thereto: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby increase or diminish (as the case may be) the areas of Crown lands comprised in classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, and 8 respectively of the classes mentioned in section 9 of the *Land Act 1898* aforesaid to the extent set forth in the subjoined Schedules respectively (that is to say):—

The Schedules referred to :

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 1 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 2 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION).

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
			Acres.			
Buln Buln ¹ ...	Fumina ...	67 84	43 37	1 1	2 2	Formerly in the Village Settlement area

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 2 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 1 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION).

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
			Acres.			
Buln Buln ¹ ...	Fumina ...	...	1,700	2	1	The unsurveyed land adjoining allotments 74 to 81 inclusive

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 2 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 3 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION).

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
			Acres.			
Anglesey ...	Brankeet ...	49c	217	2	3	Held under section 32 by James Shaw, jun.
Anglesey ...	Gobur ...	A	69	2	3	Held under section 32 by Phillip Ryan
Delatite ...	Dueran ...	118B	400	2	3	Held under section 32 by Henry Perkins
Delatite ¹ ...	Dueran ...	Pt. 100	80	2	3	Portion of forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Denis McCauley
Delatite ¹ ...	Moorngag...	Pt. 145 and 146	854	2	3	Portions of J. and B. McInerney's forfeited 32nd section leaseholds
Delatite ¹ ...	Moorngag...	Pt. 143 and 144	610	2	3	Portion of G. B. Gilbert's forfeited 32nd section leasehold
Delatite ...	Toombullup ...	63B	433	2	3	Held under section 32 by Jeremiah Egan
Delatite ...	Toombullup ...	63A	427	2	3	Held under section 32 by Jeremiah Egan
Delatite ...	Lurg ...	64 and 64A	342	2	3	Held under section 32 by Charles Westman
Delatite ...	Strathbogie ...	35, 37, and 38	812	2	3	Held under section 32 by Godfrey Anker
Delatite ...	Tatong ...	122	198	2	3	Held under section 32 by Margaret Brennan
Delatite ...	Balmattum ...	20B, section A	183	2	3	Held under section 32 by James Crosbie
Delatite ...	Winton ...	123	204	2	3	Held under section 32 by John Bower
Delatite ...	Winton ...	114	158	2	3	Held under section 32 by Patrick Fitzpatrick
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	108	637	2	3	Held under section 32 by John Rees
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	12A, 12C, and 23	592	2	3	Held under section 32 by Robert Beattie
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	109	740	2	3	Held under section 32 by John Vallender
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	11B and 24	584	2	3	Held under section 32 by Mark R. Corker
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	25	593	2	3	Held under section 32 by Joseph Corker
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	Pt. 112	350	2	3	Portion of Robert J. Curry's 32nd section leasehold
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	16A and 16B	282	2	3	Held under section 32 by James Tanner
Delatite ...	Myrrhee ...	110	980	2	3	Held under section 32 by John A. Osborne

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 2 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 3 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION)—continued.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
Moirā ...	Mokoan ...	51B	Acres. 211	2	3	Held under section 32 by James Goudie, jun.
Bogong ...	Eldorado ...	20	777	2	3	Held under section 32 by Ellen Canny
Bogong ...	Wodonga ...	28	350	2	3	Held under section 32 by Anton Trudewind
Bogong ...	Byawatha ...	48	609	2	3	Held under section 32 by Robert Allen
Bogong ...	Byawatha ...	40	723	2	3	Held under section 32 by late James Allen
Bogong ...	Baranduda ...	47	404	2	3	Held under section 32 by Evan M. Williams
Lowan ...	Yarrook ...	B ¹	140	2	3	Held under section 32 by Robert G. Tree
Lowan ...	Yarrook ...	12	161	2	3	Held under section 32 by Mary C. Arthur
Lowan ...	Yarrook ...	A ¹	294	2	3	Held under section 32 by William F. King
Lowan ...	Yarrook ...	C ¹	276	2	3	Held under section 32 by Mary C. Arthur
Normanby ¹ ...	Winyayung ...	35, 37, and 51A	757	2	3	
Dalhousie ...	Langwornor ...	53A	112	2	3	Held under section 32 by Samuel Campbell
Gladstone ...	Salisbury West ...	50A	341	2	3	Held under section 32 by Jane Irving
Gladstone ...	Korong ...	63B	237	2	3	Held under section 32 by Joshua R. Gray, jun.

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 3 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 2 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION).

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
Rodney ...	Redcastle ...	34	Acres. 248	3	2	Held under section 32 by Emma Pook (now Johnson)
Rodney ...	Cornella ...	85B	87	3	2	Held under section 32 by Robert Butler
Mornington ¹ ...	Bunyip ...	64	318	3	2	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of William Ritchie

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 4 DIMINISHED, AND CLASS 3 INCREASED (ALTERATION OF CLASSIFICATION).

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Transferred.		Description.
				From Class.	To Class.	
Dundas ¹ ...	Lambruk ...	23	Acres. 893	4	3	Held under section 123 by A. Ferguson
Dundas ¹ ...	Panyyabyr ...	1	742	4	3	Held under section 123 by W. Crawford
Dundas ¹ ...	Bullawin ...	{ 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 }	3,617	4	3	Held under section 123 by Donald McPherson
Follett ¹ ...	Bergholm ...	89	679	4	3	Held under section 123 by John McPhee, jun.

AREAS OF LANDS COMPRISED IN CLASSES 1, 2, AND 3 INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Description.
Delatite ¹ ...	Dueran ...	Pt. 100	A. R. P. 495 0 0	Third ...	Portion of Denis McCauley's forfeited 32nd section leasehold
Tatchera ...	Tyntynder ...	40	192 0 0	First ...	Recommended under section 42 to Thomas Lowrie
Gunbower ...	Kerang ...	16B	11 0 0	Second	Held under section 32 by Benjamin Roberts
Gunbower ...	Gunbower ...	31, sec. 7	41 1 3	First ...	Recommended under section 42 to Kezia C. Rendell
Talbot ¹ ...	Walmer ...	{ 3 and 4, sec. 2A 1, sec. 1A }	75 0 0 40 0 0	{ Third	
Kara Kara ...	Avoca ...	13, sec. V.A	45 0 0	Second	Held under section 32 by Patrick Daly
Kara Kara ...	Moyreisk ...	20, sec. 1	372 0 0	Third ..	Held under section 32 by J. Gaylard
Borong ¹ ...	Carron ...	54	141 0 0	Second	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Michael Lynch
Borong ¹ ...	Concongella South ...	26, sec. 3	39 0 0	Second	Formerly licensed under section 65 to John and Amelia F. Bowtell
Rodney ...	Knowsley East ...	35D	8 0 0	Second	Held under section 32 by John A. Hunter
Bendigo ¹ ...	Mandurang ...	3 and 4, sec. XI.	92 0 0	Third ...	Formerly held under section 123 by J. Blossett

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AREAS OF LANDS COMPRISED IN CLASSES 1, 2, AND 3 INCREASED—continued.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Description.
			A. R. P.		
Anglesey ¹ ...	Kobyboyn ...	41A, sec. D	137 0 0	Third ...	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Hugh Chisholm
Anglesey ¹ ...	Kobyboyn ...	20A and 20B	476 0 0	Third ...	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of R. F. Fitzgerald
Grenville ^{1 2} ...	Yarrowee ...	27A	6 0 0	Second	Forfeited 65th section holding of Wm. Barrett
Croajingolong ¹ ...	Cabansendra ...	9c	103 3 36	Third ...	Forfeited 20th section holding of Thos. T. Morris
Bulu Bulu ¹ ...	Neerim ...	103K	20 0 0	Second	
Bulu Bulu ¹ ...	Fumina ...	69	50 0 0	First ...	Formerly in the Village Settlement area
Bulu Bulu ¹ ...	Fumina ...	74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81	367 0 0	First ...	Formerly in the Village Settlement area
Evelyn ¹ ...	Queentown ...	48, sec. B	19 0 0	Second	Formerly held under section 65 by Annie Holburt
Evelyn ¹ ...	Nangana ...	60B, 60C, 60D	223 0 0	Second	Forfeited 42nd section holding of Robert Jones
Evelyn ¹ ...	Monbulk ...	79	10 0 0	First ...	Portion of R. J. Couper's forfeited 42nd section holding
Mornington ¹ ...	Wannaeue ...	25A, sec. A	17 0 0	Second	Formerly recommended to John Wooster
Bourke ¹ ...	Wallan Wallan ...	9, sec. E	19 1 28	Second	Formerly in the Village Settlement area
Bourke ¹ ...	Wallan Wallan ...	12, sec. E	20 0 0	Second	Formerly in the Village Settlement area
Bourke ¹ ...	Wallan Wallan	7 10 11 50	53 0 28 50 3 9 49 2 26 98 0 0	} Second	{ Formerly in the Village Settlement area
Follett ...	Wilkin ...	50	98 0 0		
Follett ...	Mageppa ...	73	248 0 0	Third ...	Portion of C. Raggatt's 32nd section leasehold
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	78	448 0 0	Third ...	Portion of Marion McPhée's 32nd section leasehold
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	56	252 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by J. McCombe
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	39	464 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Wm. McCombe, jun.
Normanby ¹ ...	Bessiebelle ...	88	643 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Mary Walters
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	27	410 0 0	Third ...	Forfeited 32nd section leasehold of Mary Purcell
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	37	347 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Thomas O'Connor
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	9 and 23	447 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Catherine Walters
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	94	597 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Thomas Sharrock
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	19c	201 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Finlay McInnes
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	93	581 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Ellen Sharrock
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	60	974 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Chas. McInnes
Normanby ...	Bessiebelle ...	46	579 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Henry Taylor
Normanby ...	Tahara ...	1, sec. 25	20 0 0	Second	Held under section 32 by J. McK. Nicolson
Normanby ...	Killara ...	B	45 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by Alice Young
Normanby ...	Homerton ...	15c	100 0 0	Third ...	Held under section 32 by John Futerlial
					Hinkley

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 6 (LANDS WHICH MAY BE SOLD BY AUCTION) INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		A. R. P.	
Anglesey ...	Yarek ...	0 2 0	Allotment 51E
Mornington ...	Jeetho ...	17 1 0	Allotment 7

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 6 (LANDS WHICH MAY BE SOLD BY AUCTION) DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		Acres.	
Mornington ...	Wannaeue ...	17	Allotment 25A, section A
Bendigo ...	Mandurang ...	92	Allotments 3 and 4, section XI.

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 7 (ACRIFEROUS LANDS) INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		Acres.	
Anglesey ¹ ...	Yarek ...	20	Forfeited 65th section holding of Wm. F. Ferguson
Anglesey ¹ ...	Yarek ...	14	Forfeited 65th section holding of Mary Ferguson
Anglesey ¹ ...	Yarek ...	20	Forfeited 65th section holding of Margaret Ferguson

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN-CLASS 7 (AURIFEROUS LANDS) DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		Acres.	
Talbot	Walmur	75	Now allotments 3 and 4, section 2A
Talbot	Walmur	40	Now allotment 1, section 1A
Grenville	Yarrowee	6	Now allotment 27A
Evelyn	Queenstown	19	Now allotment 48, section B
Borong	Concongella South	39	Now allotment 26, section 3

AREA OF LAND COMPRISED IN CLASS 8 (STATE FOREST RESERVES) DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		A. R. P.	
Bourke	Wallan Wallan	{ 53 0 28 50 3 9 49 2 26	Allotment 7 Allotment 10 Allotment 11

¹ All applications must be lodged with the Land Officer for the district in which the land is situated, and such applications so lodged before or on the 4th May, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made. *Note.*—Incoming selector to pay value of improvements (if any) on these blocks.

² Subject to special condition (*Land Act 1893*, section 89).

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

JOHN MADDEN.

By His Excellency's Command,

J. H. McCOLL,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Land Acts.

LICENCES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1869 AND 1890 REVOKED OR DECLARED VOID.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated—	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
					A. R. P.			
Licence under <i>The Land Act 1869</i> .								
Ballaarat ...	2834	Charles W. Toy ...	47	Ballaarat ...	0 2 33	...	Void; land sold	Ballaarat
Licences under the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .								
Beechworth	2511	James Long ...	99	Wodonga ...	1 0 0	...	Land sold	Wodonga
Castlemaine	2321	Elizabeth George ...	99	Guildford ...	1 2 2	...	Expired	Castlemaine
"	2726	Thomas Orr ...	99	Bullarto ...	2 3 38	...	Expired	Daylesford
Geelong	66	John Bateman ...	42	Waarre ...	180 0 0	...	Expired	Camperdown
Melbourne	726	John A. Grant ...	42	Narracan South	106 0 0	...	Void; land sold	Warragul

NOTE.—BENALLA DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted 11th November, 1898, p. 3983, re licence 112/99, Charles Akertrom, 20 perches, parish of Burramine, is hereby cancelled.

Settlement on *Lands Act 1893*, Sections 5-10.

LEASES UNDER SECTIONS 5-10 OF THE SETTLEMENT ON LANDS ACT 1893 REVOKED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Leases have been revoked.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Corr. No.	Name.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Situation.	Pay Office.
				Acres.		
6170/5-10	Walter C. Mackey ...	1 and 2	D	19	Newham ...	Kyneton
1461/5-10	William Kenevan ...	128	...	8	Rosedale ...	Rosedale
1885/5-10	Samuel Sugden ...	9	8	20	Mirboo ...	Warragul
493/5-10	William Luttich ...	Portion 3 of 49	...	20	Mardan ...	"

NOTES.

Re notice in *Gazette*, 6th April, 1900, p. 1232, Samuel Marshall, Mardan, 533/5-10, for "Portions allotment 49," read "Portion 5 of allotment 49."

Re notice in *Gazette* of 6th April, 1900, p. 1232, George Petrie Murdoch the elder, 6126/5-10. Permit issued in name of Geo. P. Murdoch (payable at Melbourne).

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Land Act 1890, Sections 2 and 42.

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 April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District.	Corr. No.	Name.	Parish.	Block.	Area.	Reason.
					Acres.	
Omeo ...	1917	M. Walteson ...	Bindi ...	18, 19, & 40	980	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	1235	Alexander McCoy ...	Tongio Munjic East	93	607	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	1231	James McCoy ...	" ...	82	608	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	1807	Angus Shaw ...	Budgee Budgee	30	655	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	828	Eliza R. Hamilton	Numbie Munjic	10	665	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	837	James I. Hamilton	" ...	71 and 36	985	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	826	Wm. R. Hamilton ...	" ...	3	401	To issue lease under section 29
Beechworth ...	503	Thomas Devaney ...	Yackandandah	222	381	To issue lease under section 29
Benalla ...	365	David Callanan ...	Strathmerton ...	A, sec. C	79	To issue licence under section 42
" ...	459	James Dennis ...	Rothsay ...	58	33	To issue licence under section 42
" ...	2494	James Dennis ...	" ...	24	91	To issue licence under section 42
" ...	1964	William Webb ...	Goomalibee ...	91A	76	To issue licence under section 42
Beechworth ...	3150	Thomas Molloy ...	Beechworth ...	62	272	To issue licence under section 49
Benalla ...	2712	E. Goulding ...	Lurg ...	26	404	To issue licence under section 59
" ...	3521	Caroline Rhodes (née Payne)	Killawarra ...	27A	203	To issue licence under section 59
St. Arnaud ...	2705	Achilles Gray ...	Korong ...	83	354	To issue licence under section 59
Meluca ...	1285	Margaret McDonald	Boort ...	41A, sec. D	130	To issue licence under section 42
St. Arnaud ...	1926	Martin Walsh ...	Kalpienung ...	23	57	To issue licence under section 42
Omeo ...	1240	Margaret McCoy ...	Tongio Munjic East	88	654	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	821	William R. Hamilton	Numbie Munjic	72	507	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	693	John Gill ...	Beloka ...	26	663	To issue lease under section 29
" ...	1642	Alexander Roth ...	Mellick Munjic	7	1,000	To issue lease under section 29

Land Acts.

TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following applications for transfer of licences under the 65th and 99th 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.

Number of Licence.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Held under Section	Date of Licence.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
			A. R. P.				£ s. d.		
1918/99	T. H. Tilley, jun.	Agnes Wheeler	2 2 0	Toolamba West	99	1.1.1900	1 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 10.4.1900	Shepparton
1911/99	R. J. Tilley ...	Jas. Henry Wheeler	2 2 0	" ...	99	"	1 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 10.4.1900	"
1819/65	Elizabeth Richards	John Hocking ...	20 0 0	Freeburgh	65	1.2.95	1 0 0	10s., Bright, 27.11.99	Bright
1902/65	Robt. Burns Thompson	Thomas Alfred Lewin	20 0 0	Myrtleford	65	1.4.91	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 30.3.1900	"
State Forests.									
56	A. G. Buller ...	Landehr and Co.	3 0 0	Warburton	99	1.1.1900	16 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 6.4.1900	Melbourne
616	A. J. Hogan ...	H. Pitts and Co.	3 0 0	Cobboboonnee	99	"	10 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 18.4.1900	"

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Acts.

TRANSFER OF A LEASEHOLD.

THE Board of Land and Works has sanctioned the undermentioned Application to transfer a Leasehold under Section 32 of the *Land Act 1884*.

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*.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Number of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Date of Lease.	Lease's Term.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
			A. R. P.				£ s. d.		
1951	Geo. Whiting (administrator of late Geo. Whiting, jun.)	Ada Whiting ...	795 0 0	Glendale	1.7.86	12½ years less 3 days	6 12 6	£1, Melbourne, 11.1.1900	Alexandra

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUE OF CROWN GRANTS.

Corr No.	Name.	Area.	Parish.	Date of Payment.	Amount Collected.				Paid to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Balance.	Grant Fee.	Assurance Fee.	Total Amount.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 20 of <i>The Land Act 1869</i> as amended by <i>The Land Act 1878</i> .									
2836	P. Smart	320 0 0	Strathbogie	3.4.1900	8 0 0	1 11 6	0 18 4	10 4 10	Euroa 3/476
13126	T. Ellis	300 0 0	Marraweeny	26.3.1900	15 0 0	1 6 0	0 12 6	16 18 6	" 8/179
14894	W. G. Down	320 0 0	Upotipotpon	3.4.1900	8 0 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	10 4 10	Benalla 6/148
14882	J. Jackson	200 0 0	Naringaningalook	"	5 0 0	1 6 0	0 8 4	6 14 4	Numurkah 5/255
16231	C. McFarlane	320 0 0	Goomalibee	9.4.1900	96 0 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	98 4 10	Benalla 7/403
14232	Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Coy. Ltd.	120 0 0	Ulupna	5.4.1900	15 0 0	1 6 0	0 5 0	16 11 0	Melbourne 9/46
15910	Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Coy. Ltd.	267 0 0	Yalca	"	60 17 0	1 6 0	0 11 2	62 14 2	" 9/45
16076	Geo. Adams	10 0 0	Branjee	9.4.1900	1 5 0	1 1 0	0 0 5	2 6 5	Euroa 8/1
12009	Geo. Adams	213 0 6	"	23.2.1900	10 13 0	1 6 0	0 8 11	12 7 11	" 5/12
14272	W. Coffey	319 0 0	Currawa	3.4.1900	31 18 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	34 2 10	Shepparton 6/110
15914	Ann Weibye	111 0 0	Euroa	10.4.1900	16 13 0	1 6 0	0 4 8	18 3 8	Euroa 6/843
5636	Isabella Stille	311 2 17	Murunggee	27.3.1900	54 12 0	1 13 4	0 13 0	56 18 4	Beechworth 4/495
7911	Isabella Stille	222 0 35	"	"	39 0 6	1 6 0	0 9 4	40 15 10	" 4/495
300	D. Fraser	208 3 9	Angora	30.3.1900	21 16 0	1 6 0	0 8 9	23 10 9	Melbourne 1/175
6147	G. W. Walton	73 2 3	Tallandoon	31.3.1900	12 19 0	1 6 0	0 3 1	14 8 1	Tallangatta 4/130
3126	J. Morris	100 0 0	Bontherambo	29.3.1900	2 10 0	1 6 0	0 4 2	4 0 2	Wangaratta 2/384
5162	E. E. Thwaites	158 0 17	Magorra	"	27 16 0	1 6 0	0 6 8	29 9 2	Tallangatta 4/386
4357	Mary W. Peters	51 1 33 ¹ / ₂	Noorongong	"	2 12 0	1 6 0	0 2 2	4 0 2	" 4/440
7101	J. Mahony, deceased (executors of)	40 3 3	Wodonga	5.4.1900	1 0 6	1 1 0	0 1 9	2 3 3	Wodonga 3/308
4270	Hy. Kendall	219 0 7	Eurandelong	29.3.1900	38 10 0	1 6 0	0 9 2	40 5 2	Bright 4/280
4290	Wm. Coulston	319 3 23	Talgarno	23.3.1900	8 0 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	10 4 10	Tallangatta 2/111
4294	Wm. Coulston	119 3 21	"	"	3 0 0	1 6 0	0 5 0	4 11 0	" 2/113
4679	Chas. Hore	104 2 22	Bunjil	21.3.1900	5 5 0	1 6 0	0 4 5	6 15 5	Wodonga 4/249
7064	M. O'Donnell, deceased (executors of)	97 1 16	Eurandelong	"	4 18 0	1 6 0	0 4 1	6 8 1	Bright 4/474
2714	Hermann Gerecke	43 1 4	Wabba	27.3.1900	4 8 0	1 1 0	0 1 10	5 10 10	Tallangatta 3/199
5546	Henry Poppe	199 3 39	Narioka	24.3.1900	25 0 0	1 6 0	0 8 4	26 14 4	Melbourne 4/449
5574	Henry Poppe	68 3 20	"	"	20 14 0	1 6 0	0 2 11	22 2 11	" 4/450
5685	John Collis	99 0 35	Devon	2.4.1900	5 0 0	1 6 0	0 4 2	6 10 2	Yarram
4521	John Dwyer	59 3 38	Yinnar	"	1 10 0	1 6 0	0 2 6	2 18 6	Traralgon
877	Australian Deposit and Mortgage Bank	193 2 29	Paaratte	3.4.1900	4 17 0	1 6 0	0 8 1	6 11 1	Melbourne 1/11
Under Section 36 of the <i>Mines Act 1890</i> .									
537/36	E. A. Miller	0 1 0	Sandhurst	5.4.1900	12 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 6	13 1 6	Bendigo
355/36	W. H. Harrison	0 1 26	"	"	15 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 8	16 1 8	"

¹ Fees paid Euroa, 2nd April, 1900.² Fees paid Euroa, 9th April, 1900³ 1s. 10d. overpaid.J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Land Acts.

PERMITS TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Permits to occupy Crown lands have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

No. of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	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 42 of the *Land Act 1890* as amended by the *Land Act 1891*.—Payment to be made half-yearly.

5791 | Hugh Shaw ... | 134 0 0 | Woorarra ... | 25, sec. A | 1.1.99 | 3 7 0 | 1 0 0 | 11 1 0 | Yarram

Under Section 42 of the *Land Act 1890* as amended by the *Land Act 1898*.—Payment to be made half-yearly.10373 | Miss Alicia Healy ... | 300 0 0 | Allambee East | 25, secs. C and D | 1.1.1900 | 2 16 3¹/₂ | 1 0 0 | 4 12 11 | WarragulUnder Section 59 of the *Land Act 1898*.—Payment to be made half-yearly.10184 | Theresa Cowper ... | 253 0 0 | Longwarry ... | 91A¹ | 1.4.1900 | 3 3 3 | 1 0 0 | 4 3 3 | Warragul¹ Varied conditions.² Second class.³ £10 survey charge, payable in twelve half-yearly instalments.

April 20, 1900.

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Settlement on Lands Act 1893, Section 5.

PERMIT UNDER SECTION 5 OF THE SETTLEMENT ON LANDS ACT 1893 DECLARED EXPIRED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Permit has been declared expired.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Corr. No.	Name.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Situation.	Pay Office.
1148/5	Timothy Charles	38	...	Acres. 10	Kaniva	Nhill.

NOTES.

The undermentioned *Gazette* notices are hereby cancelled:—

Notice gazetted 23rd February, 1900, p. 755, *re* permit 4862/5, H. Saunders, 20 acres, parish of Macedon.
Notice gazetted 9th March, 1900, p. 935, *re* permit 5123/5, F. Boldman, 16 acres, parish of Bairnsdale.

Land Acts.

AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING LANDS AVAILABLE.

THE undermentioned allotments or portions of allotments will be available for application, at the offices mentioned hereunder, on or before Friday, the 4th May, 1900. All applications lodged on or before that date will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

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

County.	Parish.	Area Available.	No. of Allotment	Land Office.	Class	Remarks.
		Acres.				
Borung	Ledcourt	79	195	Horsham	Third	Formerly recommended to Arthur M. Tickner
Follett	Dartmoor	548	49	Hamilton	"	Formerly held under the Wattles Act by Albert Bucknall
Buln Buln	Fumina	22,263	...	Melbourne	Second	Formerly in village settlement area

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 18.

APPLICATION FOR A GRANT APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Grant having been approved, it is hereby notified that the balance to complete the Purchase and Fees specified may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officer.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.						Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
			Balance to complete Purchase.	Fees.			Total to pay.		
				Grant.	Certif.	Assurance.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Under Section 18 of the <i>Land Act 1890</i> .									
A. Grogan	Maffra	16 0 0	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 8	2 1 8 ¹	Maffra 350	

¹ £25 12s. rent paid credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

PUBLIC HEARING BY A PERSON APPOINTED UNDER THE 128TH SECTION OF THE LAND ACT 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the time and place mentioned in the Schedule hereunder, applications for leases and licences under the Land Acts, 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, will be publicly heard by the person whose name is set opposite such place in such Schedule, being a person appointed by me, the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the Land Acts, to hear the same, and report thereon in writing to me.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
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.	Member of Local Land Board.
Bright	Saturday, 5th May, at Two p.m.	E. T. Brennan, Esq.

Land Act 1898.

SWAMP LANDS AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION UNDER CONDITIONAL PURCHASE LEASE OR PERPETUAL LEASE.

Time for receiving applications extended to 5th May, 1900.

KOO-WEE-RUP SWAMP.

THE allotments mentioned in the schedule hereunder will be available for application on or before Saturday, 5th May, 1900.

Applications, accompanied by the registration fee of 5s., must be made on usual form, and lodged at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.

All applications so lodged on or before the above-mentioned date will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

The applications received will be dealt with by a Special Local Land Board, the place and date of sitting of which will be hereafter notified.

Not more than one allotment may be included in any application.

Conditional Purchase Lease.

Every conditional purchase lease will be dated the 1st day of July, 1900, and may be for such a term of years, not exceeding 31½, as may be agreed upon between the lessee and the Board.

The purchase money, with interest at 4½ per cent., must be paid by 63 or a lesser number of half-yearly instalments (including deposit), calculated according to any of the tables under Division 3 of Part I. of the *Savings Banks Act 1890 Amendment Act 1896*. Each instalment will include interest upon the balance of the purchase money remaining unpaid.

On a conditional purchase lease application a deposit equal to the two (2) first instalments of purchase money, together with fees (including survey charge) must be paid within fourteen days after an allotment has been recommended.

Perpetual Lease.

On a perpetual lease application the first rent and fees (including survey charge) must be paid within fourteen days after an allotment has been recommended.

Rent.

Every perpetual lease will be dated the 1st day of July, 1900, and until the 29th December, 1909, the rent thereunder will be £4 per cent. per annum on the value of the allotment, and thereafter, till 29th December, 1919, the rent will be £4 per cent. per annum on the value of such allotment, as assessed by a Land Classification Board, and thereafter the value of the allotment will be re-assessed every ten years, and the rent will be calculated according to such re-assessment.

Conditional Purchase Lease and Perpetual Lease.

Every conditional purchase lease and every perpetual lease of an allotment will contain the following special conditions:—

- (a) a condition that the lessee or purchaser shall make substantial improvements on the land to the extent of 10s. per acre in each of the first three years from the date of lease or sale; and
- (b) a condition on the part of the lessee or purchaser to keep open all canals and drains.

The Board has power to grant, subject to such terms and conditions as it thinks fit, authority to the owner or occupier of any allotment to cut a drain through any adjoining allotment without making compensation to the owner or occupier thereof, such drain to run parallel with and within 10 links (approximately 6½ feet), where practicable, of a boundary line of such allotment.

On payment of deposit or rent, together with fees, a permit to occupy will forthwith issue.

Care should be taken by the applicant that he secures the correct form, and that it is properly filled up.

Plans (price 1s.) and further information may be obtained at the Inquiry Room, Crown Lands Office.

J. H. McCOLL,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

Schedule of Allotments.

Parish of Koo-wee-rup East.

Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Price per acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1 and 2	D	43 3 11	3 0 0
3, 4, and 5	"	60 0 0	3 0 0
15, 16, 17, 18, and 19	"	98 0 29	3 0 0
20, 21, 22, 23, and 50	"	97 1 24	2 10 0
24, 25, and 26	"	58 0 9	3 0 0
27, 28, 29, and 30	"	76 3 5	2 10 0
37, 40, and 41	"	57 3 38	3 10 0
44, 45, and 46	"	57 1 19	3 0 0
47, 48, 49, 51, and 52	"	97 1 6	3 0 0
53, 54, and 55	"	54 2 0	3 10 0
5, 6, and 7	E	63 0 12	4 0 0
8, 9, 10, 13, and 19	"	95 2 17	3 10 0
11, 12, 16, and 17	"	86 3 19	3 10 0
13, 14, and 15	"	93 1 7	3 10 0
21	"	93 1 1	4 0 0
22	"	103 1 27	4 0 0
23	"	111 2 16	3 0 0
24	"	117 3 11	3 0 0

Parish of Koo-wee-rup East—continued.

Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Price per acre.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
25	E	107 3 37	3 10 0
26	"	103 1 22	3 10 0
27	"	107 2 27	3 0 0
28	"	124 0 0	3 0 0
29	"	124 0 0	3 10 0
32	"	100 2 13	2 10 0
33	"	95 3 15	3 0 0
39	"	139 1 12	4 0 0
41	"	77 3 38	2 10 0
42	"	109 1 4	4 0 0
43	"	111 1 25	4 0 0
47 and 48	"	97 1 34	4 0 0
49	"	99 1 13	3 10 0
50	"	78 0 22	3 10 0
10, 11, and 15	M	80 0 0	4 0 0
12, 13, and 14	"	80 0 0	4 0 0
1 and 24	N	60 0 0	4 0 0
11, 18, and 19	"	60 0 0	4 0 0
15, 16, and 17	"	60 0 0	4 0 0
115	O	98 1 36	3 0 0
146	"	93 1 14	3 0 0
151	"	182 0 39	2 10 0
153	"	168 3 3	2 0 0
154	"	169 1 4	2 0 0
155	"	199 1 13	2 5 0
156	"	198 3 38	2 10 0
158	"	102 0 17	5 0 0
159	"	101 3 35	5 0 0
160	"	101 3 35	5 0 0
161	"	102 0 2	5 0 0
162	"	101 3 28	5 0 0
164	"	101 3 35	5 0 0
165	"	101 3 14	5 0 0
168	"	98 1 13	5 0 0
169	"	95 3 27	5 0 0
170	"	112 3 16	5 0 0
171	"	115 3 8	5 0 0
172	"	115 3 8	5 0 0
173	"	112 2 34	5 0 0
174	"	135 0 21	5 0 0
175	"	138 3 34	5 0 0
178 and 187	"	75 2 4	4 0 0
179 and 186	"	98 1 33	4 0 0
180, 181, 182, and 183	"	78 1 18	4 0 0
35	P	143 1 10	2 10 0
39	"	130 2 27	2 10 0
40	"	131 3 31	2 10 0
41	"	97 1 17	2 10 0
42	"	108 1 18	2 10 0
43	"	108 1 14	2 10 0
46	"	84 1 34	2 0 0
48	"	120 3 14	2 0 0
49	"	120 2 16	2 0 0
50	"	148 1 31	2 0 0
100	Q	45 0 0	2 0 0
101	"	45 0 0	2 0 0
102	"	44 2 20	2 0 0
104	"	62 3 35	2 0 0
105	"	57 0 1	2 0 0
107	"	25 2 31	2 0 0
108	"	25 3 36	2 0 0
109	"	24 0 4	2 0 0
110	"	23 0 7	2 0 0
6, 7, and 8	V	60 0 0	3 10 0
19	"	132 3 11	5 0 0
20	"	132 3 11	5 0 0
24	"	159 0 0	5 0 0
25	"	179 2 10	5 0 0
28	"	159 0 0	5 0 0
29	"	154 0 20	5 0 0
32	"	159 0 36	5 0 0
33	"	164 2 2	5 0 0
35	"	162 0 10	5 0 0
37	"	130 2 10	4 10 0
38	"	135 0 26	5 0 0
39	"	184 3 0	5 0 0
40	"	79 2 13	4 10 0
41	"	131 1 22	5 0 0
42	"	119 3 38	5 0 0
43 and 44	"	128 3 0	4 10 0
47 and 48	"	127 2 34	4 0 0
49 and 50	"	127 0 31	4 0 0
51	"	132 3 6	3 10 0
52	"	133 3 4	3 10 0

Parish of Yallock.

147, 148, and 149	...	70 1 2	5 0 0
156	...	20 0 0	5 0 0
157, 158, and 159	...	60 0 0	5 0 0
160, 161, and 164	...	60 0 0	5 0 0
165, 168, and 169	...	60 0 0	5 0 0
172 and 173	...	53 0 4	5 0 0

Parish of Yannathan.

84 and 85	...	98 3 22	4 0 0
86 and 87	...	98 3 10	3 0 0
88 and 89	...	98 3 6	3 0 0
90 and 91	...	98 3 22	3 10 0
93	...	77 2 18	2 0 0

April 20, 1900.

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Land Act 1890, Section 44.

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Lease having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officer. When lease is ready for execution lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Conditions—How Complied with.					Amount to be Collected.					Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—				
				Fencing.	Cultivation.	Other Improvements.	Total.	Residence.	Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees.		Total to ay.					
											£	s.			d.	£	s.	d.
			A. R. P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1.7.99	Wm. H. H. Bracken	Kotupna	112 0 6	60 0 0	...	100 0 0	160 0 0	Yes	2 16 6	5 13 0	1 1	7 13 0	Nathalia	110				

Under Section 44 of the Land Act 1890.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Maltee Lands Act 1896 and Land Act 1898.

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 Five shillings.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown
administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th April, 1900.

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	638	"
686	640	"
687	640	"
688	474	"
689	474	"
690	474	"
691	440	"
693	364	"
694	341	"
695	340	"
696	341	"
697	473	"
698	341	"
699	478	"
700	493	"
701	474	"
702	474	"
703	474	"
704	640	"
705	640	"
706	632	"
707	640	"
708	640	"
709	640	"
710	640	"
711	632	"
712	640	"
713	640	"
714	634	"
715	635	"
716	630	"
717	631	"
718	631	"
719	631	"
720	631	"
721	632	"
722	632	"
723	640	"
724	632	"
725	640	"
726	640	"
727	640	"
728	613	"
729	632	"
730	640	"
731	697	"
732	474	"
733	474	"
734	474	"
738	474	"
739	474	"
740	466	"
748	474	"
749	473	"
750	474	"
751	632	"
752	640	"
753	632	"
754	632	"
755	640	"
756	640	"
757	639	"
758	633	"
759	639	"
760	639	"
761	632	"
762	632	"
763	551	"
764	631	"
765	632	"
766	633	"

Subdivisions
of blocks 26a
and 27a

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
767	631	Karkaroc
768	631	"
769	640	"
770	640	"
771	632	"
772	640	"
773	640	"
774	640	"
775	640	"
776	632	"
777	640	"
778	640	"
779	474	"
780	473	"
781	474	"
790	473	"
792	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	639	"
815	640	"
816	640	"
817	640	"
818	640	"
819	633	"
820	609	"
821	640	"
822	474	"
823	474	"
824	474	"
825	474	"
826	474	"
834	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	"
878	480	"
879	477	"
880	512	"
881	508	"
888	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	"

Subdivisions
of blocks 26B
and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
901	632	Karkaroc
902	632	"
903	635	"
904	632	"
905	633	"
906	633	"
907	631	"
908*	673	"
909	642	"
911	476	"
912	489	"
913	442	"
914	474	"
915	475	"
924	474	"
925	475	"
926	475	"
927	476	"
928	476	"
929	478	"
931	847	"
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	638	"
951	639	"
952	640	"
953	581	"
954	634	"
955	719	"
956	635	"
957	635	"
958	473	"
970	458	"
971	449	"
972	443	"
977	611	"
978	630	"
979	714	"
980	639	"
981	639	"
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	593	"
1048	463	"
1049	452	"
1052	374	"
1065	480	"
1066	611	"
1067	641	"
1068	641	"
1069	641	"
1070	611	"
1071	641	"
1072	641	"
1073	641	"
1074	640	"
1075	640	"
1076	640	"
1077	640	"
1078	576	"
1079	555	"
1080	617	"
1081	616	"
1082	616	"
1083	616	"
1084	617	"
1085	616	"
1087	616	"
1088	616	"

Subdivisions
of block 27B

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.	
Subdivisions of block 27B	1090	616	Karkaroc
	1091	343	"
	1092	484	"
	1093	481	"
	1094	480	"
	1130	481	"
	1133	629	"
	1134	606	"
	1137	632	"
	1140	633	"
	1141	633	"
	1142	559	"
	1143	616	"
	1144	632	"
	1145	633	"
	1146	617	"
	1147	616	"
	1148	632	"
	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	"	
1169*	508	"	
1173	500	"	
1174	499	"	
1175	488	"	
1178	481	"	
53	92	Lowan, parish of Balrootan	
30	320	Lowan, parish of Woraigworm	
67*	520	Lowan, parish of Nurcounng	
68*	260	"	
1*	60	Borong, parish of Joop	
1	613	Tatchera, parish of Piangil West	
Subdivisions of blocks 20A and 20B	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	"	

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
56	635	Tatchera, parish of Piangil West
57	635	"
58	635	"
59	634	"
60	644	"
61	635	"
62	634	"
63	636	"
64	635	"
65	634	"
66	634	"
67	635	"
68	635	"
69	634	"
70	639	"
71	631	"
72	631	"
73	635	"
74	635	"
75	635	"
76	636	"
77	637	"
78	579	"
79	639	"
2	482	Tatchera, parish of Piangil
Subdivisions of blocks 20a and 20b	3 481 4 481 5 488 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 34 483 35 486 36 486 37 485 38 480 39 486 43 477 48 479 52 479 53 479 55 479 56 480 61 476 62 477 64 478	" "

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
60†	497	Parish of Murnungin
487	480	Tatchera
489*	640	"
491	634	"
492	635	"
493	636	"
494	640	"
495	627	"
496	627	"
497	640	"
498	640	"
499	640	"
500	640	"
502	640	"
526	640	"
527	640	"
528	640	"
529	640	"
Subdivisions of blocks 21A and 21B	530	640
	531	640
	532	640
	533	640
	534	640
	536	640
	556	639
	557	631
	559	639
	560	629
	583	635
	584	638
	604	628
	605	640
	606	574
	607	499
	608	627
	609	629
Subdivisions of block 22A	281	639
	282	639
	295*	639
	315*	648

* All applications received on or before Friday, the 20th April, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

† All applications received on or before Friday, the 27th April, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

‡ All applications received on or before Friday, the 11th May, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

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

Mallee Lands Act 1896.

MALLEE BLOCKS AND MALLEE ALLOTMENTS
AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION.

APPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, for the right to lease the undermentioned mallee blocks for the term of three years and five months, from the 1st July, 1900, 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 Five shillings.

J. H. McCOLL,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown
administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 10th April, 1900.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square miles.	Situation, &c.
32B	140	County of Weeah
34B	199	County of Weeah
36B	141	County of Weeah
37A	157	On the South Australian boundary
37B	143	On the South Australian boundary
38A	202	On the South Australian boundary
38B	201	County of Weeah
39A	199	On the South Australian boundary
39B	201	County of Weeah
40A	98	County of Lowan
40B	90	County of Lowan
43A	102	County of Weeah
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 Five shillings.

The tenure of lease is three years and five months from the 1st July, 1900.

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 "	"
5	8 " and 320 "	"
9E	1 " and 56 "	"
9G	442 acres	"
25	17 sq. miles	"
26	16 " "	"
29	12 " and 523 acres	"
30B	3 " and 471 "	"
46A†	550 acres	"
55A	1 sq. mile and 320 acres	"
54D	20 acres	"
67	8 sq. miles and 160 acres	"
68G	6 " and 284 "	"
75G	1 sq. mile and 287 "	"
75H	1 " and 284 "	"
121	31 sq. miles and 160 "	"
122A	14 sq. miles	"
124	23 sq. miles and 320 acres	"
126B	1 sq. mile and 41 "	"
136	2 sq. miles and 187 "	"
137B	605 acres	"
138	13 sq. miles and 558 acres	"
138A	16 " and 286 "	"
140	21 " and 533 "	"
141	15 " and 120 "	"
148	1 sq. mile and 45 "	"
152	2 sq. miles	"
153	629 acres	"
164	640 "	"
166B	5 sq. miles and 198 acres	"
167B	9 " and 480 "	"
168	18 " and 380 "	"
169	19 " and 117 "	"
170	18 " and 201 "	"
171	26 " and 347 "	"
173	13 " and 160 acres	"
174	14 " "	"
175	14 " "	"
176	12 " and 556 acres	"
178B	8 " and 178 "	"
184	15 " and 160 "	"
185	13 " and 253 "	"
187	11 " and 146 "	"
188	18 " and 142 "	"
189	18 " and 160 "	"
190	17 " and 508 "	"
191	24 " and 634 "	"
192	21 " "	"
193B	8 " and 532 acres	"
194	15 " and 120 "	"
195	9 " and 13 "	"
196B	10 " "	"
196C	5 " "	"
199	3 " and 320 acres	"
201	490 acres	"
201B	488 " "	"
208A	12 sq. miles and 533 acres	"
210	5 " and 168 "	"
210G	640 acres	"
210H	640 " "	"
210I	640 " "	"
210J	640 " "	"
210K	2 sq. miles	"
212D	637 acres	"
217A	1 sq. mile and 341 acres	"
217B	1 " and 341 "	"
217C	1 " and 341 "	"
221	554 acres	"
220A	1 sq. mile and 324 acres	"
221A	381 acres	"

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

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
82*	50 acres	Tatchera, parish of Piangil
85	"	"
86	"	"
88	"	"
89	"	"
90	"	"
91	"	"
92	"	"
93	"	"
94	"	"
95	"	"
96	"	"
98	"	"
99	"	"
100	"	"
101	"	"
102	"	"
103	"	"
104	"	"
105	"	"
106	"	"
107	"	"
108	"	"
109	"	"

Situated on the west side of the main road from Euston to Swan Hill, near "Wood Wood."

* All applications received on or before Friday, the 11th May, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

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

Courts.

BEECHWORTH.—AUCTIONEERS' LICENCES.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Beechworth, on Tuesday, the 28th day of May, 1900, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to consider applications for General Auctioneers' Licences. Dated at Beechworth this 19th day of April, 1900.—JOHN MACNAMARA, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

WARRNAMBOOL.—In the Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Warrnambool.—It is ordered that Monday, the 23rd day of April, 1900, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, be appointed the time for the Sitting of such Court.—(By the Court) W. W. HARRIS, Clerk of the Court.

WHITTLESEA.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that the Licensing Court for the Whittlesea, Yan Yean, Morang, Yan Yean (Evelyn), and Nillumbik Licensing Districts will be held at the Court House, at Whittlesea, on Thursday, the 28th day of April, 1900, at Two o'clock p.m.—PHILIP COHEN, Clerk of the said Courts. Whittlesea, 19th April, 1900.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes: pursuant to Order in Council of 27th November, 1899.

Ararat	...	Thursday	20 September
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	24 April
Ballarat	...	Wednesday	6 June
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	20 June
Benalla	...	Tuesday	1 May
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	12 June
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	19 July
Echuca	...	Tuesday	17 July
Geelong	...	Thursday	17 May
Hamilton	...	Thursday	25 October
Horsham	...	Tuesday	18 September
Maryborough	...	Thursday	10 May
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	15 May
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	15 May
Sale	...	Tuesday	24 July
Shepparton	...	Tuesday	11 September
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	8 May
Stawell	...	Tuesday	5 June
Warrnambool	...	Tuesday	14 August

GENERAL SESSIONS: pursuant to Orders in Council of 15th December, 1899, and 9th April, 1900.

Ararat	...	Friday	5 October
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	19 June
Ballarat	...	Wednesday	4 July
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	25 April
Benalla	...	Thursday	14 June

Bendigo	...	Wednesday	11 July
Castlemaine	...	Tuesday	29 May
Daylesford	...	Friday	8 June
Echuca	...	Tuesday	16 October
Geelong	...	Tuesday	5 June
Hamilton	...	Thursday	28 June
Horsham	...	Tuesday	12 June
Kilmore	...	Thursday	30 August
Kyneton	...	Tuesday	24 July
Mansfield	...	Wednesday	12 September
Maryborough	...	Wednesday	18 July
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	15 May
Mildura	...	Tuesday	1 May
Nhill	...	Wednesday	22 August
Omeo	...	Tuesday	22 May
Palmerston	...	Tuesday	26 June
Port Fairy	...	Wednesday	10 October
Portland	...	Thursday	30 August
Sale	...	Thursday	21 June
Shepparton	...	Wednesday	15 August
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	11 September
Stawell	...	Tuesday	7 August
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	19 July
Warragul	...	Thursday	28 June
Warrnambool	...	Tuesday	26 June

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	...	Friday	5 October
Bacchus Marsh	...	Friday	26 October
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	19 June
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	1 May
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	25 April
Benalla	...	Thursday	14 June
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	9 May
Bright	...	Friday	27 April
Camperdown	...	Thursday	26 July
Casterton	...	Tuesday	28 August
Castlemaine	...	Tuesday	29 May
Charlton	...	Thursday	26 April
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	24 April
Clunes	...	Tuesday	10 July
Colac	...	Wednesday	25 July
Creswick	...	Wednesday	11 July
Daylesford	...	Friday	8 June
Donald	...	Tuesday	19 June
Dunolly	...	Wednesday	9 May
Echuca	...	Tuesday	16 October
Geelong	...	Tuesday	5 June
Hamilton	...	Thursday	28 June
Heathcote	...	Wednesday	14 November
Horsham	...	Tuesday	12 June
Inglewood	...	Friday	27 April
Kerang	...	Wednesday	24 October
Kilmore	...	Thursday	30 August
Korumburra	...	Tuesday	15 May
Kyneton	...	Tuesday	24 July
Mansfield	...	Wednesday	12 September
Maryborough	...	Thursday	10 May
Melbourne	...	Tuesday	1 May
Mildura	...	Tuesday	15 May
Mornington	...	Thursday	7 June
Nhill	...	Wednesday	22 August
Omeo	...	Tuesday	22 May
Palmerston	...	Tuesday	26 June
Port Fairy	...	Wednesday	10 October
Portland	...	Thursday	30 August
Sale	...	Thursday	21 June
Seymour	...	Tuesday	14 August
Shepparton	...	Tuesday	15 May
St. Arnaud	...	Wednesday	20 June
Stawell	...	Tuesday	7 August
Walhalla	...	Tuesday	30 October
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	19 July
Warracknabeal	...	Tuesday	21 August
Warragul	...	Thursday	28 June

Warrnambool	Tuesday	26 June
Wodonga	Tuesday	17 July
Wood's Point	Wednesday	26 September
Yarrowonga	Tuesday	12 June
Yea	Thursday	26 April

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.		
Melbourne	—	—
ARARAT DISTRICT.		
Ararat	Friday	5 October
Stawell	Tuesday	7 August
BALLARAT DISTRICT.		
Ballarat	Tuesday	1 May
Clunes	Tuesday	10 July
Creswick	Wednesday	11 July
BENCHWORTH DISTRICT.		
Benchworth	Wednesday	25 April
Banalla	Thursday	14 June
Bright	Friday	27 April
Chiltern	Tuesday	24 April
Kilmore	Thursday	30 August
Mansfield	Wednesday	12 September
Wodonga	Tuesday	17 July
Wood's Point	Wednesday	26 September
BENDIGO DISTRICT.		
Bendigo	Wednesday	9 May
Heathcote	Wednesday	14 November
CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.		
Castlemaine	Tuesday	29 May
Heidelberg	—	—
Hepburn (Daylesford)	Friday	8 June
Kyneton	Tuesday	24 July
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.		
Bairnsdale	Tuesday	19 June
Omeo	Tuesday	22 May
Palmerston	Tuesday	26 June
Sale	Thursday	21 June
Walhalla	Tuesday	30th October
MARTSBOUGH DISTRICT.		
Dunolly	Wednesday	9 May
Inglewood	Friday	27 April
Maryborough	Thursday	10 May
St. Arnaud	Wednesday	20 June

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.

Construction of Timber Revetment to Trenches, Rifle Ranges, Bendigo. Particulars also at Office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5 26th April

Construction of Timber Revetment to Trenches, Rifle Ranges, Castlemaine. Particulars also at Police Station, Castlemaine. Preliminary deposit, £5 26th April

Sewer connexions, &c., State School No. 1396, Brighton-street, Richmond. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 3rd May

Sewer connexions, &c., Post Office, South Yarra. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 3rd May

New Truck and renewal of Tramway on jetty, Rye. Particulars also at Police Station, Sorrento. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 3rd May

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.

GEO. GRAHAM,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 19th April, 1900.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SEPARATE Tenders are invited for the undermentioned works, &c.—Tenders, indorsed "Tender for —," must be lodged, with the preliminary deposit, in the Tender-box, Railway Offices, Melbourne, at or before One p.m. on the dates specified. Particulars at the Contractors' room, Spencer-street, and as stated.

Monday, 23rd April.—Supply of messmate timber on the Warburton railway between 7 and 14 miles (Woori Yallock). (Fresh tenders.) P.D., £5.

Monday, 23rd April.—Supply of 35 tons of 1½-in. round dogspikes; also 40 tons of 8-in. dogspikes, in one or more contracts of not less than 20 tons. P.D., £10 each tender.

Monday, 23rd April.—Supply of 10,000 cubic yards of blue-stone ballast at Mathieson's siding. Particulars at Wandong station. P.D., £25.

Monday, 23rd April.—Supply of 2,000 cubic yards of gravel, delivered at Foster. Particulars at Korumburra and Foster stations. P.D., £5.

Monday, 23rd April.—Removal and re-erection of gatehouse No. 18, at Leichardt. Particulars at Bendigo and Leichardt stations. P.D., £5.

Monday, 23rd April.—Purchase and removal of coal storage shed at Terang. (Fresh tenders.) Particulars at Camperdown, Terang, and Warrnambool stations. Deposit, £1.

Monday, 23rd April.—Supply of 5 tons of galvanized No. 12 barbed fencing wire, and 20 tons of galvanized No. 8 fencing wire. P.D., £5.

Monday, 23rd April.—Removal of gatehouse No. 15, near Wallan, and re-erection at Whitfield. Particulars at Benalla and Wangaratta stations. P.D., £5.

Monday, 7th May.—Supply of Victorian grey box or iron-bark, or New South Wales tallow wood. Particulars at Briagolong and Bairnsdale stations. P.D., £10.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

(By order) R. A. McILWRAITH, Acting Secretary.

TENDERS FOR PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF OLD BUILDING AT WONGA WONGA SOUTH.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works up to Noon on Thursday, 26th April, 1900, for the Purchase and Removal of an old 4-roomed weatherboard house, erected on allotment 76, parish of Wonga Wonga South (the forfeited holding of W. F. B. Day).

Two months will be allowed for removal.

Full amount of tender must be enclosed.

Tenders to be indorsed "Purchase of Building, Wonga Wonga South," and addressed to the Secretary for Lands, Melbourne, or placed in Tender-box at this office, where further particulars may be obtained.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands Department,
Melbourne, 4th April, 1900.

SUPPLY OF COIR YARN FOR THE PENAL DEPARTMENT.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 6th June, 1900, from persons willing to supply Coir Yarn to the Penal Establishment, Pentridge, as per schedule No. 30. Delivery to be made on or before 30th September, 1900. Preliminary deposit, £3; security, £30.

Samples of the kinds intended for supply to be submitted with tenders.

Printed forms of tender, giving an estimate of the quantity required, and conditions of contract, can be obtained at the Office of the Secretary to the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne, by whom also any information will be given to persons tendering.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit, in bank notes, or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board for £3 (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

The total amount of tender must be stated in words as well as in figures.

Tenders having alterations or erasures therein will not be entertained.

Security will be required either in Government debentures, Savings Bank Deposit Book, or Bank Deposit Receipt in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board, or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

The security must be completed and the contract signed within five days of the acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

Persons failing to take up their contracts will be disqualified from holding contracts for Government supplies for a period of twelve months from the date of notification of acceptance.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

The Conditions of Contract are those for General Stores for 1900-1901, published in the *Government Gazette* of Thursday, 25th January, 1900.

Tenders, enclosed in an envelope, and having the words "Tender for Coir Yarn" written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 6th March, 1900.

WM. SHIELDS,
Treasurer.

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 Thursday, 26th April, 1900.

NOTE.—No tender will be accepted unless the fee for the period from 1st May, 1900, to 30th June, 1901, 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 Thursday, 26th April, 1900, for the occupation, for grazing purposes only, of the following unappropriated portions of land, subject to the Regulations approved by the Governor in Council and also the subjoined special conditions.

Every licence granted under section 123 of the *Land Act 1890* shall be subject to the conditions set forth in the schedule hereto and to such special conditions and payment in advance of such fee as the Minister may determine, and shall be issued by an officer of the Department of Lands and Survey duly authorized in that behalf.

Under section 7 of the *Vermin Destruction Act 1890*, all licensees under the section for which these licences will issue are liable for the destruction of rabbits within the boundaries of their licences.

Conditions :

1. The issue of this licence shall not prevent the land comprised therein, or any part or parts thereof, being sold, leased, licensed, alienated, or dealt with under any of the provisions of the *Land Acts*, except under the 123rd section of the *Land Act 1890*, 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 thereof, should be sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid, the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation other than that which the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering the *Land Acts* may think fit.
3. This licence is 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 thereon, and to erect and occupy mining plant and machinery, without making any compensation to the licensee, his executors, administrators, or assigns, for surface or other damage.
4. Subject to these conditions, the licensee shall be entitled to use the land for the purpose for which this licence has been granted, until such land, or any part thereof, has been sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid, and thereupon all the interest of the licensee therein shall cease and be determined.
5. 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.
6. This licence shall entitle the holder thereof, during the period for which it is granted, to use the land therein comprised for depasturing purposes only, but shall not confer any right to build thereon, or to cultivate or, without the permission of the Minister, fence any portion thereof.
7. The interest in this licence shall not be transferred without the consent of the Minister; and the payment of a fee of £1.
8. The licensee shall be liable to forfeiture if the licensee commit a breach of or neglect to comply with these conditions.
9. 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.
10. The ring-barking of the timber upon the land by the licensee is expressly forbidden, and he shall not be entitled to destroy or cut and take away any such timber.
11. Free access to water shall be kept open at all times for travelling and other stock and for persons desiring to take water for domestic purposes.
12. The licensee shall destroy all thistles on the land, and on the half width of the adjoining roads, and shall be responsible for the destruction of thistles under the *Thistle Act 1890* in like manner as holders of freehold lands.

Special Conditions.

1. The period of occupation will be for fourteen months—from 1st May, 1900, to 30th June, 1901.
2. The fee for the period from 1st May, 1900, to 30th June, 1901—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 4243," or "Lot 2, Block 6997," or "Lot 3, Block 6997A," 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.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 5th April, 1900.

CASTLEMAINE, HAMILTON, ARARAT, HORSHAM, AND ST. ARNAUD DIVISIONS.

Lot 1. Grazing block (No. 4243)—140 acres, township of Ennui, parish of Kooroc, formerly licensed to S. Slocomb.—(*Castlemaine*, 1870/123.)

Lot 2. Grazing block (No. 6997)—1,284 acres, allotments 47 and 48, parish of Mouzie, recently licensed to G. H. Terrill.—(*Hamilton*, 2013/123.)

Lot 3. Grazing block (No. 6997A)—663 acres, allotments 32 and 39, parish of Mouzie, the forfeited holding of G. H. Terrill.—(*Hamilton*, 1882/32.)

Lot 4. Grazing block (No. 7743)—80 acres, the Crown land north-east and north-west and adjoining allotment 648a, parish of Ararat, formerly licensed to T. Brady.—(*Ararat*, 1632/123.)

Lot 5. Grazing block (No. 7899)—257 acres, the forfeited 67th section holding of M. Lloyd, parish of Moyston.—(*Ararat*, 520/67.)

Lot 6. Grazing block (No. 7900)—730 acres, allotment 30, the forfeited selection of Geo. Spears, parish of Moyston West.—(*Ararat*, 1156/123.)

Lot 7. Grazing block (No. 7901)—50 acres, the western portion of allotment 12, an old 110th section reserve.—(*Horsham*, C.10975.)

Lot 8. Grazing block (No. 7902)—85 acres, a water supply reserve, being allotment 14, section A, parish of Bunguluke.—(*St. Arnaud*, C.10216.)

Lot 9. Grazing block (No. 7903)—101 acres, the Faulkner Creek reserve, from the south boundary of allotment 78, parish of Tottington.—(*St. Arnaud*, 2076/123.)

BENALLA, BEECHWORTH, OMEO, AND ECHUCA DIVISIONS.

Lot 10. Grazing block (No. 2803)—2,500 acres, portion of a timber reserve, parish of Killawarra, fronting the road from Benalla to Pecholba, and lying north of J. Chamberlain, east of L. Payne, W. Berrill, and A. M. Berrick, and west of J. H. Jackson and J. Munro.—(*Benalla*, 1102/123.)

Lot 11. Grazing block (No. 6988)—124 acres, being sections 46 and 47, and allotments 1, 2, 3, and 4, section 48, township of Glenrowan, parish of Glenrowan, south of the railway line.—(*Benalla*, 1925/123.)

Lot 12. Grazing block (No. 7904)—2,030 acres, the Timber reserve, parishes of Bohu and Lima.—(*Benalla*, 389/123.)

Lot 13. Grazing block (No. 7122)—840 acres, allotment 69, parish of Dorchay, recently licensed to C. Smyth.—(*Beechworth*, 3897/123.)

Lot 14. Grazing block (No. 7713)—34,300 acres, pastoral allotment C, county of Benambra, parish of Kancobin.—(*Beechworth*, H.6341.)

Lot 15. Grazing block (No. 7800)—50 acres, the Crown lands between allotments B¹, B², B¹4b and the Owens River, parish of Barwidge.—(*Beechworth*, 2335/123.)

Lot 16. Grazing block (No. 7905)—1,184 acres, allotments 43, 44, and 46, parish of Wabonga.—(*Beechworth*, H.18968.)

Lot 17. Grazing block (No. 7906)—950 acres, allotment 26, parish of Norongong, formerly licensed to W. Rhodes.—(*Beechworth*, 4859/67.)

Lot 18. Grazing block (No. 7907)—3,140 acres, the Timber reserve, in the parish of Thowgla, recently licensed to G. W. Jarvis.—(*Beechworth*, 4452/123.)

Lot 19. Grazing block (No. 7908)—12 acres, the Crown lands lying north of Omeo A pre-emptive right, and west of the Water reserve, parish of Hinno-Munjie.—(*Omeo*, H.23191.)

Lot 20. Grazing block (No. 7909)—1,452 acres, allotments 18, 18A, and 20, parish of Bundara-Munjie, recently licensed to C. E. Rundell.—(*Omeo*, 806/123.)

Lot 21. Grazing block (No. 7910)—120 acres, the creek and Goulburn river frontages to allotments 7 and 9, section C, parish of Kanyapella.—(*Echuca*, 1094/123.)

Lot 22. Grazing block (No. 7911)—22 acres, adjoining the 2-chain road and the holdings of J. and M. Hoshen and W. Shields (allotments 94, 94A, and 94B), parish of Yielima.—(*Benalla*, 582/123.)

MELBOURNE AND GEELONG DIVISIONS.

Lot 23. Grazing block (No. 3974)—8,420 acres, in north-western part of parish of Nayook, being allotments 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 41, 42, 43, 44, and 45.—(*Melbourne*, 2470/123.)

Lot 24. Grazing block (No. 6007)—825 acres, the Water reserve of 45 acres, and eastern portion of Timber reserve, parish of Darriman.—(*Melbourne*, 2510/123.)

Lot 25. Grazing block (No. 7912)—1,000 acres, on the Acheron River, about 2 miles east from south-east corner of Narbethong Township, thence easterly about 140 chains, southerly about 70 chains, westerly about 140 chains, and northerly along the Acheron to point of commencement.—(*Melbourne*, F.15092.)

Lot 26. Grazing block (No. 7913)—About 3 acres, the Myer's Creek frontage to J. F. Jarrett's allotment 21, parish of Monda.—(*Melbourne*, 2688/123.)

Lot 27. Grazing block (No. 7914)—74 acres, on Matthew's Creek, west of allotment 7, section 1, parish of Lorne.—(*Geelong*, C.10427.)

TELEGRAPH LINE BETWEEN OMEO AND ENSAY.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, 24th April, 1900, for the erection of a line of Telegraph between Omeo and Ensay.

Specifications may be seen at the Telegraph Engineer's Room, General Post Office, and at the Post Offices at Bairnsdale, Bruthen, and Omeo.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for Telegraph Line between Omeo and Ensay," and addressed to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne, or, if sent by post, must be prepaid and registered.

The amount of the preliminary deposit to be enclosed with the tender is £5.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted. Unsuccessful tenderers will have their deposits returned on application.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department,
Melbourne, 29th March, 1900.

TELEGRAPH STORES.

TENDERS will be received until Twelve o'clock on Tuesday, 24th April, from persons willing to supply the undermentioned articles for the Electric Telegraph Service, in such quantities as may be ordered, from 1st July, 1900, for one year:—

Articles.	Deposit.
1. Telephones	£100
2. Instruments	10
3. Telephone cords	5
4. Bells	5
5. Indicators	5
6. Extension indicators	5
7. Battery material, &c.	25
8. Telegraphic chemicals, &c.	25
9. Insulated copper wires	25
10. Insulators	25
11. Telephone wire	100
12. Iron telegraph wire	15
13. Leclanché cells	5
14. Telegraphic sundries	5
15. Brasswork, &c.	10
16. Fire alarms, &c.	10
17. Material for electric light	5
18. Ebonite, &c.	5
19. Ironwork, &c.	5
20. Glass cells	5
21. Metal fittings	5
22. Miscellaneous	5

Schedules of the articles required and printed forms of tender may be obtained from the Controller of Stores, Stores Branch, General Post Office, by whom also any information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

Separate tenders will be received for each schedule, but they must include the whole of the articles therein mentioned, and a separate price must be stated for each article.

Tenders having alterations or erasures therein will not be entertained.

Security will be required either in Government debentures, bank deposit-receipt in favour of the Deputy Postmaster-General, or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

Tenders must be accompanied by bank notes, or a bank draft in favour of the Deputy Postmaster-General, for the amount of the deposit required (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

The security will be calculated at Five per cent. on the total amount of contract.

The security must be completed within ten days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

In the event of the contractor failing to carry out the contract, the contract security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

Persons failing to take up their contracts will be disqualified from tendering for Government supplies for a period of twelve months.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for ——" (as the case may be), and deposited in the Tender-box, General Post Office; or, if sent by post, to be addressed (prepaid) to the Honorable the Postmaster-General, Melbourne.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

Post Office and Telegraph Department
(Stores Branch),
Melbourne, 5th March, 1900.

Insolvency Notices.**INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE.**

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week ending the 18th day of April, 1900.

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.
11th April.

Thomas Robbins, bricklayer, Kyneton, Petherick.
Edgar Davis, bookseller, Melbourne, Shackell.

W. S. A. PONSFORD,
Chief Clerk.

Court of Insolvency,
Melbourne, 18th April, 1900.

In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of Thomas Robbins, of Kyneton, bricklayer (90/3595); and Edgar Davis, of Melbourne, bookseller (90/3596), 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 Friday, the 27th day of April, A.D. 1900, 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 18th day of April, A.D. 1900.

W. S. A. PONSFORD,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency at Geelong.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of John Evan Price, of Fyansford, manufacturer, and a partner in the firm or partnership known as "The Fyansford Manufacturing Company," has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Gheringhap-street, Geelong, on Friday, the 27th day of April, A.D. 1900, at the hour of Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.

Dated at Geelong this 18th day of April, A.D. 1900.

D. F. McGRATH,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Northern District, at Wodonga.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Samuel Barber, of Mitta Mitta, miner, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Wodonga, on Thursday, the 26th day of April, A.D. 1900, at the hour of 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 Wodonga this 12th day of April, A.D. 1900.

JOHN MACNAMARA,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Ballarat.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of James William Bennett (No. 1430), of Mount Egerton, miner, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, A.D. 1900, 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 Ballarat this 12th day of April, A.D. 1900.

E. NOTLEY MOORE,
Chief Clerk.

Police Sales.**JEPARIT.**

THE undermentioned confiscated liquor, &c., will be sold by public auction, at the Jeparit Police Station, on Tuesday, the 1st prox., at One o'clock p.m.:—

Quantity of colonial beer, about 15 gallons.
4 barrels.
5 jars.
16 glasses.
1 wooden tap.

WANGARATTA.

The undermentioned unclaimed horse, if not previously claimed, will be sold by public auction, at the Wangaratta Police Station, on Saturday, the 28th inst., at One o'clock p.m.:—

1 horse, grey, flea-bitten, 15.2 hands high, aged, broken to saddle, branded GAJ (J reversed) near shoulder.

H. M. CHOMLEY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department (Chief Commissioner's Office),
11th April, 1900.

Private Advertisements.**YEA WATERWORKS TRUST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been forwarded by the Yea Waterworks Trust to the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply for a further loan of Four hundred pounds, under the *Water Act 1890*, for the purpose of making additions to off-take works and pumping station, extension of reticulation, and paying off liabilities of £106 on previous works.

A general plan and description of the proposed works have been forwarded to the Minister, and copies thereof have been deposited for inspection at the offices of the Trust, Yea.

E. H. DOBSON, Trust Secretary.

Yea, 26th March, 1900.

SHIRE OF EPPING.

NOTICE is hereby given that Constable John Thomas Connolly, of Epping, has been appointed Inspector of Nuisance under the provisions of the *Public Health Act 1890*.

JAMES RYAN,
Shire Secretary.
2661

17th April, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned Donald Munro McLennan and Edmund Grant Aitken, carrying on business as flour millers at Mooroopna, under the style or firm of McLennan & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, as on the thirty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Donald Munro McLennan, who will continue the said business on his own account under the former style or firm of McLennan & Co.

Dated this first day of January, 1900.
DONALD MUNRO McLENNAN.
Witness to the signature of Donald Munro McLennan—W. D. McLENNAN.

EDMUND GRANT AITKEN.
Witness to the signature of Edmund Grant Aitken—ROBT. AITKEN.
2665

The Companies Acts.
MAGNETIC ORE SEPARATING COMPANY
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company is situate at No. 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.

Dated this fifth day of April, 1900.
THOS. ROLLASON, Secretary.
Moule, Hamilton, and Kiddie, 55 Market-street, Melbourne,
solicitors for the above company.
2702

ROBERT DENNIS (late of Carapooes, in the colony of Victoria, farmer), DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, before the first day of May, 1900, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the said estate.

Dated this eleventh day of April, 1900.
A. DAINTREE GILFILLAN, solicitor, St. Arnaud.
2660

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of William Anderson, late of No. 37 Arnold-street, Princes Hill, North Carlton, in the colony of Victoria, carpenter, deceased, intestate, are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claim to Emily Anderson, of the same place, spinster, the sister of the said deceased and applicant for administration of his estate, addressed to the care of the undersigned, the proctors for the applicant, on or before the twenty-first day of May, 1900. And notice is hereby given that after that date the said applicant will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased which shall have come to her hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1900.
BRAHE & GAIR, No. 3 St. James Buildings, 119 William-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said Emily Anderson.
2691

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Charles Cadan and Michael Hartigan, trading as Cadan and Hartigan, of Gaffney's Creek, in the colony of Victoria, storekeepers, have by deed, dated the sixth day of April, 1900, conveyed and assigned all their estate, property, and effects whatsoever and whosoever to Thomas James Davey, upon trust, for realization and otherwise for the benefit of the creditors of the said Cadan and Hartigan as in the deed mentioned. All persons having any claims against the estate are requested to at once lodge a sworn affidavit of proof of debt with the trustee, care of the undersigned.

DAVEY, FLACK, & CO.
Incorporated Accountants.
9 Queen-street, Melbourne.
2706

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE JAMES ALEXANDER WEBSTER, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of James Alexander Webster, late of Daisy Cottage, Middle-street, Ascot Vale, in the colony of Victoria, gentleman, deceased (and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said colony, and Clementina Jane Strachan, of No. 127 Gipps-street, East Melbourne, in the said colony, the wife of the Reverend William Strachan, of the same place, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, Malleson, England, and Stewart, the proctors for the said The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, and Clementina Jane Strachan, on or before the thirtieth day of April, One thousand nine hundred; and notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Alexander Webster, deceased, which shall have come to their hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors

shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this fourteenth day of April, One thousand nine hundred.
MALLESON, ENGLAND, & STEWART, 46 Queen-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, and Clementina Jane Strachan.
2698

Mining Notices.

BASIN CREEK TIN & GOLD DREDGING COY.
NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company will be held at Scott's Hotel, Collins-street, on Monday, 30th April, 1900, at Four p.m.

Business:
To consider reports on the mine.
To transact any other business considered necessary in connexion with the above.
To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
By order of the Directors,
A. REID BAIRD, Manager.
Melbourne, 11th April, 1900.
2607

GREAT BIRTHDAY GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BERRINGA.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company and of the Shareholders therein is hereby convened, and will be held at Hager's Critérium Hotel, Doveton-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 30th day of April, 1900, at Three o'clock p.m.

Business:
1. To pass a resolution "That the Great Birthday Gold Mining Company No Liability be voluntarily wound up under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*."
2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus which may remain after the completion of such winding up.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
Lydiard-street, Ballarat.
2621

GLENFINE NORTH GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company is hereby convened, to be held at the company's office, 339 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 30th April, 1900, at half-past Eleven in the forenoon, to consider and order upon the following business:—

Business:
To increase the capital of the company by increasing the amount payable in respect of each share in the company to such amount as may be decided on at such meeting.
To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
Office of the company, Commercial Bank Chambers, 339 Collins-street, Melbourne.
2696

NORTH OLD CHUM COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company will be held at the company's office, Victoria Chambers, Pall Mall, Bendigo, on the 26th day of April, 1900, at half-past Three o'clock p.m.

Business:
1. To alter the rules of the company and make new rules.
2. To authorize the amalgamation of the company with the New Chum and Victoria Gold Mining Company Registered after the incorporation of that company as a no-liability company, and give directions and authorities to effectuate the amalgamation.
3. To authorize the sale in one or more lots with or without conditions, and either for money or shares in any other company, or partly for money and partly for shares, of all and any assets of the company, and give directions and authorities to effectuate the sale and distribute the proceeds.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
S. H. MCGOWAN, Manager.
2586

BASIN CREEK TIN & GOLD DREDGING COY.
NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company will be held at Norwich Union Chambers, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 30th April, 1900, at Two p.m.

Business:
To alter Rule 3 of the rules and regulations of the company, so as to read as follows:—"The company shall be under the management of a manager and board of directors, consisting of not less than five (5) shareholders holding not less than one hundred (100) shares each in the capital of the company," &c.
To move a resolution that the directors have not the confidence of the shareholders, and that they resign, and, in the event of this being carried, to elect others to act in their stead.
To receive reports from the mine.
To transact any other business considered necessary in connexion with the foregoing resolutions.
To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
A. REID BAIRD, Manager.
Melbourne, 10th April, 1900.
2610

NEW CHUM AND VICTORIA GOLD MINING COMPANY REGISTERED.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company will be held at the company's office, Victoria Chambers, Pall Mall, Bendigo, on the 27th day of April, 1900, at half-past Five o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To alter the rules of the company and make new rules.
2. To authorize the amalgamation of the company with the North Old Chum Company No Liability, and give directions and authorities to effectuate the amalgamation.
3. To increase the capital of the company and give directions with respect to the issue and allotment of any new shares.
4. To consent to the incorporation of the company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part 2 of the Companies Act 1890, to give directions and authorities to effectuate the same and vest all assets in the no-liability company, and to make rules for the no-liability company.
5. To authorize the sale in one or more lots, with or without conditions, either for money or shares in any other company, or partly for money and partly for shares of all and any assets of the company, and give directions and authorities to effectuate the sale and distribute the proceeds.
6. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

2653 S. H. MCGOWAN, Manager.

LLOYD'S AL QUARTZ GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1900, at Seven p.m.

Business:

1. To receive reports and balance-sheet.
2. To elect directors and auditors.
3. General.

2659 JNO. E. HUTCHINSON, Manager.

WAROONGA SOUTH EXTENDED MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of shareholders of the above named company will be held at the registered office, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 7th May, 1900, at Four o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To pass a resolution increasing the capital of the company by the amount of Ten pounds payable on each share.

2700 W. P. JARVE, Manager.

LOCH FYNE UNITED G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1900, at Three p.m.

Business:

1. To authorize the directors, or quorum of directors, to dispose of the whole or portion of the company's plant, leases, &c.
2. To, if necessary, pass the following resolution:—That the company be voluntarily wound up.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

2681 FRED. TRICKS, Manager.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Federal 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 Federal Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Nuggetty Ranges, Maldon.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Main-st., Maldon.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, is Two thousand pounds.
5. The number of shares in the company is Thirty thousand, of Five shillings each, of which said shares Six thousand are paid up to Five shillings.
6. Number of shares subscribed for, Thirty thousand.
7. The name of the manager is Albert Richmond-Williams Dabb.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

	No. of Shares
Arthur J. Farr, Maldon, doctor...	1,500
John Bowe, Maldon, contractor	1,500
William B. Wearne, Maldon, chemist	1,500
Thomas Halfpenny, Maldon, investor	1,500
John Cashen, Maldon, bootmaker	1,500
Albert Richmond Williams Dabb, Maldon, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	22,500
	30,000

ALBERT RICHMOND WILLIAMS DABB, Manager.

Dated this seventeenth day of April, 1900.

Witness to signature—GEORGE CARTER, clerk.

I, ALBERT RICHMOND WILLIAMS DABB, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

A. R. W. DABB.
Taken before me, at Maldon, this 17th day of April, 1900—
W. B. GRAY, J. P. 2668
No. 38.—APRIL 20, 1900.—3.

Twelfth Schedule.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the New Star of Tasmania Gold Mining Syndicate as a no-liability syndicate under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1890.

1. The name of the syndicate is to be New Star of Tasmania Gold Mining Syndicate No Liability.
2. The place of operations (or intended operations) is at Denison, Tasmania.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 341-3 Collins street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, £2,350.
5. The number of shares in the company is One thousand four hundred and twenty, at Five pounds each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Six hundred and nine.
7. The name of the manager is Sidney J. Plain.
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
Joseph Welfare, Brunswick, investor	10
G. A. Lawson, Queen-st., Melbourne, legal manager	5
George Hendry, Yarraville, contractor	5
William Plain, 341 Collins st., Melbourne, investor	5
J. A. Mills, 40 Nicholson-st., Abbotsford, investor	5
J. Masson, 541 Bonike-st., Melbourne, accountant	5
Thomas Carr, Launceston, Tasmania, chemist	5
Thomas Walker, Victoria st., Coffee Palace, North Melbourne	5
William Fennah, 22 Bellair-st., Kensington, investor	5
Sidney J. Plain, 341-3 Collins-st., Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for shareholders)	539
Sidney J. Plain, 341-3 Collins-st., Melbourne, legal manager (in trust for syndicate)	811
	1,420

Dated this 11th day of April, 1900.

SIDNEY J. PLAIN, Manager.

Witness to signature—F. HOWELL READ.

I, SIDNEY J. PLAIN, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended syndicate.
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.

SIDNEY J. PLAIN.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 12th day of April, 1900—A. L. WILTON, J. P. 2678

GARIBALDI MINING & CRUSHING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares from 1 to 28,000 on which the 55th call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Bendigo, on Saturday, 28th April, 1900, at Four p.m., unless the call, with expenses, be previously paid to me.

2639 HENRY Y. NORTH, Manager.

THE NEW CHUM CONSOLIDATED COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares from 1 to 28,000 on which the 41st call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Bendigo, on Saturday, 28th April, 1900, at Four p.m., unless the call, with expenses, be previously paid to me.

2670 HENRY Y. NORTH, Manager.

THE DON GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares from 1 to 32,000 on which the 1st call of Twopence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, at the Victoria Hotel, Bendigo, on Saturday, 28th April, 1900, at Four p.m., unless the call, with expenses, be previously paid to me.

2671 HENRY Y. NORTH, Manager.

HOMEWARD BOUND GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company forfeited for non-payment of the 23rd call of One halfpenny (½d.) per share, due 14th March, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Commercial Hotel, Main-street, Stawell, at Four o'clock p.m., on Monday, 30th April, 1900, unless paid on or before that date:—Nos. 1 to 25,000, exclusive of those shares on which the said call has been paid.

2675 P. Q. KEMPSON, Manager.

THE BALMORAL G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.

Registered office: Wood's Point.

FINAL NOTICE.

ALL shares on which the 2nd call of One penny per share is unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold absolutely by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 30th April, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

2679 R. MACKAY, Manager.

ROYAL OAK GOLD MINE NO LIABILITY.
NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for the non-payment of the 9th call of One penny per share, will be sold by public auction, at the office of the company, National Mutual Buildings, 395 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday the 21st April, 1900, at Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.
 2676 F. G. HUGHES, Manager.

THE ALL NATIONS G. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY, MATLOCK.
 Registered office: Wood's Point.
FINAL NOTICE.

ALL shares on which the 56th (March) call of One penny per share, and the 18th call of Three pence per share, and any previous call, is unpaid, are forfeited, and will be sold absolutely by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 30th April, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.
 2680 R. MACKAY, Manager.

MCALLISTER'S REEF MINING COMPANY N. L.
NOTICE.—All shares upon which the 8th call of Three pence per share shall remain unpaid by Saturday, the 28th inst., will be sold on that day by public auction. No postponement.
 2692 W. G. BLACKHAM, Manager.

NEPTUNE AMALGAMATED HYDRAULIC SLUICING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.
ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th, 5th, and 6th calls of Sixpence each per share will be sold by public auction, at 30 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 28th April, 1900, at Eleven o'clock a.m., unless previously redeemed.
 2693 JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.

NORTH RED WHITE & BLUE Q. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BLACKWOOD.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 24,000, forfeited for non-payment of 5th call of Twopence per share for March, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Saturday, 28th April, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 E. A. LESTER, Manager. 2694
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

WESTERN EXTENDED SILVER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, ZEEHAN.
NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of 28th call of Three pence per share, will be sold by auction, on Tuesday, 1st May, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, at Stock Exchange, Melbourne.
 2695 G. E. ROBINSON, Manager.

OVENS RIVER HYDRAULIC DREDGING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.
 Registered Office: Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen street.
NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that all shares upon which the 3rd and 4th calls of Sixpence per share are unpaid are hereby declared forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1900, at Twelve noon, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, unless previously redeemed.
 2697 By order of the Board, A. F. SHOWERS, Manager.

ROCKY RIVER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.
POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.
THE sale of shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of 33rd (March) call of Twopence per share, advertised to take place on 12th April, 1900, has been postponed to Thursday, 26th April, 1900, when the shares will be sold at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Collins-street, Melbourne, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.
 By order, T. F. KNOWLES, Manager. 2697
 19th April, 1900.

NORTH McDONALD'S GOLD MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, FRYERSTOWN.
NOTICE is hereby given that Thomas Hamilton has been appointed manager of the above-named company, in place of William J. Barham resigned.
 (SEAL) ROBERT H. COLE, } Directors.
 R. A. MOON, }
 Melbourne, 11th April, 1900. 2701

NORTH McDONALD'S GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, FRYERSTOWN.
NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above-named company is situated at 60 Queen-street, Melbourne.
 (SEAL) ROBERT H. COLE, } Directors.
 R. A. MOON, }
 THOS. HAMILTON, Manager. 2703
 Melbourne, 11th April, 1900.

To the Registrar-General, Melbourne.
THE Briseis Tin Mines Limited hereby give you notice, in accordance with the Companies Act 1890, that the registered office of the company is now situated at the Equitable Building, 320 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria.
 Dated this fourth day of April, 1900.
 (SEAL) A. J. PEACOCK, } Directors.
 R. S. WHITING, }
 THOS. HUSBAND, }
 2677 Managing Director and Secretary.

VESUVIUS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company has been removed from 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, to Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne, and that Arthur Capper Moore has been appointed legal manager in place of St. John A. Biggs resigned.
 Dated this 18th day of April, 1900.
 (SEAL) R. G. CASEY, } Directors.
 J. W. HALL, }
 A. CAPPER MOORE, Manager. 2704

Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Bendigo.—In the matter of JOHN JAMES HAYES, formerly of Williamson-street, Bendigo, in the colony of Victoria, auctioneer, now of Lake Boga, in the said colony, farmer, an insolvent.

THE above-named John James Hayes intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency at Bendigo, on the 9th day of May, 1900, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvency Acts, and for dispensation of the condition mentioned in section 139 of the Insolvency Act 1890.
 Dated the 18th day of April, 1900.
 JNO. J. HAYES.
 Connelly, Tatchell, and Dunlop, Williamson-street, Bendigo, solicitors for above-named insolvent. 2667

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of ROBERT GREGG (trading as Gregg and Davidson), of Bridge-road, Richmond, draper, whose estate was assigned on the 7th day of March, 1900.
 Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 30th day of April, 1900, will be excluded.
 F. W. DANBY, } Trustees.
 H. E. WOOTTON, }
 2690

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Ballarat District.

A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Stout and Sons, of Burnbank-street, Ballarat, whose estate was assigned to me, as trustee, under a deed of arrangement on the 5th day of February, 1900.
 Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 6th day of May, 1900, will be excluded.
 W. G. FINLAYSON, trustee, 19 Lydiard-street, South Ballarat. 2705

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, at Shepparton, Northern District.—In the matter of GEORGE BROWN, of Numurkah, in the colony of Victoria, hotel manager, formerly farm labourer.

THE above-named George Brown intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Shepparton, on the 15th day of May, 1900, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvency Acts.
 Dated this 19th day of April, 1900.
 GEO. BROWN.
 C. W. MORRISY, Melville-street, Numurkah, solicitor for the applicant. 2699

Impoundings.

BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat Shire Pound.

1 strawberry bull, no visible brand
 1 brown Alderney heifer, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th May, 1900.
 GEO. BROWN,
 Poundkeeper. 2686—4/1

BET BET.—Impounded at Bet Bet Shire Pound, by H. Theobald.

1 light red and white cow, no visible brand
 1 red and white calf (progeny)
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.
 A. J. LAWSON,
 Poundkeeper. 2685—4/8

COBURG.—Impounded at Coburg, 14th April, 1900.

1 black cow, star, white belly, top off near ear, no visible brand
 1 red and white or strawberry cow, top off near ear, no visible brand
 1 red and white heifer, D off rump
 1 red heifer, white tip on tail, blotch off rump
 1 red heifer calf, white tip on tail, no visible brand
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.
 J. BUZAGLO,
 Poundkeeper. 2714—6/5

EPPING.—Impounded at Epping.

1 red cow, shelled horns, like J- near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2708—3/6

JAMES BOYLE,
Poundkeeper.**EUROA.**—Impounded at Euroa, 11th April, 1900, by Town-ship Inspector.

1 dark-red cow, aged, top off near ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2711—4/1

E. NUGENT,
Poundkeeper.**HEIDELBERG.**—Impounded at Heidelberg Shire Pound, 11th April, 1900, by C. Williams.—Damages 10s.

1 bay pony mare, like WB off shoulder

1 black horse, like A near shoulder

1 chestnut filly, near hind foot white, white face, like W near shoulder, like R in circle off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th May, 1900.

2709—6/5

JOHN DOWLING,
Poundkeeper.**HORSHAM.**—Impounded at Horsham, 14th April, 1900, by R. J. Forsythe, Pimpino.—Trespass 5s.

1 brown Alderney steer, blotched brand off ribs, like QH or OH conjoined

By W. Henery, from Vectis East.

1 red bull calf, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th May, 1900.

2687—6/5

JOHN HEALEY,
Poundkeeper.**KORUMBURRA.**—Impounded at Korumburra, 12th April, 1900, by Alex. McNaughton.

1 yellow and white steer, no visible brand, small back notch out of near ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2672—4/8

J. W. CORMACK,
Poundkeeper.**LILYDALE.**—Impounded at Lilydale Shire Pound.

1 medium flea-bitten grey mare, hipped, collar and girth marked, no visible brand

1 strawberry stag, red ears, no visible brand

1 red heifer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th May, 1900.

2662—5/8

F. BENYAN,
Poundkeeper.**MCIVOR CREEK.**—Impounded at McIvor Creek, by Mr. E. Hayes.—Trespass 10s. 3d.

1 brindle bull, no visible brand, notch top of off ear, white spots fore and hind quarters

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th May 1900.

2684—4/8

WILLIAM H. WASON,
Poundkeeper.**MILDURA.**—Impounded at Mildura Shire Pound, by Ranger.

1 bay mare, branded JP near shoulder, hind feet white, white face, sore back, hip down

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st May, 1900.

2666—4/8

A. MILES,
Poundkeeper.**MOOROOPNA.**—Impounded at Mooropna.

1 brown mare, shod all round, white on near eye, near shoulder

1 bay horse, hind shoes on, saddle marked, like CR over triangle near shoulder

1 iron-grey horse, near hind fetlock enlarged, like N⁵³ or N^{S3} near shoulder

1 roan and white bullock, CR near rump, two notches out of lower part of near ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 10th May, 1900.

2659—8/2

M. PHILLIPS,
Poundkeeper.**ROCHESTER.**—Impounded at Rochester, 16th April, 1900, by R. Bartrop, Rochester.

8. White bullock, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th May, 1900.

2715—4/1

J. TOVEY,
Poundkeeper.**RUTHERGLEN.**—Impounded at Rutherglen Shire Pound, 11th April, 1900, by Mr. J. Clementon.

1 bay mare, like PT near shoulder, 4 off shoulder

1 tall brown mare, blemish off hind leg, star, saddle marked, RO near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2633—5/3

R. TURNER,
Poundkeeper.**SHEPPARTON.**—Impounded at Shepparton Shire Pound.

1 aged bay mare, hack, sore back, hind heels white

1 bay horse, hack, star, near hip down, hocks enlarged, like QI (J reversed) near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th May, 1900.

2688—4/8

ROBERT DUDLEY,
Poundkeeper.**ST. ARNAUD.**—Impounded at St. Arnaud, 12th April, 1900, by Mr. J. Marr.

1 chestnut horse, blaze, hind legs and near fore foot white, saddle and collar marked, off fore knee enlarged, W near shoulder and scars

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th May, 1900.

2661—5/3

S. S. ROTHWELL,
Poundkeeper.**ST. KILDA.**—Impounded at St. Kilda, 16th April, 1900, by C. Helmore.

124. Light-bay pony mare, white spots under saddle, like 7 near shoulder

17th April, 1900, by J. Taggart.

125. Bay pony mare, hog mane, black points, like WA blotched off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 11th May, 1900.

2682—6/5

M. EDINGTON,
Poundkeeper.**TALLANGATTA.**—Impounded at Tallangatta on 7th April, 1900.

1 chestnut gelding, bald face, four white feet, branded S over JT conjoined near shoulder, aged

16th April.

1 red baldy bull, no visible brand, both ears cut about, bang tail

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2710—6/5

W. L. CARKEEK,
Poundkeeper.**TUNGAMAH.**—Impounded at Tungamah Shire Pound, by William Shiels.

1 blue roan saddle horse, saddle marked, near hip down, branded like PH off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2673—4/8

S. J. CARRICK,
Poundkeeper.**VIOLET TOWN.**—Impounded at Violet Town, by A. Gordon.

1 red and white steer, branded H in circle off ribs

By T. Hannon.

1 yellow and white steer, branded CW off rump, snips off both ears

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2674—5/10

R. J. WALLACE,
Poundkeeper.**WERRIBEE.**—Impounded at Werribee, 4th April, 1900.

1 red and white cow, notch both ears, branded like D off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th April, 1900.

2712—3/6

D. CANNY,
Poundkeeper.**WEST FRAMLINGHAM.**—Impounded at West Framlingham, 2nd April, 1900.

1 red heifer calf, little white on belly, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd May, 1900.

2707—4/1

A. McLENNAN,
Poundkeeper.**YINNAR.**—Impounded at Yinnar.

1 red cow, small star, white belly, like OO off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2713—3/6

THOS. KEOGH,
Poundkeeper.

April 20, 1900.

1376

YARRAWONGA.—Impounded at Yarrowonga Shire Pound, 13th April, 1900, by C. J. Wallace, Esq., South Yarrowonga.—Trespass 6s. per head.

1 light-red or yellow heifer, 3 years, no earmark, like >T off rump

1 red and white heifer calf, about 1 year, earmark, two slits near ear, no visible brand

1 red steer calf, about 10 months old, two slits near ear, no visible brand

It not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th May, 1900.

2663—717

A. G. LOVE,
Poundkeeper.

POUNDKEEPERS' REMITTANCES.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER acknowledges the receipt of the undermentioned sums:—

1900.	£	s.	d.
April 12.—M. Phillips	0	10	0
April 18.—S. S. Rothwell	0	5	0
April 18.—A. W. McLennan	0	2	6
April 18.—A. Miles	0	6	0
April 19.—J. Dowling	0	5	10
April 19.—J. Boyle	0	4	1
April 19.—R. Dudley	0	5	0
April 19.—J. Healey	0	5	0
April 19.—G. Brown	0	4	1
April 19.—A. J. Lawson	0	4	0
April 19.—W. H. Wason	0	3	6
April 19.—R. Turner	0	5	0
April 19.—M. Edington	0	5	10
April 19.—W. L. Carkeek	0	6	0
April 19.—E. Nugent	0	4	0
April 19.—D. Canny	0	4	0
April 20.—T. Keogh	0	2	6
April 20.—J. Bozaglo	0	5	0

ROBT. S. BRAIN,
Government Printer.

Melbourne, 20th April, 1900.

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