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CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS, 1915-16.

It is hereby notified that on

SATURDAY, THE 25TH, MONDAY, THE 27TH; AND TUESDAY, THE 28TH	} DECEMBER INSTANT, and on
SATURDAY, THE 1ST, AND MONDAY, THE 3RD		} JANUARY NEXT,

the Public Offices will be closed—the 25th and 27th instant and the 1st January being appointed by the *Public Service Act 1915* to be observed as Public Holidays, and the 28th December and the 3rd January having been proclaimed by the Governor in Council (see *Government Gazette* of 1st December, 1915) under the power conferred by the said Act, to be observed as such.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 24th November, 1915.

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

I, THE Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, do hereby declare that I have this day assented, in His Majesty's name, to the Bills passed by the Parliament of the said State, the titles whereof are hereinafter set forth, that is to say:—

- "An Act to amend Section Forty-seven of the *Supreme Court Act 1915* and for other purposes."
- "An Act to amend the *Education Act 1915*."
- "An Act relating to the Borrowing Powers of the Prahran and Malvern Tramways Trust."
- "An Act to provide for the Construction Operation and Management by the Prahran and Malvern Tramways Trust of a certain Tramway in the Municipal District of Kew."
- "An Act to make provision in regard to the Victualer's Licence issued in respect of the Clifton Springs Hotel agreed to be leased to the Commonwealth of Australia as an establishment for Convalescent Members of the Australian Imperial Forces."

No. 207.—DECEMBER 22, 1915.—17865.—1.

"An Act to apply out of the Consolidated Revenue the sum of Six hundred and forty thousand two hundred and thirty-seven pounds to the service of the year One thousand nine hundred and fifteen and One thousand nine hundred and sixteen."

"An Act to amend Section One hundred and eighty-four of the *Justices Act 1915* and for other purposes."

"An Act to amend the *Crimes Act 1915*."

"An Act to amend the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1915*."

"An Act to amend the *Treasury Bonds Act 1914*."

"An Act to authorize the issue of Treasury Bonds."

"An Act to extend the provisions of the *Tramways Act 1915* to the Municipality of Saint Kilda within certain limits and for other purposes."

"An Act to declare the Rate of Land Tax for the year ending the thirty-first day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixteen."

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

A. J. PEACOCK.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

I, IN pursuance of the provisions contained in Part VI. of the *Public Service Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2713), I, the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the

Executive Council of the said State, do by this my Proclamation appoint the days and dates hereunder mentioned to be observed as Public Holidays at the places respectively specified, viz.:—

Public Holidays:—

FRIDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1915, throughout the South-East Riding of the Shire of Kerang;

WEDNESDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1915, throughout the Shires of Lexton (Lexton*) and Maldon;

MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1916, throughout the Shire of Gisborne.

* Races.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.) A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDER AMENDED.

THE Order made on the 30th day of November, 1915, published on page 4867 of the *Gazette* of the 8th December, 1915, is hereby amended in so far as it relates to the appointment of Public Vaccinators, by substituting the surname Crooks in lieu of the surname Crooke.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, 15th December, 1915.

APPOINTMENTS.—ACTING REGISTRARS OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:—

DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

Acting Registrars of Births and Deaths.

Apollo Bay.—WILLIAM OLLY CORKE, Acting, from 9th November, 1915, during the absence of William R. Finlayson on leave.

Corinthap.—MARION ESTELLA CARR, Acting, from 24th November, 1915, during the absence of Eliza Carr on leave.

Jamieson.—MARIE THERESA RYAN, Acting, from 8th November, 1915, during the absence of Charles William Dale on leave.

Macarthur.—MARIA ROBERTSON, Acting, from 8th November, 1915, during the absence of Robert Robertson on leave.

Outtrim.—HERBERT JAMES MCIVOR (Postmaster), Acting, from 25th November, 1915, during the absence of Robert H. Bowman on leave.

Port Fairy.—FREDERICK WILLIAM PETTINGILL, Acting, from 25th November, 1915, during the absence of Leslie W. Earle on leave.

San Remo.—EMILY HULL, Acting, from 2nd December, 1915, during the absence of Alice Hull on leave.

Surrey Hills.—HILDA VIOLET HUMPHRIS, Acting, from 19th October, 1915, during the absence of John Young on leave.

Toora.—ELEANOR CULLEY EASTHAM, Acting, from 23rd November, 1915, during the absence of Eleanor C. Eastham on leave.

Ultima.—HERBERT CUTTLE, Acting, from 27th November, 1915, during the absence of Margaret A. Cuttle on leave.

Woomelang.—ISABEL SUSANNAH BROCK, Acting, from 22nd November, 1915, during the absence of Minnie Brock on leave.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

APPOINTMENTS.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Orders made on the 14th day of December, 1915, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:—

DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

Electoral Inspector,

JAMES ARTHUR LAMBDEX, Sergeant of Police, Echuca,

to be Electoral Inspector for the Echuca, Rochester, and Rochester East Divisions of the Electoral District of Rodney, *vice* Alexander C. Steinfort, whose resignation has, by Order of the 14th December, 1915, been accepted.

Registrar of Births and Deaths,

The person named hereunder to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths at the place mentioned, viz.:—

Flinders.—FAWCETT DINSDALE HEAD (Acting), pending the appointment of a successor to William H. Farr, resigned.

The Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of the provisions contained in the *Public Service Act* 1915 (No. 2713), and in the *Lunacy Act* 1915 (No. 2687), has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz.:—

LUNACY DEPARTMENT—HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Clerk,

ARTHUR ROY STANES

to be Clerk of the Hospital for the Insane at Ararat, pursuant to the provisions of the *Lunacy Act* 1915, during the absence of George A. Petrie on leave.

Nurse, Grade III.,

The person named hereunder to be a Nurse, Grade III.: the Permanent Head of the Department having requested that a vacancy which has occurred should be filled, and the Inspector-General of the Insane having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the vacant office, and that the person named hereunder is entitled, under the provisions of the *Public Service Act* 1915, to be appointed to fill such vacancy, such appointment to be on probation for twelve months, and to take effect from the date mentioned, that is to say:—

ELLEN BUCHANAN WESTGARTH, from 1st December, 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Senior Master,

DUGALD McLACHLAN

to be Senior Master, Class "F," Professional Division, Ballarat Agricultural High School; a vacancy having occurred, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be transferred or promoted to fill the vacancy in question, and that the person named is a fit and proper person and duly qualified to fill the vacant office on probation for a period of three months, from 1st February, 1916.

Third Masters, Prahran Junior Technical School,

PATRICK JOHN CURRAN

to be a Third Master, Class "I," Professional Division, Prahran Junior Technical School; a vacancy having occurred by the creation of an office, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be transferred or promoted to the vacancy in question, and that the person named is a fit and proper person and duly qualified to fill the vacant office on probation for a period of three months, from the 17th January, 1916.

MYER DAVID JOEL

to be a Third Master, Class "I," Professional Division, Prahran Junior Technical School; a vacancy having occurred by the creation of an office, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be transferred or promoted to fill the vacancy in question, and that the person named is a fit and proper person and duly qualified to fill the vacant office on probation for a period of three months, from the 17th January, 1916.

Fourth Mistress, Melbourne High School,

HELEN JANE FLETT

to be Fourth Mistress, Class "I," Professional Division, Melbourne High School; a vacancy having occurred by re-classification, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be transferred or promoted to fill the vacancy in question, and that the person named is a fit and proper person and duly qualified to fill the vacant office on probation for a period of three months, from 1st February, 1916.

LAW DEPARTMENT—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.*Sheriff's Substitute,*

GEOFFREY JOSEPH JUSTIN CHAPPEL (as Registrar of the County Court at Sale),

appointed, by virtue of the provisions of section 91 of the *Juries Act 1915*, to do and perform with regard to the Courts at that place, in the place and stead of the Sheriff, all such acts and things as the Sheriff is, by the said Act, authorized or required to do or perform during the absence on leave of David Grant, to take effect from date of commencement of duty.

LAW DEPARTMENT—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.*Special Magistrate,*

EDWARD GEORGE GURR, 154 Moorabool-street, Geelong;

to be a Special Magistrate, pursuant to section 5 of the *Children's Court Act 1915*, for the Petty Sessions Districts of Geelong and Geelong West, as set forth in the Order of the 14th December, 1915.

Magistrates,

GEORGE DOUGLAS, 213 Russell-street, Melbourne;
DAVID PHILLIPS, 46 Mitchell-street, Brunswick;
HENRY JAMES RICHARDS, 355 Sydney-road, Coburg;
and
GEORGE HARRY GOODWIN WHARINGTON, 72-4 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne,

to Keep the Peace in the Central Bailiwick of the State of Victoria;

DONALD ROSS, Gowar East,

to Keep the Peace in the Midland and Western Bailiwicks of the State of Victoria.

Registrar of the County Court, &c.,

GEOFFREY JOSEPH JUSTIN CHAPPEL, Officer of the Fifth Class, Law Department,

to be also Registrar of the County Court, Chief Clerk of the Court of Insolvency, and Clerk of Petty Sessions, at Sale, in accordance with the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner (section 168 of the *Public Service Act 1915* (No. 2713), during the absence on leave of David Grant, to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

Clerks of Petty Sessions (Acting),

ERWINE AINSWORTH, Constable of Police, Beech Forest,

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Beech Forest, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty;

JOHN CRAWFORD, Constable of Police, Whittlesea,

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Whittlesea, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty;

CHARLES GODFREY IVEY, Constable of Police, Natimuk,

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Natimuk, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty;

THOMAS HERBERT SEYMOUR, Constable of Police, Chillingollah,

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Chillingollah, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty;

JAMES MICHAEL GLENN, Officer of the Fifth Class, Law Department,

to be Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Brunswick, Coburg, and Northcote, in accordance with the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner (section 168 of Act No. 2713), *vice* F. C. P. Hill relieved and transferred, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

Probation Officers,

The persons named hereunder to be Probation Officers, pursuant to the provisions of section 8 of the *Children's Court Act 1915* (No. 2627), for the Children's Court at the place specified, *viz.*:—

ANNIE DELANEY, Dandenong-road, Oakleigh, and
PATRICK J. FITZGERALD, Warragul-road, Oakleigh,
for Oakleigh.

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.*Acting Paying Officer of Pensions,*

VINCENT SARAH

to be Paying Officer of Imperial and Victorian Government Pensions, Acting, during the absence of W. G. Moon on leave.

Acting Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters.

The Governor in Council, upon the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner (section 168 of Act No. 2713), has appointed the persons named hereunder to be Acting-Receivers of Revenue and Paymasters at the places mentioned, that is to say:—

Birchip.—CHARLES J. ROGERS (Acting), during the absence of P. B. Reilly on leave;
Sale.—GEOFFREY J. J. CHAPPEL (Acting), *vice* A. C. Tingate relieved.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.*Trustee of Site,*

The undermentioned gentleman to be a Trustee of the Williamstown Race-course and Recreation Reserve:—

JOHN ANTHONY DENNIS,

for so long only as he continues to hold office as Councillor of the Town of Williamstown, in the room of David Gravell, who has ceased to hold office as Councillor of the Town of Williamstown.

Bailiff of Crown Lands.

The person named hereunder to be a Bailiff of Crown lands in and for the State of Victoria, *viz.*:—

ROBERT CREWDSON BENSON.

Inspector under the Vermin Destruction Act 1915,

SYDNEY POLLOCK BROWN

appointed an Inspector under the provisions of section 10 of the *Vermin Destruction Act 1915*, appointment to date from 1st December, 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.*Officers of the Fifth Class,*

JAMES FRANCIS WALSH and
WILLIAM WALSH

to be Officers of the Fifth Class, Clerical Division; vacancies having occurred, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that appointments are required, that there are no persons available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the vacant offices, and that the persons named are entitled, under the provisions of the *Public Service Act 1915*, to be appointed to fill such vacancies on probation for six months.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.*Public Vaccinator,*

EDWARD SPRING, Esq., M.B.,

to be Public Vaccinator for the Metropolitan District, *vice* George Dixon Dickinson, M.B., deceased;

Trustees of Cemeteries,

JOHN NORMAN

to be a Trustee for Avenel Public Cemetery, *vice* Thomas Henry Bayley deceased;

ARTHUR JOHN FARREL and
DAVID MIKKESEN

to be Trustees for Baringhup Public Cemetery, *vice* John Coutts and Adam Lillie resigned;

BERNARD MAFFESCIONI and
WILLIAM DANIELS

to be Trustees for Bealiba Public Cemetery, *vice* Antonio Baccala and Thomas Rees deceased;

JAMES BOWER

to be a Trustee for Epping Public Cemetery, *vice* James Aitken deceased;

WILLIAM ROGERS and
PETER McDONNELL

to be Trustees for Gelantipy Public Cemetery, vice James Duke and John McDonnell, who have left the district;

ALBERT MARTIN and
CHARLES FLYNN

to be Trustees for Waterloo Public Cemetery, vice John Joseph Frusher, who has left the district, and Michael Flynn deceased.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.

Members of Special Board,

JOSEPH HENRY BOLDEN,
EDWARD COUSINS DAVIS
SAMUEL ROBERT MAY,
GEORGE RAWLING, and
EDGAR HOWARD TUCKER

to be Members (representatives of employers), and

S. EAGLE,
T. GUMMOW,
JOHN HENDERSON,
J. REID, and
F. WILLIAMSON

to be Members (representatives of employees) of the Country Agricultural Implements Board constituted under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

Health Act 1915.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Health Act 1915*, I hereby declare that the following gentlemen have been duly elected Representative Members on the Board of Public Health for the Groups as indicated, namely:—

North Yarra Group.—WILLIAM HENRY TREGANOWAN, a member of the Council of the Town of Williams-town.

Eastern Country Boroughs Group.—JAMES HENRY CURNOW, a member of the Council of the City of Bendigo.

Western Shires Group.—HERBERT ARTHUR AUSTIN, a member of the Council of the Shire of Buninyong.

Dated at Melbourne this 16th day of December, 1915.

D. McLEOD,
Minister of Public Health.

Health Act 1915.

OFFICERS OF HEALTH.

THE Board of Public Health, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the *Health Act 1915*, has approved of the undermentioned appointments by the municipal councils concerned, viz.:—

Karkaroc Shire, North and Central Ridings.—JOHN WYNDHAM MORGAN, M.B., vice James Gregg, M.D., resigned.

Kowree Shire, Central and West Ridings.—HUGH STANISLAUS BOURKE, M.B., during the absence on active service of Dr. Rupert G. Burnard.

T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary, Public Board of Health.

Public Health Department,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1915.

SUMMONING OFFICERS.

I HEREBY appoint the undermentioned persons, under section 31 of the *Education Act 1915*, to summon parents within the State of Victoria:—

JOSEPH WOOD, Senior Constable of Police, No. 3737.
CHARLES MCPHREE, Constable of Police, No. 4822.
ALEXANDER DUNCAN MCKINNON, Constable of Police, No. 5294.

H. S. W. LAWSON,
Minister of Public Instruction.

Education Department,
Melbourne, 15th December, 1915.

SUMMONING OFFICER.

I HEREBY appoint the undermentioned person, under section 31 of the *Education Act 1915*, to summon parents within the State of Victoria:—

COLIN ARBLASTER, Constable of Police, No. 5562.

H. S. W. LAWSON,
Minister of Public Instruction.

Education Department,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

MEMBER OF ADVISORY COUNCIL.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, appointed the following person to be a member of the Advisory Committee in connexion with the Wangaratta Agricultural High School, for the period ending 30th June, 1917, which appointment the Governor in Council reserves the right to terminate at any time; viz.:—

HENRY KLEMM.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE SUNSHINE TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 9th day of November, 1915, appointed—

HUGH VICTOR MCKAY,
GEORGE MCKAY,
SAMUEL MCKAY,
RALPH MCKAY,
DAVID BUCHAN FERGUSON,
GEORGE LOUIS BUTLIN,
GEORGE BULT,

to be members of the Council of the Sunshine Technical School.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, by Orders made on the 14th day of December, 1915, under provisions contained in by the *Education Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2644), has appointed the undermentioned persons to be Members of the School Committees for the respective schools as set forth herein, for the period ending 28th February, 1917:—

Bill, George Jamieson, No. 814.
Still, Thomas, jun.

Hoskins, William Emu Flat, No. 1232.
Hagan, James

Collery, Margaret (Mrs.) Kerrie, No. 1290.
McKeown, Richard Hudson, Albert

Dart-Kelly, Frederick W. Gooramadda, No. 1948.

Trevorah, Arthur Portarlington, No. 2455.

Derham, Frank S. Morwell North, No. 2621.
Lindsay, John

Egan, J. Woodbourne, No. 2875.

Annett, George Wallacedale North, No. 3332.

Brown, William C. Evclyn, No. 3642.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SUPREME COURT.

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

FOR TAKING AFFIDAVITS.

Name.	Profession.	Residence.	Jurisdiction.	Duration of Commission (unless revoked).
James Taylor Miller	Civil Servant ...	Melbourne ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to be an officer in the Sheriff's office
Geoffrey Joseph Justin Chappel	Clerk of Courts (Relieving)	Sale ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to act as a Relieving Clerk of Courts

Prothonotary's Office,
Melbourne, 18th December, 1915.

D. F. McGRATH,
Prothonotary.

COUNTRY ROADS BOARD.

APPOINTMENT.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, approved of the recommendation of the Country Roads Board that

T. G. BOWDEN

be appointed Acting Secretary, as from 10th December, 1915, during the absence of the Secretary on leave.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

RESIGNATION.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, accepted the resignation by the person named hereunder of the office mentioned, viz.:—

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Shorthand and Type Writer,

ARTHUR J. LIVENS

of his position as Shorthand and Type Writer, General Division.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

Public Service Act 1915 (No. 2713), Section 91.

EXEMPTIONS.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and upon the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner, has, by Order made on the 7th day of December, 1915, exempted the officers named hereunder from the provisions of section 91 of the Public Service Act 1915 (No. 2713), that is to say:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

G. WHITE (Cabinetmaker) and
W. J. GOODWIN (Carpenter).

Officers of the Department of Public Works, when required to work overtime in connexion with the State Munitions Committee, such exemption to be operative from the 18th October, 1915, to the 30th June, 1916.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 7th December, 1915.

SECOND MASTER, MELBOURNE JUNIOR TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

APPPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from persons, who are qualified, for the position of Second Master, Class "H," Professional Division, Department of Public Instruction.

Yearly Salary.—£204 minimum; £240 maximum.

Qualifications.—To hold a Diploma from an approved Technical School or equivalent and to be able to teach mathematics up to the highest standard required in Technical Schools.

Duties.—To teach mathematics in the Junior Technical School and evening classes if required, and to be responsible to the Head Master for all mathematics taught in the School.

Applications (which should be accompanied by documentary evidence of experience and qualifications, together with a statement of date of birth) are required to be lodged at the office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Monday, the 31st January, 1916.

By order,

J. B. A. SAYERS,
Pro Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 20th December, 1915.

THIRD MASTER, MELBOURNE JUNIOR TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

APPPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria), from persons who are qualified, for the position of Third Master, Class "I," Professional Division, Melbourne Junior Technical School, Department of Public Instruction.

Yearly Salary.—£192.

Duties.—To teach Science and to assist with evening classes if required.

Qualifications.—To possess a diploma from an approved Technical School or its equivalent, and to be competent to teach Applied Mechanics up to the highest standard required in Technical Schools.

Applications (with should be accompanied by documentary evidence of experience and qualifications, together with a statement of date of birth) are required to be lodged at the office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Friday, the 24th instant.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 10th December, 1915.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—VICTORIA.

[No. 182.]

EXHIBITION OF LIGHT, MORNINGTON, PORT PHILLIP.

MARINERS and others are informed that permission has been given to a Melbourne firm to exhibit an acetylene gas light, with reflector, on the property known as "Beleura," at Mornington, during the period 24th December, 1915, to 8th January, 1916, in connexion with an auction sale of such property on the latter date.

GEO. KERMODE,
Port Officer.

Department of Ports and Harbors,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1915.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—VICTORIA.

[No. 183.]

WEST CHANNEL PILE LIGHT.—PORT PHILLIP.

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners, dated 1st August, 1907, and to subsequent Notices, Nos. 177 and 180, mariners and others are hereby notified that on and after 1st January, 1916, the light at the West Channel Pile will be permanently changed to a flashing light, with the following character:—Light 1½ seconds, followed by an eclipse of a similar period.

The fog signals will be discontinued from the same date.

GEO. KERMODE,
Port Officer.

Department of Ports and Harbors,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1915.

Auction Sales Act.

AUCTIONEERS' Licences issued and transferred at the undermentioned Revenue and Pay Offices during the month of November, 1915:—

For the year 1915.
ISSUED.

Wonthaggi.

Ludbrook, Robert.

TRANSFERRED.

Kerang.

From Leng, Robert, to Davies, John W.

For the year 1916.
ISSUED.

Melbourne.

Anderson, William.	Haughton, Aubrey E.
Beale, Arthur.	Hewitt, Charles A.
Brown, Fredk. G.	Higginbotham, Albert E.
Burke, Thomas M.	Lynott, Edward.
Clarke, Charles J.	Mathews, Charles H.
Danneey, Richard R.	McPhail, James.
Duke, James S.	Owen, Percy.
Evans, Charles E.	Powell, William H. N. N.
Hart, Robert.	Smale, Arthur W.
Harvey, Richard J.	Wauchope, William N.

Geelong.

Carr, Walter L.

Traralgon.

Campbell, Henry M.

M. MINOGUE,
Under-Treasurer of Victoria.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

LAW DEPARTMENT.—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

COURTS OF PETTY SESSIONS.—ALTERATION OF DAY AND TIME.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and pursuant to the provisions of section 61 of the *Justices Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2675), has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, directed that the days and hours specified opposite the places named in the Schedule hereunder be altered as indicated therein, viz.:—

Place.	Alteration of Day and Time.	
	From—	To—
Korong Vale ...	Every Friday, at 2 p.m.	Every Monday, at 2 p.m.
Quambatook ...	Every Tuesday, at 10.30 a.m.	Every Tuesday, at 10 a.m.
Wedderburn ...	Every Friday, at 10 a.m.	Every Monday, at 10 a.m.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

LAW DEPARTMENT.—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

COURT OF PETTY SESSIONS APPOINTED.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, pursuant to the provisions of section 61 of the *Justices Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2675), appointed

CHILLINGOLLAH

a place at which a Court of Petty Sessions shall be held, and has directed that the Sittings of such Court be held on every alternate Wednesday, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, commencing on the 19th day of January, 1916.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

LAW DEPARTMENT.—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

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BEECH FOREST

a place at which a Court of Petty Sessions shall be held, and has directed that the Sittings of such Court be held on every alternate Friday, at Ten a.m., commencing on the 7th day of January, 1916.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

POLICE SALE.—MIRBOO POLICE STATION.

THE undermentioned unclaimed animal will, if not previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the Mirboo Police Station, on 6th January, 1916, at Three p.m.:—

1 bay pony gelding, cob, 4 years old, unbranded, about 13 hands, small splint on inside of near front leg near knee joint, very silky mane.

A. G. SAINSBURY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office, 7th December, 1915.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

RULES UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1915.

THE following Rule is made as prescribed by section 27 (1) of the *Supreme Court Act 1915*, in lieu of Rule 197 of Part I. and of Rule 25 of Part II. of the General Rules under the *Companies Act 1910*.

New Rule.

The fees payable in respect of proceedings for winding up a company by or subject to the supervision of the Court and for the reduction of capital shall be those prescribed by the Supreme Court Office Fees Regulations 1915.

A folio shall comprise seventy-two words, every figure being counted as one word.

Dated the 17th day of December, 1915.

(Sd.) JOHN MADDEN, C.J.
(Sd.) THOS. A'BECKETT, J.
(L.S.) (Sd.) HENRY HODGES, J.
(Sd.) J. H. HOOD, J.
(Sd.) L. F. CUSSEN, J.

By the Court—D. F. MCGRATH, Prothonotary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

CHINESE INTERPRETER.—ALLOWANCES.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, directed that ALFRED LEW TYSHING, Chinese Interpreter, of Melbourne, whilst necessarily absent from home, travelling to, or attending at the sittings of the Supreme Court for the hearing of criminal trials, Courts of General or Petty Sessions, inquests, or magisterial inquiries, shall be paid a special allowance of One pound (£1) for each day's necessary detention and for each full day travelling from or returning home, in addition to the actual cost of conveyance in travelling from and returning to Melbourne.

Where the service does not occupy a full day in its performance, a proportionate reduction to be made.

The above-mentioned Order to take effect from the 1st December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

Marriage Act 1915.

MINISTERS OF RELIGION REGISTERED TO CELEBRATE MARRIAGES IN VICTORIA.

IT is hereby notified that in pursuance of the provisions of the *Marriage Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2691), section 11, the under-mentioned Officiating Ministers of Religion have been registered at this office for the celebration of marriages in Victoria:—

No. in Register.	Name.	Designation.	Denomination.	Residence.	Date of Registration.
5445	Marshall, William Douglas ...	Minister ...	Presbyterian Church of Victoria	The Manse, Noorat ...	22nd November 1915.
5446	McCallum, Leslie Clair ...	Evangelist...	Church of Christ ...	Scott-grove, East Malvern ...	2nd December
5447	Maguire, Thomas Worsley ...	Minister ...	Presbyterian Church of Victoria	Gheringhap-street, Geelong	13th December
5448	Wall, Arthur ...	"	" " "	Mirboo North ...	13th December
5449	Gallagher, Thomas John ...	Priest ...	Roman Catholic ...	Iona ...	13th December
5450	Joyce, William ...	"	" " "	Mornington ...	13th December

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

A. M. LAUGHTON,
Government Statist.

6 George V., No. 2611, Secs. 76 and 94.
6 George V., No. 2741, Sec. 31.

NOTICE.

A RULE to administer the estate of each of the under-mentioned deceased persons has been granted to me, and creditors, next of kin, and all others having claims against the estate of any of the persons so mentioned are required to send particulars of their claims to the Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, 483 Collins-street, Melbourne, on or before the 31st January, 1916, or they may be excluded from the distribution of the estate when the assets are being distributed:—

JAMES DALZIEL, late of No. 29 Wright-street, East Prahran, retired farmer, died 25th November, 1915, intestate.

EDWARD JOHN DAVY, late of Wedderburn, old-age pensioner, died 14th August, 1915, intestate.

TIMOTHY ENRIGHT, late of Staghorn Flat, near Yackandandah, farmer, died 6th July, 1908, intestate.

THOMAS FUREY, late of No. 106 Cremorne-street, Richmond South, labourer, died 7th November, 1915, intestate.

HARRIET ANN AMELIA LEWIS, late of No. 82 Stanley-street, Collingwood, spinster, died 10th August, 1915, intestate.

RODERICK McLENNAN, late of Lismore, farmer, died 13th October, 1915, intestate.

EMILY JANE PRATT, late of No. 58 Abbotsford-street, Abbotsford, married woman, died 3rd October, 1915, intestate.

JOHN ROWE (with the will annexed), late of No. 8 Crown-street, South Melbourne, formerly of Wilwatersrand, Transvaal, South Africa, mining overseer, died 4th December, 1915.

WILLIAM HENRY SMITH, late of Chinkapook, soldier, died 16th June, 1915, intestate.

JOHN TAYLOR, late of No. 15 Surrey-road, South Yarra, accountant, died 27th November, 1915, intestate.

WILLIAM WINSLOW (with the will annexed), late of St. Arnaud East, retired gardener, died 10th August, 1915.

WALTER B. HOUSE.

Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons.

Melbourne, 13th December, 1915.

Unused Roads and Water Frontages Act 1903, Section 5.
LICENCES TO OCCUPY WATER FRONTAGES.—
LICENCES CANCELLED, ETC.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Water Frontages have been cancelled, amended, or transferred as shown hereunder:—

Licence No. 8940, Stewart, Alfred, gazetted 19th May, 1915, page 1775. Cancelled as from 31st August, 1916. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 4409, Dillon, Roger, gazetted 2nd August, 1911, page 3973. Cancelled as from 31st March, 1913. Pay office, St. Arnaud.

Licence No. 1026, Clarke, F. J., and Orton, William, gazetted 24th April, 1907, page 1905. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1911. Pay office, Camperdown.

Licence No. 6748, Winterbottom, James, gazetted 12th June, 1912, page 2246. Cancelled as from date of issue. Pay office, Bendigo.

Licence No. 4375, Smethurst, James, sen., gazetted 2nd August, 1911, page 3972. Cancellation gazetted 4th March, 1914, page 1192, to be removed. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 7916, Howells, M., gazetted 7th May, 1913, page 2023. Read name S. A. Howells, of Mt. Cole, *vid* Ararat. Pay office, Ararat.

Licence No. 4182, Hopgood, G., gazetted 5th July, 1911, page 3450. Cancelled as from date of issue. Pay office, Yackandandah.

Licence No. 3749, Higgins, P. L., gazetted 1st March, 1911, page 1442. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Benalla.

Licence No. 9104, Chivers, John A., gazetted 3rd November, 1915, page 4620. Transferred to William E. Chivers, of White Gate, Tatong, from 1st January, 1916. Pay office, Benalla.

Licence No. 4376, Mathieson, J. R., gazetted 2nd August, 1911, page 3972. Read address Athlone, *via* Drouin. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 8772, King, A. G., gazetted 6th January, 1915, page 9. Transferred to C. S. Wall and Sons, of Leongatha. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 6780, Donergan, John, gazetted 5th June, 1912, pages 2167-8. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1912. Pay office, Rushworth.

Licence No. 8397, Hughes, Thomas, gazetted 4th March, 1914, page 1189. Read description from 1st October, 1915, as frontage north, and portion east of allotment 39. Rent 7s. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 1657, Linn, Andrew, gazetted 6th November, 1907, page 4819. Amend as from 1st January, 1908, by excising frontage to allotments 13a and 15. Read area 15 acres and rent 7s. 6d. Pay office, Portland.

W. A. ADAMSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 29th day of November, 1915.

Unused Roads and Water Frontages Act 1903, Section 5.

LICENCES TO OCCUPY UNUSED ROADS.—
LICENCES CANCELLED, ETC.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Unused Roads issued to the following persons have been cancelled, amended, or transferred as shown hereunder:—

Licence No. 4529, Cribbes, M., gazetted 22nd January, 1908, page 229. Cancelled as from 20th November, 1915. Pay office, Castlemaine.

Licence No. 8711, Healy, B., gazetted 10th May, 1911, page 2301. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 10518, Durack, C., gazetted 4th September, 1912, page 3683. Amend as from 1st September, 1915, by excising road between allotments 47 and 49. Read area 3½ acres and rent 4s. 8d. Pay office, Harrow.

Licence No. 10905, Milroy, W. G., gazetted 27th November, 1912, page 4950. Read date of cancellation 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Seymour.

Licence No. 2804, Milroy, W. G., gazetted 13th March, 1907, page 1476. Read date of cancellation 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Seymour.

Licence No. 2760, Milroy, W. G., gazetted 13th March, 1907, page 1475. Read date of cancellation 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Seymour.

Licence No. 7729, Apted, E., gazetted 22nd June, 1910, page 2856. Amend as from 1st January, 1905, by reading description as portion of road abutting allotment 28 adjoining township, parish of Neerim. Read rent 4s. 5d. per annum. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 2843, Schefferle, E., gazetted 13th March, 1907, page 1477. Amend as from 1st January, 1916, by reading description as road between allotments 52a and 52b, area 3 roods, rent per annum 7s. 6d. Read address Riverside, Meredith. Pay office, Geelong.

Licence No. 7410, Carter, Samuel, gazetted 9th March, 1912, page 1697. Cancelled as from 1st January, 1905. Pay office, Ararat.

W. A. ADAMSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 29th day of November, 1915.

Unused Roads and Water Frontages Act 1903, Section 5.

LICENCES TO OCCUPY UNUSED ROADS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Unused Roads have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Licence Fee specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch),
Melbourne, 15th day of December, 1915.

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area.	Municipality.	Parish.	Abutting on— Allotments and Sections.	Date of Issue of Licence.	Licence Expiry of Licence.	Fee for Licence.		Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—	
								£	s. d.		
13396	Baines, Mrs., Benalla	A. R. P.	Benalla	Samaria	65	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0	6	0	Benalla
13397	Clarke, R. V., Melbourne	3	"	Tatong	13, 19, 18, 17, A	"	"	0	15	0	"
13398	Atkinson, J. A., Tamnack	15	"	Tamnack	78A, 95, P. R.	"	"	0	13	0	"
13399	Lynch, John, Winton	6	"	Winton	18A, 19B, 120	1.1.1911	31.12.1913	0	18	0	Ararat
13400	Taylor, Johann, Warrak	2	"	Warrak	48, 1, 6, 7; township	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0	10	0	Wycheproof
13401	Cameron, Samuel, Quarbestock	24	Keerak	Township	44, sec. 1	1.1.1914	31.12.1916	0	12	0	Rusbjerg
13402	Brennan, Archibald, Georgetown	5	Chiltern	Georgetown	8, sec. 2	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0	5	0	Chiltern
13403	Martin, John, McIntyre, Chiltern	5	Township	Chiltern	14, sec. H	1.1.1907	31.12.1909	0	1	7	Tallangatta
13404	Coulston, Thos., Berringtons	9	Township	Denahle	8	1.1.1919	31.12.1917	0	5	3	Hamilton
13405	Templeton, A. J., Coers, Dnnkeld	1	Mount Rouse	Denahle	51, 51, 51, 51B	1.1.1915	"	0	9	3	Creston
13406	Marshall, W. O., Berrimbake	7	Balkan	Keerak	20, 21, 19, 24	"	"	1	2	6	Casterton
13407	Schoolfield, Henry, Pigeon Ponds, viz Hamilton	22	Wannon	Moorestown	5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10; township of Ascot	1.1.1914	31.12.1916	2	0	3	Bendigo
13408	Bendigo Golf Club, care of R. A. Rankin, Commercial House, Bendigo	5	Humbly	Sandhurst	125, 107, 112B, 124, 106A	"	"	0	18	0	Warragul
13409	McIndee, Robt. E., Leongatha	18	Woorayl	Mardan	43, sec. 11	1.1.1905	31.12.1907	0	6	0	Castlemaine
13410	McKvey, John, Strangways P.O.	4	Glenlyon	Yandolt	Secs. 12, 13, 17, 18	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	1	10	0	Wangaratta
13411	Cartlew, William John, Myrtleford	15	Oxley	Loceby	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

Licence Nos. 13396, 13397, 13398, 13399, renew to 31st December, 1916; No. 13404, renew to 31st December, 1915, then to 31st December, 1916; Nos. 13400, 13402, 13403, rent to be charged from 1st October, 1915; No. 13405, rent to be charged from 1st July, 1915; No. 13409, renew to 31st December, 1910, then to 31st December, 1913, then to 31st December, 1916; No. 13406, special condition: Unlocked swing-gates to be erected; No. 13410, rent to be charged from 1st October, 1915.

Unused Roads and Water Frontages Act 1903, Section 5.
LICENCES TO OCCUPY WATER FRONTAGES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Water Frontages have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Licence Fee specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.
 Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch),
 Melbourne, 15th day of December, 1915.

W. A. ADAMSON,
 Commissioner of Public Works.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area.	Municipality.	Parish.	Abutting on— Allotments and Sections.	Date of Issue of Licence.	Date of Expiry of Licence.	Fee for Licence.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
9142	Maclier, Robert, "Restcum," Tatura	A. R. P.	Violet Town	Gowangardie	31	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	£ 8 d.	Benalla
9143	McDonald, Chas., Benalla	"	Benalla	Mooring	32 and 33	1.1.1906	31.12.1907	0 18 0	"
9144	Websdale, John, Tabbarabbera	"	Bairnsdale	Tyira	96, sec. 1	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	1 10 0	Omeo
9145	Marshall, W. O., Beromboke	"	Ballan	Beromboke	57	"	"	0 4 0	Geelong
9146	N. B. Frazer, as attorney for Meyer Singh, care of Bank of Victoria, Kerang	"	Kerang	Dartagook	13, sec. G	1.1.1911	31.12.1913	0 9 0	Kerang
9147	Scott, John C., Hinno-Munjie Bridge	"	Omeo	Bingo-Munjie North	9	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0 11 3	Omeo
9148	Muster, Geo. J., Lancefield	"	Lancefield	Hinno-Munjie	7, sec. 7	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	0 12 6	Kilmore
9149	Simethurst, E. R., Athlone P.O., via Drouin	"	Bala Buln	Lancefield	7 and 8, Old Town site	1.1.1912	31.12.1914	0 17 0	Warragul

Licences No. 9142, 9146, and 9149, renew to 31st December, 1916; No. 9143, renew to 31st December, 1913, then to 31st December, 1915; No. 9144, renew to 31st December, 1915; No. 9145, special condition; "Unlocked swing-gates to be erected."
 No. 9144 and 9147, rent to be charged from 1st October, 1915; No. 9146, rent to be charged from 1st October, 1911; No. 9149, rent to be charged from 1st April, 1912; No. 9145, special condition; "Unlocked swing-gates to be erected."

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

IN pursuance of the Mines Act, it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant Leases of the portions of ground undermentioned, subject to such excisions, modifications, and reservations as may be necessary.

Department of Mines,
 Melbourne, 20th December, 1915.

T. LIVINGSTON,
 Minister of Mines.

Mining District. Application.	No. of License.	Name of Applicant, and state under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	Approximate Area of ground to be leased.	Minimum Number of Men to be employed from and after the Date of Lease.		Precise Locality.	Term of Lease and General Remarks, showing Excisions to be made from Area applied for, &c.
				During the First Six Months.	After the First Six Months.		
Ballaarat	215	J. Patrick	30 0 0	Four men	Twelve men	Browns', parish of Scarsdale	15 years.
Beechworth	11/14	V. Stavelly	37 1 6	Two men	Four men	Hillborough	15 years.
Gippsland	212	J. F. Baker and C. Crawford	85 1 16	Four men	Fourteen men	Poster	15 years.
"	226	R. Jandy	91 2 18	Three men	Eleven men	"	15 years.
Maryborough	"	S. Kirwan	39 2 7	Fifteen men	Fifteen men	Parish of Archdale	15 years. This lease will be granted under the provision of section 91 of the Mines Act 1915, and is for the area lately held under lease No. 5911, Maryborough.

APPLICATIONS FOR GOLD MINING LEASES AND TAILINGS LICENCE ABANDONED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned Applications for Leases and Tailings' Licence have been abandoned.

District.	Division.	Application No.	Lease No.	Applicant.	Area.	Locality.
Gold Mining Leases.						
Beechworth ...	Indigo (Chiltern) ...	582	6891	Great Southern Consols	120 0 0	Parishes of Chiltern
Bendigo ...	Sandhurst ...	6559	9348	G.M. Co. N.L.	...	West and Lilliput
" ...	" ...	6560	9349	M. V. Allan ...	...	Myrtle Creek
				R. S. Thomson ...	...	"
Tailings Licence.						
Ballarat ...	Creswick ...	...	747	J. Evans ...	...	Rocky Lead

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1915.

T. LIVINGSTON,
Minister of Mines.

LICENCES TO TRANSFER, ETC., MINING LEASES.

THE following is a list of licences empowering the holders of mining leases to transfer or otherwise part with their interests in their respective leases. The last list of such licences was published in the *Government Gazette* of 1st December, 1915, page 4737.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Licence	Particulars of Licence.
Bendigo ...	Sandhurst ...	7883	26.11.15	To transfer leases to "The New Chum Goldfields Company No Liability."
" ...	" ...	8507	"	
Ararat ...	Stawell ...	2427	4.12.15	To "The Sloanes and Scotchmans United Q. M. Co. N.L.," to mortgage its interest in lease to the Treasurer of the State of Victoria.
Ballarat ...	Creswick ...	3031	6.12.15	To transfer lease to Eureka Terra Cotta and Tile Co. of Australia Limited
Bendigo ...	Bendigo ...	7711	7.12.15	To transfer lease to A. V. Leggo.
" ...	Eaglehawk ...	9178	14.12.15	To "The Johnson's Reef Gold Mines Co. N.L.," to let on tribute to "The Princess Dagnar G. M. Co. N.L.," portion of the land the subject of lease.
" ...	Heathcote ...	3030	16.12.15	To A. Wolskel, to transfer lease to "Heathcote Chemical Company Proprietary Limited."

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1915.

W. DICKSON,
Secretary for Mines.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENFORCE COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE MINING DEVELOPMENT ACT 1915.

WHEREAS Union and Dorrith Gold Mining Company No Liability whose registered office was formerly situate at Equitable Building 320 Collins-street Melbourne in the State of Victoria and subsequently at Lincoln Chambers Collins-street Melbourne aforesaid but is now situate at No. 9 first floor, Flinders Buildings Flinders-street, Melbourne aforesaid (hereinafter called "the mortgagor") has made default in payment of interest due and payable by the mortgagor under and by virtue of four mortgages numbered 243599, 263276, 281894, and 300946 respectively in the Office of Titles and four bills of sale numbered 137487, 141075, 144016, and 145940 respectively in the office of the Registrar-General.

And whereas the said mortgage numbered 243599 and the said bill of sale numbered 137487 were given to secure the repayment of money advanced by way of loan out of the sum of £30,000 mentioned in item 4 in the Schedule to the *Surplus Revenue Act 1904* and the said mortgage numbered 263276 and the said bill of sale numbered 141075 were given to secure the repayment of money advanced by way of loan out of the sum of £42,000 mentioned in clause (b) of section 2 of the *Surplus Revenue Act 1907* and the said mortgages numbered 281894 and 300946, and the said bills of sale numbered 144016 and 145940 were given to secure the repayment of moneys advanced by way of loans under the Mining Development Acts together with interest on such moneys on the days and in the manner set forth in such securities.

And whereas under two deeds of agreement dated respectively the 9th day of June, 1906, and the 3rd day of June, 1908, the mortgagor entered into covenants with His Majesty the King his heirs and successors that in the event of the mortgagor failing or neglecting to repay any principal money or to pay any interest in respect of any moneys advanced thereunder at the times

or on the days appointed for the payment of the same, the Treasurer of the State of Victoria for the time being might adopt the procedure and he and they and any person or persons appointed by him or them should have and might exercise (in addition to or instead of all or any other powers rights and remedies vested in him or them) all or any of the powers rights and remedies provided by section 17 of the *Mining Development Act 1896* in the case of default by a company which should receive an advance under Part I. of such Act.

And whereas the moneys secured by the said mortgages numbered 243599 and 263276 and the said bills of sale numbered 137487 and 141075 were advanced under the said agreements.

Now therefore the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, Treasurer of the said State for the time being, doth hereby give notice in accordance with section 15 of the *Mining Development Act 1915* (formerly section 17 of the *Mining Development Act 1896*), that it is his intention to enforce compliance with the provisions of the *Mining Development Act 1915*.

Dated the eighth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Treasurer of the State of Victoria.

EXAMINATION OF MINING MANAGERS, ETC.

AN Examination for the issue of the undermentioned Certificates of Competency will be held during the month of February, 1916:—Coal Mine Manager, first and second class; Metal Mine Manager, first and second class; Battery Manager; Cyanide Manager; and Chlorination Works Manager. Applications should be lodged before the 17th January next. Forms of application and copies of the regulations may be obtained at this office, or from the Inspectors of Mines, or Schools of Mines.

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

Mines Department,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1915.

MEDICAL BOARD OF VICTORIA.

THE following additional List of Legally Qualified Medical Practitioners, registered under the provisions of Part I. of the Medical Act 1915, is published for general information:—

No. of Certificate.	Date of Registration.	Name.	Address.	Qualification.
	1915			
3126	7th December ...	Bickart, David ...	14 Raglan-street, North Ballarat	M.B. et Ch.B. Melb., 1915
3127	16th December ...	Brown, Vernon Carlisle...	15 Mercer-road, Malvern	" "
3128	" ...	de Lacy, Olaf Francois ...	42 Albert-street, East Melbourne	" "
3129	" ...	Fay, Frank William ...	"The Hawthorns," Brougham-place, East Kew	" "
3130	" ...	Jagger, Thomas Ross ...	Pimpinio (on active service)	" "
3131	" ...	McDonald, Edward ...	16 Grattan-street, Carlton	" "
3132	" ...	Panting, Arthur Ernest ...	8 Gordon-street, Toorak	" "

Names of deceased practitioners removed—

- No. 393, James Macgregor MacIntyre.
- 276, George Birney.
- 1184, Noel Crawford Atterbury Vance.
- 739, Thomas Culbertson Hope.
- 3049, George Pincock Merz.
- 2704, James Fairburn Fairley.
- 1023, William Clelland Wilkinson.
- 380, George Dixon Dickinson.
- 2597, David Young.
- 2140, William Amherst Henry Barrett.
- 307, Charles Monteiro D'Almeida Lempriere.

Medical Board of Victoria,
16th December, 1915.

W. J. ATTWOOD,
Secretary

Factories and Shops Act 1915.

IN compliance with an application in writing under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, and after due inquiry, I, being the responsible Minister for the time being administering the said Act, do hereby suspend the operation of the provisions of the above Act which relate to shops in the vicarage grounds of Christ Church, Geelong, where an "Allies Tea" was held on the 11th December, 1915, in aid of the church funds, upon the following express conditions, that is to say:—

That no goods shall be sold after Ten p.m.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, the 14th day of December, 1915.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Minister of Labour.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.

IN compliance with an application, in writing, under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, and after due inquiry, I, being the responsible Minister for the time being administering the said Act, do hereby suspend the operation of the provisions of the above Act which relate to shops in the grounds of the Bareena Recreation Club, Newtown, Geelong, where a "Tom-bola" was held on the 11th December, 1915, in aid of the Red Cross funds, upon the following express condition, that is to say:—

That no goods shall be sold after Ten p.m.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, the 14th day of December, 1915.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Minister of Labour.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.

IN compliance with an application in writing under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, and after due inquiry, I, being the responsible Minister for the time being administering the said Act, do hereby suspend the operation of the provisions of the above Act which relate to shops in the building at Gardiner where a Sale of Gifts will be held on the 18th December, 1915, in aid of the funds of the Gardiner Methodist Church, upon the following express condition, that is to say:—

That no goods shall be sold after Ten p.m.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, the 16th day of December, 1915.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Minister of Labour.

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the publication of this advertisement in four consecutive ordinary numbers of the *Government Gazette* and in four numbers of one of the daily newspapers published in the metropolis, the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works will proceed to compulsorily take (unless the same is in the meantime acquired by the Board from the owner or owners or other persons interested by mutual agreement) easements in, over, under, and through the lands mentioned and described below.

The nature of the works in respect of which the easements are proposed to be taken is the construction of sewers and works incidental thereto in connexion with the sewerage system of the metropolis, as more fully appears on the plan of the proposed works hereafter mentioned.

A plan of the proposed works will be open for inspection at the offices of the Board, 110 Spencer-street, Melbourne, from the date hereof until the 31st December, 1915, during office hours.

The quantity of land which the Board requires for the purpose of such works and other particulars are set forth below.

The consent of the Governor in Council was duly obtained in terms of the Board's Act No. 2696, on the 16th November, 1915.

County.	Parish.	Part of Crown Allotment.	Section.	Easement Required.
Bourke	Boroondara	60	14	33 feet wide
				20 "
				20 "
				10 "
				33 "
				20 "
				10 "
				6 "
				3 "
		Part of Crown portion and allotment 79	...	

Dated this first day of December, 1915.

GEO. A. GIBBS,
Secretary.

Office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, 110 Spencer-street, Melbourne.

(First published, 8th December, 1915.)

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.*

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works having made sewers for carrying off the sewage from each and every property which, or any part of which, abuts on the streets or parts of streets in which such sewers are laid, and which are included within the sewerage area hereinafter described, doth hereby declare that on and after the 8th day of January, 1916, each and every property which, or any part of which, abuts on the said streets or parts of streets shall be deemed to be a seweraged property within the meaning of the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1915*.

The Sewerage Areas hereinbefore referred to are—

SEWERAGE AREA NO. 393.

Town of Coburg.—Starting at the intersection of Barrow-street and Hardwick-street, on the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 345; thence following portion of the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 345 westerly along Hardwick-street, northerly along the eastern boundary of lot 59, Hardwick-street, easterly along a right-of-way, northerly along Barrow-street, westerly along the northern boundary of lot 143, Barrow-street, northerly along the eastern boundary of lot 135, Coburg-street, and the eastern boundary of lot 121, Walsh-street, to Walsh-street; thence easterly along Walsh-street to the eastern boundary of lot 124, Walsh-street, on plan of subdivision No. 669, lodged at the Office of Titles; thence southerly along said eastern boundary to the northern boundary of lot 133, Barrow-street, on said plan of subdivision No. 669; thence easterly along the said northern boundary of lot 133 to the eastern boundary of the same; thence southerly along said eastern boundary and the eastern boundary of lot 144, Barrow-street, on aforesaid plan of subdivision No. 669, to a right-of-way; thence westerly along said right-of-way to the eastern boundary of lot 69, Hardwick-street, on plan of subdivision No. 2043, lodged at the Office of Titles; thence southerly along said eastern boundary to Hardwick-street; thence westerly along Hardwick-street to the starting point at the intersection of Barrow-street and Hardwick-street.

SEWERAGE AREA NO. 394.

City of Malvern.—Starting at the intersection of Burke-road and Wattle-tree-road; thence westerly along Wattle-tree-road to Kingston-street; thence southerly along Kingston-street to the northern boundary of lot 164, Kingston-street, on the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 267; thence following portion of the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 267 westerly along the northern boundary of said lot 164, southerly along the western boundaries of lots 164 to 162, Kingston-street, and the western boundary of "Inverinate," Kingston-street, westerly along the northern boundary of lot 142, Nott-street, southerly along Nott-street, westerly along the northern boundary of "Sunnybank," Nott-street, northerly along Belson-street, and westerly along Wattle-tree-road to the east side of a right-of-way at the junction of Sewerage Areas Nos. 267 and 334; thence following portion of the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 334 northerly along the east side of said right-of-way, the eastern boundary of Council land, and the east side of Cross-street, and easterly along High-street to Edgar-street, at the junction of Sewerage Areas Nos. 334 and 361; thence following portion of the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 361 further easterly along High-street, northerly along Scott-grove, and easterly along the southern boundary of "St. Hilary," Burke-road, to Burke-road; thence southerly along Burke-road to the northern boundary of the Convent of the Sacred Heart; thence easterly, southerly, and westerly along the northern, eastern, and southern boundaries of the said Convent of the Sacred Heart to Burke-road; thence southerly along Burke-road to the starting point at the intersection of Burke-road and Wattle-tree-road.

By order of the Board,

W. J. CARRE RIDDELL, Chairman.
GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

Office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, 110 Spencer-street, Melbourne, 8th December, 1915.

*In lieu of Notice published in *Gazette* of 15th December, 1915, page 4960.

VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT TOURIST BUREAU.

Collins-street (opposite Town Hall), City. Inquire personally or by letter *re Holiday Trips, Tourists' Resorts, &c. Tickets issued daily.* Telephone 2898 and 2899 Central.

DINING-CAR SERVICE.

A dining-car is run on Inter-State Express trains. Tariff:—No. 1 saloon—Dinner, 4s.; breakfast, 3s.; lunch, 3s. No. 2 saloon—Dinner, 2s.; breakfast, 2s.; lunch, 2s.

INTER-STATE CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Fast Excursion Trains will run as under:—Wednesday, 12th January, 9th February, and 8th March.—Leave Melbourne for Adelaide at 4.40 p.m. Fares:—Single—First class, £1 14s.; second class, £1. Return—First class, £2 10s.; second class, £1 10s. Thursday, 13th January, 17th February, and 16th March.—Leave Melbourne for Sydney at 10 p.m. Fares:—Single—First class, £2; second class, £1 10s. Return—First class, £4; second class, £3. Full particulars respecting tickets booking to Mount Gambier, Penola, Narracoorte, Wolsely, Broken Hill, &c., on posters at stations.

WEEK-END EXCURSIONS.

Week-end tickets are issued at Holiday Excursion Fares from any station to any other station distant more than 9 miles by the last train on Fridays, and by all trains on Saturdays, also by the last train in the week on any line on which no train runs on Fridays or on Saturdays. The tickets will be available for return till the last through train on the following Monday, provided that on any line on which no train runs on Monday such tickets will be available for return by the first train in the week following their issue. Week-end tickets are also issued (1) at all stations on lines on which trains run on Sundays; (2) by the following trains from Melbourne on Fridays:—Bendigo line, 4.50 p.m.; Ballarat line, 5.6 p.m.; Warrnambool and Queenscliff lines, 4.22 p.m.; Seymour line, 4 p.m.; Bairnsdale line, 4.30 p.m.; Healesville line, 4.53 p.m.; Frankston and Mornington line, 5.9 p.m.

The Metropolitan Suburban Traffic is excepted from the above arrangements, also that within the Ballarat suburban radius of North Creswick and Buninyong.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Warburton line.—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Warburton, at 9.30 and 10.40 a.m., stopping at all stations, and at 11.10 a.m. for Warburton, stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return from Warburton at 5.48 and 6.8 p.m., stopping at certain stations to Lilydale, and at Croydon, Ringwood, Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond, and at 6.34 p.m., stopping at all stations to Melbourne. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Healesville line.—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Healesville at 10.30 a.m., stopping only at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and at 11.22 a.m., stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return at 6.5 and 6.55 p.m., stopping all stations to Lilydale and at certain stations thence. Passengers from stations between Flinders-street and Lilydale at which the 11.22 a.m. does not stop will require to travel by the 10.40 a.m. train to Lilydale and join the Healesville train there. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Ferntree Gully and Gembrook lines.—Leave Flinders-street (from No. 1 platform, east end) at 10.25 a.m. for Upper Ferntree Gully and Emerald, picking up at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, Box Hill, Ringwood, and all stations thence, and at 11 a.m. for Upper Ferntree Gully and Gembrook, picking up at Richmond, Box Hill, and Ringwood, and stopping at all stations thence, returning from Gembrook at 5 p.m. (express Selby to Ferntree Gully), from Belgrave at 6.50 p.m., stopping at all stations, and from Emerald at 6.47 p.m., stopping at all stations to Ferntree Gully; and from Ferntree Gully at 7.5 p.m., stopping at Bayswater, Glenferrie, and Richmond only, at 7.30 p.m., stopping at all stations to Ringwood, and setting down only at Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond, and at 8.7 p.m., stopping at all stations to Box Hill and at Camberwell, Auburn, Glenferrie, and Richmond only thence. A train will also leave Flinders-street at 1.55 p.m. for Ferntree Gully and Belgrave, stopping at all stations. Return fares to Ferntree Gully:—First class, 1s. 0d.; second class, 1s. 3d. Gembrook:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d. Passengers from stations East Richmond to Mitcham inclusive at which the 11 a.m. does not stop

will require to travel by the 10.40 a.m. train to Ringwood and join the Gembrook train there. Passengers from Melbourne by these Sunday trains on Ferntree Gully and Gembrook line will require to book and enter platform at Prince's-bridge Station (not Flinders-street).

Gembrook line.—Owing to the limited accommodation on this line, a maximum number of 250 passengers can only be booked, viz., 200 from Prince's-bridge and 50 from Upper Ferntree Gully. Passengers will not be booked from other than these two stations.

Mornington line.—Leave Flinders-street at 10.45 a.m. (instead of 10.50 a.m.) for Mornington, running express from Caulfield to Mordialloc, and reaching Mornington at 12.40 p.m., leaving Mornington on return at 7.10 p.m., non-stopping Frankston to Caulfield, and reaching Melbourne at 8.50 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Pakenham line.—Leave Flinders-street for Pakenham at 11.2 a.m., and return at 7.5 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, Clyde.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.2 a.m. for Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde, reach Clyde at 3.50 p.m., and return from there at 5.50 p.m., arriving in Melbourne at 8.59 p.m. Passengers change trains at Dandenong. Holiday excursion fares.

Bacchus Marsh line.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.10 a.m., and return from Bacchus Marsh at 7.3 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s.; second class, 2s.

Whittlesea line.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.1 a.m., return from Whittlesea at 7.25 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 2s. 6d.; second class, 1s. 6d.

Eltham and Hurstbridge line.—Leave Prince's-bridge for Eltham at 10.5 a.m., stopping at all stations, and at 10.45 a.m. for Hurstbridge, stopping only at Clifton Hill, Heidelberg, Eltham, and all stations thence, and at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. for Eltham, stopping at all stations; returning from Eltham at 6 p.m., stopping at all stations; and from Hurstbridge at 6.45 p.m. (7.8 p.m. from Eltham), stopping only at Balee, Diamond Creek, Eltham, Heidelberg, Clifton Hill, and all stations thence, and at 7.34 p.m. from Eltham, stopping at all stations.

Return fares to Eltham:—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 1s.; and to Hurstbridge—First class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d.

Tickets available for return on day of issue only.

Full particulars on posters at stations.

THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS TO MOUNT BUFFALO.

Tickets are issued daily at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and at Spencer-street station to Mount Buffalo, available from Melbourne to Bright (rail), thence by coach to Mount Buffalo, and return, at the following combined fares:—First class, 56s. 8d.; second class, 42s. 10d. Tickets available for return for two months from date of issue. The rail journey cannot be broken.

Seymour, Benalla, Wangaratta, Beechworth, and Albury will also issue through rail and coach tickets to Mount Buffalo, *via* Bright, at the following combined fares:—From Seymour, first class, 43s. 8d.; second class, 34s. 2d.; from Benalla, first class, 30s. 10d.; second class, 25s. 6d.; from Wangaratta, first class, 26s.; second class, 22s. 6d.; from Beechworth, first class, 24s. 8d.; second class, 21s. 6d.; and from Albury, first class, 33s. 11d.; second class, 27s. 8d. The tickets will be available for return for two months from date of issue, and the railway journey cannot be broken.

Passengers from stations other than Seymour, Benalla, Wangaratta, and Beechworth may obtain tickets at holiday excursion fares to the nearest of these stations on payment in addition of the through rail and coach fare to Mount Buffalo.

MOUNT BUFFALO EXCURSIONS.

Special inclusive week tickets, covering transport and accommodation at the Government Chalet, are issued on Fridays by the 4 p.m. Express train. First class, £5 10s. Excursionists wishing to travel by motor from Bright may do so, weather permitting, on payment at Bright of 2s. 6d. extra.

EXCURSIONS TO HEALESVILLE.

Seven (7) days' trip, including first class rail, accommodation, and coach drives, £3.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

Sunday trains at special cheap fares run on the Warburton, Healesville, Ferntree Gully and Gembrook, Pakenham, Mornington, Bacchus Marsh, Whittlesea, and Eltham and Hurstbridge lines; and at holiday excursion fares to Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde. See posters at stations.

CHEAP EXCURSION FROM GEELONG AND SOUTH GEELONG TO DRYSDALE AND QUEENSLIFF ON SATURDAYS TILL 18TH DECEMBER INCLUSIVE.

The special train will leave Geelong at 2 p.m., and South Geelong at 2.5 p.m.; and return from Queenscliff at 8.15 p.m., and Drysdale at 8.40 p.m.; Return fares:—To Drysdale, first class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d.; to Queenscliff first class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 6d. Children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at Geelong and South Geelong stations up till the departure of the train. They will be available by the special train only. Passengers holding week-end or ordinary tickets to Drysdale and Queenscliff may travel to Geelong by the 10.15 a.m. from Ballarat, and 11 a.m. train from Melbourne, thence by the 2 p.m. special.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, tickets in connexion with the following cheap excursions will be issued:—Seaside and Gippsland Lakes; Mountainous Districts; through Rail and Coach; Buchan Caves; Mount Buffalo (issued throughout the year); Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday Excursions to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc; Family Suburban Seaside Excursions. Full particulars can be obtained from the "Book Time-table" or from posters at stations.

SEASIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, Seaside Excursion Tickets will be issued at Melbourne and some of the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, Dean Marsh (Melbourne excepted), Forrest, Timboon (Melbourne excepted), Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Carrum, Seaford, Frankston, Hastings, Mornington, Bittern, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Tooradin, Foster, Bannison, Toora, Welshpool, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes. The tickets will be available for return for two months, and the journey may be broken at Melbourne for three clear days going and returning. See posters at stations.

EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, first and second class return tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Flinders-street station (as the case may be), to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Huon, Tallangatta, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Walhalla, and Briogolong, from Echuca, Bendigo, Kerang, St. Arnaud, Maryborough, Geelong, Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Horsham, Warracknabeal, and Seymour to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Benalla, Wangaratta, and Shepparton to Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, and Portland to Beechworth, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Mangalore to Bright; from Albury, Wahgunyah, Wodonga, and Yarrawonga to Beechworth; and from Bendigo, Boort, Chillingollah, Donald, Echuca, Kerang, Korong Vale, Mildura, Sea Lake, Swan Hill, and Wycheproof, to Macedon and Woodend.

THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, through rail and coach tickets will be issued at Spencer-street, or Flinders-street station (as the case may be), at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and at Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son to Forest-road, Hazel Dell, Fony Creek, Sassafras, Olinda, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Fillans, Marysville, Kerami, Graecdale, Claverton, Nyora, Buxton, Acheron, Taggerty, Cathedral Side, Jamieson, Thornton, Upper Thornton, Darlingford, Omeo, Bruthen, Lorne, Port Campbell, Peterborough, Ocean Grove, Barwon Heads, Torquay, Portarlington, Clifton Springs, Angelsea, Airey's Inlet, St. Leonards, Flinders, Inverloch, Walsh's Creek, and Apollo Bay; also from Geelong, Ballarat, Ballarat East, and Camperdown to Port Campbell and Peterborough; and from Geelong and South Geelong to Lorne.

Through rail and coach circular tickets will also be issued as follow:—(1) Melbourne to Healesville (by rail), thence to Marysville and Alexandra (by coach), and Alexandra to Melbourne (by rail) and *vice versa*, also issued from Alexandra for circular journey. Fares—First class, 29s. 6d.; second class, 24s. 8d. (2) Melbourne to Upper Ferntree Gully (rail), thence to Bayswater, *via* Sassafras (coach), and Bayswater to Melbourne (rail) (and *vice versa*). Fares—First class, 7s. 3d.; second class, 6s. 8d. (3) Bright to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 66s.; second class, 52s. 10d. (4) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach).

Fares—First class, 74s.; second class, 60s. 10d. 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. (5) Beechworth to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Bright (by coach), thence to Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 103s.; second class, 89s. 4d. (6) Beechworth to Bright (by rail), thence to Bairnsdale (by coach), thence to Melbourne and Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 103s.; second class, 89s. 4d. (7) Melbourne to Bright (rail), thence to Omeo and Bairnsdale (coach), thence to Melbourne (rail), also the reverse route. Fares—First class, 101s.; second class, 87s. 10d. (8) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence coach to Bairnsdale, also the reverse route. Fares—First class, 101s.; second class, 87s. 10d. (9) Melbourne to Warburton (by rail), thence to Walsh's Creek (by coach), and Walhalla to Melbourne (by rail); also the reverse route. Fares—First class, 21s. 10d.; second class, 16s. 6d. Passengers make their own arrangements for the journey between Walsh's Creek and Walhalla. (10) Melbourne or Geelong to Forrest (rail) thence to Apollo Bay and Beech Forest (coach), and Beech Forest to Melbourne or Geelong (rail); also the reverse route. Fares—Melbourne: First class, 39s. 4d.; second class, 33s. 4d. Geelong: First class, 30s. 8d.; second class, 27s. For full particulars see posters at stations.

EXCURSIONS TO THE BUCHAN CAVES.

Commencing on 15th November, 1915, Flinders-street station, the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son will issue through rail, boat, and coach circular tickets from Melbourne to the Buchan Caves and return, available over the following routes:—Melbourne to Bairnsdale (rail), Bairnsdale to Cunningham (steamer), Cunningham to Lake Tyers (coach), Lake Tyers to Nowa Nowa (motor launch), and Nowa Nowa to Buchan (coach), returning Buchan to Nowa Nowa (coach), Nowa Nowa to Lake Tyers (motor launch), Lake Tyers to Cunningham (coach), Cunningham to Sale (steamer), and Sale to Melbourne (rail); or alternately going *via* Sale and returning *via* Bairnsdale. The journey cannot be broken on rail portion of route, but may be broken at the junction of the rail and boat or coach routes. Tickets are available for return for two (2) months from date of issue. Combined fares—First class, 64s.; second class, 53s. 6d. These tickets are also issued from Dandenong, Warragul, Moe, and Traralgon at proportionately reduced fares.

THROUGH RAIL AND BOAT TICKETS TO COWES, NEWHAVEN (PHILLIP ISLAND), AND SAN REMO.

Through rail and boat tickets are issued daily at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son, Collins-street, and at Flinders-street and all stations to Mentone inclusive, also at some of the principal stations to Cowes, Newhaven (Phillip Island), and San Remo, available for return for two months. The journey cannot be broken except on tickets issued at country stations, on which passengers may break the journey at Melbourne for three days both going and returning.

WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, inclusive, Cheap Suburban Seaside Excursion tickets will be issued by all trains from 10 a.m. on Saturdays (north and south suburban stations, 10 miles radius, will issue tickets by connecting trains, which arrive at Melbourne about 10 a.m.), and by all trains on Sundays, and by all trains from 1 p.m. on Wednesdays, as follows:—Children under sixteen years, half fare.

These tickets are available for return on day of issue only.

To Williamstown.—From Flinders-street, Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and South Kensington. Rail only—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Footscray and Seddon, second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Williamstown, children under sixteen years can travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from North Williamstown or Williamstown Beach if desired. These tickets are available *via* Port Melbourne and ferry steamer of *via* Footscray on either route.

To Port Melbourne or St. Kilda.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare.

To Brighton Beach.—From Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, and South Yarra—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Prahran and Windsor—Second

class, 6d. From stations nearer to Brighton Beach, children under sixteen years can travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Brighton or Middle Brighton if desired.

To Sandringham.—From Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Sandringham, children under sixteen years can 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. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Hampton if desired.

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

FAMILY SUBURBAN SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.

A special family card ticket will be issued at all suburban stations within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne to the following seaside resorts at the undermentioned fares by all trains after 10 a.m. on week days, and by all trains on Sundays:—*To Mordialloc*, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s. 6d.; second class, 3s. 6d.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 5s.; second class, 4s. *Williamstown, Brighton Beach, and Sandringham*, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s.; second class, 2s.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s. *Port Melbourne and St. Kilda*, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 2s. 6d.; second class, 1s. 6d.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class 3s.; second class, 2s.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d. Each ticket entitles two adults and four children under sixteen years, or one adult and five children under sixteen years, to travel between the issuing station and one of the above-named stations. Tickets are available for one return journey on the day of issue only. Journey may be broken at Melbourne only. The following public holidays—Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, and any other holidays notified from time to time—are excepted from the above arrangement.

MILITARY TRAVELLING FROM MELBOURNE TO TRAINING CAMPS.

Soldiers proceeding to Seymour may travel only by the 6.15 a.m. train on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and the 6.48 a.m. Mondays and Saturdays; also the 2.40 p.m., 4 p.m. (limited number), and the 6.35 p.m. trains. Those to Castlemaine or Bendigo to travel by the 12.15 p.m. and 5.42 p.m. (6.30 p.m. Saturdays) trains; those to Ballarat by the 11 a.m. or the 7.9 p.m. trains; and those to Geelong by the 11 a.m. or 7 p.m. trains.

MILITARY CAMP AT SEYMOUR.

On Sundays, special trains will leave Flinders-street (No. 9 platform, east end) for Seymour at 10.48 a.m., if required, and at 10.58 a.m., the latter train stopping at all intermediate stations. On return leave Seymour (if required, at 6.50 p.m.), and also at 7 p.m., the latter train stopping at all stations. Cheap special fares. From Melbourne—Return, 1st class, 4s. 6d.; 2nd class, 3s. 6d.; children under 3 years, free; over 3 and under 14 years, half fare. Tickets available for the day only. The above fares will also apply from stations between Melbourne and Seymour if cheaper than Holiday Excursion Fares.

BROADMEADOWS SUNDAY TRAINS.

On Sundays trains will leave Flinders-street for Broadmeadows at 12.47, 1.32, 2.30, 3.0, 6.0, and 9.32 p.m., and leave Broadmeadows for Flinders-street at 9.42 a.m., 2.15, 3.0, 5.46, 6.30, 7.29 (to Spencer-street), 9.4 and 10.25 p.m. Passengers will require to change trains at Essendon.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR EXCURSIONS.

Holiday Excursion Tickets will be issued to and from all stations (suburban excepted), and at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner Collins and Swanston streets, from 10th December till 3rd January

(both dates inclusive), available for return on and after 25th December till 1st February (inclusive). The journey must be commenced on the date of the ticket, and may be broken (see posters). On tickets bearing dates from 10th till 24th December inclusive the return journey cannot be commenced till 25th December.

Note.—On tickets issued at Spencer-street, Flinders-street, and Ballarat stations, and at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner of Collins and Swanston streets, bearing dates from 10th December to 3rd January inclusive, the journey may be commenced on any date during that period, and the tickets will be available for return from 25th December till 1st February inclusive.

Sydney, Adelaide Brisbane.—From 13th December till 1st January inclusive, (Adelaide 3rd January), excursion tickets will be issued at Melbourne, at the following return fares, viz. :—

From Melbourne to—	First Class.	Second Class.	Available.	Dates Issued.
Sydney, via Southern Line	£ 5 5 0	£ 3 10 0	2 calendar months	13th December till 1st January (Adelaide 3rd January).
Sydney, via Harden and Blayney	5 11 6	3 14 0		
Adelaide ...	4 0 0	2 10 0		
Broken Hill ...	7 3 6	4 9 6		
Brisbane ...	10 10 0	7 0 0		

Sydney and Brisbane Excursion Tickets will not be available by the express trains, except on payment of the difference between the single fare and half the holiday excursion fare for the journey shown on the ticket.

Tickets for sleeping cars between Melbourne and Adelaide and Albury and Sydney will be issued at Spencer-street only from 18th December till 3rd January inclusive.

Commercial Travellers' Samples.—From 16th December till 3rd January (both dates inclusive) Commercial Travellers' samples will only be taken to or from roadside stations by mixed or goods trains. They will not be despatched to or from Spencer-street or Flinders-street by passenger or mixed trains, but must be sent by goods trains.

Parcels.—From 18th December till 3rd January inclusive, parcels must be at the parcels' office at Spencer-street and Flinders-street stations half-an-hour before the starting times of ordinary trains.

Perishables.—Full Parcel Rates will be charged for all perishables, excepting fish and ice forwarded from Spencer-street, Flinders-street, and Prince's-bridge and suburban stations by all trains on 23rd, 24th, 25th, 27th, 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January. On the same dates rabbits, fruit, and dairy produce carried by purely passenger trains on Up journey between Bendigo, Camperdown, Stawell, Wodonga, Sale, Korumburra, and Melbourne will be charged full parcels rates. The 7 a.m. train from Seymour, 6.8 a.m. from Numurkah, and 6.38 a.m. from Castlemaine to Melbourne are excepted.

Goods Sheds Holidays.—The 25th and 27th December and 1st January will be observed as holidays in the Goods Branch, and only dairy produce goods trains will be run. Perishable goods will be delivered at all stations on application. On all holidays empty milk cans will be received at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street, up till 12 noon.

Inquiry Offices.—Corner Collins and Swanston streets, Telephone Nos. 2898 and 2899; Spencer-street, No. 1268. Apply early for information

EXTRA TRAINS AVAILABLE FOR EXCURSION AND ORDINARY PASSENGERS.

Northern lines.—Down: Extra trains will leave Melbourne 18th December to 3rd January for Bendigo at 6.25 a.m. daily, 24th and 25th December excepted, on which dates the train will leave at 6.22 a.m., and another division at 6.37 a.m. These trains will stop at Sunbury, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and Golden Square; at 11.45 a.m. on 24th December, stopping at Sunbury, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, and Castlemaine; at 12.8 p.m. from 18th December till 3rd January inclusive, stopping at Sunbury, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and Golden Square; at 3.10 p.m. on 24th December, stopping at Sunbury, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and Golden Square; at 4.30 p.m. on 23rd and 24th December, stopping only at Macedon, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and Golden Square. The 5.16 p.m. Castlemaine train will be run 18th December to 3rd January, and will run

through to Bendigo on 24th December, stopping only at Gisborne, Macedon, Woodend, Kyneton, Castlemaine, and Golden Square; and at 6.50 p.m. on 24th and 31st December, stopping at all stations from St. Albans; on 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, and 31st December, and 3rd January, the 6.30 p.m. train will run Melbourne to Bendigo instead of the 5.42 p.m.; the 5.42 p.m. will run to Kyneton on 27th and 28th December, 1st and 3rd January. Up: Trains will leave Bendigo for Melbourne at 11.45 a.m. from 18th December till 3rd January inclusive; and at 6.35 p.m. from 18th December to 3rd January inclusive. The 11.45 a.m. train will stop at Castlemaine and stations thence to Macedon inclusive. The 6.35 p.m. will stop at Golden Square, Castlemaine, Kyneton, Woodend, Macedon, Lancefield Junction, Sunbury, Sunshine, and Footscray. Passengers are recommended to travel by the 3.10 p.m. special from Melbourne on 24th December, as this train will have a fast run and reach Bendigo at 7.1 p.m. See also Daylesford line.

Lancefield line.—On 24th December, Lancefield line passengers should leave Melbourne at 7.9 a.m., and on 25th December at 7.25 a.m. special instead of 6.40 a.m. On 23rd, 25th, 28th, 30th December, and 1st January, the night train to Lancefield will be held to connect with the 6.30 p.m., and on 24th December to connect with the 6.50 p.m. train from Melbourne.

Woodend and Daylesford line.—On 24th and 25th December a through train will leave Melbourne for Daylesford at 7.9 a.m., stopping at North Melbourne, Footscray, St. Albans, and all stations thence to Daylesford. On 24th, 27th and 28th December, and 3rd January, a through train will leave Melbourne at 2.12 p.m., stopping at Sunbury, Riddell, Gisborne, Macedon, and all stations thence to Daylesford. On 24th December a through special will leave Melbourne at 5.35 p.m., stopping at Gisborne and all stations thence. Passengers for Daylesford must travel by this train instead of the 5.16 p.m. train. On 24th, 27th and 28th December, and 3rd January, a train will leave Daylesford for Melbourne at 7 p.m., and reach Melbourne at 9.59 p.m.

Bendigo-Echuca line.—On 24th December the 8.30 p.m. train, Bendigo to Echuca, will be held to form connexion with the 5.16 p.m. special from Melbourne.

Bendigo-Wycheproof line.—On 24th December an evening train from Bendigo will leave at 9 p.m., forming connexion with the 5.16 p.m. from Melbourne, and will be run through to Korong Vale and Wycheproof.

Bendigo-Swan Hill line.—On 24th December a train will leave Bendigo for Swan Hill at 6.10 p.m., connecting with the 12.15 p.m. train from Melbourne; and on return will leave Swan Hill at 4.35 a.m. on 25th December, and Kerang at 6 a.m., for Melbourne.

Dunolly-Tarnagulla-Inglewood line.—On Saturday, 25th December, the 6.5 a.m. Maryborough to Inglewood and 2.10 p.m. Inglewood to Maryborough trains will be run.

Maryborough-Avoca line.—On 24th December a train will leave Maryborough for Avoca at 10.30 p.m. in connexion with the 5.16 p.m. train from Melbourne and the 8.10 p.m. from Castlemaine, also connecting with the 8.15 p.m. train from Ballarat.

North-Western and South-Western lines.—From 18th December till 3rd January inclusive, special booking windows at the south end of Spencer-street station will be open for the issue of tickets. On 24th and 25th December a special express will leave Melbourne for Ararat at 6.34 a.m., stopping at Melton, Parwan, Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Ballarat East, Ballarat, and all stations thence; and from 18th December till 3rd January a second division of the 7.40 a.m. train will leave Melbourne for Ararat at 8.5 a.m., stopping at same stations as the 7.40 a.m. Passengers for stations Deer Park to Ararat inclusive must travel by the 8.5 a.m., the 7.40 a.m. being reserved for those going beyond Ararat. On 25th and 27th December and 1st January a special train, stopping at all stations, will leave Melbourne for Bacchus Marsh at 8.35 a.m., returning from Bacchus Marsh at 7.40 p.m. On 24th December a special express train will leave Melbourne for Horsham at 11.37 a.m., stopping at Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Ballarat East, Ballarat, and all stations thence. On 24th December a special express for Ballarat will leave Melbourne at 2.55 p.m., stopping same stations as 3.30 p.m. special. From 23rd December till 3rd January inclusive a special express will leave Melbourne for Ballarat at 3.30 p.m., stopping at Melton, Parwan, Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Gordon, and Ballarat East. On 22nd, 23rd, and 24th December an extra express train will leave Melbourne for Serviceton and Adelaide (via Bacchus Marsh) at 4.10 p.m., stopping at Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Ballarat East, Ballarat, and Ararat to pick up only through passengers, thence at the same stations as the ordinary express. This train will take sleeping berth passengers for Adelaide. On 24th December an extra express will leave Melbourne at 5.30 p.m. for Ballarat,

stopping only at Melton, Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, and Ballarat East. Passengers for these stations cannot travel by the 5.6 p.m. express on the 24th December. The 5.6 p.m. will run through to Stawell, 18th December to 4th January. From 23rd December till 3rd January inclusive, an extra train, stopping at all stations as required, will leave Ballarat for Melbourne (*via* Bacchus Marsh) at 11.20 a.m.; on these dates the ordinary train timed to leave Ballarat for Melbourne at 10.50 a.m. will leave Ballarat at 10.55 a.m., and only stop at Ballan, Bacchus Marsh, and Melton. On 22nd, 23rd, and 24th December, a special express will leave Serviceton at 11 p.m., stopping at the same stations as the ordinary express as far as Ballarat, thence at Ballarat East, Ballan, and Bacchus Marsh only. On 25th December a special train will leave Horsham at 12.40 a.m. and Stawell at 2.25 a.m., Ararat at 3.5, Beaufort at 4.5, Ballarat at 5.10 (ahead of Adelaide express), stopping at usual stations for express, and reaching Melbourne at 7.40 a.m. From 19th December to 5th January an extra express will also leave Stawell at 3.50 a.m., Ararat 4.30 a.m., Beaufort 5.30 a.m. From 18th December to 3rd January inclusive (Sundays excepted), the train usually leaving Ararat for Ballarat at 4.13 p.m. will run in two divisions, leaving Ararat at 4 p.m., stopping at Beaufort only, and at 4.20 p.m., stopping at all stations as required. These trains will leave Ballarat for Melbourne at 6.35 p.m., stopping only at Bacchus Marsh and Melton; and at 7.10 p.m., stopping at all usual stations.

Ballarat East.—From 17th December till 3rd January inclusive, passengers will not be booked at Ballarat for Ballarat East by any of the trains for Melbourne.

Ararat—Hamilton—Portland Trains.—On 24th and 31st December a train will leave Hamilton at 10.17 a.m. for Portland in connexion with the 7.15 a.m. from Ararat, and on return leave Portland for Hamilton and Ararat at 2.55, connecting with the train to Ballarat.

Murtoa—Warracknabeal—Hopetoun line trains.—On 24th December a train will leave Hopetoun at 7.40 p.m. and Warracknabeal at 10 p.m. for Murtoa, stopping at all stations, enabling passengers to join the through express to Melbourne, leaving Murtoa at 1.12 a.m., and reaching Melbourne at 7.49 a.m.; and on 24th December a train will leave Murtoa for Warracknabeal at 11.40 p.m. in connexion with the 4.40 p.m. express from Melbourne on 24th December.

Ballarat and Daylesford line.—On 27th December and 1st January an extra train, stopping at all stations, will leave Daylesford for Ballarat at 8 p.m., and Ballarat for Daylesford at 10.55 p.m. On 24th December the 5.10 p.m. train, Ballarat to Daylesford, will be detained till 6 p.m. to connect with the 2.55 p.m. train from Melbourne.

Geelong—Ballarat line.—Passengers for stations between Geelong and Ballarat should travel from Melbourne by 6.30 a.m. or 11 a.m. ordinary trains.

Queenscliff line.—On 23rd, 24th, and 31st December a special train will leave Queenscliff for Geelong at 11.15 a.m., and return from Geelong at 1.15 p.m. (in connexion with 11 a.m. train from Melbourne, and with 10.15 a.m. train from Ballarat).

Geelong—Warrnambool line.—On 23rd, 24th, 25th, and 27th December an extra train will leave Melbourne for Camperdown at 6.20 a.m., stopping only at Newport, North Geelong, Geelong, and all stations thence. On 24th, 28th, 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January, the regular 11 a.m. train from Melbourne to Geelong will run through to Camperdown, stopping at all stations, and reaching there at 4.11 p.m. From 22nd December to 3rd January a first division of Port Fairy train will leave Melbourne at 4.2 p.m., and will run as far as Camperdown, stopping at usual stations from Werribee. On 23rd, 24th, 25th, and 31st December, and 1st January, the 7 p.m. train from Melbourne will run through to Camperdown, stopping at all stations, and reaching there at 11.58 p.m. An extra train for Geelong will leave Melbourne at 8.35 p.m. on 1st and 3rd January. From 23rd December to 4th January an extra train, stopping at all stations, will leave Camperdown for Melbourne at 4.45 a.m., and on 24th, 25th, 27th December, 1st and 3rd January, a train will leave Camperdown at 9.20 a.m. for Melbourne, stopping at all stations. On 23rd, 24th, 25th, 27th, 28th, 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January, the train usually leaving Camperdown for Melbourne at 5.35 p.m. will run express, stopping only at Colac, Birregurra, and Geelong, and an extra train will leave Camperdown at 5.50 p.m., stopping at all stations. On 24th December, 1st and 3rd January, leaving Geelong at 5.35 p.m. for Melbourne.

Beech Forest line.—On 1st and 3rd January the 3.15 p.m. train, Colac to Beech Forest, will connect with the 11 a.m. train from Melbourne.

Ararat—Hamilton line.—On 24th December a train will leave Ararat for Hamilton at 10.25 p.m. in connexion with the 5.6 p.m. express from Melbourne; and a special will leave Hamilton for Ararat at 4 a.m., stopping where required and connect with trains to Melbourne.

Goroke and Natimuk line.—On Saturday, 25th December, the train usually leaving Goroke for Horsham at 12.15 p.m. (Saturdays) will leave at 6.45 a.m. instead, running same as Fridays.

North-Eastern line.—From 18th December till 3rd January inclusive, passengers for Mansfield, Seymour, Benalla, Wodonga, Albury, Sydney, Beechworth, and other stations on the North-Eastern and Goulburn Valley lines will be booked at the new booking office, and admitted at the gates opposite Bourke-street. All passengers' luggage for these lines will also be received there. The trains will start from Nos. 9 and 10 platforms at Spencer-street Station. The Albury and Sydney expresses will leave Melbourne at the usual times, viz., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. respectively during the holidays, and stop only at the usual stopping places for these trains. On 24th December a special express, stopping at the same stations as the 4 p.m. express, will leave Melbourne for Albury at 5.17 p.m., but will not connect with the New South Wales train; passengers for stations between Seymour and Benalla inclusive will require to travel by this train instead of the 4 p.m., but those for Yarrowonga, Beechworth, Wahgunyah, and Tallangatta lines must travel by the 4 p.m. express. On 23rd, 24th, and 25th December a first division of the 6.15 a.m. train will leave Melbourne at 6.5 a.m. for Wangaratta (and to Albury on 23rd), stopping only at Wallan, Tallarook, and all stations thence. From 17th December till 3rd January inclusive the train timed to leave Seymour for Melbourne at 8.33 p.m. will leave at 8.15 p.m., and run express, stopping only at Tallarook (except on 3rd), Wallan, Essendon, and North Melbourne to set down; and an extra train will leave Seymour on the same dates at 8.33 p.m., stopping at all stations, as required. On 25th, 27th December, 1st and 3rd January, an extra train will leave Seymour at 5.10 p.m. for Melbourne, stopping all stations. On 23rd and 25th December a special train will leave Wangaratta for Melbourne at 4.10 p.m., ahead of the ordinary evening train, and reach Melbourne at 9.34 p.m., and on 24th December leave Wangaratta 6.15 p.m. and Benalla 7.10 p.m., arrive Melbourne 11.20 p.m.

Goulburn Valley line, &c.—From 18th December to 4th January inclusive a special express, taking passengers for Mansfield and Goulburn Valley lines, also for Wallan, Kilmore East, Broadford, Tallarook, and Seymour will leave Melbourne for Seymour at 6.48 a.m., stopping to pick up at North Melbourne and Essendon. Passengers for the Goulburn Valley and Mansfield lines will not be allowed to travel by the 6.15 a.m. train on these dates; they must go by the 6.48 a.m. train. On 18th, 23rd, and 24th December a special train will leave Melbourne for Shepparton at 2.40 p.m., stopping at all stations. Passengers for the Goulburn Valley line to Shepparton are requested to travel by this train. On 18th, 23rd, and 24th December an additional train will leave Melbourne for Numurkah at 5.43 p.m., leaving Seymour at 8 p.m. Passengers for the Goulburn Valley line will not be permitted to travel by the 4 p.m. Albury express on these dates; they must travel by either the 2.40 p.m. or 5.43 p.m. train. On the 24th December the 5.43 p.m. train from Melbourne will run through to Pocola, and on 25th December a train will leave Pocola for Numurkah at 5.3 a.m., connecting with the 6.8 a.m. through train to Melbourne. On 24th December the 5.43 p.m. train from Melbourne will also form connexion with train to Cobram. On 25th December a train will leave Cobram for Numurkah at 5.3 a.m., connecting with the 6.8 a.m. through train to Melbourne.

Mansfield line.—On 24th December a through train will leave Melbourne for Mansfield and Alexandra at 6.3 p.m., reaching Alexandra at 10.56 p.m., and Mansfield at 12.16 a.m.; and on 25th December a train will leave Mansfield for Melbourne at 7.0 a.m., and Yea at 10.35 a.m. On 24th and 25th December a through train will leave Melbourne at 7.5 a.m. for Mansfield and Alexandra. Passengers for these lines will require to travel by this train instead of the 6.15 a.m.

Wallan line.—On 25th December an extra train for Wallan will leave Melbourne at 7.30 a.m.

Rushworth line.—On 24th December a train will leave Murchison East for Rushworth at 9.15 p.m. in connexion with the 5.43 p.m. special from Melbourne; and on 25th December a train will leave Rushworth at 7.5 a.m. for Murchison East, connecting with the through train to Melbourne.

Toolamba—Echuca line.—On 18th, 23rd, and 24th December the evening train will leave Toolamba at 9.40 p.m. for Echuca in connexion with the 5.43 p.m. from

Melbourne; and on 20th, 24th, and 25th December the 5.13 a.m. train will run Echuca to Toolamba, connecting with through train to Melbourne.

Yarrowonga line.—On 24th and 31st December the 7.57 p.m. train, Benalla to Yarrowonga, will be run as on usual days to connect with the 4 p.m. express from Melbourne. The 2.45 p.m. Up from Yarrowonga to Benalla will also be run.

Bright line.—On 24th December a special train will run through to Bright, leaving Melbourne at 6.5 a.m., reaching Bright at 3.15 p.m., and return Bright to Melbourne the same day at 4.10 p.m., reaching Melbourne at 11.20 p.m.

Whitfield line.—The following will be the train service, viz.:—On 27th December, leave Whitfield for Wangaratta at 6.50 a.m. instead of 8.15 a.m., and on return leave Wangaratta at 8.30 p.m. (instead of 3.30 p.m.), reaching Whitfield at 10.30 p.m. In addition, an extra train will leave Wangaratta for Whitfield at 9.50 a.m., arriving there at 11.50 a.m.; returning, leave Whitfield at 6 p.m., reaching Wangaratta at 8 p.m. On 1st January, leave Whitfield at 6.50 a.m. for Wangaratta; and leave Wangaratta at 6.30 p.m. for Whitfield.

Wodonga—Tallangatta line.—On 24th December a train will leave Wodonga for Tallangatta at 9.50 p.m. in connexion with the 4 p.m. express from Melbourne, and leave Tallangatta for Wodonga at 7.30 p.m.

Wahgunyah line.—On 24th December the 3 p.m. from Wahgunyah to Springhurst, and the 9.9 p.m. Down Springhurst to Wahgunyah will be run.

Eastern line.—On 24th December, in order that visitors to the Gippsland Lakes may reach there in good time, a special train will leave Melbourne for Sale and Bairnsdale at 3.15 p.m., stopping to pick up at South Yarra, Malvern, Caulfield, Oakleigh, and Dandenong, and reaching Sale at 8.30 and Bairnsdale at 10.25 p.m. This train will stop to set down at Drouin, Warragul, Trafalgar, Moe, Morwell, Traralgon, Rosedale, Sale, and stations beyond. On 23rd, 24th, and 31st December, and 1st January, an extra train will leave Melbourne for Sale at 7.34 a.m. (also on 27th, 28th December and 3rd January for Warragul). This train will pick up at Richmond, South Yarra, Toorak, Malvern, Caulfield, Oakleigh, and Dandenong, and set down at Pakenham, Nar-nar-noon, Bunyip, Longwarry, Drouin, Warragul, and stations thence to Sale. On 25th December the 7.34 a.m. train will run through to Bairnsdale, stopping only at Warragul and all stations thence. On 18th, 23rd, 24th, and 31st December, and 1st January, an extra train, stopping at all stations usual for the 7.52 a.m. train, will leave Melbourne for Warragul at 8.16 a.m., and on 3rd January for Sale. Passengers for roadside stations to Warragul inclusive must travel by this train. On 25th December the 8.16 a.m. train will run through to Bairnsdale, stopping at the usual stations for the 7.52 a.m. ordinary train. On this date the 7.52 a.m. train will run to Sale only. On 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th, and 31st December, and 3rd January, an extra train will leave Melbourne at 4.12 p.m. (for Warragul on 27th, 28th December, and 3rd January, Traralgon on 31st, and Sale on 23rd and 24th December). This train will stop at South Yarra, Malvern, Caulfield, Oakleigh, and all stations thence. On 24th December the 4.30 p.m. train will run through to Bairnsdale, and on the same date the 5.30 p.m. train will run from Bairnsdale to Sale. On 25th December extra trains will leave Bairnsdale for Melbourne at 7.30 a.m., stopping where required to Oakleigh, and another at 4.30 p.m. from Bairnsdale, stopping only at Sale, Traralgon, and Warragul, and arrive Melbourne 11.40 p.m. On 23rd, 24th, 25th, and 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January, an extra train will leave Sale for Melbourne at 4.55 p.m., stopping at all stations to Oakleigh. On these dates the ordinary train timed to leave Sale for Melbourne at 4.33 p.m. will stop only at certain stations, and reach Melbourne at 9.48 p.m.; and on 18th, 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th, 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January, a train will leave Warragul for Melbourne at 8 p.m., stopping at all stations to Oakleigh, thence at Caulfield, South Yarra, and Richmond, and reaching Melbourne at 10.35 p.m. On 24th, 27th, 28th December, 1st and 3rd January, the 11.20 a.m. Down Melbourne to Warragul, and the 3.50 p.m. Up Warragul to Melbourne will be run the same as on usual days.

Neerim line.—On 24th December a train will leave Warragul for Neerim at 8 p.m. in connexion with the 4.30 p.m. train from Melbourne.

Mirboo line.—On 24th December a train will leave Morwell for North Mirboo at 9.10 p.m. in connexion with the 4.30 p.m. train from Melbourne.

Walhalla line.—The 6.40 a.m. Walhalla to Moe, and 12 noon Moe to Walhalla, trains will run on Saturday, 25th December, as usual.

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Port Albert line.—On 24th December the 4.45 p.m. train, Flinders-street to Leongatha, will be run on to Port Albert; and on 25th December a train will leave Port Albert at 4.50 a.m., the same as on Thursdays.

Wonthaggi line.—On 24th, 25th, 27th, and 28th December, and 1st and 3rd January, through trains will leave Flinders-street for Wonthaggi at 6.55 a.m. and on 24th and 28th December, and 3rd January, 5.20 p.m., and Saturday, 25th December, 6.45 p.m., and leave Wonthaggi for Melbourne at 7.2 a.m. on 24th, 25th, 28th December, 3rd January, and 4.14 p.m. on 24th, 25th, 27th, 28th December, 1st and 3rd January (no changing at Nyora). Passengers for stations, Clayton to Nyora inclusive, must travel by the 6.55 a.m. and 5.20 p.m. instead of the Port Albert trains.

EXTRA LOCAL TRAINS.

Ballan line.—On 1st January an extra train will leave Ballarat for Ballan at 10.25 p.m., and return at 12.5 a.m.

Buninyong line.—On 24th and 31st December the 11.15 p.m. train will run from Ballarat to Buninyong, and return from Buninyong at 11.55 p.m. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force between Buninyong, Ballarat, Wendouree, and Linton Junction. Posters with full particulars will be exhibited at the stations.

Linton line.—On 24th and 27th December an extra train will leave Linton for Ballarat at 6.20 p.m., on 1st January at 7 p.m., and from Ballarat to Linton at 10.10 p.m. on 24th December, and 10.50 p.m. on 1st January. On 27th December the 11.31 a.m., Ballarat to Linton, will be run, and on return will leave Linton at 6.20 p.m.

Waubra line.—On 24th December and 1st January the 5.40 p.m. train from Waubra to Ballarat, returning at 10.20 p.m., will be run. The 10.20 p.m. train will connect on 24th December with the 5.30 p.m. special from Melbourne.

Ballarat and Maryborough line.—On 27th December extra trains, stopping at all stations, will leave Ballarat for Maryborough at 10.25 a.m. and 9.31 p.m., and Maryborough for Ballarat at 10.30 a.m. and 9.30 p.m. For times at intermediate stations see posters at stations.

ADDITIONAL HOLIDAY TRAINS.

Special Notice.

On Saturdays, 25th December and 1st January, the trains on the Warburton, Healesville, Lilydale, Ferntree Gully, Deepdene, Ashburton, Darling, Kew, Box Hill, Camberwell, and other suburban lines will not be run as usual for Saturdays, but run the same as for other week days, with the addition of extra trains, and cancellations as shown herein. See also poster in this connexion.

Ferntree Gully Line.—Special trains will leave Flinders-street for Upper Ferntree Gully on 24th December, at 8.30 a.m. and 7.35 p.m.; on 25th December at 7.57, 8.30, 8.48, 9.20, and 10.4 a.m., returning at 6.40, 7.8, 7.35, 8.5, and 8.56 p.m.; on 27th December and 1st January at 7.3, 7.57, 8.30, 8.48, 9.0, 9.20, 10.4, 10.24, 10.35 a.m., 12.48 and 1 p.m., and return at 6.5, 6.25, 6.40, 7.8, 7.20, 7.35, 7.50, 8.5, 8.30, 8.50, and 9.10 p.m. On 28th December at 7.57, 9.20, and 10.35 a.m., and return at 7.8, 7.35, 8.5, and 8.28 p.m. On 3rd January, at 7.57, 8.48, and 9.20 a.m., and return at 7.8, 7.35, and 8.5 p.m. On 27th December and 1st January the ordinary train, timed to leave Melbourne for Ferntree Gully at 6.35 p.m., will be detained till 7.35 p.m. This 7.35 p.m. train will also be run on 24th and 31st December in addition to the 6.35 p.m. ordinary train. On 25th December, the 1.55 p.m. to Ferntree Gully, returning at 3.30 p.m., will be run as usual.

Gembrook Line.—Extra trains will run from Ferntree Gully to Gembrook in connexion with the following trains from Melbourne, viz.:—On 24th December with the 8.30 a.m. (to Emerald), the 1 p.m. to Gembrook, and the 6.55 p.m. (to Emerald only), and with the 7.35 p.m. to Gembrook. On 25th December, with the 7.57, 8.30 (to Emerald), and 8.52 a.m., and 1.55 p.m.; on 27th December with the 7.57, 8.30 (to Emerald), and 8.52 a.m., and 7.35 p.m.; on 28th December with the 7.57 and 8.52 a.m.; on 31st December at 6.35 p.m. to Emerald, and 7.35 p.m. to Gembrook; on 1st January with the 7.57, 8.30 (to Emerald), 8.52 a.m. and 7.35 p.m.; on 3rd January with the 7.57 and 8.52 a.m. Trains will return from Gembrook for Melbourne as follows:—At 6.8 a.m. daily, Sundays excepted, and on 25th December and 1st January, at 1.15 p.m.; and on 25th, 27th, 28th December, 1st and 3rd January, at 5.33 and 6.20 p.m.; and on 25th, 27th, 28th December and 1st January, at 6.40 p.m.

from Emerald; and on 27th December and 1st January, at 8.35 p.m. from Belgrave. An extra train on 28th December, 3rd and 4th January, will leave Emerald at 5.50 a.m., and Belgrave at 6.29 a.m. for Melbourne.

Lilydale and Healesville Line.—Extra trains will leave Flinders-street for Lilydale and Healesville as follows:—On 23rd, 24th, and 31st December, at 4.33 p.m.; 24th and 31st December, at 12.5, 6.26, and 7.10 p.m.; on 24th December, at 3.50 p.m.; on 25th December, at 7.20 a.m.; on 25th December and 1st January the 11.26 p.m. train Flinders-street to Lilydale will run as usual; on 27th December, at 7.20 a.m. and 9.28 a.m.; on 28th December, at 9.28 a.m.; on 1st and 3rd January, at 7.20 and 9.28 a.m. On Saturdays, 24th December and 1st January, the 1.22 p.m. Melbourne to Healesville train will not run and the 12.35 p.m. train will be run instead. The 11.57 a.m. and 7.25 p.m. trains to Lilydale will not run, but the 2.15 p.m. and 6.20 p.m. will run instead. Extra trains will return from Healesville for Melbourne on 25th, 27th December, and 1st and 3rd January, at 7.35 p.m.; and on 23rd, 24th, 27th, 28th, 31st December, and 1st and 3rd January, at 8.40 p.m.; on 24th and 31st December, at 2.50 p.m.

Warburton Line.—Extra through trains will run as follows:—On 24th December, leave Melbourne for Warburton at 3.20 p.m., returning from Warburton at 7.30 p.m. for Melbourne. On 24th and 31st December, leave Melbourne at 5.26 p.m., returning from Warburton at 9.40 p.m. for Melbourne (Warburton line passengers from Melbourne will not be allowed to travel by the 4.53 p.m. Healesville train on 24th and 31st December; they must travel by the 5.26 p.m. train). On 25th, 27th, and 28th December and 1st and 3rd January an extra train (in addition to 7.37 a.m.) will leave Melbourne at 8.22 a.m. for Warburton, returning from Warburton for Melbourne at 5.30 p.m. same days. Warburton line passengers travel by the 8.22 a.m. on these dates; not by the 8.7 a.m. Healesville train. On 25th December and 1st January the 2.15 p.m. train, Melbourne to Warburton, will be run as usual.

On Saturdays, 25th December and 1st January the 11.57 a.m. train to Warburton will not run, but the 2.15 p.m. will run instead. The 11.55 a.m. from Warburton and the 1.44 p.m. from Lilydale to Melbourne will not be run.

Mordialloc—Frankston Line.—From 23rd till 31st December inclusive (27th December excepted), the 9.30 a.m. Mordialloc train will be run on to Frankston, returning at 11.48 a.m. On 24th, 25th, 28th, 31st December, the 12.5 p.m. Caulfield train will be run on to Carrum, returning at 1.26 p.m. On 24th, 25th, and 31st December, the 12.20 p.m. Mordialloc train will be run on to Frankston. On 23rd, 24th, 25th, and 31st December, a special train will leave Melbourne for Frankston at 1.5 p.m. On 25th December extra trains will leave Melbourne for Carrum at 8.3 a.m.; and for Frankston at 8.30 a.m. On 24th December extra trains will leave Melbourne for Frankston at 4.27 and 9 p.m.; on 24th and 31st December, at 10.56 p.m. and 11.30 p.m. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force on this line. On Christmas Day, week day instead of Saturday service will be in force.

Mornington Line.—On 24th and 31st December the 1.12 p.m. Frankston train will be run on to Mornington. On 23rd, 24th, and 31st December the afternoon Mornington train will be run in two (2) divisions, first at 5.9 p.m. express to Frankston, thence stopping at all stations, and second at 5.32 p.m., stopping only at Caulfield, Cheltenham, and all stations thence. On 25th and 27th December and 1st January, the 1.37 p.m. train will run through to Mornington. On 24th, 25th, 27th, 31st December, and 1st January, the 1.24 p.m. train will run from Mornington to Melbourne as on Saturdays; and on 23rd, 24th, and 31st December extra train leaves Mornington 8.20 p.m. for Melbourne.

Stony Point Line.—On Christmas Day and New Year's Day the 3.30 p.m. train will be run from Stony Point instead of the 12.55 p.m. train. On 23rd, 24th, and 31st December, a special train will leave Flinders-street for Stony Point at 4.23 p.m., stopping to pick up at Caulfield and stations thence, and return from Stony Point at 7.20 p.m. In addition the usual local train will connect at Mornington Junction with the 5.9 p.m. (and 5.32 p.m. extra) Mornington trains, and reach Stony Point at 7.45 p.m. (The steamer for Cowes and San Remo will connect with the 4.23 p.m. train only on 24th and 31st December (and not with the 5.9 p.m. on those dates). Passengers for Caulfield will not be conveyed by the above train. On 27th December, and 1st and 3rd January, the 12.20 p.m. Frankston train will be run on to Stony Point; and leave Stony Point for Melbourne at 4.55 p.m.

Pakenham Line.—On 25th, 27th December, and 1st January the 1.30 p.m. Dandenong train will be run on to Pakenham, and leave Pakenham on return at 3.56 p.m. for Melbourne.

Whittlesea Line.—From 18th December till 3rd January inclusive, the train timed to leave Spencer-street for Whittlesea at 5.20 p.m. will start from Flinders-street at 5.16 p.m., and take up its running through the island platform road at Spencer-street at 5.20 p.m. as usual. On Christmas Day an extra train will leave Flinders-street for Whittlesea at 9.18 a.m., returning at 7.15 p.m., stopping at all stations each way. On 27th December and 1st January, extra trains will leave Flinders-street for Whittlesea at 8.36, 9.18, and 10.5 a.m. (and 7.25 and 10.29 a.m. ordinary trains from Spencer-street). Trains return from Whittlesea at 5.45, 7.15, 7.35, and 8.35 p.m., stopping at all stations. On 25th December and 1st January, the 1.34 p.m. Down Saturday train will be run, returning on 1st January from Whittlesea at 8 p.m.

SUBURBAN TRAIN SERVICE.

Special Notice.—On Saturdays, 25th December and 1st January, the trains on the Camberwell, Box Hill, Kew, Darling, Ashburton, Deepdene, Ferntree Gully, Lilydale, Healesville, and Warburton lines will not be run as usual for Saturdays, nor on other suburban lines on 25th December, but the same as other week days, with the addition of extra trains, and cancellations as shown herein. See also poster on stations.

Heidelberg—Eltham—Hurstbridge line.—On Saturday, 25th December, the week day service will be run instead of Saturday. On 24th, 25th, and 31st December extra trains will leave Heidelberg for Hurstbridge at 11.25 a.m., 1.49, and 8.15 p.m. in connexion with the 10.42 a.m., 1.12 and 7.35 p.m. trains from Melbourne, and will leave Hurstbridge on return at 9.10 a.m., 6 p.m., and 7.15 p.m. for Melbourne. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force. Trains will leave Melbourne for Eltham at 6.17, 6.58, 7.32, 8.5, 8.47, 9.32, 10.4 a.m., and at about 30 to 40 minutes interval during the busy portions of the day, the last at 8.17 p.m., except on 1st January, when the 11.30 p.m. from Prince's-bridge will run through to Eltham (also on 25th December). Trains return from Eltham, beginning at 6.16 a.m., 7.40, 8.16, and 10.10 a.m., and at 40 minutes intervals up till 9.4 p.m., and at 9.21 and 10.10 p.m. A quarter-hour service will be run to and from Heidelberg from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. See posters at stations.

Hurstbridge trains.—On 24th, 25th, and 31st December, trains will leave Melbourne at 10.42 a.m., 1.12, and 7.35 p.m., and return from Hurstbridge at 9.10 a.m., 6 p.m., and 7.15 p.m. On 27th December and 1st January, trains will leave Melbourne for Hurstbridge at 7.32, 8.5, 8.47, 9.32, 10.4, 10.47 a.m., 12.18, 1.2, 4.2, 4.32, 5.17, 5.50, 6.32, and 7.47 p.m., and leave Hurstbridge for Melbourne at 7.4, 9.27, 10.5, 10.45, 11.25 a.m., 12.30, 1.33, 4.50, 5.18, 5.57, 6.36, 7.13, 7.50, and 8.51 p.m.

Preston, &c., line.—On Christmas Day the week day service will be run instead of Saturdays, and the 6.37 and 7.45 a.m. trains from Melbourne to Bell, the 6.21 a.m. to Alphington, 7.8 a.m. to North Fitzroy, 7.14 a.m. to Ivanhoe, 5.42 p.m. to Reservoir will be cancelled; as also the following Up trains:—7.6, 8.19 a.m. from Bell, 7.14 a.m. from Alphington, 7.40 a.m. from North Fitzroy, 8.2 a.m. from Ivanhoe, 7.54 p.m. from Reservoir. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force.

Reservoir and North Fitzroy lines.—On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force. Trains at frequent intervals. See posters at stations.

Williamstown line.—On Christmas Day the week day service will be run instead of Saturdays. On 24th December and till 1st January, inclusive, the 6.49, 6.55 (from Spencer-street), 6.57 a.m., 7.5 a.m. (from South Kensington) Down week days, 6.31, 6.35, 6.42, and 6.50 a.m. (from South Kensington) Down Saturdays, and 5.8, 5.10, 5.13, and 5.15 p.m. Up week days, and 12.4, 12.7, 12.10, and 12.13 p.m. Up Saturdays between Melbourne and Newport shops will not run. In addition to the above on Christmas Day the following trains will not run:—The 6.16, 6.31 a.m., 3.51, 5.20, Down, and 7.7, 7.25 a.m., 4.55 and 6 p.m. Up from Newport. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force on Williamstown line. See posters at stations.

Sunshine and St. Albans line.—On Christmas Day the week day service will be run instead of Saturday, with an extra train to Sydenham at 2.43 p.m. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force. See posters at stations. On 25th and 27th December and 1st January the 11.41 p.m. will run Melbourne to Sunbury.

Coburg line.—On Christmas Day, 25th December, the week day service instead of Saturday will be run, and the following trains between Spencer-street and Coburg will be cancelled:—Down, 5.48, 6.37, 6.56, 7.19, 7.45 a.m., 5.5, 5.41, 5.56 p.m., and Up 6.35, 7.7, 7.25, 7.49, 8.15 a.m., 5.8, 5.35, 6.25 p.m.; also 4.35 p.m. Down from Flinders-street, and 6.15 p.m. from Coburg. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force. See posters at stations.

St. Kilda line.—On 25th, 27th December and 1st January, the ordinary time-table will be suspended from 9.45 a.m. till 8.5 p.m., and trains will run every 10 minutes in connexion with the electric tram service to Brighton.

Sandringham—Essendon line.—On Christmas Day, 25th December, the week day service instead of the Saturday service will be in force, and the 6.2, 6.27, 7.4, 7.30 (7.47 Spencer-street) a.m., 5.8, (5.22 Spencer-street), 5.40 (6.5 Spencer-street), 6.5, and 6.17 p.m. Down, 6.35, 6.55, 7.22, 7.27, 8.8, 8.32 a.m., 5.35, 5.46, 6.23, 6.29, and 7.4 p.m. Up, Melbourne and Essendon: 6.23, 6.48, 7.0, 7.18, 7.50, 8.33 a.m., 5.5, 5.17, 5.42, 5.52, 6.4 Down, 7.7, 7.20, 7.41, 8.1, 8.23, 9.20 a.m., 5.42, 5.55, 6.21, 6.31, 6.44 Up Melbourne and Brighton Beach trains; also 8.15 a.m. Down, and 8.45 a.m. Up Elsternwick trains will be cancelled. On 27th December and 1st January the ordinary time-table will be suspended, and a quarter-hour service will be run. See posters at stations.

Camberwell line.—On Christmas Day the week day service instead of Saturday service will be in force. On 25th, 27th December, and 1st January, the 6.35, 6.55 (Canterbury), 7.10, 7.20, and 7.54 (Canterbury), 8.0, 8.20, 8.30, 9 a.m., 4.26, 5.10, 5.30, 5.43, and 5.55 p.m. (Canterbury), 6.11 p.m. Down, and 7.3, 7.25 (Canterbury), 7.38, 8.1, and 8.30 (Canterbury), 8.30, 8.42, 8.58, 9.43 a.m., 5.8, 5.44, 5.56, 6.9, 6.27 p.m. (Canterbury), and 7.28 Up Camberwell trains will not run. On 27th December and 1st January extra trains will leave Melbourne for Camberwell at 10.15, 10.40, 11.7 a.m., 8.20, 8.51, 10.15, 11.0, and 11.50 p.m., returning at 10.45, 11.7, 11.30 a.m., 9.11, 9.35, 10.53, and 11.33 p.m., and 12.16 a.m. for Melbourne. On 3rd January, the 7.20 and 7.54 a.m. Canterbury trains, returning at 8.1 and 8.30, will be cancelled. On 25th December the 7.54 a.m. Down and 8.30 a.m. Up Canterbury trains will also be cancelled.

Blackburn—Ringwood.—On 27th December and 1st January extra trains will run between Box Hill, Blackburn, and Ringwood, as shown for Ferntree Gully, Warburton, and Healesville trains.

Croydon.—On 27th December and 1st January an extra train will leave Croydon for Melbourne at 7.10 p.m.

Kew line.—On 25th December, Christmas Day, instead of the Saturday service, the usual week day service will be run. On 27th December and 1st January a special service of through trains will be run.

Oakleigh line.—On Christmas Day, 25th December, the week day service instead of Saturday will be in force, and the 7.10 (Oakleigh), 8.5, 8.30, 8.37, 8.55 a.m., 4.5, 4.48, 5.12, 5.57, and 6.2 p.m. Down, 8.15 (Oakleigh), 8.35, 8.53, 9.3, 9.27 a.m., 4.48, 5.15, 5.38, 6.25 and 6.45 p.m. Up Melbourne and Caulfield trains, will be cancelled. On 27th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force. See posters at stations.

Dandenong line.—On Christmas Day, week day instead of Saturday service will be run. On 27th December and 1st January the suburban service will be—Leave Melbourne 10.20 a.m., 1.30, 5.33, 6.55, 9.10, 11.15, and 11.25 p.m. Leave Dandenong at 6.15, 7.55, 11.40 a.m., 4.46, 6.50, 8.13, and 10.20 p.m.

SUBURBAN SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.

The issue of cheap seaside excursions tickets to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc will be suspended on 25th and 27th December and 1st January.

HIGHLAND SOCIETY'S GATHERING AT MARYBOROUGH.

On 1st January additional trains will run as under. In all cases the special trains will pick up or set down passengers at intervening stations as required:—

Ballarat and Maryborough Line.—Special trains will leave Ballarat at 8.30 a.m., Creswick at 9.10 a.m., Clunes at 9.25 and 10 a.m., and return from Maryborough at 9.30 p.m. to Daylesford, and 10.45 p.m. to Ballarat.

Ararat and Avoca Line.—The ordinary train will leave Ararat at 7, Elmhurst at 7.50, and Avoca at 8.50 a.m. A special train will leave Ararat at 8.30 a.m. for Maryborough, returning at 9.25 p.m. for Avoca, Ararat, and Stawell. Passengers from Avoca should travel by 8.50 a.m. train and return by 10.30 p.m.

Stawell—Ararat Line.—A special train will leave Stawell at 7.30 a.m., Ararat at 8.30 a.m., Elmhurst at 9.37 a.m., reach Maryborough at 11.10 a.m., and return at 9.25 p.m., reaching Stawell at 12.50 a.m.

Birchip—St. Arnaud Line.—A special train will leave Birchip at 6.30 a.m., Donald at 8.5 a.m., St. Arnaud at 9.35 a.m., Bealiba at 10.30 a.m. and reach Maryborough at 11.40 a.m. St. Arnaud, Donald, and Birchip line passengers can return by train leaving Maryborough at 8.20 p.m.

St. Arnaud—Bealiba—Dunolly Line.—A special train will leave St. Arnaud at 8.20 a.m., Bealiba at 9.20 a.m., and Dunolly at 9.50 a.m. for Maryborough. Dunolly line passengers should travel by this to avoid crowded trains. A special train will also leave Maryborough for Bealiba at 10.30 p.m.

Ingleswood—Tarnagulla Line.—A special train will leave Ingleswood for Maryborough at 9.15 a.m., Tarnagulla at 9.55 a.m., and return Maryborough for Dunolly and Ingleswood at 9 p.m.

Bendigo, Castlemaine, and Maryborough Line.—A special train will leave Bendigo at 8.15, and Castlemaine at 9.20 a.m., and return from Maryborough at 10.5 p.m. for Castlemaine and Bendigo.

Maldon Line.—Special trains will leave Maldon at 9.25 and 9.55 a.m., and connect at Castlemaine with the 10.38 a.m. train for Maryborough, and return at 5.25 p.m.

GEELONG COMUNN NA FEINNE HIGHLAND SPORTS.

On 1st January special trains of cars and seated trucks will be run as under, stopping all stations (suburban excepted):—

Melbourne Line.—Leave Spencer-street at 8.25 a.m., Footscray at 8.36 a.m., Newport at 8.46 a.m., arriving at Geelong at 10.14 a.m., and return at 8.40 p.m. and 10.10 p.m.

Ballarat Line.—Leave Ballarat at 8 a.m., Warrenheip at 8.17 a.m., Lal Lal at 8.37 a.m., Elaine at 8.50 a.m., Meredith at 9.5 a.m., Lethbridge at 9.25 a.m., and reach Geelong at 10.10 a.m., and return at 9.25 p.m.

Warrnambool Line.—Leave Camperdown at 4.45, 8.58, and 9.20 a.m., and leave Geelong at 5.52 p.m. for Camperdown, stopping all stations, and at 6.17 p.m. for stations between Colac and Warrnambool; also 9.6 p.m. for all stations to Camperdown.

CARNIVAL AT CASTLEMAINE.

Bendigo.—On 1st January special and ordinary trains will leave Bendigo for Castlemaine at 10.10.50, 11.45 a.m., and 12 noon, and return at 6.50, 7.40, 9.35, 10.11, and 11.40 p.m.

Maldon.—Special trains will leave Maldon for Castlemaine at 9.25 and 9.55 a.m. Trains will leave Castlemaine for Maldon at 8.23 and 10.20 p.m.

Maryborough Line.—A special train, stopping at all stations, will leave Newstead for Castlemaine at 9.5 a.m., and return at 8.10 p.m. (ordinary).

Kyneton.—Extra trains will leave Kyneton for Castlemaine at 8.51, non-stopping, and 9.30 a.m., stopping all stations, and return at 7.30 and 7.48 p.m.

TERANG RACES.

On 1st January a special train, stopping at all intermediate stations, will leave Melbourne at 6.4 a.m., Geelong at 7.45 a.m., and Colac at 10.25 a.m., for the Terang Race-course platform, and return at 5.45 p.m.

Camperdown.—On 1st January a special train will leave Camperdown at 10.25 a.m. for Terang Race-course, and leave the Race-course for Camperdown at 6.10 p.m.

Hamilton—Port Fairy—Warrnambool.—On 1st January special trains, stopping at all intermediate stations, will leave Hamilton at 7.5 a.m., Penhurst at 8.5 a.m., Port Fairy at 8.50 a.m., Koroit at 9.25 and 9.50 a.m., and Warrnambool at 10.10 and 10.40 a.m. for the Terang Race-course platform. A special train, stopping at all stations, will leave the Terang Race-course platform for Warrnambool and Port Fairy at 5.55 p.m., and for Warrnambool and Hamilton at 6.25 p.m. Holiday excursion fares will be charged.

Mortlake.—On 1st January the ordinary trains will stop at the Race-course to pick up or set down passengers, and a special will leave Mortlake for the Race-course at 11.45 a.m., and return from Terang at 7.55 and Race-course at 8.5 p.m.

A train for the Race-course will connect at Terang with the 6.30 a.m. ordinary train from Melbourne.

LAL LAL RACES.

On 1st January special trains, consisting of carriages and seated trucks, and stopping at all stations, will run from Ballarat to the Lal Lal Race-course platform at 9.30, 10.36, 11.40 a.m., 12.35, and 1.20 p.m., and return from Lal Lal Race-course platform at 5.40, 6.10, 7.10, and 7.45 p.m. Horses will be conveyed by the special trains as can be locally arranged.

Geelong.—On 1st January a special train for Lal Lal Race-course will leave Melbourne at 8.25 a.m., and Geelong at 10.30 a.m., Bannockburn at 11.5 a.m., and Meredith at 11.45 a.m., and the return special at 6.25 p.m. from the course for Geelong and Melbourne and roadside stations.

BURRUMBEET PARK RACES.

On 1st January, special trains, consisting of carriages and seated trucks, will leave Ballarat for Burrumbeet Race-course platform at 9, 9.35, 10, 10.32, 10.57, 11.38 a.m., 12.15, 12.42, 1.15, 2.5, and 2.25 p.m., and return at 5.55, 6.20, 6.48, 7.20, 7.46, and 8.10 p.m. Horses will be conveyed by the 9 a.m. special train from Ballarat.

COLAC REGATTA.

On 1st January special trains will be run as under, stopping at all stations:—

Melbourne—Geelong Line.—A special train will leave Melbourne at 6.4 a.m., Geelong at 7.46 a.m., Winchelsea at 8.45 a.m., Birregurra at 9.15 a.m., and reach Colac at 10 a.m.; and extra trains will leave Colac for all stations to Melbourne at 6.30, 7.5, and 7.55 p.m. Passengers for Irrewarra, Warncoort, and Birregurra should leave Colac at 8.20 p.m.

Forrest Line.—A special train will leave Forrest at 9.25 a.m., Dean Marsh at 10.10 a.m., Birregurra at 11 a.m., and reach Colac at 11.38 a.m., and on return leave Colac at 8.20 p.m. for Irrewarra, Warncoort, Birregurra, and Forrest line.

Crowes and Beech Forest Line.—The special train will leave Crowes at 6.35 a.m., Beech Forest at 8.5 a.m., Gellibrand at 9.30 a.m., and arrive at Colac at 11.10 a.m., and on return leave Colac at 6.20 p.m. for Beech Forest and Crowes line.

Warrnambool—Camperdown Line.—Trains will leave Camperdown at 4.45, 8.53, and 9.20 a.m., Pomborneit at 9.40 a.m., Pirron Yallock at 10.5 a.m., and arrive at Colac at 10.25 a.m., and on return leave Colac at 8.5 p.m. and 10.53 p.m. for all stations to Camperdown, and at 8.30 p.m. for Warrnambool.

Ballarat—Cressy Line.—Special trains will leave Ballarat at 7 a.m.; Newtown at 8.5 a.m., Rokewood at 8.45 a.m., Cressy at 8 and 9.10 a.m., Beac at 8.30 and 9.40 a.m., and arrive at Colac at 9.15 and 10.17 a.m., and on return leave Colac at 7.25 p.m. for stations beyond Cressy to Ballarat, and for all stations to Cressy only at 10.20 p.m.

Mortlake Line.—Leave Mortlake at 7.30 a.m., and return from Colac at 8.30 p.m.

V.R.C. RACES AT FLEMINGTON.

On Saturday, 1st January, trains will run as required, from 11.35 a.m. till 2 p.m., and at 2.15 p.m. The usual arrangements as to entrance of passengers will be carried out.

BENDIGO TRAINS (OWING TO V.R.C. RACES).

On 1st January the 12.8 p.m. (special) and 12.15 p.m. trains to Bendigo will depart from central platform, Spencer-street station.

LANCEFIELD LINE TRAINS.

Commencing on Monday, 20th December, the 5 p.m. train from Lancefield to Lancefield Junction will run on Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays instead of on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, and the 7.18 p.m. train from Lancefield Junction to Lancefield will run on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays in lieu of Tuesdays and Thursdays. The 9.45 a.m. daily and 8.6 p.m. on Saturdays from Lancefield Junction to Lancefield, and 7.20 a.m. on Mondays and Tuesdays, and 8.5 a.m., Mondays and Tuesdays excepted, Lancefield to Lancefield Junction trains will continue to run.

MENTONE RACES.

On Monday, 3rd January, special and ordinary trains will leave Flinders-street for Mentone at 12.18, 12.20, 12.43, 12.58, 1.10, 1.12, 1.28, 1.40 (last special), and 1.45 p.m., and return after the races. Caulfield passengers will require to travel by trains leaving there at 12.36, 12.43, 1.2, 1.15, 1.28, 1.38, 1.46, 2, and 2.8 p.m. Race fares as usual.

Alteration of Ordinary Train.—The usual 5.8 p.m. from Mortlake will leave at 5.37 p.m., running 29 minutes later from there to Melbourne.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Acting Secretary.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 IN THE URBAN DISTRICT OF TUNGAMAH.

By-law No. 72.

THE following rates and charges are those which the occupiers of land and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District of Tungamah, as such district has been proclaimed and defined:—

1. For every house or tenement, used either wholly or partly as a domicile, of the annual municipal value of Ten pounds or under, the sum of One pound.

2. For every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of Twenty-five pounds and not less than Ten pounds, a rate of Two shillings in the pound of such value.

3. For every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of One hundred pounds and not less than Twenty-five pounds, a rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound of such value, provided that such rate shall not in any case be less than Two pounds ten shillings per annum.

4. For every house or tenement of a value exceeding the annual municipal value of One hundred pounds, a rate of One shilling and threepence in the pound of such value, provided that such rate shall not in any case be less than Seven pounds ten shillings per annum.

5. For every allotment or piece of land, vacant or not built upon, a rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound on the annual municipal value of such land, provided that such rate shall not in any case be less than Ten shillings.

6. For every water trough supplied with water from the works of the Trust, the amount of Two pounds per annum.

7. For water supplied by measure from the works of the Trust, Two shillings and sixpence for every 1,000 gallons, provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure (and except in cases where the Trust has made special arrangements).

8. A minimum of Ten shillings and a maximum of Two pounds to every person using a hose for garden or stable watering during the year.

9. Such rates and charges are hereby made payable yearly, in advance, on the first day of January, 1916.

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

The foregoing By-law No. 72, was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust, under and by virtue of the Water Act 1915, this first day of November, 1915.

The seal of the Trust was hereto affixed this first day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

JOHN FELL, Chairman.

(SEAL) EDWARD MULQUINEY, Commissioner.

W. H. TRICKS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 IN THE URBAN DISTRICT OF ST. JAMES.

By-law No. 73.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Water Act 1915, do hereby make the following By-law:—

The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers and owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District of St. James, as such district has been proclaimed and defined:—

1. A rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property valued at Fifteen pounds and upwards.

2. In respect of properties the annual municipal value of which is less than Fifteen pounds, upon which are houses or tenements used wholly or partly as domiciles, the rate to be paid shall in each case be of such percentage, according to the municipal value thereof, as shall produce the sum of One pound ten shillings.

3. A rate of Ten shillings on each allotment or piece of land vacant or not built upon.

4. For every water trough supplied with water from the works of the Trust, a sum of Two pounds.

5. For water supplied by measure from the works of the Trust, Two shillings and sixpence for every one thousand gallons, provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure (and except in cases where the Trust has made special arrangements).

6. A minimum of Ten shillings, and a maximum of Two pounds for every person using a hose for garden or stable watering during the year.

7. Such rates and charges are hereby made payable yearly in advance on the first day of January 1916.

8. Such person or persons as the Commissioners may from time to time appoint are hereby authorized to demand collect and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law, No. 73, was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust this first day of November 1915.

The seal of the Trust was hereto affixed this first day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

JOHN FELL, Chairman.
(SEAL) EDWARD MULQUINEY, Commissioner.
W. H. TRICKS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 IN THE URBAN DISTRICT OF KATAMATITE.

By-law No. 74.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby make the following By-law:—

The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers and owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District of Katamatite, as such district has been proclaimed and defined:—

1. A rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property valued at Fifteen pounds and upwards.

2. In respect of properties the annual municipal value of which is less than Fifteen pounds, upon which are houses or tenements used wholly or partly as dwellings, the rate to be paid shall in each case be of such percentage according to the municipal value thereof as shall produce the sum of One pound ten shillings.

3. A rate of Two shillings and sixpence on each allotment of land vacant or not built upon in sections 33 and 35, having a frontage to Beek-street.

4. A rate of Five shillings each on every other allotment or piece of land vacant or not built upon.

5. For every water trough supplied with water from the works of the Trust, the sum of Two pounds.

6. For water supplied by measure from the works of the Trust, Two shillings and sixpence for every one thousand gallons, provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure (and except in cases where the Trust has made special arrangements).

7. A minimum of Ten shillings and a maximum of Two pounds for every person using a hose for garden or stable watering during the year.

8. Such rates and charges are hereby made payable yearly, in advance, on the first day of January 1916.

9. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint are hereby authorized to demand collect and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law, No. 74, was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust on the first day of November, 1915.

The seal of the Trust was hereto affixed this first day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

JOHN FELL, Chairman.
(SEAL) EDWARD MULQUINEY, Commissioner.
W. H. TRICKS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 WITHIN DIVISIONS I., II., AND III. OF THE RURAL DISTRICT OF THE TRUST.

By-law No. 75.

THE following rates and charges are those which the occupiers and owners of land liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust to windmills, pumps, waterholes, dams, or other excavations within Divisions I., II., and III. of the Rural District of the Trust.

1. Every person who has a waterhole, dam, or excavation which has already been supplied, or can be supplied with water by gravitation from the Trust's channels, shall pay to the Trust the sum of Ten shillings per annum for each such waterhole, dam, or excavation.

2. The occupier or owner of land on which such dam, waterhole, or excavation shall be constructed, shall make and keep in a proper state of repair all oftakes, drains, sub-channels, culverts, and pipes as are necessary to fill such waterhole, dam, or excavation without waste of water and without danger to the public, to the satisfaction of the officers of the said shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust.

3. Every occupier or owner of land on which any waterhole, dam, or excavation is situated, shall, upon receiving written notice from the caretaker of the said shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust that water is available, proceed within twenty-four hours, to fill his waterhole, dam, or excavation, and shall continue without waste, until it is filled, and shall cut the water off at the main channel on completion.

4. A register of all waterholes, dams, and excavations shall be kept by the caretaker of the said shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust and the sum of Ten shillings shall be payable to him in respect of each waterhole, dam or excavation entered in such register, annually in advance on the first day of January, 1916. Notice in writing shall be given annually to each ratepayer in respect of the number of waterholes, dams, or excavations for which he is responsible.

5. Every person having a windmill, pump, or pipe, for the purpose of taking water from the Trust's channels, weirs, or water-courses shall provide same with a valve which may be locked and controlled by the said Trust and shall pay to the said Trust the sum of One pound, annually, in advance for the use of such windmill, pump, or pipe.

The foregoing By-law, No. 75, was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust on the first day of November, 1915.

The seal of the Trust was affixed hereto on the first day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

JOHN FELL, Chairman.
(SEAL) EDWARD MULQUINEY, Commissioner.
W. H. TRICKS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 WITHIN DIVISIONS I., II., AND III. OF THE RURAL DISTRICT OF THE TRUST.

By-law No. 76.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1915* do hereby make the following By-law:—

The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the said Trust within Divisions I., II., and III. of the Waterworks District of the Trust, such divisions having been limited and defined by Orders in Council bearing date the 4th May 1909 and 21st December 1910:—

1. *Division I.*—A rate of Sixpence in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property within such division.

2. *Division II.*—A rate of Fourpence in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property within such division.

3. *Division III.*—A rate of Threepence in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property within such division.

4. For the supply of water within the said Divisions I., II., and III. to gardens and special plots of land not included therein, the charge shall be such as the Commissioners of the said Trust in consideration of the circumstances of each case, shall from time to time by resolution of the Trust determine.

5. The beforementioned rates and charges shall be for the year commencing on the first day of January 1916 and ending on the thirty-first day of December 1916 and shall be payable on the first day of January 1916.

6. Such person or persons as the Commissioners shall from time to time appoint are hereby authorized to demand collect and recover the said rates and charges. The foregoing By-law, No. 76, was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust the first day of November, 1915.

The seal of the Trust was hereto affixed the first day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

(SEAL) JOHN FELL, Chairman.
EDWARD MULQUINEY, Commissioner.
W. H. TRICKS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

WARRACKNABEAL WATERWORKS TRUST.
RATING BY-LAW, 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Warracknabeal Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law for the year 1916:—

The following are the rates which the occupiers or owners of land and tenements shall pay in respect of water supplied for domestic purposes by the Warracknabeal Waterworks Trust, that is to say, in regard to houses or tenements, fronting any street in which pipes for water supply are laid, or which houses or tenements, if not on such street, are supplied by reticulation from such pipes:—

1. For every allotment of land, whether occupied or otherwise, where water is not being used, and of less than Ten pounds sterling annual municipal value, the sum of Two shillings in the pound on the amount of the municipal valuation.
2. For every house or tenement of Thirteen pounds or under, municipal value, a rate of One pound shall be paid.
3. For every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Thirteen pounds per annum, the sum of One shilling and sixpence in the pound shall be paid on the annual value of such property.
4. For all tenements in the said District situate otherwise than on streets in which pipes for the supply of water have been laid down, and which tenements are not supplied with water by reticulation from such pipes, and being within one-quarter of a mile from any main or stand-pipe for the supply of water, one-half of the above-mentioned rate, and where such tenements are more than one-quarter of a mile from such main or stand-pipe, and within half a mile, one-fourth the before-mentioned rate.
5. Such owners of tenements as are supplied with water by meter shall pay at the rate of One shilling and threepence per 1,000 gallons up to the quantity they would be entitled to receive according to their assessment, and at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons for anything over that quantity.
6. Such occupiers or owners of tenements not within the Trust area, and who have agreed with the Trust to be supplied with water by meter, shall pay at the rate of One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons.
7. Such owners or occupiers of gardens, steam engines, or stock who are supplied from the Trust reservoir with water shall, if the Commissioners think fit, pay an extra rate beyond that which they are already paying (if any) if, in the opinion of the Trust, such occupiers or owners are not paying a just proportionate rate for the water they are using. Such occupiers or owners to be notified in writing of such charge.
8. Such rates are hereby made payable half-yearly, in advance, on the first day of January and the first day of July, 1916. Such person or persons as the Commissioners may appoint from time to time for the purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Warracknabeal Waterworks Trust on the 15th day of October, 1915, and the seal of the Trust affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) JAS. B. KING, Chairman.
A. C. TAYLOR, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

RUSHWORTH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916, No. 21.

THE Commissioners of the Rushworth Waterworks Trust, portion of the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1915*, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, hereby make the following By-law:—

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of such lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District of the Trust:—

1. For every house or tenement of Ten pounds annual municipal valuation or under, the sum of Twenty shillings.
2. For every house or tenement of an annual municipal valuation exceeding Ten pounds, a rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling.
3. For every unoccupied allotment of land, and for every vacant piece of land, a rate of One shilling in the pound sterling of the annual municipal valuation of such allotment or piece of land. Provided that in no case shall a rate less than Ten shillings be charged.
4. For all lands and tenements situated otherwise than in streets in which pipes are laid down, and which are within a quarter of a mile of a stand-pipe of the Trust, there shall be paid one-half of the above rates; and for all such lands and tenements being over a quarter of a mile, but within half a mile from such stand-pipe, one quarter of the full rate shall be paid.
5. For every steam boiler supplied with water by the Trust, there shall be paid the sum of Five pounds sterling; and all water used in excess of 95,000 gallons shall be paid for at the rate of 1s. per 1,000 gallons.
6. All water supplied by the Trust by measurement shall be at the following rates:—15,000 gallons for the first 20s. of assessed water rate, and for each additional 20s. of assessed rate or proportion thereof at the rate of 1s. per 1,000 gallons; all excess water shall be charged for at the rate of 1s. per 1,000 gallons, but in no case shall the amount to be paid be less than that which would be payable for the premises under its municipal assessment.
7. Water supplied to the Government Departments, religious denominations, and persons outside the Trust District shall be by measurement or special agreement.
8. The above-mentioned rates and charges (except for water supplied by measure) shall be payable in equal moieties half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July, 1916. Water supplied by measure shall be paid for on demand any time after it has been supplied.
9. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the Rushworth Waterworks Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand, receive, collect, and recover the said rates and charges.
10. No meter shall be affixed until it shall have been examined and approved, and a certificate from the Board of Works or other authorized person be produced for the inspection of the secretary of the Trust for the time being that such meter is in proper order.
11. Any person requiring to remove or alter the position of any meter shall give six days' notice, in writing, to that effect to the Trust, and a registration of the quantity of water used shall be taken before such removal or alteration is made.
12. Every meter must be fixed truly level, with connexions above ground, approved by the Trust's supervising officer, which must, wherever practicable, be level with the ground, and within 3 feet of the building line of the property. Two wrought-iron bends must be fixed on each side of the meter, or lead connexions used. The use of elbows will not be permitted.
13. The Trust will, upon application, supply a meter at cost price for cash on delivery, or on time payment on the following terms:—Ten shillings cash deposit, and balance, bearing interest of 8 per cent. per annum, by annual payments of Ten shillings.

The foregoing By-law was made and adopted by the Commissioners of the Rushworth Waterworks Trust on the 2nd day of November, 1915; and the seal of the said Trust was affixed thereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) D. CROTHERS, Chairman (*pro tem.*).
J. HOLDEN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

BRIGHT WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Bright Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby make the following By-law:—

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect to water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District of the said Trust:—

1. For every house, tenement, piece or allotment of land of Twenty pounds annual municipal valuation or under the sum of One pound Two shillings and sixpence sterling.
2. For every house, tenement, piece or allotment of land of an annual value exceeding Twenty pounds sterling a rate of One shilling and threepence in the pound sterling.
3. For water supplied to livery and carriers' stables by the Trust, the charge shall be Five shillings for each stall or loose box. In open sheds used for stabling each space of (5) five feet shall be charged as a stall.
4. The above-mentioned rates and charges shall be payable half yearly, in advance on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July 1916.
5. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the Bright Waterworks Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand receive and collect and recover the said rates and charges.

Passed this 1st day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) J. BROGAN, Chairman.
E. J. DELANY, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

TALLANGATTA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Tallangatta Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, hereby make the following By-law:—

By-law No. 9.

1. *General Rate.*—A general rate of One shilling and ninepence in the pound sterling is hereby made for the year 1916 upon the annual value of all properties liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the Trust, and such rate shall be based on the municipal valuation of such property by the Council of the Shire of Towong for the year 1915-1916.

2. *Minimum Rate.*—The minimum rate payable on any property on which is erected any dwelling, house, shop, office, stable, or other building where, in the opinion of the Trust, water is likely to be required, shall be Thirty-two shillings. The minimum rate on any other rateable property whatsoever shall be Ten shillings.

3. For all house properties built during the year 1916, a proportion of such general rate or minimum rate shall be paid from the beginning of the month after commencement of the building to the end of December.

4. For water supplied from the works of the Trust by measure, a charge of One shilling and threepence per thousand gallons shall be made, except in cases of special agreement with the Trust, and the minimum quantity charged for shall be 20,000 gallons per annum.

5. The said rate and charges shall be payable in two equal portions, the first on the first day of January and the second on the first day of July, 1916.

Such person or persons as the Commissioners shall appoint shall be authorized to receive and demand the rate.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Tallangatta Waterworks Trust on the 4th day of November, 1915.

The common seal of the Tallangatta Waterworks Trust was affixed hereto, by the authority of the Commissioners, in the presence of—

(SEAL) ANGUS SCOBIE, Chairman.
W. H. MADDOCK, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

TONGALA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916 WITHIN THE TONGALA URBAN DISTRICT.

THE Commissioners of the Tongala Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been duly proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in provisions of the *Water Act 1915*, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, make the following By-law:—

The rates and charges hereinafter specified are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements situated within the aforesaid Urban District, and liable to be rated, shall pay for the year 1916, in respect of water supplied otherwise than by measure for domestic purposes, such rates and charges to be paid half-yearly, in advance in equal moieties on the first day of January and on first day of July 1916:—

(1) On every house or tenement, vacant or unoccupied land, according to the municipal valuation of such house or tenement or vacant or unoccupied land during the said year, the sum of Three shillings in the pound of such valuation, with a minimum of Twenty shillings.

(2) Water supplied to Government Departments, police stations, churches, court house, post-office, State school, shire hall, and similar properties, shall be charged by measurement or special arrangement.

(3) For water supplied from stand-pipe or hydrant, the charge for every one thousand (1,000) gallons, or portion of same, to be at the rate of Two shillings and sixpence per thousand (1,000) gallons, with minimum of sixpence for any one tank or load.

(4) Supplies of water for any purposes not specified herein, and otherwise than by measure, must be paid for at such rate as the Trust shall in each case determine, and the preliminary payment at such rate must be made at the office of the Trust before a supply can be taken.

(5) Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for the purpose are hereby authorized to collect and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Tongala Waterworks Trust on the eighteenth day of October, 1915.

(SEAL) THOS. SAM'L. SALMON, Chairman.
JOHN J. NICHILL, Commissioner.
M. HANLON, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

KOROIT WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR YEAR 1916.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Koroit Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, make the following By-law, viz.:—

The following are the rates which the owners or occupiers of land and tenements liable to be rated within the Trust District shall pay for the year 1916:—

1. For every house or tenement of the annual value of Sixteen pounds sterling or under, according to the valuation for the time being of such rateable property for the municipal rate of the borough of Koroit, the sum of One pound per annum.

2. For every house or tenement above the annual value of Sixteen pounds sterling, the sum of One shilling and threepence on each pound of such value.

3. An annual charge of Five shillings per head shall be made for each head of stock more than two (whether horses or cattle) kept on any premises along the line of mains, unless meters are placed on the service-pipes to such premises, in which case the provisions of clause 3 of the General Regulations shall apply.

4. Such rates are hereby made payable in equal moieties, on the 1st January and 1st July, 1916.

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

Passed this 3rd day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) J. G. SIMMONDS, Chairman.
RICHARD LAFFAN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

MAFFRA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW NO. 3.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, the Commissioners of the Maffra Waterworks Trust do hereby make the following By-law:—

1. The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied within the Urban District of the Trust:—

2. For every house or tenement of a less annual value than £14, a minimum charge of £1 5s.

3. For every vacant allotment of land of an annual value of £5, or under, a charge of 5s.; for each additional allotment of land rated together with the first allotment 1s.; where the annual value of an allotment is over £5, a rate of One shilling and twopence in the pound of the annual value thereof.

4. For every water trough supplied with water, £1. On vacant lands the rate payment shall be considered as part payment of this charge of £1.

5. For water supplied by measure 2s. for every 1,000 gallons, provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than the amount of the assessed rate, except in cases where the Trust has made special arrangements.

6. For using a hose for stable watering during the year, 10s. This payment will entitle the user to an additional 5,000 gallons of water.

7. For water supplied to new buildings being erected, £1 per cent. on the contract price of all brick, stone, cement, or other work where water is used.

8. Water supplied to manufactories, railways, livery stables, gardens or paddocks, or for other than domestic purposes, may be charged at a special rate, or by measurement, at the discretion of the Trust.

9. The Trust may by notice, in writing, require any owner or occupier using water through a hose or for other than for domestic purposes, to provide a meter within two weeks from the date of such notice; the expense of providing the meter is to be borne by such owner or occupier.

10. Notwithstanding the payment of any charge by any owner or occupier, the Trust reserves the right to cut off the supply of water from any premises if such owner or occupier shall wilfully or negligently allow water to run to waste, or who uses it in an unauthorized manner, or who does not provide a meter when requested to do so. When the water is cut off from any premises, the owner or occupier must pay a sum of Ten shillings and sixpence to be re-connected with the main. Water must not be used for gardens between the hours of 8 o'clock p.m. and 6 o'clock a.m. For the purpose of conserving the supply during dry weather, the Trust in its discretion may cut off the water during certain hours of the day.

11. For water supplied through any stand-pipe or hydrant, for each 200 gallons One shilling.

12. For all lands or tenements in the said district situated otherwise than in streets in which pipes for the supply of water have been laid down, and in which tenements are not supplied with water from such pipes, and being within one-quarter of a mile from any stand-pipe or hydrant for the supply of water, one-half the above-mentioned rate, and where such tenements are more than one-quarter of a mile and less than half a mile from such stand-pipe or hydrant, one-fourth of the above-mentioned rate.

13. For every plumber's licence £1 per year ending 31st December.

14. The foregoing rates and charges are payable in two moieties in advance on the 1st day of February 1916 and 1st August 1916. Interest at the rate of Six pounds per centum per annum will be charged on all amounts six months overdue. Amounts under Two pounds are to be paid in one sum in advance on the 1st February 1916. Such person as the Commissioners may appoint shall be authorized to collect the said rates and charges.

The above By-law was made this 10th day of November, 1915.

The seal of the Maffra Waterworks Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. L. BOWMAN, Chairman.
JAMES FRENCH, Secretary

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

HEALESVILLE WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, the Commissioners of the Healesville Waterworks Trust hereby make the following By-law:—

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the said Trust shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the said Trust, otherwise than by measure, for domestic purposes:—

1. For every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of less than £40, the sum of One pound.

2. For every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of £40 and upwards, the sum of Sixpence in the pound of such municipal value.

3. The rate to be paid in respect of vacant unoccupied allotments of land shall also be Sixpence in the pound of such annual value, provided that no rate be less than Ten shillings.

4. Water supplied for other than domestic purposes shall be by measure or by special agreement, and shall be charged for at the rate of Ninepence per one thousand gallons, or such price as may be fixed by the Trust. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for shall be 20,000 (twenty thousand) gallons per half-year, or a quantity which, at the price named, would be equivalent to the quantity of water which the occupier or owner would be entitled to receive according to his assessed rate for the year if supplied otherwise than by measure.

The foregoing rates and charges are hereby made payable half-yearly, in advance, on the first days of January and July, 1916, respectively, and such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may appoint for the purpose are hereby authorized to collect and receive such rates and charges.

The above By-law was made this 25th day of October, 1915, and the common seal of the Healesville Waterworks Trust was hereto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. J. DAWBORN, Chairman of Trust.
J. CROSBIE, Acting Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

MACEDON WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Macedon Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law:—

The following rates are those which the occupiers or owners of land and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the boundaries of the Trust District, that is to say:—

A rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound sterling, payable in two equal instalments, on the 1st of January and 1st July, 1916, shall be imposed and levied on all rateable properties in the Trust District, according to the municipal valuation on such properties.

The minimum rate to be paid shall in all cases be Twenty shillings whether the lands or tenements be occupied or unoccupied, and shall include land on which there is no dwelling.

All water supplied by the Trust for other than domestic purposes shall be by meter, and charged for at the rate of One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons.

Such person or persons as the Trust may appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, and recover the said rate.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Macedon Waterworks Trust on the 26th day of October, 1915, and the seal of the Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) ROBERT M. TAMPLING, Chairman.
THOS. W. SCOTT, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

KOWREE WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, the Commissioners of the Kowree Waterworks Trust hereby make the following By-law, No. 11, viz. :—

A rate of Fourpence in the pound sterling is hereby made, and shall be levied on all the rateable property within the Waterworks District of the Kowree Waterworks Trust, based on the annual value thereof, according to the valuation for the time being of the said property by the shire of Kowree for the municipal rates of the said shire, for one year, commencing on the first day of January, 1916, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, 1916.

Such rate shall be collected in one amount, due and payable on the first day of January, 1916.

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

Passed this 22nd day of November, 1915.

Signed and sealed this 22nd day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) ALEX. PHILIP, Chairman.
H. G. HILL, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

MURCHISON WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916, No. 31.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Murchison Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law :—

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Urban District :—

1. A rate of One shilling and ninepence in the pound sterling shall be imposed and levied on all rateable property in the Waterworks Trust District, according to the municipal valuations of such properties. The minimum rate to be paid in respect of each tenement shall be One pound two shillings and sixpence.

2. For water supplied by the Trust for domestic and other than domestic purposes by measurement (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust) the minimum quantity of water to be charged for in respect of lands and tenements within the Trust's District shall be the quantity for which the charges, at One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons, would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied, if supplied otherwise than by measure. All water supplied by the Trust by measure in excess of such aforesaid quantity shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons.

3. For water supplied by measurement for other than domestic purposes solely, a charge of One shilling and sixpence for every 1,000 gallons shall be made (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust). Provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than One pound two shillings and sixpence.

4. For all water supplied by the Trust outside the Trust District the charge shall (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust) be at the rate of One shilling and sixpence per 1,000 gallons up to the minimum charge by the Trust. Such minimum charge shall be computed at the charge of One shilling and ninepence in the pound sterling, according to the municipal valuation of the properties so supplied, and for all water used in excess of such quantity the charge shall be at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons. Provided that the minimum charge shall not be less than One pound two shillings and sixpence.

5. Such rates and charges, other than charges for water supplied by measurement in excess, are hereby made payable half-yearly, in advance, one moiety on the first day of January 1916, and one moiety on the first day of July 1916.

6. Such person or persons as the Trust may appoint for the purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, sue for, and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Murchison Waterworks Trust this 18th day of October, 1915.

(SEAL) J. PARKER, Chairman.
J. A. WOOD, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

YARRAWONGA URBAN WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Yarrowonga Urban Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915* and all other powers enabling them in this behalf, do make the following By-law :—

By-law for determining the rates and charges which shall be made for water supplied within the boundaries of the Yarrowonga Urban Waterworks Trust District :—

1. The rate of One shilling and threepence in the pound sterling on the annual municipal value of all rateable property valued at Twenty-five pounds sterling and upwards (except in cases of meters and special arrangements with the Trust) situate within the Waterworks District of the Yarrowonga Urban Waterworks Trust, is hereby made for the year 1916.

2. Upon properties of the annual municipal value of Fifteen pounds sterling and not more than Twenty-four pounds sterling, a rate of One pound ten shillings per annum shall be payable.

3. Upon properties valued at Fourteen pounds sterling and under, a rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling shall be payable, according to the municipal value of such properties; provided that in no case shall a less rate than Twenty shillings per annum be payable in accordance with section 261 of the *Water Act 1905* or section 239 of *Water Act 1915*.

4. On each vacant allotment or piece of land rated for the ordinary municipal rate within the Trust District before mentioned, separately from any building, the annual rate of Ten pounds sterling per centum on the annual valuation of the same shall be payable.

5. Water supplied by measure from the works of the Trust shall be charged for at the rate of Two shillings and sixpence (2s. 6d.) per 1,000 gallons up to an amount equal to that which the Trust would be entitled to receive under the municipal assessed value of any premises, and at the rate of Two shillings and sixpence (2s. 6d.) per 1,000 gallons for any quantity of water used beyond such an amount aforesaid. Nevertheless, it shall be competent for the Trust to make special arrangements from time to time for the supply of water by meter or otherwise.

6. For any public water trough supplied with water by the Trust, the sum of Forty shillings per annum shall be charged, unless supplied by measurement.

7. For any steam boiler supplied with water by the Trust (except in cases of special arrangement with the Trust), the sum of Thirty shillings per annum for each horse-power of such steam boiler in addition to the charge for domestic use where water is supplied for domestic purposes also. In case the charge by measure would exceed the charge per horse-power a charge by measurement shall be made.

8. Water supplied by measure from the works of the Trust, for domestic and garden purposes, will be charged for at One shilling and threepence (1s. 3d.) per 1,000 gallons up to the amount equal to that which the Trust would be entitled to receive under the municipal assessed value of any premises, and at the rate of Ninepence (9d.) per 1,000 gallons for any quantity of water used beyond such an amount aforesaid.

9. Ratepayers supplied with meters by the Trust shall pay an annual rental for such meters at 9s. per annum.

10. Water supplied to Government Departments, cricket grounds, show grounds, cattle yards, and similar properties shall be charged for by measure, provided the minimum quantity to be charged for shall not be less than Thirty shillings per annum, or the charge may be made by special arrangement with the Trust.

11. For water supplied from stand-pipe or hydrant, for each load of 200 gallons or under, the sum of Sixpence, and for each additional load *pro rata* on the above scale.

12. For a temporary supply during the erection of new buildings, repairs, or additions, Twenty shillings per centum on the amount of contract for stonework, brickwork, or plastering; or, in the absence of a contract, of the sum paid for stonework, brickwork, or plastering; or the Trust may require a meter to be fixed, when the charge shall be by measurement, according to clause 5 of this By-law.

13. A minimum rate of Five shillings and a maximum rate of Forty shillings shall be chargeable to persons using water for ornamental, garden, or other like purposes; and any owner or occupier using more water than (in the opinion of the Trust or its officers) they are entitled to, the Trust may compel such owner or occupier to put on a meter, or may cut off the water supply from such premises. No water shall be used for any purpose whatsoever other than purely domestic use except between the hours of seven o'clock a.m. and nine o'clock p.m.

14. For each spray supplied with water by the Trust for the purpose of cooling houses, the sum of Ten shillings per annum shall be chargeable in addition to the charges under any previous clause of this By-law, provided that such spray shall only be used between the hours of seven o'clock a.m. and eight o'clock p.m.

15. Any person committing a breach of any of the foregoing By-laws shall for every such breach be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

16. Such rates are hereby made for the year 1916, and are payable in equal moieties half-yearly, in advance, on the first day of January and the first day of July in the year, excepting those by measure and special arrangement, which shall be paid quarterly, or as the Trust may direct.

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

Passed by the Commissioners of the Trust this 29th day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) JAMES REILLY, Chairman.
JNO. M. McKAY, Commissioner.
A. A. MANNING, Commissioner.
WM. PARSONS, Commissioner.
J. A. HANRAHAN, Commissioner.
JAS. HOLLAND, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE BALLARAT WATER COMMISSIONERS.

BY-LAW No. 19.

THE Ballarat Water Commissioners, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, doth hereby make the By-law following for the Ballarat Water Supply District:—

1. A rate for the year 1916 is hereby made and shall be levied upon the occupiers and owners of all lands and tenements which are rateable property within the meaning of the *Local Government Act 1903*, within the said Water Supply District, according to the valuation for the time being of such lands and tenements for the municipal rate of the municipal district within which such lands and tenements are respectively situated, for the supply of water for domestic purposes otherwise than by measure.

- (a) On every house or tenement of the net annual value of £20 and under, the minimum sum of One pound; except for unoccupied lands, where no water is laid on, and on these the sum of 5s per centum on the amount of the valuation.
- (b) On every house or tenement above the net annual value of £20 and not exceeding £300, the sum of 5s per centum on the amount of the valuation.
- (c) On every house or tenement above the net annual value of £300, and not exceeding £500, the sum of 4s 10s. per centum on the amount of the valuation.
- (d) On every house or tenement above the net annual value of £500, the sum of 4s per centum on the amount of the valuation.
- (e) On every warehouse and wholesale store used exclusively for such purposes, the sum of 3s 10s. per centum on the amount of the valuation.

2. Such rate is made and shall be levied for the year beginning on the first day of January 1916, and ending on the 31st day of December 1916, and shall be payable on the 31st day of March 1916, at the office of the Ballarat Water Commissioners in Grenville-street, Ballarat.

3. Such persons as the Ballarat Water Commissioners may from time to time appoint for that purpose, shall be, and are hereby authorized to demand, receive, collect, and recover the said rate.

The foregoing By-law was made and passed by the Ballarat Water Commissioners, and the common seal of the said Commissioners was hereto affixed this fourth day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) F. BRAVN, Chairman,
ISAIAH PEARCE } Commissioners.
J. M. BARKER }
ALEX. FRASER, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

ROCHESTER WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAWS FOR THE YEAR 1916.

By-law of the Rochester Waterworks Trust for determining, making, and levying rates and charges payable in respect of the supply of water within the Urban District of the said Trust, and for preventing the undue waste of water.

THE Rochester Waterworks Trust, pursuant to and by virtue of the provisions of the *Water Act 1915* and of every other power enabling the said Trust in this behalf, doth hereby make the following By-laws, that is to say:—

No. 1. The following rates and charges are those which all occupiers or owners of lands and tenements situated within the Urban District of the Rochester Waterworks Trust shall pay in respect of the supply of water for the said Trust for the year 1916:—

- (a) For every house or tenement of Eleven pounds annual municipal valuation and under, a rate of One pound seven shillings and sixpence sterling per annum.
- (b) For every house or tenement of more than Eleven pounds, and not exceeding Twenty pounds annual municipal valuation, a rate of One pound ten shillings sterling per annum.
- (c) For every house or tenement of more than Twenty pounds and not exceeding Twenty-four pounds annual municipal valuation, a rate of One pound twelve shillings and sixpence sterling per annum.
- (d) For every house or tenement of the annual municipal valuation of Twenty-five pounds and upwards, an annual rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound sterling on the amount of such valuation.
- (e) For each vacant allotment, or piece of land rated for the ordinary municipal rate within the Trust District before mentioned, separately from any building, a rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling on the amount of the annual municipal valuation of the same.
- (f) A minimum rate of One pound five shillings sterling, and a maximum rate of Six pounds sterling, as the Commissioners may determine, shall be charged every person using a hose for gardening, and stable purposes, during the year, in addition to the rate on the annual municipal valuation.
- (g) For every trough or other receptacle used for watering horses, or other stock, a rate of One pound sterling per annum. Provided that the trough or other receptacle is situated within the Trust District a rate of Fifteen shillings per annum will be charged.
- (h) The charge for water supplied by meter shall be One shilling per 1,000 gallons up to the maximum quantity covered by the rate payable in respect of the property in connexion with which the meter is affixed, and One shilling per 1,000 gallons for all water used in excess of such quantity. Provided that the water used be for manufacturing purposes, the quantity used in excess shall be Sixpence per 1,000 gallons.
- (i) For the temporary supply of water during the erection of new buildings, a sum of Ten shillings per centum on the amount of contract for brick and plastering shall be made, or if there be no contract, then upon the value, or on the amount charged, or paid for brickwork and plastering. All persons about to build must notify the Trust of their intentions to do so.
- (j) In any case where rates, charges, &c., are not paid when due, the water may be cut off until such amounts are paid.
- (k) The charge for water supplied from the Trust's stand-pipe shall be Threepence per 100 gallons.

No. 2. The foregoing rates are hereby made payable in equal moieties half-yearly in advance, on 1st day of January, 1916, and 1st day of July, 1916.

No. 3. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose, shall be authorized to demand, collect, sue for, and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-laws were made by the Rochester Waterworks Trust, under the provisions of the *Water Act 1915*, this twentieth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and the seal of the Rochester Waterworks Trust was hereto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) JAS. L. WORNER, Chairman.
J. E. HUMPHRIES, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

YACKANDANDAH WATERWORKS TRUST.
RATING BY-LAW FOR THE YEAR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Yackandandah Waterworks Trust do hereby pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1915* make the following By-law, viz. :—

1. *General Rate.*—A rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling is hereby made for the year 1916 upon all property liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the Trust. And such rate shall be based on the municipal valuation of such property by the shire of Yackandandah in existence on the first day of January 1916.

2. *Minimum Rate.*—The minimum rate payable on any property on which is erected any dwelling-house shop office factory stable or other building shall be Forty shillings. The minimum rate on any other rateable property whatsoever shall be Forty shillings.

3. *When Payable.*—The foregoing rates shall be due and payable in half-yearly moieties in advance, that is to say on the first day of January and the first day of July 1916.

M. Clune, or such person or persons as may from time to time be employed by the Trust for that purpose shall be authorized to demand collect sue for and recover the rates hereby made.

Passed on the 10th day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) W. RAMSAY, Chairman.
 ALEX. PRIESTLY, Commissioner.
 M. CLUNE, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
 14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

SWAN HILL WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do make the following By-law :—

By-law No. 16.

By-law for the making of a rate on all rateable property comprised within the boundaries of the district of the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust, such district having been proclaimed an Urban District under Division 9 of Part 2 of the *Water Act 1890*:—

1. A rate of One shilling and threepence (1s. 3d.) in the pound sterling on the annual value of all rateable property within the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust District, according to the valuation for the time being of all tenements for the municipal rates of the Shire of Swan Hill, with a minimum payment of One pound sterling.

2. A rate of One shilling and threepence (1s. 3d.) in the pound sterling on the annual value of all unoccupied land within the Trust District, in all cases where a main is laid, serves, or passes such land or within two (2) chains of such land whether connected with such main or not, with a minimum charge of One pound sterling on each allotment having an area of a quarter of an acre and not exceeding half-an-acre, and for every additional similar area, One pound sterling; or, having an area of less than one-quarter of an acre, Ten shillings.

3. A rate of Fifteen shillings (15s.) on each allotment having an area of a quarter of an acre and not exceeding half-an-acre on all unoccupied land within the Trust District not previously rated under this By-law, and being situated over 2 chains, but not exceeding 5 chains from a Trust main.

4. A rate of Ten shillings (10s.) on each allotment having an area of a quarter of an acre and not exceeding half an acre on all unoccupied land within the Trust District not previously rated under this By-law, and being situated more than 5 chains, but not exceeding 10 chains from a Trust main.

5. A rate of Six shillings (6s.) on each allotment having an area of a quarter of an acre and not exceeding half an acre on all unoccupied land within the Trust District, not previously rated under this By-law, and being situated more than 10 chains from a Trust main.

The foregoing rate is hereby made for the year 1916, commencing on the first day of January and ending the thirty-first day of December 1916.

6. Such rate is hereby made payable in two half-yearly instalments, one half on the first day of January, and the other half on the first day of July, 1916.

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

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust the eleventh day of November, 1915.

The common seal of the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust was hereunto affixed by the authority of the said Trust by—

J. H. STEWART, Secretary,
 in the presence of—

(SEAL) HENRY PYE,
 E. G. GRAY,
 F. A. FLIGHT,
 ROBERT CHISHOLM,
 W. H. GERRAND, } Commissioners.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
 14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

ST. ARNAUD BOROUGH WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

By-law No. 21.

THE Commissioners of the St. Arnaud Borough Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby make the following By-law :—

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within its Waterworks District, that is to say :—

The rates and charges specified are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements shall pay in respect of water supplied otherwise than by measure for domestic purposes.

On every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of Nine pounds and under, the sum of One pound twelve shillings and sixpence per annum.

On every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Nine pounds and not exceeding the annual municipal value of Fourteen pounds, the sum of One pound seventeen shillings and sixpence per annum.

On every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Fourteen pounds and not exceeding the annual municipal value of Nineteen pounds, the sum of Two pounds two shillings and sixpence per annum.

On every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Nineteen pounds and not exceeding the annual municipal value of Twenty-six pounds, the sum of Two pounds five shillings per annum.

On every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Twenty-six pounds, the sum of One shilling and ninepence in the pound sterling upon the amount of the annual municipal valuation.

On each unoccupied allotment or piece of land rated for the ordinary municipal rate within the Trust District separately from any buildings, the sum of Two shillings and sixpence in the pound sterling upon the amount of the annual municipal valuation.

On every house, tenement, or land situate otherwise than in a street in which a pipe for the supply of water has been laid down, and which house, tenement, or land is not supplied with water by reticulation from such pipe, and being within a quarter of a mile of any stand-pipe for the supply of water, one-half of the before-mentioned rates; and where such house, tenement, or land is over a quarter of a mile from such stand-pipe, and within half a mile thereof, one-fourth of the before-mentioned rates.

The rates and charges hereinbefore specified shall be due and payable in advance, in one amount, on the first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

In the construction of this By-law the word "Commissioners" shall mean the Commissioners of the St. Arnaud Borough Waterworks Trust.

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

Passed this first day of November, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

(SEAL) F. E. DAVIES, Chairman.
 J. B. PRITCHARD, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
 14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.

BOROUGH ECHUCA WATER TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Borough Echuca Water Trust, pursuant to and in exercise and execution of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby make the following By-law, viz.:

1. The rates and charges hereinafter specified are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the Borough Echuca Water Trust shall pay for the year 1916. Such rates and charges shall be deemed to be due and payable, in advance, on the first day of January, 1916, but the Trust may accept payment of the same by four quarterly instalments, payable on the first January, first April, first July, and first October of the said year, without prejudice to its right to recover the whole year's rate. That is to say:—
2. On every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile, a sum of Two shillings in the pound on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Thirty shillings.
3. On every shop or place of business not used either wholly or partly as a domicile, a sum of Four pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum under this clause to be Thirty shillings.
4. On every livery stable, saw-mill, cordial or aerated water factory, or other factory using water in connexion with its machinery or treatment, a sum of Seven pounds ten shillings, and on every flour mill, a sum of Fifteen pounds.
5. On every steam engine (not including any steam engine in a factory or mill rated under clause 4), a sum of One pound.
6. On every horse trough, a sum of Ten shillings.
7. The area of land allowed for each house or tenement paying the ordinary rate herein imposed shall not exceed one rood. Should any larger area of land be attached to a house or tenement, an extra sum of Five shillings shall be paid for every rood or part of a rood. Only one service-pipe connexion with the Trust's mains will be allowed to each house or tenement rated herein, and such service-pipe shall not exceed $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch in diameter.
8. For a temporary supply of water during the erection of new buildings, a sum of Ten shillings per centum on the amount of contract for stonework, brickwork, and plastering shall be made; or, if there be no contract, then upon the value or on amount charged or paid for stonework, brickwork, and plastering. All persons about to build must notify the Trust of their intention so to do.

Cases where Water is not Laid On.

9. On every house, tenement, factory, &c., not supplied through a service-pipe with water by the Trust, a sum of Two pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Fifteen shillings.
10. On every rood or part of a rood of land rated separately from any above-mentioned tenement, and facing a street or land in which a water main is laid contiguous thereto, the sum of Two pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Five shillings.
11. Any owner or occupier of property supplied through a service-pipe with water by the Trust who wishes to be charged at the minimum rate as provided in clause 9, must give notice, in writing, to the Trust's Secretary; the water will then be turned off, and the minimum rate will take effect after the expiration of the current quarterly period. No allowance in the rate will be made unless the water is turned off for a full quarter, nor in any case where the water is supplied to two or more premises through one service-pipe.

Water Supplied by Measure.

12. The charge for water supplied to market and other gardens and nurseries over one-quarter of an acre in area shall be One shilling per 1,000 gallons, such supply to be in every case by or through a meter, which shall be provided and affixed by the consumer after being approved by the Trust. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for under this clause shall be (20,000) Twenty thousand gallons. The service-pipe for the supplying of such water shall not exceed 1 inch in diameter.
13. No person shall be allowed to irrigate from the Trust's water mains lucerne, sorghum, or other fodder crop without a permit from the Secretary of the Trust, who shall, subject to the approval of the Trust, issue the same. The fee for such permit shall be £1 10s. for each one-eighth ($\frac{1}{8}$) or part of one-eighth ($\frac{1}{8}$) of an acre to be irrigated. No person shall be allowed to irrigate from the Trust's water mains more than

one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of an acre of any land unless a meter be attached to the service-pipe supplying such land. Any person committing a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5).

14. The Trust may require a meter to be used in connexion with the supplying of water to any house or tenement in any case where it deem the same necessary. In such case the provisions of clause 12 shall apply to such house or tenement.

15. The Trust will not in any case be held liable to supply water under the provisions of clauses 12, 13, or 14 until all consumers are supplied for domestic purposes.

16. The charge for water supplied from the Trust's stand-pipes shall be One shilling for each (100) One hundred gallons.

17. In any case where rates, meter charges, or other charges are not paid when due, the water may be cut off until such amounts are paid.

18. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose is or are hereby authorized to collect and recover the above-mentioned rates and charges.

19. In the construction of this By-law the words "annual value" shall mean the municipal annual valuation in force on the 1st January, 1916; the word "Trust" shall mean the Borough Echuca Water Trust; and the word "tenement," as used herein, shall be deemed to include the whole of the land held or used by or on behalf of one person, as one contiguous property, whether divided into two or more parts by fences or not.

The foregoing By-law was made and passed by the Commissioners of the Borough Echuca Water Trust on the twenty-ninth day of November, 1915, and the seal of the said Trust was affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. G. BOYLE, Chairman.
A. STRINGER, A.I.S.N., Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

LANCEFIELD WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

A By-law of the Lancefield Waterworks Trust, made under the *Water Act 1915*.

THE Commissioners of the Lancefield Waterworks Trust hereby make the following By-law:—

A rate of Two shillings and threepence in the pound shall be imposed and levied on all the rateable property in the Waterworks District of the Lancefield Waterworks Trust, according to the valuation for the time being of all the lands and tenements for the municipal rate of the shire of Lancefield, in which such lands and tenements are situated, for one year, commencing on the first day of January, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1916.

Such rate shall be payable and collected in two portions or instalments, and the first portion or instalment of One shilling and a penny half-penny (1s. 1½d.) shall be due and payable on the first day of January, 1916, and the second portion or instalment of One shilling and a penny half-penny shall be due and payable on the first day of July, 1916.

The minimum rate to be paid for the year 1916, where water is supplied, shall be Twenty-six shillings.

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

In witness whereof the seal of the Trust was affixed this twenty-ninth day of October, 1915, in the presence of—

(SEAL) HUGH CAMERON, Chairman.
JOHN WATERLAND, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

NHILL WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Nhill Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby make the following By-law:—

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

1. *Minimum*.—Every allotment of land, whether occupied or otherwise, of less than Nine pounds sterling annual value, the sum of Two shillings and sixpence in the pound on the amount of the municipal valuation.

2. *Minimum*.—For every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile, whether occupied or otherwise, of less than Nine pounds sterling annual value, the sum of One pound sterling per annum.

3. *On Valuations above Minimum*.—For every house or tenement used wholly or partly as a domicile, or allotment of land, whether occupied or otherwise, of Nine pounds sterling, or more than Nine pounds annual value, an amount equal to Two shillings and sixpence in the pound on the amount of the valuation.

4. *Special Rates*.—For all tenements or allotments of land, whether occupied or otherwise, in the said district situate otherwise than on streets in which the pipes for the supply of water have been laid down, and which tenements or allotments of land, whether occupied or otherwise, are not supplied with water by reticulation from such pipe, and being within a quarter of a mile of any stand-pipe for the supply of water, one-half of the above-mentioned rates; and where such tenements or allotments of land, whether occupied or otherwise, are over a quarter of a mile from such stand-pipe and within half-a-mile thereof, one-fourth of the before-mentioned rates.

5. *Notice to Instal Meter within Seven Days*.—The Trust may by notice intimate to the occupier or owner of any premises within its Waterworks District using water for domestic and other than domestic purposes that the water supply is to be charged for by measure, and may by such notice require such occupier or owner to provide a suitable meter for measuring the supply within seven days from the date of such notice, and thereupon such occupier or owner shall within the time specified, at his own expense, provide such a meter, and if any person neglect to comply with such notice such person shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 sterling. The Trust may, in the event of failure to comply with such notice, cut off the supply of water to such house or premises either by cutting off the pipes by or through which the supply is taken from the main or otherwise, and may discontinue the supply so long as such notice is not complied with to the satisfaction of the Trust or its officers, and neither such cutting off of pipes nor the cessation of such water supply as aforesaid shall relieve any person of his liability to pay water rates during such period of cessation.

6. *Minimum Meter Charge—Excess Meter Charge*.—Such owners as are supplied with water by meter shall pay at the rate of One shilling and threepence per 1,000 gallons up to the quantity they would be entitled to receive according to their assessment, and at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons for anything over that quantity.

7. *Meters to be Tested and Approved*.—The Trust may cause a meter to be affixed in any case where it considers necessary, such meter to be provided by the consumer and fixed at his expense. No meter shall be fixed unless approved of by the Trust, nor unless it shall be capable of registering at least 1,000,000 gallons.

8. *Syphons*.—Syphon pipes will not be allowed unless the water is supplied by measure.

9. *Public Institutions and Others*.—Water supplied to the Government Departments, charitable or other public institutions, and religious denominations, shall be by measure at One shilling and threepence per 1,000 gallons, or by special agreement.

10. *Irrigation*.—Water supplied exclusively for irrigation purposes to be paid for by measure in accordance with the charges fixed by this By-law.

11. *Where Meter ceases Registering, &c., Average may be Charged*.—If the meter shall cease registering the Trust shall, during the time it is out of order or undergoing repairs, estimate and charge the water consumed by taking an average of the quantity used during the previous quarter or during the corresponding period of the preceding year.

12. *Unlicensed Person not to Interfere with Pipes or Services*.—Before any person shall affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Trust, or alter, or repair, or in any manner interfere with any pipe of the Trust, he shall obtain from the Trust a licence in that behalf to execute such works, and any unlicensed person affixing, altering,

repairing, or in any manner interfering with any such pipe, service-pipe, cock, or fitting as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

13. *Licences to Plumbers to be during Pleasure of the Trust*.—Before any such licence shall be granted by the Trust the person applying for same shall satisfy the Trust that he is a competent plumber, and pay the annual sum of Five shillings as the fee for such licence. The Trust shall have the power of cancelling such licence at any time.

14. *Notice of Work proposed to be Given*.—Any person whether licensed as aforesaid or not who shall offend by opening any ground so as to uncover any pipe or pipes the property of the Trust, or who shall in any way tamper with or alter any pipe the property of the Trust, without permission in writing of the Trust being first obtained, or who shall wilfully or carelessly break, injure, or open any lock, cock, valve, pipe, work, or engine, the property of the Trust, shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

15. *Notice to Lay Services, &c., to be Given*.—No service-pipe shall be laid for the purpose of connecting with pipes of the Trust unless two (2) days' prior notice thereof be given to the Trust, and no service-pipe shall be laid at a depth of less than 12 inches below the surface of the ground in streets. The day for connecting private services to the Trust's pipes shall be Thursday in each week.

Special Size Services.—No service of a larger pipe than half ($\frac{1}{2}$) inch will be permitted unless by special consent of the Trust.

16. *Service-pipes to be Repaired by Owner or Occupier—Penalty for Refusal or Neglect to Repair Service*.—If any person shall neglect to repair any service-pipe conveying water from the pipes of the Trust into the premises of such person after having received notice from any officer of the Trust that such service-pipe requires repairing, the Trust may stop the water from flowing into such premises either by cutting off the service-pipe or otherwise as the said Trust may deem fit until the necessary repairs shall have been effected. The service-pipes from the main being the property of the occupier or owner of the tenements supplied by such service-pipes the occupier (if any), and if none, the owner shall in every instance in which damage shall be caused by reason of such service-pipe being leaky, or otherwise out of repair, or broken, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Trust.

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

18. *Special Provision for Steam Boilers*.—Any person, whether licensed as aforesaid or not, connecting any service-pipe or branch service-pipe with any steam boiler for the purpose of feeding or supplying the same with water without first affixing a self-acting valve for preventing the pressure of the steam reversing or affecting the dial of the meter shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and in the event of continuing the offence to a further penalty of Two pounds for every day after notice of the offence from the Trust.

19. *Overflow to Baths*.—Overflow pipes to baths or basins will not be permitted.

20. *Sale or Hire of Meter and Rate*.—The Trust will upon the application of an intending consumer supply to him a meter at cost price for cash on delivery, or on time payment, on the following terms:—One pound cash deposit, and balance bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum, by annual payments of One pound.

21. *Testing Meters—Hirer to Give Notice of Removal from Premises*.—In the event of the hirer being dissatisfied with the registering of such meter, he may, by notice in writing, require the Trust to cause such meter to be removed and tested, and, together with such notice, shall forward a sum of One pound, which, if the meter be found to register correctly, shall be applied in paying the cost of removing, testing, and replacing such meter, and the balance, if any, shall be returned to him; but if such meter be found to fail to register or be found to register incorrectly, such meter shall be repaired and replaced, or another meter shall be placed instead of it at the cost of the Trust, and the amount deposited by the hirer shall be returned to him. Any person so hiring a meter from the Trust who shall leave the premises on which such meter shall be fixed without having previously given, in writing, at least six days' notice to the Trust of his intention to leave the premises, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

22. *Water Rate Outside Trust's Area.*—Such occupiers or owners of tenements not within the Trust area, and who have agreed with the Trust to be supplied with water by meter, shall pay at the rate of Two shillings per 1,000 gallons.

23. *Water Troughs.*—Private water troughs will be charged for at the rate of Fifteen shillings per annum each, except where, in the opinion of the Trust, a meter shall be necessary, in which case the minimum charge shall be for 12,000 gallons per annum at One shilling and threepence per 1,000 gallons.

24. *Interpretation Clause.*—In the construction of this By-law the word "Trust" shall mean the Nhill Waterworks Trust, and "he" shall also mean "she."

Period of Rate.—That the before-mentioned rate is made for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1916, and shall be payable in one moiety, in advance, on the 1st day of January, 1916.

Where water meters are affixed the excess payments shall be made at the end of each year, or at such time or times as may be demanded by the Trust.

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

By-law passed and adopted this 2nd day of November, 1915.

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

(SEAL) JOHN YOUNG, Chairman.
A. F. MAGILL, C.E., Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

WANGARATTA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Wangaratta Waterworks Trust, whose Waterworks District has been proclaimed an Urban District, doth hereby, pursuant to and in exercise and execution of the powers and authorities conferred on it by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law:—

1. The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements situated within the aforesaid Waterworks District shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of water supplied otherwise than by measure for domestic purposes by the Trust:—

- (a) On lands and tenements of the annual municipal value of £20 or under (except in the case of land on which there is no buildings), the sum of One pound sterling (£1).
- (b) On lands and tenements above the annual value of £20 (except in the case of land on which there is no building), the sum of Five pounds (£5) per centum on the amount of the municipal valuation.
- (c) On land on which there is no building, the sum of Two pounds ten shillings (£2 10s.) per centum on the amount of the municipal valuation.
- (d) The charges for the supply of water otherwise than by measure for domestic purposes shall not in any case be less than Twenty shillings per annum, except in the case of land on which there is no building, in which case the charge shall not be less than Five shillings per annum.
- (e) For water supplied by stand-pipes or hydrant, Sixpence (6d.) per load not exceeding 100 gallons shall be paid.
- (f) For water supplied by meter for domestic and other than domestic purposes, not including garden use, the charge shall be One shilling per 1,000 gallons.
- (g) Water supplied by meter and consumed for domestic and garden purposes shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons up to the amount of the assessed rate due for the year in respect of the premises supplied, and for all water used in excess the charge shall be Sixpence per 1,000 gallons.

(h) For water supplied by meter solely for purposes other than domestic, the charge shall be One shilling per 1,000 gallons, and the minimum quantity to be charged for shall be 5,000 gallons per half-year. The Trust may, in cases where deemed necessary, supply water by special agreement upon such terms and conditions as it may determine.

(i) The minimum quantity of water to be charged for by meter where water is supplied for domestic purposes as well as for purposes other than domestic, shall be the quantity which, at the rate of One shilling (1s.) per 1,000 gallons, equals the amount of the assessed rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure.

(j) Such rates and charges shall be payable, in advance, by two equal half-yearly instalments, on the first day of January, 1916, and the first day of July, 1916, respectively.

2. Such person or persons as the Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose are hereby authorized to demand, receive, and recover the said rates and charges.

*The foregoing By-law was made and passed by the Commissioners of the Wangaratta Waterworks Trust this 15th day of November, 1915.

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

(SEAL) F. C. PURBRICK, Chairman.
W. J. SMITH, Commissioner.
T. C. MUNTZ, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

PYRAMID HILL WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW No. 11.

THE Commissioners of the Pyramid Hill Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915* and of all other powers enabling them in this behalf, do hereby make the following By-law:—

By-law for Determining the Rate payable for the Year 1916 for Water supplied within the Boundaries of the Pyramid Hill Waterworks Trust District.

1. A rate of 2s. 6d. (Two shillings and sixpence) in the pound sterling on the municipal value of all rateable property situate within the Waterworks District of the Pyramid Hill Waterworks Trust is hereby made for the year 1916.

2. The maximum rate on any one property used as a domicile or tenement shall be £10 (Ten pounds).

3. The minimum rate on any tenement used as a domicile shall be £2 (Two pounds).

4. On all unoccupied allotments or pieces of land within the Waterworks District and not rated under the foregoing clause, a minimum rate of 10s. (Ten shillings) shall be charged.

5. The foregoing rate is hereby made, payable on the first day of March, 1916.

6. Such person or persons as the Commissioners may appoint from time to time is or are hereby appointed, authorized to demand, collect, sue for, and recover the said rate.

Passed this twenty-sixth day of October, 1915.

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

(SEAL) MARTIN KELLY, Chairman.
MORRIS JACOBS, } Commissioners.
J. V. KELLY, }
THOMAS McMANNIS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

BALLAN WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Ballan Waterworks Trust do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law:—

Rating By-law for 1916.

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements within the Trust District shall pay for water supplied by the Trust for the year 1916.

1. For every vacant piece of land which has a separate annual municipal value of any amount, and past which any water main is laid, the sum of Ten shillings (10s.) per annum.

2. For any shop which has a separate annual municipal value of any amount not supplied with water, and past which any water main is laid, the sum of Ten shillings (10s.) per annum.

3. For every house or tenement of under Fifteen pounds (£15) annual municipal value, the sum of One pound ten shillings (£1 10s.) per annum.

4. For every house or tenement of Fifteen pounds (£15) and under Twenty pounds (£20) annual municipal value, the sum of One pound fifteen shillings (£1 15s.) per annum.

5. For every house or tenement of Twenty pounds (£20) and under Twenty-five pounds (£25) annual municipal value, the sum of Two pounds (£2) per annum.

6. For every house or tenement of Twenty-five pounds (£25) and under Thirty-five pounds (£35) annual municipal value, the sum of Three pounds (£3) per annum.

7. For every house or tenement of Thirty-five pounds (£35) and under Sixty pounds (£60) annual municipal value, the sum of Four pounds (£4) per annum.

8. For every house or tenement of Sixty pounds (£60) and under One hundred pounds (£100) annual municipal value, the sum of Four pounds ten shillings (£4 10s.) per annum.

9. For every house or tenement of One hundred pounds (£100) and over annual municipal value, the sum of Five pounds (£5) per annum.

10. For water supplied to any house or tenement upon which no annual municipal value is made, the sum of One pound ten shillings (£1 10s.) per annum.

11. All water supplied by the Trust by measurement shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling and threepence (1s. 3d.) per thousand (1,000) gallons, but in no case shall the amount to be paid be less than that which would be payable for the premises under its municipal assessment.

12. For every public water trough supplied with water from the works of the Trust, the sum of One shilling (1s.) per annum shall be paid.

13. All public water troughs must be fitted with approved self-acting taps to prevent overflow; such taps to be approved by the secretary for the time being of the said Trust.

14. It shall be unlawful for any person to have an overflow waste pipe from any private bath.

15. The Trust may by notice, in writing, intimate to any owner or occupier using water for other than domestic purposes solely that the water supplied is to be charged by measure, and may by such notice require such owner or occupier to provide a meter within fourteen days after the receipt of such notice; and thereupon such owner or occupier shall, within the time specified, at his own expense, provide a meter.

16. No meter shall be affixed until it shall have been examined and approved, and a certificate from the Board of Works or other authorized person be produced for the inspection of the secretary of the Trust for the time being that such meter is in proper order.

17. Every person requiring to remove or alter the position of any meter shall give six days' notice, in writing, to that effect to the Trust, and a registration of the quantity of water used shall be taken before such removal or alteration is made.

18. If any person who has provided any meter fail to give the notice required of any repairs required for such meter he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5).

19. If any person refuse or delay to have such meter properly repaired and put in correct working order after having been required by any officer of the Trust so to do, the Trust may shut off the supply of water from the premises of such person, either by cutting the service-pipe or otherwise, until such meter shall have been properly repaired and certified by some officer of the Trust as being in proper working order.

20. Any person supplied with water by the Trust who shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste, or who shall use or allow the water to be used in an unauthorized manner, or who is in arrears with the payment of his water rate, the Trust may, after one hour's notice, cut off the supply of water from the premises of such person either by cutting the pipes by or through which the water is supplied or by any other means that are available, and may cease to supply such premises with water so long as the Trust may think fit.

21. It shall be lawful for any person appointed by the Trust for such purpose to request permission from any owner or occupier to make an inspection of the water service to ascertain if water is being allowed to run to waste, and, if such occupier or owner refuse permission for such inspection, the Trust may, if it think fit, refuse to supply such premises with water; and such refusal on their part will in no way relieve the owner or occupier from payment of any rate or rates as may be levied on such property.

22. If the person appointed for such inspection shall ascertain that any owner or occupier is allowing water to waste by reason of leaky taps or otherwise, he shall be empowered to authorize the repair of such taps or pipes and to notify such owner or occupier that the waste of water must at once cease.

23. No person shall affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Trust, or alter or repair or in any way interfere with any pipe of the Trust or any service-pipe, cock, or fitting connected with the pipes of the Trust until he shall have obtained from the Trust permission to execute such works, and such permission shall be at and during the pleasure of the Trust, who may at any time cancel such permission.

24. Any person, whether licensed or permitted as aforesaid or not, who shall require to affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Trust, or to make any repairs to pipes under the control of the Trust, shall give notice to the secretary of his intention so to do.

25. All connexions from the Trust mains to property shall be made at the expense of the owner or occupier of the property to be supplied, and all repairs or renewals shall, when necessary, be made by the owner or occupier, and such pipes shall at all times be under the control of the Trust.

26. All connexions, pipes, and fittings shall be of the best quality, and approved by the Secretary and Chairman of the Trust.

27. The service-pipes from the main being the property of the owner or occupier of the tenements supplied by such service-pipes, the occupier (if any), and, if none, the owner, shall, upon receiving notice that his service-pipe requires repairing, immediately proceed to repair the same, and he shall be responsible for any loss of water or other damage which shall be caused by reason of such service-pipe being leaky or otherwise out of repair or broken, and the Trust may stop the water from flowing into such premises in any way it may seem fit until such repairs have been effected.

28. Fire plugs shall not be used except for the purpose of extinguishing fires unless any other use of them be allowed by the Trust, and they shall at all times be under the control of an officer of the Trust.

29. Any person watering any street or footpath by means of a hose except under the direction of an officer of the Trust shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations.

30. For any breach of these Regulations a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5) shall be imposed.

31. The above-mentioned rate is made for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1916, and shall be payable in two instalments; the first instalment shall be due and payable on the 1st day of May, 1916, and the second instalment on the 1st day of November, 1916. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the Ballan

Waterworks Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand and receive and collect and recover the said rate.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) W. E. WHITE, Chairman.
JOHN V. PORTER, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

HAMILTON WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Hamilton Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by such Act, make the following By-law, viz.:—

By-law No. 11.

The following are the rates and charges which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated, or other persons shall pay for the year 1916 in respect of the water supplied by the Trust in the said Urban District:—

1. For every house or other tenement fronting any street wherein the water pipes of the Trust have been laid, and not being unoccupied land, a rate of Two shillings in the pound on the amount of the municipal valuation of such house or other tenement and the land (if any) valued therewith shall be paid: the minimum amount to be so paid to be Twenty shillings. In cases where water is supplied to land upon which there is no building, the rate shall be Two shillings in the pound, according to the municipal valuation of such land. In no case, however, shall a rate of less than Ten shillings (10s.) be paid.

2. For land upon which there is no building, and to which water is laid on, but which land fronts any street wherein water pipes of the Trust have been laid, the rate shall be Two shillings (2s.) in the pound on the amount of the municipal valuation thereof. In no case, however, shall a rate of less than Ten shillings (10s.) be paid.

3. For houses proved to the satisfaction of the Trust to have remained unoccupied for a period of not less than six calendar months during the year 1916, the rate per house shall be two-thirds of the amount which would be payable if such house had not been so unoccupied; but in no case shall the rate be less than Ten shillings.

4. The foregoing rates are hereby payable half-yearly, in advance, one moiety on the 1st January 1916, and one moiety on the 1st July 1916.

5. For water supplied for domestic or other than domestic purposes by the Trust by measure the charge shall (except where otherwise agreed by the Trust, and save as is hereinafter provided in this By-law) be One shilling and sixpence (1s. 6d.) per 1,000 gallons up to such quantity as would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate payable in respect of the premises so supplied; and for all water consumed in excess of such quantity, a charge of Two shillings (2s.) per 1,000 gallons shall be made.

6. Private water troughs will be charged at the rate of Twenty shillings each per annum where the valuation of the property on which such trough is situated does not exceed Ten pounds. Such trough in such case to include the water rate payable.

Where the valuation of the said property exceeds Ten pounds there shall be no trough charge additional to the rate, except where, in the opinion of the Trust, a meter is necessary, in which case payment by measure for the water used; but in no case shall the rate be less than Twenty shillings.

7. Water supplied to public gardens, cricket grounds, and bowling clubs shall be charged by measurement at Sixpence (6d.) per 1,000 gallons; any quantity supplied in excess of the full measure of a unit of 1,000 gallons shall be charged for as 1,000 gallons. All water so supplied must be through a meter, and paid for half-yearly.

8. The charge of water supplied from any standpipe or hydrant shall be Sixpence (6d.) for any quantity up to 200 gallons, and Sixpence (6d.) for each additional 200 gallons or portion of 200 gallons.

9. For a supply of water during the erection of new buildings or alterations to, or additions to existing buildings, the charge shall be Five shillings per centum on the amount of the contract price for a stone or brick or concrete building, or the same shall be fixed by agreement with the Trust. For a supply of water for the erection of wooden buildings with plastered walls, the charge shall be £1 for each such building. For a supply of water for wooden buildings where no plaster is used, the charge shall be Ten shillings for each such building. All payments shall be made in advance. No person shall take or use any water for or in connexion with the erection of any new buildings or alterations to or additions to existing buildings till he has obtained the receipt of the Trust's officer for payment of the amount payable for the use of such water, or the consent, in writing, of the Trust or its officer. Any person offending against the provisions hereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each such offence. All such charges shall be additional to all rates or other charges payable by the owner or occupier of the premises upon which the building is being erected, and shall, in the first instance, be payable by the builder or contractor, and, if unpaid by the builder or contractor, shall be charged to and paid by the owner of the premises whereon such building is being erected, but such charge to the owner shall not prejudice the right of the Trust to proceed at its option against either the builder or contractor or the owner or the occupier for the amount so payable.

10. The occupier of two or more tenements liable to be rated, one of which is supplied with water by measure, shall be entitled, on payment of the rates of such tenements respectively, to use without further charge such a quantity of water by meter as shall not exceed at the current charge for water supplied for domestic purposes by measure the amount of such rates: provided that the tenement or tenements not supplied by measure shall not be connected with the pipes of the Trust.

The occupier of two or more tenements, each of which is supplied with water by measure, shall be entitled to use, without further charge, such a quantity of water at either or both such tenements as shall not exceed at the current charge for water supplied for domestic purposes by measure, the total amount at which such tenements, if not supplied by measure, would be rated.

11. For gas engines, oil engines, and steam boilers the charge shall be by measure; the minimum amount to be charged and paid shall be Twenty shillings, to be paid and payable in advance in each case. No water will be supplied to any such engine or boiler until a meter shall have been affixed to the supply pipe of such engine or boiler to the satisfaction of the engineer of the Trust: and no water will be supplied to any engine unless such engine is fitted with mechanical appliances to circulate and re-use the water to the satisfaction of the Trust's officer.

12. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for half-yearly in each case where water is supplied by measure for other than domestic purposes shall (except where otherwise implied or provided in this By-law) be 10,000 gallons, and such water shall (where it is not otherwise provided herein in this By-law or otherwise specially agreed by the Trust) be charged at the rate of Two shillings (2s.) per 1,000 gallons.

13. Supplies of water for purposes not specified herein are to be paid for at such charge as the Trust shall in each case determine, and the preliminary payments appointed by the Trust on account of such charge shall be made at the office of the Trust before a supply shall be taken or used.

14. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of Hamilton Waterworks Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand, receive, collect, and recover the rates and charges aforesaid and each of them.

15. In the construction of this By-law the word "person" shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation, whether aggregate or sole, and the word "Trust" shall mean the "Hamilton Waterworks Trust."

Passed this fifth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

(SEAL) SIDNEY L. OFFICER, Chairman.
WILLIAM MOORE, Commissioner.
FRANK HAMMOND, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF WINCHELSEA WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING REGULATION FOR 1916, No. 27.

THE Commissioners of the Shire of Winchelsea Waterworks Trust hereby make the following By-law:—

A rate of Two shillings in the pound sterling shall be imposed and levied on all rateable property in the Waterworks District of the Shire of Winchelsea Waterworks Trust according to the valuation for the time being of all lands and tenements for the municipal rate of the shire of Winchelsea, in which such lands and tenements are situated, for one year, commencing on the first day of January 1916, and ending on the thirty-first day of December 1916, provided that the sum of Ten shillings shall be the minimum of rate to be paid annually by every occupier or owner of such lands or tenements.

Such rate shall be payable and collected in two equal portions or instalments of One shilling each, and the first portion or instalment shall be due and payable on the first day of January, 1916, and the second portion or instalment shall be due and payable on the first day of July, 1916.

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

Passed this fifth day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) PETER MCCALLUM, Chairman.
C. W. C. FARRAN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

RIDDELL'S CREEK WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW FOR 1916.

A By-law of the Riddell's Creek Waterworks Trust, made under the powers conferred by the *Water Act* 1915, for the purpose of levying, imposing, and receiving a rate.

A RATE of Two shillings in the pound (£) sterling shall be imposed and levied on all rateable property in the Waterworks District of the Riddell's Creek Waterworks Trust, according to the valuation for the time being of all lands and tenements for the municipal rate of the shire of Romsey, in which such lands and tenements are situated, for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1916, and ending on the 31st day of December, 1916.

The minimum rate to be paid shall be Twenty shillings.

The rate hereby made shall be payable and collected in two equal portions or instalments, and the first portion or instalment shall be due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1916, and the second portion or instalment shall be due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1916.

Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the Riddell's Creek Waterworks Trust may from time to time appoint for the purpose shall be authorized to demand and receive, collect, and recover all rates and charges due to the said Trust.

Passed this first day of November, 1915.

(SEAL) J. F. CROW, Chairman.
L. SUTHERLAND, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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ROMSEY WATERWORKS TRUST.

RATING BY-LAW, 1916.

THE Commissioners of the Romsey Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the *Water Act* 1915, make the following By-law:—

A rate of One shilling and tenpence in the pound sterling shall be imposed and levied on all rateable properties in the Trust District, according to the municipal valuation of such properties, and shall be paid in equal moieties on the 1st January, 1916, and 1st July, 1916.

Water supplied by the Trust for other than domestic purposes shall be charged for by measurement (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust), and the minimum quantity to be charged for at One shilling for every 1,000 gallons shall be the quantity which would be equal to the amount of assessed rate payable for such premises so supplied. Water used in excess of that quantity shall be charged for at One shilling and sixpence for every 1,000 gallons.

Such person or persons as the Trust may appoint for the purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, receive, and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Romsey Waterworks Trust on the 5th day of November, 1915.

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

(SEAL) L. M. INGLIS, Chairman.
H. C. WHITE, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
14th December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

BALLAN WATERWORKS TRUST.

MINIMUM RATES FOR 1916.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock	Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod	Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by section 148 of the *Water Act* 1915, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by the occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by any Waterworks Trust: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, and in pursuance of the now in part recited Act, doth order and direct that the following shall be the minimum rates payable during 1916 in terms of the Rating By-law made by the Ballan Waterworks Trust for such year:—

- Clause No. 1.—Ten shillings.
- Clause No. 2.—Ten shillings.
- Clause No. 3.—One pound ten shillings.
- Clause No. 4.—One pound fifteen shillings.
- Clause No. 5.—Two pounds.
- Clause No. 6.—Three pounds.
- Clause No. 7.—Four pounds.
- Clause No. 8.—Four pounds ten shillings.
- Clause No. 9.—Five pounds.
- Clause No. 10.—One pound ten shillings.

And the Honorable Hugh McKenzie, His Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

BOROUGH ECHUCA WATER TRUST.

MINIMUM RATES FOR THE YEAR 1916.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by section 148 of the *Water Act* 1915, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by the occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by any Waterworks Trust: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the above State, and in pursuance of the provisions of the now in part recited Act, doth order and direct that the sums mentioned hereunder shall in each case be the minimum amount of rates to be paid for the year 1916 by every occupier or owner of property liable to be rated by the Borough Echuca Water Trust under clauses 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, and 10 respectively of its Rating By-law for the said year:—

- Clause No. 2.—One pound ten shillings.
Clause No. 3.—One pound ten shillings.
Clause No. 4.—Seven pounds ten shillings, and Fifteen pounds respectively, as specified.
Clause No. 5.—Twenty shillings.
Clause No. 6.—Ten shillings.
Clause No. 9.—Fifteen shillings.
Clause No. 10.—Five shillings.

And the Honorable Hugh McKenzie, His Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

PYRAMID HILL WATERWORKS TRUST.

MINIMUM RATES FOR 1916.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by section 148 of the *Water Act* 1915, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by the occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by any Waterworks Trust: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, and in pursuance of the now in part recited Act, doth order and direct that the sum of Two pounds (£2) shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid for the year 1916 by every occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by the Pyramid Hill Waterworks Trust under clause 3 of the Rating By-law for that year, and Ten shillings under clause 4 of such By-law.

And the Honorable Hugh McKenzie, His Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF WINCHELSEA WATERWORKS TRUST.

MINIMUM RATES FOR 1916.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by section 148 of the *Water Act* 1915, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by the occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by any Waterworks Trust: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, and in pursuance of the now in part recited Act, doth order and direct that the sum of Ten shillings (10s.) shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid for the year 1916 by every occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by the Shire of Winchelsea Waterworks Trust.

And the Honorable Hugh McKenzie, His Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

DEVIATION OF ROAD IN THE TOWNSHIP OF
HEPBURN.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by the *Local Government Act* 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2686) it is amongst other things enacted that if the council of any municipality prove to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable that any road should be deviated, and that such deviation can be conveniently made through Crown land or land held by licensees or pastoral lessees under the *Land Act* 1915, the Minister may cause such road to be deviated accordingly at the cost of the municipality: And whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable to deviate a certain road in the township of Hepburn: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of provisions contained in section 477 of the Act No. 2686 aforesaid, doth hereby declare the new road in the township of Hepburn defined in the following description to be a public highway in lieu of an existing road in the parish named, of which road technical description is also hereunder given (that is to say):—

NEW ROAD.

County of Talbot, township of Hepburn: Commencing at a point bearing N. 2 deg. 34 min. W. one chain nine links and N. 89 deg. 27 min. E. three chains seventy-three links and a half from the south-east angle of allotment 2 of section 17B; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 1 deg. 22 min. E. one chain ninety-two links and a half, N. 10 deg. 49 min. W. three chains seventy-two links and a half, N. 19 deg. 44 min. W. four chains eighty links and a half, and N. 7 deg. 43 min. W. six chains twenty-four links and a half; thence by a road bearing S. 61 deg. 2 min. E. one chain twenty-four links and seven-tenths; and thence by lines bearing respectively S. 7 deg. 43 min. E. five chains thirty-nine links and a half, S. 19 deg. 44 min. E. four chains seventy-seven links and eight-tenths, S. 10 deg. 49 min. E. three chains ninety links and a half, S. 1 deg. 22 min. W. two chains, and S. 89 deg. 27 min. W. one chain to the point of commencement.

OLD ROAD.

County of Talbot, township of Hepburn: Commencing at a point bearing N. 2 deg. 34 min. W. one chain nine links from the south-east angle of allotment 2 of section 17B; bounded thence by the said allotment bearing

N. 2 deg. 34 min. W. one chain twenty-eight links, and by that allotment and allotment 1 bearing N. 15 deg. 53 min. W. nine chains sixty-eight links; thence by a line bearing N. 21 deg. 26 min. E. seven chains eighty-six links and a half; thence by a road bearing S. 15 deg. 59 min. E. one chain sixty-four links and six-tenths; and thence by lines bearing respectively S. 21 deg. 26 min. W. six chains twenty-two links, S. 15 deg. 53 min. E. nine chains forty-five links and seven-tenths, S. 2 deg. 34 min. E. one chain forty-three links and a half, and S. 89 deg. 27 min. W. one chain to the point of commencement.—(15.C.66619.)

And the Honorable W. Hutchinson, His Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

DEVIATION OF ROAD IN THE PARISH OF WONGA WONGA SOUTH.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock	Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod	Mr. McCutcheon.

WHEREAS by the *Local Government Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2686) it is amongst other things enacted that if the council of any municipality prove to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable that any road should be deviated, and that such deviation can be conveniently made through Crown land or land held by licensees or pastoral lessees under the *Land Act 1915*, the Minister may cause such road to be deviated accordingly at the cost of the municipality: And whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Minister that it is desirable to deviate a certain road in the parish of Wonga Wonga South: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of provisions contained in section 477 of the Act No. 2686 aforesaid, doth hereby declare the new road in the parish of Wonga Wonga South defined in the following description to be a public highway in lieu of an existing road in the parish named, of which road technical description is also hereunder given (that is to say):—

NEW ROAD.

County of Buln Buln, parish of Wonga Wonga South: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 23: bounded thence by lines bearing respectively S. 11 deg. 8 min. E. seven chains eleven links and a half, S. 22 deg. 39 min. W. eleven chains twenty-links and three-tenths, and S. 71 deg. 50 min. W. seven chains fifty-nine links and six-tenths; thence by a road bearing N. 36 deg. 24 min. E. three chains forty-four links and nine-tenths; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 71 deg. 50 min. E. three chains eighty-seven links, N. 22 deg. 39 min. E. nine chains sixty-eight links and one-tenth, and N. 11 deg. 8 min. W. three chains fifty-four links and three-tenths; and thence again by the before-mentioned road bearing N. 22 deg. 52 min. E. three chains fifty-seven links and seven-tenths to the point of commencement.

OLD ROAD.

County of Buln Buln, parish of Wonga Wonga South: Commencing at a point bearing S. 22 deg. 52 min. W. three chains fifty-seven links and seven-tenths from the north-west angle of allotment 23: bounded thence by the said allotment bearing S. 22 deg. 52 min. W. eleven chains forty-one links and a half, and S. 36 deg. 24 min. W. three chains eighty-five links; thence by a line bearing S. 71 deg. 50 min. W. three chains forty-four links and nine-tenths; thence by allotments 42 and 41 bearing N. 36 deg. 24 min. E. six chains forty-three links and four-tenths, and by the latter allotment bearing N. 22 deg. 52 min. E. fourteen chains fifteen links and three-tenths; and thence by a line bearing S. 11 deg. 8 min. E. three chains fifty-seven links and seven-tenths to the point of commencement.—(15.C.66174.)

And the Honorable W. Hutchinson, His Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.

EXEMPTION FROM SATURDAY HALF-HOLIDAY AND REGULATION OF GENERAL STORE- KEEPERS SHOPS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF BEACONSFIELD NORTH.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock	Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod	Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers (exclusive of hawkers and pedlars) keeping shops within the township of Beaconsfield North, within the municipal district of the shire of Berwick, of the particular class to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

- (1) All general storekeepers' shops within the township of Beaconsfield North, within the municipal district of the shire of Berwick, shall be exempted from the provisions of section 77 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*.
- (2) All such shops shall be closed in each week during the whole of each year from the hour of—
 - (a) Ten o'clock on the evening of Saturday;
 - (b) Seven o'clock on the evening of Friday;
 - (c) One o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.

EXEMPTION FROM SATURDAY HALF-HOLIDAY AND REGULATION OF CERTAIN SHOPS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF BETHANGA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock	Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod	Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers (exclusive of hawkers and pedlars) keeping shops within the township of Bethanga, within the municipal district of the shire of Towong, of the particular classes to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

- (1) All shops (except shops for the sale of fresh uncooked meat, hairdressers' shops, and shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*) within the township of Bethanga, within the municipal district of the shire of Towong, shall be exempted from the provisions of section 77 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*.
- (2) All such shops shall be closed in each week during the whole of each year from the hour of—
 - (a) Ten o'clock on the evening of Saturday;
 - (b) Seven o'clock on the evening of Friday;
 - (c) One o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.
REGULATION OF CHEMISTS' SHOPS WITHIN
THE TOWNSHIP OF MILDURA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod | Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition certified by the municipal clerk of the municipal district of the shire of Mildura, as signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers (exclusive of hawkers and pedlers) of the particular class or kind to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

- (1) The Regulation made on the sixth day of January, 1915, relating to the closing hours of chemists' shops within the township of Mildura, within the municipal district of the shire of Mildura, shall, from and after the date hereof, be and the same is hereby repealed.
- (2) All chemists' shops (being shops of a class or kind mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*) within the township of Mildura, within the municipal district of the shire of Mildura, shall be closed in each week during the whole of each year on the evening of Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from the hour of Eight o'clock on the evening of Saturday from the hour of Ten o'clock, and on the afternoon of Wednesday from the hour of One o'clock, and such closed shops shall be permitted to re-open on the evening of Wednesday in each week from the hour of Seven o'clock until the hour of Eight o'clock.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.
EXEMPTION FROM SATURDAY HALF-HOLIDAY
AND REGULATION OF CERTAIN SHOPS IN
THE TOWNSHIP OF RHEOLA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod | Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers (exclusive of hawkers and pedlers) keeping shops within the township of Rheola, within the municipal district of the shire of Korong, of the particular classes to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

- (1) All shops (except shops for the sale of fresh uncooked meat, hairdressers' shops, and shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*) within the township of Rheola, within the municipal district of the shire of Korong, shall be exempted from the provisions of section 77 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*.
- (2) All such shops shall be closed in each week during the whole of each year from the hour of—
 - (a) Ten o'clock on the evening of Saturday;
 - (b) Seven o'clock on the evening of Friday;
 - (c) One o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.
EXEMPTION FROM SATURDAY HALF-HOLIDAY
AND REGULATION OF CERTAIN SHOPS WITHIN
THE TOWNSHIP OF STRATHMERTON.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod | Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers (exclusive of hawkers and pedlers) keeping shops within the township of Strathmerton, within the municipal district of the shire of Numurkah, of the particular classes to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulations, that is to say:—

- (1) All shops (except shops for the sale of fresh uncooked meat, hairdressers' shops, and shops of the classes or kinds mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*) within the township of Strathmerton, within the municipal district of the shire of Numurkah, shall be exempted from the provisions of section 77 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*.
- (2) All such shops shall be closed in each week during the whole of each year from the hour of—
 - (a) Ten o'clock on the evening of Saturday;
 - (b) Six o'clock on the evening of Friday;
 - (c) One o'clock on the afternoon of Wednesday.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Factories and Shops Act 1915.
REGULATION OF SADDLERS' SHOPS AND STORE-
KEEPERS' SHOPS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF
STRATHMERTON.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the
fourteenth day of December, 1915.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson
Mr. McLeod | Mr. McCutcheon.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition certified by the municipal clerk of the municipal district of the shire of Numurkah, as signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers of each particular class to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulation, that is to say:—

- All shops within the township of Strathmerton, within the municipal district of the shire of Numurkah, of the following classes, viz., saddlers' shops and storekeepers' shops, shall be closed on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday in each week from the hour of Six o'clock.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Public Service Act 1915 and Lunacy Act 1915.

REGULATIONS.—LUNACY DEPARTMENT.

THE Inspector-General of the Insane, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Service Act No. 2713, and the Lunacy Act No. 2687, hereby repeals the Regulations heretofore made under such Acts, and makes the following Regulations to take effect from the 1st October, 1915:—

In these Regulations "Inspector-General" means the Inspector-General of the Insane appointed under the Lunacy Act No. 2687.

The Regulations are divided into the following Chapters, viz.:—

- Chapter I.—Professional Division, Classification of.
- Chapter II.—General Division, Appointment to the.
- Chapter III.—General Division, Classification of.

W. ERNEST JONES,
Inspector-General of the Insane.

Melbourne, 9th November, 1915.

CHAPTER I.

CLASSIFICATION OF THE PROFESSIONAL DIVISION—
LUNACY DEPARTMENT.

Public Service Act No. 2713, Section 71 (1), and
Lunacy Act No. 2687, Section 13.

1. When it is necessary to fill an office in the Professional Division it shall, unless it be absolutely necessary to appoint to such vacancy a duly qualified person from outside the Service, be filled by the promotion thereto of the officer who, in the opinion of the Inspector-General of the Insane, possesses the particular qualifications required for the vacant office, and is next entitled by merit, good and diligent conduct, length of service, relative seniority, and the nature of the work performed by him.

2. In the case of appointments, transfers, and promotions the scale or amount of salary assigned to the several officers mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be that respectively entered opposite the name of such office in such Schedule in the "Yearly Rate of Pay."

3. When a minimum rate and a maximum rate of salary are attached to any office, the person holding such office shall be paid such amount, being not less than the minimum nor more than the maximum rate, as shall be from time to time approved by the Governor in Council on the recommendation of the Inspector-General, provided that an officer on his first appointment to the Service shall be paid the minimum rate of his office.

4. Any officer transferred or promoted to any office in the Professional Division shall thereupon be the junior officer in such office or grade to which he is promoted or transferred, but notwithstanding anything in the Schedule hereto, he shall be paid a salary not less than that which he was receiving immediately before such transfer or promotion, provided it be not greater than the maximum rate for such office.

5. The following are the classes of the Professional Division which apply to officers appointed, transferred, or promoted under these Regulations:—

	Salary.	
	Minimum.	Maximum.
Class A	£700	£800
Class D	£468	£516
Class E	£372	£432

SCHEDULE.

Office.	Class.	Salary, Minimum.	Rate of Increment.	Salary, Maximum.
Medical Superintendent	A	£ 700*	£25 at intervals of not less than one year, and on the recommendation of the Inspector-General of the Insane	£ 800*
Senior Medical Officer	D	468**	Increments in accordance with Schedule III., Act No. 2713, and at intervals of not less than one year, and on the recommendation of the Inspector-General of the Insane	516**
Junior Medical Officer	E	372†	Increments in accordance with Schedule III., Act No. 2713, and at intervals of not less than one year, and on the recommendation of the Inspector-General of the Insane	432†

* Subject to a charge of £100 a year for rent, fuel, light, water, vegetables, milk, and washing.

** Subject to a charge of £72 a year for rent, fuel, light, water, vegetables, milk, and washing.

† Subject to a charge of £60 a year for rent, fuel, light, water, vegetables, milk, and washing.

Junior medical officers will be provided with quarters partly furnished.
9th November, 1915.

CHAPTER II.

APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION IN THE GENERAL DIVISION.

(Act No. 2713, Section 71 (v), (vi), and (vii), and Act No. 2687, Section 13.)

Registration and Examination of Applicants.

1. Every applicant (except for the position of Messenger) must at the date of his application be between the ages of twenty-one and forty-one years, and must forward to the office of the Inspector-General of the Insane an application in his own handwriting, stating his full name and address, the date and place of birth, and the particular appointment or class of appointment which he desires to obtain. He must also send in a certificate of good moral character and industry, as well as a certificate of suitability for employment from either the Inspector-General of the Insane or the Medical Superintendent of one of the Hospitals.

Nurses should be 5 ft. 3 in. in height, and Attendants 5 ft. 8 in., with correspondingly good physical development, and in their form of application they should state what their previous occupation or work has been.

Applicants for the positions of Messenger must be between the ages of sixteen and twenty; Messengers will not be retained after they have reached the age of twenty-one years.

2. Every applicant to be recorded for appointment to any office requiring the exercise of skill usually acquired in some mechanical trade or other occupation must satisfy the Inspector-General, by the production of certificates or otherwise, that he possesses the handicraft and experience necessary for the work of the office.

3. On the production of these certificates applicants may have their names entered in the "Register of Applicants for Employment," and will be nominated as vacancies occur. Prior to nomination, however, it will be necessary for applicants to furnish a certificate of good physical health.

4. New appointments, all things being equal, will be made from among those persons whose names are entered in the "Register of Applicants for Employment" according to priority of registration for vacant offices, combined with fitness in each case for the particular office to be filled, and the Educational Test Examination having been passed; but the Inspector-General may nominate any applicant who has special qualifications without regard to his position on the Register.

5. If any person decline to accept an appointment which is offered to him, his name will thereupon be removed from the Register. The name of a candidate may also be removed from the Register if he fail to reply within seven days to any communication from the Inspector-General respecting his nomination to the Lunacy Department addressed to him at his last place of residence known to the Inspector-General.

6. No name of any person shall remain on the Register as that of a person qualified for appointment after he shall have attained the age of forty-one years, or for a longer period than two years from date of registration, except in the case of applicants who, subsequent to registration, joined the Australian Expeditionary Forces.

7. Any person appointed under these Regulations will be on probation for twelve months, and the Attendants will be required prior to their probationary appointment to pass an examination which will prove the sufficiency of their education.

The subjects of examination shall be those specified hereunder:—

- (a) Handwriting: to be tested by copying out at least 200 words from a passage of simple English.
- (b) Spelling: to be tested by writing from dictation an extract from a newspaper—not less than 100 words.
- (c) Arithmetic: first four rules, simple and money.

Applicants who have passed any examination for candidates for appointment in the Public Service of Victoria, or any like examination, will be exempted from this examination. Persons appointed to positions in the General Division other than those of Attendants and Nurses will not be required to pass the Educational Examination, i.e., Hospital Trained Nurses, Artisans, and Servants.

First Departmental Examination.

8. Attendants and Nurses appointed under these Regulations must qualify themselves for retention on the staff of the Lunacy Department and for subsequent increments to their salaries by attending the necessary courses of lectures in Elementary Anatomy and Physiology, First Aid to the Injured, and General Duties.

Failure of an Attendant or Nurse to pass the Departmental Examinations within the times specified will be considered to be evidence of incapacity to discharge the duties of his or her office; and the retention of Attendants and Nurses on the staff will be conditional on their passing these examinations. No Attendant or Nurse will be retained on the staff of the Lunacy Department unless he or she has passed the First Departmental Examination.

9. The First Departmental Examination cannot be undertaken before the Attendant or Nurse has been in the service of the Lunacy Department for a period of one year. In the event of a failure to pass at the first attempt, on the recommendation of the Medical Superintendent the Inspector-General may approve of a second opportunity to pass the examination being given.

Second Departmental Examination.

10. The Second Departmental Examination—in general and mental nursing—cannot be undertaken until after the end of the third year of service in the Lunacy Department, but the Attendants and Nurses must present themselves for this Examination before the end of the fourth year of service, dating from the time of appointment on probation. On the passing of this Examination a certificate will be given to the successful examinee setting forth that he or she is considered as a trained mental Attendant or Nurse of the Lunacy Department. In the event of a failure to pass this second examination at the first attempt, on the recommendation of the Medical Superintendent the Inspector-General may approve of other opportunities to pass the examination being given. In the event of a second failure to pass, however, the services of the unsuccessful candidate may be dispensed with.

11. The first increment will only be recommended to the Attendant or Nurse conditional on the First Departmental Examination having been passed, and if he or she is approved of by the Medical Superintendent and the Inspector-General, and on the production of a certificate of good conduct and diligence from the Medical Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane where he or she is employed. The second increment will not be recommended until the Second Departmental Examination has been passed.

12. In determining the claims of officers to promotion, consideration will be given in respect of merit to the following qualifications:—

- (a) Ability and knowledge required to fulfil the duties of the superior office, and the possession of the necessary tact and judgment.
- (b) Industrious habits and careful performance of work.
- (c) Good conduct, regular attendance, and prompt and cheerful service on urgent occasions.
- (d) Mental vigour and sound bodily health.
- (e) Performance of valuable services of a special nature.

In determining the claims to promotion of an Attendant or Nurse in a Hospital for the Insane, consideration in respect of merit will be given to evidence of nursing qualifications as shown by having passed the examinations held by the Department.

13. No Attendant or Nurse will be eligible for promotion to the Second Grade until the Second Departmental Examination is passed.

This will not include Attendants and Nurses appointed prior to 1st January, 1907, who may be promoted to the Second Grade, notwithstanding that they have not passed the Nursing Examination. A strong recommendation as to suitability for promotion to the higher grade will be required.

14. For promotion to the First Grade selection will be made from among those Attendants and Nurses who have passed into the Second Grade, and who have, by reason of their special fitness for the work, as well as by their good conduct and industry, proved themselves capable of taking charge of a large and important ward.

15. Except in a case in which the Inspector-General shall certify that some particular office in the Lunacy Department should be filled by a Hospital Trained Nurse, the person to fill the position of Hospital Attendant or Hospital Nurse may be selected from among the Attendants and Nurses who have demonstrated their capacity for the special work required of them.

16. It will be necessary for the Chief Nurses, the Hospital Attendants, and the Hospital Nurses to pass a special Examination in mental nursing before their appointments are confirmed.

17. Officers appointed to any position in the Lunacy Department shall not, until they shall have served for a period of 5 years on the staff of the Department, be transferred to any other Department or Branch unless such transfer is determined to be in the interests of the Public Service.

Board of Examiners.

18. All Departmental Examinations will be conducted by a Board of Examiners, which will consist of the Inspector-General or a Deputy appointed by the Inspector-General, and two Medical Superintendents or Deputy Superintendents appointed by the Inspector-General.

19. The subjects for the First and Second Departmental Examinations shall be those set forth in the syllabus of lectures adopted from time to time and issued to each Hospital for the Insane, the text-book being as prescribed from time to time.

20. The employees at the Idiot Asylum and the Reception House so far as is practicable will be subject to the same rules as the employees in the Hospitals for the Insane.

21. In accordance with the exigencies of the Department, and in order to facilitate the better training of Attendants and Nurses, the Inspector-General may transfer an Attendant or Nurse from one Hospital to another, or from the female side to the male side of the same Hospital where the nursing of male patients is undertaken by female Nurses.

22. All probationers and persons appointed on the staff of the Lunacy Department will be required to sign the agreement hereunder at the time of entry on duty.

LUNACY DEPARTMENT.

I hereby acknowledge to have received and read a copy of rules and instructions appended hereto and marked A and B which are now in force for the guidance of in the Lunacy Department. I fully understand that during my connexion with this Department and in consideration of being employed, I am obliged to obey and carry out these rules and instructions, and all other rules, instructions and orders which may be in force during my employment within the Hospital for the Insane in which I may at any time be employed, and also that I must be careful of the property of the Government of Victoria and must promote so far as I am able the interests and objects of any such Hospital, avoid gossiping about its inmates or affairs, and endeavour generally by my own conduct and demeanour to sustain the reputation of the establishment.

I further understand that I am liable to be called upon to perform any duty assigned to me, although not of a nature I usually perform, should I be required to do so by the Medical Superintendent or his representatives; that it is my duty if anything improper is done in my presence or to my knowledge in the Hospital wherein I may be employed, to report it to the Medical Superintendent; and I understand and agree that I am liable to be punished or have my services dispensed with or be dismissed for any transgression of any instruction, order or rule of the Hospital, or of any instruction, order or rule applying to; and further I understand the principles laid down in the Rules and Regulations for promotion by merit, good behaviour and suitability (and, for the Attendants and Nurses, that the possession of the Departmental Nursing certificates), are the only means by which I may expect promotion, and that any attempt to gain promotion by other influences than these will be taken as an acknowledgment on my part of my unfitness for such promotion; further that one month's notice at least is required before an application to be allowed to leave the service of the Lunacy Department will be considered.

I further make statement and declare my true and proper age to be years.

Date of birth.

Witness
 Dated at the Hospital for the Insane at
 this day of 191 :
 entered on duty as
 this day of 191
 9th November, 1915.

CHAPTER III.

CLASSIFICATION OF THE GENERAL DIVISION.

(Act No. 2713, Section 71 (viii), and Act No. 2687, Section 13.

1. In the case of appointments, promotions or transfers to any office in the General Division in the Lunacy Department, the scale or amount of salary assigned to the several offices mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be that respectively entered opposite the name of the office in such Schedule in the column headed "Yearly Rate of Pay (1)," provided, however, that the rates of pay specified in the column headed "Yearly Rate of Pay (2)" shall apply to officers appointed as described in the heading or the footnotes.
2. In cases where no minimum salary is entered opposite the name of his office in the said Schedule every officer shall be entitled to receive pay at the maximum rate without addition thereto.
3. In cases where there is a minimum rate and a maximum rate, every officer shall be entitled to receive salary at a rate within the minimum and maximum limits to be approved by the Governor in Council on the recommendation of the Inspector-General of the Insane, provided that an officer on his first appointment to the Department shall be paid at not more than the minimum rate of his office.

4. Any officer transferred or promoted to any class or grade shall thereupon be deemed to be junior to any officer already in such class or grade, but notwithstanding anything in the Schedule hereto he shall be paid an amount not less than that which he was receiving immediately before such transfer or promotion. Officers who are transferred to the Attendants' or Nurses' staff from the Artisans' and Servants' staff, and who are in receipt of salaries at or above the maximum of the Third Grade, may be transferred to the Second Grade on the recommendation of the Inspector-General without regard to their seniority. They will, however, be required to pass the Educational and Departmental Examinations prior to being so transferred.

5. In the case of Attendants and Nurses, promotion from Grade to Grade may be approved by the Governor in Council on the recommendation of the Inspector-General, and shall be regulated in accordance with the special regulations for Attendants and Nurses.

6. Increments may be granted to officers appointed to the offices mentioned in the following Schedule, and at the rates set forth in the Schedule.

7. Where an officer previously to his transfer from one office to another has been paid the same salary as in his new office, time served in such former office may be counted in reckoning the interval for the first increment.

8. Every increment shall be discretionary, and no increment shall be payable except on the certificate of the Permanent Head of the Department and of the Inspector-General that such increment has been earned by good conduct and efficient service.

9. If any officer is in receipt of pay greater than the maximum rate, he shall continue to receive such pay until he can be employed upon work equivalent to his salary.

10. Failure on the part of Attendants and Nurses to pass the Nursing Examinations will be taken as inefficient service, and, should the examinations not be passed, increments will not be granted.

11. Grade II.—Attendants who have been for two years in receipt of the maximum salary of Grade III. may, on promotion to Grade II., be paid the maximum salary of that grade. Attendants who have been promoted to Grade II., and who have been paid at the rate of £144 in either Grade II. or Grade III. for a period of two years, may be paid at the maximum rate of Grade II.

12. If any officer be absent from duty on account of illness, and such illness shall have extended beyond seven days, no deduction shall be made from the salary of such officer on account of allowances after the expiration of such period of seven days if the officer is under medical treatment at his own home or at a general hospital. In the case of the single men and the members of the female staff, it shall be at the discretion of the Medical Superintendent as to whether the officers shall remain at the Hospital for the Insane for treatment or be allowed to leave the institution.

9th November, 1915.

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES.

Office.	Yearly Rate of Pay.		Salaries may be increased to Rates shown Hereunder.				
	Minimum.	Maximum.	After 1st Year.	After 2nd Year.	After 3rd Year.	After 4th Year.	After 5th Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Criminal and Refractory Ward—							
Attendant, Head	204	216†	216	..	..	..	..
Attendant, Relieving .. .. .	..	168*	..	..	..	..	..
Attendant, Grade II.	144	156*	..	156	..	6	..
Attendant, Grade III.	132	144*	..	144	..	..	..
Artisans and Servants, Males—							
Blacksmith	156	168	168	..	..	..	..
Senior Carter (in sub-charge of farm)	144	156*	156	..	..	..	..
Carter	108	132*	120	132	..	..	..
Carpenter	156	168	168	..	..	..	..
Carpenter, Assistant	144	156	156	..	..	..	..
Cook	144	156*	156	..	..	..	..
Fireman	120	132	132	..	..	..	..
Gardener, Landscape	204	228†	216	228	..	..	..
Gardener	144	180†	156	168	180	..	..
Gardener (Receiving House, Royal Park)	120	144	132	144	..	..	..
Painter	144	156	156	..	..	..	..
Painter, Assistant	132	144	144	..	..	..	..
Shoemaker	144	156	156	..	..	..	..
Soapmaker	144	156	156	..	..	..	..
Tailor	144	168	156	168	..	..	..
Tailor, Yarra Bend	156	168	168	180	..	..	..
Upholsterer	132	144	144	..	..	..	..

* Less deductions for quarters and rations, &c. † Less deductions for quarters and allowances.

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES—continued.

Office.	Yearly Rate of Pay.		Salaries may be increased to Rates shown Hereunder.				
	Minimum.	Maximum.	After 1st Year.	After 2nd * Year.	After 3rd Year.	After 4th Year.	After 5th Year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Artisans and Servants, Females—							
Head Cook .. .. .	..	108*	..	..	..	..	..
Cook	84	96*	90	96	..	..	..
Kitchen Maid or House Maid	72	84*	78	84	..	..	..
Laundress	96	108*	102	108	..	..	..
Laundress, Assistant	84	90*	90	..	..	..	..
Tailoress	84	96	90	96	..	..	..
Tailoress, Assistant	60	84	66	72	78	84	..
Seamstress, Nurse	72	96*	78	84	90	96	..
General Staff—							
Attendant, Head, Grade I.	204	240†	216	228	240	..	..
Attendant, Head, Grade II.	204	216†	216	..	..	..	..
Attendant, Hospital, Male .. .. .	..	180*	..	..	..	..	..
Dispenser, Metropolitan Hospitals	168	216	180	192	204	216	..
Farm Bailiff, Grade I.	204	240†	216	228	240	..	..
Farm Bailiff, Grade II.	180	204†	192	204	..	..	..
Engineer Mechanic, Grade I.	204	240†	216	228	240	..	..
Engineer Mechanic, Grade II.	182	228†	204	216	228	..	..
Hall Porter	120	156*	132	144	156	..	..
Mechanic, Assistant	144	156	156	..	..	..	..
Storeman, Grade I.	168	180	180	..	..	..	..
Storeman, Grade II.	156	168	168	..	..	..	..
Messenger, Junior	48	84*	60	72	84	..	..
Laboratory Attendant	108	144*	120	132	144	..	..
Boatman .. .. .	..	132	..	..	..	..	..
Attendants, Male—							
Grade I. (in charge of large wards, relieving attendants in large hospital wards, and senior night attendant in each hospital) .. .. .	..	168*	..	..	..	..	..
Grade II. (relieving attendants in large wards, in charge of small wards, and other special duties)	144	156*	..	156	..	..	..
Grade III.	108	144*	120	..	132	..	144
Carpenter Attendant	120	144*	132	144	..	..	..
Tailor Attendant	120	144*	132	144	..	..	..
Shoemaker Attendant	120	144*	132	144	..	..	..
Painter Attendant	120	144*	132	144	..	..	..
Watchman and Attendant	132	144	144	..	..	..	..
Females—							
Chief Nurse	168	192†	180	192	..	..	..
Housekeeper	144	168†	156	168	..	..	..
Nurse, Hospital .. .. .	..	120*	..	..	..	..	..
Nurse—							
Grade I. (in charge of large wards, relieving nurses in large hospital wards, and senior night nurse in each hospital) .. .. .	..	108*	..	..	..	..	..
Grade II. (relieving nurses in large wards, in charge of small wards, and other special duties) .. .. .	..	96*	..	..	..	..	..
Grade III.	78	90*	84	..	90	..	..
Asylum for Idiots—							
Tailor Attendant	120	144*	132	144	..	..	..
Sewing Mistress	60	84	66	72	78	84	..
Receiving House—							
Cook and Laundress.	84	96*	90	96	..	..	..

* Less deductions for quarters and rations, &c. † Less deductions for quarters and allowances. ‡ Less deductions for quarters, allowances, and rations.

Nurses, Cooks, and Laundresses will be provided with uniforms.

Attendants will be provided with uniforms as under:—
One Tunic and two pairs of Trousers annually, and Caps and Helmets as required.

Bonus positions, £4 to £6.

Note to Salaries of Officers residing in separate quarters in the Reserves of the various Hospitals for the Insane.

Deductions will be made from the salaries of these officers in accordance with the Schedule hereunder:—

Rent	as fixed
Fuel	£12
Light	£8
Water	£2
Vegetables	£2
Milk	£2
Washing	£6

£30 a year

The Chief Nurses and Housekeepers will be charged £32 per annum for rations and allowances other than quarters.

Rent for quarters will be charged as under:—
For quarters occupied by—

Head Attendants	£20 a year
Farm Bailiffs	£20 a year
Mechanics	£20 a year
Gardeners	£20 a year
Chief Nurses	£16 a year
Housekeepers	£16 a year

Salaries of Officers who are allowed quarters for themselves only and rations.

Deductions will be made from the salaries of these officers as under:—

Rent and allowances	£18
Rations	£14

£32 a year

Lunacy Act.

REGULATIONS IN CONNEXION WITH RECEPTION OF VOLUNTARY BOARDERS INTO HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE, ETC. (ACT No. 2687), ALSO FOR THE TRANSFER OF INSANE PATIENTS FROM ONE INSTITUTION TO ANOTHER.

UNDER the powers conferred by the Lunacy Act to make Regulations for the purpose of the same and under all other powers in that behalf him enabling, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, doth make the Regulations following (that is to say):—

1. The Regulations Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, may be cited as the "Voluntary Boarder (Lunacy Acts) Regulations 1915," and No. 5 as Regulation for the issue of orders for the transfer of insane patients from one institution to another.

2. It shall be a condition governing the lawful reception of a Voluntary Boarder in any Hospital for the Insane, Receiving House, or Licensed House under the provisions of section 105 of the *Lunacy Act* 1915 that the same has available accommodation which has been passed by the Inspector-General of the Insane as being in his opinion suitable for the case and treatment of voluntary boarders of the sex, age, and rank in life of the particular person requested to be received therein.

3. In the event of a person detained as a voluntary boarder being discharged from any Hospital for the Insane, Receiving House, or Licensed House, or of such Boarder being committed therefrom as a patient under the Lunacy Acts, the Medical Superintendent in the case of a Hospital or Receiving House, or the licensee of a Licensed House, or some one on his behalf, shall forthwith notify the Inspector-General of the Insane of that fact in the prescribed form.

4. The Forms numbered from I. to VII. inclusive in the Schedule hereto, or Forms to the like effect, are hereby prescribed as those to be severally used in matters connected with or incidental to Voluntary Boarders in matters under the provisions of the *Lunacy Act* 1915, according to the circumstances and purposes of the case.

TRANSFER OF PATIENTS.

5. The Forms numbered from VIII. to XII. inclusive in the Schedule hereto, or Forms to the like effect, are the Forms of Order prescribed to be used by the Inspector-General of the Insane when exercising the power conferred by section 91 of the *Lunacy Act*, directing the transfer of a patient from any Hospital for the Insane to a Licensed House, or from a Licensed House to a Hospital for the Insane, or from one Hospital for the Insane to another, or from one Licensed House to another.

Form I.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-sections 2 (a) and 2 (b).
APPLICATION TO BE ADMITTED TO A HOSPITAL FOR THE

INSANE
RECEIVING HOUSE
AS A VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I*, of _____, occupation _____, hereby make application to be admitted as a Voluntary Boarder for care and treatment at the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House

at _____ for a period of _____.

In the event of my wishing to be discharged before the expiration of such period of detention, I understand that I am liable to be detained in the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House

at _____ for three days after an application in writing for such discharge has been received from me by the Medical Superintendent of the said Hospital for the Insane Receiving House.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 19 _____.

Witness to Signature—
* Full Christian and surname.
† Full address.

Form II.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-sections 2 (a) and 2 (b).
APPLICATION TO BE ADMITTED TO A LICENSED HOUSE AS VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I*, of _____, occupation _____, hereby make

application to be admitted as a Voluntary Boarder for care and treatment at the house of _____, which is licensed under the Lunacy Acts for the reception of insane persons (hereinafter called the "Licensed House" for a period of _____.

In the event of my wishing to be discharged before the expiration of such period of detention, I understand that I am liable to be detained in the Licensed House for three days after an application in writing for such discharge has been received from me by the Superintendent.

Visiting Medical Practitioner.

Signature—

I certify that the above-named _____ signed such request and statement in my presence at this _____ day of _____, 19 _____, and that he appeared fully to understand the effect of such request and statement.

Signature—

Justice of the Peace.
Medical Practitioner.

* Full Christian and surname.
† Full address.

Form III.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-section 3.

NOTICE BY MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT OF ADMISSION OF VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I, _____, Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House at _____, give you notice that _____ was admitted to this institution as a Voluntary Boarder on the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

I attach copy of the request and statement made by the above patient.

_____ has agreed to pay for his maintenance during the time he is detained as a Voluntary Boarder.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

Medical Superintendent.

To the Inspector-General of the Insane,
Lunacy Department, Old Treasury Buildings,
Spring-street, Melbourne.

Form IV.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-section 3.

NOTICE BY VISITING MEDICAL PRACTITIONER OF ADMISSION OF VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I, _____, Visiting Medical Practitioner of the house licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____, give you notice that _____ was admitted to this institution as a Voluntary Boarder on the _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

I attach copy of the request and statement made by the above patient.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

Visiting Medical Practitioner.

To the Inspector-General of the Insane,
Lunacy Department, Old Treasury Buildings,
Spring-street, Melbourne.

Form V.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-section 3.

CERTIFICATE GIVING OPINION OF MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT VISITING MEDICAL PRACTITIONER AS TO THE MENTAL AND PHYSICAL CONDITION OF VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I, the undersigned _____, being the Medical Superintendent _____, Visiting Medical Practitioner of the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House _____, House Licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____, certify that my opinion of the mental and physical condition of _____ who was

admitted to this institution as a Voluntary Boarder on the _____ day of _____, 19____, is as follows:—

and I recommend that—

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Medical Superintendent
Visiting Medical Practitioner
of the
Hospital for the Insane
Receiving House

House licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____

To all whom it may concern.
*Deputy.

Form VI.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-section 9 (b).

ORDER FOR THE DISCHARGE OF A VOLUNTARY BOARDER.
_____, a Voluntary Boarder detained at the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House

House licensed for the reception of insane persons

at _____ having made an application in writing to be discharged, I hereby order that the said Voluntary Boarder be discharged.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Medical Superintendent
Visiting Medical Practitioner
of the
Hospital for the Insane
Receiving House

House licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____

Form VII.

VOLUNTARY BOARDER (LUNACY ACT)
REGULATIONS 1915.

Act No. 2687, section 105, sub-section 9 (b).

NOTICE TO INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE OF DISCHARGE OR COMMITTAL OF VOLUNTARY BOARDER.

I hereby give you notice that _____, a person detained as a Voluntary Boarder at the Hospital for the Insane Receiving House

House licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____

was this day discharged from the same (or was committed to this Hospital for the Insane Receiving House

House licensed for the reception of insane persons at _____)

at _____
Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Medical Superintendent.
Licensee of the above House.

To the Inspector-General of the Insane,
Lunacy Department, Old Treasury Buildings,
Spring-street, Melbourne.

Form VIII.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM ONE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE TO ANOTHER.

In pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687, I hereby order and direct the removal from the Hospital for the Insane at _____ of the patient _____ and I hereby require the said patient to be received into the Hospital for the Insane at _____ accordingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at this _____ day of _____, 19____.
Inspector-General of the Insane.

To the Superintendents of the Hospitals for the Insane at _____ and _____ respectively,
and to all others whom it may concern.

Form VIIIa.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM ONE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE TO ANOTHER.

In pursuance of the powers vested in me by section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687, I hereby order and direct the removal from the Hospital for the Insane at _____ to the Hospital for the Insane at _____ of the undermentioned patients:—
and I hereby require the said patient to be received into the Hospital for the Insane at _____ accordingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at this _____ day of _____, 19____.
Inspector-General of the Insane.

To the Superintendents of the Hospitals for the Insane at _____ and _____ respectively,
and to all others whom it may concern.

Form IX.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE TO A LICENSED HOUSE, OR VICE VERSA, OR FROM ONE LICENSED HOUSE TO ANOTHER.

Whereas one _____ is now a patient in the Hospital for the Insane House of _____

licensed for the reception of insane persons

at _____ and a request has been signed for h removal therefrom to the Hospital for the Insane House of _____

licensed for the reception of insane persons

at _____ by _____ being the person who signed the request on which the patient was in the first instance received into any Hospital for the Insane or Licensed House.

Now I, the undersigned, being the Inspector-General of the Insane under the powers in that behalf conferred upon me by the Lunacy Act, No. 2687, hereby order and direct the removal from the above Hospital for the Insane _____ Licensed House _____

for the reception of insane persons at _____ to the

House of _____ licensed for the reception of insane persons

Hospital for the Insane at _____ of patient _____, and I hereby require the said patient to be received into the said Licensed House _____ Hospital for the Insane at _____ accordingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Inspector-General of the Insane.

To the Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane at _____

And to the Superintendent of the Licensed House of _____ for the

reception of insane persons at _____
And to all other persons whom it may concern.

* Name of licensee.

Form X.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE TO A LICENSED HOUSE, OR VICE VERSA, OR FROM ONE LICENSED HOUSE TO ANOTHER.

Whereas one _____ is now a patient in the Hospital for the Insane House of _____

licensed for the reception of insane persons

at _____ and a request has been signed for h removal therefrom to the Hospital for the Insane House of _____

licensed for the reception of insane persons

at _____ by _____ being the person who made the last payment on behalf of such patient.

Now I, the undersigned, being the Inspector-General of the Insane under the powers in that behalf conferred upon me by the Lunacy Act, No. 2687, hereby order and direct the removal from the above Hospital for the

Insane Licensed Hospital for the Insane
 House for the reception of insane persons
 at to the
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons

Hospital for the Insane
 at of patient, and I hereby
 require the said patient to be received into the said
 Licensed House
 Hospital for the Insane at accord-
 ingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at
 this day of, 19.

Inspector-General of the Insane.

To the Superintendent of the Hospital for
 the Insane at
 And to the Superintendent of the Licensed
 House of for the
 reception of insane persons at
 And to all other persons whom it may
 concern.

* Name of licensee.

Form XI.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR
 REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE
 TO A LICENSED HOUSE, OR VICE VERSA, OR FROM ONE
 LICENSED HOUSE TO ANOTHER.

Whereas one is now a patient in the
 Hospital for the Insane
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons
 at and a request
 has been signed for h removal therefrom to the
 Hospital for the Insane
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons

at by
 Now I, the undersigned, being the Inspector-General
 of the Insane under the powers in that behalf conferred
 upon me by the Lunacy Act, No. 2687, hereby order and
 direct the removal from the above Hospital for the
 Insane Licensed
 House for the reception of insane persons
 at to the
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons

Hospital for the Insane
 at of patient, and I hereby
 require the said patient to be received into the said
 Licensed House
 Hospital for the Insane at accord-
 ingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at
 this day of, 19.

Inspector-General of the Insane.

To the Superintendent of the Hospital for
 the Insane at
 And to the Superintendent of the Licensed
 House of for the
 reception of insane persons at
 And to all other persons whom it may
 concern.

Form XII.

HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

Section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No. 2687.

ORDER OF INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE INSANE FOR
 REMOVAL OF PATIENT FROM HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE
 TO A LICENSED HOUSE, OR VICE VERSA, OR FROM ONE
 LICENSED HOUSE TO ANOTHER, THERE BEING NO PERSON
 CAPABLE AND WILLING TO SIGN THE REQUEST.

To the Superintendent of the Hospital for
 the Insane at
 And to the Superintendent of the Licensed
 House of for the reception
 of insane persons at
 And to all other persons whom it may
 concern.

Whereas I, the undersigned, the Inspector-General of
 the Insane, deeming it desirable that
 now a patient in the
 Hospital for the Insane
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons
 at should be removed therefrom to the
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons

Hospital for the Insane
 at, and there being no person capable
 and willing under section 91 of the Lunacy Act, No.
 2687, to sign a request for such removal, I hereby,
 under the powers in that behalf conferred upon me by
 the last cited Act, do order and direct the removal from
 the said Hospital for the Insane
 Licensed House at to the
 House of licensed for the reception of
 insane persons

Hospital for the Insane
 at of the said patient
 and I hereby require the said patient to be received
 into the said Licensed House.
 said Hospital for the Insane at
 accordingly.

Given under my hand in duplicate at
 this day of, 19.

Inspector-General of the Insane.

Lunacy Act (No. 2687).

REGULATIONS FOR BOARDING OUT PATIENTS.

WHEREAS by section 96 of the Lunacy Act (No.
 2687), it is enacted that the Governor in Council
 may from time to time make, alter, and repeal regula-
 tions, which shall be published in the *Government
 Gazette*, for the boarding out of patients, and that such
 regulations shall prescribe, together with such other
 matters (if any) as the Governor in Council may con-
 sider necessary, the following:—

- (1) The class or classes of persons with whom patients may be placed to reside and board.
- (2) The distance from some Hospital for the Insane within which any house in which a patient is to reside must be situate.
- (3) The accommodation which every house in which any patient is to reside and board shall contain.
- (4) The general dietary scale which must be provided for patients.
- (5) The hours to be kept by patients in such houses.
- (6) The occupations to be permitted to be followed by patients.
- (7) The degree of liberty and absence (if any) from place of residence which may be allowed to patients.
- (8) The inspection to which all such houses shall be subject.
- (9) The scale of payment to be made for patients.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the same, and in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, doth for the purposes aforesaid make the Regulations following, namely:—

1. *The Class of Persons (in these Regulations called "Guardians") with whom Patients may be placed to Reside and Board.*—Guardians must be either the owners or sole tenants of the houses, and must reside in the houses in which patients are to be boarded; and, in all cases, guardians must be people of good repute, who possess a certificate of respectability, good character, and fitness to be intrusted with the care of patients from a local magistrate or minister of religion who has known the person named in the certificate for a period of not less than six months immediately preceding the date of the certificate. In each case the person selected as a guardian shall be, if possible, of the same social position and of the same religious denomination as the patient.

Limitation as to Patients.—Excepting with the written consent in each case of the Honorable the Chief Secretary, one patient only shall be boarded in the same house at the same time, and the same person shall not be guardian of more than one patient at the same time.

2. *The Accommodation which every House or Institution in which any Patient is to Reside and Board shall contain, the distance from a Hospital for the Insane within which such House or Institution must be, and the character of the site of such House or Institution.*—The house or institution must be well drained and free from damp, with well ventilated rooms, and must be sufficiently commodious to provide for each patient a bedroom of not less cubical contents than 700 feet. In the case of patients who are boarded out at benevolent asylums or such like institutions, sleeping accommodation may be provided with the approval of the Inspector-General of the Insane, in dormitories. These dormitories must, however, contain at least 800 cubic feet of air space for each patient. Unless within 6 miles of a railway station, upon a line of railway, the house or institution must be within 30 miles of a hospital for the insane; and if within 6 miles of a railway

station, upon a line of railway, the house or institution must then be within 100 miles of a hospital for the insane; and must be in a healthy and cheerful situation.

3. *Furniture.*—Each patient's bedroom must contain a comfortable single bed and suitable bedclothes, sheets to be changed at least weekly, and such other furniture as the Inspecting Medical Officer shall from time to time require to be supplied.

Clothing.—All clothing required by the patients, and not supplied by their friends, shall be supplied from a Hospital for the Insane, and shall be such as is usually worn by ordinary persons in the same social position as the patients.

4. *General Dietary Scale.*—The food must always be sufficient in quantity, of good quality, suitable description, and carefully cooked. Fermented liquors not allowed to patients, unless by direction of the medical officer. The patients shall be supplied with the same kind of food as their guardians, unless the medical officer shall decide otherwise.

5. *The Hours to be kept by Patients.*—Patients shall be allowed eight hours for sleeping, and not be required to work longer than the Inspecting Medical Officer shall approve of. They are not to be allowed out after dark, unless for some special purpose, and suitably attended.

6. *Occupations to be permitted to be followed by Patients.*—Patients, subject to any directions which may from time to time be given by the Inspecting Medical Officer, are to be allowed and encouraged to employ themselves in any occupation or work for which their previous education or training may suit them; but care must be taken that they do not overtask themselves. If the patients should earn any money by their exertions this must be treated as the property of the patients, and the guardians should keep an account of this for the patient, and report the amount to the Inspecting Medical Officer at each visit by him.

7. *The degree of Liberty and Absence (if any) from the Place of Residence which may be allowed to Patients.*—Outdoor exercise by patients should be, as much as possible, encouraged by guardians, but, unless approved by the Inspecting Medical Officer, patients should not be allowed to wander out of sight of their guardian, unless in the care of some person approved by the guardian—but, so far as the safety of the patient will admit of, freedom from constraint should be permitted to the patient: and, with the written consent of the Inspecting Medical Officer, a patient may be allowed to be absent from residence for not longer than eight days at one time if the guardian is satisfied of the fitness of the person with whom the patient states his intention to reside during his or her absence from his or her guardian and of the reliance which may be placed upon the patient's statement. But in each case of absence from residence for longer than one day, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m., the previous consent in writing of the Inspecting Medical Officer must be obtained.

8. *The Inspection to which all such Houses shall be subject.*—In addition to the inspection provided for in the said Lunacy Act 1915, all such houses and the patients therein shall be visited and inspected at least once in every three calendar months by the superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane nearest to the house to be inspected, or by some medical practitioner in actual practice to be appointed by the Chief Secretary.

9. In each house a book to be called "The Inspector's Book" shall be kept by the guardian, in which the guardian shall enter—

- The name of the patient;
- The date of the reception of the patient;
- The Hospital for the Insane or Receiving-house or other place from which the patient comes;
- The occurrence, and the date of the occurrence, of any physical ailment of, or accident to the patient;
- The date and occasion of any absence of the patient;
- The date of each visit of the Inspecting Medical Officer;
- The date of the removal or death of patient during residence.

And in this book the Inspecting Medical Officer shall enter—

- The date of each visit made by him, with his observations on the state of the house and condition of the patient, and any other observations he may think proper.

10. *The Scale of Payment to be made for Patients.*—The scale of payment may vary, subject to the following condition, from Six shillings per week to Twelve shillings per week. The amount shall be fixed in each case by the Inspector-General of the Insane, subject in all cases in which the estate of the patient is under the control of the Master-in-Lunacy, or of any committee or guardian, to the approval of the Master-in-Lunacy. In determining

the amount to be paid the following conditions shall be considered:—

- (a) The physical and mental condition of the patient as affecting the comfort of the guardian and guardian's family;
- (b) The amount of personal attention which the patient will require;
- (c) Any special diet which the Inspecting Medical Officer may certify to be necessary;
- (d) The ability of the patient to pay, where superior accommodation is desired by the friends of the patient, and the character of the accommodation which, in such case, it is proposed should be supplied.

11. *General Duty of Guardians towards Patients*—

- (a) The first duty of the guardian shall be to secure the safety, the comfort, and happiness of the patient;
- (b) The patient shall receive the personal care and attention of the guardian;
- (c) Any indication of a suicidal tendency or extreme excitement shall be at once communicated to the superintendent of the nearest asylum for the insane.

12. *Termination of Agreement with Guardian, and Removal of Patient.*—The guardian may terminate the agreement for the board of a patient by giving not less than fourteen days' notice in writing to the superintendent of the nearest Hospital for the Insane; or, in the case of a patient being unmanageable, the guardian may take the patient back to the Hospital for the Insane or Receiving-house from which he or she came, after such reasonable notice as the circumstances of the case will admit of. In any case in which the superintendent of a Hospital for the Insane, or the Inspector-General of the Insane, shall consider, either upon the report of the Inspecting Medical Officer or upon his own inspection that any of these regulations are not duly observed by the guardian, or that the patient has ceased to be a fit subject to be boarded out, the superintendent of a Hospital for the Insane or the Inspector-General of the Insane may remove, or may order the removal of such patient, either after such reasonable notice as in each case such superintendent or Inspector-General shall think proper, or without notice if the superintendent or Inspector-General be of opinion that an immediate removal is necessary. In the event of such removal being upon the ground of a breach of the regulations, then no payment beyond the last day of the preceding week's board shall be paid, but in the event of removal for any other cause, then one week's board in addition to the week's board in which the patient is removed shall be paid to the guardian.

13. *Moneys and Property of Patient.*—Upon the removal of any patient the guardian shall hand over to the superintendent of the nearest Hospital for the Insane, or to the Master-in-Lunacy, any property of the patient in his or her possession or care, including any moneys which the patient may have earned during residence with the guardian.

14. *Notice of Death, Escape, and Recapture of Patients.*—In the event of the death, escape, or, after escape, of recapture of any patient, the guardian shall, without delay, give notice in writing of such death, escape, or recapture to the Inspecting Medical Officer, to the Inspector-General of the Insane, and to the Master-in-Lunacy.

15. *Interpretations.*—The term "The Inspecting Medical Officer," when used in these regulations, shall include the Inspector-General of the Insane, the superintendent of the nearest Hospital for the Insane, and any medical practitioner appointed by the Chief Secretary to inspect houses in which patients are boarded out.

Lunacy Act (No. 2687).

LICENSED HOUSES.

REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS it is provided under section 56 of the Lunacy Act 1915 (No. 2687) that the Chief Secretary may upon payment of such annual fee as the Governor in Council may prescribe and subject to such provisions and conditions as to the Governor in Council seem fit by writing under his hand grant to any person a licence to keep a house for the reception of one or more insane persons and from time to time may renew or revoke such licence: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of the said provisions, doth hereby prescribe that the annual fee for such a licence shall be Ten pounds, and doth further provide that—

- (1) Application for such licence shall be made to the Chief Secretary in the form or to the effect of Schedule

one, and there shall be attached to such application the following documents:—

- (a) A plan of all houses and buildings to be included in the licence, drawn upon a scale of eight feet to an inch, with a description of the situation of the house, and the length, breadth, and height of, and a reference by a figure or letter to, every room therein, distinguishing the rooms to be appropriated to patients from those to be occupied by the family and domestic servants of the resident licensee.
- (b) A statement of the quantity of land not covered by building annexed to the house, and appropriated to the exclusive use, exercise, and recreation of the patients, with a plan thereof drawn to a scale of 100 feet to an inch.
- (c) A statement of the means by which the sexes are to be kept apart or separately provided for.

(2) Such licence shall be in the form or to the effect of Schedule two, and shall remain in force for twelve months from the date thereof.

(3) A licence shall not be granted in respect of a house for the reception of insane persons until the Inspector-General of the Insane certifies, in writing, to the Chief Secretary that such house is suitable for such purpose.

(4) The Inspector-General of the Insane may at any time demand to see all persons living in any licensed house, whether deemed to be insane or not.

(5) No alteration or addition shall be made in or about a licensed house or its appurtenances without the approval of the Inspector-General of the Insane.

If it is proposed to make any such alteration or addition, the licensee shall send notice, in writing, thereof to the Inspector-General of the Insane.

Such notice shall be accompanied by a full description of the proposed alteration or addition, with plans drawn to a scale of eight feet to an inch.

(6) The Chief Secretary may, if he thinks fit, from time to time renew any licence for a licensed house on request, in writing, by the licensee thereof, and the payment of the annual fee hereinbefore prescribed.

SCHEDULE ONE.

Lunacy Act 1915 (No. 2687).

APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE TO KEEP A HOUSE FOR THE RECEPTION OF INSANE PERSONS.

I, the undersigned, of , hereby apply for a licence for the house known as , particulars whereof are hereto annexed, for the reception of insane persons.

1. Situation of premises
2. Number of patients to be received not exceeding female and male.

Dated this day of

(Signed)

To the Honorable the Chief Secretary,
Melbourne.

SCHEDULE TWO.

Lunacy Act 1915 (No. 2687).

LICENCE TO KEEP A HOUSE FOR THE RECEPTION OF INSANE PERSONS.

WHEREAS (A.B.) of has applied to me in the form prescribed by the Governor in Council, under the provisions of the *Lunacy Act 1915 (No. 2687)*, for a licence for the house known as , and situated at , for the reception of insane persons: And whereas the Inspector-General of the Insane has certified to me, in writing, that such house is suitable for such purpose, I hereby grant to the said a licence for such house for the reception of not more than female and male patients. This licence to be subject to the provisions of the said Act, and to remain in force for twelve months from this date if the provisions of the said Act in respect to licensed houses and the patients therein are complied with as regards the said house and all patients therein to the satisfaction of the Inspector-General of

the Insane, and if the charges made to patients are not disapproved of by the Inspector-General of the Insane.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, this day of , One thousand nine hundred and

Chief Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
23rd November, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Education Act 1915.

HIGHER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PROCLAIMED A DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by section 64 of the *Education Act 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2644)* it is provided that the Governor in Council may at any time establish any district high school: Now therefore I, the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, do hereby proclaim the Higher Elementary School at Coburg a District High School, and do direct that it be maintained as such from 1st January, 1916.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

H. S. W. LAWSON,
Minister of Public Instruction.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Thistle Act 1915.

LEPIDIUM DRABA. L., HOARY CRESS, DECLARED TO BE A THISTLE THROUGHOUT THE SHIRE OF DUNMUNKLE.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in the *Thistle Act 1915*, I, the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, do by this my Proclamation declare the plant named *Lepidium Draba. L., Hoary Cress*, to be a thistle within the meaning of the said Act throughout the Shire of Dunmunkle.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

F. HAGELTHORN,
Minister of Agriculture.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land Act 1915.

AREAS OF LANDS COMPRISED IN CERTAIN CLASSES INCREASED AND DIMINISHED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by the Land Act 1915 it is amongst other things enacted that 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 5, of the said Land Act 1915, but that the area of lands which may be sold by auction (Class 6) shall not be increased except as in certain cases in the said Act provided: Now therefore I, the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, and in accordance with the provisions of sections 94 and 117 of the Land Act 1915 aforesaid, do hereby increase or diminish (as the case may be) the areas of Crown lands comprised in Classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 8 respectively of the classes mentioned in section 5 of the Land Act 1915 aforesaid to the extent set forth in the subjoined Schedules respectively (that is to say):—

Schedules referred to.

CLASSES DIMINISHED OR INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area	Diminished.	Increased.	Description.
				Class.	Class.	
			A. R. P.			
Bogong ...	Beechworth ...	20, sec. Q ³	20 0 0	7	1	In the south-east of parish
Bogong ...	Lilliput ...	3A, sec. 3	15 1 17	7	1	In the north-east of parish
Gladstone ...	Charlton East	11c, sec. C	2 1 2	8	6	
Gladstone ...	Glenalbyn ...	North-west pt. 25, sec. 1	5 0 0	7	2	In the north of parish
Bendigo ...	Sandhurst ...	541, sec. H	1 3 1	7		

CLASS INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Description.
			A. R. P.		
Lowan ...	Leeor ...	...	9 0 23	3	South-east of and adjoining allotment 18, section 6

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY

By His Excellency's Command,

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

THE CHILTERN COMMON AND THE CHILTERN UNITED BOROUGH AND GOLD FIELD COMMON UNITED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by Part I. of the Land Act 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2676) it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time increase, and, after one month's notice in the Government Gazette, diminish, alter, or abolish any common, and may from time to time re-proclaim the whole or any part of any such common for any of the purposes and subject to the provisions of the said Part of the said Act, and that nothing therein contained shall prevent the exercise of the powers conferred by the said

Part of the said Act with respect to the leasing or licensing of any land comprised in any common: Now therefore I, the Governor of the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, do hereby unite the Chiltern Common and the Chiltern United Borough and Gold Field Common under the designation of The Chiltern Common.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and in the sixth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

ORDERS IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1915-16.)

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1447	AGRICULTURE— Supplying the <i>Journal of Agriculture</i> —July, August, and September, 1915, issues	£ s. d. 624 12 5	The Government Printer	Vote	Approved by the Governor in Council, 7th December, 1915. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1448	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS— Purchase of a number of "Flaman" Speed Recorders	1,930 0 0 (approx.)	Mons Flaman ...	Railway Stores Suspense Account	Approved by the Governor in Council, 14th December, 1915. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1449	Purchase of 6 Weekly Automatic "Doy" Time Registers	330 0 0 (approx.)	The Dey Time Registers Ltd.	Ditto	
1450	Purchase of certain Westinghouse Brake Parts	1,215 0 0	Westinghouse Brake Co. of Australasia Ltd.	Ditto	
1451	Purchase of 14 sets of "Ackley" Hand Brakes	115 10 0	Noyes Bros. (Melbourne) Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1452	WORKS— Supply of Stone required in connexion with Unemployed Relief Works at Cole-street, Brighton, without public tenders being invited	7s. 6d. per load	W. Nichols ...	Division 78/15/36. Parapet to Stone Wall, Elwood - parade, Brighton	Approved by the Governor in Council, 16th November, 1915. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1453	Purchase-money for Land required for State School purposes at Mont Albert	950 0 0	Robert S. Smythe ...	Act 2531, Item 5 ...	Approved by the Governor in Council, 23rd November, 1915. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1454	Purchase of Wire Netting to meet requirements during the month of November, 1915, without public tenders being invited— 42 in. x 17 g. x 1½ in., at £40 per mile 42 in. x 17 g. x 1½ in., at £47 10s. per mile	Rates ...	Messrs. Lysaght Bros. and Co. Ltd., Sydney	Loan Act 2481, Item 4	
1455	Purchase of Wire Netting to meet requirements during the month of December, 1915, without public tenders being invited— 42 in. x 17 g. x 1½ in., at £43 per mile 42 in. x 17 g. x 1½ in., at £51 per mile	Ditto ...	Messrs. Lysaght Bros. and Co. Ltd., Sydney	Ditto	Approved by the Governor in Council, 7th December, 1915. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Melbourne, 22nd December, 1915.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

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.
1456	MINES— Extras in connexion with the supply and erection of Cyanide Plant, &c., at Wombat Battery, gazetted 28th April, 1915, page 1542	£ s. d. 5 0 0	H. Wallace ...	Votes	T. Livingston. 18.12.1915.
1457	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS— (2)—Supply and delivery of Broken Metal for Eastern Districts, as ordered, during the period commencing on 1st December, 1915, and ending on 30th June, 1916, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at the contractor's siding, Berwick. Deposit, £5— Item No. 1. Bluestone, or other approved Broken Metal, 2½-in. ring gauge, at 4s. per cubic yard Item No. 2. Bluestone, or other approved Broken Metal, 1½-in. ring gauge, at 4s. 3d. per cubic yard	Rates ...	W. Wilson ...	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	J. S. Rees, for Acting Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners. 17 12.1915.
1458	(4)—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of Large Porcelain Insulators, pattern "A," at 6½d. each, provisionally delivered at Ringwood Railway Station. Deposit, £25	Ditto ...	The Firebrick, Insulator, and Pottery Co. Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1459	(3)—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of Buffer Tips for Electric Cars, at £1 7s. each, provisionally delivered at Footscray Railway Station. Deposit, £14	Ditto ...	Mephan Ferguson Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1460	(14)—Supply and delivery of Wet Tool Grinding Machines for Jolimont Car Shop, at £51 10s. each, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street Railway Station. Deposit, £5	Ditto ...	McPherson's Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1461	(1)—Supply and delivery of Good Mixed Tallow, at £38 per ton, delivered at the Railway General Store, Spencer-street	Ditto ...	W. Angliss and Co. Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1462	Supply and delivery of Second-class Bricks, at £2 per 1,000, delivered at works, Flinders-street Viaduct. (Not publicly advertised)	Ditto ..	Co-operative Brick Co. Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1463	Supply and delivery of Firewood, stacked at Yendon Railway Station— Blue Gum, green, at 5s. per ton Stringybark, green, at 5s. per ton	Ditto ...	John Glover ...	Ditto	
1464	(1)—Supply and delivery of Wheaten Chaff for State Coal Mine, at 4s. 9d. per cental	Ditto ...	Dixon Bros. ...	State Coal Mine Stores Suspense Account	

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16)—continued.

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.
1465	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS—continued— Supply and delivery of a 12/15-h.p. Model "O" Fiat Motor Car and accessories, complete, at £523. (Not publicly advertised)	Rates	Tarrant Motors Pty. Ltd.	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	J. S. Rees, for Acting Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners 3.12.1915
1466	(1)—Supply and delivery of "Lisbay" Pig Iron, at £9 7s. 6d. per ton, delivered at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street Railway Station	Ditto	McPherson's Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1467	(12)—Supply and delivery of Sawn Red Gum Legs for use of the Engineer of Signals, Newport, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at Redesdale Railway Station. Deposit, £12— Item No. 1. 3 in. x 3 in. x 3 ft., pointed on four sides, the length of point to be 10 in., at £1 7s. per 100 Item No. 2. 4 in. x 3 in. x 3 ft., pointed on four sides, the length of point to be 10 in., at £1 16s. per 100 Item No. 3. 4 in. x 3 in. x 5 ft., pointed on four sides, the length of point to be 10 in., at £3 per 100	Ditto	Caelli Bros.	Ditto	
1468	(3)—Discharging and loading Coal, &c., at Ararat Coal Depôt. Deposit, £3	Rates as per Annex	F. Grinter and party	Working Expenses, Way and Works and Rolling Stock Branches	
1469	(2)—Construction and erection of Verandah over Island Platform at Caulfield New Station—South Yarra to Caulfield Duplication. Deposit, £51	£ s. d. 1,025 15 4	A. Challingsworth Pty. Ltd.	Votes and Loans	

Contract Cancelled.—(Series 1914-17.)

General Stores.—Contract No. 1914/194, Gazette page 1915/2513, in the name of H. J. Legge, for Items Nos. 5, 21, 22, 24, and 25, Schedule 22, Sub-schedule B, is hereby cancelled.—Approved—A. J. FRACOCK, Treasurer. 16.12.1915.

Melbourne, 22nd December, 1915.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT NO. 1468.

F. Grinter and party.

Contract.—Discharging and loading Coal, &c., at Ararat Coal Depôt.

No. of Item.	Description of Works.	Rate.
1	To discharge all hopper trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and trim the coal between the roads, or trim and stack the coal on the coal stage when ordered	5d. per truck
2	To discharge all ballast trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and trim the coal between the roads, or trim and stack the coal on the coal stage when ordered	1s. 3d. per truck
3	To discharge all medium trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and keep the top decking of coal stage clear of coal, or trim and stack the coal on stage when ordered	2s. 6d. per truck
4	To discharge all 15-ton trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and keep the top decking of coal stage clear of coal, or trim and stack the coal on stage when ordered	3s. 3d. per truck
5	To discharge all QR trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and keep the top decking of coal stage clear of coal, or trim and stack the coal on stage when ordered	5s. per truck
6	To discharge all NN trucks of coal immediately on arrival, and keep the top decking of coal stage clear of coal, or trim and stack the coal on stage when ordered	1s. 3d. per truck
8	To thoroughly break up all lumps of coal to not more than six (6) inches in size; fill coal barrows or baskets; fill tender to gauge-plate; and supply all engines with the quantities directed; also to enter the correct weight supplied each engine on fuel receipt book; obtain driver's signature to same; and report any neglect to store clerk	6d. per ton
9	To discharge I trucks on ground, and stacking coal three (3) feet from rail to a height of seven (7) feet, to be built solidly, as directed	3s. 4d. per truck
10	To discharge 15-ton trucks, do., do.	5s. per truck
11	To discharge QR trucks, do., do.	6s. 8d. per truck
12	To discharge hopper trucks, do., do.	3s. 4d. per truck
13	To load up all coal from ground into I trucks, as directed	4s. 7d. per truck
14	To load up all coal from ground into 15-ton trucks, as directed	6s. 11d. per truck
15	To load up all coal from ground into QR trucks, as directed	9s. per truck
16	To load up all coal from ground into hopper trucks, as directed	4s. 7d. per truck
21	Discharging sand into kilns or from I trucks immediately on arrival, as directed	3s. per truck
22	Discharging sand into kilns or from 15-ton trucks immediately on arrival, as directed	4s. 6d. per truck
24	To keep all the ashpits clean, lift the grates in the ashpits and clean out the catchpits daily, and load the ashes into I trucks, to be filled to water level. No ashes to be left between the roads	4s. 6d. per truck
26	To load ashes into 15-ton trucks, to be filled to water level. No ashes to be left between the roads	5s. 6d. per truck
28	To discharge firewood from I trucks immediately on arrival, the wood to be kept clear of the piles of ramp	2s. 6d. per truck
29	To discharge firewood from 15-ton trucks immediately on arrival, the wood to be kept clear of the piles of ramp	3s. 3d. per truck
30	To discharge firewood from QR trucks immediately on arrival, the wood to be kept clear of the piles of ramp	5s. per truck
31	To load firewood into I trucks	3s. per truck
32	To load firewood into 15-ton trucks	4s. 6d. per truck
33	To load firewood into I trucks and discharge same when required	5s. per truck
34	To load firewood into 15-ton trucks and discharge same when required	7s. per truck
35	To load slack coal from under stage	4s. per truck
37	To put lighting-up wood on engines, five (5) feet or more, as directed	1½d. per engine

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charge against Vote or Fund.
	GAS COKE— Supply of Gas Coke for use at the undermentioned places, as may be required, from 1st January, 1916, to 31st December, 1916—	£ s. d.		
1470	1. Melbourne District (excepting Royal Mint), at per ton delivered	1 5 0	The Metropolitan Gas Co., Melb.	Contingencies, 1915-16, &c.
1471	2. Pentridge, at Penal Establishment, at per ton delivered	1 8 0		
1472	3. Williamstown, for Dockyard, at per ton on trucks, Spencer-street	1 3 6		
1473	4. Maffra Beet Sugar Factory, at per ton delivered	1 15 0		
1474	5. Mont Park, for Hospital for Insane, at per ton delivered	1 5 9	The Colonial Gas Association Ltd., 36) Collins-street Shire Gas Works, Heidelberg	
	LIMEROCK— Supply of about 400 tons of Limerock, at £1 9s. per ton, delivered at the Beet Sugar Factory, Maffra, in quantities of from 10 to 15 tons per day, commencing 1st February, 1916	Rates ...	David Mitchell, Oliver's-lane, Melbourne	Contingencies, 1915-16
1476	SUGAR BAGS— Supply of Sugar Bags (15,000) for use at the Maffra Beet Sugar Factory, at £2 3s. 9d. per 100, delivery to be made on or before 1st March, 1916	Rates ...	Joyce Bros. ...	Contingencies, 1915-16

Approved—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 20.12.1915.

Contract Transferred.—(Series 1915-16.)

Rations for Aborigines, 1915-16.—Contract No. 1915/604, *Gazette* pages 1915/2893 and 1915/3430, for the supply of Rations for Aborigines, at Elliminyt, is hereby transferred from H. and G. Harris to Billsons Pty. Ltd.—Approved—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 20.12.1915.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

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SALE BY PUBLIC COMPETITION.

A SALE of CROWN LANDS in fee-simple by PUBLIC COMPETITION will be held at WARRAGUL, on THURSDAY, 27th January, 1916, at ELEVEN o'clock, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by E. T. BRENNAN, Esq., Land Officer.

TOWN LOTS.

TOWNSHIP ON THE BONA VISTA ESTATE, PARISH OF DROUIN EAST, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

Description.

- Allotment 1, section 1, area 2 roods 4 perches.
- Allotment 2, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 4, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 5, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 6, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 7, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 8, section 1, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 5, section 2, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 6, section 2, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 7, section 2, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 8, section 2, area 2 roods.
- Allotment 10, section 2, area 2 roods 22 perches.
- Allotment 11, section 2, area 2 roods 18 perches.

Terms and Conditions.

A deposit of one-eighth of the total purchase money must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale and the balance in equal half-yearly instalments extending over a period of five years, with interest added at the rate of 5 per centum per annum.

Full particulars from Auction Sales Branch, Lands Department, Melbourne.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No. 207.—DECEMBER 22, 1915.—17865.—4

REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act* 1915, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Orders made on the 14th day of December, 1915, revoked the temporary reservation of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz. :—

CLUNES.—Site for Road and Watering purposes (partly revoked). See *Gazette*, 17th November, 1915, page 4468.

COWANGIE.—Site for a State School. See *Gazette*, 27th October, 1915, page 4194.

GEELONG.—Site for Public purposes. See *Gazette*, 27th October, 1915, page 4194.

NERRING.—Site for Watering purposes (partly revoked). See *Gazette*, 27th October, 1915, page 4194.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to revoke the temporary reservations of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz. :—

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 1st December, 1915, pursuant to Orders of the 23rd November, 1915.

BARNAWARTHA NORTH.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 23rd March, 1886, of twenty-one acres two roods twenty-two perches of land in the parish of Barnawartha, as a site for Camping and Watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Nine acres one rood nineteen perches: Commencing at the south-west angle of the site; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 8 deg. 14 min. E. three chains twenty-seven links and a half; thence by a line bearing east eleven chains ninety-one links; and thence by the east and south boundaries of the site to the point of commencement.—(G.115H) (15.C.64074).

WOOSANG.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th May, 1879, of five acres of land in the parish of Woosang, situate in section A, as a site for Public purposes (State School), is about to be revoked.—W.312(5) (15.C.64913).

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 8th December, 1915, pursuant to Order of the 30th November, 1915.

GAMPOLA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 16th November, 1871, of eighty-five acres, more or less, of land in the parish of Gampola, as a site for Watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—One acre one rood thirty-four perches: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 93A; bounded thence by that allotment bearing west six chains; and thence by lines bearing respectively north two chains fifty links, east five chains fourteen links, S. 45 deg. 20 min. E. one chain twenty-one links, and south one chain sixty-five links to the point of commencement.—(G.156(2) (15.Z.10647).

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on the 15th December, 1915, pursuant to Orders of the 7th December, 1915.

DIMBOOLA (DART DART).—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 9th October, 1876, of five acres of land in the parish of Dimboola, being part of allotment S, as a site for Public purposes (State School), is about to be revoked.—(D.150(6) (15.C.66201).

MARYBOROUGH.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 18th August, 1868, of two acres of land in the borough of Maryborough, as a site for Police purposes, is about to be revoked.—(M.66N(2) (15.C.66653).

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on the 22nd December, 1915, pursuant to Orders of the 14th December, 1915.

GOBARUP.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 1st December, 1884, of five acres of land in the parish of Gobarup, being part of allotment 20, as a site for Public purposes (State School) is about to be revoked.—(G.205(2) (15.Y.18201).

PETERBOROUGH.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 14th August, 1893, of two roods of land in the township of Peterborough, being allotment 5 of section 3, as a site for a Mechanics' Institute, is about to be revoked.—(P.132(1) (14.C.63243).

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne.

LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE, ETC.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Orders made on the 14th day of December, 1915, reserved, temporarily, from sale and leasing, and from having a licence granted in respect thereof, and has also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence the lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

EUREKA (CHINKAPOOK).—Site for a Cemetery, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—Five acres, county of Karkaroc, parish of Eureka, being part of allotment 40: Commencing at a point bearing east six chains eighty links from the south-east angle of the Show Ground and Recreation reserve; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 36 deg. 1 min. W. seven chains forty-two links; and thence by lines bearing respectively east ten chains fifty-one links and a half, south six chains, and west six chains fifteen links to the point of commencement.—(E.109(1) (05.C.66698).

ELMORE RECREATION RESERVE EXTENSION.—Site for Public Recreation in addition to and adjoining the site temporarily reserved therefor by Order of the 10th August, 1874, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—Two acres one rood twelve perches, more or less, county of Bendigo, parish of Diggorra: Commencing at the north-west angle of the existing site; bounded thence by a road bearing northerly to the south-west angle of allotment 47; thence by that allotment bearing east to the Elmore and Cohuna Railway reserve; thence by that reserve bearing south-easterly to the north boundary of the existing site; and thence by that boundary west to the point of commencement.—(E.38E) (15.C.66293).

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

LAND PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 14th day of December, 1915, reserved from sale, permanently, the land hereinafter mentioned, viz.:—

CITY OF GEELONG.—Site for the purposes of the Geelong Sailors' Rest. See *Gazette* of 27th October, 1915, page 4195.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 14th December, 1915.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE CITY OF ST. KILDA, AT ELWOOD.

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* 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 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint the Council of the City of St. Kilda to be a Committee of Management of the land temporarily reserved by Order in Council of 30th November, 1915, as a site for Public Recreation in the city of St. Kilda, at Elwood.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 17th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. C.66601.) J. M. REED, Member.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF PORTIONS OF RESERVES FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES AND WATER SUPPLY PURPOSES, RESPECTIVELY, IN THE PARISH OF WERRIGAR, KNOWN AS "ASQUITH RESERVE."

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* 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 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint the Council of the Shire of Borung to be a Committee of Management of the portions of land on either bank of the Yarrambinck Creek, in the parish of Werrigar, permanently reserved for Public purposes, and the portions temporarily reserved for Water Supply purposes, extending northerly from the south boundary of allotment 41 to the most eastern angle of allotment 25.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 17th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. C.63504.) J. M. REED, Member.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR A SHOW GROUND AND PUBLIC RECREA- TION IN THE PARISH OF EUREKA (CHINKA- POOK).

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* 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 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint Robert William Cameron, Peter Alexander McRae, John Sutherland, James Gray Amos, and Cecil Robeshaw Wright to be a Committee of Management for a term of three (3) years of the land temporarily reserved by Order in Council of 6th July, 1915, as a site for a Show Ground and Public Recreation in the parish of Eureka (Chinkapook).

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 17th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Rs.828.) J. M. REED, Member.

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF PORTION OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF GOORAMADDA, KNOWN AS THE "GOORAMADDA RECREATION RESERVE."

WE, Charles Hughes Morris, Alexander Prentice, John Milthorpe, Michael Dunn, and John Hogan, the duly appointed Committee of Management of that portion of the land permanently reserved, by Order in Council of July, 1887, in the parish of Gooramadda, as a site for public purposes known as the "Gooramadda Recreation Reserve," and herein called the Reserve, having framed the following Regulations for the care, protection, and management thereof, and for the preservation of good order therein, 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 181 of the *Land Act 1915*—

REGULATIONS.

1. The Reserve shall be open to the public from sunrise to sunset free of charge, except on such days (not exceeding twelve in any one year) as the Reserve may be set apart for cricket or football matches, sports, fêtes, or holiday amusement, on any one of which occasions such sum as the Committee of Management may determine, not exceeding One shilling, may be charged and taken for the admission of every adult to the Reserve.
2. No person shall enter or remain in the Reserve who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.
3. No person shall damage in any way the trees, shrubs, or flowers in the Reserve, nor shall fires be lighted therein.
4. No person shall climb or jump over the fences or gates, stick bills thereon, or cut names on the fences, gates, or seats, or roll or throw stones in the Reserve.
5. No person shall put in the Reserve any cattle, goats, or pigs.
6. No person shall bring into the Reserve any dog unless led by a chain or cord, without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management being first obtained.

7. No person shall erect any dwelling in the Reserve, nor any booth, or any structure for the purpose of offering for sale any article, without the written permission of the Committee of Management first obtained.

8. No person except labourers and workmen employed in the Reserve shall enter any plots therein which may be enclosed for plantations of young trees or shrubs.

Every person offending against these Regulations shall, in accordance with section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*, on conviction before any Justice, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding £5 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 any justice of the peace, and shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding £10.

Dated at Gooramadda this fourteenth day of January, 1915.

CHARLES H. MORRIS
A. PRENTICE.
JOHN MILTHORPE.
MICHAEL DUNN.
JOHN HOGAN.

The Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Land Act 1915*, section 181, doth hereby make the foregoing Regulations in respect of that portion of the land permanently reserved by Order in Council of 7th July, 1887, in the parish of Gooramadda as a site for Public purposes, known as the "Gooramadda Recreation Reserve."

The common seal of the Board of Lands and Works was herunto affixed this 17th day of December, 1915, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
J. M. REED, Member.

The Closer Settlement Act 1915.

THE Farm Allotments mentioned in the Schedule hereunder are hereby proclaimed available for application, and may be taken up on Conditional Purchase Lease.

Estate.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Deposit, including Lease and Registration Fees.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Remarks.
Cohuna	Ganbower West	28A	4	A. R. P. 92 3 17	£ s. d. 812 10 0	£ s. d. 26 5 0	£ s. d. 23 12 6	
		28B	4	92 2 23	833 16 0	27 11 0	24 4 6	

Areas and capital values subject to adjustment on survey.
Possession of allotment 28A, section 4, to be given after 15th March, 1916.
The incoming lessee must pay the valuation of improvements, if any.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 20th December, 1915.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Transfer of Licences under the 145th and 187th sections of the *Land Act 1901* 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—
028	Charles Frost ...	Louisa Frost ...	A. R. P. 3 0 0	Bunguluke	145	1.4.15	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 12.10.15	Wycheproof
0251	G. Goldsmith ...	Edward Robert Sands	144 0 0	Corack ...	187	1.10.15	15 4 10	10s., Melbourne, 17.11.15	Donald
0191	Clarence W. Allen	Sarah Stokes ...	3 0 0	Ballaarat	145	2.11.14	1 0 0	£1, Ballaarat, 27.11.15	Ballaarat

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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. B. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890.									
1121	Patk., Bridgot, and Sarah Nash	150 0 6	Nerrera ..	6.12.15	3 15 6	1 6 0	6 4	5 7 10	Melbourne 1.1.98
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1898.									
17810	William Riley, jun.(1)	20 0 0	Nerrim East	6.12.15	5 6 3	1 1 0	0 8	6 7 11	Melbourne 1.8.04
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
010	Thomas Forster (2)	20 2 21	Landsborough	10.12.15	11 0 0	1 1 0	0 8	12 1 8	Stawell 010
0838	Daniel Gillies (2) ..	16 3 26	Yandoit ..	11.12.15	..	1 1 0	0 7	1 1 7	Castlemaine
0717	Ellen Lloyd (3) ..	19 3 36	Carapooce ..	8.12.15	..	1 1 0	0 10	1 1 10	St. Arnaud
0719	Edward Lloyd, sen. (3)	20 0 0	" ..	" ..	..	1 1 0	0 10	1 1 10	"
0720	Maria Mullins, as executrix (3)	19 3 30	" ..	" ..	..	1 1 0	0 10	1 1 10	"
0119	Alfred A. F. Howard (2)	55 3 13	Queenstown	6.12.15	29 8 0	1 6 0	1 9	30 15 9	Melbourne
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9-11.									
074	Michael Healy (2)	48 3 20	Caralulup ..	6.12.15	25 14 0	1 1 0	1 7	26 16 7	Talbot
0523	Executors of Gerald Halpin (2)	20 0 0	Beaufort ..	8.12.15	4 0 0	1 1 0	0 8	5 1 8	Ballarat
0524	John C. Halpin (2)	20 0 0	" ..	" ..	3 0 0	1 1 0	0 8	4 1 8	"
0534	Nehemiah Crick (2)	13 0 21	Raglan ..	" ..	2 2 0	1 1 0	0 6	3 3 6	"
Under Section 51 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
087	Jas. Wilkinson (2)	20 0 0	Beaufort ..	2.12.15	..	1 1 0	0 11	1 1 11	Melbourne
Under Section 56 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
2107	George Bassett (4)	18 2 9	Portland ..	1.12.15	6 13 0	1 1 0	0 5	7 14 5	Portland
2938	A. A. Scully (5) ..	167 1 0	Borong ..	8.12.15	37 18 0	1 6 0	3 6	39 5 6	Melbourne 1.4.10
2883	A. A. Scully (5) ..	171 2 9	" ..	" ..	43 0 0	1 6 0	3 7	44 9 7	" 1.10.10
Under Section 325 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1915.									
0122	Herbert Atkinson (6, 7)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi	30.11.15	4 9 7	1 1 0	1 4	9 2 7	Melbourne
0230	Herbert Atkinson (8, 9)	0 0 33	" ..	" ..	18 0 0	1 1 0	1 1	23 0 6	"
0281	Donald McLeod (10, 11)	0 1 6	" ..	2.12.15	33 1 3	1 1 0	1 8	39 14 9	"
0282	Donald McLeod (12, 13)	0 1 9	" ..	18.11.15	31 1 3	1 1 0	1 7	37 10 10	"
Under Section 326 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1915.									
01090	Alfred Malo (14) ..	0 1 0	Wonthaggi	3.12.15	12 12 7	1 1 0	0 11	13 14 6	Wonthaggi
Under Section 6 of the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1912 as amended by the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1913.									
0231	Herbert Atkinson (15, 16)	0 0 33 ^{1/2}	Wonthaggi	30.11.15	17 7 5	1 1 0	0 10	21 15 2	Melbourne
0232	Herbert Atkinson (15, 16)	0 0 33 ^{1/2}	" ..	" ..	17 7 5	1 1 0	0 10	21 15 2	"
0137	Herbert Atkinson (17, 18)	0 0 20	" ..	" ..	246 12 10	1 1 0	11 0	293 9 5	"
Under Section 7 of the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1912 as amended by the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1913.									
0701	Richard Alfred Hal-lam (19)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi	13.12.15	6 16 1	1 1 0	0 7	7 17 8	Melbourne

- (1) Second class V.C.
- (2) Second class. From licence.
- (3) First class. From licence.
- (4) Third class. From licence.
- (5) Third class.
- (6) Includes £3 10s. 8d. interest.
- (7) Freehold value £32.
- (8) Includes £3 18s. 5d. interest.
- (9) Freehold value £25.
- (10) Includes £5 10s. 10d. interest.

- (11) Freehold value £40.
- (12) Includes £5 7s. interest.
- (13) Freehold value £38.
- (14) Freehold value £22.
- (15) Includes £3 5s. 11d. interest.
- (16) Freehold value £20.
- (17) Includes £45 4s. 7d. interest.
- (18) Freehold value £264.
- (19) Purchase money £14.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the purchase money and fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
			Purchase Money.	Fees.			Total to pay.	
				Grant.	Plan or Survey.	Assurance.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Under Section 45 of the <i>Mines Act 1915</i> .								
Margaret Ann Cracknall	Scarsdale	0 2 12	10 0 0	1 1 0	...	0 0 5	11 1 5	Ballaarat 189/45
Under Section 172 of the <i>Land Act 1915</i> .								
Jas. Darling	Glenaroua	8 2 20	18 0 0	1 1 0	1 0 0	0 0 9	20 1 9	Seymour 1237/187
Jas. Darling	"	3 1 30	10 10 0	1 1 0	1 0 0	0 0 6	12 11 6	" 1238/187
Michael Coffey	Whirily	1 2 0	2 0 0	0 10 6	1 0 0	0 0 1	3 10 7	Birchip W.33760
Under Section 481 of the <i>Local Government Act 1915</i> .								
Wm. B. Hungerford (1)	Myrree	4 2 5	4 10 8	0 10 6	1 0 0	0 0 3	6 1 5	Wangaratta Y.3715
Patrick E. O'Keefe (1)	Budgeree	6 2 14	13 3 6	1 1 0	1 0 0	0 0 7	15 5 1	Traralgon T.87786

(1) Purchase money when paid to be passed to the credit of the Country Roads Board Fund.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the balance to complete the purchase and fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Balance to complete Purchase.	Amount to be Collected.				Total to Pay.	Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				Fees.					
				Grant.	Certif.	Assurance.			
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act 1901</i> as amended by the <i>Land Act 1904</i> .									
Thomas Stephenson (1, 2)	Painswick	3 3 30	2 0 6	0 10 6	...	0 2	1 11 2	Dunolly 018	
Daniel McCready (1)	Ararat	19 2 2	10 10 0	1 1 0	...	0 8	11 11 8	Ararat 01	
Mabel Collard (1)	Neereman	15 0 33	8 8 0	1 1 0	...	0 6	9 9 6	Maldon 069	
Lawrence Glowry (1)	Barp	20 3 10	11 0 1	1 1 0	...	0 8	12 1 9	Dunolly 0100	
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act 1901</i> as amended by the <i>Land Acts 1904-9-11</i> .									
Emma Arnold (1)	Dereel	19 3 39	...	1 1 0	...	0 8	1 1 8	Ballaarat 0538	
Helena Buckland (1)	Mallacoota	23 2 5	12 12 0	1 1 0	...	0 9	13 13 9	Bairnsdale 0215	
Under Section 56 of the <i>Land Act 1901</i> as amended by the <i>Land Act 1904</i> .									
William H. Mansfield (3, 4)	Noorinbee	379 3 15	323 0 0	1 11 6	...	15 10	325 7 4	Bairnsdale 3597	
Under Section 325 of the <i>Land Act 1915</i> .									
Herbert Atkinson (5)	Wonthaggi	0 1 0	4 9 7	1 1 0	...	1 4	9 2 7	Wonthaggi 0122	
Herbert Atkinson (6)	"	0 0 33	18 0 0	1 1 0	...	1 1	23 0 6	" 0230	
Donald McLeod (7)	"	0 1 6	33 1 3	1 1 0	...	1 8	39 14 9	" 0281	
Donald McLeod (8)	"	0 1 9	31 1 3	1 1 0	...	1 7	37 10 10	" 0282	

- (1) Second class.
- (2) £1 paid as fee for lease, credited.
- (3) Third class.
- (4) Special valuation of £1 per acre.

- (5) Includes £3 10s. 8d. interest.
- (6) Includes £3 18s. 6d. interest.
- (7) Includes £3 10s. 10d. interest.
- (8) Includes £5 7s. interest.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

RENEWAL OF A LICENCE APPROVED.

THE renewal of a Licence to the undermentioned person having been approved, the fee specified may be received by the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.		Payable to Receiver and Land Officer at—
					Yearly Payment.	Fee for Licence.	
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 103 of the <i>Land Act 1901</i> .							
1912	Edward Tinworth (1)	20 0 0	Ballaarat	1.3.15	0 2 6	...	Ballaarat

(1) Rental reduced to nominal rate.

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Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915.

Land Act 1913, Sections 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Licences having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 17th December, 1915.

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Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Licence.	Survey Charge payable in 12 half-yearly instalments.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
									Payment, including instalment of Survey Charge (if any).	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
		A. R. P.							£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
0100	John Norris, Edenhope (1)	2 0 29	Edenhope				1.1.1915	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	...	Casterton
Under Section 145 of the Land Act 1901.—Payment to be made yearly.												
0105	Edward James Gilding, Sandford	1 1 87	Sandford	28	41		1.1.1916	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	...	Casterton
0110	Mary Steers, Swan Hill	2 1 5	Cascade Donnington				1.12.1915	1 0 0	...	0 1 8	...	Swan Hill
...	Jeremiah H. Morris, Beese (2)	4 0 0	Onit				1.11.1915	2 0 0	...	2 0 0	...	Colac
Under Section 129 of the Land Act 1913.—Payment to be made yearly.												
...	George Dooling, Glenlyon	4 0 0	Glenlyon				1.10.1915	0 15 0	0 1 0	0 16 0	...	Daylesford
...	Thomas Larcombe, Mount Moriac (2)	18 0 0	Modewarre				"	2 2 0	0 5 0	2 7 0	...	Geelong
1535	Andrew Matthews, Modewarre (2, 3)	100 0 0	"				"	5 0 0	0 5 0	5 5 0	...	"
0227	W. A. Coloe, Dargo (2)	4,000 0 0	Wongungarra				1.11.1915	2 5 0	0 5 0	2 10 0	...	Sale
1344	John Mitchell, Clydebank (2, 4)	5 0 0 0	Nuntin				"	0 7 6	0 5 0	0 11 11	...	"
0236	Arthur Payne, Lake Boga (2)	7 0 0 0	Kunat Kunat				1.10.1915	0 12 0	0 5 0	0 17 0	...	Swan Hill
Under Section 121 of the Land Act 1913.—Payment to be made yearly.												

(1) Paid to 31st December, 1915.

(2) Amount paid.

(3) In lieu of licence for 180 acres.

(4) Licence expires on 30th September, 1916.

NOTES.—GEELONG AND BAIRNSDALE DISTRICTS.—Permissive occupancy has been granted to the undermentioned persons as set forth:—

Corr. No.	Name.	Purpose or Area.	Parish.	Rental.	Pay Office.
0188	Ivy L. Mawson	...	Angahook	£1	Geelong
T.88322	Tasman Roadknight (1)	Jetty	Colquhoun (Lakes Entrance)	10s. yearly	Bairnsdale

(1) Date of permit, 1st October, 1915.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When Lease is ready for execution Lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Class.	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.	Fees.			Total to pay.		
											Lease.	Other.			£	s.	d.
				A. B. P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.																
1.12.15	Auldrieck Delacca	Ellesmere	1st	32 3 11	...	...	...	115 15 0	Yes	0 16 6	0 16 6	1	...	1 16 6	Bendigo	0388
"	William Shanahan	Kobyhoyn	2nd V.C.	164 1 4	...	...	...	31 9 6	Yes	1 11 0	1 11 0	1	...	1 11 0	Seymour	918
1.7.15	Mary Ann Crver (1)	Myrribee	2nd V.C.	111 2 19	...	...	...	139 3 0	Yes	1 1 0	1 1 0	1	...	1 1 0	Wangaratta	2182
1.11.15	Alex. Stevens	Brenanah	2nd	149 2 31	...	...	...	128 0 0	Yes	2 16 3	2 16 3	1	...	2 16 3	Inglewood	0134
1.7.15	Louisa A. Thompson	Glenalbyn	1st	19 3 24	...	...	...	130 0 0	Yes	0 10 0	0 10 0	1	...	1 10 0	"	0750
1.3.15	Robert W. Lee	Bingunwarri	1st	186 3 23	...	...	...	234 0 0	Yes	4 13 6	9 7 0	1	...	10 7 0	Yarran	012
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-9.																
1.12.15	John Bateman	Gunbower	1st	14 0 0	...	...	...	20 14 0	Yes	0 17 6	0 17 6	1	...	1 17 6	Echuca	2096
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-9-11.																
2.9.13	Llewellyn Jones (2)	Moomowroong	2nd V.C.	166 0 25	...	...	...	385 0 0	Yes	2 1 9	10 11 9	1	...	11 11 9	Culac	5431
1.1.15	James Ryan (3)	Wyselanga	1st V.C.	121 0 3	...	...	...	130 0 0	Yes	3 1 0	3 1 0	1	...	4 1 0	"	086
1.12.15	Jessie J. Gilsenan	Bung Bong	2nd	51 0 18	...	...	...	41 0 0	Yes	0 19 6	0 19 6	1	...	1 19 6	Avoca	059
"	Matthew Currie	Carngnam	2nd	19 3 10	...	...	...	31 0 0	Yes	0 7 6	0 7 6	1	...	1 7 6	Ballaarat	038
1.1.16	Arthur P. Joseph	Yalong South	2nd	62 2 15	...	...	...	34 0 0	Yes	1 3 8	1 3 8	1	...	2 3 8	Avoca	033
Under Section 51 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.																
1.7.15	William E. Moss (4)	Koorooman	1st	68 1 16	...	...	...	259 0 0	Non-Res.	1 14 6	...	1	...	1 0 0	Warragul	052
Under Section 56 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.																
1.6.14	Arthur C. Harris	Barongrook	3rd	41 1 39	...	...	...	34 0 0	Yes	1 1 0	4 4 0	1	...	5 4 0	Colac	5339
1.7.15	Mary Fnelan, the younger	Quang Munjic	3rd	596 1 34	...	...	...	329 0 0	Yes	7 9 3	7 9 3	1	...	8 9 3	Sala	02
"	John Finster (5)	Hinno Munjic	3rd	95 3 30	...	...	...	142 0 0	Yes	1 4 0	1 4 0	1	...	2 1 0	Omeo	011
1.7.13	Cecil R. Crespin	Lang Lang East	3rd	116 0 18	...	...	...	65 0 0	Non-Res.	1 9 3	7 6 3	1	...	8 6 3	Warragul	19162

- (1) First rent paid.
- (2) In lieu of notice gazetted 24th November, 1915, p. 4649.
- (3) 3s. short paid under licence.
- (4) 1st rent under lease paid.
- (5) 3s. overpaid under licence credited.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 16th December, 1915

Courts.

CORONG AND WARRACKNABEAL.—LICENSING COURTS.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts of Corong and Warracknabeal will be held at the Court House, Warracknabeal, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, 1916, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Rainbow this 17th day of December, 1915.—EDWARD HARRISON, Licensing Magistrate.

Walhalla ..	..	..	—	—
Wangaratta ..	..	..	—	—
Warracknabeal ..	..	..	—	—
Warragul ..	..	..	—	—
Warrnambool ..	..	..	—	—
Yarram Yarram ..	..	..	—	—
Yarrawonga ..	..	..	—	—

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes; pursuant to Order in Council of 16th November, 1914:—

Ararat ..	..	..	—	—
Bairnsdale ..	..	..	—	—
Ballarat ..	..	..	—	—
Beechworth ..	..	..	—	—
Benalla ..	..	..	—	—
Bendigo ..	..	..	—	—
Castlemaine ..	..	..	—	—
Echuca ..	..	..	—	—
Geelong ..	..	..	—	—
Hamilton ..	..	..	—	—
Horsham ..	..	..	—	—
Maryborough ..	..	..	—	—
Melbourne ..	..	..	—	—
Port Fairy ..	..	..	—	—
Sale ..	..	..	—	—
Shepparton ..	..	..	—	—
St. Arnaud ..	..	..	—	—
Stawell ..	..	..	—	—
Warrnambool ..	..	..	—	—

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat ..	..	..	—	—
Bairnsdale ..	..	..	—	—
Ballarat ..	..	..	—	—
Beechworth ..	..	..	—	—
Benalla ..	..	..	—	—
Bendigo ..	..	..	—	—
Birohip ..	..	..	—	—
Bright ..	..	..	—	—
Camperdown ..	..	..	—	—
Casterton ..	..	..	—	—
Castlemaine ..	..	..	—	—
Charlton ..	..	..	—	—
Chiltern ..	..	..	—	—
Clunes ..	..	..	—	—
Colac ..	..	..	—	—
Creswick ..	..	..	—	—
Daylesford ..	..	..	—	—
Dimboola ..	..	..	—	—
Donald ..	..	..	—	—
Dunolly ..	..	..	—	—
Echuca ..	..	..	—	—
Geelong ..	..	..	—	—
Hamilton ..	..	..	—	—
Horsham ..	..	..	—	—
Inglewood ..	..	..	—	—
Kerang ..	..	..	—	—
Kilmore ..	..	..	—	—
Korumburra ..	..	..	—	—
Kyneton ..	..	..	—	—
Mansfield ..	..	..	—	—
Maryborough ..	..	..	—	—
Melbourne ..	..	..	—	—
Mildura ..	..	..	—	—
Mornington ..	..	..	—	—
Nhill ..	..	..	—	—
Numurkah ..	..	..	—	—
Omeo ..	..	..	—	—
Ouyen ..	..	..	—	—
Portland ..	..	..	—	—
Rainbow ..	..	..	—	—
Rocheeter ..	..	..	—	—
Sale ..	..	..	—	—
Sea Lake ..	..	..	—	—
Seymour ..	..	..	—	—
Shepparton ..	..	..	—	—
St. Arnaud ..	..	..	—	—
Stawell ..	..	..	—	—
Swan Hill ..	..	..	—	—
Traralgon ..	..	..	—	—
Wangaratta ..	..	..	—	—
Warracknabeal ..	..	..	—	—
Warragul ..	..	..	—	—
Warrnambool ..	..	..	—	—
Wodonga ..	..	..	—	—
Wonthaggi ..	..	..	—	—
Yarram Yarram ..	..	..	—	—
Yarrawonga ..	..	..	—	—

GENERAL SESSIONS; pursuant to Order in Council of 23rd December, 1914.

Ararat ..	..	..	—	—
Bairnsdale ..	..	..	—	—
Ballarat ..	..	..	—	—
Beechworth ..	..	..	—	—
Benalla ..	..	..	—	—
Bendigo ..	..	..	—	—
Camperdown ..	..	..	—	—
Casterton ..	..	..	—	—
Castlemaine ..	..	..	—	—
Charlton ..	..	..	—	—
Colac ..	..	..	—	—
Creswick ..	..	..	—	—
Daylesford ..	..	..	—	—
Donald ..	..	..	—	—
Echuca ..	..	..	—	—
Geelong ..	..	..	—	—
Hamilton ..	..	..	—	—
Horsham ..	..	..	—	—
Kerang ..	..	..	—	—
Kilmore ..	..	..	—	—
Korumburra ..	..	..	—	—
Kyneton ..	..	..	—	—
Mansfield ..	..	..	—	—
Maryborough ..	..	..	—	—
Melbourne ..	..	..	—	—
Mildura ..	..	..	—	—
Nhill ..	..	..	—	—
Omeo ..	..	..	—	—
Port Fairy ..	..	..	—	—
Portland ..	..	..	—	—
Sale ..	..	..	—	—
Seymour ..	..	..	—	—
Shepparton ..	..	..	—	—
St. Arnaud ..	..	..	—	—
Stawell ..	..	..	—	—

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUSTICE.			
Melbourne	..	..	—
ARARAT DISTRICT.			
Ararat	..	..	—
Stawell	..	..	—
BALLARAT DISTRICT.			
Ballarat	..	..	—
Clunes	..	..	—
Creswick	..	..	—
BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.			
Beechworth	..	..	—
Benalla	..	..	—
Bright	..	..	—
Chiltern	..	..	—
Kilmore	..	..	—
Mansfield	..	..	—
Wodonga	..	..	—
BENDIGO DISTRICT.			
Bendigo	..	..	—
CASTLEMARNE DISTRICT.			
Castlemaine	..	..	—
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	..	..	—
Hepburn (Daylesford)	..	..	—
Kyneton	..	..	—
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.			
Bairnsdale	..	..	—
Omeo	..	..	—
Sale	..	..	—
Yarram Yarram	..	..	—
MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.			
Dunolly	..	..	—
Inglewood	..	..	—
Maryborough	..	..	—
St. Arnaud	..	..	—

Tenders.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received at this office, until Twelve o'clock on the days and for the purposes under-mentioned.

Particulars may be learnt at this office, and also at the offices named in each instance.

The Board of Land and Works will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

23rd December, 1915.

Walwa.—Conversion of school into residence, State School No. 2806. Particulars at Police Stations, Walwa, Tallangatta, and Beechworth. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Williamstown.—Shipbuilding Yard. (a) High-speed, forced lubrication, enclosed-type, two-crank compound engine and clutch gear for land dredge. (b) One plain furnace for marine type boiler. Particulars at Shipbuilding Yard, Williamstown. Preliminary deposit—(a) £10, (b) £1. Final deposit, 10 per cent.

Buchan.—New building, State School No. 1905. Particulars at Police Stations, Buchan and Bairnsdale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Kilcunda.—Repairs to school and residence, State School No. 2307. Particulars at State School No. 2307, Kilcunda, and Police Station, Korumburra. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Kew.—Hospital for Insane. Sanitary spur E and E1. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Footscray.—Junior Technical School. Hot-water installation. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Lucknow.—Additions and remodelling State School No. 1231. Particulars at Police Stations, Bairnsdale and Sale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Little Snowy Creek.—New building, State School No. 3027. Particulars at State School No. 3027, Little Snowy Creek, and Police Stations, Beechworth and Wodonga. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Carrajung.—New residence, State School No. 3545. Particulars at State School No. 3545, Carrajung, and Police Station, Warragul and Traralgon. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Bright.—Open-air class-room, State School, No. 776. Particulars at Police Station, Bright. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Echuca.—Removal of State School No. 2331, Runnymede, and re-erection at High School. Particulars at Police Stations, Echuca and Elmore. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Lang Lang.—Repairs and additions to jetty. Particulars at Police Station, Lang Lang. Preliminary deposit, £2.

Portsea.—Repairs to jetty and approach. Particulars at Police Station, Sorrento. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

6th January, 1916.

Toolern.—Remodelling State School No. 946. Particulars at Police Station, Bacchus Marsh. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Gooramadda.—Repairs, painting, and ventilation, &c., State School No. 1948. Particulars at State School No. 1948, Gooramadda, and Police Stations, Rutherglen and Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Nvah.—New residence, State School No. 3263. Particulars at Police Station, Swan Hill, and with Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Powong.—Additions to State School No. 2111. Particulars at State School No. 2111, Powong, and at Police Station, Leongatha. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Yea.—Remodelling State School No. 699. Particulars at Police Station, Yea. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Westmere.—Alterations to State School No. 3833. Particulars at Police Station, Ararat, and Inspector of Works, Ararat. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Port Campbell.—Repairs to jetty. Particulars at Police Station, Port Campbell. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Gipsy Point, Genoa River, East Gippsland.—Construction of new jetty. Particulars at Post Office, Gipsy Point, and Police Station, Bairnsdale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Poowong East.—New building for State School No. 3678. Particulars at State School No. 3678, Poowong East, and at Police Station, Korumburra. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Foster.—Fencing and repairs, State School No. 1172. Particulars at Police Stations, Foster and Leongatha. Preliminary deposit, £2. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Pentridge.—Purchase of 7 tons 2½ cwt., more or less, of galvanizers' muriate of ammonia, at Wire Netting Factory. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, full amount of purchase money.

13th January, 1916.

Wangaratta.—Removal of State School No. 643, Yackandandah, and re-erection at. Particulars at Police Stations, Yackandandah and Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Lismore.—Additions, alterations, &c., State School No. 1293. Particulars at Police Station, Lismore, and at Public Offices, Geelong. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Cowes.—Remodelling school and residence, State School No. 1282. Particulars at Police Station, Cowes. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Eagle Point.—New building, State School No. 3215. Particulars at Police Stations, Bairnsdale and Sale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Melbourne.—Manufacture and supply of scraper mats for State Schools. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Footscray.—New class rooms, Technical School. Preliminary deposit, £15. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Sale.—Remodelling State School No. 545. Particulars at Police Stations, Sale and Warragul. Preliminary deposit, £15. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Brighton Beach.—Repairs to Jetty. Particulars at Police Station, Brighton. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Clunes.—Renovation and repairs, State School No. 136. Particulars at Police Stations, Clunes and Maryborough. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Benalla.—State School No. 31. New out-offices, fencing and gates, and other works. Particulars at Police Stations, Benalla and Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Frankston.—Repairs to Jetty. Particulars at Police Station, Frankston. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Port Albert.—Repairs to Wharf and Shed. Particulars at Police Station, Port Albert. Preliminary deposit, £2.

20th January, 1916.

Walmer-street.—Repairs to Footbridge. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Donald.—State School No. 1465. Remodelling, &c. Particulars at Police Stations, Donald and Maryborough. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Kirkstall.—State School No. 344. Remodelling. Particulars at Police Stations, Warrnambool and Port Fairy. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Ballarat.—Hospital for Insane. Laundry machinery. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Shepparton East.—Remodelling School, detaching residence, and additions, State School No. 1713. Particulars at office of Inspector of Works, Shepparton. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Wilson's Reef.—Remodelling school, detaching residence, and alterations, &c., State School No. 1437. Particulars at Public Works Office, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, and marked "Tender for—."

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 22nd December, 1915.

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 Eleven a.m. on the date specified. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street, and as stated.

NORTH MELBOURNE COAL LOADING, ETC.

Wednesday, 29th December.—Discharging and loading coal, &c., at North Melbourne Coal Depot. (Labour and tools only.) Particulars available on and after 16th December. Deposit, £3.

AUTOMATIC SPRINKLERS AND THERMOSTATS.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Installation of automatic sprinklers and thermostats at Jolimont Car Shed (Electrification). P.D., £100.

MOTOR GENERATOR AND SWITCHBOARD.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Supply and delivery of one 15 K.W. motor generator and switchboard for Jolimont Car Repair Shop (Electrification). P.D., ½ per cent.

CREPE CURTAINS.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Supply and delivery of crepe curtains for maintenance of cars. P.D., ½ per cent.

ADDITIONS, ETC., TO GIRDERS.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Additions and alterations to girders at Newport. P.D., £1.

PLAIN STEEL FENCING WIRE.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Supply and delivery of 100 tons of plain steel fencing wire. P.D., £1.

BARBED STEEL FENCING WIRE.

Wednesday, 5th January.—Supply and delivery of 20 tons of galvanized barbed steel fencing wire, till 30th September, 1916. P.D., £1.

CAST STEEL WHEEL CENTRES.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Supply and delivery of cast steel wheel centres for engines. P.D., ½ per cent.

STEEL RAILS AND FISHPLATES.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Supply and delivery of 60-lb. steel rails and fishplates, "D" class, for points and crossings. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Railway Offices, Spencer-street, and at the office of the Agent-General for Victoria in London, after the arrival of the outgoing mail. P.D., 9d. per ton tendered.

AMBULANCE MOUNTINGS.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of galvanized iron ambulance mountings. P.D., £1.

BOGIE CENTRE STEEL CASTINGS.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of bogie centre steel castings for engines. P.D., ¼ per cent.

LAMPS, ETC.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Supply and delivery of lamps, socket reflector holders and reflectors for electric lighting of Jolimont Car Shop (Electrification). P.D., ¼ per cent.

SALE OF SCRAP.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Purchase and removal of about 300 tons of scrap steel cast tires, now lying at Newport Workshops. (Fresh tenders.) P.D., 5 per cent.

SALE OF BRASS SCRAP.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Purchase and removal of 25 tons of scrap brass boiler tubes, at Newport Workshops. Deposit 5 per cent.

STEEL SPRING WASHERS.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Supply and delivery of 300,000 steel spring washers for 1-in. diameter fishbolts. (Fresh tenders.) P.D., ¼ per cent.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

Wednesday, 12th January.—Supply and delivery of 12,000 casks of Portland cement. P.D., ¼ per cent.

GENERAL STORES.

Wednesday, 19th January.—Supply (during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of split pins; rivets (various); crucibles and pedestals; gauge glasses; wooden handles; brasswork, &c.; plumbers' goods; sewage materials; filters and candles; copper boilers, &c.; engine lamps; tinware; dropper fasteners; ovens and stoves; carriage window springs; water meters; fireproof safes; weighing machines, &c.; galvanized corrugated iron tanks; iron tanks; iron castings; malleable iron castings; steel castings; cast-iron water pipes; sluice valves; bolts and nuts; nuts; dowels and spikes; iron washers; pick eyes and pile shoes; aluminium and antimony; glue; glass; paperhangings; painters' and grainers' sundries.

Wednesday, 26th January.—Supply, during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of augers; files and rasps; machine saws; spanners; measuring tapes; emery, &c.; grindstones; hinges; nails; screws; enamel letters, &c.; N.P. badges, &c.; galvanized iron; lead; shafting; twist drills; tinned plates; carpets and rugs; drapery; napery; serge and fine twill worsted; wire work, &c.; basketware; sundry brushware; painters' brushes; steel brushes; blanketing; feather dusters; linoleum; cordage; coir mats; rope; ship chandlery; candles, matches, soap, &c.; belting; leather; leather goods; indiarubber and I.R. goods; I.R. hose.

Wednesday, 9th February.—Supply, during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of waste; mineral lubricating oils; sundry ironmongery; sundry ironmongery (builders); sundry ironmongery (tools, &c.); axes, &c.; hammers; saws and blades; shovels, picks, &c.; vices; pans and urinals; fire bricks, &c.; foundry coke; oxide of iron; resin; timber (various); stringybark; table legs, doors, mouldings; lime; plaster of paris and hair; slates; drain pipes, &c.; Monier pipes; building sand; sand for locomotives; foundry sundries.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply, during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of tubes and fittings; brass; copper (sheet and tubing); iron; rolled iron (Australian); blister, cast and D.S. steel; mild steel (plates, &c.); mild steel (channel, &c.); spring steel; steel blooms; fishbolt and nut steel; dogspike iron; zinc; crane chain; iron chain; signal chain; fencing wire; sundry wire; signal wire and pulleys; wire rope, locks, keys, &c.; upholstery, &c.; glassware, sponges; burners, lamps, &c.; lamp chimneys, glasses, &c.; canvas bags, tents, &c.; mops; packing; wire netting; chamouis skins; sundry canvas; canvas hose; sponge cloths, &c.; oils (various); colours, &c.; paints, &c.; varnish; benzine, turpentine, &c.

A complete list of the articles required, specifying the requisite deposits, can be obtained on application at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street, where schedules may be obtained. The samples, which are exhibited by the Department, may be seen on application to the Stores Purchasing Agent, Spencer-street Store (foot of Lonsdale-street).

CAST STEEL WHEEL CENTRES.

Wednesday, 26th January.—Supply and delivery of cast steel wheel centres for cars and waggons. P.D., ½ per cent.

SULPHATE OF COPPER.

Wednesday, 26th January.—Supply and delivery of 20 tons of sulphate of copper for batteries. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

COPPER ROD.

Wednesday, 9th February.—Supply and delivery of copper rod for engines. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

ELECTRIC STAFF INSTRUMENTS.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Supply and delivery of electric staff instruments. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

ELECTRIC POINT OPERATING MACHINES.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Supply and delivery of seven electric point operating machines. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

ELECTRIC INTERLOCKING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Supply and delivery of electric interlocking machine. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

COMMUTATOR SLOTTING MACHINES.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of commutator slotting machines for Jolimont Car Shops. P.D., £1.

AIR PRESSURE BLOWERS.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of air pressure blowers for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. Contract 29671. P.D., £1.

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STEEL BLOOMS FOR PISTON RODS.

Wednesday, 8th March.—Supply and delivery of steel blooms for piston rods for engines. P.D., £1.

HIGH-SPEED DRILLING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of one 20-inch vertical high-speed drilling machine for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

HIGH SPEED DRILL.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of high speed single spindle sensitive drill for Jolimont Car Repair Shop (Electrification). P.D., £1.

CIRCULAR SAW.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of cold metal circular saw (belt driven) for Signal Shops, Newport. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

GRINDER.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of grinder for finishing machined parts, for Jolimont Car Repair Shed. P.D., £1.

GRINDING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of double wet tool grinding machine for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

RECORDING PYROMETERS.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of thermo-electric recording pyrometers (complete) for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

LATHE.

Wednesday, 20th March.—Supply and delivery of one 13-inch centre x 14 feet gap bed sliding, surfacing, and screw cutting lathe for Jolimont Car Shed. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

MOQUETTE CLOTH.

Wednesday, 29th March.—Supply and delivery of moquette cloth for sleeping cars. P.D., £1.

GAP LATHE.

Wednesday, 29th March.—Supply and delivery of 10-inch gap lathe for North Melbourne Car Shop. P.D., £1.

RUNWAY HOIST.

Wednesday, 12th April.—Supply and delivery of electrically operated runway hoist for Jolimont Car Shops. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

WOOL WASTE.

Wednesday, 19th April.—Supply and delivery of wool waste. Particulars also at Geelong, Ballarat, Warrnambool, and Castlemaine stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

BADGED CROCKERYWARE AND GLASSWARE.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply and delivery of badged crockeryware and glassware for refreshment rooms. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

LEASING RAILWAY LANDS.

Applications are invited for letting on building leases for business purposes land at or near stations. Terms up to 21 years. For particulars apply to Estate Officer, Spencer-street, Melbourne, or to local stationmasters or roadmasters.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Acting Secretary.

TENDERS FOR THE SERVICE OF 1916-17.**GENERAL STORES.**

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 8th February, 1916, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned articles, in such quantities as may be ordered by the Victorian Government, or by the Commonwealth Government for its offices situated in Victoria, for the twelve calendar months indicated hereunder, commencing 1st July, 1916.

Schedule of Articles.	Year.	Preliminary Deposit, £
No. 1. Beaverskin and moleskin	1	5
2. Cottons	1	10
3. Drapery Piece Goods	1	10
4. Canvas Duck Hose, &c.	1	5
5. Tents and Flys	1	5

*Security.—10 per cent. on total amount of tender accepted, except when otherwise specified in the tender form, but in no case will security of less than £2 be received.

Schedules as above, with full particulars, may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, by whom also the samples will be shown and any information afforded to persons tendering.

In certain schedules where doubt exists as to whether the articles enumerated may or may not be manufactured within the Commonwealth, double columns are inserted for the rates, "A" for articles manufactured within the Commonwealth and "B" for articles manufactured elsewhere.

Preference will be given by the Tender Board to tenders for articles manufactured within the Commonwealth, provided the quality of such articles is satisfactory, and the rates charged are considered reasonable. Preference will also be given to articles of British manufacture as against those of foreign manufacture.

Tenders must be accompanied by the preliminary deposit, as shown above, in bank notes, or a bank draft in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application.

Security will be required, either in Victorian 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 contract signed within five days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised or another tender accepted.

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

In the event of tenderers withdrawing their tenders before notification of acceptance of same, or failing to take up their accepted tenders within the prescribed period after notification of acceptance, the preliminary deposit will be forfeited, and, in addition, they may be disqualified from tendering or holding any future contracts for Government supplies for a period of twelve months, such disqualification to date from the notification of acceptance of tender. It is also stipulated that if a tenderer be a member of a firm and such firm be interested in the contract, then his tender is to be in the name of the firm and not in that of the individual; and that for breach of this condition the preliminary deposit will be forfeited and the tender declared informal.

Tenders, enclosed in a separate envelope, and having the words "Tender for ——" (as the case may be) written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

The Conditions of Contract are those published under General Stores, in the *Government Gazette* of 17th April, 1915, page 1420.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1915.

VICTORIA.

TENDERS FOR THE SERVICE OF 1916-17.

FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 11th January, 1916, at the Tender Board Office, Treasury, for the supply of Forage, in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government of Victoria and for the Commonwealth Government, as the case may be, at the undermentioned Stations, situated in Victoria, from the 1st March, 1916, to the 28th February, 1917. Tender forms at Stations.

District.	Station.	Department for which supply is required.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption for each Station.				Storage Capacity.			
			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	
Bourke	Bass	Police	6	1	9	3	6	1	10	
	Broadford	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	12	
	Broadmeadows	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	12	
	Burwood	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	11	
	Campbellfield	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	15	
	Cheltenham	"	8	1	12	3	8	2	22	
	Dandenong	"	8	1	12	3	22	2	12	
	Dandenong (Stud Depôt)	"	16	3	20	6	20	3	16	
	Emerald	"	8	1	12	3	6	1	8	
	Epping	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	18	
	Ferntree Gully	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	
	Greenvale	Sanatorium (Public Health)	30	30	52 chaff	...	20	20	22	
	Healesville	Police	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Heidelberg	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	20	
	Laverton	Explosives	3	3	52 chaff	...	8	46 chaff	20	
	Lilydale	Police	8	1	12	3	18	2	20	
	Macedon	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	
	Macedon	State Forests	6	6	25 chaff	...	20	5	20	
	Marysville	Police	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	
	Oakleigh	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	
	Pakenham	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	
	Point Nepean	Quarantine	16	5	70 chaff	...	10	2	13	
	Pyalong	Police	8	1	12	3	12	2	20	
	Queenstown	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	
	Ringwood	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	
	Sunbury	"	8	1	11	3	12	2	20	
	Sunbury	Hospital for Insane	20	50	...	100	40	100	20	
	Trentham	Police	8	1	12	3	11	2	12	
	Warburton	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	
	Whittlesea	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	
	Wonthaggi	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	
	Woodend	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	
Yarra Glen	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	11		
Central	Ballarat	Police	10	1	12	4	80	20	100	
	Ballarat	Hospital for Insane	33	80	...	120	65	40	80	
	Ballan	Police	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Bullarto	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	20	
	Bungaree	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	
	Buninyong	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Cape Clear	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	
	Clunes	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Creswick	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Creswick	State Forests	6	6	25 chaff	...	20	5	26	
	Daylesford	Police	8	1	12	3	20	2	25	
	Dean	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	14	
	Glenlyon	"	8	1	12	3	22	5	22	
	Gordons	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Learmonth	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Rokewood	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	
	Skipton and Smythesdale	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	
	Gippsland	Bairnsdale	Police	8	1	12	3	20	5	20
Benambra		"	8	1	12	3	10	2	12	
Bendoc		"	8	1	12	3	20	2	11	
Boolarra		"	8	1	12	3	10	2	16	
Bruthen		"	8	1	12	3	20	2	12	
Buchan		"	8	1	12	3	5	2	14	
Bunyip		"	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	
Cassilis		"	8	1	12	3	10	3	20	
Cunninghame		"	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	
Dargo		"	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	
Drouin		"	8	1	12	3	14	2	12	
Foster		"	8	1	12	3	10	3	15	
Glen Wills		"	8	1	12	3	5	2	8	
Heyfield		"	8	1	12	3	10	3	12	
Inverloch		"	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	
Kornhubra		"	8	1	12	3	4	2	8	
Leongatha		"	8	1	12	3	20	5	20	
Lindenow		"	8	1	12	3	15	5	15	
Loch		"	8	1	12	3	8	4	8	
Mirboo		"	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	
Moe		"	8	1	12	3	6	2	9	
Morwell		"	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	
Neerim South		"	8	1	12	3	6	1	8	
Oneco		"	8	1	12	3	11	5	15	
Orbost		"	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	
Port Albert		"	8	1	12	3	12	3	15	
Rosedale		"	8	1	12	3	12	2	14	
Stratford		"	8	1	12	3	12	4	20	
Toora		"	8	1	12	3	10	1	10	
Traralgon		"	8	1	12	3	16	4	30	
Walhalla		"	8	1	12	3	16	5	20	
Warragul		"	8	1	12	3	24	10	25	
Yarragon	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	15		
Yarram Yarram	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	12		

FORAGE—continued.

District.	Station.	Department for which supply is required.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption for each Station.				Storage Capacity.			
			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
Melbourne	*Depôt	Police	180	50	400	100	80	20	100	45
	Sunshine	"	8	1	12	3	9	2	15	5
	Footscray	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	15	5
	Werribee	"	8	1	12	3	8	1	13	4
	Melbourne	Post and Telegraph	180	60	240 chaff	120	80	10	120	32
	Royal Park	Neglected Children's Department	10	30	...	2	22	3	50	120 chaff 6
	Royal Park	Quarantine—Commonwealth Vaccine Depôt	...	33	257 150 chaff	23	...	...	40	20
	Royal Park	Hospital for Insane	15	70	...	32	10	10	...	20
	Kew	"	80	150	...	250	40	30	...	100
	Yarra Bend	"	8	80	...	120	18	22	...	80
	Mont Park	"	25	25	...	10	100	100	...	200
	Pentridge	Gaols	58	14	...	...	18	5	...	...
	Melbourne	Botanic and Domain Gardens	15 crsh. oats	25	90 chaff	10	7	8	32 chaff	10
	†Williamstown	Ports and Harbors	19	42	240 chaff 38	...	...	...	...	...
	Midland	Burnley	Horticultural Gardens	14 crsh. oats	40 60 pol-lard	100 chaff 12	10
75 wheat 10 maize				...	...	...	...	...	...	...
North-Eastern	Maryborough	Police	16	2	25	7	32	10	40	10
	Avoca	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Birchip	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	7
	Castlemaine	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Chillingollah	"	8	1	12	3	10	5	20	10
	Donald	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	13	5
	Kaneira	"	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	3
	Kyneton	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	11
	Mildura	"	8	1	12	3	15	5	15	5
	Newstead	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Ouyen	"	8	1	12	3	18	6	30	...
	Quambatook	"	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	...
	Sea Lake	"	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	10
	St. Arnaud	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Talbot	"	8	1	12	3	22	2	33	11
	Ultima	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Woomelang	"	8	1	12	3	9	1	14	4
	Benalla	Police	8	1	12	3	60	6	40	15
	Alexandra	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	14	8
	Beechworth	Hospital for Insane	25	15	...	75	10	20	...	40
	Bethanga Lower	Police	8	1	12	3	12	3	12	10
	Bonnie Doon	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	14	4
	Bright	"	8	1	12	3	30	12	20	5
	Cobram	"	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3
	Corryong	"	8	1	12	3	12	3	20	5
	Dederang	"	8	1	12	3	18	2	8	4
	Dookie	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	6
	Gaffney's Creek	"	8	1	12	3	11	3	17	5
	Glenrowan	"	8	1	12	3	20	5	20	5
	Harrieville	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	5
Jamieson	"	8	1	12	3	5	1	7	3	
Kiewa	"	8	1	12	3	20	4	16	8	
Kyabram	"	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3	
Mansfield	"	8	1	12	3	21	3	30	10	
Mitta Mitta	"	8	1	12	3	16	2	16	4	
Myrtleford	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	3	
Nagambie	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	12	
Nathalia	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	26	8	
Rushworth	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5	
Rutherglen	"	8	1	12	3	9	2	14	4	
Seymour	"	8	1	12	3	36	4	40	10	
Shepparton	"	8	1	12	3	36	4	40	10	
Tallangatta	"	8	1	12	3	30	7	30	12	
Violet Town	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	20	5	
Walwa	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	8	
Wangaratta	"	8	1	12	3	40	10	40	25	
Whitfield	"	8	1	12	3	16	2	24	6	
Wodonga	"	8	1	12	3	20	3	30	8	
Yea	"	8	1	12	3	13	2	18	5	
North-Western	Axedale	Police	8	1	12	3	20	5	25	10
	Bridgewater	"	8	1	12	3	8	5	12	3
	Cohuna	"	8	1	12	3	16	2	25	7
	Echuca	"	8	1	12	3	22	10	48	15
	Elmore	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	20	7
	Goornong	"	8	1	12	3	12	5	12	4
	Heathcote	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Kerang	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
	Koondrook	"	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	4
	Mitiamo	"	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	8
	Pyramid	"	8	1	12	3	16	5	17	5
	Raywood	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	11	5
	Rochester	"	16	2	25	7	32	10	48	15
	Swan Hill	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Southern	Geelong	Police	8	1	12	3	60	6	100	22
Apollo Bay		"	8	1	12	3	...	...	...	...
Bannockburn		"	8	1	12	3	11	6	15	8
Beech Forest		"	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	3
Birregurra		"	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4

* See conditions of contract No. 3.

† Half-yearly estimate.

FORAGE—continued.

District.	Station.	Department for which supply is required.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption for each Station.				Storage Capacity.			
			Oats.	Brn.	Hay	Straw.	Oats.	Brar.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
Southern— (continued)	Colac ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	16	2	20	8
	Forrest ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Inverleigh ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Lara ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Lara ...	Inebriate Retreat	8	20	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Lismore ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	3
	Meredith ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Winchelsea ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	6
Western	Hamilton ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	25	5	18	11
	Allansford ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	22	10
	Apsley ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	5
	Balmoral ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	4	20	10
	Casterton ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	34	4	33	15
	Cavendish ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	15	5
	Cobden ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Coleraine ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	2	20	6
	Dartmoor ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	2	10	3
	Dunkeld ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	15	5
	Edenhope ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	5
	Harrow ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	12	5
	Macarthur ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	12	4
	Merino ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	5
	Pannure ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	4
	Penshurst ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	11	4
	Port Campbell... ..	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5
	Port Fairy ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Portland ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	25	7
	Terang ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	20	8
Wimmera	Stawell West ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	25	3	30	15
	Ararat ...	Hospital for Insane	20	75	230	250	73	120	2,330	600
	Beulah ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	8	2
	Buangor ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	5
	Dimboola ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	5
	Elmhurst ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	20	6
	Goroko ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	7	1	8	4
	Horsham ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	25	3	22	8
	Jeparit ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	8	2
	Kaniva ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	7	2
	Landsborough... ..	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	22	5
	Minyip ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	18	6
	Murtos ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	22	8
	Natimuk ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	4
	Nhill ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	5
	Rainbow ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	12	4
	Rupanyup ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Warracknabeal ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	11
	Willaura ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	1	15	4

Tenders for supply of forage to more than five separate stations in any one district must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit of 10s. for each and every station tendered for except in the case of the Melbourne District, the preliminary deposit for which shall be £25 with each tender, irrespective of the number of stations tendered for. Deposits must be in bank notes, or bank drafts payable to the order of the Secretary to the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application; such deposit will be forfeited in the event of the tenderer, after the time fixed for the closing of tenders, withdrawing or attempting to withdraw his tender, or of the successful tenderer failing to complete the necessary bond within a reasonable time after the acceptance is notified.

Tenderers failing to take up their accepted tenders, or failing to carry out their contract satisfactorily, will be ineligible to hold contracts for Government supplies for a period of two years.

The price must include delivery at the stations, and all charges except the bags, which will remain the property of the contractor. At stations where the bags can be at once emptied the contractor will be required to remove them when delivery is taken. At other stations, notice will be sent to the contractor when the bags are empty. Bags to be removed at contractor's expense.

For police stations, excepting the depot and institutions other than police, the successful tenderer will be required to enter into a bond for the sum of £5 per horse per station, and for the depot and other institutions a bond based on one-quarter of the total amount of the tender accepted, such bonds to be entered into within a reasonable time after the acceptance is notified. Two approved sureties are required for contracts where the sum stated in the bond is £50 and upwards, and one surety where the sum stated is under £50.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The hay to be good, sound, and sweet, and properly trussed except when otherwise specified in the contract; the straw to be wheaten or oat, and both to be in all respects of the best quality; oats, white or Algerian (Victorian grown), of the best description, full kernel, clean, and free from wild oats or other objectionable seeds; bran to be sound and sweet, and of the best description; chaff to be made from oat or wheat of the best quality. As much forage as can be stored at any station where the storage is small will, for the convenience of the contractor, be ordered at one time.

2. The quantities stated in the schedule are only approximate, and the Government may draw either more or less than those mentioned. Should new telegraph stations be formed or additional horses be required at any station, the contractor will be required to supply the extra forage. Unless otherwise specified in the tender form the contractor may, if he desires it, terminate the contract by supplying at once the whole quantity due at the station, should the additional number of permanent horses exceed two.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding condition, the contractors for the supply to the Police Depot may be called upon to supply any Government Departments within a radius of six miles from Melbourne, for which no contracts have been taken, and also forage for any extra horses that may be at any time stabled at the depot for police purposes, at the same rates. The contract for the supply of forage to the Military Barracks may be terminated by three months' notice being given by the Secretary to the Tender Board to the contractor of such determination.

4. Should forage duly ordered under these contracts not be delivered within forty-eight hours of the time specified in the order for delivery, it will be competent for the department to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price is to be deducted.

5. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the forage as to the quality of the same, it is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the head of the department ordering the supply, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final.

6. If the Board shall decide that the forage is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra cost, if any, will be charged as in clause 4.

7. When a board of survey cannot be conveniently assembled, or when, from some other cause, injury would accrue to either party by waiting for a board of survey, the officer in charge will have the power to reject such supplies as are obviously of inferior quality, but he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected forage, and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 4.

8. A refusal to execute orders, irregularity in the quantity or quality of the forage, or delay in delivering or replacing it when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £20, as the Treasurer of the State for the time being may direct. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such refusal, irregularity, or delay, to terminate the contract forthwith.

9. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise; and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

10. Under no circumstances will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract, and in the event of his failing to carry on his contract he will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure. In the event of a station being discontinued or any change in the supplies required, the contractor will receive the earliest possible intimation.

11. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as broken, infringed, or vitiated by the purchase by any Department of forage grown at any Government establishment.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 1st December, 1915

A. J. PEACOCK,
Treasurer.

Insolvency Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of Kenneth Hoggart, of Melbourne Machinery Gazette, agent, and William Raitt Davidson, of Northcote, carpenter, 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 Wednesday, the 29th day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 20th day of December, A.D. 1915.

D. F. McGRATH,
Chief Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Frederick Harris, of Benalla, in Victoria, driver, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Benalla, on Thursday, the thirtieth day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Benalla this sixteenth day of December, A.D. 1915.

E. F. BIESKE,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Bendigo.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of William John Dennis, of Church-street, Eaglehawk, in the State of Victoria, miner, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Bendigo, on Tuesday, the fourth day of January, A.D. 1916, 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 Bendigo this 20th day of December, A.D. 1915.

J. H. DUNNE,
Chief Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Herbert Hay, of Camperdown, fruiterer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Camperdown, on Tuesday, the 4th day of January, A.D. 1916, 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 Camperdown this 20th day of December, A.D. 1915.

W. C. T. FERGUSON,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Western District, at Horsham.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Thomas Aloysius Curren, of Horsham, labourer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Horsham, on Wednesday, the 29th day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Horsham this 13th day of December, A.D. 1915.

FRANK J. SAUL,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Eastern District, at Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Andrew Millar, of Sale, in the State of Victoria, labourer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Sale, on Wednesday, the 29th day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Sale this 15th day of December, A.D. 1915.

G. J. J. CHAPPEL,
Chief Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of James Samuel Warnock, of Flowerdale, in the State of Victoria, labourer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Seymour, on Wednesday, the 29th day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Seymour this 16th day of December, A.D. 1915.

J. J. CASEY,
Chief Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Blanche Una Foster, of Wangaratta, married woman, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Wangaratta, on Friday, the 24th day of December, A.D. 1915, 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 Wangaratta this 15th day of December, A.D. 1915.

T. M. WILLIAMS,
Chief Clerk.

Private Advertisements.*Water Act 1915.—Fifth Schedule.***WARRNAMBOOL WATERWORKS TRUST.**

NOTICE to the owners of tenements in the under-mentioned streets, and private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys, opening thereto, in the Urban District of the Warrnambool Waterworks Trust, viz. :—

Rowley-street northerly, 6½ chains from Moore-street, thence along Grafton-road 19 chains to the Race-course gates, opposite allotment 18 of section 66.

The main pipes in the said streets being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as above are hereby required, on or before the 29th day of January, 1916, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water within such tenements from the main pipes.

JAMES DAVIDSON DEANY,

Chairman of the Warrnambool Waterworks Trust.

14th December, 1915.

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SHIRE OF ROSEDALE.**APPLICATION FOR THE CONSTITUTION OF A WATER TRUST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Shire of Rosedale has made application to the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply, under the provisions of the *Water Act 1905* (No. 2016), for the constitution of a Waterworks Trust, and for a loan of Two thousand three hundred pounds (£2,300), for the purpose of constructing works to supply the township of Rosedale with water.

A general plan of the proposed works, with the description thereof, has been forwarded to the Minister, and copies thereof are open for inspection at the Shire Office, Rosedale.

5381 **JAS. STEEL LESTER,** Shire Secretary.**CITY OF ST. KILDA.****REGULATION No. 23.**

A Regulation of the City of St. Kilda, numbered 23, made under the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1915*, for the purpose of amending Regulation No. 21, relating to Bathing.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of St. Kilda order as follows :—

1. That Regulation No. 21 be and is hereby amended by the excision of Schedules I. and II. therefrom, and the substitution of the following Schedules, re-defining the bathing areas for males and females, and also by the addition of Schedule III., defining the "Buffer" areas, in which bathing is prohibited between the hours of Eight o'clock p.m. and Four o'clock a.m., and on Sundays between the hours of One o'clock p.m. and Five o'clock p.m.

2. That on and after the coming into force of this Regulation, it shall form part of and be read as one with Regulation No. 21, and the Schedules hereunder shall be read as part thereof.

SCHEDULE I.*Bathing Areas for Males.*

(a) Commencing at a point on the south-west boundary of the Beaconsfield-parade, 207 ft. 6 in. north-westerly from the north-western alignment of the western drain; thence by a line parallel to the north-west alignment of the western drain, south-westerly from high water mark 300 yards; thence by a line parallel to high water mark north-westerly to a line, being the continuation of a line along the centre of Fraser-street; thence by a line, being the continuation of a line along the centre of Fraser-street to Beaconsfield-parade; thence by the south-west boundary of Beaconsfield-parade to the commencing point.

(b) Commencing at the intersection of the Marine-parade with the southern alignment to the main drain outlet; thence by the southern alignment of the main drain outlet from high water mark south-westerly 300 yards; thence by a line parallel to high water mark south-easterly ¾ chains; thence by a line parallel to the main drain outlet north-easterly to the Marine-parade; thence by the Marine-parade to the commencing point.

SCHEDULE II.*Bathing Areas for Females.*

(a) Commencing at a point on the south-west boundary of Beaconsfield-parade at the intersection of the north-western alignment of the western drain; thence by the north-western alignment of the western drain from high water mark south-westerly 300 yards; thence by a line

parallel to high water mark north-westerly 147 ft. 6 in.; thence by a line parallel to the north-western alignment of the western drain north-easterly to Beaconsfield-parade; thence by the south-west boundary of Beaconsfield-parade to the commencing point.

(b) Commencing at a point on the western boundary of the Marine-parade 233 ft. 3 in., southerly from the southern alignment of the main drain outlet; thence by a line parallel to the main drain outlet from high water mark south-westerly 300 yards; thence by a line parallel to high water mark southerly 8 chains; thence by a line parallel to the main drain outlet north-easterly to Marine-parade; thence by Marine-parade northerly 8 chains to the commencing point.

SCHEDULE III. ("BUFFER" AREAS).*A. West Beach.*

Commencing at a point on the south-west boundary of the Beaconsfield-parade 147 ft. 6 in. north-westerly from the north-western alignment of the western drain; thence by a line parallel to the north-west alignment of the western drain south-westerly from high water mark 300 yards; thence by a line parallel to high water mark north-westerly 60 feet; thence by a line parallel to the north-western alignment of the western drain north-easterly to Beaconsfield-parade; thence by the south-west boundary of Beaconsfield-parade to the commencing point.

B. Marine-parade.

Commencing at a point on the western boundary of Marine-parade 231 feet southerly from the southern alignment of the main drain outlet; thence by a line parallel to the main drain outlet from high water mark south-westerly 300 yards; thence by a line parallel to high water mark 62 ft. 3 in.; thence by a line parallel to the main drain outlet north-easterly to Marine-parade; thence by the Marine-parade to the commencing point.

Resolution for passing this Regulation agreed to by the Council on the 22nd day of November, 1915, and confirmed on the 20th day of December, 1915.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of St. Kilda was hereto affixed in the presence of—

JOHN J. LOVE, Mayor.

(SEAL) ED. O'DONNELL, Councillor.

5324 FREDK. CHAMBERLIN, Town Clerk.

SHIRE OF FERN TREE GULLY.**BY-LAW No. 14.**

A By-law of the Shire of Fern Tree Gully made under section 197 of the *Local Government Act*, and section 6 of the *Police Offences Act*, and numbered 14, for the purpose of preventing disturbances and the undue congestion, obstruction, and interference with traffic, and for maintaining the good rule and government of the municipality.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act* and *Police Offences Act*, the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Fern Tree Gully hereby order as follows :—

No person shall, on any Saturday, Sunday, or any local or general public holiday, or on the occasion of any local sports or public gathering, sell or offer for sale in a public highway any fruit, ice cream, drink, or other edible commodity from any stand, vehicle, or receptacle unless with the previous consent in writing of the council or of the shire president, or in his absence the secretary of the shire, and then only at the place or locality and on the occasion or occasions specified in such consent. Every person requiring such consent shall give at least twenty-four hours' notice to the shire secretary.

Every person offending against the provisions of this By-law shall be liable, on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

This By-law shall apply to and have operation throughout the whole of the municipal district.

The common seal of the Shire of Fern Tree Gully was hereunto affixed in pursuance of an Order of the Council made the 18th day of December, 1915, in the presence of—

R. H. KERR, President.**H. MONK,** Councillor.**A. E. SELMAN,** Councillor.**T. M. HEANY,** Shire Secretary.

Resolution for passing this By-law agreed to by the Council the 20th day of November, 1915, and confirmed the 18th day of December, 1915.

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SHIRE OF MANSFIELD.

ORDER DECLARING PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 475 and 479 of the *Local Government Act 1903*, the Council of the Shire of Mansfield do hereby order: That the land next hereinafter described, which has been acquired by them, shall be a public highway from and after the date of publication of this order in the *Government Gazette*, viz.:—

All that piece or parcel of land, being part of Crown allotment 147, in the parish of Loyola, county of Delatite, in the State of Victoria: Commencing at N.E. corner of allotments 147C and 147B, thence 100 links north 8 deg. 47 min. east; thence 1,973 links north 81 deg. 13 min. west; thence 100 links south 8 deg. 47 min. west; thence 1,973 links south 81 deg. 13 min. east to commencing point.

In witness whereof the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Mansfield have caused their common seal to be hereunto affixed this fifteenth day of December, 1915.

The common seal of the Shire of Mansfield was hereunto affixed in pursuance of an Order of the Council, made the seventeenth day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

(SEAL) HARRY TOMKINS, President.
WILLIAM DOLLING, } Councillors.
F. J. BUCKLAND, }
5323 E. W. FINLASON, Secretary.

SHIRE OF SEYMOUR.

REGULATION No. 2.

A Regulation of the shire of Seymour, numbered two (2), made under section forty-eight (48) of Part X. of the Thirteenth Schedule of the *Local Government Act 1903*, in force in the shire of Seymour, by virtue of a By-law of the above-named shire, numbered twenty (20), for appointing the several sums to be paid for licences for hackney carriages and drivers; for regulating the manner in which the name of the municipality and the number of each carriage corresponding with the number of its licence shall be displayed thereon; for regulating the conduct of drivers of hackney carriages; for regulating the number of persons to be carried by each hackney carriage, and the manner in which such number shall be displayed upon such carriage; for fixing the standings for hackney carriages and the number of carriages to be allowed at any such standing, and for fixing the rates or fares for time and for distance to be paid for hackney carriages, and the mode in which such fares are to be marked on each carriage.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1903*, the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the shire of Seymour make the following Regulation, which shall apply to and have operation throughout the whole of the municipal district of the shire of Seymour:—

1. For every licence for a hackney carriage, the sum of Twenty (20) shillings shall be paid to the Council of the shire of Seymour.
2. For every licence for a hackney carriage driver, the sum of One (1) shilling shall be paid to the Council of the shire of Seymour.
3. The name of the municipality, and the number of each carriage corresponding with the number of its licence, and the number of persons to be carried by such hackney carriage, shall be displayed, legibly painted or printed in letters not less than one (1) inch in length, on a metal plate in a prominent place on the back of every hackney carriage.
4. The rates and fares to be charged for the hire of every licensed hackney carriage shall be displayed in a prominent place in each hackney carriage.
5. No driver of any hackney carriage shall smoke any pipe, cigar, or cigarette whilst he is driving any hackney carriage under the engagement of any person.
6. No driver of any hackney carriage shall be obliged to take any luggage which he considers will damage any hackney carriage or the clothes of passengers therein.
7. The number of persons to be carried by any hackney carriage shall not exceed the number stated in the licence issued in respect thereof.

Rates and Fares.

8. The following rates and fares may be legally demanded and taken from the hirer of every licensed hackney carriage:—

From the stand in Station-street, Seymour, or within half a mile of same, to the Military Camp, Trawool-road, or the Rifle Butts, Manse Hill, or the Seymour Race-course—For every person carried, 1s.

From the Military Camp, Trawool-road, or the Rifle Butts, Manse Hill, or the Seymour Race-course, or within half a mile of any of the said places to the Seymour Post Office—For every person carried, 1s.

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From the stand at the Military Camp, Trawool-road, to the Rifle Butts, Manse Hill, or *vice versa*—For every person carried, 1s. 6d.

Detention.

For every fifteen (15) minutes' detention the charge shall be 1s. 6d.

Night Fares.

An additional charge of one-half of the above fares shall be made for any fare performed between the hours of midnight and six (6) o'clock in the forenoon.

Luggage.

No extra charge shall be made to any person for luggage not exceeding forty (40) pounds weight.

Standings for Hackney Carriages.

9. The following places shall be and are hereby appointed standings for licensed hackney carriages:—

Standings for Licensed Cars.

- (a) Station-street, Seymour, on the south side from the east side of the pedestrian subway from the Railway Station for a distance of one hundred (100) yards easterly.
- (b) On the south side of the railway line from the west side of the pedestrian subway from the Railway Station for a distance of one hundred (100) yards westerly. A space of ten feet to be left between hackney carriage and the railway fence.

Standing for Horse Vehicles.

- (c) Station-street, Seymour, on the south side from a point immediately opposite the street lamp pillar at the Seymour Post Office for a distance of fifty (50) yards easterly.
- (d) On the east side of that road running south from the Seymour Railway Station yard for a distance of fifty (50) yards from a sign post indicating where the stand is situated, following the alignment of the footway first northerly then easterly.

Standing for all Vehicles.

- (e) On the Trawool-road at the Military Camp on the north side of the roadway for a distance of one hundred (100) yards east of post indicating where hackney carriage stand is situated.

Resolution for passing this Regulation agreed to by the Council on the fifteenth day of November, 1915, and confirmed the twentieth day of December, 1915.

(SEAL) J. CHITTICK, President.
T. TEHAN, Councillor.
R. WARD, Councillor.
5374 H. J. WORLAND, Shire Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between Thomas Haliburton Laidlaw, Frank Ernest Müller, John Thomas Hall, and James Thomas Haliburton Laidlaw, carrying on business as stock and station agents at Hamilton and district, under the style or firm of T. H. Laidlaw & Co., has been dissolved as from the thirty-first day of December, 1915, so far as concerns the said John Thomas Hall, who retires from the said firm.

The said Thomas Haliburton Laidlaw, Frank Ernest Müller, and James Thomas Haliburton Laidlaw will continue to carry on the said business.

Dated the 20th day of December, 1915.

T. H. LAIDLAW.
FRANK E. MULLER.
J. T. HALL.
J. T. H. LAIDLAW.

• Sidney I. Silberberg, solicitor, Gray-street, Hamilton. 5356

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership as boot manufacturers heretofore carried on by Messrs. Richard Henry White, Roy Alfred White, and Frank Ernest White, in Collingwood and elsewhere, under the name of R. White, has been determined so far as regards the said Richard Henry White, who is no longer a partner in the firm. The business will be carried on by the said Roy Alfred White and Frank Ernest White in partnership as heretofore, under the name of R. White.

Dated this second day of December, 1915.

5358 ROY A. WHITE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between John Hutchison Monteath, William Monteath, Charles Monteath, and Claude Buchanan Monteath, carrying on business in partnership as iron-founders, under the style or firm of "C. Monteath & Sons," at South Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, was, as and from the 30th day of November, 1915, dissolved by mutual consent. Messrs. John Hutchison Monteath, William Monteath, and Claude Buchanan Monteath will continue to carry on the business, and will receive and pay all debts of the said firm.

Dated this fifteenth day of December, 1915.

C. MONTEATH & SONS.
Witness—M. J. S. GAIR, solicitor, Melbourne. 5370

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between Henri Lamande and Alexander Matheson, carrying on business as motor cycle importers, at 295 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, under the style of Lamande and Matheson, has been dissolved as from the first day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen. All debts due to, or owing by, the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Matheson, who will continue to carry on the said business.

Dated this fourteenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

HENRI LAMANDE,
ALEX. MATHESON.

Witness—JOSEPH HERMAN, solicitor, 285 Collins-street, Melbourne. 5362

THE partnership heretofore carried on between Fanny Louisa Walter and Ella Mabel Robinson, at The Block, Collins-street, Melbourne, under the style or firm of G. Walter, milliners and blouse-makers, has been dissolved as from the first day of December, 1915.

The business will be carried on by the said Fanny Louisa Walter, who will receive and pay all accounts and liabilities of the said firm.

Dated at Melbourne this eighteenth day of December, 1915.

F. L. WALTER,
E. M. ROBINSON.

Witness to both signatures—V. V. HART, managing clerk to H. M. Lee, solicitor, Melbourne. 5341

KOO-WEE-RUP TO McDONALD'S TRACK RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION TRUST.

NOTICE is hereby given, in conformity with the provisions of the *Railway Lands Acquisition Act 1893*, that at a meeting of the Koo-wee-rup to McDonald's Track Railway Construction Trust, held on the 18th day of December, 1915, the following resolution was adopted:—

That the Governor in Council having approved of the rate proposed by the Trust by resolution of the 21st day of August, 1915, the said rate is hereby made, that is to say:—

(a) The Koo-wee-rup to McDonald's Track Railway Construction Trust, having first obtained the approval of the Governor in Council in that behalf, hereby makes the Koo-wee-rup to McDonald's Track Railway Construction Rate 1915, upon the rateable property within the district, of the sum in the pound sterling in column 3 of the subjoined Schedule on the net annual value of the properties rated within the different divisions of the Trust set opposite to such rating in column 1 of the Schedule.

(b) Such rate to be made for the period commencing on the 11th day of May, 1915, and ending on the 30th day of April, 1916, and such rate to be payable on the 20th day of December, 1915, and that Mr. W. Young, the collector for the time being, be authorized to demand and receive the said rate, and, if necessary, to take legal proceedings for recovery thereof.

(c) The said rate is herein made this 18th day of December, 1915.

SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Column 1.	Column 2.	Column 3.
Division.	Portion rated.	Rate in the £ on the Municipal Valuation.
A	Area colored blue on plan	Seven pence
B	Area colored pink on plan	Five and one half pence
C	Area colored yellow on plan	Three and one half pence
D	Area colored green on plan	One and one half penny
E	Area colored brown on plan	One half penny
Special	Area colored white on plan	One farthing

W. YOUNG, Secretary. 5336

Drouin, 18th December, 1915.

PRESTON MOTOR GARAGE PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named company will be held at Preston Motor Garage, High-street Preston, on Monday, the third day of January, 1916, at Eight o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this sixteenth day of December, 1915.

WILFRED ERNEST HOOPER, Liquidator.

Cleverdon and Fay, 95 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the liquidator. 5365

IN THE MATTER OF PRESTON MOTOR GARAGE PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named company, duly convened and held at Preston Motor Garage, High-street, Preston, on the twenty-ninth day of November, 1915, the following resolutions were duly passed as extraordinary resolutions, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the fifteenth day of December, 1915, the following resolutions were duly confirmed as special resolutions:—

1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the company, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Wilfred Ernest Hooper, of Woolton-avenue, Croxton, accountant, be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

2. That the said liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new company, to be named 'Preston Motors Proprietary Limited,' with a memorandum and articles of association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the directors of this company.

3. That the draft agreement submitted to this meeting and expressed to be made between this company and its liquidator of the one part and Preston Motors Proprietary Limited of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said liquidator is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 193 of the *Companies Act 1915*, to enter into an agreement with such new company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such, if any, modifications as he thinks expedient.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1915.

WILLIAM BRAITHWAITE, Chairman.

Witness to signature—RICHARD B. BALMER, clerk to Messrs. Cleverdon and Fay, solicitors, Melbourne. 5364
Cleverdon and Fay, 95 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the company.

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AMBLER AND COMPANY PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of Shareholders of the above company will be held on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1916, at Twelve o'clock noon, at 46 King-street, Melbourne, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidator.

Dated the seventeenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

A. L. MORAN, Liquidator.

H. Maurice Davies, Esq., solicitor, 400 Collins-street, Melbourne. 5368

IN THE MATTER OF THE *Companies Act 1915*, and in the matter of THE MELBOURNE GLASS BOTTLE WORKS COMPANY PROPRIETARY LIMITED (registered as "The Melbourne Glass Bottle Works Company Limited"), in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named company will be held on Wednesday, the twenty-ninth day of December, 1915, at Four o'clock p.m., at the registered office of the company, Spotswood, for the purposes contemplated by section 189 of the *Companies Act 1915*.

S. G. GARNSWORTHY, Liquidator.

16th December, 1915.
Hedderwick, Fookes, and Alston, solicitors, 103-105 William-street, Melbourne. 5360

THE MELBOURNE GLASS BOTTLE WORKS COMPANY PROPRIETARY LIMITED (registered as "The Melbourne Glass Bottle Works Company Limited").

NOTICE is hereby given that at a general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at 346 Flinders-lane, Melbourne, on the sixteenth day of November, 1915, the following special resolution (*inter alia*) was duly passed; and, at a subsequent general meeting of the said company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the thirteenth day of December, 1915, the said resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

That this company be wound up voluntarily, and that Stanley George Garnsworthy, of Spotswood, secretary, be, and he is hereby appointed, liquidator, for the purpose of such winding up.

Dated this 16th day of December, 1915.

EDWARD NORTON GRIMWADE, Chairman.

Hedderwick, Fookes, and Alston, solicitors, 103-105 William-street, Melbourne. 5361

MACK LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of Mack Limited will be held at 465 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of January, 1916, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of laying before it an account of the winding up of the company and giving an explanation thereof.

Dated the 17th day of December, 1915.
5342 A. W. ROGERS, Liquidator.

THE MORELAND SMELTING WORKS PTY. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company, held at its registered office, 31 Dudley-street, West Melbourne, on the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the following special resolution was passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the said company, held at 31 Dudley-street, West Melbourne aforesaid, on the fifteenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the said resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily."

Dated this 16th day of December, 1915.
5319 GEORGE LEISHMAN, Chairman.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—ELIZA JACKSON, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, all persons having any claims against the estate of Eliza Jackson, late of Michael-street, Brunswick, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased, are hereby required to forward particulars thereof, in writing, to The Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 85 Queen-street, Melbourne, the executor to whom probate of the will of the said deceased was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the ninth day of December instant, on or before the thirtieth day of January, 1916, after which date the said company will proceed to a distribution of the assets of the said Eliza Jackson, deceased, which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this fifteenth day of December, 1915.
JAMES M. SHANNON, 114 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said company. 5316

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE WILLIAM SHIELDS, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of William Shields, late of Mirboo North, in the State of Victoria, storekeeper, deceased (who died on the 26th day of May, 1912), are required to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned, the proctor for Elizabeth Shields and Adam Loftus Ogilvy, the executors of the will of the said deceased, before the 22nd day of January, 1916, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated the 15th day of December, 1915.
JAS. MARSHALL, proctor, Mirboo North. 5318

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE ROBERT RONALD BUTCHART, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Robert Ronald Butchart, late of Mildura, in the State of Victoria, horticulturist, deceased (who died on the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will and testament was granted to Lillias Linton Butchart, of Mildura, in the said State, widow, the sole executrix named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, Percy Tasman Park, the proctor for the said Lillias Linton Butchart, on or before the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Robert Ronald Butchart, deceased, which shall have come to her hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executrix shall then have had notice; and the said executrix 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 fourteenth day of December, 1915.
PERCY T. PARK, Risbey's Chambers, Deakin-avenue, Mildura, proctor for the said Lillias Linton Butchart. 5320

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE MAURICE GRIFFIN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Maurice Griffin, late of Pakenham-street, Echuca, in the State of Victoria, and formerly of Diggorra, near Rochester, in the said State, and Kingsthorpe (in the said will described as Kingsthorpe), in Queensland, retired farmer, deceased (who died on the twenty-sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and probate of whose will and codicil was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, to Mary Griffin, of Kingsthorpe aforesaid, widow of the said deceased, the executrix appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said Mary Griffin, at the office of the undersigned, on or before the thirty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said Mary Griffin will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Maurice Griffin, deceased, which shall have come to her hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said Mary Griffin will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim she shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1915.

MILES O'NEILL, Gillies-street, Rochester, proctor for the said Mary Griffin. 5321

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE JOHANNA GRACE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Johanna Grace, late of Nanneella, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the eleventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the third day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, to William John Grace, of Nanneella aforesaid, farmer, the executor appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said William John Grace, at the office of the undersigned, on or before the thirty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said William John Grace will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Johanna Grace, deceased, which shall have come to his hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said William John Grace will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1915.

MILES O'NEILL, Gillies-street, Rochester, proctor for the said William John Grace. 5322

CREDITORS, next of kin, and all others having claims against the estate of the undermentioned person are required to send particulars thereof to the administrator, Ernest Albert Knell, care of the undersigned, his proctors, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1916, otherwise they may be excluded when the assets are being distributed:—

Caroline Knell, late of 24 Northcote-road, Armadale, married woman, who died on the 1st day of July, 1915.

Dated the 20th day of December, 1915.

HENDERSON & BALL, 430 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the administrator. 5337

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Joseph William Tank, late of Sulky, near Ballarat, in the State of Victoria, mining manager, deceased, probate of whose will has been granted to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, the office of which is at 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the executor named in and appointed by the said will, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, at its address above mentioned, on or before the thirty-first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph William Tank, deceased, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1915.

DAVID CLARKE, 52 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, proctor for the said company. 5331

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* JOHN MURRIHY,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Murrihy, late of Yangery, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the twenty-second day of December, 1914, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the eighth day of March, 1915, to Cornelius O'Mahony, of Warrnambool aforesaid, solicitor, and Michael Murrihy, of Yangery, near Warrnambool aforesaid, farmer, 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 on or before the thirty-first day of January, 1916, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Murrihy, 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 sixteenth day of December, 1915.

O'MAHONY & MURRAY, solicitors, Warrnambool,
proctors for the said executors. 5375

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* ANDREW PHILIP,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Andrew Philip, late of Douglas-street, Toorak, in the State of Victoria, retired civil servant, deceased (who died on the 29th day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will and codicil was granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 27th day of November, 1915, to The Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, whose registered office is situate at No. 333 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria (hereinafter called the said company), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company at its address above mentioned, on or before the 29th day of January, 1916. And notice is hereby further given that after that day the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Andrew Philip, deceased, which shall have come to its hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1915.

REGINALD GREENE, of 360 Collins-street, Mel-
bourne, proctor for the said company. 5338

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Alfred Wilson, formerly of Bourke-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, but late of "Dorset House," Hurstbridge, in the said State, gentleman, deceased (who died on the twenty-third day of September, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will and the codicil thereto was, on the twenty-sixth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to Frederick Josiah Picher, of number 352 Collins-street, Melbourne, managing clerk, Duncan Taylor, of the Bank of Victoria, Collins-street, Melbourne, bank manager, and Martha Beatrice Wilson, of "Dorset House," Hurstbridge, spinster, the executors and executrix respectively named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims on or before the thirtieth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to Fink, Best, and Hall, of Ludstone Chambers, 352 Collins-street, Melbourne. And notice is hereby given that after the last-mentioned date the said executors and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Alfred Wilson, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors and executrix shall then have had notice; and the said executors and executrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 17th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

FINK, BEST, & HALL, of Ludstone Chambers, 352
Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said execu-
tors and executrix. 5347

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—
FLORENCE ULICK O'SULLIVAN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Florence Ulick O'Sullivan, late of "Omro," Park-street, South Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, medical practitioner, deceased, intestate (who died on the twenty-ninth day of October, 1915, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the fifteenth day of December, 1915, to National Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, of 113 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the said company having been duly authorized to apply for and obtain such letters of administration by Mary Ada O'Sullivan, of "Omro," Park-street, South Melbourne aforesaid, widow of deceased), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, at its above-mentioned address, on or before the twenty-ninth day of January, 1916, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Florence Ulick O'Sullivan, deceased, which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable or answerable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1915.

NOLAN & NOLAN, 408 Collins-street, Melbourne,
proctors for the said company. 5348

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—
JOHAN MACKAY, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Johan Mackay (usually known as Johanna Mackay), late of "St. Andrew," Garton-street, Princes Hill, Carlton, in the State of Victoria, retired school teacher, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of August, 1915, and letters of administration, with the will annexed, of whose estate was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 16th day of December, 1915, to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 412 Collins-street, Melbourne), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the general manager of the said The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, at its said address, on or before the 31st day of January, 1916, after which date the said The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Johan Mackay, deceased, which shall have come to its hands, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1915.

ABBOTT & BECKETT, 470 Chancery-lane, Melbourne,
proctors for the said administrator. 5353

TIMOTHY CULNANE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Timothy Culfane, late of Hargreaves-street, Bendigo, in the State of Victoria, gentleman, deceased (who died on the seventeenth day of May, 1915, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the thirteenth day of July, 1915, to William Henry Taylor, of 270 McCrae-street, Bendigo aforesaid, managing law clerk, and John Francis Kelly, of Hargreaves-street, Bendigo aforesaid, estate agent), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said William Henry Taylor and John Francis Kelly, care of the undersigned, at his office hereunder mentioned, on or before the third day of February, 1916, after which date the said William Henry Taylor and John Francis Kelly will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Timothy Culfane, deceased, which shall have come to their hands, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said William Henry Taylor and John Francis Kelly will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this twentieth day of December, 1915.

J. T. KEANE, B.A., LL.B., Commercial House, Charing
Cross, Bendigo, proctor for the said executors. 5334

RE HARALD CHRISTIAN DANNEVIG, DECEASED.—
STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Harald Christian Dannevig, late of "Cotswold," Toorak-road, Toorak, in the State of Victoria, director of fisheries, deceased, intestate (who died on the fifth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the tenth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, to Annie Dannevig, of 276 Walsh-street, South Yarra, in the State of Victoria, the widow of the said deceased), are hereby requested to send in particulars of such claims or demands, in writing, to the Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, No. 333 Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, on or before the thirty-first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of such creditors and other persons of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be answerable or liable for the claims and demands of such creditors and other persons of which she shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated the fifteenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

BRAHAM & PIRANI, Union Trustee Buildings, No. 331 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said administratrix. 536

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* THOMAS WILES,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Thomas Wiles, late of Whittlesea, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the fourth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will was granted to The Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of number 85 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the executor appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said The Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, on or before Monday, the thirty-first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Wiles which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said company shall then have had notice; and the said company shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this seventeenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

JOHNSON & JOHNSON, Normanby Chambers, Little Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said company. 537

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Hannah Martha Blair, late of "Deon," Stanley-street, Middle Brighton, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of October, 1915, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 10th day of December, 1915, to Elsie Maiden Blair, of "Deon," Stanley-street, Middle Brighton, in the said State, spinster, and George Archibald Ewan, of 74 Broadway, Camberwell, in the said State, accountant), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executors, care of the undersigned, on or before the 27th day of January, 1916, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Hannah Martha Blair, deceased, which shall have come to their hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1915.

HEDDERWICK, FOOKES, & ALSTON, of 103-105 William-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executors. 5359

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Alexander Hogg Scott, formerly of Stony Creek, but late of "Eldridge," Grant-street, Oakleigh, in the State of Victoria, retired farmer (who died on the eighth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State (the executor to whom probate of the will of the said deceased was granted), addressed to the said The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, on or before the twenty-seventh day of January, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Alexander Hogg Scott, deceased, which shall have come to its hands, having regard only to the claims of which the said company shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated the fourteenth day of December, 1915.

BACKHOUSE, SKINNER, & HAMILTON, of Main-street, Foster, and at 317 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the executor. 5363

MONDAY, 24TH JANUARY, 1916.

At Twelve o'clock.

In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of John J. Evans, of Derrinalum, farmer, the said Sheriff will, on Monday, the 24th day of January, 1916, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, cause to be sold, at the Court House, Lydiard-street, Ballarat (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, estate, and interest (if any) of the said John J. Evans in and to all those pieces of land, being Crown allotments one, two A, and two B, of section thirty, parish of Toorlorook, county of Hampden, standing in the register-book in the name of John Johnston Evans; and being part of the land described in the certificate of title entered in the register-book, volume 3559, folio 711775.

N.B.—Terms: Cash on the fall of the hammer. No cheques taken. Other terms declared at time of sale.

Dated at Ballarat this 20th day of December, 1915.

5352 JOHN RODD, Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Hugh Drake, of Lilac-crescent, Brighton, builder, the said Sheriff will, on Monday, the 24th day of January, 1916, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, cause to be sold, at the police station, Brighton (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied, or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, estate, and interest (if any) of the said Hugh Drake in and to all that piece of land, being lots 75, 76, and 77 on plan of subdivision No. 2177, lodged in the Office of Titles, and being part of Dendy's Crown special survey, parish of Moorabbin, county of Bourke, and being the whole of the land described in certificate of title entered in the register-book, volume 3428, folio 685483, together with a right-of-carriage-way over the roads coloured brown on the said plan of subdivision, under and by virtue of a contract of sale, dated the thirtieth day of September, 1912, from William Henry Keast, the registered proprietor of the said land, to the said Hugh Drake, and under and by virtue of a memorandum dated the 11th day of October, 1915, relating to the said contract and the said land, made between the said William Henry Keast and the said Hugh Drake (subject to the rights, if any, of Mrs. Drake and Mrs. Arnel and their assigns, and of David Frankel and his assigns, under the contracts of sale hereinafter mentioned), and also will cause to be sold all the right, title, and interest of the said Hugh Drake in a contract of sale relating to the said land from Hugh Drake to Mrs. Drake and Mrs. Arnel, and in a contract of sale from the said Hugh Drake to L. F. Longley, agent for David Frankel, relating to the said land, dated the 5th day of November, 1915.

N.B.—Terms: Cash.

Dated at Melbourne this 17th day of December, 1915.

5355 C. J. HARDY, Sheriff's Officer.

Mining Notices.

MONARCH GOLD MINING COMPANY N. L.
 An Extraordinary Meeting is hereby convened and will be held at the registered office, Gavan-street, Bright, on Friday, 31st December, 1915, at Ten o'clock, to consider and order on the following business:—1. To pass resolutions to confirm the action of the directors in disposing of the assets of the company. 2. That the company be voluntarily wound up. 3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting. Dated this 9th day of December, 1915. P. J. BREEN, Manager. 5312

MAGPIE GULLY GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company is convened and will be held at the office of the company, 142 Ryrie-street, Geelong, on Thursday, the 30th day of December, 1915, at Three o'clock in the afternoon.

Business:

1. To authorize the directors to mortgage the company's property as security for advances of such sums as may be agreed upon.

2. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
 Dated this 13th day of December, 1915.

By order of the Board,

5315 G. MOORE STRONG, Legal Manager.

COPESE CREEK CENTRAL TIN DREDGING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE OF FIRST CALL ON THE INCREASED CAPITAL.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 1st) of One shilling (1s.) per share (making 6s. paid up) on the increased capital of the above company was made by the directors on the 17th day of December, 1915, and is due and payable to me, at the registered office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before the 12th day of January, 1916.

Dated at Melbourne this 17th day of December, 1915.

By order of the Board,

5345 THOMAS ROLLASON, Manager.

COPESE CREEK CENTRAL TIN DREDGING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**INCREASE OF CAPITAL.**

THOMAS ROLLASON, manager of the above company, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the company was, on the 17th day of December, 1915, resolved on.

The mode adopted for the increase is by raising the amount of each of the thirty thousand (30,000) shares existing in the company from Five shillings (5s.) sterling to Ten shillings (10s.) sterling.

THOMAS ROLLASON, Manager.

Melbourne, 17th December, 1915. 5344

MORNING STAR GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office of the Morning Star Gold Mines No Liability is at 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, and that George Ernest Dickenson has been appointed manager of the said company. Dated this 10th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

(SEAL) L. A. ADAMSON, }
 T. J. GREENWAY, } Directors.

5340 Companies Act 1915.—Tenth Schedule.
MEMORIAL FOR REGISTRATION OF TUMUT GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Tumut Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the Companies Act 1915.

1. The name of the company is to be "Tumut Gold Mining Company No. Liability."

2. The place of operations is near Tumut, New South Wales.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 22 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

4. The value of the company's property, including claim, is Ten thousand pounds.

5. The number of shares in the company is Sixty thousand, of Ten shillings each.

6. The number of shares subscribed for is Fifty thousand.

7. The name of the manager is William Morgan Williams.

8. The names, addresses, and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names, Addresses, Occupations.	Number of Shares.
George Buchanan, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, sharebroker	100
John McConville, Queen's Bridge-street, South Melbourne, machinery merchant	100
Charles Lewis Bryant, Labassa-grove, Caulfield, investor	100
Arthur Vickery, Wanda-grove, East St. Kilda, grazier	100
Ormond H. S. Lockyer, Webster-street, Ballarat, metallurgist	100
William Morgan Williams, 22 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, manager of companies (in trust for shareholders)	49,500
William Morgan Williams, 22 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, manager of companies (in trust for company)	10,000
	60,000

Dated this twenty-first day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. M. WILLIAMS, Manager.

Witness to signature—C. A. EVANS.

I, WILLIAM MORGAN WILLIAMS, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

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

W. M. WILLIAMS.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of December, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen—
 A. G. HARSTON, J.P.

Arthur Phillips, solicitor, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5339

Insolvency Notices.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INTENTION TO DECLARE DIVIDEND.—ALEX. JEWELL MOTOR CO. PTY. LTD. IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First Dividend is intended to be declared in the above matter. All persons claiming to be creditors must prove their debts and establish their claims to my satisfaction by the 6th day of January, 1916, otherwise they will be excluded from this dividend.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1915.

A. S. BLOOMFIELD, Liquidator.

Queensland Buildings, 84 William-street, Melbourne. 5348

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Bendigo.—In the matter of ALFRED JAMES EVANS, of View-street, Bendigo, in the State of Victoria, boot vendor, insolvent.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above-named, whose estate was sequestrated on the fourth day of October, 1915. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the fifth day of January, 1916, will be excluded from this dividend.

Dated this twenty-second day of December, 1915.

H. S. V. BUSST, Assignee, Law Courts, Bendigo. 5326

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Ballarat.—In the matter of DONALD McDONALD, of Carranballac, in the State of Victoria, farmer and grazier, an insolvent.

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above-named, whose estate was sequestrated on the 16th day of June, 1915. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of January, 1916, will be excluded from this dividend.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1915.

T. R. JONES, Assignee, 34 Lydiard-street south, Ballarat. 5330

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

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Dalzell Hind, Ballarat, dentist, whose estate was assigned to me 14th day of April, 1915. Creditors who have not proved their debts by 13th day of January, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1915.

L. I. BARKER, Assignee.
Liverpool Buildings, 153 William-street, Melbourne. 5343

The Insolvency Acts.—In the matter of the assigned estate of HORACE WHITE ANDREWS, of Beechworth, grocer.

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above named, whose estate was assigned for benefit of creditors on 15th day of October, 1915. Creditors who have not proved their debts by 22nd day of December, 1915, will be excluded.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1915.

E. GERALD BALDING, Trustee.
Davey, Balding, and Co., public accountants, South British Buildings, 19 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5354

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Western District, at Hamilton.

A DIVIDEND (First and Final) is intended to be declared in the matter of John Millman, of Hamilton, undertaker, whose estate was assigned on the 28th day of August, 1912. Creditors who do not prove their debts and lodge same with the trustee on or before the 12th day of January, 1916, will be excluded.

E. H. ATKINSON, Trustee.
Thomson-street, Hamilton, 20th December, 1915. 5371

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

FIRST Dividend of 5s. in the £1 in the matter of Matthew Robert Lord and John William Adamson, trading as Lord and Adamson, of Mills-street, Albert Park, in the State of Victoria, grocers, is this day payable at my offices, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1915.
5349 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Northern District, at Shepparton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the £1 in the matter of Frederick Henry Travers Ball, of "Noorilik Park," Arcadia, in the State of Victoria, grazier, is this day payable at my offices, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1915.
5351 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

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

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 1s. 5d. in the £1 in the matter of John Duncan McBride, of Little Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, builder, is this day payable at my offices, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1915.
5350 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

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

A FINAL Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Paul Sennitt, of 39 Harold-street, South Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, manager of an ice works, whose estate was assigned to me on the eighth day of May, 1915. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 5th day of January, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated 22nd December, 1915.

R. J. OEHR, F.I.A.V., Trustee, public accountant, Dominion Chambers, 59 William-street, Melbourne. 5369

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of CHARLES FREDERICK MEEKING, of Warragul, in the State of Victoria, storekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Edward William Small, of Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State, public accountant, have been duly appointed to fill the office of trustee of the estate of the above-named insolvent, and such appointment has been duly confirmed by order of the Court of Insolvency, at Warragul, made the fourteenth day of December, 1915. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the insolvent must deliver them to me as such trustee. Creditors who have not proved their debts should forward their proofs to me.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1915.

EDWARD W. SMALL, F.C.P.A., Trustee; Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5366

Impoundings.

A PSLEY.—Impounded at Apsley, Kowree Shire Pound.

4 merino sheep, full wool—2 wethers, 2 ewes. Ewes have two notches front off ear, wethers two notches back near ear and swallow near ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th January, 1916.

5377—4/8 JOS. WM. LAWRENCE,
Poundkeeper.

BEECH FOREST.—Impounded at Beech Forest, 4th December, 1915.

1 light red and white store cow, ear-mark, swallow and slit near ear, notch top and bottom and top off ear, like HR on off loin, — on near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th January, 1916

5379—5/3 J. R. McCALLUM,
Poundkeeper.

BERWICK.—Impounded at Berwick Shire Pound, by the Ranger.

1 dark-bay spring-cart gelding, star, off hind foot white, like F or B both shoulders, very faint

1 light-bay buggy gelding, small star, no visible brand

1 brown buggy mare, shod, collar-marked, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th January, 1916.

5325—5/10 A. CHALK,
Poundkeeper.

BRANXHOLME.—Impounded at Branzholme, by the Ranger, from Condah Swamp road.

1 roan steer, fork near ear, like U near thigh

1 red heifer, mottled face, back and front notch off ear, L near rump

Also from Carey's Ranges.

1 comeback ewe, front quarter near ear, red AB on rump

1 crossbred wether, three front notches near ear, red brand on rump

1 crossbred wether, same marks as above

1 crossbred wether, three front notches near ear, back notch off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 15th January, 1916.

5329—8/2

HAMILTON.—Impounded at Hamilton Borough Pound, by Mr. D. Cameron, Dunkeld-road.

3 draught colts, white faces and legs, like N near shoulder. One has Mt. Rouse tag No. 1905 with chain on neck, the others have ropes with tags Nos. 153 and 1266

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th January, 1916.

5328—5/3 A. BLOOMFIELD,
Poundkeeper.

KORUMBURRA.—Impounded at Korumburra, 20th December, 1915.

1 yellow or red and white heifer, top slit near, back slit off ear, no visible brand

1 brown and white heifer, star, no visible brand

1 red or yellow and white steer, two top notches both ears, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th January, 1916.

5372—6/5 J. W. CORMACK,
Poundkeeper.

MORNINGTON.—Impounded at Mornington Shire Pound.

1 bay pony gelding, 22 near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th January, 1916.

5327—3/6 B. M. DUNN,
Poundkeeper.

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley, from Meadow Creek.

1 grey piebald pony mare, A4 near shoulder

1 grey pony mare, young, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 15th January, 1916.

5332—4/1 H. WALKER,
Poundkeeper.

SOUTH BARWON.—Impounded at South Barwon Shire Pound.

1 black pony gelding

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 12th January, 1916.

5333—4/1 J. BROSNAN,
Poundkeeper.

TAMBO.—Impounded at Tambo.

- 1 white heifer, notch off ear, V piece underneath near ear, like B near ribs
- 1 white heifer, red ears, notch off ear, V piece underneath near ear, blotch brand like B near ribs
- 1 red and white bally heifer, notch off ear, V piece underneath near ear, like B near ribs
- 1 red and white spotted heifer, notch off ear, V piece underneath near ear, like B near ribs
- 1 red and white bally heifer, notch off ear, V piece underneath near ear, like B near ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th January, 1916.

J. W. BROOK,
Poundkeeper.

5378—11/8

WILLAURA.—Impounded at Willaura.

- 1 Crossbred ewe, front quarter and two front notches, no visible brand
- 2 Crossbred ewe, front quarter and two front notches, no visible brand
- 3 Merino ewe, front quarter near ear, back notch near ear, back notch off ear, no visible brand
- 4 Merino wether, swallow near and off ear, front notch near ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th January, 1916.

- 5 Bay draught gelding, black points, white spots under saddle, like PD near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 10th January, 1915.

D. McK. McDONALD,
Poundkeeper.

5373—9/11

YINNAR.—Impounded at Yinnar, 20th December, 1915, by W. Smith, Morwell Bridge, Driffield.

- 1 Jersey bull, about two years old, WR off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 13th January, 1916.

THOMAS KEOGH,
Poundkeeper.

5380—4/1

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Supply of Provisions for General Stores in such quantities as may be ordered from 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916				
Melbourne District—				
1477	Beer and spirits	Rates as per annex	Purchase	
	Bread, Kew Asylum	Ditto	Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Limited.	
1478	Bread, Yarra Bend Asylum	Ditto	J. N. Hennessy	
1479	Bread, Melbourne	Ditto	Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Limited	
	Butter, cheese, and eggs	Ditto	Purchase	
1480	Flour and maize meal	Ditto	B. E. Johnson	
1481	Meat, Kew Asylum	Ditto	W. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd...	
1482	Meat, Yarra Bend Asylum	Ditto	W. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd...	
1483	Meat, Pentridge Penal Establishment	Ditto	F. Watkins Pty. Ltd.	
1484	Meat, Melbourne Gaol, &c.	Ditto	F. Watkins Pty. Ltd.	
1485	Meat, Richmond House... ..	Ditto	F. Watkins Pty. Ltd.	
1486	Milk, Melbourne Gaol	Ditto	J. Henderson	
	Milk, Richmond House	Ditto	Purchase	
	Milk, Pentridge Penal Establishment	Ditto	Purchase	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Williamstown—For s.s. Lady Loch and Albert.				
1487	Breadstuffs	Ditto	W. J. Elsum	
	Butter	Ditto	Purchase	
1488	Meat	Ditto	Wm. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd.	
	Vegetables	Ditto	Purchase	
Ararat District—				
1489	Breadstuffs	Ditto	Mark Forsyth	
	Butter and cheese	Ditto	Purchase	
1490	Meat	Ditto	A. Murphy	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Beechworth District—				
1491	Breadstuffs	Ditto	Wm. Price	
	Butter and cheese	Ditto	Purchase	
1492	Meat	Ditto	W. H. Morton	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Ballarat District—				
1493	Breadstuffs	Ditto	John Davies	
	Butter and cheese	Ditto	Purchase	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Geelong District—				
1494	Breadstuffs	Ditto	W. Marshall	
	Milk	Ditto	Purchase	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Lara—				
1495	Breadstuffs	Ditto	F. Samblebe	
	Butter and cheese	Ditto	Purchase	
1496	Meat	Ditto	W. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd...	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Sunbury District—				
1497	Breadstuffs	Ditto	Thomas Clyne and Son	
	Butter, cheese, and bacon	Ditto	Purchase	
1498	Meat	Ditto	S. J. Starkie... ..	
	Rabbits	Ditto	Purchase	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	
Bendigo District—				
1499	Bread	Ditto	F. W. Beischer	
1500	Meat	Ditto	Ewing and Kronk	
Castlemaine District—				
	Bread	Ditto	Purchase	
Sala District—				
	Bread	Ditto	Purchase	
Mont Park—				
1501	Breadstuffs	Ditto	Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Ltd.	
1502	Meat	Ditto	Wm. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd.	
	Potatoes	Ditto	Purchase	

Contingencies, 1915-16.

STIPULATIONS FOR SUPPLIES OF PROVISIONS.

(Where practicable, all items must be manufactured or prepared within the Commonwealth.)

Under all Sub-schedules particular attention is drawn to Clause 1 of the Condition as to quality.

BREAD.

Samples of the best ordinarily retailed to the public will be considered as test loaves for first quality for fine wheaten and pure wheaten Meal Bread. Third quality (that issued to prisoners of the Crown) to be made of flour, fine sharps, the produce of prime, strong, thin-skinned, good-coloured wheat, to be perfectly free from coarse pollard or other offal. *Pure wheaten Meal Bread of first quality may be substituted, wholly or in part, for fine wheaten Bread at such times and in such quantities as in the opinion of the Medical Superintendent may be deemed necessary, and the contractor will be required to supply such Bread at the contract rate. Reasonable notice, however, of the intention to substitute wheaten Meal Bread must be given to the contractor by the officer ordering the supply.* Bread may be baked at any Government establishment without infringing these contracts. At the Gaols, Beechworth, Ballarat, Geelong, Bendigo, Castlemaine, and Sale, if required, bread must be supplied one day old, due notice to be given to the contractor of such requirement.

Under sub-schedules for Bread no subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out by the contractor; every person engaged in the manufacture, preparation, or delivery of the bread tendered for in this sub-schedule shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by any Wages Board under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts to which such persons are subject as employees; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which bread is prepared or manufactured under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determinations, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

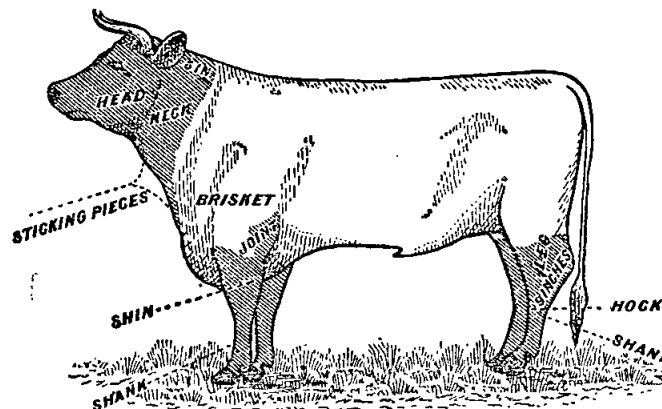
In the event of bread being made at any Government establishment in the Melbourne District, during the currency of these contracts, the flour required will be drawn under the flour and maize meal sub-schedule. The maize meal for all the country gaols is included in the sub-schedule for flour and maize meal, Melbourne District, and delivery of same will be required to be made at the Victorian Railways, Spencer-street.

Should a supply of any article which may be reasonably included in a Baker's Price List, and which is not included in the schedule hereunder, be required for the use of attendants and nurses resident at the Hospitals for the Insane or for inmates of any Government institution drawing supplies under sub-schedules for Bread during the currency of the contract, the contractor shall, with the exception of Ararat, Ballarat, and Beechworth, supply any such article at the current list rates at which it is retailed by the contractor to the public.

MEAT.

When fore and hind-quarters of beef are ordered for Hospitals for the Insane they must be supplied in the proportion of two of the former to one of the latter, and must be delivered as a whole respectively, also extra buttocks separately when ordered. Meat for other institutions must be supplied as ordered. Where hind-quarters or buttocks are ordered, 9 inches must be cut off from the end of the leg from the hock upwards, i.e., the end of the leg from which the shank has been removed at the abattoirs; and when fore-quarters form a portion of the supply, 6 inches from the end of the neck and the whole of the shin at the clodbone joint must be removed. The sticking pieces also must be trimmed off, and the point and end of the brisket rendered free from blood and blood stains.

Fore and hind-quarters, for convenience of handling, may be cut into two parts, but each part is to bear evidence of having been cut from the same beast.



Corned beef, rolled or round, as ordered, must be supplied without bone or cartilage and will be received, whether pumped or prepared in the ordinary way by pickling, but in the former case must have been soaked after pumping for at least 48 hours, in a good pickle, and then thoroughly drained before supply. No flank, chuck, sticking piece, shin, leg of beef, or piece under 7 lbs. will be received.

Should the local supply of fresh meat become scarce, or the price of same become abnormally high, frozen or chilled meat may, with the consent of the Tender Board on the recommendation of the head of the Department, be supplied.

In cases of emergency, or on such other occasions as in the opinion of the Inspector-General of the Insane may seem advisable, other forms of meat such as rabbits, tinned meats, &c., may be purchased apart from the contract for Hospitals for the Insane, in lieu of the meat mentioned in the schedule, and substituted therefor, provided 24 hours' notice (except in cases of emergency) be given to the contractor of such intention.

The parts to be removed by the contractor are indicated by the shaded portions of the annexed diagram.

As regards supplies for s.s. *Lady Loch* and *Albert*, all Meat must be of prime quality, and must be supplied in equal quantities from ribs, sirloin, and thick flanks; mutton to be delivered in sides; all kidney fat to be removed; meat containing an undue proportion of fat will not be accepted. Chuck ribs will not be accepted in lieu of prime ribs. Live sheep to be supplied when required.

Should a supply of any article which may be reasonably included in a Butcher's Small Goods List, and which is not included in the schedule hereunder, be required for the use of attendants and nurses resident at the Hospitals for the Insane or for inmates of any Government Institution drawing supplies under sub-schedules for Meat during the currency of the contract, the contractor shall, with the exception of Ararat, Ballarat, and Beechworth, supply such article at the current list rates at which it is retailed by the contractor to the public.

Under sub-schedules for Meat no subletting will be allowed; no delivery of meat shall be made on Sundays; all work must be carried out by the contractor. Every person engaged in the slaughtering and cutting up, preparation, or delivery of the meat tendered for in this sub-schedule, shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by any Wages Board under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts to which such persons are subject as employees; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which Meat is prepared under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determination, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

MILK.

The milk must be fresh, pure, and of the best quality, and subject to test when required by the Department, and supplied at such times as the Department may require. Should the contractor fail to supply at the time specified in the order or at such times as may be indicated in any general notice to the contractor his contract may be cancelled forthwith and his security forfeited, or should the supply prove to be not of contract quality it will be rejected, and any expense incurred will be charged to the contractor.

Under sub-schedules for Milk no subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out by the contractor; the hours of employment of any person engaged in the preparation or the delivery of the milk tendered for in these schedules shall not exceed 60 hours per week, and every such person, except carters, shall be paid at a minimum wage of not less than £1 17s. 6d. per week, or £1 2s. 6d. per week with board and lodging, unless other wages may be determined by any Special Board under the Factories and Shops Acts during the currency of the contract, when every such person shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as may thus be determined. Carters shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by the Carters Board under the Factories and Shops Acts. Should, however, the determination of the aforesaid Board not apply to the district covered by any particular schedule, that determination for carters, or the determina-

tion of such other Board as may be appointed for other employees during the currency of this contract shall, for the purpose of this contract, be taken as defining the rate of wages which shall be paid, and the conditions of employment in respect thereto; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or dairy (and in each part of the factory or dairy where several rooms are in use) in which milk is prepared under these contracts. Any infringement of these conditions, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

Schedule No. 1.
PROVISIONS—MELBOURNE DISTRICT.

Sub-schedule No. 1.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

BEER AND SPIRITS.
Purchase as required.

1. Ale (pints), English	per doz.	} Purchase as required
2. Brandy, Australian, Standard, pure grape, of proof strength, and of approved brand...	per liq. gal.	
3. " bottled—Hennessy's Three Star, as imported	per bottle	
4. Lime Juice (Imperial quart bottles). Board of Trade Standard	per doz.	
5. Whisky, of proof strength—Loch Dhu, Scotch Cream, or any other brand of equal quality	per liq. gal.	
6. Porter—"Guinness," bottled (quarts)	per doz.	
7. " "Guinness," bottled (pints)	do.	

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1477.

Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Ltd., Vere-street, Richmond.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 2.

BREAD FOR HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE AT KRW.

	Security, £100.	£ s. d.
1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality	per cental	0 11 4

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1478.

J. N. Hennessy, 55 Sydney Road, Brunswick.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 3.

BREAD FOR HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE AT YARRA BEND.

	Security, £100.	£ s. d.
1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality	per cental	0 11 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1479.

Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Ltd., Vere-street, Richmond.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 4.

BREAD FOR DEPARTMENT OF NEGLECTED CHILDREN AND REFORMATORY SCHOOLS, ROYAL PARK; RECEIVING HOUSE AND MENTAL HOSPITAL, ROYAL PARK; POLICE LOCK-UPS; POLICE DEPOT; RICHMOND HOUSE, RICHMOND, ETC.

	Security, £50.	£ s. d.
1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality	per cental	0 11 4
2. " Wheaten, third quality	do.	0 11 4

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 5.

BUTTER, CHEESE, AND EGGS.

1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard	per cwt.	} Purchase as required
2. Cheese—First Class quality	do.	
3. Eggs—Fresh, new laid	per doz.	

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1480.

B. E. Johnson, Northcote.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 6.

FLOUR AND MAIZE MEAL.

	Security, £100.	£ s. d.
1. Flour—Roller, first quality, to sample	per cental	0 13 0
2. " Sharps, to sample	do.	0 12 0
3. Maize meal	do.	0 13 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1481.

Wm. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd., 44 Bourke-street, Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 10.

Security, £150.

MEAT (FROZEN) FOR HOSPITAL FOR INSANE, KFW.

		£ s. d.
1. Fresh Beef—Fore-quarters	per cental	2 6 6
2. " " Hind-quarters	do.	2 6 6
3. " Buttock	do.	2 6 6
4. " Mutton	do.	2 6 6
5. Corned Beef, rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage	do.	2 6 6
6. Fresh Suet—Kidney	do.	2 10 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1482.

Wm. Angliss and Co. Ppy. Ltd., 44 Bourke-street, Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 11.

Security, £120.

MEAT (FROZEN) FOR HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE, YARRA BEND.

		£ s. d.
1. Fresh Beef—Fore-quarters	per cental	2 6 6
2. " " Hind-quarters	do.	2 6 6
3. " Buttock	do.	2 6 6
4. " Mutton	do.	2 6 6
5. Corned Beef, rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage	do.	2 6 6
6. Fresh Suet—Kidney	do.	2 10 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1483.

F. Watkins Pty. Ltd., 316 Moray-street, South Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 12.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED), FOR PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, PENTRIDGE.

	Security, £100.	£ s. d.
1. Fresh Beef—Fore-quarters	per cental	2 10 0
2. " Buttock	do.	2 10 0
3. Corned Beef	do.	2 10 0
4. Fresh Mutton	do.	2 10 0
5. Dripping	do.	2 10 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1484.

F. Watkins Pty. Ltd., 316 Moray-street, South Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 13.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED), FOR MELBOURNE GAOL; POLICE BARRACKS, ST. KILDA-ROAD; DEPARTMENT FOR NEGLECTED CHILDREN AND REFORMATORY SCHOOLS, ROYAL PARK; RECEIVING HOUSE, AND MENTAL HOSPITAL, ROYAL PARK.

	Security, £50.	£ s. d.
1. Fresh Beef	per cental	2 10 0
2. " Buttock	do.	2 10 0
3. " Mutton	do.	2 10 0
4. Corned Beef, rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage	do.	2 10 0
5. Fresh Suet—Kidney	do.	2 10 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1485.

F. Watkins Pty. Ltd., 316 Moray-street, South Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 13A.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED) FOR RICHMOND HOUSE.

	Security, £50.	£ s. d.
1. Fresh Beef	per cental	3 0 0
2. " Buttock	do.	3 0 0
3. " Mutton	do.	2 15 0
4. Corned Beef, rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage	do.	3 0 0
5. Fresh Suet—Kidney	do.	3 0 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1486.

J. Henderson, 183 Macpherson-street, North Carlton.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 14.

MILK FOR MELBOURNE GAOL.

	Security £10.	£ s. d.
1. Milk—Fresh and pure, per gal.		0 1 4

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule 15.

MILK FOR RICHMOND HOUSE, RICHMOND.

1. Milk—Fresh and pure	per gal.	Purchase
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(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)
Sub-schedule No. 16.

(MILK FOR PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, PENTRIDGE.)

- 1. Milk—Fresh and pure ... per gal. Purchase

Schedule No. 2:

PROVISIONS AT WILLIAMSTOWN.

(For s.s. Lady Loch and Albert.)

(Supplies for Naval Forces are not included in this Schedule.)
(Supplies to be delivered on board the Vessels.)

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1487.

W. G. Ellum, 162 Stevedore-street, North Williamstown.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £10. £ s. d.

- 1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 14 7
- 2. Flour—First quality ... do. 0 12 6

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER.

- 1. Butter—First-class Creamery, to score not less than 92 points Government grade Commerce Regulations standard ... per lb. Purchase as required.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1488.

Wm. Angliss and Co. Pty. Ltd., 44 Bourke-street, Melbourne.

(From 1st January 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 4.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

Security, £10. £ s. d.

- 1. Fresh Beef ... per cental 2 10 0
- 2. " Mutton ... do. 2 10 0
- 3. " Suet ... per lb. 0 0 6

(From 1st January 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 5.

VEGETABLES.

Security, £5.

- 1. Potatoes ... per cental
- 2. Onions ... do. } Purchase as required.
- 3. Other vegetables, including cauliflowers, carrots, cabbages, turnips, and parsnips, as required do. }

Schedule No. 3.

PROVISIONS—ARARAT DISTRICT.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1489.

M. Forsyth, Ararat.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £100. £ s. d.

- 1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 11 11 1/2
- 2. " Wheaten; third quality ... do. 0 11 5 1/2
- 3. Flour—First quality ... do. 0 11 6

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

- 1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard ... per cwt. Purchase as required.
- 2. Cheese—First-class quality ... do. }

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1490.

Arthur Murphy, Barkly-street, Ararat.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 3.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

Security, £100. £ s. d.

- 1. Fresh Beef—Fore-quarters ... per cental 1 17 6
- 2. " " Hind-quarters ... do. 2 0 0
- 3. " " Buttocks ... do. 2 2 0
- 4. " Mutton ... do. 1 19 7
- 5. Corned Beef—Rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage ... do. 1 17 6
- 6. Fresh Suet—Kidney ... do. 1 13 0

Sub-schedule No. 6.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

POTATOES.

- 1. Potatoes ... per cental Purchase as required.

Schedule No. 4.

PROVISIONS—BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1491.

Wm. Price, Beechworth.

(From 1st July, 1916, to 31st December, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £100. £ s. d.

- 1. Bread—Fine wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 10 6
- 2. " Wheaten, third quality ... do. 0 10 0
- 3. Flour—First quality ... do. 0 10 0

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

- 1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points, Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard ... per cwt. Purchase as required.
- 2. Cheese—First-class quality ... do. }

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1492.

W. H. Morton, One Mile, Beechworth.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 3.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

Security, £100. £ s. d.

- 1. Fresh Beef, Fore-quarters ... per cental 2 15 11
- 2. " " Hind-quarters ... do. 2 15 11
- 3. " " Buttocks ... do. 2 15 11
- 4. " Mutton ... do. 2 15 11
- 5. Corned Beef—rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage ... do. 2 15 11
- 6. Fresh Suet—Kidney ... per lb. 0 0 6

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 5.

POTATOES.

- 1. Potatoes ... per cental Purchase as required.

Schedule No. 5.

PROVISIONS AT BALLARAT.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1493.

John Davies, 47 Eureka-street, Ballarat.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £80. £ s. d.

- 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 12 6
- 2. " Wheaten, third quality ... do. 0 12 6
- 3. Flour—First quality ... do. 0 13 6

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.
BUTTER AND CHEESE.

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| 1. Butter—First-grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points, Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard per cwt. | } Purchase as required. |
| 2. Cheese—First-class quality do. | |

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 6.
POTATOES.

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| 1. Potatoes | per cental | Purchase as required. |
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Schedule No. 6.

PROVISIONS AT GEELONG:

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1494.
W. Marshall, 150 Malop-street, Geelong.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

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|--------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality per cental | 0 11 11½ | £. s. d. |
| 2. " Wheaten, third quality do. | 0 11 11½ | |

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 4.

MILK.

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| 1. Milk—Fresh and pure | per gallon | Purchase |
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(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 5.

POTATOES.

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| 1. Potatoes | per cental | Purchase |
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Schedule No. 7.

PROVISIONS AT LARA:

(Delivery at the Inebriates' Retreat.)
ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1495.
F. Samblebe, Lara.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

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|--------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality per cental | 0 15 6. | £ s. d. |
| 2. Flour—First quality do. | 0 12 6. | |

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

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| 1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard per cwt. | } Purchase as required. |
| 2. Cheese—First-class quality do. | |

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1496.

W. Angliss and Co. Pty. Ltd., 44 Bourke-street, Melbourne.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 3.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

Security, £20.

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|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------|---------|
| 1. Fresh Beef | per cental | 2 19 4- | £ s. d. |
| 2. " Mutton | do. | 2 10 0 | |
| 3. " Tripe, Sausages, Kidneys, and Liver, as ordered | do. | 2 14 2 | |

Schedule No. 8.

PROVISIONS—SUNBURY DISTRICT.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1497.

T. Clyne and Son, Sunbury.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £100. £ s. d.

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|--------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality per cental | 0 12 4 |
| 2. Flour—First quality do. | 0 13 0 |

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER, CHEESE, AND BACON:

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| 1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard per cwt. | } Purchase as required. |
| 2. Cheese—First-class quality do. | |
| 3. Bacon—Shoulders do. | |

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1498.

S. J. Starkie, Sunbury.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 3.

Security, £80. £ s. d.

MEAT (FROZEN).

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| 1. Fresh Beef—Fore-quarters per cental | 2 12 6 |
| 2. " " Hind-quarters do. | 2 12 6 |
| 3. " " Buttocks do. | 2 12 6 |
| 4. " Mutton do. | 2 12 6 |
| 5. Corned Beef—Rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage do. | 2 12 6 |

Sub-schedule No. 7.

POTATOES.

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| 1. Potatoes | per cental | Purchase |
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Schedule No. 9.

PROVISIONS—BENDIGO DISTRICT.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1499.

F. W. Beischer, Bridge-street, Bendigo.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

Security, £5. £ s. d.

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| 1. Bread—Wheaten, third quality per cental | 0 14 6 |
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ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1500.

Ewing and Kronk, Williamson-street, Bendigo.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

MEAT.

Security, £5. £ s. d.

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| 1. Fresh Beef | per cental | 2 18 4 |
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Schedule No. 10.

PROVISIONS—CASTLEMARINE DISTRICT.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule: No. 1.

BREAD.

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| 1. Bread—Wheaten, third quality | per cental | Purchase |
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Schedule No. 11.

PROVISIONS AT SALE.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

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| 1. Bread—Wheaten, third quality | per lb. | Purchase |
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Schedule No. 18.

PROVISIONS—MONT PARK.

(Delivery at the Hospital for Insane.)

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1501.

Civil Service Co-operative Society of Victoria Ltd., Vere-street, Richmond.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £30. £ s. d.

- 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 11 4
- 2. Flour—First quality " 0 13 0

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1502.

W. Angiss and Co. Pty. Ltd., 44 Bourke-street, Melbourne.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 5.

Security, £30. £ s. d.

MEAT (FROZEN).

- 1. Fresh Beef—Forequarters per cental 2 6 6
- 2. " " Hindquarters do. 2 6 6
- 3. " " Buttocks do. 2 6 6
- 4. " Mutton do. 2 6 6
- 5. Corned Beef—Rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage do. 2 6 6
- 6. Fresh Beef Suet—Kidney do. 2 18 4

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 6.

POTATOES.

- 1. Potatoes per cental Purchase

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charge against Vote or Fund.
	PROVISIONS— Supply of Provisions in such quantities as may be ordered for the use of the Students' School of Forestry, Creswick, for periods mentioned hereunder—			
1503	Breadstuffs	Rates as per annex	C. C. Bowley	Contingencies, 1915-16.
1504	Meat	Ditto	Wood Bros.	

Approved—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 21.12.1915.

Schedule No. 19.

PROVISIONS AT CRESWICK FOR STUDENTS AT THE SCHOOL OF FORESTRY.

(Delivery at the School.)

Particular attention is drawn to Clause 1 of the Conditions as to quality.

Where practicable all items must be manufactured or prepared within the Commonwealth.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1503.

C. C. Bowley, Creswick.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.

Security, £10.

No subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out by the contractor. Every person engaged in the manufacture, preparation, or delivery of the bread tendered for in this sub-schedule shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by any Wages Board, under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts; to which such persons are subject as employees; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which bread is prepared or manufactured under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determinations, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

Pure wheaten meal bread of first quality may be substituted, wholly or in part, for fine wheaten bread at such times as may be deemed necessary, and the contractor will be required to supply such bread at the contract rate. Reasonable notice, however, of the intention to substitute wheaten meal bread must be given to the contractor by the officer ordering the supply.

Samples of the best ordinarily retailed to the public will be considered as test loaves for first quality.

- 1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 17 8
- 2. Flour—First quality do. 0 14 4

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1916/1504.

Wood Bros., Creswick.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 4.

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

Security, £10.

No subletting will be allowed; no delivery of meat shall be made on Sundays; all work must be carried out by the contractor. Every person engaged in the slaughtering and cutting-up, preparation, or delivery of the meat tendered for in this sub-schedule shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by any Wages Board under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts to which such persons are subject as employees; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which meat is prepared under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determination, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement and in all other respects.

Meat must be supplied as ordered. Where hindquarters or buttocks are ordered, 9 inches must be cut off from the end of the leg from the hock upwards, i.e., the end of the leg from which the shank has been removed at the abattoirs; and when forequarters form a portion of the supply, 6 inches from the end of the neck and the whole of the shin at the clodbone joint must be removed. The sticking pieces also must be trimmed off, and the point and end of the brisket rendered free from blood and blood stains.

Fore and hind quarters, for convenience of handling, may be cut into two parts, but each part is to bear evidence of having been cut from the same beast.

Corned beef (rolled or round as ordered) must be supplied without bone or cartilage, and will be received, whether pumped or prepared in the ordinary way by pickling, but in the former case must have been soaked, after pumping, for at least 48 hours in a good pickle, and then thoroughly drained before supply. No flank, chuck, sticking-piece, shin, leg of beef, or piece under 7 lbs. will be received.

Should the local supply of fresh meat become scarce, or the price of same become abnormally high, frozen or chilled meat may, with the consent of the Tender Board on the recommendation of the head of the Department, be supplied.

In cases of emergency, or on such other occasions as in the opinion of the Superintendent may seem advisable, other forms of meat, such as rabbits, tinned meats, &c., may be purchased apart from the contract in lieu of the meat mentioned in the Schedule, and substituted therefor, provided 24 hours' notice—except in cases of emergency—be given to the contractor of such intention.

The parts to be removed by the contractor are indicated by the shaded portions of the annexed diagram.

1. Fresh Beef—Forequarter	...	per lb.	£	s.	d.
2. " " Hindquarter	...	do.	0	0	9
3. " " Buttocks	...	do.	0	0	9½
4. " Mutton	...	do.	0	0	9
5. Corned Beef, rolled or round, as ordered without bone or cartilage	...	do.	0	0	10
6. Pork (Leg)	...	do.	0	1	0
7. Fresh Suet—Kidney	...	do.	0	0	8

Sub-schedule No. 6.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916)

POTATOES.

Potatoes to be dry and free from dirt. Contractor to supply 105 lbs. of potatoes for each cental credited to him, and, in addition, to take back all rejected before being cooked.

If the price of potatoes becomes abnormally high, the heads of the various Departments concerned may, if they think fit, cause rice or any other suitable food to be occasionally substituted in lieu thereof.

1. Potatoes	...	per cental	Purchase
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PROVISIONS FOR ABORIGINES AT THE UNDERMENTIONED STATIONS.
CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
	PROVISIONS— Supply of Provisions for Aborigines at the undermentioned Stations as may be required for period mentioned hereunder:—			
1605	Coranderk— Bread	Rates as per Annex	S. A. Baptie	Contingencies 1915-16.
...	Lake Tyers— Bread	Ditto	Purchase	
...	Lake Condah— Bread	Ditto	Purchase	
...	Bread	Ditto	Purchase	

Approved.—A. J. FRASER, Treasurer. 21.12.1916.

1915-16.

Schedule No. 15.

PROVISIONS FOR ABORIGINES AT THE UNDERMENTIONED STATIONS.

Particular attention is drawn to clause 1 of the conditions as to quality.

Where practicable, all items must be manufactured and prepared within the Commonwealth.

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Contract No. 1916/1505.—Coranderk—S. A. Baptie, Nicholson-street, Healesville ... Security, £2
Lake Tyers—Purchase.
Lake Condah—Purchase.

No subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out by the contractor; every person engaged in the manufacture, preparation, or delivery of the bread tendered for in this sub-schedule shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by the Bread or Bread Carters Board, or by the Court of Industrial Appeals, as the case may be, under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts. Should, however, the determinations of the aforesaid Boards or Court not apply to the district covered by this particular schedule, then those determinations shall, for the purpose of these contracts, be taken as defining the rate of wages which shall be paid and the conditions of employment in respect thereto; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which bread is prepared or manufactured under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determination, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

The contractor shall, before any account is passed for payment, furnish a statutory declaration that all the workmen under this contract have been employed in accordance with the above clause of these conditions, and have been paid not less than the minimum rate of wages for such workmen as is provided under that clause.

Samples of the best ordinary retailed to the public will be considered as test loaves for first quality.

Item No.	Article.	Contract No. 1505. S. A. Baptie, Coranderk (Healesville).	Lake Tyers, Purchase.	Lake Condah (Mill- town) Purchase.
1	Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality	£ s. d. 0 13 0	...	£ s. d. —

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS, AT SANATORIUM AT GREENVALE, FOR THE PERIOD SPECIFIED HEREUNDER:—				
1506	Breadstuffs	Per annex	J. Anderson	Contingencies, 1915-16.
...	Butter, &c.	"	Purchase	
1507	Meat	"	R. Cargill	

Approved.—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 21.12.1915

Schedule No. 17.

PROVISIONS AT GREENVALE.

(Delivery at the Sanatorium.)

Particular attention is drawn to clause 1 of the conditions as to quality.

Where practicable, all items must be manufactured or prepared within the Commonwealth.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT NO. 1916/1506.

J. Anderson, Broadmeadows.

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREADSTUFFS.
Security, £20.

No subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out by the contractor; every person engaged in the manufacture, preparation, or delivery of the bread tendered for in this sub-schedule shall be paid such wages and shall be employed subject to such conditions as are or may be determined by any Wages Board, as the case may be, under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts to which such persons are subject as employees; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted in legible Roman characters in the factory or shop (and in each part of the factory or shop where several rooms are in use) in which bread is prepared or manufactured under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, or any breach of the said determinations, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money, and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects. Samples of the best ordinary retailed to the public will be considered as test loaves for first quality.

Pure wheaten meal bread of first quality may be substituted wholly or in part for fine wheaten bread at such times and in such quantities as in the opinion of the Medical Superintendent may be deemed necessary, and the contractor will be required to supply such bread at the contract rate. Reasonable notice, however, of the intention to substitute wheaten meal bread must be given to the contractor by the officer ordering the supply.

£ s. d.

1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental 0 16 8

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 2.

BUTTER, CHEESE, AND BACON.

1. Butter—First Grade Creamery, to score not less than 92 points, Government grade, Commerce Regulations standard } Purchase as required.
 2. Cheese—First-class quality per cwt.
 3. Bacon—sides, Farmer's, Hutton's, or Cation and Hilton's, as ordered ... per cwt.

£ s. d.
 1. Fresh Ox Beef—Roast per cental 3 2 0
 2. " " Steak, for frying—Buttock and blade in equal proportions ... do. 3 2 0
 3. Fresh Ox Beef Steak—Stewing ... do. 2 10 0
 4. Corned Ox Beef—Rolled or round, as ordered, without bone or cartilage ... do. 3 0 0
 5. Tripe, Ox (during winter) per lb. 0 0 5
 6. Pork—Pickled do. 0 0 10
 7. Fresh Beef Suet—Kidney do. 0 0 6
 8. Sausages—Beef (during winter) do. 0 0 5

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
PROVISIONS.—SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS FOR THE UNDERMENTIONED PLACES AS MAY BE REQUIRED FOR THE PERIOD SPECIFIED HEREUNDER.				
...	RUTHERGLEN— Bread	Rates as per annex	Purchase	Contingencies, 1915-16.
...	WARGUNYAH— Bread	"	Purchase	
...	Meat	"	Purchase	
...	WYUNA— Bread	"	Purchase	
...	Meat	"	Purchase	

Approved.—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 21.12.1915.

Schedule No. 12.

PROVISIONS AT RUTHERGLEN.

(For Students at Viticultural College. Delivery at the College.)

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

(Purchase as required.)

1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental Purchase

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 3.

MEAT.

(Purchase as required.)

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| 1. Beef—Fresh | ... | ... | per cental | } Purchase as required. |
| 2. Pork—Fresh | ... | ... | do. | |
| 3. Sausages | ... | ... | do. | |
| 4. Tongues—Ox | ... | ... | each | |
| 5. " Sheep | ... | ... | per dozen | |
| 6. Tails—Ox | ... | ... | each | |
| 7. Kidneys—Ox | ... | ... | do. | |
| 8. Shins—Ox | ... | ... | do. | |
| 9. Lambs' Frys | ... | ... | do. | |

Schedule No. 14.

PROVISIONS AT WYUNA.

(For the Wyuna Irrigation Farm. Delivery at the Farm.)

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental Purchase

Schedule No. 13.

PROVISIONS AT WAHGUNYAH.

FOR STUDENTS AT WAHGUNYAH VINE NURSERY.

(Delivery at Nursery.)

(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

Sub-schedule No. 1.

BREAD.

(Purchase as required.)

1. Bread—Fine Wheaten, first quality ... per cental Purchase

Sub-schedule No. 3.
(From 1st January, 1916, to 30th June, 1916.)

MEAT (FRESHLY KILLED).

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|---------------|-----|-----|------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Beef—Fresh | ... | ... | per cental | } Purchase as required. |
| 2. Sausages | ... | ... | per lb. | |
| 3. Tongues—Ox | ... | ... | each | |
| 4. Tails—Ox | ... | ... | do. | |
| 5. Kidneys—Ox | ... | ... | do. | |
| 6. Shins—Ox | ... | ... | do. | |
| 7. Liver, Ox | ... | ... | per lb. | |

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