



NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT GAZETTE,

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PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency SIR GEORGE GIPPS, Knight, Captain-General, and Governor in Chief of the Territory of New South Wales and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same, &c. &c. &c.

WHEREAS by an Act or Ordinance of the Governor and Legislative Council, passed in the present year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "*An Act to amend an Act for the better regulating the Courts of Requests in New South Wales*," it is amongst other things enacted, that Courts of Requests shall be holden at such places and times as the increase in the population may require, and as the Governor of New South Wales, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, may deem expedient :

Now, therefore, I, the GOVERNOR aforesaid, with the advice of the said Executive Council, do hereby determine and appoint that Courts of Civil Jurisdiction, to be called Courts of Requests, shall be holden at the town of Gosford, in the county of Northumberland ; at the town of Newcastle, in the county of Northumberland ; at the town of Maitland, in the county of Northumberland ; at the town of Scone, in the county of Durham ; at the town of Bathurst, in the county of Roxburgh ; at the town of Berrima, in the county of Camden ; at the town of Goulburn, in the county of Argyle ; at the town of Yass, in the county of King ; and at the town of Geelong, in the county of Grant, on the first Monday and following days, in the months of January, April, July, and October, in each and every year, respectively.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at Government House, Sydney, this Twenty-ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and forty.

(L. s.) (Signed) "GEORGE GIPPS."

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 26th December, 1840.*

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned

Gentleman to be a Magistrate of the Territory and its Dependencies, viz :—

PETER MACARTHUR, of Bathurst, Esquire.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 22nd December, 1840.*

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS ALLMAN, Junior, Esquire, to be Police Magistrate at Muswellbrook, from the 10th instant.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 24th December, 1840.*

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint

Mr. WILLIAM CURTIS

Clerk of Petty Sessions, and Registrar of the Court of Requests, at Bathurst, in the room of Mr. Wright, resigned.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. DEAS THOMSON.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th December, 1840.*

SLAUGHTER HOUSE.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR directs it to be notified, that

MR. FREDERICK MEREDTH

has been appointed Inspector of Slaughter Houses, and of Cattle intended for slaughter, in the District of LIVERPOOL, in the room of Walter Shutt.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 23rd December, 1840.*

ACTS OF COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR directs it to be notified that the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has intimated that HER MAJESTY has been graciously pleased to approve and confirm the undermentioned Acts,

passed by the Legislative Council of this Colony, during the Session of 1839, viz.:—

- (1.) "*An Act for facilitating Proceedings by and against the 'Sydney Alliance Marine and Fire and Life Assurance Company.'*" Dated the 28th August, 1839.)
- (2.) "*An Act for facilitating Proceedings by and against a certain Banking Company, called the 'Union Bank of Australia,' and for other purposes therein mentioned.*" (Dated 5th September, 1839.)
- (3.) "*An Act to amend an Act intituled, 'An Act for lighting with Gas the Town of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales; and to enable certain persons associated under the name, style, and firm of the Australian Gas-Light Company, to sue and be sued in the name of the Secretary for the time being of the said Company, and for other purposes therein mentioned.'*" (Dated 18th September, 1839.)

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 23rd December, 1840.

ACTS OF COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR directs it to be notified that the Right Honorable the Secretary of State has signified HER MAJESTY'S disallowance of the following Acts, passed by the Legislative Council of this Colony during the year 1839, viz.:—

- (1.) 3rd Victoria, No. 8.—"*An Act to amend an Act, intituled, 'An Act for Registering Deeds and Conveyances in New South Wales, and for other purposes; and to prevent Convicts under sentence from acting as Conveyancers.'*" (Dated 10th September, 1839.)
- (2.) 3rd Victoria, No. 16.—"*An Act to allow the Aboriginal Natives of New South Wales to be received as competent witnesses in criminal cases.*" (Dated 8th October, 1839.)
- (3.) "*An Act to enable the Proprietors of a certain Banking Company, carried on in the Town of Bathurst, in the Colony of New South Wales, under the name, style, and firm of 'The Bathurst Bank,' to sue and be sued in the name of the President of the said Company for the time being; and for other purposes therein mentioned.*" (Dated 19th November, 1839.)

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th December, 1840.

SUPREME COURT.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Colonial Legislature, 4 Victoria, No. 22, intituled "*An Act to provide for the more effectual administration of Justice in New South Wales and its Dependencies,*" the following General Rules and Orders in the Equitable Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, have been transmitted to His Excellency by His Honor the Chief Justice, and will be forwarded, as soon as convenient may be, to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies for Her Majesty's approval or disallowance thereof.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Equitable Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.

REGULÆ GENERALES.

It is ordered, that in pursuance of the Act 4 Victoria, No 22, the following additional Rules of Practice in the Equitable Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court be adopted.

(Plea and Answers may be sworn before the Master.)

I. That all "Pleas" required to be put on oath, and all "Answers" may henceforth be taken, not only before the Commissioner, but also before the Master, or either of them.

(Appeals.)

II. That the 28th of the standing Rules touching re-hearings be, and the same is hereby, repealed, and that the following Rules be substituted in lieu thereof, viz.:—That any person intending to appeal, under the 21st section of the Act 4 Victoria, No. 22, from any Decree or Order of the Judges presiding in Equity, shall within seven days next after making or pronouncing of such Decree or Order, give notice in writing of such his intention to the opposite party, and also to such Judge, and that the appeal itself shall be entered and filed in the office of the Master, within the time in that behalf limited by the said Act, and that such appeal shall be signed by two Barristers at Law, and shall specially set forth the grounds and reasons of and for such appeal; and there shall be annexed thereto (where practicable) a copy of the Decree or Order so appealed from; and that a copy of such appeal shall, within seven days next after such entry of the same, be delivered to the Equity Judge, and a like copy to each of the other Judges, and within the like time be served also on the opposite party, or his solicitor.

(Security not being given appeal abandoned.)

III. That unless such security be given to prosecute such appeal with effect, as is next after mentioned, within the time in that behalf limited by the aforesaid Act, such appeal shall be deemed and taken to have been abandoned.

(Mode of Giving security.)

IV. That such security for prosecuting the appeal as aforesaid, shall be by Bond, in such reasonable sum, having regard to the value of the matter or thing in dispute, and to the nature of the question under appeal, as the Master shall for that purpose in each case determine, and shall be executed by the party appealing, and two sureties to be approved of by such Master, and shall be to the effect prescribed by the said section, and in such form as the Master shall for that purpose in each case direct; such Bond to be in each case to the adverse party, his, or her Executors, and Administrators, and to be held by the Master for his, her, or their use, in case such Decree or Order shall on such appeal be affirmed.

(Hearing Appeal.)

V. That an appointment shall, as soon afterwards as possible, be procured through the Master from the Judges to whom such appeal shall be addressed, for a day to be appointed for the hearing of the matters of such appeal, of which appointment not less than four days' notice shall be given to the adverse party, on which day the Master shall attend such Judges, and such proceedings shall be taken thereon, and such orders

made from time, to time as such Judges shall think proper until such appeal shall be by them finally determined, and the decision on such appeal shall be retained by the said Master with the other proceedings in the cause.

(Proceedings in Master's Office.)

VI. That all evidence taken in Court, on the hearing, and all affidavits previously used in the cause, and filed with the Master may be used by and before such Master in all references to and proceedings before him; and that when any other or further evidence may be required on any such reference or proceeding, it shall be lawful for the Master to take the same *viva voce*: Provided, that all such evidence be thereupon taken down in writing and afterwards signed by the witnesses respectively.

(Fees.)

VII. That (except in so far as the same are otherwise altered either by the said standing Rules of this Court, or by these Rules), the course of practice and the form and manner of proceeding which were in force on the first day of January, 1838, in the High Court of Chancery in England, and in the Masters and other offices there, shall henceforth be in force, and the same are (except as aforesaid) hereby adopted and established as the course of practice and forms and manner of proceeding in this Court, in the Equitable Jurisdiction thereof, in the Master's Office and otherwise; and the same Fees or sums on warrants, and for copies of proceedings and otherwise, in the said Master's Office, shall be paid and taken in, or in respect of the like proceedings in the said High Court of Chancery in England.

(References to Chief Clerk.)

VIII. That when any matter heretofore referred to the Chief Clerk shall not have been actually proceeded in before him, the same shall be transferred to and proceeded in by the Master: Provided that when any matter has been already partly proceeded in before the said Chief Clerk, then the same shall be continued by him.

(Signed) "JAMES DOWLING," C. J.
December 22, 1840.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th December, 1840.

CONTRACTS FOR 1841.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tenders will be received at this Office, until Monday, the 28th January, at twelve o'clock, for furnishing the supplies required for the Colonial service, in the districts of Dungog, Wollombi, Paterson, Score, and Cassilis, during the year 1841.

The Rations and conditions are those specified in the Notice from this Office, dated 1st September, 1840.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 23rd December, 1840.

ASSIGNMENT OF FEMALE CONVICTS.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, that the charges specified in the Notice inserted in the *Government Gazette* of the 25th November 1840, on the assignment of women, are to be paid as follows, viz:—

By application in Sydney only, the sum of Ten Shillings is to be paid at the Police Office, on

the application being approved by the Magistrates.

By applicants of Country Towns, the sum of Five Shillings is to be paid at the Factory on the discharge of the women assigned.

The Bench of Magistrates in Sydney will not forward any application to the Factory at Parramatta until the sum of Ten Shillings shall have been paid therein at the Police Office; and they will cause a note to be made on the application that the money has been paid.

The Country Benches of Magistrates recommending applications, will state on the face of them, whether the parties are to be required to pay the established sum of Five Shillings, or whether no charge is to be made.—The Applicant residing at least two miles beyond the boundaries or reputed boundaries of any town.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th December, 1840.

CONVEYANCE OF COALS FROM NEWCASTLE TO SYDNEY.

CONVEYANCE being required for the Coals necessary for the Colonial service, during the year 1841, from the wharf or usual loading place at Newcastle, to the Soldier's Point in Darling Harbour, Sydney, persons disposed to furnish the same are requested to transmit Tenders to this Office on Tuesday the 19th of January, endorsed "*Tender for conveyance of Coals*," specifying the rate per ton for the Coals delivered at the Government Yard.

The vessels conveying the coals, when exclusively employed for the Government, will be subject to no detention, but will have precedence given to them in taking in their cargoes.

Parties Tendering, or their Agents, are requested to attend at this Office on the day appointed for opening the Tenders.

Further particulars may be obtained on application at the Office of the Colonial Storekeeper in the Dock Yard.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 29th December, 1840.

SALE OF SPIRITS.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR directs it to be notified, that he has been pleased to declare the Town of Portland, in the district of Port Phillip, to be within the operation of the second clause of the Act of the Governor and Council, 2 Victoria, No. 18, intituled "*An Act for consolidating and amending the laws relating to the Licensing of Public Houses, and for further regulating the sale and consumption of fermented and spirituous liquors in New South Wales*," which clause permits the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors in quantities not less than two gallons.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 26th December, 1840.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct the republication of the

accompanying notice relative to the establishment of two Beacons, as guides to vessels approaching Gage's Roads, through the southern passage near Rottneest Island, Western Australia, together with the necessary sailing instructions for vessels approaching that Island.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 15th October, 1840.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR, in directing the publication of a communication which has been received from the Hon. the Surveyor-General relative to the establishment of two beacons as guides to vessels approaching Gage's Roads through the Southern passage, near Rottneest, together with the necessary sailing instructions for vessels approaching this Island, avails himself of the opportunity thus afforded him of expressing his high sense of the important and valuable services rendered on this occasion by Captain Wickham, aided by the zealous co-operation of Lieut. Stokes, and the officers and crew of H. M. S. *Beagle*, whereby a lasting benefit has been conferred, not only on the inhabitants of Western Australia, but to all persons in any way connected with commerce and navigation in these seas.

By His Excellency's Command,
PETER BROWN.

Surrey Office,
Perth, 15th October, 1840.

SIR,—I have the honor to report, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, my return yesterday evening, in H. M. S. *Beagle*, from Rottneest Island, where, by the kindness of Capt. Wickham, and the zealous co-operation of Lieut. Stokes, and the officers and crew of that ship, two very serviceable beacons have been erected upon Duck Rock and Fisherman's Rock, for pointing out the best navigation into Gage's Roads through the Southern passage, near Rottneest. These sea-marks, and the admirable chart of the Island and passage, constructed by the indefatigable perseverance of Lieut. Stokes and his assistants, have enabled me to forward to His Excellency the enclosed sailing directions for the vicinity of Rottneest, which I beg leave to recommend should be made public as early and extensively as possible, no minute chart or instructions for that navigation having hitherto been published for the guidance of mariners.

J. S. ROE,
Surveyor-General.

To the Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

SAILING DIRECTIONS FOR THE NAVIGATION ABOUT ROTTNEEST ISLAND.

ROTTNEEST ISLAND, 6 miles in length E. by N. and W. by S. with an extreme breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles, has an irregular hummocky surface, not much wooded, and may now be distinguished from Garden Island, and the contiguous main land by a white obelisk, 15 feet in height, with a pole in the middle, of the same length, which has recently been erected on its highest part near the centre of the Island. This Sea-mark, being elevated above 157 feet above the

level of the sea, may be seen from a ship's deck in clear weather, at the distance of 7 or 8 leagues, and will shortly give place to a light-house of greater elevation. Its position according to observations in H. M. S. *Beagle*, is latitude 32° 0m. 14s. south; longitude 115° 29m. 6s. east from Greenwich.

To round the Island on its north side, a ship should not approach nearer than one mile, in order to avoid the Horseshoe Rock, which lies $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile off shore, at the distance of two miles N. 39° E. from the Island's west extremity, and Roe's Reef, situate $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile N. 16° W. from a small rock with a cask beacon upon it, about half a cable's length from the Island's N. E. point. The beacon is upon Duck Rock, and the projection near it is Bathurst Point. A ship will be clear to the northward of Horseshoe Rock, while Duck Rock beacon is kept open of the north point of Rottneest; and Roe's Reef may be cleared on the north by keeping the west end of Rottneest (Cape Vlaming), open of the north point, until Duck Rock bears south; a course may then be shaped about E. by S. for a remarkable white sand patch on the main, which will be distinctly visible $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles north from the entrance to Swan River; and when some rocky islets near the S. E. side of Rottneest are seen to the S. S. W., opening round the east end of another small rock with a cask beacon upon it $1\frac{1}{4}$ mile S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E. from Duck Rock, a S. E. by E. course will conduct into Gage's Roads.

Kingston Spit, in front of Thompson's Kingston Bay, extends two miles east from Duck Spit. Rock, and a long mile N. E. by E. from the beacon last mentioned, which has recently been placed upon Fisherman's Rock, a Fisherman's small mass of white rocks about two cables length N. E. from the sandy east point of Rottneest Island, distinguished by the name of Point Phillip. To clear Kingston Spit on the north, keep Duck Rock a little shut in to the south of a bare pointed hill near the northern shore of Rottneest; or should the bare hill not be distinguished, keep the north extreme of Rottneest to the southward of W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S.; and to clear Kingston Spit on the south, keep the south extreme of Rottneest (Point Parker), open to the next projection to the N. E. of it (S. W. by W.)

Thompson's Bay is a fit resort for boats only, being full of shoal rocky patches and sand banks, to the distance of a mile from the shore—the remainder of Kingston Spit being occupied by foul uneven ground, with depths varying between 5 and 2 fathoms; near its north and east edges are 7 fathoms, deepening to 9 and 10 in $\frac{1}{2}$ miles. Between Point Phillip and the next projection, a long $\frac{1}{4}$ mile to the S. S. W., (Bickley Point), there is a good shelter in Beagle's Anchorage from all the usual NW and SW gales of winter, the best berth being in four fathoms water, sandy ground, nearly $\frac{1}{2}$ a mile south from Fisherman's Rock, and a $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile NE from two small rocks called the Twins; the south point of Rottneest being also in a line with Bickley Point. In this situation a vessel should moor, on account of the limited space.

On the south-east side of Rottneest there is a

good channel, $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles wide, called the Southern

Southern Passage.

Middle Bank.

Passage into Gage's Road; the only obstruction in it being a patch of three fathoms, sand and weeds, called Middle Bank, in a line between Point Phillip and the Champion Rock, at $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the former, and $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the latter. After a gale, the N.W. swell round the east end of Rottnest, crossing the ocean roll from the S.W., breaks heavily at this spot, and indicates its position; it may, however, be avoided by borrowing towards the rocky islets near Rottnest, which have no dangers fronting them beyond a cable's length; and the bank is cleared to the eastward when the beacon on Duck Rock opens round to the N. E. of that on Fisherman's Rock. These two beacons in a line lead also about a cable's length to the N. E. of the

Champion Rock, which has only 9 feet water upon it, with 4 and 5 fathoms all around. This danger which lies on

the S.E. side of the Southern Passage, is at the N.W. extremity of a collection of rocks and foul ground that extend $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles N.N.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. from the Stragglers toward the east end of Rottnest, without any channel amongst them which can yet be pronounced safe. In working up for the southern passage with a northerly wind, the Champion Rock and dangers in its vicinity may be avoided by keeping the high lump of rock called the Mewstone, open to the S.W. of the largest and highest of the Stragglers, until the S.W. end of Rottnest shuts in round its south point, bearing about W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. This last mark will carry a ship clear between Champion Rock and Middle Bank; but should the Mewstone and Stragglers not be satisfactorily distinguished, the beacon on Fisherman's Rock should not be brought to bear more to the westward than N. 30d. W. by compass, until the S.W. point is shut in by the south point of Rottnest, as before shewn.

In steering for Rottnest Island and approaching the Southern Passage from the westward, the shore should not be approached nearer than half a mile, and the bays on each side of the south point are foul and rocky. Porpoise Bay, on its N.E. side, is also fronted by a low rocky mass called Direction Islet, which lies $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles E. 23d N. from the south point, and has deep water to within a cable's length of its S.E. side. The summit of Direction Islet in a line with a hill with some trees on its summit (Tree Hill,) about half a mile to the north of the south point, leads directly over Middle Bank; therefore Tree Hill a little open to the north of Direction Islet leads clear to the north of Middle Bank; and the same hill on with south point of Direction Islet leads clear on its south side. The next grey rock (Wallace Islet), half a mile to the N.N.E., is very rugged, and lies close in to Bickley Point; it has $2\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, rocky ground, nearly quarter of a mile S.E. of it, which may be avoided in hauling up for Beagle's Anchorage, by keeping the south point on with the southern extreme of Direction Islet, until Fisherman's Rock bears north. The Twin Rocks lie near each other, quarter of a mile north-east from Wallace Islet, and are bold and steep. Round their north-east side is Beagle's Anchorage, which is a secure retreat in winter.

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Currents. In beating up to Rottnest against a strong northerly or southerly breeze,

much ground will be gained by working in the stream of the Island, in order to avoid the strength of a lee current, which is found on such occasions to run at the rate of 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles an hour. The Beagle found it high

Tides. water at full and change in Thompson's Bay, at 7h. 50m. P.M.; tide ebbing ten hours, and flowing fourteen hours, with a rise not exceeding thirty-two inches.

Winds. Sea and land breeze prevail in summer. From March to October, N.W. gales may be expected, rising from the northward, preceded by a fall in the barometer; blowing longest at N.W.; strongest between W. N.W. and W.; and moderating after a hard squall from the S.W.

J. S. ROE,
Surveyor-General.

Western Australia, }
October 15, 1840. }

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 26th December, 1840.

TITLE DEEDS.

THE undermentioned Deeds have been transmitted from this Office to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, to be by him forwarded through the Surveyor-General to the Colonial Treasurer, by whom notification of their receipt at his Office will be made to the Grantees by letter, after which they will be delivered on application, viz:—

Purchases under the existing regulations.

TOWN ALLOTMENTS.

Advertisement of 18th September, 1839.

Deeds dated 13th August, 1840.

1. Alexander Fotheringham, 2 roods, Queanbeyan, lot 67.

2. Ditto ditto. 2 roods, ditto, lot 78.

Advertisement of 4th February, 1840.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

3. Archibald Mosman, 2 roods 24 perches, St. Leonards, lot 49.

4. Ditto ditto, 2 roods 24 perches, ditto, lot 50.

5. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 71.

6. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 78.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

7. Henry Macdermott, 2 roods, Kiama, lot 110.

8. Bernard M'Cauley, 2 roods, ditto, lot 111.

9. Henry M'Dermott, 2 roods, ditto, lot 135.

Advertisement of 18th March, 1840.

10. Henry Doran, 2 roods, Bookham, lot 7.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

11. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, Bookham, lot 12.

12. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 13.

13. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 16.

Advertisement of 28th March, 1840.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

14. John Richard Tindale, 2 roods, Bathurst, lot 8.

15. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 9.

16. Robert Robertson, 2 roods, ditto, lot 26.

17. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 27.

18. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 39.

19. John Lewis Spencer, 2 roods, St. Leonards, lot 58.

20. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 59.

21. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 60.

22. Charles William Roemer, 2 roods, ditto, lot 61.
23. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 62.
24. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 63.
25. Frederick Gonnerman Dalgety, 2 roods, ditto, lot 64.
26. Thomas Chaplin Breillat, 2 roods, ditto, lot 65.
27. James Milson the younger, 2 roods, ditto, lot 66.
28. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 67.
29. John Lewis Spencer, 2 roods, ditto, lot 70.
30. Archibald Mosman, 1 rood 36 perches, ditto, lot 76.
31. Ditto ditto, 3 roods 8 perches, ditto, lot 77.
32. Ditto ditto, 1 rood 28 perches, ditto, lot 78.
33. Ditto ditto, 1 rood 39 perches, ditto, lot 79.
34. Ditto ditto, 2 roods 8 perches, ditto, lot 80.
35. Ditto ditto, 2 roods 18 perches, ditto, lot 81.
36. Ditto ditto, 2 roods 25 perches, ditto, lot 82.
37. Ditto ditto, 2 roods 38 perches, ditto, lot 83.
38. Ditto ditto, 3 roods 8 perches, ditto, lot 84.
39. Ditto ditto, 3 roods 18 perches, ditto, lot 85.
40. Charles William Roemer, 1 rood 8 perches, Kiama, lot 86.
41. Ditto ditto, 1 rood 17 perches, ditto, lot 87.
42. Ditto ditto, 1 rood 25 perches, ditto, lot 88.
43. William Timothy Cape, 1 rood 34 perches, ditto, lot 89.
44. Charles William Roemer, 2 roods 2 perches, ditto, lot 90.
45. John Lewis Spencer, 2 roods, ditto, lot 91.
46. Charles William Roemer, 2 roods, ditto, lot 92.
47. John Lewis Spencer, 2 roods, ditto, lot 92.
48. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 94.
49. James Barker, 1 rood 34 perches, ditto, lot 96.
50. John Marsh, 2 roods, ditto, lot 100.
51. James Robb, 2 roods, ditto, lot 101.
52. Charles William Roemer, 2 roods, Hartley, lot 104.
53. Peter Nicholson, 2 roods 1 perch, ditto, lot 105.
54. John Gould-bury Lennon, 2 roods 2 perches, ditto, lot 106.
55. John Williams, 2 roods 25 perches, ditto, lot 107.
56. Philip Hart, 2 roods 12 perches, ditto, lot 108.
57. Samuel Benjamin and Elias Moses, 2 roods 12 perches, ditto, lot 109.
58. Archibald Campbell, 2 roods 8 perches, ditto, lot 110.
59. John Williams, 1 rood 12 perches, ditto, lot 111.
60. John Lewis Spencer, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 113.

Advertisement of 11th April, 1840.

Deeds dated 20th October, 1840.

61. Michael John Davies, 2 roods, Hartley, lot 42.
62. Archibald Mosman, 2 roods, St. Leonards, lot 43.

Advertisement of 9th May, 1840.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

63. Charles William Roemer, 2 roods, Wollongong, lot 21.
64. Rev. John Morse, 2 roods, Scone, lot 22.
65. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 23.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

66. Isaac Simmons, 2 acres, Scone, lot 26.
67. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 27.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

68. Alexander John M'Guigan, 2 roods, Scone, lot 29.

69. Thomas Barker, 2 roods, ditto, lot 31.
70. Henry Murray, 2 roods, ditto, lot 32.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

71. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, Scone, lot 33.
72. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 34.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

73. William Adnam, 2 roods, Scone, lot 35.
74. James Stuart, 2 roods, ditto, lot 36.

75. Henry Doran, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 38.

76. Peter Nicholson, 2 roods, ditto, lot 41.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

77. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 43.
78. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 44.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

79. Thomas Hanna, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 46.
80. William Too-good, 2 roods, ditto, lot 47.

81. James Stuart, 2 roods, ditto, lot 48.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

82. James Barker, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 49.
83. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 50.

84. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 53.

85. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 59.

86. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 60.

87. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 61.

88. Ditto ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 62.

Deed dated 26th August, 1840.

89. Thomas Hanna, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 64.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

90. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, Dungog, lot 65.
91. Ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 66.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

92. Joseph William Browne, 2 roods, ditto, lot 67.

93. Ditto, 2 roods, ditto, lot 68.

94. Francis Mitchell, 2 roods, ditto, lot 69.

95. William Too-good, 2 acres, ditto, lot 70.

96. James Stuart, 1 rood 21 perches, Raymond Terrace, lot 71.

97. Joseph William Browne, 1r. 27p., ditto lot 72.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

98. James Barker, 2 roods, ditto, lot 74.

99. Ditto, 2 roods, lot 75.

Deeds dated 26th August, 1840.

100. William Too-good, 2 roods, Raymond Terrace, lot 80.

101. Alexander John Guigan, 1r. 9p., ditto, lot 81.

102. Francis Mitchell, 1r. 39p., ditto, lot 83.

Deed dated 30th September, 1840.

103. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, Raymond Terrace, lot 84.

Deed dated 26th August, 1840.

104. Philip Snape, 2 roods, Raymond Terrace, lot 86.

Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.

105. Philip Hart, 2 roods, Raymond Terrace, lot 87.

106. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, ditto, lot 88.

107. Joseph Simmons, 2 roods, ditto, lot 89.

108. George Furber, 2 roods, ditto, lot 91.

Deed dated 26th August, 1840.

109. Francis Mitchell, 2 roods, Maitland, lot 93.

Deed dated 30th September, 1840.

110. John Hamilton, 2 roods, Maitland, lot 99.
Deed dated 26th August, 1840.
111. James Stuart, 2 roods, Maitland, lot 99.
Deeds dated 30th September, 1840.
112. Alexander Dixon, 2 roods, Maitland, lot 100.
113. John Hamilton, 2 roods, ditto, lot 101.
114. John Kingsmill, 2 roods, ditto, lot 102.
115. Ditto, ditto, ditto, lot 103.
116. George Furber, 2 roods, ditto, lot 104.
117. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, ditto, lot 105.
118. Ditto, ditto, ditto, lot 106.
119. Henry Robert Reuben, 2 roods, Mudgee, lot 108.
120. Philip Hart, 2 roods, ditto, lot 109.
121. Isaac Simmons, 2 roods, ditto, lot 110.
122. Ditto, 2 roods, Raymond Terrace, lot 111.
Deed dated 26th August, 1840.
123. Henry Doran, 2 roods, Wollmobi, lot 112.
Advertisement of 30th May, 1840.
Deeds dated 20th October, 1840.
124. Michael John Davies, 2 roods, Carcor, lot 59.
125. Edward Baker Boulton, 2 roods, Carcor, lot 60.
126. Ditto, ditto, lot 61.
127. Joseph Abbott, 2 roods, lot 64.
128. Henry Doran, 2 roods, lot 67.
129. Philip Hart, 2 roods, lot 68.
130. Thomas Boland, 2 roods, lot 70.
131. Ditto, ditto, lot 73.
Deed dated 30th September, 1840.
132. Mary Ann Jones, 2 roods, Braidwood, lot 74.
Deeds dated 20th October, 1840.
133. Phillip Hart, 2 roods, lot 89.
134. Thomas Draper, 2 roods, lot 95.
135. William Bradridge, 2 roods, lot 100.
136. David Williams, 2 roods, lot 101.
137. Ditto, ditto, lot 102.
138. John Alger, 2 roods, lot 103.
139. Phillip Hart, 2 roods, lot 119.
140. Thomas Draper, 2 roods, lot 135.

PORTIONS OF LAND.

Advertisement of 14th March, 1840.

Deeds dated 26th October, 1840.

141. Charles Norris, 73 acres, Bourke, lot 15.
142. James David Lyon Campbell, 78 acres, Bourke, lot 17.
Advertisement of 30th May, 1840.
Deeds dated 20th October, 1840.
143. Thomas Icely, 772 acres, Bathurst, lot 2.
144. Ditto, 1088 acres, ditto, lot 3.
145. Robert Campbell, Tertius, 960 acres, Brisbane, lot 4.
146. Ditto, 1170 acres, ditto, lot 5.
147. Robert Marsh Westmacott, 50 acres, Camden, lot 8.
148. John Brown, 75 acres, Camden, lot 10.
149. Robert Marsh Westmacott, 105 acres, ditto, lot 11.
150. John Verge, 640 acres, Macquarie, lot 13.
151. John Terry Hughes, 50 acres, Macquarie, lot 16.
152. Ditto, ditto, ditto, lot 17.
153. Ditto, 100 acres, ditto, lot 18.
154. William Lachlan Macquarie Redfern, 760 acres, Bathurst, lot 21.
155. Thomas Icely, 1136 acres, ditto, lot 25.
156. Ditto, 1000 acres, ditto, lot 26.

157. William Bowman, 640, Georgiana, lot 28.

158. Robert Smith, 736 acres, ditto, lot 29.

159. John Richard Hardy, 50 acres, Murray, lot 30.

Deed dated 30th November, 1840.

160. Parry Long, 2 acres, Cumberland, lot 31.

Advertisement of 10th August, 1840

Deed dated 4th December, 1840.

161. John Thompson 30 acres, Cumberland, lot 4.

Deed dated 2nd December, 1840.

162. George William Newcombe, 200 acres, Cumberland, lot 12.

Deed dated 4th December, 1840.

163. John Thompson, 110 acres, Durham, lot 15.

Purchase without Competition.

TOWN ALLOTMENT.

Deed dated 30th November 1840.

164. Abraham Moses, 5 acres, Bunyan.

TOWN GRANTS.

Deed dated 19th October, 1831.

165. Jane Roberts Jr. 1p., Sydney, leased to Samuel Free.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Sydney, 23rd November, 1840.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

ALL Persons having claims on the Colonial Treasury are requested to furnish their accounts, through the proper channel, before the end of the year, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

The several Collectors and Officers in the receipt of public monies will pay over to the Colonial Treasurer, on or before the 31st December next, the amount of all collections remaining in their hands, respectively, up to that date, so that the entire revenue collected by each may be credited in the accounts of the year within which it was received. The Heads of Departments and other Officers who have received advances to enable them to defray expenses incurred under their superintendence, are requested to furnish to the Audit Office, as far as practicable, and with all convenient dispatch, the accounts of the expenditure thereof, and on or before the last day of next month to pay into the Colonial Treasury, the unexpended balance of such advances, that the adjustment of the same may appear in the accounts to the 31st proximo.

They will also, as soon as practicable after the close of the year, bring forward all accounts of expenses incurred within the same, which do not admit of being previously settled, so that, if possible, all the expenses incurred in the present year may be finally adjusted and liquidated within one month after its termination.

The Colonial Treasurer is requested to use his endeavours to give effect to these directions, and to report through the proper channel, for the information of His Excellency the GOVERNOR, any instance of neglect in complying therewith, on the part of the Public Officers concerned.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. DEAS THOMSON.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 26th December, 1840.*

TITLE DEEDS.

THE undermentioned Deed of Grant of a Town Allotment, executed in pursuance of a Report made by the Commissioners appointed under the Act of the Governor and Council, 4th William IV., No. 9, has been transmitted from this Office to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, to be by him forwarded through the Surveyor General to the Colonial Treasurer, by whom notification of its receipt at his Office, will be made to the grantee by letter, after which it will be delivered on application, viz :—

No. of Deed.	Case No. of	Date of Decision.	Grantee.	Original Donee.	Quantity.	Situation.		Date of Deed.
						Town.	Parish.	
1	120	31st of March, 1835.	John Hodges.	Leased to John Malbone.	One Rood Eighteen Perches.	Parramatta.	Saint John.	30th November, 1840.

*By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 26th December, 1840.*

TITLE DEEDS.

THE undermentioned Deeds of Grant of a Town Allotment and a Portion of Land, executed in pursuance of Reports made by the Commissioners appointed under the Act of the Governor and Council, 5th William IV., No. 21, have been transmitted from this Office to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, to be by him forwarded through the Surveyor General to the Colonial Treasurer, by him notification of their receipt at his Office will be made to the Grantees by letter, after which they will be delivered on application, viz :—

TOWN ALLOTMENT.

No. of Deeds.	Case No. of	Date of Decision.	Grantee.	Original Donee.	Quantity.	Situation.		Date of Deed.
						Town.	Parish.	
1	685	22nd July, 1840.	Mark Hillas.	Leased to Thomas Woolley.	1 Rood 5 Perches.	Parramatta.	Field of Mars.	30th November, 1840.

LAND.

No. of Deeds.	Case No. of	Date of Decision.	Grantee.	Original Donee.	Situation.			Date of Deed.
					County.	Parish or District.	Date of Promise.	
2	66	14th June, 1837.	Samuel Onions.	Richard Jinner.	Cumberland.	Gordon.	4th of July, 1811.	29th July, 1837.

*By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 19th December, 1840.

CONTRACTS FOR 1841.

THE undermentioned Tenders for furnishing supplies for the Colonial Service, during the year 1841, having been accepted, are published for the information of the Departments and others concerned.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

DISTRICT OF SYDNEY,

MESSRS. HUGHES AND HOSKING.

DAILY RATION TO— £ s. d.

1. Soldiers of the Mounted Police, or other mounted parties, without Rum, per Ration	0	0	8
1. Daily Ration with Rum, to ditto, per Ration	0	1	2
2. Immigrants. { Men, per Ration	0	0	10
{ Women, do	0	0	8
{ Children, do	0	0	6
3. Prisoners of the Crown, and others in the employment of Colonial Departments, per Ration	0	0	9½
4. Officers in charge of Surveying Parties, and men composing such Parties, per Ration	0	1	0
5. Superintendent and Crew of the Floating Light Vessel, Sydney Harbour, per Ration	0	1	1½
6. Men attending the Light-House, South Head, and Boatmen in the Departments of Customs, Harbour-Master, and Police, per Ration	0	0	9½
7. Prisoners confined in Gaol	0	0	7
8. Children of Female Prisoners confined in Gaol, per Ration.	0	0	6
9. Prisoners confined in Lock-up or Watch-houses, per Ration.	0	0	3½
10. Daily Ration of Forage, per Ration	0	3	9
11. Light-house, South Head, and Floating-Light, Sydney Harbour:—			
Sperm Oil, per Imp. Gallon	0	12	0
Patent Wicks, each	0	1	0
12. Deserving Mechanics and others in the Department of the Colonial Engineer, and other Colonial Establishments:—			
Flour, per lb.	0	0	3
Tea, do	0	4	3
Sugar, do	0	0	3½
Tobacco, do	0	2	6
Bread, do	0	0	3
Meat, do	0	0	3½

13. Fuel and Light:—

Firewood, per 100 lbs.	0	1	0
Sperm Oil, per Imp. Gallon	0	12	0
Common ditto, ditto	0	4	0
Mould Candles, per lb.	0	1	3
Dipt ditto, ditto	0	1	0
Cotton Wick, do	0	2	8

(Immigrants or other Persons, or Establishments in Sydney, when ordered.)

Fresh Beef, per lb.	0	0	3½
Fresh Mutton, per do.	0	0	3½

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	£	s.	d.
Maize Meal, per do.	0	0	1½
Bread, { 1st. quality, per do.	0	0	3½
{ 2nd ditto, per do.	0	0	3½
{ 3rd ditto, per do.	0	0	3½
Flour, 2nd and 3rd quality, per do.	0	0	3½
Arrow Root, per ditto	0	1	0
Sago, per do.	0	0	10
Rice, per do.	0	0	3
Tea, per do.	0	4	0
Sugar, per do.	0	0	3½
Oatmeal, per do.	0	0	6
Salt, per do.	0	0	1
Yellow Soap, per do.	0	0	6
Pearl Barley per do.	0	0	8
Tobacco, per do.	0	2	6
Vegetables, per do.	0	0	2
Milk, per quart.	0	0	8
Port Wine, per dozen	1	15	0
Vinegar, per imperial gallon	0	3	0
Roach Lime. per bushel	0	2	0
Straw, per 100 lbs.	0	6	0

(Institution for destitute Roman Catholic Children, Sydney.)

Male. {	1 Master, per Ration	0	0	9½
	2 Female Servants, per do.	0	0	9
	3 Children above 6 yrs. do.	0	0	5½
	4 Ditto under 6 yrs. ditto	0	0	4
Female. {	1 Male Servant, per Ration	0	0	9½
	2 Matron per ditto	0	0	9
	3 To the Children per ditto	0	0	5

Male and Female Orphan Schools.

ARTICLES, &c.	Male, Mes. & Hughes & Hosking.		Female, Mr. Robert Miller.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.
Ration No. 1, for each daily ditto	0	9½	0	7½
No. 2, per ditto	0	9	0	7
No. 3, per ditto	0	5¾	0	4½
No. 4, per ditto	0	4	1	5
No. 5, per ditto	2	6	0	1
No. 6, per ditto	0	1	0	10
No. 7, per ditto	1	0		
Best Wheat Bread, per lb.	0	3¾	0	2
Flour, per lb.	0	3¾	0	2
Tea, per lb.	4	6	3	6
Sugar, per lb.	0	3½	0	3
Salt, per lb.	0	1	0	1
Pearl Barley, per lb.	0	10	0	8
Rice, per lb.	0	3	0	2
Oatmeal, per lb.	0	6	0	6
Arrow Root, per lb.	1	0	1	0
Yeast, per quart.	0	9	0	6
Lard, per lb.	0	10	0	8
Candles, per lb.	1	0	0	9
Soap, per lb.	0	6	0	6
Sago, per lb.	—	—	0	3

LUNATIC ASYLUM, TARBAN CREEK.
MR. WILLIAM RUTLEDGE.

	£	s.	d.
Best Wheat Bread, per lb.	0	0	2
Bread, second quality, ditto	0	0	1½
Bread, third quality, ditto	0	0	1½
Fresh Beef, ditto	0	0	3
Fresh Mutton, ditto	0	0	3
Rice, ditto	0	0	1½
Tea, ditto	0	3	0

	£	s.	d.
Sugar, ditto	0	0	3
Salt, ditto	0	0	1
Milk, per quart	0	0	6
Tobacco, per lb.	0	2	0
Soap, ditto	0	0	5
Vegetables, ditto	0	0	1
Port Wine, per Dozen	1	5	0
Sago, per lb.	0	0	6
Oatmeal, ditto	0	0	6
Arrowroot, ditto	0	0	10
Dip Candles, ditto	0	0	10
Common Oil, per Gallon	0	3	6
Cotton Wick, per lb.			Gratis.
Forage, per Ration	0	1	10½
Straw, per 100 lbs.	0	3	6

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 21st December, 1840.*

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to direct the publication of the following Letter, dated 10th July, 1840, from the Secretary to the Society of Arts, together with an extract from the list therein referred to, of Premiums offered by the Society for various inventions and improvements in the Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce of Great Britain and her Dependencies.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

(COPY.)

*Society of Arts, &c.,
Adelphi, London, July 10, 1840.*

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit lists of the premiums offered by the Society of Arts for various inventions and improvements in the Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce of Great Britain and her Dependencies.

The Society continue to give much of their attention to the Commercial intercourse of Great Britain with the Colonies as one of the principal means of promoting the prosperity of British subjects in general, and will feel much obliged by your kind co-operation, if you will direct that the section headed "Class of Colonies and Trade" be inserted in the principal journals of New South Wales, with any introductory remarks that the Editors may think proper.

As it is desirable that for the efficient accomplishment of these objects the Society should have constant intelligence of the state of Colonial trade, they are most anxious to induce residents in the Colonies to become members of their Body, and I shall be happy to receive the names of any who may wish to be proposed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Excellency's most Obedient Servant,
W. A. GRAHAM, Secretary.

CLASS OF COLONIES AND TRADE.

Claims for the following premiums are to be sent in on or before the second Tuesday in March.

It is absolutely necessary that all the statements made by candidates residing in the colonies should be authenticated by the certificates of the Governor or Secretary of the colony, or by two justices of the peace, or other competent local authorities.

Growth of Flax in British India.

1. To the person who shall raise the greatest quantity of flax, of good quality, in any of the British possessions in the East Indies, being the produce of not less than five English acres;—*the Gold Medal.*

Certificates of the number of acres cultivated, the mode of culture, the nature of the soil and the weight of the produce, together with fourteen pounds of the flax, to be forwarded to the Society.

2. To the person who shall import into Great Britain or Ireland the greatest quantity of flax, of good quality, not less than one ton, grown in any of the British possessions in the East Indies;—*the Gold Isis Medal.*

Certificates of the importation, together with fourteen pounds of the flax, to be delivered to the Society.

Substitute for Hemp.

3. To the person who shall import at least two tons of any vegetable fibre, which shall be equally cheap, strong, and durable, and applicable to all the purposes for which hemp is now used;—*the Gold Medal.*

Cashmere Wool.

4. To the person who shall import the greatest quantity of real Cashmere wool or other wool of equal quality and value, not less than one cwt. and in a state fit for spinning;—*the Gold Medal.*

Samples of the wool, not less than five pounds weight, to be produced to the Society.

Silk.

5. To the person who shall produce in any British colony, and shall import, the greatest quantity of silk proper for manufactures, not less than one hundred pounds weight;—*the Gold Medal.*

Specimens of the silk, not less than one pound, with an account of the method by which the silkworms were managed, the kind of mulberry-trees whence they were furnished with food, and particulars respecting the culture of the trees for that purpose, to be produced to the Society.

6. To the person who shall import the finest quality of silk produced in the East Indies equal to the best Italian or China silk;—*the Gold Medal.*

One pound of the silk to be sent to the Society as a sample, with certificates that at least 100 lbs. of equal quality have been imported.

Caoutchouc.

7. To the person who shall import not less than one ton of caoutchouc from any country from which it has not hitherto been commonly imported;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

China Paper for Copperplate Printing.

8. To the person who shall communicate to the Society the best account of the process employed in China for the manufacture of paper used in England for copperplate printing, and known by the name of India paper, together with an account of the materials from which such paper is made;—*the Gold Medal.*

Specimens of the paper, with samples of the materials in their raw or unmanufactured state, to be produced to the Society.

China Porcelain.

9. To the person who shall communicate to the Society the best account of the process employed in China in manufacturing porcelain, with specimens of the earths and plans of the furnaces;—*the Gold Medal.*

Diminution of human Labour in the Cultivation of Sugar, &c.

10. To the person who shall produce to the Society a satisfactory account, founded on experience, of the most advantageous mode of diminishing the labour of persons employed in the cultivation of sugar, cotton, and coffee, in the West Indian colonies, by the substitution of machinery, or cattle;—*the Gold Medal.*

Persons wishing for information on this subject are referred to Mr. Bocker's account of the management of a cotton plantation at Demerara, inserted in the 47th volume of the Society's Transactions.

11. To the person who shall introduce into any British Colony the cultivation or production of any article of commerce which shall be equally profitable, but require less human labour, than the articles previously cultivated or produced;—*the Gold Medal.*

A full account of the articles produced, with the mode of culture and other processes, to be forwarded to the Society.

Olive Oil.

12. To the person who shall manufacture and import the finest specimen of oil, not less than ten gallons, the produce of olives grown in any British Colony in Africa or Australia;—*the Gold Medal.*

Specimens of the oil, not less than two quarts, together with satisfactory certificates, to be produced to the Society.

Wine from Australia.

13. To the person who shall import the finest wine, not less than one pipe, of good marketable quality, made from the produce of vineyards in Australia;—*the Gold Medal.*

Samples of the wine, and certificates that the wine was made in the colony, to be produced to the Society, together with an account of the vineyards, and of the process of the manufacture.

Dried Fruits.

14. To the person who shall prepare in any British colony or possession, and import into Great Britain, the greatest quantity, not less than 100lbs. of dried fruits of good quality, similar to those now imported from the Mediterranean;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

Satisfactory certificates that the fruits were grown and prepared in the colony, with samples, to be presented to the Society.

Dried Plantains or Bananas.

15. To any person who shall dry and import into Great Britain, from any British colony or possession, the best sample of plantains or bananas, not less than 2 cwt.;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

For the next in quality; *the Large Silver Medal.*

It is required that the candidates send to this Society a sample, not less than 10 lbs. with a certificate that at least 2 cwt. have been imported, of quality equal to sample; and so a written communication, stating the nature of the soil in which the plants have grown, the average weight of the bunches, the proportion of dried fruit from 100lbs. of the fresh ripe fruit; together with a full detail of the whole method of preparation.

The following is the method (according to information received from Captain Colquhoun, R. Art.) adopted in the hot country (*terre caillente*) of Jalisco and Mechoacan.

The bunch of fruit is allowed to remain on the plant till it is perfectly ripe, and its native sweetness fully developed; it is then cut off, and the plantains, being removed from the stalks, are spread out in the sunshine, on netting, or frames of bamboo. When the fruit begins to shrivel, the outer skin is peeled off without trouble, and the drying is continued till the fruit is of the consistence of a fig, and becomes covered over with a white, mealy, sugary efflorescence. In this state it forms a luscious sweetmeat, the flavour of which resembles that both of the fig and of the date. For convenience of transport, it is pressed into masses of about 75 lbs. each, and is wrapped up in dried plantain leaves.

Nutmegs.

16. To the person who shall grow the finest sample of nutmegs, of good and merchantable quality, not less than twenty pounds weight, in any of her Majesty's dominions in the West Indies, or in any British plantation on the coast of Africa, or of the several islands adjacent thereto, or on the island of Singapore, and equal to those imported from the islands of the East Indies;—*the Gold Medal.*

Satisfactory certificates of the place of growth, with an account of the number of trees, their age, nearly the quantity of fruit on each tree, and the manner of culture, together with samples of the nutmegs and of the mace, to be produced to the Society.

For Mr. Lockhart's paper on the cultivation of the nutmeg in the Island of Trinidad, see the 48th volume of the Society's Transactions.

Cinnamon

17. A premium, similar to the preceeding, is offered for the growth of cinnamon.

Black Pepper.

18. To the person who shall raise, in any of the British West Indian colonies, and shall import the largest quantity, not less than 4 cwt. of good and marketable black pepper;—*the Gold Medal.*

Conditions the same as for No. 16.

Cultivation of the Tea Plant.

19. To the person who shall grow and prepare in the East Indies, or in any British colony, the finest quality of tea;—*the Gold Medal.*

Samples amounting to at least 2 lbs. with certificates that not less than 1 cwt. of equal quality has been prepared and imported into Great Britain, to be produced to the Society, together with full information as to the mode of growth and preparation.

China Tea.

20. To the person who shall communicate to the Society, from information obtained in China, the best and most authentic account of the culture of the plant or plants, the leaves of which furnish the different kinds of tea; together with the methods of gathering, drying, and otherwise preparing the leaves;—*the Gold Medal.*

Cocoa.

21. To the person who shall produce, in any of the British possessions in the East Indies, the greatest quantity, not less than 1 cwt. of cocoa of good quality;—*the Gold Medal.*

Certificates of the number of trees, and of the average produce of each tree, with a sample of not less than 10lbs. to be forwarded to the Society.

Peruvian Coffee.

22. To the person who shall import the finest sample of Peruvian Coffee, not less than 1 cwt. ;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

The coffee must be at least equal to good Mocha coffee. A sample of the same, not less than 10 lbs., must be sent to the Society, accompanied by a satisfactory certificate of its being Peruvian coffee.

Peruvian Brandy.

23. To the person who shall import the finest sample, not less than ten gallons, of Peruvian brandy, known by the name of Italia brandy ;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

The brandy must be at least equal to good Cognac brandy. A sample, not less than two quarts to be sent to the Society, together with satisfactory certificates of its being Peruvian brandy.

Galium Tinctorium.

24. To the person who shall import, in good and sound condition, not less than fifty pounds of the dried roots of galium tinctorium, from which in Canada a bright and durable red pigment has been prepared, and of which a report is given in the 46th and 48th volumes of the Society's Transactions ;—*the Gold Ceres Medal.*

Samples, not less than ten pounds to be produced to the Society, together with certificates that the entire quantity has been imported.

Cinchona

25. To the person who shall communicate to the Society the best account of one or more of the species of cinchona, the bark of which is used in medicine, accompanied by specimens of the tree in leaf, flower, and seed ; and not less than 10 pounds of the bark ;—*the Gold Medal.*

Rhubarb.

26. To the person who shall produce, in any British colony or possession, the greatest quantity of rhubarb, not less than 100 lbs. equal to the average quality of Turkey or China rhubarb now in the market ;—*the Gold Medal.*

Certificates of the extent of land and number of plants, with some account of the species or variety cultivated, the average produce of each plant and samples of the rhubarb, to be forwarded to the Society.

Importation of certain Diœcious Plants.

There are certain valuable diœcious plants of which only one sex exists in this country, and the object of the following premium is to obtain the deficient sex of the several species mentioned, in order to the production of a succession of such plants from seed.

27. To the person who shall import into Great Britain any of the following plants ;—*the Gold Medal :—*

Populus fastigiata, (Lombardy poplar,) female ; *Salix Babylonica*, (weeping willow,) male ; *Salsburia Adiantifolia*, male ; *Pistacia Terebinthus*, male ; *Machura Aurantiaca*, male ; *Broussonetia papyrifera*, (paper mulberry,) male ; *Aucuba japonica*, (gold plant,) male ; *Valisneria spiralis*, male,

Certificates, that the plant or plants have been, at least, two months in this country, and that they are in a thriving, healthy state, to be forwarded to the Society.

CLASS OF MANUFACTURES.

For general conditions, see Agriculture.

The objects to which the public attention is par-

ticularly directed are arranged under the following heads :—

Raw Material's.

1. For the profitable conversion of any hitherto unused raw material found in Great Britain or Ireland, or which may be advantageously imported.

Machinery.

2. For improving the construction or mode of operation of any of the machinery or implements used in the spinning, weaving, or dressing of silk, wool, cotton, or flax, or the manufacture of paper.

Application of Chemistry to Manufactures.

3. For improving the methods at present in use in bleaching, dying, calico-printing, tanning, leather dressing, or any other manufacture, depending on chemical principles.

Glass and Potteries.

4. For any improvement in the manufacture of glass, porcelain, or earthenware.

Metals.

5. For any improvement in the manufacture of hardware, or of ornamental articles made entirely or partly of metal.

New Manufactures.

6. For the invention or introduction of any new manufacture.

Children in Manufactories.

7. For inventing machines or devising other scientific means, by which the condition of children in manufactories may be essentially ameliorated.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Sydney, 15th December, 1840.

SLATING AT THE NEW GAOL, PARRAMATTA.

TENDERS will be received at this Office, until noon of Monday, the 4th January, 1841, from persons willing to undertake the Slater's work required to cover in the Roofs of three Wings and Gaoler's House, at the New Gaol, Parramatta, including Cartage of the Slates from the Parramatta Wharf.

Offers to be endorsed "Tender for Slating at the New Gaol, Parramatta," and to contain the names of two responsible persons willing to become sureties for the due completion of the contract within a limited period.

The Slates will be provided by the Government, but metal nails, the description of which (proposed to be used) to be specified in the Tender, are to be found by the Contractor. Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the Colonial Architect, Sydney.

Parties tendering, or their Agents, are required to attend at the Office on the day appointed for opening the Tenders.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Sydney, 22nd December, 1840.

CONVEYANCE BY WATER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this Office until Monday, the 4th of January next, at noon, from persons willing to contract for the conveyance, by Water, of Cabin and Steerage Passengers, Troops, Prisoners, and Stores, for the Colonial Government, to and from MELBOURNE, PORT PHILLIP, and SYDNEY, during 1841.

The Tenders must state the rate of each Cabin Passenger, and for each Steerage Passenger, Soldier, or Prisoner, with and without the supply of the established rations for each, as well as the rate per ton measurement for stores.

Payment will be made at Sydney by quarterly bills, on the production of the receipts and certificates, from the proper officer, of the due performance of the services required.

The parties tendering, or their agents, are requested to attend at this Office at the time of opening the Tenders.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 8th December, 1840.

CONTRACTS FOR THE COLONIAL SERVICE FOR 1841.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this Office, at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th of January next, for furnishing the supplies required for the Colonial Service, in the Districts of Parramatta, Penrith, Liverpool, Campbelltown, and Bathurst, and for the Lunatic Asylum, Tarban Creek, from the 1st of April to the 31st December, 1841.

The Rations and Conditions are those specified in the notice from this Office, dated 1st September, 1840.

The Tenders for supplies to the Lunatic Asylum are also to include the following articles for that Establishment, viz:—

Tobacco, per lb.
Soap, ditto
Vegetables, ditto
Port Wine, per dozen
Sago, per lb.
Oatmeal, ditto
Arrow Root, ditto
Dipt Candles, ditto
Common Oil, per gallon
Forage for Ration
Straw, per 100lbs.

Parties Tendering, or their Agents, are requested to attend at this Office at the time appointed for opening the Tenders.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 22nd December, 1840.

NOTICE.—Tenders will be received at this Office, until Twelve o'clock, on Monday, the 4th January next, from parties wishing to rent certain Quarries situated in the Town of Sydney, and on the Sydney Water Reserve. For particulars apply at the Colonial Engineer's Office.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 22nd December, 1840.

NOTICE.—All permissions to Quarry, or to remove Sand, Loam, Grave, or Turf, from the Government Lands in the neighbourhood of Sydney, will be withdrawn from the 31st Instant, and all persons found Quarrying or removing materials of any description after that period will be prosecuted.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

No. 85. December 30, 1840.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 1st January, 1841.

THE great interruption which is occasioned to the despatch of Public Business, by numerous personal applications made at all hours, has rendered it necessary to request that persons having occasion to communicate personally with the Colonial Secretary, will call at his Office, between the hours of Eleven and One o'clock.

By His Excellency's Command,
E. DEAS THOMSON.

Commissariat Office,
Sydney, 1st January, 1841.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this Office until Monday, the 15th day of February, at Noon, for furnishing for the Military and Convict Service, in the several Districts, the Supplies undermentioned, in such quantities as may be required, during Twelve Calendar Months commencing the 1st April next, under the conditions hereafter specified, viz.—

PROVISION.

1. The Military Ration being
 - 1 lb. Fresh Meat
 - 1 lb. Wheaten Bread
 - 1-7 of an Imperial Quart of Rum
2. The Ration for Male Convicts being
 - 12 oz. Wheaten Bread
 - 14 oz. Maize or Barley Bread
 - (the Contractor having the option of giving 20 oz. of Wheaten Bread for the whole.)
 - 8 oz. Maize Meal
 - 1 lb. Fresh Beef
 - 1 oz. Brown Sugar
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Salt
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap
3. The Ration for Female Convicts in the first and second Classes.
 - 10 oz. Wheaten Bread
 - 10 oz. Maize or Barley Bread
 - (the Contractor having the option of giving 16 oz. of Wheaten Bread for the whole.)
 - 6 oz. Maize Meal
 - 12 oz. Fresh Beef
 - 8 oz. Vegetables
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Salt
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Brown Sugar
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Tea
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap
4. Female Convicts in the third Class.
 - 12 oz. Wheaten Bread
 - 12 oz. Maize Meal
 - 4 oz. Fresh Beef
 - 8 oz. Vegetables
 - $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Salt
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap
5. For Children of two years and upwards.
 - 8 oz. Wheaten Bread, best quality
 - 4 oz. Fresh Beef
 - 4 oz. Maize Meal
 - 1 Pint Milk
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap
6. For Children under two years.
 - 8 oz. Wheaten Bread, best quality
 - 4 oz. Fresh Beef
 - 1 Pint Milk
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap

7. For Children under nine months.
 6 oz. Wheaten Bread, best quality
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pint Milk
 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Yellow Soap
8. For Boatmen (Sydney.)
 1 5-16 lb. 20 per cent. Flour
 1 2-16 lb. Fresh Beef
 1 oz. Sugar
 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Salt
 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Soap

9. FORAGE.

The Ration of Forage being
 8 lbs. of Maize or Barley, or 10lbs. Oats
 4 lbs. Bran
 12 lbs. of Oaten or Cultivated Grass Hay
 4 lbs. Wheaten Straw

10. FUEL AND LIGHT.

Firewood, per 100 lbs.
 Sperm Oil } per Gallon, Imperial
 Common Oil }
 Mould Candles } per lb.
 Dip Candles }
 Cotton Wick }

11. FOR HOSPITALS, &c.

Fresh Beef
 Fresh Mutton
 Maize Meal
 The best Wheaten Bread—Bread of
 2nd and 3rd quality } per lb.
 Arrowroot, Sago, Rice
 Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal
 Salt, Yellow Soap, Pearl Barley
 Tobacco, Vegetables
 Milk, per Quart
 Port Wine, per Dozen
 Vinegar, per Imperial Gallon
 Roach Lime, per Bushel
 Straw for Bedding, per 100 lbs

12. SUPPLIES FOR PENAL SETTLEMENTS.

Wheaten Meal, 20 per cent.
 Wheaten Meal, 10 per cent.
 Maize Meal, ditto
 Maize
 Biscuit
 Sugar, Tea
 Rice, Soap
 Colonial Leaf Tobacco
 Rum, per Imperial Gallon
 to be packed and shipped at the expense of the Contractor.

DISTRICTS

- 1.—Sydney,
- 2.—Parramatta,
- 3.—Liverpool and }
 4.—Campbelltown, }
- 5.—Berrima,
- 6.—Illawarra,
- 7.—Goulburn,
- 8.—Windsor,
- 9.—Penrith,
- 10.—Hartley,
- 11.—Bathurst.

The limits of the Districts are the same as those adopted in the Division of the Colony into Police Districts, and a map shewing the same may be seen at this office.

CONDITIONS.

QUALITIES OF THE SUPPLIES.

1. All the articles shall be of the best quality of their several kinds.
2. The Bread shall be the produce of clean, sound Colonial Wheat, Barley and Maize, from which, on the Military Ration 20 per cent., and on the Convict Ration 10 per cent., has been extracted in bran and waste. The Wheaten Bread shall be made in loaves of 3lbs., and the Mixed Bread in loaves of 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. each, and baked 24 hours before being issued.
3. The Fresh Meat for the Military Ration shall be in the proportion of 5lbs. of Beef and 2lbs. of Mutton weekly; deliverable alternately in fore and hind quarters, when the quantity admits of it; for the Convict Rations the Beef shall be delivered in the same manner; Salted Beef being issued only in summer to Road Parties, and when authorised.
4. The Maize Meal shall be similar in quality to the Wheaten Meal, and shall be twice ground.
5. The Vegetables for the Hospitals and other Establishments entitled thereto, shall be supplied in reasonable proportions of Potatoes, Greens, Pumpkins, Onions, &c.
 The Rum shall be West India, five per cent. under proof.

MODE OF DELIVERY.

6. No part whatever of the Supplies above specified shall be received in charge of the Commissariat, but shall all be delivered by the Contractor direct to the Parties or Establishments entitled thereto, upon the written order of the Commissariat Officer in charge of the District, or of the Person authorised for that purpose.
7. At the several fixed Stations the Rations for the Troops, the Convict Establishments, and Road and other Parties, shall be delivered by the Contractor at the Barracks, Establishments, or Huts where the Parties to be supplied may be stationed; being previously to removal from the Contractor's Premises approved by a Person authorised for the purpose.
8. The Forage shall be delivered by the Contractor at the Establishments where the Horses or Cattle are stationed, and in case the whole Ration of Forage be not required or delivered, each of the species shall be reckoned as the proportion of the Ration undermentioned, viz.—

The Maize or Barley.. 4-12ths.
 The Hay..... 5-12ths.
 The Bran..... 2-12ths.
 The Straw..... 1-12th.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

9. The whole of the supplies of every description in each District are to be included in one Contract; and, therefore, no Tenders will be received unless for supplying the whole without exception that may be required in the entire of a District, and for each district there must be a separate Tender.
10. Provisions and Forage being required by Rations according to scales under these respective heads, the Tenders are to express the price per Ration only, and not of the several

Articles, excepting that of Rum, the price of which must be separately stated.

11. Fuel and Light, as well as the supplies for Hospitals and Penal Settlements, being required by Weight and Measure, must be priced accordingly, as shewn under these heads respectively.

12. Contractors supplying Road Parties on the Bathurst or other roads similarly situated, shall have at all times on the spot a supply for fourteen days in reserve, in the care of a competent Agent to whom reference may be had in the Contractor's absence.

13. In the event of a difference of opinion between the Contractor and the Party receiving the supply as to its quality, the same shall be decided in the following manner:—The Party objecting shall name one Person as Arbitrator, the Contractor or his Agent another; these two shall (previously to any other proceeding on their part) concur in naming a third as Umpire, who, in the event of the Arbitrators not agreeing in the opinion, shall be called upon for his decision, which shall be final. And should it be decided that the article is not of proper quality, it shall be immediately replaced by the Contractor, failing which it shall be procured and the expense charged to his account.

14. It shall be in the power of either Party to limit the duration of the Contract, by giving in writing a notice of three calendar months to the opposite Party, and to end the Contract at the expiration of that period, it being understood that such notice can be given only from the first day of a month, and within the period for which the Contract is made, or agreed to be made.

15. The Contractor shall prepare his own account monthly, according to the prescribed form; and on the production thereof, with the requisite vouchers in a complete state, shall receive payment either in British silver coin, or by a bill on Her Majesty's Treasury at the established rate of the period, at the option of the Senior Commissariat Officer.

16. The value of all packages shall be included in the prices demanded.

17. Persons wishing to Tender are requested to apply either at this Office, or, to the Commissariat Officers in charge at the several Stations, who will furnish them with Printed Forms for the purpose, and communicate further particulars; and as adequate security will be required for the due fulfilment of the Contracts, each Tender must be accompanied by a letter from the Parties proposed as such, stating that they are willing to become bound as securities for the Contractor accordingly; and no payment will be made upon any Contracts until the bonds have been executed.

18. The amounts of the Bonds required in the several Districts, are as follows, viz.:—Sydney, £5,000; Parramatta, £2,000; Liverpool and Campbelltown, £1,000; Illawarra, £500; Goulburn, £500; Windsor, £1,000; Penrith, 1,000; Harley, £1,000; Bathurst, £1,000.

19. Tenders are to be enclosed in a separate envelope, addressed to the undersigned,

marked "Supplies for 1841," and no Tender made in consequence of this Advertisement shall be withdrawn or altered, but notice of those accepted shall be given within three days of the time of opening.

20. Flour in place of Bread to be given for the Military Ration, when required, in the proportion of 14 2-7th ozs. of the former for 10 ozs. of the latter.

21. The Contractor for the District of Sydney will also be required to furnish the Government Vessels, or casual purposes, any of the supplies under the head of Hospitals.

22. The Rations and Articles particularised under the head of Provisions, No. 1 to 12, may be required not only for the purposes specified, but also for any other purpose of the Military, Naval, and Convict services, should there be occasion for it.

WILLIAM MILLER,
Dep. Com. Gen.

Commissariat Office,
Sydney, December 29, 1840.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this Office, until Friday, the 8th of January at Noon, of Shipping, to the extent of about 900 Tons, for the conveyance of Troops to Calcutta, to sail about the 20th of January.

The Tenders are required to state the description of the Vessels, and the rate required per Ton.

Provisions will be put on Board by this Department for the numbers embarked; and the particulars of the Charter Party may be seen at this Office.

W. MILLER, Dep. Com. Gen.

Principal Superintendent of Convicts' Office,
Sydney, 28th December, 1840.

LIST OF ASSIGNMENT OF MALE CONVICTS, made from the 12th November to the 12th instant, shewing under what circumstances the several Assignees have become entitled to the number of men set against their names respectively.

Arkell Thomas, Bathurst, 1 labourer in lieu of men assigned and not received.

Acres Isabella, Heywood, 1 errand-boy in turn.
Abercrombie William, Raymond Terrace, 1 errand-boy in turn.

Boulton E. B., Bathurst, 1 labourer, as a new settler.

Burne W. P., Paterson, 2 labourers, as a new settler.

Bloxsome Oswald, Wellington, 1 carpenter, as a new settler.

Blaxland George, Marton, 1 labourer, by special order.

Beattie I. F., Maitland, 2 labourers and 1 errand-boy, as a new settler.

Blackett James, Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.

Bourke John, Fairfield, 1 errand-boy, in turn.

Cox George, Illawarra, 2 labourers, transferred from George C. Milne.

Colins J. G., Illawarra, 2 labourers, in lieu of men obtained Tickets of Leave.

Castle J. F., Hinton, 2 labourers, in lieu of men assigned and not received.

Chapman Matthew, Dungog, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Carter A. R. B., Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Crampton Richard, Cabramatta, 2 errand-boys, in turn.
 Duke Captain, Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Dobie Dr., for his Farm, 2 errand-boys, in turn.
 Drake William, Maitland, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Elliott E. F., Field of Mars, 1 labourer, in lieu of man assigned and not received.
 Hamilton Edward, Bow Plains, 10 labourers and 1 painter and glazier, transferred from John Blaxland.
 Hickey John, Maitland, 1 labourer, in lieu of man obtained Ticket of Leave.
 Hickey Edwin, Williams River, 1 labourer, in lieu of man obtained Ticket of Leave.
 Hilly J. F., Annandale, 1 labourer, in turn.
 Haslingden E., Cabramatta, 2 errand-boys, in turn.
 Innes J. L., Five Dock Farm, 1 labourer, in lieu of man assigned and not received.
 Innes A. C., Port Macquarie, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Innes C. C., Illawarra, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Johnstone Robert, Annandale, 1 gardener, in turn.
 Jones Robert, Murumbidgee, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Kerr W. H., Bathurst, 6 labourers, 1 blacksmith, 1 tailor, transferred from Charles Kerr.
 Kuchela John, Jun., Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Kemp George A., Campbell Town, 2 errand-boys, in turn.
 Lincoln Abraham, Illawarra, 4 labourers, transferred from James Marks.
 Lambton Stephen, Bathurst, 1 labourer, transferred from John Piper M'Kenzie.
 Lomax J. S., Penrith, 1 labourer, in lieu of man assigned and not received.
 M'Leod Norman, Liverpool, 1 labourer and 1 errand-boy, in lieu of man obtained Ticket of Leave.
 M'Lean John, St. Vincent's, 1 labourer, in lieu of man deceased.
 Mackay A. R., Shoalhaven, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 M'Farlane John, for his Farm, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 M'Dermott Henry, Cabramatta, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Newcombe G. W., Yass, 1 labourer, as a new settler.
 O'Brien Henry, Yass, 2 labourers, in lieu of men obtained Tickets of Leave.
 O'Connell Maurice, for his Farm, 2 errand-boys, in turn.
 Pendray William, Port Macquarie, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Raymond James, Yarrowville, 1 labourer, by special order.
 Ramsay Robert, Illawarra, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Simpson Percy, Patrick's Plains, 1 bricklayer, in lieu of man assigned and not received.
 Smith John, Camden Forest, 1 errand-boy, in turn.

Steele Charles, Cassilis, 10 labourers, 1 brick-maker, 1 tailor, 1 sawyer, transferred from Richard King.
 Street John, Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Tozer Horatio, Port Macquarie, 1 labourer, as a new settler.
 Turner George Cooper, Bathurst, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Wilton Rev. C. P. N., Newcastle, 1 labourer, for Glebe.
 Westmacott Robert, Illawarra, 1 boy, in turn.
 Wallace Francis, St. Vincent's, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Wilson Captain, for his Farm, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Wallace William, St. Vincent's, 1 errand-boy, in turn.
 Young Alexander, Kiama, 1 errand-boy, in turn.

J. M'LEAN.

*Principal Superintendent of Convicts' Office,
 Sydney, 29th December, 1840.*

TICKETS-OF-LEAVE CANCELLED.

THE Tickets-of-leave granted to the under-mentioned prisoners have been cancelled, for the reasons set against their respective names:—

Cutts Robert, Portland, gambling; District of Maitland.
 Cleary William, Norfolk (3), encouraging thieves; ditto.
 Daley James, Royal Admiral, drunkenness; District of Sydney.
 Green George, Albion (2), encouraging thieves; District of Maitland.
 Foster John, Hive (2), dishonest conduct; District of Queanbeyan.
 Harrison William, Marquis of Hastings (1), taken out of a disorderly house; District of Sydney.
 Heley Terence, James Laing, illegally at large; ditto.
 Harman George, Princess Victoria, disorderly conduct; District of Singleton.
 Hooper Joseph, Speke (3), disorderly conduct; District of Sydney.
 Holland Daniel, Sesostris, breach of agreement; District of Maitland.
 Hall Thomas, Lady M'Naughton, aiding in the escape of armed bushrangers; District of Carcoar.
 Jackson Daniel, Parmelia, disorderly conduct; District of Sydney.
 Lee William, Dick, disorderly conduct; ditto.
 Mason William, Lord Melville, disorderly conduct; ditto.
 M'Curdie John, Lady Kennaway (3), neglect of duty; District of Stonequarry.
 Pearson John, Parmelia, larceny; District of Maitland.
 Richardson Daniel, Recovery, drunkenness; District of Sydney.
 Smith Charles, alias John West, Royal George, drunkenness; District of Wollington.
 Whitehead James, Waterloo (1), drunkenness; District of Sydney.
 Waddington James, York, breach of agreement; District of Parramatta.
 Wilkinson John (2), dishonest conduct; District of Parramatta.

*By His Excellency's Command,
 J. M'LEAN.*

*Police Office, Wollombi,
22nd December, 1840.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following Horses, left by six armed Bushrangers at Glenmuir, on Friday, the 18th instant, are now running at Ilalong, and that they will be delivered on proving property, and payment of Expenses, on application to Mr. Charles Eyles, Ilalong, or

DAVID DUNLOP, Police Magistrate.

One Bay Mare, black points, large white star in forehead, white streak down the nose, branded WD on the near shoulder, long tail not been docked, rising 4 years old.

One Strawberry-coloured Horse, iron-grey points, with a long dark tail and no brand, aged.

One Iron-grey Horse, switch tail, iron-grey points, brand S on the near shoulder, with a dot under the same, on the off shoulder a circle; 5 years old.

Two of the Horses have been represented as taken from Brisbane Water.

NOTICE.

A MARE of the undermentioned description having been found on the summit of Mount Clarence by the Hartley Police, where it is supposed she has been running for the last twelve-months, and to have been left there by bushrangers;—This is therefore to give notice that having been impounded by direction of the Police Magistrate, she will be sold on the 14th day of January next, at the Hartley Pound, in pursuance of the Act of Council, if not previously claimed:—

A light Bay Mare, about 14½ hands high; about 5 years old; white saddle mark; star in forehead; black points; docked tail; branded B on the neck off side under or near the mane.

*By Order of the Police Magistrate,
THOMAS FINN, Chief Constable*

STOLEN or STRAYED from Rossiville, the undermentioned Horses:—

One bay Mare, aged, branded EB on the off side underneath the saddle, white face, 15½ hands high.

One light bay Horse, rising four years old, about 15 hands high, star, off hind foot white, and both fore feet a little white.

One bay Colt, rising three years old, star, two white hind feet.

One black Filly, star, rising three years old, All are branded R on off side under the mane.

If stolen a Reward of Ten Pounds shall be paid to any person who will give such information as shall lead to the recovery of any one of them, and the conviction of the offender or offenders; or if strayed Two Pounds each shall be given to any person who shall give correct information respecting them, at Rossiville, Argyle.

REES JONES.

*Water Police Office,
Sydney 24th December, 1840.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the usual License for Departure was this day granted to W. H. Dutton, to proceed in the Barque *Augustus*, for Port Phillip, agreeable to the 10th section of the Act of Council, 4th Victoria, No. 17.

**H. H. BROWN, J. P.,
Superintendent of Water Police.**

No. 85. December 30, 1840.

*Water Police Office, Sydney,
22nd December, 1840.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the usual License for Departure was this day granted to Alexander McLean, to proceed in the Barque *Augustus*, for Port Phillip, agreeable to the 10th Section of the Act of Council, 4th Victoria, No. 17.

**H. H. BROWNE, J. P.
Superintendent of Water Police.**

QUARTER SESSIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Courts of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, in and for the Colony of New South Wales, will be holden at the several Court Houses of the undermentioned places, on the days and times as following, viz: Sydney, Friday, 1st January, 1841; Campbelltown, Wednesday, 20th January; Berrima, Tuesday, 26; at which respective times and places all persons under recognizances to appear either as Prosecutors, Witnesses, or Defendants, or who have Appeals to interpose, or other business to transact are desired to give their attendance at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

**E. ROGERS,
Clerk of the Peace.**

*Court House, Sydney,
7th December, 1840.*

Sydney, December 1st, 1840.

THE SYNOD OF AUSTRALIA.

A MEETING of the Clergymen and Elders composing the Synod of Australia, in connexion with the Established Church of Scotland, will be held at St. Andrew's Church, Sydney, at Twelve o'clock, on the first Thursday of January, 1841.

**JOHN TAIT, Moderator,
JAMES FULLERTON, Synod Clerk.**

REPORT of a Deserter from the Twenty-eighth Regiment of Foot, dated at Parramatta, New South Wales, this 9th day of December, 1840:—

Name—Joseph Bully, No. 957, Corporal

Age—25 years

Size—5 feet 8½ inches

Colour of—Complexion, fair; Hair, light brown;

Eyes, hazel

Peculiar marks by which his identity may be ascertained—None

Date of Desertion—23rd October, 1840

From whence Deserted—20 Mile Hollow

Date of Enlistment—16th November, 1832

Place of Enlistment—Hertford

Parish where Born—Hertford

County—Hertford

Former Trade or Occupation—Labourer

Dress at the time of Desertion—Regimental

Coatee; Waistcoat, None; Regimental Duck Trousers

Remarks—Lance Sergeant at the time of Desertion, and is supposed to have gone to Port Essington

**C. FRENCH,
Lieutenant-Colonel of 28th Regiment.**

REPORT of a Deserter from the Twenty-eighth Regiment of Foot, dated at Parramatta, New South Wales, this 16th day of December, 1840:—

Name—Francis Hood, No. 1038, Private

Age—25 years and 6 months

Size—5 feet 6½ inches
 Colour of—Complexion, fresh; Hair, light brown;
 Eyes, hazel
 Peculiar Marks by which his Identity may be as-
 certained—None
 Date of Desertion—3rd December, 1840
 From whence Deserted—20 Mile Hollow
 Date of Enlistment—16th December, 1834
 Place of Enlistment—Coventry
 Parish where Born—Witherley
 County—Leicester
 Former Trade or Occupation—Tailor
 Dress at the time of Desertion—Regimental
 Coatee; Waistcoat, None; Regimental Duck
 Trousers.
 Remarks—Supposed to have gone to Sydney
 for the purpose of proceeding to Port Ade-
 laide
 C. FRENCH,
Lieutenant-Colonel of 28th Regiment.

R E P O R T O F A D E S E R T E R from the
 Twenty-eighth Regiment of Foot, dated
 at Parramatta, New South Wales, this 20th day of
 December, 1840 :—
 Name—Thomas Wood, No. 981, Private
 Age—25 Years and 8 months
 Size—5 feet 8 inches
 Colour of—Complexion, fair; Hair, brown;
 Eyes, brown
 Peculiar marks by which his identity may be as-
 certained—None
 Date of Desertion—15th December, 1840
 From whence Deserted—Berrima
 Date of Enlistment—26th February, 1833
 Place of Enlistment—Ashton-under-Line
 Parish where Born—Braixworth
 County—Northampton
 Former Trade or Occupation—Labourer
 Dress at the time of Desertion—Shell Jacket;
 Waistcoat, none; White Duck Trousers
 Remarks—None.

C. FRENCH,
Lieutenant-Colonel 28th Regiment.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS.

T H E C O M M I S S I O N E R S hereby give notice
 of their intention to proceed in the investi-
 gation of the undermentioned CLAIMS TO LAND
 AND TOWN ALLOTMENTS, the descriptions of which
 for Deeds of Grant, have been fully set forth
 in former advertisements.

MONDAY, the 18th day of January, 1841,
 and following days at Eleven o'Clock have
 been appointed for the hearings, and all parties
 interested are desired to be in attendance with
 their documents and witnesses, as the Cases will
 be heard consecutively, from day to day; and
 those Cases, in which there may be no attendance
 will be postponed at the discretion of the Court.
 No. of Case.

- 821. Edward Lambert Adams of the Hon. East
 India Company's service, representative
 of
- 822. David Smith, of Kiama.
- 823. John M'Governine, representative of
- 824. James Bowman, of Lyndhurst
- 825. James Bellamy, of Castle-hill, by his at-
 torney, A. Hayward, Esq.
- 826. Thomas Fitzgerald, Thomas Johnson, and

- Dennis Byrne, as trustees, by their at-
 torneys, Messrs. Chambers and Thurlow,
 in opposition to Mary Richards, widow.
 - 827. Henry Harvey, of Parramatta.
 - 828. George Thomas Bean, by his attorney, Jo-
 seph Steel, Esq.
 - 829. William Havrard Bennett, of Parramatta,
 by his attorney, J. Armitstead, Esq., op-
 posed to John Obie.
 - 830. William Wright, of the Surry-hills, by his
 attorney, A. Hayward, Esq., opposed by
 John Baxter.
 - 831. Colonel Kenneth Snodgrass, Eggleton, Wil-
 liam's River, and Sir Thomas Livingston
 Mitchell, of Sydney, as trustee for Janet
 Wright Snodgrass.
 - 832. Samuel Barber, of Parramatta, by his at-
 torney, A. Hayward, Esq.
 - 833. Ditto, ditto.
 - 834. Abraham Cornwall, of Richmond, carrier.
 - 835. Simon Kemp, of Newcastle, by his attorney,
 W. H. Moore, Esq.
 - 836. James Richard Muir, of Maitland, by his
 attorney, H. J. Pilcher.
 - 837. Henry Collins Sempil, of Wolomulu.
 - 838. Hugh Taylor, of Parramatta.
- Such Cases as may be postponed at the sitting of
 the 30th instant, will likewise be heard.
By direction of the Commissioners,
 JOHN THOMPSON, *Secretary.*
Court of Claims Office,
Bent Street, Dec. 21st, 1840.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

N O T I C E is hereby given that the following
 Claims for DEEDS OF GRANT OF
 LAND AND TOWN ALLOTMENTS will be
 ready for the examination of the Commissioners,
 appointed for the purpose under the Act of Council
 5 William IV., No. 21, at the expiration of two
 months from this date, before which day any Caveat
 or counter claim must be entered at this office.
 Due notice will be given of the days appointed
 for the hearings.

Case No. 846.—Colonel John Kenneth M'Kenzie,
 of Narriga, by his Attorney, E. D. O Riley,
 Esq.

Five hundred and sixty acres, County of St.
 Vincent parish unnamed, at *Narriga*; bounded
 on the south by a line west 80 chains, com-
 mencing at Titringo Creek at the north boundary
 of George Galbraith's 2000 acres grant; on the
 west by a line north 80 chains; on the north by
 a line east 88 chains; and on the east by Titringo
 Creek.

*This land was located on an order of Governor
 Darling, dated 3rd November, 1829, in favor of
 George Gilbraith, deceased, whose executors have
 sold to claimant.*

Case No. 847.—William James Packer, of Gun-
 daroo, in trust.

Forty-five perches, County of Cumberland,
 Town of Sydney, parish of St. Andrew, allotment
 No. 13 of section No. 27; bounded on the east
 by York-street, bearing north 15 degrees 30 min-
 utes, west 71 links; on the north by Nos. 14, 15,
 16 allotments, bearing west 15 degrees 30 min-
 utes, south 53 links; again by a line west 19
 degrees 30 minutes, south 58 links; and again
 by a line bearing west 17 degrees 30 minutes,

south 154 links; again on the east by No. 14 allotment, bearing north 15 degrees, west 6 links; again by a line bearing north 12 degrees 30 minutes, west 54½ links; on the west by Clarence-street, bearing south 15 degrees 15 minutes, east 127½ links; and on the south by No. 12 allotment, bearing east 16 deg. 30 min., north 272 links.

This description was inserted in the Gazette notice of 11th June, 1834, page 375, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant in the name of Thomas Smidmore, who was reported as the proprietor. Packer alleges that in 1823 it belonged to Sarah Whiting, who devised it to Executors, who sold it to the late John Galloway, who devised it in trust to Claimant for the benefit of his children.

Case No. 848.—Thomas Bowden, of Parramatta, opposed by George Flintoff, of Parramatta, Shoemaker.

Forty-one perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment of section No. 20; bounded on the south by Fennell-street, east 213 links; on the east by an allotment, north 130 links; on the north by John Ward's allotment, west 182 links to Villiers-street; and on the west by Villiers-street, south 6 degrees, west 138 links.

This allotment, it is alleged, was originally located on a promise made to William Burgin, who sold to Claimant, in whose name it was advertised on 12th January, 1832, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant. Flintoff, it is understood, disputes Bowden's claim.

Case No. 849.—James Byrnes, of Parramatta, Auctioneer.

Seventy-three perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. of section No. 16; bounded on the west by David Whittaker's, (now T. H. James's allotment) south 2 degrees, east 264 links; on the south by Mary Cromie's allotment, east 191 links; on the east by Sorell-street 239 links; and on the north by Fennell-street 197 links.

This allotment, it appears, was originally located by John Flinn, who was found in possession. and in 1832 was allowed by Governor Darling to retain the allotment. He, it is alleged, sold to Nicholas Cavillon, who is now in Newcastle jail, and who has assigned all his property to Byrnes.

Case No. 850.—John Richardson, of Black-wattle Swamp, Innkeeper.

Ninety-three and a half perches, County of Cumberland, parish of St. John, town of Parramatta, allotment No. 38, on the south side of Argyle-street, in section No. 6; bounded on the north by Argyle-street, 2 chains 96 links; on the west by Robert Gore's allotment, 2 chains 22 links; on the south by a line 2 chains 69 links; and on the east by John Price's allotment, 2 chains 22 links to Argyle-street.

This allotment, it is alleged, was originally located by James Garland, who sold to the late Samuel Larkin, in whose name it was advertised on 12th January, 1832, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant. Larkin assigned it with other property to his children, who sold to Richardson.

Case No. 851.—Hannah Mitchell, of Parramatta, or her Representatives.

Seventeen perches, county of Cumberland, pa-

rish of St. John, Town of Parramatta, part of allotment No. 5 of section No. 7; bounded on the south by Aird-street, bearing east 5 degrees, south 45½ links; on the east by John Bradley's allotment, bearing north 8 degrees, east 2 chains 38 links; on the north by a line west, 7 degrees north 45½ links; and on the west by a line south 8 degrees, west 2 chains, 34 links.

This allotment is a portion of a larger one, originally consisting of three allotments, claimed by Samuel Larkin. In 1832 Hannah Mitchell claimed this portion, and it was measured and described with a view to the preparation of a Deed of Grant in her name.—She cannot now be traced.

Case No. 852.—William Long, Trustees of, by their attorney, E. D. O'Riley, Esq.

Two perches, County of Cumberland, Town of Sydney, Parish of St. Phillip, allotment No. 6 of section No. 69; bounded on the east by the line of Harrington-street, bearing north 8 degrees east 31 links; on the north by a line bearing west 8 degrees, north 58½ links, on the west by Gloucester-street, bearing south 12 degrees, west 20 links; and on the south by allotment No. 7, bearing east 10 degrees, south 60 links.

This description was advertised in the Gazette notice of 16th March, 1839, page 325, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant for William Long, who was reported as the proprietor.

Case No. 853.—Nichols, of

Eight perches, County of Cumberland, Town of Sydney, parish of St. Phillip, allotment No. 6 of section No. 84; bounded on the west by Harrington-street, bearing south 2 degrees, east 50 links; on the south by allotment No. 7, bearing east 45 minutes, south 86 links; on the east by allotment No. 8, bearing north 2 degrees, west 86½ links; and on the north by allotments Nos. 4 and 5, bearing west 45 minutes, north 23½ links; then south 2 degrees east 36½ links; then west 45 minutes, north 62½ links.

This description was inserted in the Gazette notice of 13th April, 1839, page 441, and preparatory, on the 20th January, 1835, page 43, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant in the name of Nichols, who was reported as proprietor.

Case No. 854, Joseph Richardson, of Parramatta, Representative of

Fifty-one perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. 42, on the west side of the Windsor-road, in section No. 26; bounded on the south-east by Webb's allotment, south 54½ degrees, west 252 links from the Windsor-road; on the south-west by a line north 35 degrees, west 133 links; on the north-west by Hill's allotment, north 57 degrees, east 252 links; and on the north-east by the Windsor-road, south 35 degrees 123 links.

This allotment, it would appear, was purchased of one Grimshaw by William Mackanally, whose claim was advertised by Governor Darling, and the description was advertised in the Government notice of 12th January, 1832, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant in his name. He, it is alleged, sold to Richardson, deceased, whose widow is in possession.

Case No. 855.—Edward M^r Roberts, of Sydney.

Fifty-three perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta,

allotment No. 57, on the west side of the Windsor-road, in section No. 27; bounded on the north-west by T. Woolley's allotment, south 49 degrees, west 250 links; on the south-west by a line south 38 degrees, east 133 links; on the south-east by a line north 49 degrees, east 250 links to the Windsor-road; and on the north-north-east by the Windsor-road, north 42 degrees, west 131 links.

In 1831 John Harris was found in possession of this allotment. His claim was admitted by Governor Darling, and the description was inserted in the Gazette notice of 12th January, 1832, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant for him: at present it is understood to belong to M'Roberts. One Madden seems at one time to have exercised an ownership over it.

Case No. 856.—James Byrnes, of Parramatta, Auctioneer.

Sixty-nine perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. 3, on the west of the Windsor-road, in section No. 25 A; bounded on the south by Thomas Fernal's allotment, south 84 degrees, west 296 links; on the west by a line north 25½ degrees, west 150 links; on the north by a line north 84½ degrees, east 279 links to the Windsor-road; and on the east by the Windsor-road, south 31 degrees, east 155 links.

This allotment, it would appear, was originally located by Shying, the Chinese, who sold to Daniel Neale, whose claim was admitted by Governor Darling in 1832, and the description was advertised in the Government notice of 12th January of that year, with a view to the making out of a Deed of Grant for him. Neale, it is alleged, has sold to Nicholas Cavillon, who is now in Newcastle jail, and has assigned all his property to Byrnes.

Case No. 857.—Joseph Richardson, of Parramatta; Representatives of

Fifty-four perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. 43, on the left side of the Windsor-road, in section No. 26; bounded on the north-east by the Windsor-road, north 45 degrees, west 138 links; on the north-west by an allotment south 54 degrees, west 250 links; on the south-west by a line south 35 degrees, west 128 links; and on the south-east by M'Kanally's allotment, south 57 degrees, east 252 links.

This allotment, it appears, was purchased from one James Byrnes by Samuel Hill, who was found in possession in 1832, and his claim was admitted by Governor Darling, and the description inserted in the Gazette notice of 12th January, 1832, preparatory to the making out of a Deed of Grant. Hill, it is alleged, sold to Joseph Richardson, deceased, whose widow is living on the premises.

By the direction of the Commissioners,
JOHN THOMPSON,

Secretary.

Court of Claims Office,
Bent Street, 12th December, 1840.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following CLAIMS to DEEDS of GRANT of LANDS and TOWN ALLOTMENTS will be ready for examination by the Commissioners appointed for the purpose under the Act of Council 5th William IV. No. 21, at the expiration of two

months from this date, before which day any Caveat or counter claim must be entered at this Office. Due notice will be given of the days appointed for the hearings.

Case No. 858.—Emma Blake, of Parramatta, by her attorney, Augustus Hayward, Esq., Samuel Henry Horne, of Singleton; John Duck, of Parramatta.

Eighty-five perches, County of Cumberland, parish of the Field of Mars, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. 2 of section No. 8; bounded on the west by a line 3 chains 10 links; on the north by a line 1 chain 84 links; on the east by a line to Pennant-street 3 chains 14 links; and on the south by that street 1 chain 70 links.

This allotment was leased by Sir Thomas Brisbane, for 21 years, from 30th June, 1823, to Henry Mullet, (otherwise Millet) who sold 25 perches thereof to Horne; the remaining 60 perches passed, respectively, to William Burgen, James Watsford, John Paul, and Emma Blake; part of Horne's, it would appear, was once claimed by John Duck. The owner will have to agree upon a common trustee, and pay a fine equal to 21 years' of the Quit-rent.

Case No. 859.—Francis Watkins, of Parramatta, merchant, &c., in trust of John Tingcombe, merchant; Henry Whitaker, settler; and Mary Barley, all of Parramatta, by their attorney, J. Armitstead, Esq.

Seventy-six perches, County of Cumberland, parish of St. John, Town of Parramatta, allotment No. 12 on the south side of George-street, in section No. 16; bounded on the west by a line 3 chains 60 links; on the south by a line 65 links to the east boundary of allotment No. 15 Church-street; by that boundary 36 links, and by a line 70 links; on the east side by a line to George-street 3 chains 93 links; and on the north by that street one chain 9 links.

This allotment was leased by Sir Thomas Brisbane for 21 years, from 30th June, 1823, to Abigail Kelly, who sold to various persons. Tingcombe bought of Rapsey and Mitchell. Whitaker takes through his wife, who bought of Lessee, and Barley bought of Montgomery. Hassell's executors and Ann Ever appear to have had claims on the allotment. The Deed is prayed for on proposing to pay a fine equal to 21 years quit-rent.

Case No. 860.—John Eckford, of Maitland, by Messrs. Pilcher and Plaistowe, Solicitors.

Forty acres, County of Northumberland, parish of Maitland, Wallis' Plains, Maitland; bounded on the north by allotment No. 4; the other side commencing at the south-west corner of No. 4, and running south 7½ chains to the main road; thence south 39 degrees east by the said road 60 links; thence east 44 chains and 70 links to the River; thence by the River north 28 degrees east 11 chains to the south-east corner of No. 4, &c., to the Water Course.

This land was located on an order dated 8th August, 1829, of Governor Darling in favor of John Balcot, against whom the Sheriff sold to H. J. Pilcher, who released the land to James Nickels, now deceased, who devised it in trust to claimant for the benefit of his wife Mary Nickels, for her life, and then to his children.

Case No. 861.—Richard Woodbury, of Mangrove Creek, settler.

Thirty acres, County of Northumberland, parish unnamed, at Mangrove Creek, opposite Suggee-bag Creek; bounded on the south by a line east 7 chains 60 links, commencing at Mangrove Creek; on the east side by a line north to Mangrove Creek; and on all other sides by Mangrove Creek.

This land was located on an order of Governor Macquarie's, dated 31st March, 1821, in favour of Thomas Downes. Woodbury alleges that the farm is his property.

Case No. 862.—James Budd, of the Wollombi, Representatives of

One hundred acres, County of Northumberland, parish unnamed, Veteran's allotment, No. 7, at the Wollombi; commencing at the south-east corner of the allotment No. 2, and bounded on the north by a line bearing east 50 chains; on the east by a line bearing south 20 chains; on the south by a line bearing west 50 chains; and on the west by a line bearing north 20 chains.

This land was located on an order of Governor Darling, dated 10th August, 1829, in favour of James Budd, now deceased. The deed of grant is claimed by Sophia Sweetman, the relict of Budd, but the deed must be to the heir-at-law if Budd died intestate.

Case No. 863.—William Walker, Thomas Walker, and Samuel Ashmore, by their Solicitor, David Poole, Esq.

Two thousand five hundred and sixty acres, County of Murray, parish unnamed, at Yarralumla; commencing at a large Oak Tree on the Molonglo River; and bounded on the south by a line west 381 chains; on the west by a line north 80 chains; on the north by a line east 250 chains to the Molonglo River; and on the east by that River, to the large Oak Tree aforesaid.

This land was located on an order of Governor Bourke, dated 14th May, 1836, in favour of Edmund Harrison Cliffe, deceased, who, it is alleged, devised to Claimants in trust.

Case No. 864.—William Walker, Thomas Walker, and Samuel Ashmore, by their Solicitor, David Poole, Esq.

Seven hundred and fifty acres, County of Murray, parish unnamed, near Yarralumla; commencing at the north-west corner of E. H. Cliffe's 2560 acres grant; and bounded on the south by that grant, being a line west 80 chains; on the east by a measured portion of 890 acres, being a line north 85 chains to the Molonglo River; on the north by that River downwards, to a marked oak tree; and on the west by a measured portion of 1070 acres, being a line south 110 chains, to the north-west corner of E. H. Cliffe's 2560 acres aforesaid.

Also,—

Eight hundred and ninety acres, County of Murray, parish unnamed, near Yarralumla; commencing at the Molonglo River, at the north-east corner of E. H. Cliffe's 2560 acres grant; and bounded on the south by that grant, being a line west 170 chains; on the west by a measured portion of 750 acres, being a line north 85 chains, to the Molonglo River; and on the north and east by that River, to the north-east corner of E. H. Cliffe's grant of 2560 acres aforesaid.

No. 85. December 30, 1840.

These Lands were purchased of the Crown, at the Sale of 9th August, 1837, by Edward Harrison Cliffe, deceased, who, it is alleged, has devised them to Claimants in trust.

By direction of the Commissioners.

JOHN THOMPSON,

Secretary.

Court of Claims' Office, Bent-
street, 26th Decr., 1840. }

STATE of the Female Factory, Parramatta,
on Tuesday, 29th December, 1840:—

Under Colonial Sentence.....	450
In Solitary Confinement	68
Confined by order of the Matron	3
Assignable { To Sydney.....	5
{ To the Interior	42
Number not Assignable	114
Nursing Children	95
In Hospital	39

Total number of Women..... 816

Total number of Children

S. BELL, MATRON.

Principal Superintendent of Convicts' Office,
Sydney, December 30, 1840.

THE undermentioned Prisoners having absconded from the individuals and employments set against their respective names, and some of them being at large with stolen Certificates and Tickets of Leave, all Constables and others are hereby required and commanded to use their utmost exertion in apprehending and lodging them in safe custody. Any person harbouring or employing any of the said Absentees, will be prosecuted as the law directs.

J. McLEAN,

Principal Superintendent of Convicts.

Taylor Thomas, alias Henley Thomas, Minerva, (5.) 30. Newcastle-upon-Tyne, writing master, 5 feet 7½ inches, sallow comp., brown hair, grey eyes, charged with forgery, from No 7 Road Party, since February 27, 1833.

Morrissey Edward, Borodino, 28-1105, 33, Kilkenny, clerk, 5 feet 7½ inches, sallow comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, at large with a Pass from the Police Magistrate, Bathurst, since July 1834.

Cunningham Arthur, Ann Emelia, and Alligator, county Tyrone, farm labourer, 5 feet 5½ inches, florid comp., reddish brown hair, hazel eyes, supposed to have escaped in the Nimrod Whaler, under the assumed name of Kelly, in September 1835, from Hobart Town.

Crisp Amos, Ocean (1) 25, Suffolk, gardener, 5 feet 5½ inches, florid comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, charged with cattle stealing, from Hyde Park Barracks, since March 1836.

Jeffreys George, Hive (1), 34-758, 35, Devonshire, seaman and farm labourer, 5 feet 3½ inches, dark sallow comp., brown to grey hair, hazel eyes, nose inclining a little to the left side, scar betwixt the eyebrows, blue ring left little finger, left fourth and little fingers contracted, PJME cocoa-nut tree and H N inside lower left arm, anchor back of ball of left thumb, scar back of left forefinger, from Goat Island, since July 17, 1836.

Johnson Samuel, Hive, 34-889, 24, Chelsea, plasterer, 5 feet 1½ inch, ruddy comp., brown hair, grey eyes, nose large and inclining a little to the right side, small mole under right ear, anchor inside lower right arm, SH inside lower left arm, from Goat Island, since July 17, 1836.

Birch David, Mollatt, 33, Thame, shoemaker, 3 feet 0½ inch, fair comp., reddish hair, dark hazel eyes, nose small and sharp, mouth small, chin small, from Flinder's Island in Van Diemens's Land since August 2, 1836.

Brown Henry, Henry Tanner, 34-2057, 31, London seaman, 5 feet 1½ inch, dark sallow and pockpitted comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, scar over inner corner of right eyebrow, whiskers meeting under the chin, breast hairy, from Goat Island, since July 17, 1836.

Percy Henry, Roslin Castle (3), 34-1937, 24, Glasgow, stonemason, 5 feet 3½ inches, sallow comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, lost one front upper tooth, scar slight on left cheek, scar on left thumb, from Goat Island, since July 17, 1836.

Thorp Charles, Georgiana, 37, Nottingham, warehouseman, 5 feet 8½ inches, florid comp., brown hair grey eyes, red whiskers, visage long, forehead wide and perpendicular, from His Majesty's Hulk, Phoenix, since November 11, 1836, while under sentence of transportation for life.

Hoffman John, Bengal Merchant (1), 35-656, 26, Surry, boat builder, 5 feet 8½ inches, dark ruddy comp., brown hair, brown eyes, mouth small, nose thick, ship, woman, and spear lower right arm, top of right fourth and little fingers crooked, blue ring right middle finger, man, woman, tree, 1880, heart and two darts, two birds, from Woolloomooloo Ironed Gang, since June 7.

Brown alias Jones alias Anderson William, James Pattison, 30-78, 50, Beverly, Yorkshire, seaman, 4 feet 3½ inches, ruddy and freckled comp., sandy to light brown hair, hazel eyes, scar over right eyebrow and top of left arm joint, from Hyde Park Barracks, since July 9.

Kent Thomas, Prince of Orange, 31, Plymouth, groom 5 feet 2½ inches, dark florid comp., dark hair, dark eyes from custody of a Constable, Bargo, since October 24.

Knight John, Earl Grey, (2), 40, Stafford, coachman, 5 feet 8½ inches, ruddy comp., brown hair, grey eyes, eyebrows partially meeting, large raised mole right cheek, scar both sides of jaw, arms hairy, from Immigrant's Quarters, Sydney, since November 30.

Wheeler George, John, (3), 27, Worcestershire, ostler, 5 feet 6½ inches, ruddy and freckled comp., dark brown hair, dark grey eyes, scar first joint of little finger of right hand, small scar on under lip, from Cocatoo Island, since June 17.

Jackson Robert, Lloyds, (2), 27, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, waterman, 5 feet 5 inches, ruddy and freckled comp., dark brown hair, brown eyes, scar left side of upper lip, near the nose, brown natural mark on breast, and eight stars inside lower right arm, boats arm nine daggers half moon sun m p R J lower left arm, half moon and several small stars back of left hand, ring each finger of same, from Government Boats' Crew, Sydney, since July 18.

Wells Richard, Parmelia (1), 42, Yorkshire, farm labourer, 5 feet 5½ inches, sallow and pockpitted comp., black hair, grey eyes, nose small, scar back of left thumb, two scars fore finger of same, scar bell of right ear, from General Hospital, Sydney, since September 17.

Burns William, Kate, 27, Bolton, Lancashire, tailor, 5 feet 8½ inches, dark pale comp., brown hair, dark hazel eyes, two moles over inner corner of left eyebrow, two on each cheek, mark of a bell near the back of left ear, scar upper part of nose, jagged scar centre of upper lip, scar under left jaw, another on left breast, scar inside and two hairy moles outside lower right arm, two scars small of left leg, (was here before in the same name, per ship John, 1837, for seven years,) from Hyde Park Barracks, since January 28.

Galley Joseph, Lady Kennaway, 29, County Surry, soldier, &c., 5 feet 5½ inches, dark sallow comp., dark brown hair, brown eyes, D under left arm, J. Galley A H inside lower right arm, scar back of left hand, scar back of fourth finger of left hand, from the Circular Quay Gang, Sydney, since July 29.

Crowley Langley John, Susan (1), 38, Staffordshire, carrier's clerk, 5 feet 4½ inches, ruddy and freckled comp., light hair, grey to blue eyes, red whiskers, lost canine tooth left side of under jaw, scar back of right hand, at large with forged pass, from Charles Thompson, Penrith, since 18th December last.

Williams William Rowland, Florentia (1), 31, Carmarthen, medical professional student, 5 feet 4 inches and upwards, dark ruddy comp., dark brown hair, dark brown eyes, small scar over corner left eye, from General Hospital, Newcastle, since May 1, 1837.

Derbridge William, Hercules (4), 48, Hertfordshire, blacksmith, (complete), sallow and much pockpitted comp., dark brown and mixed with grey hair, hazel eyes, nail of little finger of left hand split, arms hairy, from Mrs. Hely Brisbane Water, since 26th December last. Supposed that he will endeavour to escape from the Colony.

Fahy John, Middlesex (1), 84, county Galway, labourer, 5 feet 4½ inches, sallow comp., brown hair, blue eyes, eye, brows partially meeting, small mole on bell of right ear, small lump top of head, from Grose Farm, since March 6.

Higgins William alias Silverlock, Kate, 39, Liverpool, labourer, 5 feet 6½ inches, sallow and little pockpitted comp., black hair, brown eyes, diagonal scar centre of forehead, horizontal scar under right eye, another under centre

of lower lip, breast and arms hairy, anchor inside lower right arm, jagged scar ball of left thumb, blue dot back of left hand, large featured, (was transported before to this Colony, by the ship York, in 1831, for seven years, in the name of William Higgins,) from Escort 50th Regiment, proceeding from Kiama to Wollongong, since 10th March. Moncrieff William Stewart, Kate, 37, Edinburgh, clerk, 5 feet 10½ inches, dark ruddy comp., dark brown mixed with grey hair, brown eyes, eyebrows meeting, small raised mole over left eyebrow, two back of left cheek, nose large, scar back of top of middle finger of right hand, scar back of left thumb, scar on fore and one on middle fingers of left hand, chin small and declining, (was here before in the same name, for seven years, by the Caroline, in 1823,) from Escort 50th Regiment, proceeding from Kiama to Wollongong, since the 10th March.

Lewis Henry, Guildford (6), 35, Birmingham, button burnisher, 5 feet 5½ inches and upwards, brown comp., brown hair, grey eyes, from Hyde Park Barracks, since 9th April.

Cook Richard, Albion, (1), 37, Liverpool, porter, 5 feet 3½ inches, ruddy freckled comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, BC and JC three times and MC square and compass sun moon and seven stars on right arm, masonic emblems on left, from Messenger whilst returning to his master, W. Bucknell, since April 27.

Dunlop James, Royal Sovereign (1), 53, county Antrim farm labourer, 5 feet 7½ inches, dark sallow comp., brown to grey hair, hazel eyes, mole top of forehead, scar betwixt forefinger and thumb of left hand, from Stockade, Woolloomooloo, since 13th June last.

Bristol Arthur, Albion (1), 32, Sussex, stocking weaver, 5 feet 5½ inches and upwards, ruddy fair comp., light brown hair, grey eyes, from Stockade, Woolloomooloo, since 13th June last.

Jones John, alias Oswald Hilchcock, Lady Feversham, 29, London, carpenter and joiner's apprentice, 5 feet 5½ inches and upwards, ruddy and freckled comp., brown hair, hazel eyes, from Stockade, Woolloomooloo, since 13th June last.

Varney James, Marquis Huntley, (1), 32, London, labourer, 5 feet 4½ inches and upwards, ruddy comp., dark brown hair, hazel eyes, PS and heart on right arm, scar corner of right eye, from Stockade, Woolloomooloo, since 13th June last.

Browne William, Mary Ridgeway, 23, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, county Northumberland, blacksmith two years, 5 feet 5½ inches, sallow and freckled comp., black hair, grey eyes, slight perpendicular scar top of centre of forehead, diagonal scar over right eyebrow, brig on upper, WxL man and anchor inside lower right arm, man and woman on upper, JS. WL anchor and mermaid on lower left arm, scar knuckle of third finger of left hand, scar back of third and little fingers of same, scar back of right thumb, from Hyde Park Barracks, since August 12.

Wilson John, Clyde (1), 24, Lancaster, farmer's boy 4 feet 9½ inches and upwards, fair ruddy and freckled comp., red hair, brown eyes, MWTW on lower right arm, large scar around ball of left thumb, from Hyde Park Barracks, since August 12.

Stenson Alexander, Castle Forbes, 52, Antrim, labourer, 5 feet 8½ inches, ruddy and freckled comp., sandy hair, hazel and grey eyes, long diagonal scar over right eye, small scar outer corner and one over right eyebrow, two small scars under left eye, scar inside left arm, scar across back of right hand, raised mark under both upper elbows, from Stockade, Woolloomooloo, since 13th June last.

Knight John, Dunvegan Castle, 29, London, butcher, 5 feet 5 inches, ruddy, freckled, and pock-pitted comp., brown hair, brown eyes, KSJHS, glass, and pipes on right arm, under a colonial sentence, and in possession of his certificate of freedom for his original conviction, from Stockade, Campbell Town, since 4th instant.

Deakin Robert, Kate, 43, Leicestershire, laborer, 5 feet 10½ inches, sallow comp., brown hair, blue eyes, scar right side of chin, breast hairy, large raised mole centre of same, mark of a bile near right elbow, two small moles below the same, scar on thumb, another on third, and two on little fingers of right hand, scar outside left elbow, another below the same; he was transported before in the same name, per ship Surry (4), in 1823, for seven years; from Stockade, Illawarra, since September 22.

Britt Thomas, Norfolk (3), 30, Tipperary, stableman, 5 feet 4½ inches, ruddy freckled comp., dark brown hair,

dark hazel eyes, small scar over right eye, from Goal, Berrima, since October 26

Pye James, Mary Ridgway, 27, Norwich, house carpenter, 5 feet 10 inches, dark sallow complexion, black hair, brown eyes, diagonal scar over inner corner of left eyebrow, both little fingers inclining inwards, breast a little hairy, scar outside right knee, scar on cap of left knee, from Stockade Carter's Barracks, November 9.

Reading William James Pattison (2), 22, Portsmouth marble polisher, 5 feet 6 inches and upwards, sallow complexion, dark brown hair, right eye brown, left blue to grey, large diagonal scar on shin, man inside lower right arm, Elizabeth James and heart inside lower left arm, five dots back of left hand, raised mole back of right side of neck; charged with robbery, from Peter Stuckey, Argyle, since November 16.

Hobbs Arthur, Parmelia (1), 31, Belfast, farm servant, 5 feet 7½ inches, brown complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, small mole left side of upper lip, another under tip of chin, scar left side of neck, scar back of right thumb, from custody of a constable on the road from Appin to Wollongong, since November 17.

Blaney Martin, Marquis Huntly (3), 30, London, tailor's boy, 5 feet 0½ inch, ruddy and freckled complexion, brown hair, grey eyes, MB and anchor on left arm, mermaid on right, pig eyed, from custody of a constable, on the road from Appin to Wollongong, since November 17.

Abbott Robert, Eden, 20, Lancashire, labourer, 5 feet 7½ inches, ruddy and freckled complexion, brown hair, hazel-grey eyes, several small scars under right side of lower lip, small mole lower right arm, three on upper left arm, two brown scars left shin, from Stockade, Duck River, since December 26.

Bartie William, Ferguson, 24, Ayrshire, painter and soldier, 5 feet 7½ inches, ruddy complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, women on right arm, small scar over inside of right eye, from Thomas Walker, Goulburn, since December 7.

Chapman John, James Paterson (2), 22, Middlesex, groom, 5 feet 3½ inches and upwards, dark ruddy complexion, light-brown hair, dark-grey eyes, eyebrows meeting, mark of a burn below left side of mouth, similar mark inside right elbow, seven stars, half moon, 1837, man, F. J. H., woman, P., and girl lower right arm, scar back of right hand, near knuckle of third finger, scar forefinger of same, M | J H. M A. H F. H and heart inside low left arm, scar knuckle of forefinger of left hand, from Isabella M. Kelly, Manning River, since November 18.

Cadman James, Eden, 20, Shropshire, collier, 5 feet 6½ inches, ruddy and freckled complexion, brown hair, dark-hazel eyes, nose short and little cocked, scar left side of upper lip, mark of three ulcers on and near left eyebrow, three scars back of left thumb, two scars back of fore and one little finger of left hand, scar cap of left knee, from Stockade, Duck River, since December 26.

Castle Ann, Elizabeth (5), 29, Kent, housemaid all-work, 5 feet 4½ inches, sallow and freckled complexion, brown hair, brown eyes, lost a front upper tooth left side, round scar back of right wrist, scar back of third finger and thumb of left hand, from Mrs. Devlin, Sydney, since December 27.

Collier Robert, Charles Kerr, 32, Suffolk, labourer, 5 feet 1 inch, dark, ruddy, and slightly pockpitted complexion, brown hair, hazel-grey eyes, R X CL X C, heart pierced with two darts inside lower right arm, from A. A. Company, Newcastle, since December 28.

Dwyer Winefred, Surry (9), 38, London, housemaid, 4 feet 10½ inches, ruddy and freckled complexion, red hair, brown eyes, right eye contracted and inflamed, lost two front upper teeth, scar right side of forehead, another centre of same, scar inside upper right arm, another inside left elbow, scar back of left thumb, from Jane Williams, Sydney, since December 28.

Dawson Michael, Eden, 19, Yorkshire, wheeler, 5 feet 3½ inches, sallow and pockpitted complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, eyebrows partially meeting, scar over the left, small mole under the right eye, lost canine tooth right side of lower jaw, from Stockade, Duck River, since Dec. 26.

Hutchinson Richard, John Barry (4), 30, Ayrshire, printer and stereotyper, 5 feet 5½ inches, brown and freckled complexion, brown hair, brown eyes, brown scar left side of upper lip, arms freckled, mark of a burn back of small of left leg, similar mark outside right leg, from F. M. Stokes, Sydney, since December 28.

Hare Ellen, Whitby, 23, Tipperary, dressmaker, 4 feet 11½ inches, fair, ruddy, and freckled complexion, brown hair, reddish brown eyes, lost a part of a front tooth left side of upper jaw, scar over left eyebrow, mark of a bite inside lower left arm, burnt mark back of right wrist, large burnt mark back of left arm, from R. Maddox, Sydney, since December 22.

Hollman John, alias Halloran, Hero, 30, county Kilkenny, tinker, 5 feet 6 inches, ruddy and freckled complexion, dark brown hair, grey eyes, breast hairy, from George Mossman, Raymond Terrace, since December 18.

Morgan John, Parmelia (1), 25, Gloucestershire, racing jockey, 5 feet 2½ inches and upwards, fair, ruddy, and freckled complexion, brown hair, hazel eyes, blind of right eye, from H. Hume, Yass, since July last.

M'Cann Patrick, Patriot, 29, county Londonderry, labourer and soldier in 35th regiment, 5 feet 7½ inches, fair, ruddy, and pock-pitted complexion, brown mixed with grey hair, hazel-grey eyes, scar on top of centre of forehead, small mole on right side of neck, scar on back of third finger of right hand, scar on palm of same, from James Manning, Yass, since December 14.

Nolan Margaret, Surry (9), 40, London, house servant, 4 feet 9 inches, ruddy and much freckled complexion, brown hair, dark hazel eyes, angular scar over outer corner of right eye, scar bridge of nose, scar back of fore and middle fingers of right hand, scar back of third of left hand, from R. N. Goodall, Sydney, since December 28.

Taff Edward, Bengal Merchant (1), 35, Worcester, carpet weaver, 5 feet 0½ inch, dark-sallow complexion, dark-brown hair, chestnut eyes, lost one front upper tooth, scar left side of forehead, eyebrows partially meeting, scar back of left thumb, scar knuckle of forefinger of left hand, from George Brown, Illawarra, since December 9.

Thompson Mary Ann, Sarah and Elizabeth, 39, Falmouth, house-servant, 4 feet 8½ inches, ruddy and a little pockpitted complexion, light-brown hair, grey eyes, lost a part of a front upper tooth left side, scar bridge of nose, two scars back of left thumb, from John Creek, Sydney, since December 26.

Westwood William, Mangles (7), 19, Essex, errand boy, 5 feet 5 inches and upwards, ruddy complexion, brown hair, dark-grey eyes, scar right side of upper lip, mark of a blister betwixt the breasts, scar back of right hand, 1831, Jan 3, 1820 Aug 1, and blue illegible mark lower left arm, sun back of left hand, from Capt. King, R.N., Queenbeyan, since December 14.

Williams Ann, Surry (9), 18, London, housemaid, 5 feet, fair ruddy complexion, sandy brown hair, grey eyes, E, e, e, R, on upper left arm, from Isabella M. Kelly, Manning, since November 18.

THOMAS RYAN, Chief Clerk.

LIST OF RUNAWAYS APPREHENDED DURING THE WEEK.

Boyle Edward, Roslyn Castle (2), C. Cooper, Goulburn.
Chitty Robert, Sophia, Matthew Chapman, Upper William's River.
Davis Edward, alias Wilkinson, Camden (2), P. Wright, Hunter's River.
Davis Richard, Waterloo (4), Dr. Bowman, Segenhoe, Hunter's River.
Dean Samuel, Elizabeth (1), Hyde Park Barracks.
Everet James, Mangles (6), Hyde Park Barracks.
Fazard William, Hooghly (4), John Byrne, Goulburn, reported in error.
Garner John, Royal Admiral, Stockade, Parramatta.
Kerr Ann, Whitby (2), Charles Forrest, Penrith.
Leary Thomas, alias Sutton, Larkins (2), Ticket-of-Leave, District of Yass.
M'Cormick John, Henry Tanner, James Adair, Paterson.
M'Carthy Thomas, Isabella (4), 20 Mile Hollow ironed gang.
Marshall John, Clyde (1), Hyde Park Barracks.
M'Donald John, Westmoreland (1), John King, Lake George.
Matheys, Eden (1), James Stewart, Sydney.
Nowlan Mary Ann, Andromeda (4), John Crowley, Richmond.
Perkins John, Neva, J. R. Bates, Surry Hills.
Shea John, Calcutta, J. H. Pilcher, Maitland.
THOMAS RYAN, Chief Clerk.

IMPOUNDED at Taralga, December 25th, 1840.

One dark bay Mare, blaze down the face, near hind leg white, branded HE conjoined on near shoulder. ∞ T under the saddle, M on off shoulder illegible. Damages 5 shillings.

One chestnut aged Mare, branded 2 on near shoulder. HK under the mane off shoulder branded but not legible. Damages 5 shillings.

If these Mares are not claimed or released on or before the 23rd of January, 1841, they will be sold, agreeably to Act of Council.

ALLAN CAMERON, Poundkeeper.
[10s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Narrellan Pound, on the 19th December, 1840.

One black Bullock, aged, hoop horns, a little white on rump, belly, and tail, branded RC on near rump, with a diamond on near shoulder.

If not claimed and released on or before Thursday, 21st January, 1841, he will be sold at twelve o'clock, at noon, on that day according to Act of Council.

EDWARD DOYLE, Poundkeeper.
Narrellan, 29th December, 1840. [9s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Pitt Town Pound,

One light bay Horse, apparently aged, with black points, short switch tail, small star in the forehead, two white saddle marks from the saddle, stands about fifteen hands and a half high, branded apparently a trident on the off side of neck under the mane.

If the above Horse is not claimed within 21 days he will be sold, agreeable to Act of Council.

WILLIAM JONES, Poundkeeper.
Pitt Town, December 25th, 1840. [9s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Carcoar, on the 15th December, 1840.

One brindle Cow, branded HM on near rump, and HM on off rump, J—L conjoined on same side.

CE
One Calf, not branded.
One black Heifer, branded WC on off rump.

C
One brindle Bull, white tail, branded JG.
One poley Steer, red and white spotted, branded π P on off ribs, and EP on off rump.

If not released before the 15th day of January, 1841, they will be sold to defray expenses, pursuant to Act of Council.

JAMES KERR, Poundkeeper.
Carcoar, 17th December, 1840. [10s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at Prospect, on the 22nd of December, 1840.

One white Cow, cocked horns, red down the cheeks, branded ∞ on right shoulder, M on hip, and S on left ribs. JR

If not claimed and released by the 15th of January, 1841, she will be sold at the Pound, at Prospect, to pay all expenses.

WILLIAM PIKE, Poundkeeper.
Prospect, December 23rd, 1840.
Postage 4d [9s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at Goulburn,

One bay entire yearling Colt, black points, about twelve hands high, from Captain F. N. Rossi's Estate, branded apparently \square on off hip.

If this Colt is not released previous to the 21st January, 1841, he will be sold at the Pound, at noon.

JAMES MARSDEN, Poundkeeper.
December 26th, 1840.
Postage 10d. [9s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED at Wollombi, Baker's Farm,

One brown poley Bull, no brand. £5 damages.

One black and white Bull, no brand. £5 damages.

One black and white poley Heifer, branded WD on near hip. M

One red and white Cow, branded IR on off hip, D on off shoulder.

One brindle and white poley Cow, branded MP con-

joined on near hip, HI on off ribs, Δ on off hip, MC on off thigh, MC on off shoulder.

One brown heifer Calf, near fore leg white, tail white, no brand.

One brown Bull, branded HC. £5 damages.

If not claimed on or before the 11th January they will be sold to defray expenses.

Also on the 19th December,
One speckled Cow, branded T, the TR conjoined, on RW

off hip, D in a circle on off shoulder, W on off ribs; a red bull Calf by her side.

If not claimed on or before the 12th January they will be sold to defray expenses.

Also on the 23rd of December,
One yellow Ox, branded L on shoulder, H on ribs, WS on hip off side.

If not claimed on or before 16th January it will be sold to defray expenses.

Also on the 24th December,
One bay Colt, branded θ L on neck off side, ET on back near side, three years old.

One chestnut Colt, white face, branded GTET on back near side.

If not claimed on or before the 17th January they will be sold to defray expenses.

J. T. BAKER, Poundkeeper.
Wollombi, 23rd December, 1840. [16s.]

IMPOUNDED at Braidwood, December 15th, 1840.

One red and white spotted Bullock, branded JL on right rump.

Also on the 18th.
One brindled and white young Bull, star on forehead, unbranded. £5 damages.

If the above Cattle are not released before the 21st day of January, 1841, they will be sold to defray expenses, agreeably to Act of Council.

WILLIAM FISHER, Poundkeeper.
Braidwood, December 19th, 1840. [10s.]

IMPOUNDED at Satar Pound, Scone, on the 16th December, 1840.

One brindle Cow, branded ∞ T on off rump.

One brindle Bullock, branded CS on near rump, GF on off rump. 6CS

One red poley Cow, branded yy on ribs, y on rump off side.

One brindle Bullock, branded HB on near rump.

One red Bullock, branded HB on near rump.

One yellow and white spotted Cow, branded Y on near rump, with a heifer Calf by her side. Δ ∞ DB

One brindle poley Bullock, branded ∞ B on near ribs.

One red Bullock, branded CC on off rump.

One strawberry Cow and Calf unbranded.

One black Cow, branded 3 on near rump, 0 on off hip, 0 on shoulder, a Calf with her

One yellow Bull, eighteen months old, unbranded; damages, £5.

One brindle Bullock, branded TH on rump and ribs off side.

Unless the above described Cattle are released on or before the 20th day of January next, they will be sold agreeable to Act of Council.

JAMES S. WATSON, Poundkeeper.
[13s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Carlonsdown, in Burragorang, on the 18th December, 1840:—

One red working Bullock, upright horns, white on belly, white spot on each leg, branded apparently TA or TA on off ribs, TA or TA on near shoulder.

One light brindle working Bullock, drooped horns, top cut off, muley mouthed, white on rump and top of tail, near and off hind feet white, illegible brand on off hip, underneath on thigh apparently S.

JF conjoined.

If not claimed and released on or before the 13th of January, 1841, they will be sold at the Pound to defray expenses, agreeable to Act of Council.

PATRICK CARLON, Poundkeeper.
December 19, 1840. [10s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at Patrick's Plains, on the 19th December, 1840:—

One yellow and white brindle working Bullock, branded C.O on rump and thigh.

O
One brindle and white Cow, branded H on off rump, WM on near rump, a red and white female Calf by her side.

One red Heifer, white on belly, and near shoulder, unbranded.

One red and white Cow, branded WS on near ribs, like 9 on rump. JF on off rump, E on ribs.

One red working Bullock, branded LO on off rump DL

and thigh.

One old red and white Cow, branded HD on joined on near rump, like 9 on off rump, apparently disjointed in off rump; damages, 4d.

One red Cow, white belly, tail, and top of rump, branded B on off rump, D-E and SM on off ribs, a OB

white and brown female Calf by her side; damages, 8d.
One red Heifer, branded like SM on off ribs; damages, 4d.

One brindle Cow, white back, belly, and sides, branded B on near shoulder, H on ribs, ISH on rump and thigh; damages, 4l.

One red Cow, branded m on near rump, 2 on shoulder,

like 15 H on off ribs, a red and white female Calf by her side; damages, 8d.

One strawberry Heifer, notches in both ears, branded like AD on off rump, QY on near rump; damages, 4l.

One red and white Heifer, illegible brand on near shoulder; damages, 4l.

One black yearling Bull, unbranded; damages, 4d
One red and white Heifer, branded like M on near shoulder; damages, 5l.

One brown poley Cow, brand indescribable
One dark brown working Bullock, branded D on near rump, another brand not legible.

One chestnut Horse, aged, brand on off ribs not legible, short tail, much saddle marked.

One black male Pig, damages 5l.

If the above Cattle, Horse, and Pig, are not released on or before the 14th January, 1841, they will be sold to defray expenses, agreeable to Act of Council.

GEORGE DEUCHAR, Poundkeeper.

Singleten,

[19s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED from the Estate of Captain Pike, J. P., 23rd December, 1840:—

One black Heifer, branded TD on near rump.

O
One red Heifer, unbranded, two years old.
One black and white Heifer, unbranded, eighteen months old.

One yellow Bullock, branded O on off ribs.

WY
One brindle and white Bullock, branded JH on off rump, TJ on near rump.

One red brindle Bullock, cocked horns, white back, belly, and tail, branded G7 or CI on off thigh.

One strawberry two year old poley Heifer, unbranded, white back and belly, with a white male Calf belonging to her, unbranded, speckled head and face.

One brindle poley Cow, branded RJ on off hip, UR

IS
on near hip, IS on loins near side, with a female Calf by her side, unbranded; damages 5s. on each.

One dark red brindle Bull, eighteen months old, unbranded.

One yellow strawberry sided Bull, unbranded.

One strawberry sided Bull, eighteen months old, unbranded.

One white Bull, red spotted head and neck, unbranded, twenty months old.

One red Bull, white on rump and part of tail, unbranded, twenty months old; damages, £5 on each.

Also, on the 24th, from the Waybong.

One brown Mare, short tail, black points, white stripe No. 85. December 30, 1840.

down the forehead branded JD on the neck off side, appears to have been used as a stock horse.

If the Cattle described as above are not duly released, they will be sold at noon, on the 23rd January next pursuant to Act of Council.

E. BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

Muswellbrook, 26th December, 1840.

[16s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED from the Burra,

Eleven Wethers, some having their ears slit, others with a hole through the ear.

If the above cattle are not released on or before the 11th day of January next, they will be sold to pay expenses, agreeable to Act of Council.

9s.] Post. 11d. JOHN GRAY, Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Hartley.—A Mare of the un-

dermentioned description, having been found by the chief constable, on Mount Clarence, in this district, where she is supposed to have been running for the last twelve months, and left there by bushrangers, is impounded here by order of the Police Magistrates:—

A light bay Mare of a long and hollow back, with white saddle marks, with black points, mane and tail docked, a star in the forehead, about fourteen and a half hands high, branded B on the off side of the neck under or close to the mane. Damages £5

If not released within twenty-four days from this advertisement she will be sold at the Pound Gate, at twelve o'clock at noon, to defray expenses, pursuant to Act of Council.

JAMES M'COY, Poundkeeper.

Hartley, December 21st, 1840.

[11s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED at Yarralumla, the estate of

T. A. Murray, Esq.,

One red Bull, branded HY on off rump, 2 off ribs.

TB
One red and white Bull Sag, off horn broke, point off both ears, branded bread arrow on shoulder, two crowns on the rump, 6 on the thigh, near side. £5 Damages on each.

WS
If the above Cattle are not released on or before the 10th day of January next, they will be sold to defray expenses agreeable to Act of Council.

JOHN GRAY, Poundkeeper.

Queenbeyan, December 18th, 1840.

[10s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED at Bungendore, December the

13th, 1840.
One snail horn brown Steer, white back and grey face, branded apparently M in circle on the off side ribs, with an illegible brand on the off side ribs.

One red Steer, with white tail, back, and belly, branded M in circle on the ribs and thigh off side.

One yellow snail horn Steer, off ear cut, branded RG on the off side thigh.

O
One yellow Cow with a Calf by her side, branded a circle with an illegible letter within on the ribs and thigh milking side, with an illegible letter on the shoulder, piece cut from off ear.

If the above described Cattle are not released within twenty-one days from the above date they will be sold at the Pound agreeable to Act of Council.

11s. 3d.] JOHN DWYER, Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Prospect on 10th December, 1840.

One brown Bullock, white under the belly, long snail horns, a white mark on the forehead, both ears split, branded on the left hip M.

One light brown sided Bullock, white back and belly, duke horns, both ears split, branded on left hip M.

If the above Cattle are not released within twenty-four days from this date they will be sold at the Pound at Prospect, agreeable to Act of Council.

WILLIAM PIKE, Poundkeeper.

Prospect, December 14, 1840.

Post. 4d [10s.]

IMPOUNDED at Yass,

One cream coloured Horse, black points, branded TJ with dot between the letter. Impounded from Calabash, by E. Walsh.

9s.] Post. 1s. R. M. REDMAYNE, Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED from the Estate of—Ogilvie, Esq., J. P., December 14, 1840 :—
One bay Horse, short tail, star in forehead, branded G on neck off side.
One grey Filly, Newmarket tail, branded JB on near ribs.
If not released, they will be sold at the Pound, at noon, on the 16th day of January next, pursuant to Act of Council.

E. BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

Muswellbrook, December 16, 1840. [9s. 9d]

IMPOUNDED at Sydney, on December 13, 1840 :—
One red Bullock, marked with a scar on the off side rump, white spot on rump, brand not legible.
If not released within twenty-one days from this date, the same will be sold by Public Auction at the Pound, on the 12th January, 1841.

B. MORRIS, Poundkeeper.

Sydney Pound, 21st December, 1840. [9s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED at Windsor, on December 21, 1840, by Thomas Silk, of Richmond :—
One dark bay Horse, black points, legs long, dark mane, and short dark switch tail, about three years old, stands about fifteen hands high, a small dot or scar on the neck off side near the shoulder, there appears to be a brand or mark on the back near side under the saddle, but not legible, branded G on the shoulder near side; damages, £2

If not claimed and released within twenty-four days from this date, the 23 day of December, 1840, he will be sold agreeable to Act of Council.

DANIEL SEARCH, Poundkeeper.

[11s.]

IMPOUNDED at Appin, on the 17th December, 1840 :—
One red snail-horned Bullock, white face, two slits in the off ear, branded WW on off hip, like 8 on off ribs, illegible brand on ribs near the back bone.
If the above described Bullock is not released on or before Monday, the 12th of January next, he will be sold by Public Auction, at the Pound, according to Act of Council.

THOMAS SMITH, Poundkeeper.

Appin, December 19th, 1840 [9s. 9d]

IMPOUNDED from the Estate of James White, Esq., Edinglassie, December 5th, 1840,
One yellow and white Bullock, branded JR on off rump, apparently LL on off ribs, and 37 on off shoulder.

One yellow Cow, branded MD conjoined on near ribs, and MD conjoined on near thigh.

One red Bullock, a brand on near thigh resembling TS, PP on neck off side, L and apparently PP on off rump.

One red Bullock, points of the horns approximating, branded apparently 5 on near thigh—an old scar above this brand, probably occasioned by the part ulcerating after branding, an illegible brand on off rump.

If the Cattle as described above are not duly released, they will be sold on the 24th day after advertisement, at the Pound, at 12 o'clock at noon, pursuant to Act of Council.

E. BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

Muswell Brook, December 8, 1840. [12s.]

IMPOUNDED at Broulee, St. Vincent, on the 28th of November, 1840 :—
One dark brown Bullock, branded IW on near side, two anchors and a diamond on the rump.
One black Cow, branded IX on the off rump, with a Calf by her side.

One black sided poley Cow, branded CL on the near ribs, white back, with a spotted bull Calf by her side.

If not claimed and released within twenty-one days from this date, they will be sold to defray expenses, according to Act of Council.

WILLIAM COURT, Poundkeeper.

December 12, 1840. [10s.]

IMPOUNDED at Muswellbrook, on the 18th December, 1840 :—

One mouse colored Mare, a white streak down her face, one fore and two hind feet white, a small black spot in middle of forehead, long tail, branded D under the saddle near side, with a brown horse Foal by her side, unbranded.

If not claimed and released, they will be sold at the Pound, at noon, on the 16th day of January, 1841, pursuant to Act of Council.

EDWARD BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

Muswellbrook, December 19, 1840. [10s.]

IMPOUNDED at Parramatta, the 9th of December, 1840.

One black and white Ox near ear half'd, branded on the off hip WS.

One red and white Ox, off ear half'd, the near ear split branded on near shoulder with IJJ or JJ, but not legible.

If the above Cattle are not claimed and released within twenty-one days from advertising, they will be sold agreeable to Act of Council.

JOHN WALKER, Poundkeeper.

December 15 1840. [9s. 9d.]

IMPOUNDED at West Maitland on the 8th of December, 1840.

One light red Cow, horns about three inches long, a split in near ear, branded on shoulder, near side O, on rump off side IP.

One light-red or yellow Cow, white in the forehead, cocked horns, white under the belly, part of tail white, branded on shoulder off side O, on rump same side IP.

One red poley Cow with a little white under the belly, branded CW or GW on ribs off side, 7 on shoulder same side; if more brands on her they are not visible.

One Cow with a heifer Calf by her side, white back and belly, tail red and white, near horn turned down by the cheek, a hole in same side ear, a bit off top of same ear, branded T on rump near side, either numbered or W

lettered on near shoulder, but not visible; if this cow has any more brands they are invisible.

One dark-brown or black Bullock, white spot on the flank, branded W or M on rump or hip off side, appears to be branded on the ribs, but not legible.

If the above cattle are not released within twenty-one days from this date they will be sold agreeable to Act of Council.

J. LEDSAM, Poundkeeper.

December 16, 1840. [13s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Satur, in the district of Scone, on the 7th of December, 1840.

One brindle spotted poley Bullock, branded WH off rump, WH loins, ear marked.

One brindle white back Bullock, branded WH off hip, WH ribs, ear marked.

One black Cow, white back, branded WH off rump, ear marked, and heifer Calf.

One red Steer, branded CG near rump.

One yellow Cow, white back, branded CQ near rump, SO off rump, and bull Calf.

If the above described Cattle are not duly released on or before the 7th of January, 1841, they will be sold agreeable to Act of Council.

10s. 9d.] JAMES S. WATSON, Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Rope's Creek Pound, December 10th, 1840, four Head of Cattle, with one shilling per head damages.

One yellow Cow, branded on near rump JS on off rump JB.

One yellow Bullock, a piece broke off near horn, branded on off rump gf.

One red sided Cow, branded on off thigh WJ, on off shoulder WJ, on near rump TW, with two lumps on off side ribs.

One Calf, unbranded, by her side.

If the above Cattle are not owned and released on or before the 5th of January, 1840, they will be sold at Penrith Court Yard, agreeable to Act of Council.

EDWARD BOOTH, Poundkeeper.

Rope's Creek, Western Road,

December 16, 1840, [11s. 3d.]

IMPOUNDED at West Maitland on the 11th of December, 1840, the following Cattle.

One black poley Bull, a little white under the belly, white at the bottom of two hind legs, branded on rump near side either 1c or 1G, damages £5.

One black and white Bullock, branded on shoulder near side E, on ribs same side apparently 8, on rump off S

side apparently Sc, on back same side either C or G.

One red and white Bullock, snail horn, white spot in the forehead, branded on the shoulder near side A, apparently branded on ribs same side but not legible, branded on rump same side but not legible, branded on rump off side apparently S, on shoulder same side apparently AM, with an illegible brand underneath, off ear marked.

One red sided Bullock, white on the back, white under the belly, branded on ribs near side TW.

One yellow Bull, white in the face, white back and belly, tail and hind feet red and white, branded on rump near side illegible, on off rump an illegible brand, seems to be worked, damages £5.

One dark-brown Entire Colt, a white speck in the forehead, black points, long tail, a small white speck on near foreleg above the knee, down in near hip, apparently branded on shoulder near side, but not legible, apparently branded on shoulder off side, but not legible, about two years old.

If the above Cattle are not released they will be sold in twenty-one days from this date, to defray expenses, agreeable to Act of Council.

JOHN LEDSAM, Poundkeeper.
December 16, 1840. [15s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Goulburn,

One brindle working Ox, branded IJS on hip.

One light brindle Heifer, near ear cropped off, branded M in a circle on off ribs 1C, B and an illegible brand on off ribs

One black and white Cow, short tail, off horn broken, branded like VP on off rump, M in a circle on ribs, like C M, the M in a circle

B on shoulder.

One brindle and white Steer, branded PM on off rump.

One yellow Steer, branded like PP on off rump, M in a circle on off hip and ribs, B on off shoulder.

One yellow and white Ox brands the same.

One dark brindle Steer, ditto ditto.

One yellow Ox, ditto ditto.

One brown Ox, ditto ditto.

One brown Cow and Calf, ditto ditto.

One light brown and white Ox, ditto ditto.

One yellow strawberry Cow and Calf, branded AF and B in a diamond off rump.

One black Ox, branded PM on near rump, JW on off rump.

If the above described Cattle are not released previous to the 7th January, 1841, as noon, they will be sold at the Pound.

J. MARSDEN, Poundkeeper.

December 12th, 1840.

Postage 10d. [14s. 5d.]

IMPOUNDED from Skilletar, the 11th of December, 1840.

One red Steer, branded on near rump RW, on near shoulder 2.

One brown Cow, branded on off shoulder T and 1 Sc.

joined, underneath which 16, and an illegible brand on the left side of it.

One yellow Heifer, Calf by her side unbranded.

One yellow Heifer, branded on near hip and rump SK, on the off rump and hip the same brand.

One red Bullock, branded on off rump A, on near rump apparently 11, on near thigh J, and on near ribs JP.

One white poley Bullock with brown patches, branded on off rump EM.

One red Heifer, branded on off rump TS.

One brown and grey Bullock, short tail, a brand on the off rump resembling TN, on the thigh a horseshoe brand.

One dark brindle poley working Bullock, branded on near hip

One yellow sided working Bullock, branded on near rump apparently CV, and on near thigh

If the Cattle as described above are not duly released they will be sold at the Pound on the 8th of January, 1841.

E. BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

Muswellbrook, December 12, 1840 [14s. 6d.]

IMPOUNDED at Bungandore, December 5th, 1840

One brown working Bullock, branded OLC on off MR

ribs, N on rump off side, with an illegible letter on the near side rump.

One brindle Bullock, spotted back and belly, branded MR on the off ribs, 2 on the shoulder, 1C apparently on the rump.

One magpie Bullock, branded MR on the off side ribs TR on the rump same side.

One brindle Stag, grey face and back, an illegible brand on both rumps.

One red Bullock, with an illegible brand near shoulder, and H off rump.

One yellow Bullock with a white flank, illegible brand on the near ribs, branded g B C, off rump apparently ITT on near ribs.

One black Cow, branded FP on the rump, with F on the thigh milking side

One yellow sided Heifer, white face, back, and belly, branded TE on the milking side of ribs.

One aged strawberry Cow, illegible brand on milking side of rump.

One brown Steer, both ears tipped, branded SI, with an illegible letter on the off side of rump.

One black brown Cow and Calf, branded 2 on the shoulder, 1W on the off rump, S on the thigh, HS on the milking side of ribs.

One white bodied Steer, star in forehead, yellow shoulders and rump, apparently 58 on the near ribs.

One yellow bull Stag with white spots, branded MR on the near ribs, illegible letter on the near shoulder.

One black Cow, illegible brand on the off side rump, S and HL on the milking side of thigh.

One brown Bullock, branded TR off rump, TS on the near side of rump.

One yellow snail horn Cow with white spots, branded WS on off hip.

If the above cattle are not released in twenty-one days from this date they will be sold according to Act of Council.

JOHN DWYER, Poundkeeper.
[17s. 9d.]

