



**PORT PHILLIP  
GOVERNMENT GAZETTE,**

Published by Authority.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1844.

**I**T is ordered that a Criminal Sessions and General Gaol Delivery of the Supreme Court, for the District of Port Phillip, be holden at the Court House, La Trobe-street, in the Town of Melbourne, on Thursday, the fifteenth day of February next, at which all parties concerned are requested to give their attendance. Dated the twenty-seventh day of January, A.D., 1844.

W. JEFFCOTT, Resident Judge.

**S**UMMARY of visits to the Melbourne Gaol of the different Ministers of Religion, during the year commencing the 1st January and ending the 31st December, 1843:—

DENOMINATION.	NAMES.	VISITS
Episcopalian. . .	Rev. A. C. Thomson	19
Presbyterian. . .	Rev. J. Forbes . . . .	19
	Rev. P. Gunn. . . . .	4
Wes. Methodists.	Rev. W. Schofield. .	19
Independent. . .	Rev. W. Waterfield. .	1
	Rev. F. Miller. . . . .	2
Roman Catholics	Rev. P. B. Geoghegan	17
	Rev. D. M' Evey. . . . .	22
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James Smith, Esq., J. P., 29 visits.

*Commissariat Office,  
Melbourne, January 15th, 1844.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Tenders will be received at this office, until Friday, the 2nd February next, at noon, for supplying provisions, fuel and light, and forage for the military detachment at Melbourne and Geelong, for year commencing 1st April, 1844.

The daily ration of provision for each man consists of—

- One pound of bread,
  - One pound of fresh meat,
  - And one seventh of a quart of rum,
- which may be tendered for, either per ration, or the several articles separately, of which it is comprised.

Separate Tenders will be received for Geelong. The conditions and other particulars of the contract may be seen on application to

J. A. ERSKINE,  
D. A. C. G.

**Allowance to Witnesses.**

**H**IS Excellency the Governor, in pursuance to a resolution passed by the Legislative Council during its late session, is pleased to direct that, from the present date, the following regulations shall be observed in the payment of allowances to witnesses summoned to attend the Supreme Court, Courts of Assize, and Quarter Sessions throughout the Colony, viz. :—

1. No allowance whatever shall be made to any witness residing within five miles of the Court to which he may be summoned to attend.
2. To a witness residing beyond five miles, there shall be allowed only the sum of Two Shillings and Eight Pence for each day's attendance at any of the said Courts, and Six Pence per mile for every mile beyond five miles he may reside from the Court.
3. In cases where there is a regular steam conveyance, or the passage made by water, the allowance for travelling shall be limited to the actual amount of the passage money.
4. The allowance to Constables, Mounted Police, and Soldiers, summoned as witnesses, are to continue the same as at present established.

*Sub-Treasury, Melbourne,  
12th January, 1844.*

**H**IS Honor the Superintendent directs the following notice to be re-published for the information of the Teachers of Schools within the Port Phillip District. The accounts are, however, to be sent to this office within the period named.

W. LONSDALE, Sub-Treasurer.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney 9th Dec., 1843.*

**H**IS Excellency the Governor desires it to be notified, that all Teachers of Schools, receiving aid from Government, will in future be required to transmit their claims to the Audit Office within one month from the termination of each quarter, and that those claims which shall not have been received within such period, will not be submitted for approval until the subsequent quarter.

By His Excellency's command,  
(Signed,) E. DEAS THOMSON.

**Government Notice.**

*Superintendent's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th January, 1844.*

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate William Lonsdale, Esq., Sub-Treasurer of this District to be the person before whom the necessary Recognizances and Affidavits of Editors, Printers, Publishers, and Proprietors of Newspapers in Melbourne, shall be taken as required by law.

By His Excellency's command,  
(Signed) C. J. LA TROBE.

*Superintendent's Office,  
12th January, 1844.*

HENRY CONDELL, Esq., Mayor of Melbourne, is appointed a Trustee of the Savings' Bank of Port Phillip, in the room of Jones Agnew Smith, Esq., resigned.

C. J. LA TROBE, President.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sydney, 9th January, 1844.*

PREMIUMS being offered by the "Society for the encouragement of Arts, Manufactures, and Commerce," for the best specimens of Olive Oil and Wine, imported into England from Australia. His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct the publication of the following extract from the advertisement of the Society, for general information:

OLIVE OIL.

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 OR NEW ZEALAND.

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 Vineyard, and of the process of the manufacture.

It must be observed, that it is absolutely necessary that all 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.

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

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, January 12, 1844:—

One dark brindle working bull stag, a piece off the right horn, has a slight swelling under the jaw, blind of the left eye, near ribs illegible, off hip pA

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before the 5th day of February, to be sold at the pound yard, according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
4s. 3d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on January 10, 1844—

One red yearling bull, off rump JC, off ribs JC  
One red sided yearling bull, strawberry about the head, white back and belly, unbranded  
One red yearling heifer, unbranded  
One red sided yearling heifer, white back, belly, and hind legs, unbranded  
One dark brindle yearling heifer, white face and belly, unbranded  
One yellow sided yearling steer, white back and belly, unbranded  
One black sided heifer, white back, belly, and hind legs, unbranded  
One red sided yearling bull, white back and belly, off ribs TH  
One dark brown heifer, rising two years old, unbranded.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before the 1st day of February, to be sold at the pound yard according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
7s. 3d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on January 15th, 1844, supposed to have strayed from Mount Macedon—

One light bay colt, a white stripe down the face, white hind legs up to the houghs, a little white round the near fore coronet, a switch tail, about 20 months old, branded on the near shoulder JS.

If not claimed and expenses paid, on or before 8th day of February, to be sold at the pound yard, according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
4s. 9d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, on January 22nd, 1844—

One dark brown gelding, a white stripe down the face, white hind legs, a white ring round the off fore coronet, long tail, stands about fourteen hands high, branded on the near shoulder pD

Impounded on January 23rd—

One dark brown filly, a white stripe down the face, near hind fetlock white, long tail, stands about 14 hands high, branded under the saddle on the off side M.

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before the 16th day of February, to be sold at the pound yard, according to the Act of Council.

G. SCARBOROUGH,  
5s. 9d. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Pentridge, 10th January, 1844—

A red bullock, in hobbles, sF off rump, C and an illegible letter near shoulder  
A yellow ditto, in ditto, sF ditto  
A red ditto, in ditto, sF ditto, small horns  
A ditto sided ditto, in ditto, sF ditto, mottled head and legs  
A yellow cow, white tail, ear marked, supposed N within a circle off rump, O and supposed J within a square off ribs.

If not released, they will be sold at the pound yard, 3rd February, in accordance with act of council.

G. P. ANDERSON,  
6s. 6d.] Poundkeeper.

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