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*By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.*

### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

**W**HEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date the third day of January, A.D., 1853, it was declared and appointed that Courts of General Sessions of the Peace should be established and holden in and for the several places and districts defined and described in the same; And whereas it is expedient to alter the said Courts and the names thereof, and the places and districts in and for which the same shall have jurisdiction, and the limits thereof as hereinafter mentioned; and to appoint that Courts of General Sessions of the Peace shall be holden in and for the places and districts hereinafter described and defined: Now, therefore I, the Lieutenant Governor aforesaid,  
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by virtue of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby alter the said Courts and the names thereof, and the places and districts in and for which the same shall have jurisdiction, and the limits thereof, as hereinafter mentioned; And do hereby declare and appoint that Courts of General Sessions of the Peace shall be established and holden in and for the City, Town, and the several places and districts of the said Colony following, that is to say:

The Court of General Sessions for BOURKE, in the said Proclamation mentioned, having jurisdiction in and for the County of Bourke, including the City of Melbourne, and the Counties of Evelyn and Mornington.

The Court of General Sessions for GRANT, in the said Proclamation mentioned, having jurisdiction in and for the Town of Geelong, and in and for the County of Polwarth, and in and for the portions of the Counties of Grant and Grenville, the boundaries whereof are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the mouth of the Werribee River, thence to its source in the Great Dividing Range, and by that Range to the source of the Moorabool River, by that River to its junction with the Lal Lal Rivulet; thence by a straight line to the junction of Yarrowee River with Williamson's Creek, and thence by another straight line to the Township of Carngam at Bailie's Creek, being the northern boundary line of the County of Grenville; thence by that Creek and Emu Creek southerly, to a point north of the source of the Gnarkeet Ponds; thence to Gnarkeet Ponds, and thence to Lake Korangamite, and by the western and southern shores of that Lake to the northern boundary of the County of Polwarth, and by that boundary and the north-east boundary of the same County to the sea; thence by the sea coast easterly, and the waters of Port Phillip, to the mouth of the Werribee River, including the small islands near the channels of the mouth of Port Phillip, and those of Geelong Bay.

The Court of General Sessions for KILMORE, in the said Proclamation described as the Court

of General Sessions for the North-eastern District, having jurisdiction in and for the County of Anglesea, and in and for all that portion of the County of Dalhousie, lying south of a line commencing at the confluence of the river Goulburn and Hughes' Creek, and bearing south-westerly to the source of the McIvor Creek, above John Hunter Patterson's sheep station, and thence north-easterly to the confluence of the rivers Campaspe and Coliban; and in and for all that part of the District of Murray, of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follow, that is to say: Commencing at the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River, in the Great Dividing Range near Mount Bullen; thence by that River, excepting the Township Reserve of Benalla, to the Broken Creek, by that Creek to the junction of the Back Creek, thence by a line northerly to the Murray; by the Rivers Murray and Goulburn and the Northern Boundaries of the Counties of Anglesea and Evelyn, to the Great Dividing Range; thence along the Great Dividing Range to the source of the Broken River aforesaid, near Mount Bullen, being the commencing point.

The Court of General Sessions for CASTLEMAINE, in the said Proclamation described as the Court of General Sessions for the Northern District, having jurisdiction in and for all that District of the Colony, of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the source of the River Avoca, in the Great Dividing Range, near Mount Cole; thence by that Range and the boundaries of the County of Talbot, to the most northern part of the said County north of Mount Alexander; thence by a line westerly to the junction of McNeil's Creek with the River Loddon at Thalack Thalack, by the Rivers Loddon and Murray, to the Western Boundaries of the Township Reserve of Castle Donnington; thence by a line south-easterly to Lake Bael Bael and the River Avoca, and by that river to its source in the Great Dividing Range aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for SANDHURST, having jurisdiction in and for that District of the Colony, whereof the boundaries are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the junction of McNeil's Creek with the River Loddon at Thalack Thalack; thence by a line easterly to the most northern point of the County of Talbot north of Mount Alexander; thence by the Mount Alexander Range and the Myrtle Creek to the confluence of that Creek with the River Coliban, being part of the boundary of the said County; thence by the Rivers Coliban, Campaspe, and Murray, to the River Loddon, and by that river upwards to its junction with McNeil's Creek aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for HEATHCOTE, having jurisdiction in and for that District of the said Colony, whereof the boundaries are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the confluence of the Rivers Campaspe and Coliban; thence by a line south-easterly to the source of the McIvor, or Mount Ida Creek, above John Hunter Patterson's Sheep Station; thence by a line north-easterly to the confluence of Hughes' Creek with the River Goulburn, by that river to the Murray; thence by the River Murray to the confluence of the Campaspe, and by the River Campaspe upwards to the confluence of the Rivers Campaspe and Coliban aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for BEECHWORTH, having jurisdiction in and for that District of the said Colony, the boundaries of which are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River in the Great Dividing Range; thence by that river, including the whole of the Township Reserve of Benalla, to the junction of the Broken Creek; thence by that creek to its confluence with the Back Creek; thence by a line north to the River Murray; by that river upwards to its source in the Australian Alps; and thence by the Great Dividing Range to the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for BELFAST, in the said Proclamation described as the Court of General Sessions for the Western District, having jurisdiction in and for the Counties of Villiers and Heytesbury, and in and for all that portion of the County of Hampden included between the Emu Creek, the River Hopkins, and that part of the northern boundary of the said County between the river and creek aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for BUNINYONG and BALLARAT, in the said Proclamation described as the Court of General Sessions for Buninyong, having jurisdiction in and for the County of Ripon and the District of Wimmera, and in and for all that portion of the County of Hampden lying east of the Emu Creek, and in and for all that portion of the Counties of Grant and Grenville, the boundaries whereof are hereby defined as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the junction of the Yarrowee River and Williamson's Creek, thence by a straight line to the junction of the Lal Lal Rivulet with the Moorabool River; thence by that river to its source in the Great Dividing Range; thence by that range to the boundary of the County of Ripon, and by that boundary south-westerly to the Township of Carngham at Bailie's Creek; thence by a line south-easterly to the junction of the River Yarrowee with Williamson's Creek aforesaid.

The Court of General Sessions for PORTLAND, having jurisdiction in and for the Counties of Normanby and Follet.

The Court of General Sessions for the GRANGE, having jurisdiction in and for the County of Dundas.

And I do hereby define the Boundaries of all COUNTIES, and of the DISTRICTS of MURRAY and WIMMERA, in the said Colony hereinbefore mentioned, to be those set forth as the Boundaries thereof respectively in the Schedule to "The Victoria Electoral Act of 1851."

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation of this date it has been appointed that Courts of General Sessions of the Peace shall be holden in and for the places and districts therein mentioned and defined respectively; And whereas it is expedient to appoint the times and places at which such Courts shall be holden: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant Governor aforesaid, by virtue of the powers in me vested in that behalf, do hereby appoint that the Courts aforesaid shall, during the year 1854, and until otherwise ordered, be holden respectively at the several times and places following, that is to say:—

The Court of General Sessions for BOURKE, at Melbourne, on the 2nd and 27th days of February, the 3rd and 28th days of April, the 1st day of June, the 3rd and 31st days of July, the 1st day of September, the 2nd and 30th days of October, and the 1st day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for GRANT, at Geelong, on the 20th day of February, the 21st day of March, the 20th day of April, the 16th day of May, the 20th day of June, the 22nd day of August, the 20th day of September, the 20th day of October, the 21st day of November, and the 18th day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for KILMORE, at Kilmore, on the 27th day of February, the 15th day of April, the 16th day of June, the 16th day of October, and the 15th day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for CASTLEMAINE, at Castlemaine, on the 20th day of January, the 19th day of April, the 26th day of June, the 27th day of September, and the 25th day of November.

The Court of General Sessions for SANDHURST, at Sandhurst, on the 1st day of February, the 20th day of March, the 19th day of May, the 20th day of July, the 19th day of September, and the 20th day of November.

The Court of General Sessions for HEATHCOTE, at Heathcote, on the 7th day of February, the 25th day of March, the 25th day of May, the 25th day of September, and the 25th day of November.

The Court of General Sessions for BEECHWORTH, at Beechworth, on the 16th day of February, the 4th day of April, the 5th day of June, the 4th day of October, and the 4th day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for BELFAST, at Belfast, on the 15th day of February, the 25th day of May, the 24th day of October, and the 13th day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for BUNINYONG and BALLAARAT, at Ballaarat, on the 30th day of January, the 17th day of March, the 26th day of April, the 17th day of May, the 6th day of July, the 6th day of September, the 7th day of October, and the 5th day of December.

The Court of General Sessions for PORTLAND, at Portland, on the 10th day of February, the 30th day of May, and the 18th day of October.

The Courts of General Sessions for THE GRANGE, at the Grange, on the 8th day of February, and the 16th day of October.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, made and passed in the sixteenth year of the Reign of her present Majesty, intituled, "*An Act for making and improving Roads in the Colony of Victoria*," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor, from time to time, to proclaim and declare any such portion of the said Colony as to him should seem meet, as and to be a Road District for the purposes in the said Act contained, and also to define the boundaries of every Road District thereby proclaimed and declared, and to give a specific name or designation to every such Road District, and from time to time to revoke any such Proclamation, and vary and alter the boundary of any such District as may be necessary and advisable: Now therefore I, Charles Joseph La Trobe, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor as aforesaid, in pursuance of the power so vested in me by the said in part recited Act, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the under-mentioned portion of the said Colony to be a Road District, and that such Road District is bounded as follows:—On the East by part of the Eastern Boundary of the parish of Bellarine, commencing at Port Phillip Bay, bearing south five miles sixty chains, and by a divisional line between portions 3 and 4 of block 2, parish of Paywit, bearing south one mile; on the South by a line bearing west seven miles to the Eastern Boundary of the parish of Moolap, and thence by a line bearing north  $82^{\circ}$  west, five miles and three chains to the Corporation Boundary of the town of Geelong; on the West by the Corporation Boundary bearing northwards to Port Phillip Bay; and on the North by the waters of Port Phillip Bay to the commencing point: and I do hereby further proclaim and declare, that such Road District shall be called and known as the "Portarlington Road District."

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, this twelfth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

**W**HEREAS certain buildings consisting of  
Four Block Houses enclosed by a Stock-  
ade have been erected at Sandhurst in the Colony  
of Victoria at the public expense, and as and for  
a Public Gaol; And whereas it is expedient to  
proclaim the same in pursuance of an Act of the  
Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of  
the said Colony, passed in the sixteenth year of  
the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled, "*An Act to*  
*make provision for the better control and dis-*  
*posal of Offenders:*" Now therefore I, the  
Lieutenant Governor of the said Colony, in pur-  
suance of the provisions of the said Act, do  
hereby proclaim the said Buildings and Stockade  
as and to be a Public Gaol.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the  
said Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-  
first day of December, in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year  
of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

**W**HEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date  
the sixth day of December, A.D. 1853,  
it was appointed that the several Courts of General  
Sessions therein mentioned should be holden  
at the Cities, Towns, and places therein named:  
Now I, the Lieutenant Governor of the said  
Colony, by virtue of the powers in me vested in  
that behalf, do hereby declare and appoint that  
if the Chairman of any of the said Courts shall  
not arrive at any of such Cities, Towns, or places  
in time to open any of such Courts on the days  
so named respectively as aforesaid, the same may  
be opened and held on any day or days following  
such days so named.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the  
said Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-  
first day of December, in the year of  
our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth  
year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

**W**HEREAS by several Proclamations here-  
tofore made in that behalf, the County  
Court of Bourke, the County Court of Geelong,  
and the County Court of Buninyong, were  
appointed to be holden at the City of Melbourne,  
the Town of Geelong, and the Township of Bal-  
laarat, respectively; And whereas by a Procla-  
mation bearing even date herewith, it was de-

clared and appointed that County Courts should  
be established and holden in and for the portions  
of the said Colony therein mentioned and defined  
respectively; And whereas it is expedient to  
appoint the times and places for holding the  
County Courts severally aforesaid: Now there-  
fore I, the Lieutenant Governor of the said  
Colony, by virtue of the powers vested in me in  
that behalf, do hereby appoint that the Courts  
aforesaid shall, during the year 1854, and until  
otherwise ordered, be holden respectively at the  
several times and places following, that is to  
say:—

The County Court of BOURKE, at Melbourne,  
on the 6th day of February, the 3rd day of  
March, the 6th day of April, the 2nd day of  
May, the 5th day of June, the 6th day of July,  
the 3rd day of August, the 5th day of September,  
the 5th day of October, the 2nd day of November,  
and the 5th day of December.

The County Court of GRANT, at Geelong, on  
the 22nd day of February, the 23rd day of March,  
the 22nd day of April, the 18th day of May,  
the 22nd day of June, the 24th day of August,  
the 22nd day of September, the 23rd day of  
October, the 23rd day of November, and the 20th  
day of December.

The County Court of KYNETON, at Kyneton,  
on the 17th day of March, the 17th day of May,  
the 17th day of July, the 16th day of September,  
and the 17th day of November.

The County Court of CASTLEMAINE, at Castle-  
maine, on the 21st day of January, the 20th day  
of April, the 27th day of June, the 28th day of  
September, and the 27th day of November.

The County Court of SANDHURST, at Sand-  
hurst, on the 4th day of February, the 23rd day of  
March, the 23rd day of May, the 24th day of  
July, the 22nd day of September, and the 23rd  
day of November.

The County Court of HEATHCOTE, at Heath-  
cote, on the 8th day of February, the 27th day  
of March, the 26th day of May, the 26th day of  
September, and the 27th day of November.

The County Court of BEECHWORTH, at Beech-  
worth, on the 18th day of February, the 6th day  
of April, the 7th day of June, the 6th day of  
October, and the 6th day of December.

The County Court of KILMORE, at Kilmore, on  
the 28th day of February, the 17th day of April,  
the 17th day of June, the 17th day of October,  
and the 16th day of December.

The County Court of BUNINYONG, at Ballaarat,  
on the 1st day of February, the 20th day of  
March, the 23rd day of April, the 19th day of  
May, the 8th day of July, the 8th day of Sep-  
tember, the 9th day of October, and the 7th day  
of December.

The County Court of VILLIERS, at Belfast, on  
the 16th day of February, the 26th day of May,  
the 25th day of October, and the 14th day of  
December.

The County Court of PORTLAND, at Portland,  
on the 11th day of February, the 31st day of  
May, and the 19th day of October.

The County Court of DUNDAS, at Hamilton,  
on the 8th day of February, and the 16th day of  
October.

And I do further declare and appoint that if  
the Judge of any of the said Courts shall not  
arrive at any of the Cities, Towns, or places  
aforesaid, in time to open any such Courts on the

days hereinbefore appointed, the same may be opened and held on any day or days following such days so appointed.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation made in pursuance of an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled, "*An Act to alter the Laws relative to Jurors and Juries in certain Districts,*" and bearing date the first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, the Northern Circuit District therein mentioned, was declared and appointed to be a Special District under the provisions of the said Act; And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamation and to declare and appoint the Districts hereinafter mentioned to be Special Districts under the provisions aforesaid; And whereas by a Proclamation bearing even date herewith, certain Districts were appointed and defined in and for which amongst others the several County Courts of Castlemaine, Kyneton, Sandhurst, Heathcote, and Beechworth, should be holden: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant Governor aforesaid, with the advice of the Executive Council, and by virtue of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby revoke the said first mentioned Proclamation, and do declare and appoint the districts severally aforesaid to be "Special Districts," under the provisions of the said Act; And I do hereby direct, limit, and appoint, that the said Jury List for the Special District of the County Court of Castlemaine shall be prepared and published on or before the tenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and shall be corrected, revised, and recorded on or before the twelfth day of the said month of January, and that the Jurors' Books shall be made therefrom on or before the thirteenth day of the said month of January, and that such Jurors' Books shall be brought into use and be used in and for the said District from and after the thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four; And I do hereby direct, limit, and appoint, that the said Jury Lists for the Special Districts of the County Courts of Sandhurst, Heathcote, and Beechworth, shall be prepared and published on or before the fifteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and shall be corrected, revised, and recorded respectively on or before the nineteenth day of the said month of January, and that the Jurors' Books shall be made therefrom respectively on or

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before the twentieth day of the said month of January, and that such several Jurors' Books shall be brought into use and be used in and for the said Districts respectively from and after the said twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four; And I do hereby direct, limit, and appoint that the said Jury Lists for the Special District of Kyneton aforesaid shall be prepared and published on or before the first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and shall be corrected, revised, and recorded, on or before the first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and that the Jurors' Book shall be made therefrom on or before the third day of the said month of March, and that such Jurors' Book shall be brought into use and shall be used from and after the said third day of March aforesaid.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

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#### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date the third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, it was, amongst other things declared and appointed, that certain County Courts, to be called respectively the North Eastern County Court, the Northern County Court, and the Western County Court, should be established and holden in and for the several portions of the Colony therein particularly described; And whereas it is expedient to alter the said County Courts, and the names thereof, and the portions of the said Colony in and for which they shall have jurisdiction, and the boundaries thereof respectively, and to appoint that other and additional County Courts be established and holden as hereinafter mentioned: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant Governor aforesaid, by virtue of the powers vested in me in that behalf, do hereby alter the said County Courts, and the names thereof, and the portions of the said Colony in and for which they shall have jurisdiction, and the limits thereof as hereinafter mentioned; And I do further, by virtue of the powers vested in me in that behalf, declare and appoint that the several County Courts hereinafter mentioned shall be established and holden in and for the respective portions of the said Colony, including counties and parts of counties hereinafter described, that is to say:—

The County Court of CASTLEMAINE in the said Proclamation described as the Northern County Court to be holden in and for that portion of the said Colony of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follows: that is to say—Commencing at the source of the River Avoca in the Great Dividing Range, near Mount

Cole; thence by that Range and the boundaries of the county of Talbot to the most northern part of the said county, north of Mount Alexander; thence by a line westerly to the junction of McNeil's Creek with the River Loddon at Thalack Thalack; thence by the Rivers Loddon and Murray to the western boundary of the township reserve of Castle Donnington, including the whole of that reserve; thence by a line south-easterly to Lake Baal Baal and the River Avoca, and by that river to its source in the Great Dividing Range aforesaid.

The County Court of SANDHURST to be holden in and for that portion of the said Colony of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follows: that is to say—Commencing at the junction of McNeil's Creek with the River Loddon, at Thalack Thalack; thence by a line easterly to the most northern point of the county of Talbot, north of Mount Alexander; thence by the Mount Alexander Range and the Myrtle Creek to the confluence of that creek with the River Coliban, being part of the boundary of the said county; thence by the River Coliban to its confluence with the River Campaspe; by the Rivers Campaspe and Murray to the River Loddon; and by that river upwards to the junction of McNeil's Creek aforesaid.

The County Court of HEATHCOTE to be holden in and for that portion of the said Colony of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follows: that is to say—Commencing at the confluence of the Rivers Campaspe and Coliban; thence by a line south-easterly to the source of the McIvor or Patterson's Creek, above John Hunter Patterson's sheep station; thence by a line north-easterly to the confluence of Hughes' Creek with the River Goulburn, and by that river to the Murray; thence by the River Murray to its confluence with the River Campaspe, and by the River Campaspe upwards to the confluence of the Rivers Campaspe and Coliban aforesaid.

The County Court of BEECHWORTH to be holden in and for that portion of the said Colony of which the boundaries are hereby defined as follows: that is to say—Commencing at the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River, in the Great Dividing Range, near Mount Bullen; thence by that river, including the whole of the township reserve of Benalla, to the junction of the Broken Creek; thence by that creek to its confluence with the Back Creek; thence by a line north to the River Murray; by that river up to its source in the Australian Alps, and the Great Dividing Range, to the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River, near Mount Bullen aforesaid.

The County Court of KYNETON to be holden in and for that part of the County of Dalhousie the boundaries whereof are hereby defined as follows: Commencing at the source of the River Coliban in the Great Dividing Range; thence by that river to its confluence with the River Campaspe; thence by a line south-easterly to the source of the McIvor or Patterson's Creek; thence by a line southerly to the confluence of Mollison's Creek and William's Creek; and thence by William's Creek to its source in the Great Dividing Range; and by that range to the source of the River Coliban aforesaid.

The County Court of KILMOBE, in the said Proclamation described as the North-eastern County Court, to be holden in and for the County

of Anglesea, and in and for that portion of the County of Dalhousie the boundaries whereof are hereby defined as follows: that is to say—Commencing at the source of William's Creek in the Great Dividing Range, thence by that creek to its confluence with Mollison's Creek; and thence by a line northerly to the source of the McIvor or Patterson's Creek; thence by a line north-easterly to the confluence of the River Goulburn with Hughes' Creek; thence by the River Goulburn upwards to where it is joined by the Dabyminga Creek; and thence by that creek to its source in the Dividing Range; and by that range to the source of William's Creek aforesaid. And in and for all that part of the District of Murray of which the limits are hereby defined to be as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the source of the most eastern branch of the Broken River in the Great Dividing Range, near Mount Bullen; thence by that river, excepting the Township Reserve of Benalla, to the Broken Creek, by that creek to the junction of the Back Creek; thence by a line northerly to the Murray; by the Rivers Murray and Goulburn, and the northern boundaries of the Counties of Anglesea and Evelyn to the Great Dividing Range; thence along the Great Dividing Range to the source of the Broken River, near Mount Bullen aforesaid, being the commencing point.

The County Court of VILLIERS to be holden in and for the County of Villiers, in the said Colony.

The County Court of PORTLAND to be holden in and for the Counties of Normanby and Follett, in the said Colony.

The County Court of DUNDAS to be holden in and for the County of Dundas, in the said Colony.

And I do hereby define the boundaries of the several Counties, and of the District of Murray hereinbefore mentioned, to be those set forth as the boundaries of the same in the Schedule to "The Victoria Electoral Act of 1851."

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

**W**HEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, made and passed in the sixteenth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, "An Act for making and improving Roads in the Colony of Victoria," it is amongst other things enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor, from time to time, to proclaim and declare any such portion of the said Colony as to him should seem meet, as and to be a Road District for the purposes in the said Act contained, and also to define the boundaries of every Road District thereby proclaimed and declared, and to give a specific name

or designation to every such Road District, and from time to time to revoke any such Proclamation, and vary and alter the boundary of any such District as may be necessary and advisable: Now therefore I, Charles Joseph La Trobe, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor as aforesaid, in pursuance of the power so vested in me by the said in part recited Act, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the undermentioned portion of the said Colony to be a Road District, and that the boundaries of such Road District are:—Commencing at a point on the River Barwon, being the north-east corner of the parish of Barrarbool, and bounded on the north by the River Barwon upwards to the north-west corner of the parish of Gnarwarre; on the west by a line bearing south five miles thirty-nine and a half chains; on the south by a line bearing east five miles; again on the west by a line bearing south four miles thirty-six chains to the head of Thomson's Creek; again on the south by Thomson's Creek; and on the east by a line bearing north to the commencing point on the Barwon River; and I do hereby further proclaim and declare that such Road District shall be called and known as the "Barrarbool Road District," comprising the parishes of Barrarbool, Gnarwarre, and Duneed, in the County of Grant, in the said Colony of Victoria.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the said Colony, at Melbourne, in the said Colony, this twenty-fourth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

#### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE,  
Esquire, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony  
of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the provisions of an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, passed in the sixteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intitled, "*An Act to alter the Laws relative to Jurors and Juries in certain Districts*," I, the Lieutenant Governor of the said Colony, do hereby direct the Court of Petty Sessions at Ballarat to cause Jury Lists for the Special District, heretofore declared and appointed under the said Act, wherein the said Town of Ballarat is situated, to be prepared; and I do hereby direct, limit, and appoint, that the said Lists shall be prepared and published on or before the tenth day of January, 1854, and shall be corrected, revised, and recorded, on or before the fifteenth day of the said month of January, and that the Jurors' Book shall be made therefrom on or before the twentieth day of the

said month of January, and that such Jurors' Book shall be brought into use, and used from and after the said twentieth day of January.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventeenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) C. J. LA TROBE.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 27th December, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct the re-publication of the following Circular Despatches from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

#### PARIS INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION OF 1855.

Downing-street, 9th May, 1853.

SIR,—At the request of the French Ambassador at this Court, I have to acquaint you that a Universal Exhibition for Agricultural and Industrial Products will be held at Paris in May, 1855; and that every facility will be afforded at the French Custom Houses to the admission of goods belonging to parties residing in the British Colonies, who may be desirous of forwarding articles for exhibition.

I shall have the honor of communicating to you further particulars on this subject so soon as the necessary arrangements shall have been completed by the French Government.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

(Signed) NEWCASTLE

Lieutenant Governor La Trobe,  
&c., &c., &c.

Downing-street, 18th July, 1853.

SIR,—With reference to my Circular Despatch of the 9th May, I have further to communicate to you the liberal intentions of the Government of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of the French, respecting the admission of foreign prohibited goods to the Great Industrial Exhibition at Paris in May, 1855.

His Majesty's Government have decided that all foreign prohibited goods may be admitted for exhibition, and may be afterwards either re-exported free of all duties, or may be sold in France upon the payment of an *ad valorem* duty at the rate of thirty per cent.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

(Signed) NEWCASTLE.

Lieutenant Governor La Trobe,  
&c., &c., &c.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 24th December, 1853.  
**AMENDED REGULATION RESPECTING  
LICENSES TO CUT TIMBER ON  
CROWN LANDS.**

WITH reference to the Regulations dated the 6th July, 1852, relating to the issue of Licenses to Cut Timber on Crown Lands, it is hereby notified for general information that with respect to the issue of such Licenses within the Settled Districts, the boundaries of which Districts are specified below, the eighth clause of the said Regulations shall be held to be cancelled on and after the 1st January, 1854, and the following clause substituted in lieu thereof.

**FEEs.**

"VIII. The Fee for a License to Cut and remove Firewood shall be £8 per annum, and for a Sawyer and Splitter £10, which sum must be paid to the Crown Commissioner previously to the issue of the License."

The said Regulations of the 6th July, 1852, existing previously to this notice, will still remain in force elsewhere as heretofore.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

**BOUNDARIES OF THE SETTLED DISTRICTS  
REFERRED TO IN THE ABOVE NOTICE.**

1. The Lands which may be within a distance of twenty-five miles, to be measured or reckoned from any point of the corporate limits of the city of Melbourne, in the county of Bourke.

2. The Lands which may be within a distance of fifteen miles from any point of the outward limits of the town of Geelong, in the county of Grant.

3. The Lands which may lie within the distance of ten miles from any point of the outward limits of the town of Portland, in the county of Normanby.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 27th December, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct the publication of the following communication received from the Government of South Australia.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Adelaide, 7th December, 1853.

The Lieutenant Governor directs it to be notified for general information that after the return to Adelaide of the Gold Escort under Inspector Wyndham (now *en route*), the Adelaide Gold Escort will be discontinued.

His Excellency has approved of the following Regulations for the future transmission of Gold from Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**B. T. FINNISS,**  
Colonial Secretary.

1. Gold dust intended for transmission to Adelaide, from the Gold Fields of Victoria, may be deposited in future with the Assistant Gold Commissioners at the several Gold Fields; and the Escort Fee, charged by the Victorian Government, paid at the same time, together with any gold duty leviable by law.

2. The gold thus deposited should be addressed to the Colonial Treasurer in South Australia; and

receipts will be given to the depositor, payable, in Adelaide, by the Colonial Treasurer, to the parties producing the receipt and order for delivery to them.

3. The gold will be sent, by the Commissioners of Gold Fields, to Melbourne, and there shipped by the Government, with a schedule of the packages, to the address of the Colonial Treasurer, in Adelaide, under proper arrangements to secure its safe transport and delivery.

4. Parties claiming the gold will obtain it from the Colonial Treasury, in Adelaide, on production of the receipt or order, and on payment of the same charges as at present, viz., Sixpence an ounce.

5. The days at present fixed for the delivery of gold, by the Colonial Treasurer, in Adelaide, are Wednesdays and Saturdays.

6. If receipts are lost, parties claiming delivery of gold can only obtain it by entering into a bond, jointly with two respectable persons—being owners of real property in the Colony to an adequate amount—to the extent of the value of the gold, to secure the Government against any other claimant.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 25th October, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to direct the publication of the following notice, for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

General Post Office,  
Melbourne, 25th October, 1853.

Notice is hereby given, that in order to obviate the great difficulty felt both by the public in directing, and in this Office in distributing, letters for the country districts, in consequence of the altered nomenclature of the positions of many of the Post Offices in Victoria, it is proposed from the 1st January next, to adopt the most recent names for each. A list of the present Offices, with their intended future names, is therefore published below, and it is requested that letters be in future addressed accordingly.

**POST OFFICES.**

<i>Present Names.</i>	<i>Future Names.</i>
Alberton	Alberton
Broken River	Benalla
Bacchus Marsh	Bacchus Marsh
Barwon	Winchelsea
Bendigo	Sandhurst
Buninyong	Buninyong
Ballaarat	Ballaarat
Burnbank	Lexton
Border Post	Lindsay
Broadford	Broadford
Brighton	Brighton
Bulla Bulla	Bulla
Carisbrook	Carisbrook
Campaspe	Campaspe
Colac	Colac
Collingwood	Collingwood
Chepstow	Chepstow
Crowlands	Crowlands
Cavendish	Cavendish
Dandenong	Dandenong
Elephant Bridge	Elephant Bridge
Forest Creek	Castlemaine
Flooding Creek	Salo
Fiery Creek	Streatham
Gisborne	Gisborne
Grange	Hamilton
Glenelg, Upper	Harrow
Glenelg	Casterton
Heathcote, McIvor	Heathcote



<i>Present Names.</i>	<i>Future Names.</i>
Horsham	Horsham
Hardy's Inn	Hardy's Inn
Kinlochewe	Donnybrook
Kilmore	Kilmore
Leigh	Shelford
Lake Wallace	Apsley
Longwood	Longwood
Maiden's Punt	Maiden's Punt
Mount Alexander	Lockwood
Mount Macedon	Kyneton
Mount Sturgeon	Dunkeld
Muston's Creek	Caramut
Ovens	Wangaratta
Port Fairy	Belfast
Portland	Portland
Pentridge	Pentridge
Prahran	Prahran
Richmond	Richmond
Spring Creek, Ovens } Diggings }	Beechworth
Seymour	Seymour
Swan Hill	Swan Hill
Sandridge	Sandridge
St. Kilda	St. Kilda
Shortland's Bluff	Queenscliff
Timboon	Camperdown
Violet Town	Violet Town
Warrnambool	Warrnambool
Wimmera	Glenorchy
	A. McCRAE, Chief Postmaster.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 23rd December, 1853.  
**MELBOURNE LAND SALE.**

**W**ITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 21st instant, relative to the Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Melbourne on the 24th proximo: Notice is hereby given that Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 (being allotments 1 to 5 of section 3, township of Portarlington), should be allotments 6 to 10 of section 3 of the said township.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 20th December, 1853.  
**SANDHURST LAND SALES.**

**W**ITH reference to the Proclamations contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th instant, relative to the Sales of certain Crown Lands to be held at Sandhurst, Bendigo Creek, on the 16th proximo, and the three following days: Notice is hereby given that the said sales will be held at the "Bendigo Royal Exchange," opposite the Government Camp, and not at the Police Office as therein stated.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 23rd December, 1853.  
**SANDHURST LAND SALES.**

**W**ITH reference to the Proclamations contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th instant, relative to the Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Sandhurst on the 18th and 19th proximo: Notice is hereby given that the areas of Lots 109, 137, and 165, should be respectively 5 acres 3 roods and 30 perches, 10 acres 2 roods, and 10 acres 10 perches.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

No. 1.—JANUARY 3RD, 1854.—3.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 20th December, 1853.

**SANDHURST LAND SALES.**

**W**ITH reference to the Proclamations contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 7th instant, relative to the Sales of certain Crown Lands to be held at Sandhurst, Bendigo Creek, on the 16th proximo and three following days: Notice is hereby given that lithographed copies of the various plans, and also printed lists of the lots for sale, can be procured from the under-mentioned parties, viz.:—

The Police Magistrate, Sandhurst.  
Mr. E. N. Emmett, Sandhurst.  
The Police Magistrate, Castlemaine.  
The Government Surveyor, Survey Office,  
Coliban.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th November, 1853.

**THREE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.**

**A** REWARD of £100 is hereby offered for the apprehension and conviction of either of the undermentioned Men, who stand charged with Rape and Robbery, at Brown's Tent, Five-mile Creek, near the Goulburn Diggings, on the 7th of October last.

**DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.**

Name, JOE; age, 25 years; height, 5 feet 3 inches; size, stoutish; complexion, sallow; hair, dark; whiskers, rather lighter than hair; dress, a monkey jacket, corduroy trousers, black wide-awake. Lisps slightly. Has kept a grog shop on the Bendigo. His wife is a short, stout, black-haired Irishwoman.

Name, unknown; age, 30 years; height, 5 feet 9 inches; size, thinish; complexion, light; hair, red and curly; whiskers, red. Very much pock-pitted. Has lost two teeth in front. Is supposed to have a scar on right wrist, and is very ill looking. Wore a black dress frock coat, which was torn.

Name, unknown; age, 27 years; height, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches; size, stout; complexion, very dark; hair and eyes, very black; whiskers, black, bushy, and meeting under chin. Wore a blue shirt and a white wide-awake with black ribbon. Has been a sailor.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 8th November, 1853.

**TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government that a Female Infant, about three weeks old, having been deserted by her mother, was picked up by the police at the door of the Roman Catholic Chapel, on the evening of Sunday, the 6th instant: Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of Twenty-five Pounds will be paid to any person or persons for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the mother of the said infant.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 5th September, 1853.  
**TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government that the undermentioned Prisoners effected their escape from the Main Depôt, Pentridge, on the 30th ultimo: Notice is hereby given, that the above reward will be paid to any person or persons who shall lodge in any of Her Majesty's Gaols the said Prisoners, or the sum of TEN POUNDS will be paid to any person or persons who shall lodge in any of Her Majesty's Gaols either of the said prisoners.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

**DESCRIPTION OF THE PRISONERS.**

Name—**JOHN BOOTH.**  
Age—Twenty-four.  
Height—Five feet, seven and a quarter inches.  
Complexion—Fresh.  
Eyes—Blue.  
Hair—Brown.  
Particular Marks—A cut over left eye, seven stars on the left arm, a cut on first finger of left hand.  
Ship to the Colony—*Hindustan*, to Van Diemen's Land.  
Sentence—Two years on the roads.  
Date of Conviction—16th June, 1852.

Name—**CHARLES WATSON.**  
Age—Thirty-five.  
Height—Five feet, six inches.  
Complexion—Dark.  
Eyes—Grey.  
Hair—Dark brown.  
Particular Marks—A scar right side of left eye, and on leg.  
Ship to the Colony—*Royal Sovereign*, to Van Diemen's Land.  
Sentence—Five years on the roads.  
Date of Conviction—21st October, 1851.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 23rd November, 1853.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government that the undermentioned prisoner effected his escape from the Main Depôt, Pentridge, on the afternoon of the 15th instant: Notice is hereby given, that a Reward of Five Pounds will be paid to any person or persons who shall lodge in any of Her Majesty's Gaols the said Prisoner.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

**DESCRIPTION OF THE PRISONER.**

Name—**SAMUEL BENNETT.**  
Age—Thirty years.  
Complexion—Fresh.  
Hair—Dark.  
Eyes—Blue.  
Height 5 feet 5½ inches.  
Particular marks—Scar on back of head, right side, marks of flagellation on back, large scar on right shin.  
Ship to Colony—Schooner *Clarence*, from Launceston.  
Offence—Convicted at Castlemaine, for feloniously entering a tent.  
Sentence—Two years in a House of Correction.  
Date of Conviction—23rd March, 1853.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th November, 1853.

**ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.**

**A** REWARD of £100 is hereby offered for the apprehension of **ROBERT ROBERTS, alias BIG BOB**, who is charged with having, on the 21st instant, in the City of Melbourne, murdered **ELIZA McKEOWN.**

**DESCRIPTION OF MURDERER.**

Name—**ROBERT ROBERTS, alias BIG BOB.**  
Age—Thirty years.  
Height—Five feet nine inches.  
Size—Stout.  
Hair—Dark.  
Whiskers—Dark, very full.  
Complexion—Reddish, very much sunburnt.  
Visage—Full, high cheek bones.  
Wore, when last seen, a dark hairy pea coat over a dark cloth coat, cabbage-tree hat.

This man is well known to, and was formerly a mate of a man named **FRANK REED**, a stonemason, residing near the Shepherd's Arms, Collingwood. He is also well known in the neighbourhood of the Elephant and Castle Inn, Little Bourke-street, and was seen at the bar of that house shortly after the murder had taken place.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 8th November, 1853.

**ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government, that trooper **DENHOLM**, of the Mounted Police Force, was, on the 4th inst., shot at and wounded, in the neighbourhood of Kyneton, by a man whose name is unknown: Notice is hereby given that a reward of One Hundred Pounds will be paid to any person or persons who shall give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the guilty party.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

**DESCRIPTION OF THE ASSAILANT.**

Middle size, age 21 years, sandy or light coloured hair, no whiskers; had on a dark brown Californian Jim Crow hat, light coloured trousers, no coat, was armed with two small pistols.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 27th August, 1853.

**FIVE POUNDS REWARD.**

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government that the undermentioned prisoner effected his escape from the Collingwood Stockade, on the evening of the 24th instant: Notice is hereby given that the above Reward will be paid to any person or persons who shall lodge in any of Her Majesty's Gaols the said prisoner.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**JOHN FOSTER.**

**DESCRIPTION OF THE PRISONER.**

Name—**JAMES LANE.**  
Age—35 years.  
Height—5 feet 3½ inches.  
Complexion—Sallow.  
Hair—Brown.  
Eyes—Hazel.  
Particular marks—Small blue mark over left eye.  
Ship to the Colony—*Renown.*  
Offence, Sentence, and date of Conviction—Robbery; eight years; 16th October, 1852.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 16th October, 1853.

#### ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

**W**HEREAS it has been represented to the Government that on the night of Saturday, the 9th instant, Mr. AUGUSTUS HINKE, a German, was murdered at the Barrabool Hills: Notice is hereby given that the above reward will be paid to any person or persons who shall give such information as may lead to the apprehension and conviction of the murderer or murderers.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.

- 1—About 5 feet 6 inches in height; rather stout; round faced, with large red whiskers; short nose, and about 25 to 30 years of age.
- 2—Was taller, thinner, and seemed younger than the other; had a much longer face. Both had on dark colored shooting jackets and wide-awake hats.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 28th December, 1853.

#### FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

**W**HEREAS information has been received by the Government that on or about the 19th instant the large iron buoy placed on Prince George's Bank was maliciously run into by some vessel and sunk: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Fifty Pounds will be paid for such information as shall lead to the discovery of the name of the vessel, or apprehension of the offenders.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 29th December, 1853.

#### FLEMINGTON.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in pursuance of the power vested in him by the Act of the Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales, 13th Vic., No. 29, hereby declares that the Township of FLEMINGTON, in the Colony of Victoria (the boundaries of which are specified below), shall be within the operation of the third clause of the said Act, so as to constitute it a place at which any fermented or spirituous liquors, or any mixed liquors, part of which is fermented or spirituous, may be sold in quantities of not less than two gallons at any one time.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

*Description of the Boundaries of the Township of Flemington, in the Parish of Doutta Galla, in the Colony of Victoria.*

Commencing at the north-east corner of portion 14, section 2, in the parish of Doutta Galla, and bounded on the north by a line bearing west 42 chains; on the west by a line bearing southerly to the north-west corner of the Police Reserve, thence south 33 chains 28 links; on the south by a road of 1 chain wide, bearing east 34 chains to the western boundary of the Melbourne Township Reserve; and on the east by the said boundary line north to the Moonee Ponds, and by the Moonee Ponds upwards to the commencing point.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 16th December, 1853.

#### WARRINGAL.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, in pursuance of the power vested in him by the Act of the Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales, 13th Vic., No. 29, hereby declares that the Township of WARRINGAL, in the Colony of Victoria (the boundaries of which are specified below), shall be within the operation of the 3rd clause of the said Act, so as to constitute it a place at which any fermented or spirituous liquors, or any mixed liquors, part of which is fermented or spirituous, may be sold in quantities of not less than two gallons at any one time.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

*Description of the Township Reserve of Warringal, in the Parish of Keelbundora, County of Bourke.*

Commencing at the north-east corner of section 1 in the parish of Keelbundora and bounded on the south by section 2 bearing east 95 chains; on the east by the Yarra Yarra river and by part of section 6 bearing north 20 chains; on the north by section 5 bearing west 80 chains; and on the west by part of section 3 bearing south 40 chains to the commencing point.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 28th December, 1853.

#### ACTS OF COUNCIL.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor directs it to be notified, that the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has intimated in a Despatch dated 23rd September, 1853, No. 142, that Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to allow and confirm the undermentioned Acts, passed by the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of Victoria, in the sixteenth year of Her Majesty's reign, viz. :—

- No. 15, of 1852.—“An Act to alter the Laws relative to Jurors and Juries in certain Districts.”
- No. 16, of 1852.—“An Act to amend the Laws relating to Special Constables.”
- No. 18, of 1852.—“An Act to amend the ‘Melbourne Corporation Act,’ in the matter of the Qualification of Citizenship.”
- No. 19, of 1852.—“An Act to authorize the Corporation of the City of Melbourne to damage and destroy their common Seal, and to adopt another Seal in lieu thereof.”
- No. 20, of 1852.—“An Act for the better protection of Cattle, and the better prevention of Cattle stealing.”
- No. 21, of 1852.—“An Act for preventing the extension of the Disease called Scab in Sheep.”
- No. 22, of 1852.—“An Act for the better prevention of Vagrancy and other offences.”
- No. 24, of 1853.—“An Act for the regulation of the Police Force.”
- No. 27, of 1853.—“Act to amend an Act, intituled ‘An Act to regulate the Licensing of Auctioneers, and the collection of Duties on Property sold by Auction.’”
- No. 29, of 1853.—“An Act to alter ‘The Victoria Electoral Act of 1851,’ and to increase the number of Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria.”
- No. 31, of 1853.—“An Act to enable the Sheriff of the Colony of Victoria to appoint Deputies.”
- No. 32, of 1853.—“An Act to make provision for the better control and disposal of Offenders.”
- No. 33, of 1853.—“An Act to abolish certain Dues on Shipping and to amend the Law relating to Seamen and Water Police.”
- No. 35, of 1853.—“An Act to make provision for the sale of Fermented and Spirituous Liquors and of Refreshments, in certain Districts.”

No. 36, of 1853.—“An Act to amend an Act intituled ‘An Act for regulating the Police in the Towns of Parramatta, Windsor, Maitland, Bathurst, and other Towns respectively, and for removing and preventing Nuisances and Obstructions, and for the better alignment of Streets therein.’”

No. 38, of 1853.—“An Act to amend in certain respects an Act intituled ‘An Act to incorporate the Inhabitants of the Town of Melbourne,’ and to make further provision for the cleansing and improvement of the City of Melbourne.”

No. 40, of 1853.—“An Act for making and improving Roads in the Colony of Victoria.”

Private Act, 1853.—“An Act for lighting with Gas the City of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, and to enable certain persons associated under the name style or title of ‘The City of Melbourne Gas and Coke 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.”

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 28th December, 1853.

#### TITLE DEEDS.

**T**itle Deeds specified below have been transmitted from this Office to the Colonial Treasury for delivery to the Grantees on payment of the established fees thereon.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

#### COUNTRY LOTS.

DEEDS DATED 7TH NOVEMBER, 1853.

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 84 acres 2 roods 1 perch, Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 36a. Or. 36p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 135a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 4a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 80a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 80a., Colongulac

Donald McNicholl and Duncan McNicholl, 5a. 3r. 8p., Colongulac

Henry Chandley, 5a., Colongulac

Alexander C. MacDonald, 3a. 2r. 16p., Colongulac

Alexander C. MacDonald, 7a. 2r., Colongulac

Alexander C. MacDonald, 4a., Colongulac

John McKinnon, 74a., Colongulac

John McKinnon, 5a. 1r. 27p., Colongulac

John McKinnon, 5a. 2r. 38p., Colongulac

James McDonald, 5a., Colongulac

James McDonald, 5a., Colongulac

Jeremiah George Ware, 54a. Or. 20p., Colongulac

Jeremiah George Ware, 80a., Colongulac

Jeremiah George Ware, 80a., Colongulac

Charles Henry, 4a. Or. 16p., Colongulac

Charles Henry, 5a., Colongulac

John Crawford, 74a., Colongulac

James Young and John Pilmer, 175a., Korkuperrimul

James Young and John Pilmer, 220a., Korkuperrimul

James Young and John Pilmer, 172a., Korkuperrimul

James Young, 186a., Korkuperrimul

William Williamson, 116a., Korkuperrimul

William Williamson, 276a., Korkuperrimul

William Williamson, 123a., Korkuperrimul

Henry Beckham, 169a. 2r., Murgheboluc

William Burrow, 212a., Murgheboluc

Peter Buckley, 97a., Murgheboluc

Samuel Morris, 215a. 2r., Murgheboluc

Robert Culbertson Hope, 103a. 2r., Murgheboluc

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 80a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 70a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 150a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 60a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 45a. 2r. 20p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 9a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 5a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 26a. 2r. 20p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 79a. 1r. 34p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 158a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 56a. 1r. 2p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 147a. 1r. 21p., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 141a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 158a., Colongulac

John Manifold and Peter Manifold, 77a. 1r. 16p., Colongulac

Donald McNicholl and Duncan McNicholl, 103a. 2r. 1p., Colongulac

Robert Culbertson Hope, 113a., Murgheboluc

Robert Culbertson Hope, 124a. 3r., Murgheboluc

Edward Harvey, 123a. 1r., Murgheboluc

Archibald Cameron, 146a. 1r. 8p., Murgheboluc

Thomas Jewell, 41a., Murgheboluc

Peter Inglis, 60a. 2r. 30p., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 46a. 3r. 30p., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 17a., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 25a. 2r., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 18a., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 24a. 2r. 10p., Gorong

Peter Inglis, 115a., Gorong

James Barley Sharp, 5a., Gorong

James Barley Sharp, 5a., Gorong

George Wright, 4a., Gorong

William Fraser, 86a., Gorong

William John Livingston, 99a., Gorong

Hugh Murray, 6a., Colac

John Jones, 40a., Elphinstone

John Jones, 29a. 1r. 30p., Elphinstone

Timothy Ryan, 312a., Carlsruhe

Henry Wells, 156a., Carlsruhe

Henry Hare, 164a., Carisbrook

William Redmond Belcher, 156a., Carisbrook

William Clarke, 160a., Carisbrook

William J. T. Clarke, 405a., Bootahpool

William J. T. Clarke, 374a. 2r., Bootahpool

William J. T. Clarke, 242a., Bootahpool

William J. T. Clarke, 270a., Bootahpool

Henry Haywood, 78a., Corinella

James Moyle, 80a., Corinella

Henry De Carle, 78a., Corinella

Henry De Carle and William Jones, 76a., Corinella

William Hutton, 80a., Corinella

Terrence O'Brien, 104a., Boram Boram

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Terrence O'Brien, 104a., Boram Boram

William Stevens, 454a., Bootahpool

Thomas Slattery, 19a., Parwan

William Jones and Henry De Carle, 320a., Woolamai

John Tanner, 316a., Yan Yean

Andrew M. O'Laughlin, 78a. 1r. 21p., Bylands

Terrence O'Brien, 104a., Boram Boram

DEEDS DATED 14TH NOVEMBER, 1853.

Vere Quail, 9a. 1r., Parwan

Hugh Murray, 5a. 3r., Colac

DEEDS DATED 21ST NOVEMBER, 1853.

William Baker, 150a. Or. 16p., Elphinstone

William Aberdeen, 156a. 2r., Elphinstone

DEED DATED 23RD NOVEMBER, 1853.

Archibald Michie, 160a., Mulgrave

DEEDS DATED 2ND DECEMBER, 1853.

Richard Brodie, 66a., Merriang

Richard Brodie, 52a., Merriang

William R. Belcher, 229a. Or. 30p., Narrawong

James Austin, 9a. 3r. 38p., Mortlake

James Austin, 7a. 2r., Mortlake

James Austin, 4a., Mortlake

James Austin, 4a. 3r. 13p., Mortlake

James Austin, 9a. 2r. 26p., Mortlake

James Austin, 7a. 2r., Mortlake

James Austin, 5a. 1r. 25p., Mortlake

James Austin, 7a. 2r., Mortlake

James Austin, 8a. 1r. 36p., Mortlake

James Moxtram and Algernon Lindsay, 80a., Cut Paw Paw

Francis Clarke, 76a., Cut Paw Paw  
DEED DATED 10TH DECEMBER, 1853.  
Penrose Nevins, 160a. Mulgrave

## TOWN LOTS.

DEEDS DATED 18TH OCTOBER, 1853.

Patricius William Welsh, 2r., Buninyong

Patricius William Welsh, 2r., Buninyong

DEEDS DATED 25TH OCTOBER, 1853.

William McCrea, 1r., Elphinstone

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

DEEDS DATED 7TH NOVEMBER, 1853.

Robert Mejmssy, 1r., Castlemaine

Charles McDougall, 2r., Donnybrook

Norman McRae, 1r., Castlemaine

George Webster, 1r., Castlemaine

DEEDS DATED 21ST NOVEMBER, 1853.

James Austin, 2r., Queenscliff

James Austin, 2r., Queenscliff

James Austin, 2r., Queenscliff

William Henry Bonsey, 2r., Queenscliff

Thomas Anderson, 2r., Queenscliff

James Brown, 2r., Mortlake

William Brumley, 2r., Mortlake

William Brumley, 2r., Mortlake

William Brumley, 2r., Mortlake

Joseph Charles Byrne, 1r., Buninyong

Joseph Charles Byrne, 1r., Buninyong

Joseph Charles Byrne, 1r., Buninyong

DEEDS DATED 2ND DECEMBER, 1853.

Frederick Robinson Bernard, 1r., Beechworth

John Bourke, 25p., Melbourne

John Bourke, 24p., Melbourne

John Bourke, 2r., Broadmeadows

Michael Brown, 2r., Broadmeadows

Samuel Bryan and Samuel Peat Winter, 23p., Melbourne

James Anderson, 23p., Melbourne

William Redmond Belcher, 2r., Melton

William Redmond Belcher, 2r., Melton

William Redmond Belcher, 2r., Dounybrook

John Trainor, 2r., Donnybrook

John Trainor, 2r., Donnybrook

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 24th December, 1853.

## TITLE DEEDS.

THE purchasers, at Government Auction Sales, of the undermentioned portions of Land, not having signed their Names legibly, or specified them in full, the Title Deeds for the same cannot be issued until such deficiencies are supplied.

It is therefore requested that the said purchasers do furnish to this Office all particulars of their Names and Residences, in order that the Deeds may be forthwith completed.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

## TOWN LOTS.

Where Sold.	When Sold.	No. of Allot.	No. of Sect.	Townships.	a.	r.	p.
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	11	18	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	19	17	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	2	4	Lockwood... ..	0	2	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	5	17	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	3	17	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	11th August, 1853... ..	1	4	Lockwood... ..	0	2	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	18	10	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	19	10	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	2	10	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	3	10	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	8	10	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	12th April, 1853... ..	11	20	Warrnambool ... ..	0	2	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	12th April, 1853... ..	20	9	Warrnambool ... ..	0	2	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	12th April, 1853... ..	14	20	Warrnambool ... ..	0	2	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	12th April, 1853... ..	7	18	Warrnambool ... ..	0	2	0
At Melbourne ... ..	9th March, 1853... ..	4	S.	Benalla ... ..	0	2	0
At Melbourne ... ..	9th March, 1853... ..	7	10	Euroa ... ..	0	2	0
At Melbourne ... ..	9th March, 1853... ..	18	S.	Benalla ... ..	0	2	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	16th February, 1853... ..	14	5	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	16th February, 1853... ..	15	19	Castlemaine ... ..	0	1	0
At Castlemaine ... ..	28th July, 1853... ..	15	5	Elphinstone ... ..	0	1	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	1st September, 1852... ..	3	1	Hexham ... ..	0	2	0
At Beechworth ... ..	7th September, 1853... ..	15	2	Beechworth ... ..	0	1	0
At Geelong... ..	27th September, 1853... ..	1	2	Darlington ... ..	0	2	0

## COUNTRY LOTS.

Where Sold.	When Sold.	No. of Allot.	No. of Sect.	Parishes.	a.	r.	p.
At Geelong... ..	17th August, 1853... ..	...	19	Gnarwarre... ..	631	2	10
At Geelong... ..	2d June, 1853... ..	...	19	Mindai ... ..	8	0	0
At Melbourne ... ..	5th May, 1853... ..	120	...	Boroondara ... ..	40	1	24
At Warrnambool ... ..	13th April, 1853... ..	14	...	Mepunga ... ..	125	0	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	13th April, 1853... ..	16	...	Mepunga ... ..	172	1	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	13th April, 1853... ..	20	...	Mepunga ... ..	237	0	0
At Warrnambool ... ..	13th April, 1853... ..	10	...	Mepunga ... ..	174	0	0

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE REVENUE OF THE COLONY, RECEIVED INTO THE  
AND 31st DECEMBER,

HEAD OF REVENUE.		Quarter ended 31st December, 1852.	Quarter ended 31st December, 1853.	Year ended 31st December, 1852.
<b>GENERAL REVENUE.</b>				
Gold.	Proceeds of Gold Licenses . . . . .	196,006 8 10	181,727 19 7	399,138 12 4
	Escort Fees . . . . .	16,837 9 7	{ 15,373 4 6	} 39,706 17 8
	Treasury and Custody Fees . . . . .		{ 2,749 11 5	
Customs.	Duties on Spirits imported . . . . .	63,067 15 8	249,927 11 7	186,491 15 6
	Duties on Tobacco imported . . . . .	27,301 9 1	49,530 8 4	69,338 14 8
	Duty on Wine imported, levied under 16 Victoria, No. 2. . . . .	7,423 10 6	11,660 4 8	8,499 13 0
	Duty on Tea imported, ditto . . . . .	5,907 1 5	8,565 10 3	9,517 13 5
	Duty on Coffee, ditto . . . . .	1,637 8 6	5,333 10 6	1,795 4 5
	Ad valorem Duties on Foreign Goods . . . . .	30 2 9	- - -	43,388 16 7
		105,387 7 11	325,017 5 4	319,081 17 7
Port and Harbor Dues . . . . .		3,955 17 10	4,922 14 10	11,786 3 2
Postage . . . . .		4,675 9 2	8,421 7 2	12,453 12 9
Auction Duty . . . . .		5,014 11 1	12 4	6,806 8 4
Assessment on Stock beyond the Settled Districts . . . . .		132 4 5	4 19 0	14,362 7 9
Licenses.	To Auctioneers . . . . .	438 3 6	3,484 7 0	608 18 4
	To retail Fermented and Spirituous Liquors . . . . .	394 5 0	1,514 5 0	10,014 11 0
	Night Licenses to Publicans and for Billiard Tables . . . . .	30 0 0	210 0 0	870 0 0
	All other Licenses . . . . .	2 0 0	466 10 0	50 18 4
Fines and Forfeitures.	Collected by the Sheriff . . . . .	659 17 0	690 0 0	1,133 9 0
	Collected by the Clerks of the Peace . . . . .	- - -	15 0 0	- - -
	Collected by the several Courts of Petty Sessions . . . . .	8,019 5 6	8,605 14 9	13,948 4 10
Fees.	Police Reward Fund . . . . .	425 18 0	6,609 4 6	985 9 3
	Crown's share of Seizures by the Customs . . . . .	137 9 1	511 13 1	149 5 1
	Proceeds of the Sale of confiscated and unclaimed Property . . . . .	710 8 6	973 6 3	1,090 8 1
	Of Civil Offices . . . . .	357 0 0	1,422 16 0	1,301 12 0
Passengers' Rates, collected under 16 Victoria, No. 17 . . . . .	Of the several Offices of the Supreme Court . . . . .	2,331 15 7	4,431 8 9	6,273 12 8
	Of the Courts of Requests and County Courts . . . . .	122 0 6	651 4 10	440 0 9
	Of the several Courts of Petty Sessions . . . . .	272 15 7	592 18 4	866 9 9
Of Clerks of the Peace . . . . .		- - -	14 0 -	- - -
Rents . . . . .		497 19 10	3,256 15 0	2,359 3 3
Reimbursements in aid of Expenses incurred by Government . . . . .		130 5 0	465 4 6	488 9 0
Collections by the Accountant of the Government Printing Office . . . . .		450 19 2	2,047 18 10	1,115 5 1
Sale of Government Property . . . . .		- - -	384 3 0	- - -
Miscellaneous Receipts . . . . .		65 18 9	376 12 3	252 15 2
		346,955 4 10	525,492 19 4	845,834 11 2
<b>TERRITORIAL REVENUE.</b>				
Proceeds of the Sale of Land and Town Allotments . . . . .		248,433 6 0	540,386 1 11	703,355 13 11
Immigration Remittances . . . . .		- - -	1,391 0 0	- - -
Leases and Licenses to occupy Crown Lands . . . . .		645 0 0	489 6 0	23,952 7 9
Licenses to Cut Timber, &c., and to Camp, on Crown Lands . . . . .		681 9 4	4,042 16 2	1,722 8 10
Proceeds of the Sale of Wool and Sheep from Aboriginal Station . . . . .		- - -	1,006 16 0	224 16 0
Stoppages and Repayments for Rations . . . . .		559 18 5	816 13 0	559 18 5
Sale of Crown Property . . . . .		- - -	122 15 6	106 8 1
Rents of Government Quarries and Premises . . . . .		- - -	472 3 4	- - -
Received for Improvements on Land sold by the Crown . . . . .		- - -	- - -	500 0 0
Repayments from other Governments . . . . .		- - -	- - -	- - -
Miscellaneous Receipts . . . . .		50 0 0	126 10 9	544 17 6
		250,369 13 9	548,854 2 8	730,966 10 6
<b>TOTALS . . . . .</b>				
		597,324 18 7	1,074,347 2 0	1,576,801 1 8

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COLONIAL TREASURY DURING THE QUARTERS AND YEARS ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1852, 1853, RESPECTIVELY.

Year ended 31st December, 1853.	INCREASE.		DECREASE.		NET INCREASE OR DECREASE.	
	Upon the Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1853.	Upon the Year ended 31st Dec., 1853.	Upon the Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1853.	Upon the Year ended 31st Dec., 1853.	Upon the Quarter ended 31st Dec., 1853.	Upon the Year ended 31st Dec., 1853.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
660,833 11 5 52,439 1 0 7,542 6 2	1,285 6 4	261,694 19 1 20,274 9 6	64,278 4 3			
561,317 11 7 118,869 5 9 88,661 14 2 40,835 5 0 13,790 0 5						
773,473 16 11	219,629 17 5	454,441 19 4				
15,672 11 1 25,733 12 11 3,456 1 1 69 5 3 6,440 6 10 13,990 16 8 1,070 0 0 755 14 6 1,952 3 4 70 0 0 28,910 14 9 13,705 11 0 683 11 4 2,229 12 3 4,985 7 0 12,734 9 4 1,748 11 0 1,799 11 2 14 0 9,050 10 0 2,125 1 7 3,396 5 11 1,921 16 9 656 4 9 986 3 1	966 17 0 3,845 18 0 - - - - - - 3,046 3 6 1,120 0 0 180 0 0 464 10 0 30 3 0 15 0 0 586 9 3 6,183 6 6 374 4 0 262 17 9 1,065 16 0 2,099 8 2 529 4 4 320 2 9 14 0 3,256 15 0 - - - 1,917 13 10 - - - - - - 376 12 3 499 15 4	3,886 7 11 13,250 0 2 - - - - - - 5,831 3 6 3,978 5 8 200 0 0 704 16 2 818 14 4 70 0 0 14,962 9 11 12,720 1 9 534 6 3 1,139 4 2 3,083 15 0 6,460 16 8 1,308 10 3 933 1 5 14 0 9,050 10 0 - - - 2,907 16 11 806 11 8 656 4 9 733 7 11	5,013 18 9 127 5 5	3,350 7 3 14,303 2 6		
1,648,423 11 1	248,056 14 5	821,076 11 4	69,518 19 11	18,487 11 5		
INCREASE on the aggregate of the General Revenue . . . . .					£ 178,537 14 6	802,588 19 11
1,496,714 9 1 3,260 15 6 29,860 1 9 12,166 8 1 1,455 1 2 3,842 0 8 122 15 6 2,706 1 4 70 0 0 3,464 6 5 163 10 9	291,952 15 11 1,391 0 0 - - - 3,361 6 10 1,006 16 0 256 14 7 122 15 6 472 3 4 - - - - - - 76 10 9	793,358 15 2 3,260 15 6 5,907 14 0 10,443 19 3 1,230 5 2 3,282 2 3 16 7 5 2,706 1 4 - - - 3,464 6 5 - - -	155 14 0	430 0 0 381 6 9		
1,553,825 10 3	298,640 2 11	823,670 6 6	155 14 0	811 6 9		
INCREASE on the aggregate of the Territorial Revenue . . . . .					£ 298,484 8 11	822,858 19 9
3,202,249 1 4	546,696 17 4	1,644,746 17 10	69,674 13 11	19,298 18 2		
TOTAL INCREASE . . . . .					£ 477,022 3 5	1,625,447 19 8

EDWARD GRIMES,  
Auditor General.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 29th December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor directs it to be notified that a Return to the Writ issued by the Honorable the Speaker on the 30th day of November last, for the election of a Member to serve in the Legislative Council of Victoria for the Electoral District of the United Counties of Ripon, Hampden, Grenville, and Polwarth, in the place of Adolphus Goldsmith, Esquire, resigned, has been received, and that by such Return endorsed on the said Writ, it appears that

JOHN THOMPSON CHARLTON, Esquire,  
has been duly elected Member for the said Electoral District.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

CUTHBERT FETHERSTONHAUGH, Esquire,  
JAMES CORRIE WESTON, Esquire,  
GEORGE WILLIAM RUSDEN, Esquire,  
WILLIAM WILLIS, Esquire,  
SAMUEL EDWARD FREEMAN, Esquire, and  
FRANCIS COBHAM, Esquire,

to be Magistrates for the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

#### POLICE MAGISTRATES.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Police Magistrates at the places set opposite to their names respectively:—

JAMES BLAIR, Esquire, Bourke.  
MATTHEW PRICE, Esquire, Portland.  
GEORGE HARRIOTT, Esquire, Castlemaine.  
JAMES CORRIE WESTON, Esquire, Beechworth.  
HENRY PRICE, Esquire, Ballarat.  
JOHN DEWES, Esquire, Barrow's Inn.  
ANDREW MURRISON McCRAE, Esquire, Warrnambool.  
JOHN LE MARCHANT CAREY, Esquire, Alberton.  
CUTHBERT FETHERSTONHAUGH, Esquire, Buckland.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

PETER INGLES, Esquire, and  
ARCHIBALD FISKIN, jun., Esquire,  
to be Magistrates for the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL EDWARD FREEMAN, Esquire,  
to be a Magistrate for the City of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

#### REGISTRAR GENERAL.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

NORMAN CAMPBELL, Esquire,  
to be Registrar General for the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 31st December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL EDWARD FREEMAN, Esquire,  
to be Inspector of Police in charge of the City of Melbourne;

ROBERT O'HARA BURKE, Esquire,  
to be Inspector of Police in charge of the Ovens District;

FRANCIS COBHAM, Esquire,  
to be Inspector of Police in charge of the Swan Hill District.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 30th December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

Mr. JAMES PRENDERGAST,  
to be Clerk of Petty Sessions at Elephant Bridge.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 30th December, 1853.

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

Mr. EDMUND BURKE,  
to be Clerk of Petty Sessions at Williamstown.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

#### HEATHCOTE. POUNDKEEPER.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the 2nd section of the Act of Council, 4th William IV., No. 3, at a Court of Petty Sessions, held at the Police Office, Heathcote, on the 12th instant,

Mr. HENRY GRANGER PRETTY  
was appointed Keeper of the Public Pound at Forest Creek, Campaspe, *vice* Archibald Gillenders removed on the 10th instant.

By order,  
HODSON C. PETERS,  
Clerk of Petty Sessions.  
Police Office, Heathcote,  
12th December, 1853.



## SOUTH YARRA.

## PUBLIC POUND AND POUNDKEEPER.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the 2nd section of the Act of Council, 4th Wm. IV., No. 3, the Justices in Petty Sessions assembled have established a Public Pound on the Reserve situate at the Township of OAKLEIGH, in the parish of Mulgrave, South Yarra, and that the said Justices at the same Court of Petty Sessions appointed

MR. THOMAS REES

to be the Keeper of the said Public Pound.

By order,

ROBERT CADDEN,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

Police Office, Melbourne,  
16th December, 1853.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 14th December, 1853.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor directs the publication of the following Notices for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

*Additional Lighthouse at the Entrance to Port Phillip.*

The second lighthouse at Shortland's Bluff being now nearly completed, Mariners are requested to take notice that on and after the first day of January next, a *Fixed Red Light* will be exhibited thereon, from sunset to sunrise.

The leading lighthouse tower is built of wood, painted white, and stands at an elevation of eighty (80) feet above the level of the water, bearing from the centre of the upper lighthouse on Shortland's Bluff south thirty-three degrees west, distant six hundred and seventy (670) feet.

The leading light will be seen in ordinary weather ten (10) miles to seaward, within the bearings of south one quarter west round (westerly) to south-west one quarter west.

The two lighthouses by day, and lights by night, kept in one line of bearing, lead in mid-channel between Points Lonsdale and Nepean; but strangers are cautioned not to attempt the entrance by night, nor against the strength of the ebb tide by day.

*Beacon on Swan Point.*

Mariners are requested to take notice, that a cone-shaped iron beacon, painted white, elevated fifty (50) feet above the level of the water, has been erected on Swan Point, bearing from the low lighthouse on Shortland's Bluff north forty-one (41) degrees east. This beacon, kept open to the eastward of the low lighthouse, leads in clear of Point Lonsdale Reef, and the flagstaff on Shortland's Bluff kept half a cable's length open to the westward of the low lighthouse, leads in clear of the Corsair Rock, and the other sunken dangers lying off Point Nepean; but in all practicable cases, Mariners waiting the turn of tide, entering or leaving the harbor, are recommended to keep the Point Lonsdale shore aboard, as the tide there runs fairer, and in bad weather small vessels incur less risk on the Point Lonsdale shore from the tide ripples than towards Point Nepean.

No alteration has taken place in the upper lighthouse on Shortland's Bluff, which is as heretofore a bright stationary light, one hundred  
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and nine (109) feet above the level of the water, seen in ordinary weather twenty (20) miles to seaward, within the bearings of south round by west to south-west by west.

The bearings are by compass, and heights at mean high water.

CHARLES FERGUSON,

Port and Harbor Master.

Port and Harbor Office,

Williamstown,

December 12, 1853.

Central Road Board Office,  
Melbourne, 6th December, 1853

ROAD FROM GEELONG TO THE WESTWARD,  
BY SHELFORD.

NOTICE is hereby given that a map and survey plan, describing the exact course and bearing of, and the admeasurement required for, an alteration proposed to be made by the Central Road Board, in the line of Road leading from Geelong to the westward by the River Leigh, at the township of Cressy, together with a description of the lands through which the same is proposed to pass, and the names of the owners and occupiers thereof so far as known, and also an estimate of the expense of the said work, have been deposited in the office of the Surveyor General, Melbourne, the particulars of which proposed alteration are as follow:—

The diversion will commence at the intersection of the above road with the western boundary of the township reserve of Cressy, in the county of Grenville, thence bearing north 61 deg. 30 min. east for a distance of 75 chains, and passing through allotment No. 14, the property of Mr. William Behan; thence running east through allotment No. 3, also the property of Mr. William Behan, for a distance of 12 chains 50 links to the River Woody Yaloak; thence from a point on the east side of the said river 6 chains 60 links from the northern boundary of the said township reserve of Cressy, bearing east 2 miles and 26 chains to its junction with the marked line of road to Shelford.

The quantity of land, &c., the property of the above mentioned Mr. William Behan, required to be taken, is three acres two roods four perches, and the estimated cost of effecting the said work is £52 19s.

All persons affected by the proposed alteration are requested to set forth in writing, addressed to the President of the Central Road Board, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, any well grounded objections that they may have to the said alteration, failing which they will be hereafter precluded from making any such objections or claiming any compensation whatsoever.

FRANCIS MURPHY,

President of the Central Road Board.

Central Road Board Office,  
Melbourne, 19th December, 1853.

ROAD FROM MELBOURNE TO THE  
TOWNSHIPS OF EPPING AND WOOD-  
STOCK.

## (AMENDED DESCRIPTION.)

NOTICE is hereby given that a map and survey plan, describing the exact course and bearings of, and the admeasurements required for, an alteration proposed to be made by the Central Road Board in the line of road leading from Melbourne to the Townships of Epping and Woodstock, together with a description of the lands through which the same is proposed to pass, and the names of the owners and occupiers thereof, so far as they are known, and also an estimate of the expense of the said work, have been deposited in the office of the Surveyor General, William-street, Melbourne. The particulars of the proposed alteration are as follow:—

It will commence at the north-eastern extremity of section No. 25, parish of Keelbundora, and thence bear north 9 degrees east to a distance of 53 chains 70 links through section No. 3, parish of Wollert (the properties of Mr. Robert Campbell and Mr. Robert Henry, respectively); thence north 25 degrees east to a distance of 24 chains 50 links through another portion of section No. 3 (the property of Mr. Henry Hickman Miller), to its junction with the marked line of road through the Township of Epping.

The quantity of land required to be taken for the proposed alteration is eight acres one rood and three perches, and the estimated cost of effecting the said work is eight hundred and fifty-seven pounds seven shillings (£857 7s.).

All persons affected by the proposed alteration are required to set forth in writing, addressed to the President of the Central Road Board, Melbourne, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, any well grounded objections that they may have to the said alteration; failing which they will be thereafter precluded from making any such objections or claiming any compensation whatsoever.

FRANCIS MURPHY,

President of the Central Road Board.

#### KILMORE.

##### SALE OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY.

THE undermentioned property, now in the possession of the Police, at Kilmore, will, unless previously claimed, be sold by auction at the Police Office, Kilmore, on the 9th day of January next, at 12 o'clock noon.

1 chestnut horse, branded C.O. near shoulder, J.G. off shoulder

1 black mare, W on near shoulder, off hind  
∞  
4

fetlock white

W. A. PULTENEY DANA,  
Inspector in Charge.

#### SANDHURST.

##### SALE OF UNCLAIMED HORSES.

LIST of unclaimed horses in possession of the Police at Sandhurst, supposed to be stolen.

1 chestnut horse, branded FG near shoulder

1 bay mare, branded  $\square$  near shoulder,  $\Delta$  off hip

1 chestnut mare, branded MS off shoulder  
M

1 grey horse, branded U near shoulder,  $\pi$  near neck

If not claimed within fourteen days from this date they will be sold to pay expense of keep.

FREDERICK W. WINCH,  
Sub-Inspector in Charge.

Camp, Sandhurst,  
24th December, 1853.

#### NOTICE TO TICKET-OF-LEAVE HOLDERS FOR THE POLICE DISTRICTS OF MELBOURNE AND BOURKE.

ALL persons holding the indulgence of Tickets-of-Leave for the City of Melbourne and District of Bourke are required to report themselves either personally or in writing (pre-

paid) at the District of Bourke Police Office Melbourne, between the first and fourteenth days of January, 1854, stating the name of their employers, their trade or calling, and means of maintaining themselves.

Any Ticket-of-Leave holder failing to comply with this notice will be reported as an absentee, and cancellation of his Ticket-of-Leave recommended.

ROBT. CADDEN,

Clerk of Petty Sessions.

District of Bourke Police Office,  
Melbourne, 19th December, 1853.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 27th December, 1853.

#### CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

CONVEYANCE being required for the Post Office Mails as under, from the 1st February to the 31st December, 1854, persons desirous to contract for providing the same, under the conditions advertized in the *Government Gazette*, under date 31st of July, 1853, are invited to deposit their offers in writing, in the prescribed form (to be had on application at the Melbourne, or any other post office in the Colony), endorsed "Tender for Conveyance of Mails," in the Tender-box at the Audit Office, Melbourne, before eleven o'clock A.M., of Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1854.

Between Melbourne and Eltham, via Heidelberg, twice a-week.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 20th December, 1853.

#### CLEANSING OF POLICE CESSPOOLS.

TENDERS will be received up to January 7th, 1854, for the cleansing of all Cesspools in the Police quarters for the ensuing year. Full particulars can be obtained by applying at the Police Office, Swanston-street, Melbourne, between the hours of eleven and one o'clock.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for cleansing Police Cesspools," and to be deposited in the Tender Box at the Audit Office, Lonsdale-street, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 30th December, 1853.

INFORMATION is requested to be given at this Office respecting

EDWARD READ,

(son of Sarah Boswell), an exile, who arrived at Port Phillip on the 24th of September, 1847, in the ship *Joseph Soames*.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th December, 1853.

INFORMATION is requested to be given at the Office of the Chief Commissioner of the Gold Fields, William-street, Melbourne, respecting

MR. NICHOLAS WALSH,

late of St. Louis and California, who left the latter place about August last, and landed in Sydney. His wife is in Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 13th December, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested to be given at  
this office respecting  
SALVATOR WAKEFIELD,  
son of Felix Wakefield, Esquire.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 13th December, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested to be given at  
the office of the Chief Commissioner of the  
Gold Fields, William-street, Melbourne, respect-  
ing  
JOHN NATHANIEL WELLS,  
son of the Reverend John Wells, who arrived in  
this Colony in the month of November, 1852, by  
the ship *Marlborough*.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 29th November, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested to be given at  
this office respecting  
MR. JOHN PLUMBE,  
nephew of Mr. Hooton, Tailor, Liverpool, who  
left England about twelve months since.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 25th November, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested to be given at  
the Immigration Office, Melbourne, respecting  
MR. GEORGE BELL,  
who arrived in this Colony by the ship *Courier*,  
in the year 1850.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th November, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting  
HENRY JOHN COLLINS and HERBERT HURST  
COLLINS,  
exiles, who left England on the 8th March, 1848,  
in the ship *Anne Maria*, under the names of  
John Jackson and George Moor.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 1st November, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting  
ANNE GRIBBINS,  
who disappeared from the Hospital Ship *Lysander*  
on the 20th ult.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

*Personal Description.*  
Age, 22 years—height, 5 feet 2 inches—hair,  
dark brown—eyes, blue—teeth, projecting—  
complexion, delicate but swarthy.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 9th August, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this office re-  
specting  
ALEXANDER CAMPBELL,  
who left England in the month of June, 1847, by  
the ship *Eden*.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 13th August, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting  
GEORGE TODD PITTMAN,  
an Exile, who left England about the year 1843, by  
the ship *Maitland*.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th July, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this office respect-  
ing the present abode of  
CLEMENT GOODE, and  
JAMES SMITH,  
both of Birmingham, who arrived in the Colony  
towards the close of the last year.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 11th October, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at the Immigra-  
tion Office, Melbourne, respecting  
GEORGE STEER,  
who arrived in this Colony in February, 1852,  
on board the *Selina* from Adelaide.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th September, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at the Deputy  
Sheriff's Office, Geelong, respecting  
JOHN POWER,  
who left Hobart Town for Geelong, in April or May  
last, with the intention of proceeding to the Ballarat  
Gold Fields. This information is required on behalf  
of the family of John Power.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 26th September, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at the General Post  
Office respecting  
MR. WILLIAM PENNINGTON,  
who left England for this Colony per *Isabella*.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Immigration Office,  
Melbourne, 18th August, 1853.  
INFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting the present abode of  
MRS. MACDONALD AND FAMILY,  
who arrived in this Colony in the ship *Chance*.  
EDWARD GRIMES,  
Immigration Agent.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 15th December, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested to be given at  
this Office respecting

ELIJAH GOLD,

who left Liverpool for Port Phillip in the month  
of September, 1852, by the ship *Tancred*.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 3rd November, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested at the Immi-  
gration Office, Melbourne, respecting the  
present abode of

HENRY GRAY,

late of Adelaide. He is supposed to be in the  
neighbourhood of Bendigo.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 6th December, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested to be given at this  
Office respecting

MURAT WAKEFIELD,

son of Felix Wakefield, Esquire.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 6th December, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested to be given at this  
Office respecting the Address of

DR. CHARLES STILWELL,

who arrived in this Colony on the 20th December,  
1852, as Surgeon Superintendent of the immigrant  
ship *Allison*.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 28th November, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested to be given at  
this office respecting the property or will of

TERENCE MALLON,

of county Armagh, Ireland, an exile. He  
resided in Sydney in 1827, and is supposed to  
have died in Melbourne, 16th May, 1844, leaving  
a will dated 3rd February, 1844.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 10th June, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting

HENRY HARRIS,

an Exile, who left England in the month of  
August, 1849, by the ship *Adelaide*.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. LONSDALE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 18th November, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested at this office  
respecting

JOHN WRIGHT,

an Exile, who left England in the month of  
August, 1849, by the ship *Adelaide*.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 22nd November, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested at this Office  
respecting

THOMAS BENJAMIN GRASEBROOK,

who left England in 1841, and was last heard of  
in April, 1850, at Seymour, in the Colony of  
Victoria.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 18th November, 1853.  
**I**NFORMATION is requested at the Garrison  
Orderly Room, Melbourne, as to the address  
of

JAMES BOLES,

late a soldier in the 15th Hussars, that some-  
thing to his advantage may be communicated to  
him.

By His Excellency's Command,  
JOHN FOSTER.

Private Secretary's Office,  
Melbourne, 9th July, 1853.  
**M**R. JOSEPH AMBLER, formerly of Holbeck,  
near Leeds, and latterly of Scarborough,  
Yorkshire, is requested to forward his address to the  
Private Secretary of the Lieutenant Governor, at  
Melbourne, there being information of some import-  
ance to communicate to him. He was last heard of  
at Sydney, about eighteen months since.

Any information respecting him will be thankfully  
received on behalf of his family.

(By Command) NORMAN CAMPBELL,  
Private Secretary

#### NOTICE.

ADVERTISEMENTS forwarded by *Poundkeepers*  
and others, intended for insertion in the  
"VICTORIA GOVERNMENT GAZETTE" must be  
sent under cover, Post paid, addressed to  
the Government Printer.

Advertisements will be charged for at the  
following rates, viz.—One shilling for each  
of the first six lines, and sixpence for every  
additional line above six.

The GOVERNMENT GAZETTE is published  
on TUESDAY and FRIDAY in each week, and  
Notices for insertion must be received by the  
Government Printer, on or before ten o'clock  
of the day preceding the day of publication.

\*\* All Advertisements intended for publi-  
cation in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE must be  
paid for prior to insertion.

#### Private Advertisements.

##### NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned,  
having disposed of all my Shares in the  
VICTORIA FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,  
upon the 30th day of September last, ceased to have  
any further interest or connexion with that Com-  
pany.

DAVID MOORE.

Flinders-lane, Melbourne,  
29th day of December, 1853.

**GEELONG AND MELBOURNE RAILWAY COMPANY.**

**NOTICE OF CALL.**

**A**T a Meeting of the Directors, held at Geelong, on the 23rd day of December, 1853, it was resolved:

"That a Call of £2 per share be made on all shares allotted in this Company."

Notice is hereby given that the above Call of £2 per share is required to be paid on or before the 1st day of February next ensuing; in Geelong or Melbourne, to the Bank of Victoria, or the Bank of New South Wales; in Sydney, to MESSRS. GEO. THORNE AND CO.

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent will be charged upon all sums under this Call which remain unpaid after the above date, in accordance with clause XII. of the Act.

Payments made in Sydney or Melbourne must include the exchange.

(By order) **THOMAS HOLT,**  
Accountant.

Railway Office, Geelong,  
24th December, 1853. 15s.

**PUBLIC NOTICE.**

**I**T having come to our knowledge that some copies of a printed document purporting to be a prospectus or advertisement of the Victoria Coal Company have got into circulation, bearing our names on them as members of a provisional committee of directors, we now give public notice that we never authorised the issue of any prospectus or advertisement, that we never appointed any manager, and that we do not in any way hold ourselves liable for the acts of any one assuming such an office.

**ROBERT CALDWELL,**  
**CHARLES BLACK.**

Witness—

**J. H. COOKE,**

King-street, 31st December, 1853.

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

**W**E, the undersigned, hereby give notice that the partnership hitherto carried on under the firm and style of "A. R. REED AND Co.," in Geelong, as Ironmongers, was on the 30th day of June last, by mutual consent, dissolved, and that A. R. REED is authorised to receive all debts due to, and will pay all the liabilities of the late firm.

Melbourne, 14th December, 1853.

**ALFRED WOOLLEY,**  
**ALFRED R. REED.**

Witness—**G. L. ROBINSON.**

**TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.**

**S**TOLEN or strayed from the top of Kangaroo Flat, Bendigo, on the night of the 7th December, A bay horse, branded **JK** conjoined

on near shoulder, PC on off shoulder, remains of an old wound on the off loins, black points. Also,

A chesnut horse, branded BR on off shoulder, white spots under the saddle on both sides, and blaze down the face.

Whoever will deliver the above described two horses to **CAPTAIN BERNIE**, lower end of Kangaroo Flat, Bendigo; **LAWRENCE KELLY**, Kilmore; or at the **Globe Inn**, Swanston-street, Melbourne, shall receive the above reward.

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**FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.**

**L**OST, about the beginning of March last, from Wilson's Paddock, on the King River, near Wangaratta, a well bred Dark Bay Horse, about sixteen hands high, switch tail, black points, branded JC near shoulder, CL near

EB

side neck, and C off shoulder.

Fifty pounds will be paid on conviction of the thief, if stolen, or twenty pounds for delivery to **DANIEL FOAN**, Argyle Gully, McIvor; the *Argus* Office, McIvor; or to **MR. EDWARD BRADLEY**, Craigie Burn, Sydney Road, near Melbourne.

McIvor, 12th December, 1853.

**TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.**

**S**TOLEN on the 30th November last, from the Paddock of **MR. EDWARD BRADLEY**, of Craigie Burn, on the Sydney Road, a jet black mare, branded JE on near shoulder, T on off neck,

EB

stands about fifteen and a half hands high, of a draught breed, and about four years old.

The above Reward will be paid on conviction of the thief, on application to **GIBBS, ROWLEY AND Co.**, Nos. 251 and 60, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

December 27th, 1853.

**Impoundings.**

**I**MPOUNDED at Bullock Creek, 7th December, 1853, by the Swan Hill Police.

1 brown horse, blaze, near feet and off hind feet white, mark of tether rope on near fore leg, saddle marks, SN or SH near shoulder  
By **W. L. Morton, Esq.**, 17th December, 1853.  
1 yellow brindle bullock, cock horns, **FE** near

shoulder, A near ribs, like WO near rump, 8  
**JG**

near thigh, large blotch off rump

1 red bullock, white back, strawberry head and neck, large cock horns, UH off, like ND conjoined near shoulder

1 red bullock, white back, MD near rump, D near shoulder, supposed RD near ribs

1 yellow bullock, white back, back out off ear, down hoop horns, TC near rump

1 red bullock, white on rump, mottled face, ears cropped, TK off rump, supposed WW near ribs and rump, tip near horn

1 red or light brindle bullock, wide cock horns, like SEY off ribs, two small initial letters supposed to be PT near ribs and rump

1 brindle bullock, J<sup>2</sup> off rump, like **(OB** off thigh, IE near hip

1 white bullock, black neck and spots, long cock horns, JW near rump, JM off rump

1 yellow bullock, wide horns, HR off rump

1 red bullock, grizzle face, WR near rump, **DB** off thigh, AL near ribs and neck

1 red bullock, white spot on rump, PW off rump

1 brindle bullock, white back and belly, J<sup>2</sup> J off ribs, 4 near thigh

1 red bullock, white back, near horn off, A off thigh, GF near shoulder

1 white bullock, red ears, TL conjoined off ribs

- 1 red bullock, cock horns, top off near ear,  $\Delta$ T off ribs, I off rump, PT near ribs  
 1 red bullock, star, white on rump, CK off rump and ribs  
 1 red bullock, off horn down, white on rump, L off rump  
 1 red bullock, white face, JA on near and off ribs  
 1 brown and white bullock, slit near ear, hole in off ear, WY off ribs

By Mr. Campbell.

- 1 brown mare, star, off hind foot white, S near C

shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 25th of January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

32s.

WILLIAM SHIELDS,  
Acting Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

**T**HE grey horse, white hind legs, long tail T W near shoulder, impounded by Mr. Catto, 5th November, should have been JF near shoulder W and will be sold 25th January, 1854.

7s. 6d.

WILLIAM SHIELDS,  
Acting Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at Lexton, 15th December, 1853, by Mr. Hepburn.

- 1 chesnut horse, hind feet white, star, M near W shoulder

- 1 black mare, near hind foot white, star, R near W shoulder,  $\Delta$ J, conjoined off shoulder, R off neck, long tail

- 1 bay mare, saddle marked, little white on off hind foot, HS near shoulder, 2 near mane

- 1 bay foal, progeny of above

- 1 bay horse, star, saddle marked, 4 near shoulder B

- 1 brown mare, small star, very little white on near hind foot, B near shoulder, shoes on, JC collar marked

- 1 bay mare, saddle marked and collar marked, very small star, IE near shoulder

- 1 bay horse, blind near eye, near hind foot white, W near neck, appears ruptured

- 1 chesnut horse, saddle marked, hind feet white, star, like a diamond and stripe on nose, W PP near shoulder

- 1 brown horse, wall eye near side, collar marked, A off shoulder

- 1 roan horse,  $\Delta$ JB near shoulder, B near cheek, heart and anchor off shoulder

- 1 chesnut mare, small white speck on forehead, SO near shoulder, A off shoulder IG

- 1 bay horse, hind feet white, blaze face, much saddle marked, KB with other illegible brands above near shoulder, blotch like H near back

- 1 white horse, shod all round, like 1 near shoulder, Y off shoulder

- 1 bay mare, star, shod, saddle marked, near fore and near hind foot white, II near shoulder, JP conjoined off shoulder

- 1 brown mare, off hind foot white, star and stripe, JP the P reversed near shoulder, TL5 near neck

- 1 bay filly, diamond near cheek, diamond near shoulder

- 1 brown entire horse, D near shoulder—Damages D reversed

£5.

- 1 grey horse, much saddle marked, WT off shoulder, newly branded, D near shoulder, rather sore back

- 1 bay mare, star, off hind foot white, P off J

shoulder,  $\Delta$  U conjoined near neck

- 1 bay horse, black points, saddle marked, small white streak on forehead about one inch long, M near shoulder

RH the R reversed and conjoined

- 1 white horse, ( ) off shoulder

- 1 dark bay or brown horse, blaze face, four white legs, long tail, DE near shoulder, the brands A

appear to have been put over other brands, under lip white

- 1 bay mare, star and snip, black points, HA off neck

- 1 bay mare, black points, G 43

- 1 bay or brown mare, star, black points, F or II J J

near shoulder, saddle marked

- 1 bay horse, star, little white on near hind foot, JT conjoined and F near shoulder

- 1 grey or roan entire horse, hind feet and near fore foot white, blaze face, collar marked, S reversed near shoulder—Damages £5.

- 1 black mare, star, WS near shoulder

- 1 dark foal, progeny of above

- 1 bay mare, hollow back, small star, black points, no visible brand

- 1 bay mare, near hind foot white, little white on off hind foot, stripe on nose, saddle marked, J in circle near shoulder

- 1 bay mare, little white on off hind foot, star, saddle marked, IE near shoulder

- 1 bay mare, S reversed off neck, like [ ] near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 25th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

51s.

E. H. WILLIAMSON,  
Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at Horsham, 13th December, 1853.

- 1 bay mare, H near shoulder, white spot on off shoulder, short switch tail

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 17th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

7s. 6d.

WILLIAM SEELEY,  
Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at Forest Creek, Campaspo River, 5th December, 1853, by W. C. Jeffreys, Esq., J.P.—Trespass and driving 3s. 3d. each.

- 1 yellow bullock, large hoop horns, tip off near horn, 2 near shoulder B

1 red bullock, small horns, white belly, IOS off ribs, W near rump  
 1 strawberry cow, slit off ear, OB off rump  
 1 red cow, white back and belly, RD off rump, H near loins  
 1 brown cow, ball face, tip off off ear, 5 off ribs, JG off rump  
 1 brindle heifer, CF near rump  
 1 yellow cow, hoop horns, CN off rump, CN off ribs  
 1 magpie bullock, cock horns, O off rump  
 1 strawberry steer, slit off ear, like 8 off thigh, illegible brand off ribs  
 1 red cow, HD conjoined off ribs, † off shoulder, CAY near side back  
 1 brindle sided cow, white back and belly, 44 off ribs, CAY near loins  
 1 brown cow, cock horns, white belly, slit off ear, H off rump  
 1 strawberry bullock, red ears, large cock horns, CW off ribs, M near shoulder, A near rump, like 5 near hip  
 1 yellow bullock, white back and belly, wide horns, IC off rump, N near ribs, blotch near rump and ribs  
 1 red and white spotted cow, slit off ear, WJ off rump, 2 off ribs, calf at foot  
 1 black cow, piece off off horn, JC off rump, JM near ribs  
 1 yellow cow, white back and belly, S near ribs, HOC off ribs, 7 off rump  
 1 yellow heifer, about eighteen months old, piece out off ear, blotch C off thigh  
 1 brindle cow, cock horns, piece off both ears, BR near ribs  
 1 red and white cow, piece out off ear, illegible brand like B off thigh  
 1 red bullock, near horn down, like RN over illegible brand off rump  
 1 strawberry bullock, cock horns, tip off off ear, Ω off shoulder, like MD off rump  
 1 white cow, red ears, cock horns, CII off rump, blotch off thigh  
 1 yellow poley cow, white back and belly, IH off rump, triangle off ribs, 5 off shoulder  
 1 red cow, white back and belly, piece out near ear, BB near shoulder  
 1 red steer, down horns, slit off ear, MT off rump, WS off ribs, WP near ribs  
 1 yellow cow, cock horns, WL near rump, like R off ribs, calf at foot  
 1 red yearling heifer, like JM off ribs  
 1 yellow poley cow, white back and belly, Q over anchor brand off ribs  
 1 dark brindle steer, white back and belly, 4B off rump and ribs  
 1 brown bullock, white back and belly, slit off ear, OB off rump, A near rump  
 1 strawberry steer, slit near ear, DW near ribs  
 1 red bullock, cock horns, RL near rump, BY near ribs  
 1 black poley cow, white back and belly, BQ off ribs  
 1 black and white cow, piece out off ear, CII near loins, 2 off rump and thigh

1 dark red steer, cock horns, piece out both ears, 5 off thigh and shoulder, blotch near loins  
 1 brindle cow, down horns, piece out off ear, S near ribs, MC off ribs, H off thigh  
 1 red cow, white back and belly, top off near ear, triangle off rump and shoulder  
 1 brindle steer, stag horns, TC off ribs  
 1 brindle bullock, white back and belly, large cock horns, 4 off shoulder  
 1 red poley cow, white back and belly, piece out off ear, HI off ribs, B near shoulder, 2 near rump  
 1 red and white spotted cow, near horn down, P near rump, I off shoulder  
 1 dark red steer, wide horns, 165 off ribs, S near rump, IHC near shoulder  
 1 brindle and white cow, small hoop horns, H off ribs  
 1 yellow and white cow, wide horns, CT off rump  
 1 brown and white steer, small hoop horns, H off shoulder, C off thigh  
 1 brindle steer, stump tail, D off rump  
 1 red and white nobby bullock, slit in both ears, O off rump, illegible brand off ribs  
 1 yellow and white nobby bullock, slit in both ears, 4 off shoulder, blotch brand off ribs and thigh, CT near rump  
 1 yellow and white cow, small hoop horns, O near rump, WH off thigh, CP off rump, HC off ribs  
 1 brown steer, snail horns, JP off rump and thigh, LL off ribs, Y off shoulder  
 1 white steer, cock horns, slit in both ears, BOYD off ribs, and blotch O off rump  
 1 strawberry bullock, cock horns, piece out off ear, G off rump  
 1 red and white spotted steer, DC near ribs, X near rump  
 1 red and white spotted bullock, large hoop horns, near one broken, SW near rump, MCC near ribs, IF near shoulder, †R off ribs  
 1 brindle and white poley cow, piece of near ear, heart brand off rump and ribs, like JC conjoined near shoulder  
 1 black cow, hoop horns, white belly, OB off rump, A near rump, WD conjoined near ribs  
 1 light brown steer, piece out off ear, IH off rump, 7 off loins, 5 off shoulder  
 1 red steer, white belly, cock horns, EC near rump  
 1 red and white spotted steer, slit near ear, cock horns, AB near rump, hat brand near ribs  
 1 strawberry steer, piece off near ear, AN off rump  
 1 red and white nobby cow, piece off near ear, TO near rump, calf at foot  
 1 red and white cow, large cock horns, piece off near ear, blotch like AR near rump, C off ribs  
 1 strawberry bullock, red ears, CT off rump

- 1 red cow, small hoop horns, white belly, BT near rump, U off ribs, J off rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{A} \\ \text{D} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red and white spotted steer, hoop horns, piece out off ear, IW off rump and shoulder
- 1 red and white spotted cow, cock horns, C within circle off rump, BT near rump
- 1 strawberry steer, piece out near ear, NS near rump
- 1 red poley cow, white back and belly, piece out off ear, like H near shoulder
- 1 black bullock, white back and belly, cock horns, CT over anchor over A off rump
- 1 red cow, tip off near ear, triangle off rump and shoulder
- 1 brindle cow, small hoop horns, OB off rump
- 1 yellow bullock, hoop horns, white back and belly, bell on neck, like T reversed off ribs, JR near rump, JM near ribs, GH and CH 7 near horn
- 1 brindle and white cow, small horns, HOH off ribs, 2 off thigh
- 1 yellow poley cow, white belly, tip off near ear, ID near shoulder, SD near loins
- 1 red cow, white back and belly, dewlap, BOYD on near side neck
- 1 roan bullock, slit off ear, Y4 near rump, 5 near shoulder, C off neck, like CS off loins
- 1 roan stag, slit off ear, 2 off rump, HD con-joined near ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{BC} \\ \text{BC} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red bullock, white back and belly, piece out near ear, CC near ribs, 8 near shoulder, WC  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{DI} \\ \text{DI} \end{matrix}$  near rump, I off ribs, R off rump
- 1 red and white spotted steer, small horns, T near rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{A} \\ \text{3} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red cow, white belly, HD conjoined near ribs, 2 off rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{BC} \\ \text{BC} \end{matrix}$
- 1 yellow poley steer, slit in both ears, indescribable brand off ribs, O off rump
- 1 light brindle cow, BT off rump, 5 off ribs, 3 off thigh
- 1 red steer, white belly, cock horns, 2 near rump, 2 in circle near ribs
- 1 yellow bullock, cock horns, white back and belly, D near rump
- 1 blue strawberry bullock, cock horns, small dowlap, T off rump, T off ribs, 2 off shoulder  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{SS} \\ \text{SS} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red bullock, cock horns, white back and belly, 2 near loins, S off ribs, ET like 44 under off rump
- 1 yellow cow, white belly, piece off near ear, MCY off ribs
- 1 black nobby bullock, white belly, DR off rump,  $\begin{matrix} \Omega \\ \Omega \end{matrix}$  off loins
- 1 brindle snaily steer, CH off rump, S off thigh
- 1 red and white sheeted bullock, slit in both ears, DMK near ribs, BOYD near side neck
- 1 red bullock, snail horns, white belly and face, H off ribs
- 1 white poley cow, slit off ear, DK off ribs
- 1 brindle cow, white back and belly, IL off ribs
- 1 red poley cow, white back and belly, IL off ribs
- 1 brindle steer, piece out of ear, 5 off rump and hip, 9 off ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{G} \\ \text{G} \end{matrix}$
- 1 brindle and white stag, near ribs, 1 near shoulder, IV off rump
- 1 brindle and white cow, blotch brand like N off ribs
- 1 brown and white bullock, cock horns, DC conjoined off ribs, DMK off ribs, 3 off rump
- 1 red steer, wide horns, JK off rump and ribs
- 1 mouse coloured bullock, down horns, 5 off thigh, 7 off ribs, AR near loins  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{G} \\ \text{G} \end{matrix}$
- 1 black nobby steer, slit near ear, TT near ribs
- 1 red bullock, white back and belly, H near loins, II off rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{H} \\ \text{H} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red and white spotted bullock, hoop horns, like IT off ribs
- 1 yellow nobby cow, like HY near shoulder
- 1 yellow cow, piece off near ear, triangle off rump and shoulder
- 1 brown cow, X near ribs, II off ribs
- 1 black cow, piece out off ear, 5 off thigh, 44 off ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{G} \\ \text{G} \end{matrix}$
- 1 dun cow, small hoop horns, triangle off rump, and 8 under
- 1 red and white bullock, slit in both ears, O off rump, indescribable brand off ribs
- 1 red and white stag, piece out near ear, HO off rump and thigh, O off ribs, O near loins
- 1 strawberry steer, slit in both ears, SO off rump and loins
- 1 red poley cow, W near ribs, C off loins  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{R} \\ \text{R} \end{matrix}$
- 1 brindle cow, slit in off ear, TMK near ribs
- 1 red cow, slit both ears, blotch like RB off rump, J near ribs, 2 near shoulder  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{JHC} \\ \text{JHC} \end{matrix}$  conjoined
- 1 red cow, white back and belly, H off rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{R} \\ \text{R} \end{matrix}$
- 1 yellow bullock, cock horns, 48 off shoulder, 5 off thigh, 2B off rump and ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{G} \\ \text{G} \end{matrix}$
- 1 yellow cow, piece off near ear, TO near rump, CT off ribs, 44 off thigh
- 1 brindle steer, white back and belly, hoop horns, JN near shoulder, JJ near rump
- 1 red bullock, snail horns, IW off rump, 5 off ribs
- 1 strawberry stag, slit in both ears, S near ribs, 1 near loins, OD off ribs, blotch off rump  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{R} \\ \text{R} \end{matrix}$
- 1 white bullock, snail horns, slit both ears, BOYD near ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{DMK} \\ \text{DMK} \end{matrix}$
- 1 blue steer, cock horns, piece out off ear, 5 off thigh, 7 off ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{G} \\ \text{G} \end{matrix}$
- 1 red cow, snail horns, blotch like SD near ribs, like SR near rump
- 1 white poley cow, piece off near ear, H off rump and ribs
- 1 red and white spotted cow, D5 off ribs
- 1 brown cow, cock horns, W off near rump
- 1 red and white spotted bullock, hoop horns, B near rump
- 1 yellow bullock, white back and belly, near horn down, B near rump and ribs  
 $\begin{matrix} \text{5} \\ \text{5} \end{matrix}$



- 1 dark brindle bullock, large hoop horns, WE off rump, JD near rump  
 1 brown and white bullock, cock horns, S near ribs, AW near rump  
 1 yellow and white bullock, snail horns, anchor near shoulder, XA near and off rump  
 1 black cow, cock horns, white back and belly, DKR near ribs, 5 near shoulder  
 1 red bullock, large hoop horns, RE off rump  
 1 strawberry cow, ff off rump, O near side back  
 1 strawberry cow, piece out both ears, AR near rump, 44 off ribs  
 1 brindle bullock, cock horns, bow and arrow off rump, BB and blotch near ribs, B near shoulder  
 1 brown cow, white back and belly, IH off rump, W off ribs  
 1 red and white spotted steer, hoop horns, CIK off ribs  
 1 red and white spotted steer, cock horns, DH 5  
 near ribs, IR off ribs  
 237  
 1 yellow steer, white back and belly, down horns, LN near rump  
 1 red steer, white back and belly, HC off rump and ribs  
 1 dun cow, down horns, RF off rump, CCL off ribs and near rump  
 1 red bullock, white back and belly, RW off ribs, AW conjoined off shoulder  
 1 strawberry steer, piece out near ear, J2 off rump and ribs  
 1 brown cow, white belly, MP near rump and ribs  
 1 red and white bullock, CT off rump, blotch 44  
 near ribs, G off ribs  
 1 white steer, yellow neck, cock horns, piece out off ear, SD off rump  
 1 dark red cow, white face, blotch brand off ribs, C near shoulder  
 1 red bullock, white back and belly, large cock horns, slit off ear, ML off rump, ECL near  
 ff JLC  
 7  
 1  
 1  
 shoulder  
 1 red cow, white belly, TS off rump and ribs  
 1 dark red bullock, snail horns, MW near rump  
 1 brindle bullock, near horn broken, heart brand near rump and shoulder, IB near ribs  
 1 red and white spotted steer, cock horns, piece off near ear, T in circle off rump and shoulder  
 1 red cow, white back and belly, like H near shoulder  
 1 red steer, down horns, CL off shoulder  
 2  
 1 brindle cow, white back and belly, GII near rump, 2 near shoulder  
 1 red steer, cock horns, S off rump, 2 off thigh  
 and ribs  
 1 black steer, LN off rump, R off shoulder  
 1 brown bullock, large cock horns, white back and belly, PM off rump  
 7  
 1 red bullock, snail horns, slit off ear, club brand off thigh  
 1 red bullock, cock horns, C and blotch off rump, 7 off thigh  
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- 1 white cow, hoop horns, HD conjoined off rump, P near rump  
 1 blue strawberry cow, small hoop horns, WC off rump, O near loins  
 1 blue strawberry cow, cock horns, slit off ear, CT off rump  
 1 brindle and white steer, hoop horns, piece off near ear, like EC near ribs, like H off rump  
 II  
 1 white bullock, slit off ear, near horn down, rope on neck, IT off rump  
 1 red strawberry cow, slit off ear, 2 off rump, BC  
 blotch like IB near ribs  
 1 yellow cow, white back and belly, S near ribs  
 1 dark brindle cow, cock horns, ID near shoulder  
 1 yellow bullock, white back and belly, stump tail, JH conjoined near shoulder  
 1 red cow, white belly, TY off rump  
 1 brown cow, HU off rump, ON off ribs  
 1 yellow cow, white back and belly, small hoop horns, M near ribs, P near thigh  
 P  
 1 dark red steer, stag horns, like C off shoulder  
 B  
 1 red and white spotted bullock, cock horns, ID near shoulder  
 1 red bullock, cock horns, IB near rump, E near thigh, EE off rump, 5 off ribs  
 1 strawberry bullock, red neck, like 18 near ribs  
 1 red bullock, cock horns, JM conjoined off rump, blotch near ribs  
 1 strawberry bullock, cock horns, like RL off  
 RL  
 ribs, P near ribs  
 1 red strawberry cow, small hoop horns, JB conjoined near rump  
 1 strawberry cow, M off ribs  
 1 blue sided steer, down horns, CK off thigh, SD off ribs  
 1 red and white poley cow, piece out off ear, blotch near ribs, 2 off rump  
 BC  
 1 red and white spotted cow, small hoop horns, Q near ribs, FMS off ribs  
 1 red and white spotted heifer, T in circle off rump and shoulder  
 1 red cow, white back and belly, CII off rump, J  
 CII  
 off ribs  
 1 brindle bullock, white back and belly, snail horns, CT off rump over blotch brand  
 1 brindle and white heifer, small hoop horns, HR off rump, blotch off ribs  
 1 brown cow, white back and belly, SD near ribs, ID near shoulder  
 1 red cow, white belly, cock horns, like I near rump  
 If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 7th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.  
 HENRY GRANGER PRETTY,  
 £11 Gs. 6d. Poundkeeper.
- I**MPOUNDED at Forest Creek, Campaspe River, 5th December, 1853.  
 1 dark bay or brown mare, S near shoulder, JR near neck, DH off shoulder, white feet, star, switch tail  
 1 bay mare, black points, long tail, grey hairs off side back, N or G near shoulder, horse foal  
 C  
 at foot

- 1 black horse, square tail, blind near eye, HI off neck
- 1 chesnut horse, saddle and collar marked, white feet, stripe down face, WS off shoulder, JB near shoulder
- 1 dark chesnut horse, long tail, three white feet, lame off fore leg, star and snip, rope on neck, PI off shoulder
- 1 chesnut yearling filly, star and snip, no visible brand
- 1 brown horse, draught breed, shod, near hind foot white, long tail, DY near shoulder
- 1 chesnut horse, switch tail, white feet, DOY JA near shoulder, OJ off neck
- 1 bay horse, switch tail, stripe down face, hind feet white, † near shoulder, HP off shoulder
- 1 black horse, draught breed, long tail, hind feet white, star, white spots on back, W near shoulder, B off side under saddle
- 1 dark brown mare, shod, long tail, small star, C near shoulder  
C  
C
- JHO (the JH conjoined)
- 1 brown mare, long tail, two hind feet white, star and snip, LA near shoulder
- 1 dark brown or black mare, star, switch tail, near hind foot white, † near shoulder, EO W  
W off shoulder
- 1 iron grey mare, short tail, OJ near shoulder IM
- 1 bay entire, long tail, star, JB conjoined near shoulder—Damages £5.
- 1 light grey mare, short switch tail, BW near shoulder
- 1 dark brown or black mare, switch tail, off hind foot white, JH near shoulder
- 1 black horse, long tail, RF near shoulder 3119
- 1 chesnut cob horse, stripe down face, near hind foot white, B off neck, lame near fore foot
- 1 dark chesnut mare, switch tail, shod, star, TSS under saddle near side, J near shoulder H
- 1 bay mare, switch tail, off hind foot white, star, H•M near shoulder, D off shoulder ITH
- If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 7th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.
- HENRY GRANGER PRETTY,  
Poundkeeper.  
37s.
- I**MPOUNDED at Melbourne, 28th December, 1853, by Irwin Byrne.
- 1 black and white poley cow, NB conjoined near ribs
- 1 red bullock, DL off rump, F off shoulder
- 1 white cow, IP off rump, triangle off ribs  
By Mr. Dick.
- 1 blue sided bullock, RO near ribs RO JM
- 1 strawberry cow, LC off ribs, O off hip  
On 29th December, by Mr. Greenaway.
- 1 red cow, WS off ribs

- 1 brown sided cow, WS off back
- 1 black cow, with strawberry calf, L with illegible letter off ribs
- 1 strawberry cow, O near ribs, TX near rump
- 1 red and white bullock, O near shoulder, O 7M BI near ribs, RP near rump, WV off ribs 3
- 1 yellow bullock, N in circle near ribs, like FMD (the MD conjoined) off ribs, F off shoulder, O off hip  
On 30th December, by Mr. Grey.
- 1 chesnut horse, star and stripe, H near shoulder
- 1 bay mare, star, near hind foot white, K near shoulder  
By Mr. Wattson.
- 1 chesnut mare, star, off hind foot white, FW conjoined near shoulder  
By Mr. Deane.
- 1 black mare, FC near shoulder
- 1 chesnut horse, C both cheeks, C near C off shoulder IP 15
- 1 grey horse, JM near shoulder
- 1 bay filly, appears RM reversed near shoulder  
By Irwin Byrne.
- 1 strawberry cow, JW off ribs
- 2 bullocks in yoke, one white, WR near ribs
- 1 red and white bullock, like SW off rump, W off ribs
- 1 yellow cow, like K conjoined off rump, O off hip 7
- 1 yellow and white snail horned cow, like P near shoulder, CH I off ribs, CH off rump 2
- 1 red sided poley cow, MG off ribs  
If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 26th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.
- IRWIN BYRNE,  
Poundkeeper.  
31s. 6d.
- I**MPOUNDED at Buninyong, 24th December, 1853, by H. Munday, Esq.
- 1 brown bullock, white belly, grey face, near ribs WL, near rump JL, near horn JC
- 1 red bullock, large stag horns, off rump JBL (the JB conjoined), off shoulder JB conjoined, near ribs JS or GC
- 1 white bullock, blind off eye, near rump EA conjoined, near ribs 7, off ribs 7, off rump EA conjoined, like D off neck
- 1 white and yellow spotted bullock, hoop horns, near ribs GDL (the L reversed), near rump SE (the OA conjoined) OA
- 1 red cow, star forehead, near shoulder D, off rump D
- 1 white and blue spotted bullock, cock horns, near shoulder J (the bow of J upwards), off ribs JA, off loins P, off rump illegible brand
- 1 dark brown bullock, hoop horns, near shoulder N, near ribs D, off rump PR 2
- 1 dark brown and white spotted bullock, near ribs 2, off ribs 3, off rump IP, snail horns
- 1 dark brown or black bullock, white back and belly, top of horns sawn off, near ribs HM

- 1 red sided white back and belly bullock, JS off  
rump, near ribs  $\infty$
- 1 yellow and white spotted bullock, near shoulder W, near rump HK conjoined, near horn GR
- 1 brown or dark red bullock, tip of tail white, off ribs like S, scar near hip, ear marked H
- 1 yellow bullock, cock horns, white belly, near rump C, off rump MW, off ear marked
- 1 red and white sheeted bullock, nobb horns, near ribs MJT (the JT conjoined), near rump MH conjoined
- 1 yellow bullock, cock horns, near ribs 2, off ribs WF
- 1 red poley bullock, white sheet over the loins, hind legs white, near ribs V
- 1 white bullock, brindle spots, large horns, near rump GM, near shoulder JF, near horn GS
- 1 red and white strawberry poley steer, off rump JS, near ribs  $\infty$
- 1 red sided poley calf, white back and belly, ear marked, off ribs like HOH
- 1 brindle bullock, bald face, off rump WT, off ribs W
- 1 yellow cow, off shoulder —, blotch on rump C
- 1 strawberry bullock, off rump JD
- 1 large yellow bullock, white flanks, off ribs MP
- 1 strawberry bullock, snail horns, off ribs WA conjoined
- 1 red bullock, near horn broken, near ribs IRON, off ribs PS
- 1 red sided white back and belly bullock, snail horns, off thigh ICK
- 1 brown bullock, snail horns, near ribs RGKT, off ribs DS, indescribable brand off rump
- 1 yellow bullock, little white on rump, near thigh like JH or LH
- 1 red bullock, top off horn sawn off, near ribs WD conjoined, off shoulder G, off rump 5 G
- 1 red and white bull stag, near rump like I-D O
- 1 red cow, bald face, white back and belly, like CC near rump
- 1 brindle cow, ear marked, near rump D with blotch letters under
- 1 brindle and white bullock, off horn hoop down to the nose, near rump writing N before H, off rump BF, off neck A, off ribs like JW N  $\square$

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 27th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

49s. GEORGE INNES,  
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Sugar Loaf Creek, 28th December, 1853.

- 1 red and white bullock, hoop horns, like JR  
near rump
- 1 dark strawberry bullock, cock horns, same brand
- 1 red bullock, cock horns, BC off ribs, off ear slit

- 1 red bullock, BT off rump, 6 off ribs, 3 off shoulder
- 1 red sided bullock, tip off both horns, S near rump, TY off rump
- 1 red bullock, off horn down, MW near horn, ME off ribs
- 1 red steer, bald face, TSP off ribs, ML near rump
- 1 chesnut horse, blaze face, collar marked, HY near shoulder
- 1 brown mare, star, shod, short switch tail, illegible brand near shoulder
- 1 dappled grey horse, horse shoe brand near shoulder, heart brand near hip, long tail, shod
- 1 white mare, G near shoulder, IF off shoulder, 3  
collar and saddle marked
- 1 dark bay horse, switch tail, W near shoulder, 5 and illegible brand off shoulder
- 1 chesnut colt, blaze face, J5 near shoulder  
If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 23rd January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.
- JOHN STAFFORD,  
Poundkeeper.  
20s. 6d.

## NOTICE.

THE Bay Horse advertised for sale on the 28th December, 1853, branded T near T shoulder, like a brand near jaw; there appears to be a JL under saddle on near side.  
If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 25th January, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

8s. 6d. MALACHI FOLEY,  
Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Shepparton (late McGuire's Punt), Lower Goulburn River, 30th December, 1853.

- 1 chesnut horse, switch tail, MK near shoulder
- 1 brown mare, long tail, blaze down face, like MP near shoulder, two hind fetlocks white, S  
writing W on near rump, shod all round
- 1 light chesnut cob, blaze down face, dock tail, like FA near shoulder, sore back MR
- 1 black horse, hollow back, collar marked, long tail, like IA blotch and F off ribs, saddle marked
- 1 bay horse, small star, switch tail, blotch near side under saddle, W near shoulder, indescribable brand off neck; saddle marked, near hip down
- 1 brown mare, long tail, two hind fetlocks white, star and snip, like PG or C near shoulder E
- 1 bay filly foal, progeny of the above
- 1 dark grey mare, long tail, near hind fetlock white, saddle marked, both hips down, collar marked, JP near shoulder, like C or C top of rump
- 1 chesnut horse, small streak down face, long tail, like RH near shoulder, 8 near side neck
- 1 chesnut horse, long tail,  $\infty$  off shoulder, H 2  
like M blotched near shoulder
- 1 iron grey horse, long tail, TN near shoulder

1 large grey horse, short switch tail, IH near  
CL  
shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before  
24th January, 1854, will be sold according to  
Act of Council.

R. A. Q. HENRIQUES,  
25s. Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at Kyneton, Mount Macedon,  
by W. F. Mitchell, Esq., 23rd December,  
1853.

1 black horse, star, supposed MC or HC near  
shoulder, saddle and collar marked, shod  
1 bay mare, star, short switch tail, S under  
saddle near side, supposed I off side neck,  
blotch brand off shoulder  
1 bay horse, star and snip, little white near hind  
foot, off hind foot grey, TP near shoulder, JT  
off side neck, like  $\frac{7}{6}$  off shoulder, saddle and

collar marked  
1 bay horse, small blaze, hind feet white, WS  
above supposed W near shoulder,  $\frac{4}{C}$  or G  
off neck, contracted fore foot

1 bay filly, blaze, white feet, AW off shoulder  
1 iron grey yearling colt, star, little white on  
hind feet, no visible brand  
1 bay filly, black points, little white off hind foot,  
no visible brand  
1 black cob horse, few white hairs in forehead,  
D near shoulder, BOYD under saddle near  
10

side  
1 brown horse, black points, short switch tail,  
J-J near shoulder, collar marked, shod  
1 brown horse, switch tail, near hind foot white,  
SS near shoulder

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20th January, 1854, will be sold according to  
Act of Council.

J. H. BAYNTON,  
20s. Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at South Geelong, 26th Decem-  
ber, 1853.

1 brindle steer, stag horns, like  $\frac{2}{2}$  off rump  
1 dark strawberry yearling bull, no visible brand  
1 red and white spotted bullock, 5 off ribs, R2  
122

off rump, wide cock horns  
1 small red poley cow, HF conjoined near rump  
1 red bull calf, white face, no visible brand

On 27th December.  
1 well bred brown gelding, shod all round, 1C  
off shoulder, switch tail

On 28th December.  
1 dark brown mare, PI off ribs, R near shoulder,  
C  
shod all round, collar marked

On 29th December.  
1 black horse, blaze, long tail, near fetlock joint  
much enlarged, IMP (the MP conjoined) off  
shoulder

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Act of Council.

W. F. B. BOHUN,  
15s. 6d. Poundkeeper.

**I**MPOUNDED at the Deep Creek, December  
26th, 1853.

1 yellow and white poley bullock, notched ears,  
ES near ribs

1 red bullock, cock horns, short tail, HU off  
rump, ON off ribs

1 strawberry bullock, TC off ribs, TC off rump,  
GB near shoulder, broken hobbles

1 brown bullock, snail horns, GL conjoined near  
ribs, JK off rump

1 light strawberry bullock, TI off shoulder, B  
near ribs, TI near rump

1 brindle bullock, JNM near ribs, WK off rump,  
and ribs, JJ off shoulder

1 brown snail horned bullock, white rump, OD  
X  
off rump and thigh, like 12 within square  
near rump

1 red bullock, wide horns, RK off rump and  
RK

thigh  
1 brindle bullock, small hoop horns, AV near  
shoulder

1 white bullock, yellow neck, JT off rump, in  
hobbles

1 light brindle bullock, CN off rump, horse shoe  
off ribs

1 light yellow bullock, speckled neck, DP near  
shoulder and thigh, SG off rump

1 red snail horned bullock, grey face, WHPS  
near ribs, JG near rump, like O off shoulder

O  
1 yellow and white bullock, cock horns, TB near  
thigh, JCB off ribs, like C off rump

1 yellow bullock, D off rump, IB near ribs  
SG

On the 29th December.

1 brown horse, three white feet, blaze face,  
switch tail, LE near shoulder, collar marked,  
M

shod all round  
1 dark brown or black mare, long tail, BO near  
2  
shoulder, collar marked, shod all round

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before  
the 25th of January, 1854, will be sold according  
to Act of Council.

W. J. GILBERT,  
28s. Poundkeeper.

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