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CONDITIONS OF CONTRACTS FOR CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

PERSONS desirous to contract for the undermentioned Conveyance of Mails and other Transport Services for the Post Office Department, 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, on or before Tuesday, the 31st day of October next.

Contractors are requested to describe the Mails or Services for which they tender by their numbers, as below. Their attention is also particularly directed to the Conditions of Contract, which will be rigidly adhered to.

ROUTES.

1. Between Melbourne and Alberton, by way of Oakleigh, Dandenong, and Sale, weekly.
2. Between Melbourne and the Kangaroo Ground, by way of Warringal and Eltham, bi-weekly.
3. Between Melbourne and Upper Plenty, weekly or bi-weekly.
4. Between Melbourne and Albury, by way of Kilmore, Benalla, Wangaratta, and Beechworth, with a branch from Kilmore to Heathcote, bi-weekly.
5. Between Heathcote and Waranga, weekly.
6. Between Heathcote and Maiden's Punt, by way of Hopwood's Inn, weekly.
7. Between Melbourne and Bulla, by way of Broadmeadows, bi-weekly.
8. Between Melbourne and Sandhurst by way of Keilor, Kyneton, Elphinstone and Castlemaine, bi-weekly, with a branch from the Porcupine Inn to Lockwood and Campbell's Inn.
9. Between Castlemaine and Swan Hill, by way of the Serpentine Post Office, weekly.
10. Between Castlemaine and Maldon, bi-weekly, with a weekly extension to Maryborough.
11. Between Castlemaine and Fryer's Creek, bi-weekly.
12. Between Kyneton and Kingower, weekly, by way of Mount Franklyn, Carisbrook, and Maryborough, communicating with Hepburn either by a branch from Mount Franklyn or on the journey from Mount Franklyn to Kyneton as may be ordered.
13. Between Melbourne and Ballaarat, by way of Bacchus Marsh and Ballan, bi-weekly.
14. Between Melbourne and Geelong, daily (Sundays excepted).
15. Between Geelong and Ballaarat, by way of Meredith and Buninyong, bi-weekly.
16. Between Ballaarat and Creswick's Creek, bi-weekly.
17. Between Ballaarat and the Avoca Diggings, by way of Burnbank, bi-weekly.
18. Between the Avoca Diggings and the Yowen Hill Post Office, weekly.
19. Between Burnbank and Horsham, by way of Crowlands and Glenorchy, weekly.
20. Between Ballaarat and Chepstow, by way of Smyth's Creek, weekly, with extension to Streatham, if required.
21. Between Geelong and Shelford, bi-weekly or tri-weekly, as may be required.
22. Between Shelford and Hamilton, by way of Streatham and Dunkeld, bi-weekly.
23. Between Hamilton and Portland; bi-weekly.

24. Between Hamilton and Belfast, weekly.
25. Between Hamilton and Penola, by way of Casterton, weekly.
26. Between Dunkeld, or Hamilton, and Apsley (as may be required), by way of Cavendish and Harrow, weekly.
27. Between Portland and Casterton, by way of Hotspur and Digby, weekly.
28. Between Shelford and Elephant Bridge, bi-weekly.
29. Between Elephant Bridge and Belfast, bi-weekly, by way of McWilliam's Inn and Woodford, with a branch four times a week, or as required for the service of this Mail and No. 31, between Woodford and Warrnambool.
30. Between Belfast and Portland, weekly or bi-weekly.
31. Between Belfast and Wickliffe, by way of Woodford, weekly.
32. Between Geelong and Colac, bi-weekly.
33. Between Colac and Elephant Bridge, by way of Timboon, weekly.
34. Between Geelong and Indented Heads, bi-weekly.
35. Between Geelong and Queenscliff, daily.
36. From the General Post Office, in Melbourne, or the Post Office or Mail-room at Sandridge, to vessels in Hobson's Bay, as often as may be required, and from vessels in Hobson's Bay to these Post Offices as often as Mails may arrive, the Melbourne communication being always *via* Sandridge, and the landing and shipment being effected by steamers. Also the daily conveyance of a letter carrier to and from Melbourne and Emerald Hill, and the conveyance twice a day of a Mail between Melbourne and Sandridge.
37. Between the Post Offices Sandridge and Williamstown, twice a day.
38. From the Post Office at Williamstown to vessels in Hobson's Bay, as required.
39. From and to the General Post Office, Melbourne, and vessels at the Government or other wharves, as the Postmaster General may require.
40. Between Melbourne and Brighton, daily, by way of Prahran and St. Kilda.
41. Between Melbourne and Hawthorn, daily, by way of Richmond.
42. Between Melbourne and Northcote, daily.
43. Between Melbourne and Pentridge, by way of Brunswick, daily.
44. Between Melbourne and Flemington, daily.

Persons tendering for Nos. 40, 41, 42, and 44, must state the rate per man at which they will effect the daily conveyance of letter carriers, as follows: No. 40, to Prahran and St. Kilda, No. 41, to Richmond, No. 42, to Collingwood, No. 44, to North Melbourne.

By "Hobson's Bay," is to be understood the anchorage taken up by vessels entering or departing from the Port of Melbourne.

CONDITIONS, ETC.

First.—It must be understood, that in all instances the usual mail road between the points abovementioned is to be travelled; and where no mail has heretofore run, that course is to be adopted which the Postmaster General may direct, or the contractor specify in his tender.

Second.—Intending contractors must give due consideration to the winter difficulties of the roads, and to the necessity for provision for the crossing of rivers or creeks by boat or otherwise, and they must bear in mind that no excuse for delay will be even entertained unless supported by certificates from persons of known respectability as to the cause of delay, and that it is attributable to no want of liberal provision both for ordinary duties and to overcome difficulties arising from stress of weather, or from the occurrence of accidents to the men, horses, or vehicles employed.

Third.—Contractors will be not merely bound to convey on and within such days and hours, and with such celerity (not less than six miles an hour) as the Postmaster General may direct, all mails, bags, letters, packets, and newspapers, which may be delivered to them, under the authority of the Postmaster General, or any Postmaster, but further, to provide for that service such means of conveyance, both as respects description and extent as may meet every emergency, and all variations in the bulk of the Mails, whether or not the transmission of such Mails (either as respects address or contents) has been or is now customary. When there appears in the opinion of the Postmaster General, or any officer by him duly authorised, any failure in respect of such ample provision, the deficiencies may be at once repaired by the hire or purchase of every requisite at the contractor's cost and risk.

Fourth.—Contractors can obtain the permission of the Postmaster General to convey, in addition to the mails, such limited number of passengers or weight of parcels as their means may appear equal to, such authority being, however, no plea or excuse for delays of mails, the conveyance of which must always be the paramount consideration; and the Postmaster General or other proper officer can at once revoke or modify such permission when it appears that delays have ensued or are likely to ensue from passenger traffic. Every vehicle employed in the mail service must have painted on its door or body, in conspicuous characters, and in addition to the words "Royal Mail," or other sufficient indication of its being so employed, a statement of the number of passengers which it is permitted to convey. For every passenger, or corresponding weight of parcels carried in excess of such authorized and exhibited number, a penalty of Twenty pounds sterling will be levied.

Fifth.—Contractors will be bound to prevent the conveyance of any letter or packet by any of their servants or passengers or otherwise through their instrumentality, to the prejudice of the Post Office revenue; but they are bound to deliver along the prescribed or usual mail road, all loose letters and private bags entrusted or tendered to them either by or under the authority of a postmaster; as well as to convey, and, at the first Post Office arrived at, deliver up every loose letter or private bag which, beyond the precincts of a post town they may be required by any one to take charge of.

The penalty on the contractor for every offence in these respects, as well as for the delivery or receipt within a post town, or within a mile of a Post Office, by a mail man of any article subject to postage charge, shall be Five pounds.

Sixth.—Contractors will be liable to a fine of Ten Shillings for every five minutes' delay after the specified time of starting, unless such delay be under instructions and to await any overdue Mail for further conveyance; and a like penalty will be inflicted for every ten minutes' delay in arrival, except for the first five or ten minutes respectively.

Seventh.—Contractors are particularly to remember that both on the main and branch roads they will be fined for the full delay that may, in consequence of their late arrival at any point of such road, ensue in the further transmission of each mail entrusted to them, and not merely for the amount of late arrival at such point. The delaying Contractor is bound to forward the Mail by express to its final destination, or till it overtakes the proper conveyance at a Post Office in time for due transference through the hands of a Postmaster.

The Postmaster General will, when it appears not inconsistent with the public service, authorise arrangements, dependent upon his continued approval, between Contractors for conjoining lines, to avert, by awaiting one another's arrival, ill consequences to themselves and the public, but it is to be distinctly understood that the proper responsibility of each party to such an arrangement will not be altered or removed.

Eighth.—The Postmaster General will offer and pay, at the cost of the Contractor, such reward as in his judgment may appear fit, for the recovery of any lost Mail, letter, packet, or newspaper.

Ninth.—For every separate mail package damaged by wet or otherwise injured, through failure on the part of any contractor to make adequate provision for its protection, such contractor shall be liable to a penalty of one pound sterling, and to a further fine of sixpence for each damaged letter, packet, or newspaper, of its contents.

Tenth.—Drivers, postmen, and all persons in any way employed on the mail service must be free and of certified good character, and they, as well as the horses, vehicles, and all other mail appliances of every kind are to be at all times subject to the inspection and approval or rejection of the Postmaster General. Every contractor failing within such reasonable time as may be allowed him to remedy any deficiency in any of these respects shall for every such act be mulcted in a sum not exceeding ten pounds.

Eleventh.—Contractors employing, or required to employ, wheeled vehicles, boats, or vessels, will be required, on the requisition of the Postmaster General, to provide free seats therein for officers or servants of the Department travelling on the public service; such officers will be counted as authorised passengers.

Twelfth.—All fines and penalties incurred under contract, may be either deducted by the Postmaster General from the payments becoming due to a contractor, or recovered by ordinary legal process, and all such fines are to be considered over and above any penalties established by any Act of Council.

Thirteenth.—In all tenders the same division of the roads as shown above must be adopted, and each division (to be designated by number) must be separately tendered for; but a contractor, desirous of uniting several lines in one service, may accompany his separate tenders for each with an offer of reduction in the event of all, or any special lot of his tenders being accepted. But tenders for sub-divisions of the roads as above will be entertained, provided that by separate tenders each road as defined be completed.

Fourteenth.—No tender will be entertained which does not bear the *bona fide* signatures of two responsible persons, engaging to enter into a bond with the Contractor in double the amount of contract for the due performance of all its stipulations and the safety of the Mails.

Fifteenth.—Contractors will be strictly bound not to sub-let any portion of their contracts without the consent of the Postmaster General.

Sixteenth.—The Postmaster General may appoint deputies to exercise all or any of the powers reposed in him by the contracts.

Seventeenth.—All further particulars may be obtained at the General Post Office, Melbourne, where intending contractors are requested to apply.

Eighteenth.—Contractors will have to prepare their own accounts (forms for which can be had at the General Post Office), and take the necessary steps for their collection themselves, according to any regulations which exist or may be issued.

Nineteenth.—Contractors will enjoy no exemption from payment of tolls, puntage, or any similar charges.

Twentieth.—Conveyance by wheeled vehicles will be in all cases, where practicable, preferred.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Custom House,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1854.

CUSTOM HOUSE SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, unless within One Month from this date payment is made of the Rent due upon the Goods specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, warehoused in the Bonded Warehouse known as "GRIFFITHS, FANNING AND COMPANY'S," the said Goods will be sold in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 17, Sec. 16, at the said Warehouse, on Thursday, the 5th of October, 1854, at One o'clock, P.M.

HUGH C. E. CHILDERS,
Collector of Customs.

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GRIFFITHS, FANNING AND COMPANY'S WAREHOUSE.

Date of Entry.	Date of Warehousing.	Ship.	Master.	Whence.	Merchant Warehousing.	Packages.	Description.	Marks.	Numbers.	Total Quantity.
1853. September 28	1853. November 1	Amarantb ...	Babson ...	Boston ...	Caldwell, Train and Co.	25 half pipes	Gin ...	OV in hf. circle	43 to 67	25 hf. pipes gin
" 28	" 1	Amaranth ...	Babson ...	Boston ...	Caldwell, Train and Co.	199 cases	Gin ...	OV in hf. circle	{ 198 cases gin
June 22	...	Eagle ...	Harvey ...	New York	Samuel Moss ...	22 packages	Tobacco ...	HR in triangle	4, 8, 10 to 15, 17, 20, 22	{ 1 case ullage 22 packages tobacco
September 6	...	Fortuna ...	Cassell ...	Cape Town	J. S. Moore and Co. ...	30 cases	Liqueurs ...	IT in hf. circle	...	{ 29 cases liqueurs
March 24	...	Sea Queen ...	Wood ...	Shanghai	Dalgaty and Co. ...	3 half chests	Tea ...	CR in square	20, 21, 31	{ 1 ullage 3 half chests tea

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Tuesday, the thirty-first day of October next, the following Suburban and Town Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Police Office, Gisborne, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit—10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

BUTTLEJORRK.

Adjoining the Township at Aitken's Gap, Mount Alexander Road, about twenty-four miles from Melbourne.

51. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 27. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
52. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 28. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
53. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 29. Upset price 1*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
54. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 30. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
55. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 31. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
56. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 32. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
57. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 33. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
58. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 34. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
59. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 35. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
60. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 36. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
61. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 37. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
62. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 38. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
63. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 39. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
64. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 40. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
65. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 41. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
66. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 42. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
67. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 43. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

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68. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 44. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
69. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 45. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
70. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 46. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
71. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 47. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
72. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 48. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
73. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 49. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
74. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 50. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
75. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 51. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
76. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 52. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
77. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 53. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
78. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 54. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
79. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 55. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
80. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 56. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
81. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 57. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
82. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 58. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
83. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 59. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
84. Bourke, 10a. 1r. 2Sp., Ten acres one rood twenty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 60. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
85. Bourke, 9a. 3r. 3Sp., Nine acres three roods thirty-eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 61. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
86. Bourke, 10a. 0r. 8p., Ten acres eight perches, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 62. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

TOWN LOTS.

THE GAP.

At Aitken's Gap, road from Melbourne to Mount Alexander, and twenty-four miles distant from the former place.

1. The Gap, 1a. 0r. 15p., One acre fifteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.
 2. The Gap, 1a. 0r. 12p., One acre twelve perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 2 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.
 3. The Gap, 1a. 0r. 20p., One acre twenty perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 3 of section 1. Upset price 100*l.* per acre.
- NOTE.—The improvements upon this lot have been valued at 7000*l.*, which is added to the upset price.
4. The Gap, 1a. 0r. 20p., One acre twenty perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 4 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.
 5. The Gap, 1a. 0r. 4p., One acre four perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 5 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

6. The Gap, 1a. Or. 20p., One acre twenty perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 6 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

7. The Gap, 1a. Or. 26p., One acre twenty-six perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 7 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

8. The Gap, 1a. Or. 20p., One acre twenty perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 8 of section 1. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

9. The Gap, 1r. 23p., One rood twenty-three perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 6. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

10. The Gap, 1r. 18p., One rood eighteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 2 of section 6. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

11. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

12. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 2 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

13. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 3 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

14. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 4 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

15. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 5 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

16. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 6 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

17. The Gap, 1r. 39p., One rood thirty-nine perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 7 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

18. The Gap, 2r. 20p., Two roods twenty perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 8 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

19. The Gap, 1r. 27p., One rood twenty-seven perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 9 of section 7. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

20. The Gap, 2r. 6p., Two roods six perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

21. The Gap, 2r. 6p., Two roods six perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 2 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

22. The Gap, 2r. 5p., Two roods five perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 3 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

23. The Gap, 2r. 4p., Two roods four perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 4 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

24. The Gap, 2r. 4p., Two roods four perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 5 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

25. The Gap, 2r. 3p., Two roods three perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 6 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

26. The Gap, 2r. 2p., Two roods two perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 7 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

27. The Gap, 2r. 2p., Two roods two perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 8 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

28. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 9 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

29. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 10 of section 9. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

30. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 10. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

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39. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 10 of section 10. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

40. The Gap, 2r. 13p., Two roods thirteen perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 1 of section 13. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

41. The Gap, 2r. 11p., Two roods eleven perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 2 of section 13. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

42. The Gap, 2r., Two roods, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 3 of section 13. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

43. The Gap, 2r. 7p., Two roods seven perches, county of Bourke, parish of Buttlejorrk, allotment 4 of section 13. Upset price 8*l.* per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, this thirty-first day of August, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) CHAS^s HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

LAND SALE AT HAMILTON.—26TH OCTOBER,
1854.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, passed in the fifth and sixth years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act for regulating the Sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies*," I do hereby notify and proclaim that at Eleven o'clock of Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of October next, the following Suburban Lots will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Police Office, Hamilton, Grange Burn, at the upset price affixed to each lot respectively, on the terms and conditions and under the provisions of the above recited Act. Deposit —10 per cent.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

SOUTH HAMILTON.

In the Parish of South Hamilton, at the Grange Burn, about fifty miles from Portland, on the road towards Melbourne.

1. Normanby, 10a. Or. 12p., Ten acres twelve perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 1. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

2. Normanby, 8a. 3r. 11p., Eight acres three roods eleven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 2. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
3. Normanby, 9a. 0r. 16p., Nine acres sixteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 3. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
4. Normanby, 8a. 0r. 17p., Eight acres seventeen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 4. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
5. Normanby, 7a. 3r. 17p., Seven acres three roods seventeen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 5. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
6. Normanby, 8a. 3r. 37p., Eight acres three roods thirty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 6. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
7. Normanby, 10a. 0r. 12p., Ten acres twelve perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 7. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
8. Normanby, 8a. 3r. 11p., Eight acres three roods eleven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 8. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
9. Normanby, 9a. 0r. 16p., Nine acres sixteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 9. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
10. Normanby, 6a. 1r. 8p., Six acres one rood eight perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 10. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
11. Normanby, 6a. 0r. 17p., Six acres seventeen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 11. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
12. Normanby, 6a. 3r. 37p., Six acres three roods thirty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 12. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
13. Normanby, 5a. 0r. 6p., Five acres six perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 25. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
14. Normanby, 5a. 0r. 15p., Five acres fifteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 26. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
15. Normanby, 8a. 2r. 27p., Eight acres two roods twenty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 27. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
16. Normanby, 6a. 3r. 32p., Six acres three roods thirty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 28. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
17. Normanby, 8a. 2r. 8p., Eight acres two roods eight perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 29. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
18. Normanby, 6a. 0r. 16p., Six acres sixteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 30. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
19. Normanby, 5a. 3r. 24p., Five acres three roods twenty-four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 31. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
20. Normanby, 6a. 1r. 36p., Six acres one rood thirty-six perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 32. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
21. Normanby, 5a. 3r. 21p., Five acres three roods twenty-one perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 33. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
22. Normanby, 8a. 2r. 38p., Eight acres two roods thirty-eight perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 34. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
23. Normanby, 6a. 3r. 32p., Six acres three roods thirty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 35. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
24. Normanby, 9a. 3r. 26p., Nine acres three roods twenty-six perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 36. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
25. Normanby, 7a. 2r. 12p., Seven acres two roods twelve perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 37. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
26. Normanby, 6a. 1r. 11p., Six acres one rood eleven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 38. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
27. Normanby, 5a. 1r. 29p., Five acres one rood twenty-nine perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 39. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
28. Normanby, 9a. 2r. 26p., Nine acres two roods twenty-six perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 40. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
29. Normanby, 9a. 1r. 15p., Nine acres one rood fifteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 41. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
30. Normanby, 5a. 1r. 24p., Five acres one rood twenty-four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 43. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
31. Normanby, 9a. 2r. 16p., Nine acres two roods sixteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 44. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
32. Normanby, 10a. 0r. 4p., Ten acres four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 45. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
33. Normanby, 5a. 2r. 22p., Five acres two roods twenty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 46. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
34. Normanby, 5a. 2r. 22p., Five acres two roods twenty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 47. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
35. Normanby, 10a. 0r. 4p., Ten acres four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 48. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
36. Normanby, 6a. 1r. 36p., Six acres one rood thirty-six perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 49. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
37. Normanby, 7a. 3r. 27p., Seven acres three roods twenty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 50. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
38. Normanby, 7a. 2r. 27p., Seven acres two roods twenty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 51. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
39. Normanby, 7a. 2r. 27p., Seven acres two roods twenty-seven perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 52. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
40. Normanby, 8a. 1r. 2p., Eight acres one rood two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 53. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
41. Normanby, 8a. 3r. 16p., Eight acres three roods sixteen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 54. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
42. Normanby, 9a. 1r. 30p., Nine acres one rood thirty perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 55. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
43. Normanby, 10a. 0r. 4p., Ten acres four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 56. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
44. Normanby, 8a. 2r. 22p., Eight acres two roods twenty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 57. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
45. Normanby, 8a. 2r. 22p., Eight acres two roods twenty-two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 58. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
46. Normanby, 9a. 1r. 17p., Nine acres one rood seventeen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 59. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
47. Normanby, 9a. 1r. 17p., Nine acres one rood seventeen perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 60. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
48. Normanby, 10a. 0r. 4p., Ten acres four perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 61. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
49. Normanby, 10a. 1r. 2p., Ten acres one rood two perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 62. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.
50. Normanby, 10a. 1r. 20p., Ten acres one rood twenty perches, parish of South Hamilton, allotment 63. Upset price 2*l.* 10*s.* per acre.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, this first day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.)

CHAS HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PENDING LAND SALES.

CROWN Lands have been proclaimed in previous numbers of the *Gazette*, for sale at the undermentioned places. Each sale will commence at Eleven o'clock, A.M.

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AVOCA—	
Tuesday, 24th October	1936
CASTLEMAINE—	
Tuesday, 26th September	1686
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CRESWICK'S CREEK—	
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GEEELONG—	
Tuesday, 15th Aug., postponed until 18th Oct.	1543
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GISBORNE—	
Monday, 30th October	1962
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SANDBURST—	
Tuesday, 19th September	1564
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Thursday, 21st September	1714
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Tuesday, 24th October	1939
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By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

MAIN ROADS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR CHARLES HOTHAM, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of Victoria, 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 was amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor from time to time to proclaim by notice in the *Government Gazette* the Roads in the said Colony which should be and be deemed Main Roads under the provisions of the said Act: Now therefore I, the Lieutenant Governor of the said Colony, do hereby proclaim and direct, in pursuance of the said Act, that the Road commonly called and known as "The Brighton Road," commencing at the southern end of Prince's Bridge (across the River Yarra Yarra), in the county of Bourke, and from

thence to the bridge crossing the Mordialloc Creek in the said county; and also the road commonly called and known as "The Sandridge Road," commencing at the southern end of Prince's Bridge aforesaid, and from thence to Sandridge, in the said county; and also the road commonly called and known as "The Plenty Road," commencing at Reilly-street, in the City of Melbourne, and from thence to the junction of the Epping and Upper Plenty Roads in the said county; and also the road commonly called and known as "The Richmond Road," commencing at Hoddle-street, in the City of Melbourne, and from thence to the bridge crossing the River Yarra Yarra, at Hawthorn, in the said county; and also the road commonly called and known as "The Sydney Road," commencing at the boundary of the City of Melbourne, at Brunswick, in the said county, and from thence to the village of Kalkallo, in the said county; and also the road commonly called and known as "The Mount Alexander Road," commencing at the northern termination of Elizabeth-street, in the City of Melbourne, and from thence through the Towns of Keilor and Gisborne in the said county, thence through the Townships of Carlsruhe and Kyneton in the county of Dalhousie, thence through the Township of Malmesbury in the county of Talbot, to the Township of Castlemaine in the District of Western Port, shall be and be deemed Main Roads within the meaning of the said Act.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and in the eighteenth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

(L.S.) CHAS HOTHAM.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1854.

HEPBURN LAND SALE.

WITH reference to the Proclamation contained in the *Government Gazette* of the 29th instant, relative to a Sale of certain Crown Lands to be held at Hepburn, Spring Creek, on the 19th October next: Notice is hereby given that Lot 67 has been withdrawn from the said Sale, the land being required for a Public Cemetery.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th August, 1854.

GEEELONG LAND SALES ON 18TH AND 19TH OCTOBER, 1854.

WITH reference to the Notice published in the *Government Gazette* of the 15th August, indefinitely postponing the Sales of Crown Lands which had been appointed to take place at Geelong on the 15th and 16th of August, it is hereby notified that the said Sales will be held at Geelong, on Wednesday the 18th and Thursday the 19th day of October next, respectively.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.

For what purpose Contract is required.	Number of Tenders offered.	Particulars of each Tender.	Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Name for Approval.	Has the person recommended previously been a Contractor?	How did he fulfil his Contract?	General Remarks.
Penal Establishments	4	Additions to the Stockade at Colingwood	£ 2044	C. and D. Baillie	Yes	Satisfactorily	Accepted—9581.
Electric Telegraph	6	Erecting Telegraph Station at Geelong	2900	Robert Rankin	No	...	Accepted—9582.
Police, Melbourne	15	Fencing Police Paddock at Richmond	1590	C. and D. Baillie	Yes	Satisfactorily	Accepted—9583.
Customs' Department	11	Erecting Examining Shed and Offices at Williamstown	615	Bradshaw and Clarke	No	...	Accepted—9584.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd September, 1854.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 30th August, 1854.

COMMUNICATION WITH THE STEAMSHIP GREAT BRITAIN.

THE Lieutenant Governor desires it to be notified for general information that the Boats of Her Majesty's Sloop *Fantome* will be permitted to carry Letters to and from the Steamship *Great Britain*, but it will, of course, be necessary to observe the usual precautions adopted in similar cases.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th August, 1854.

LUNATICS.

NOTICE TO MAGISTRATES.

A **A**QUAINTANCE with the previous habits and tendencies of Lunatics being desirable for their judicious treatment, all Magistrates are hereby required, when committing Lunatics brought before them, to forward, together with the warrant of committal, as much information as can be obtained respecting their previous history, and their state at the time of committal.

By His Excellency's Command,
G. 9170. JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th August, 1854.

NINETY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS a highway robbery was committed on the evening of the 27th instant, on the high road between Flemington and Essendon, by three men whose faces were covered with black crape: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £30 is offered by Her Majesty's Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of each of the perpetrators of the above robbery.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.

1st, About 5 feet 8 inches high, dressed in dark clothing, with black wideawake hat.

2nd, About 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, dressed in a blue shirt, black wideawake hat, had long boots outside his trousers.

The third man was the same height and wore a precisely similar dress to the second man.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY STOLEN.

A gold hunting watch, white dial, sunk seconds, skeleton lever, makers' name Barronds and Co., London, with gold Albert chain attached; £3 in notes; a Government receipt dated 31st July, 1854, for £29; a Government receipt dated 26th August, 1854, for £261; a receipt for a bill of exchange on the Bank of Victoria, for £341 odd; also a gut handled silver mounted gig whip. Information to the Detective Office, Swanston-street, Melbourne.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 14th August, 1854.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST MAIL.

WHEREAS the Mail from Melbourne to Williamstown was duly despatched from the General Post Office, on Friday, the 4th instant, and not having reached its destination or been since heard of, is presumed to have been lost: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £10 will be paid to any person who will give such information to the Postmaster General as will lead to the recovery of the missing Mail.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 11th August, 1854.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS the undermentioned prisoner effected his escape from the Main Depôt, Pentridge, on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 1st of August: Notice is hereby given that the above reward will be paid to any person who shall lodge in any of Her Majesty's Gaols the said prisoner.

By His Excellency's Command,
8559. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PRISONER.

William alias *Joseph Furlong*, thirty-three years of age, sallow complexion, black hair, hazel eyes, five feet two inches high, native place Dublin, trade painter. Particular marks: woman with flower in left hand, BR on lower part of right arm, three scars on upper part of right arm, seven stars, sun, half moon, anchor, two flags, two fishes on lower part of left arm, both legs deformed, ship to the Colony *Hero*, to Sydney, in 1833, offence robbery, sentence seven years on the roads, date of conviction 17th November, 1852, at Melbourne. Remarks: lodged at Mr. Holling's, opposite the Theatre, Great Queen-street; his wife resides at the top of Great Bourke-street, near the Circus.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 18th August, 1854.

FOUR HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS Thomas Healey was, on or about the 25th of July last, murdered at Sydney Flat Camp, Sandhurst Gold Fields, and the persons hereunder described are supposed to have been the murderers of the said Thomas Healey: Notice is hereby given that a Reward of £200 will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of either of these men.

By His Excellency's Command,
8966. JOHN FOSTER.

NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS.

RICHARD PRENDERGAST:—Height, 5 feet 3 inches; hair, dark and whiskers very small; complexion, dark and ill-looking.

Remarks:—Stout made, eyes red and weak; he is supposed to have gone to Hobart Town, where he has a wife in the employment of a man named Moore, who keeps a public house.

JOHN BRIEN:—Height, 5 feet 5 inches; hair, dark, a little bald.

Remarks:—Whiskers dark and all over the face, stout built, rather lame of one leg, has lost a front tooth; is supposed to have gone with Prendergast.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 5th September, 1854.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS *Thomas Byrnes* effected his escape from the Richmond Stockade, on Wednesday, the 23rd of August last: Notice is hereby given that a reward of Five Pounds will be paid to any person who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension of the said *Thomas Byrnes*.

By His Excellency's Command,
11,9521. JOHN FOSTER.

DESCRIPTION OF THOMAS BYRNES.

Thirty-eight years of age, ruddy complexion, black hair, brown eyes; medium nose, mouth, and chin; height, five feet four inches; native place, Dublin; trade, laborer; particular marks, slightly pockmarked, scar or burn under left eye; ship to the Colony, *Planter*, in 1833; offence, stealing from the person; sentence, eighteen calendar months; date of conviction, 7th November, 1853, at Bourke General Sessions.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 25th July, 1854.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARCHIBALD DUNLOP, of Sully Gully, Ballaarat, Gold Miner, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate Grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*," praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto him for the exclusive privilege, in the Colony of Victoria, of making, using and applying an Invention to be called "The Watertight Shaft," to enable miners to proceed through drifts without hinderance from water, and without the use of slabs, of which Invention a specification, drawing and model have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the grant to the said ARCHIBALD DUNLOP, of such Letters Patent, or instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office within two calendar months from and after this twenty-fifth day of July, a statement in writing, subscribed with his proper name and address, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant.

J. MOORE,
Assistant Colonial Secretary, and
Officer for Patents.

7849.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 1st August, 1845.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWIN GORDON, of Victoria Parade, Collingwood, gentleman, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*," praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto him for the exclusive privilege, in the Colony of Victoria, of making, using, and applying an invention, called "The Composite Girder," to be used in the construction of bridges or buildings, of which invention a specification and drawing have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the grant to the said EDWIN GORDON, of such Letters Patent, or instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office, within two calendar months from and after this first day of August, a statement in writing, subscribed with his proper name and address, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant.

J. MOORE,
Assistant Colonial Secretary and
Officer for Patents.

8227.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 15th August, 1854.

LETTERS PATENT FOR INVENTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES KINNEAR, of the City of Melbourne, Assayer and Gold Refiner, has petitioned His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, under the provisions of the Act of Council, 17 Victoria, No. 15, intituled, "*An Act to regulate Grants of Patents for Inventions in the Colony of Victoria*,"

praying that Letters Patent may be granted unto him for the exclusive privilege of making, using, and applying, in the Colony of Victoria, a machine for pulverizing and amalgamating by means of quicksilver, auriferous and argentiferous ores, to be called "Kinnear's Pulverizer and Amalgamator," of which machine a specification and drawings have been deposited at this office.

Any person who may conceive that he will be prejudiced by the granting to the said CHARLES KINNEAR of such Letters Patent, or Instrument in the nature of Letters Patent, is hereby required to send to this office, within two calendar months, from and after the fifteenth day of August, a statement in writing, setting forth grounds of objection to the said grant, subscribed with his name and address.

J. MOORE,
Assistant Colonial Secretary, and
Officer for Patents.
G. 8701.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1854.

ELECTION FOR THE UNITED COUNTIES OF VILLIERS AND HEYTESBURY.

THE Lieutenant Governor directs it to be notified that the representation of the Electoral District of the United Counties of Villiers and Heytesbury having become vacant by the resignation of GEORGE WINTER, Esquire, a Writ has been issued by the Honorable the Speaker for the election of a Member to serve in the Legislative Council for the said District, and that the following arrangement has been made for the said election, viz. :—

Place of Nomination	Warrnambool.
Date of Writ	30th August, 1854.
Day of Nomination	21st September, 1854.
Polling Day	26th September, 1854.
Return of Writ	10th October, 1854.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.
H. 9490.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1854.

THE Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANDREW MURISON McCRAE, Esquire,
to be Police Magistrate at Creswick's Creek.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 25th August, 1854.

POSTAGE STAMPS.

POSTAGE Stamps of the value of
TWO SHILLINGS
are now prepared, and will be issued to the public on and after the 1st of September next.

A. McCRAE,
Postmaster General.

Courts.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

MELBOURNE.

IT is ordered that a Criminal Session and General Gaol Delivery of the Supreme Court of New South Wales for the Colony of Victoria, be holden at the Court House, La Trobe-street, in the Town of Melbourne, on Friday, the fifteenth day of September, now next ensuing, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which all parties concerned are requested to give their attendance.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of August, A.D. 1854.

REDMOND BARRY,
Acting Chief Justice.
EDWARD EYRE WILLIAMS.

In the Supreme Court of the } Colony of Victoria.

In the Goods of WILLIAM REDMOND GRACE, late of Melbourne, barrister at law; JOSEPH JOHNSTONE, late of Buninyong, storekeeper; THOMAS HUGHES, late of Mount Franklyn, laborer; ARCHIBALD WILLIAMSON, mariner; CHARLES WELLS and JOHN PRESTON, laborers, and WILLIAM HARVEY, storekeeper, late of Sandhurst; THOMAS MOORE, late of Campbell's Creek, laborer; FREDERICK BRAINE, late of Castlemaine, baker; BARTHOLEMEW CROWLEY, late of Maldon, laborer, deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to a rule of this Honorable Court, all persons having claims on the estate of any the abovenamed deceased persons are requested to come in and prove them before me, at my Office, No. 23, William-street, in the City of Melbourne, on or before Monday, the twenty-fifth day of September next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from all benefit accruing from the said estate.

AUGUSTUS FARLEY,
Acting Registrar of the Supreme Court,
and Curator of Intestate Estates.

Supreme Court Registry,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1854.

MAIDEN'S PUNT.

A COURT of Petty Sessions will be held at the Police Station, Maiden's Punt, Campaspe, every alternate Friday at One o'clock, P.M., commencing from this date.

WILLIAM D. COLLYER, J.P.,
JOHN P. ROWE, J.P.,
HERBT. C. JEFFREYS, J.P.

Maiden's Punt, Campaspe,
Friday, 26th August, 1854.

THE holding of the undermentioned Courts has been duly notified in previous numbers of the Gazette, viz. :—

County Courts.

BEECHWORTH—(£10 and £200). On Friday, 6th October, & seq., at 10 A.M.—Plaints received until Thursday, 21st September.—Defences and sets-off until Saturday, 30th September. (p. 1778.)

HEATHCOTE—(£10 and £200). On Tuesday, 26th September, & seq., at 10 A.M.—Plaints received until Monday, 11th September.—Defences and sets-off until Tuesday, 19th September. (p. 1813.)

KYNETON—(£10 and £200). On Saturday, 16th September, at 10 A.M.—Plaints received until Friday, 1st September.—Defences and sets-off until Saturday, 9th September. (p. 1949.)

SANDHURST—(£10 and £200). On Friday, 22nd September, & seq., at 10 A.M.—Plaints received until Thursday, 7th September.—Defences and sets-off until Saturday, 16th September. (p. 1949.)

Licensing Meetings.—Hawkers and Pedlars.

BOURKE.—On Tuesday, 12th September, at 12 noon. Applications received until Tuesday, 15th August. (p. 1814.)

HAMILTON.—On Tuesday, 12th September, at 12 noon. Applications received until Tuesday, 15th August. (p. 1814.)

Tenders.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 5th September, 1854.

REPAIRS TO THE HULK *LYSANDER*.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock on Tuesday, 19th September, for altering, repairing, and fitting the hulk *Lysander* for a Penal Prison.

Plans and a specification may be seen at the Colonial Engineer's Office, Lonsdale-street west.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for fitting the Hulk *Lysander*," and addressed, prepaid, to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Audit Office, Melbourne.

The decision of the Government will be made known on the 26th instant.

By His Excellency's Command,
E.4286. JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 5th September, 1854.

SPERM OIL FOR LIGHTHOUSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tenders will be received until Thursday, 14th September, from parties willing to supply the Government with 1000 gallons of the best description of pure Sperm Oil; to be delivered at the Civil Commissariat Stores, at the corner of King and Great Bourke-streets, in good sound casks; the cost of which must be included in the price at which the oil is offered.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for Sperm Oil," and addressed, post paid, to the Civil Commissary General, or deposited in the Tender Box at the Civil Commissariat, on or before the above date.

Samples, properly marked, must accompany each tender.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 29th August, 1854.

RATIONS OF PROVISIONS AND FORAGE. DISTRICT OF GIPPS' LAND.

TENDERS will be received until Friday, the 15th of September, from parties willing to supply the Government with Rations of Provisions and Forage in the District of Gipps' Land, from the 1st of October next to the termination of the present year.

The Schedules of the different Rations required, and all other information, may be obtained at the Office of the Civil Commissariat, Melbourne.

Parties tendering are hereby informed that their Tenders will be subject to the usual conditions attached to Government Contracts, and two approved sureties, in the sum of £500 each, will be required.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Rations of Provisions and Forage, Gipps' Land," and addressed to the Civil Commissary General, Melbourne, or deposited in the Tender Box at the Office of the Civil Commissariat, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. 9030. JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 1st September, 1854.

TELEGRAPH STATION, SHORTLAND'S BLUFF.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven A.M. on Tuesday, 10th September, for the Erection of an Electric Telegraph Station at Shortland's Bluff.

Drawings and a specification may be seen at the Colonial Engineer's Office, Melbourne, and at the Offices of the Clerks of Works at Geelong and Shortland's Bluff.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tender for Telegraph Station, Shortland's Bluff," and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Melbourne.

The decision of the Government will be made known on 3rd October.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN FOSTER.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 4th September, 1854.

IRON STORE AT RICHMOND BARRACKS.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven A.M. on Tuesday the 12th instant, for the Erection of an Iron Store at Richmond Barracks, in accordance with the specifications to be seen at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Police, between the hours of Twelve and Two o'clock.

Tenders are to be endorsed, "Tender for erecting Iron Store at Richmond Barracks," and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Audit Office, Melbourne.

By His Excellency's Command,
H.8959. JOHN FOSTER.

Personal Information.

NOTICES addressed to the undermentioned persons have appeared in previous numbers of the *Gazette*. The information required is requested to be communicated in writing, or by personal application at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne, or at the offices named in those notices respectively.

Allan, John, arrived in the *Hercules* in 1853. (p. 1750, *ante*.)

Bartlett, Mary Anne, passenger by the *Prince Alfred* from Plymouth, in 1853. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Decent or Decart, Peter, passenger by the *Lady MacNaughten* in 1853. (p. 1877.)

Hoggan, George W. H., of Dumfriesshire, passenger by the *Marlborough*. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

Kealey, Daniel, from Castletown, Tipperary, arrived in 1842. (p. 1670, *ante*.)

Lautour, Alfred, a native of France. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Lethorn, William Francis, wheelwright, late of the Cape of Good Hope, passenger by the *Sarah Sands*. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

Mannell, Samuel, gardener. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

Marsden, Squire, arrived in the *Randolph* in 1849. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

McPherson, Mary, arrived in the *Hercules* in 1853. (p. 1750, *ante*.)

Morgan, Mr. George, who wrote a letter to the Chief Commissioner of Gold Fields. (p. 1670, *ante*.)

Morrey, Josiah, arrived by the *Anna Maria* in 1848. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Osbourne, Mr. William, son of Mr. Charles Osbourne, of London, passenger by the *Casper*, for Adelaide in 1849. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Pascoe, Edward, otherwise James Phillips, a native of Penzance, seaman on board the *Hanover* in 1853. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

Smith, Mr. James Barber, at Forest Creek in January, 1853. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Szumanski, Mr. Stanislaus De. (p. 1554, *ante*.)

Wand, Mr. Christopher R. (p. 1973, *ante*.)

Younger, Mr. Robert, formerly of No. 9, Melbourne-place, Old Kent Road, London. (p. 1555, *ante*.)

Audit Office,
Melbourne, 5th September, 1854.

WARRANTS for the Payments described in the accompanying Schedule (showing the Name of Claimant, Department, and nature of the service) have been passed to the Colonial Treasury during the week from the 28th to the 2nd September, 1854, inclusive.

EDWARD GRIMES,
Auditor General.

J. D. H. Jones, Post Office, conveyance of mails
S. R. Gregory, Lighthouse (Cape Otway), lamp glasses
George Graham, Coroner, travelling expenses
F. Murphy, Central Road Board, roads and bridges
John Whitty, Post Office, postage account
D. A. Beath, Post Office, postage account
E. Norris, Post Office, postage account
J. B. Sims, Post Office, postage account
Thos. Croft, Police, funeral expenses
Thos. Croft, Gaol, funeral expenses (3)
Thos. Croft, Coroner, funeral expenses (9)
Thos. Croft, Lunatic Asylum, funeral expenses (4)
J. A. Gould and Others, Trustees, Ecclesiastical, grant
Geo. Newgent, Police, medical attendance
F. Sinnet and Co., Administration of Justice, advertising
B. Greening, Administration of Justice, custody of clock
Francis Henry, Post Office, conveyance of mails
John Foord, Post Office, postage account
John Benn and Others, Ecclesiastical, grants in aid
R. Forbes, Miscellaneous, forage
H. Price, Miscellaneous, preparing Electoral Lists
Purcell and Dougharty, Crown Lands, purchase of horses
R. Greene, Transport, escort
John Whitty, Post Office, postage account
D. Stuart, Post Office, postage account
J. B. Sims, Post Office, postage account

Imprests.

A. Clarke, Hon. Secretary Paris Exhibition, purchase of gold, buildings, &c.
G. F. Belcher, Sub-Treasurer, Geelong, general expenditure for September
Chief Commissioner and Paymaster of Police, to establish a Court of Petty Sessions at Carisbrook
E. Bell, Immigration, salary (2)
G. V. Butler, Colonial Barrack Master, salary
R. Bowie, Lunatic Asylum, salary
J. Barker, Legislative Council, salary
Colin Campbell, Denominational Schools, salary
A. Clarke, Surveyor General, salary
N. Campbell, Registrar General, salary
E. Davy, Assay Master, salary
Ferre and Johnson, Government Printer, salary
Claud Farie, Sheriff, salary
C. Ferguson, Chief Harbor Master, salary
J. Foster, Colonial Secretary, salary
E. Grimes, Auditor General, salary
W. H. Hull, Colonial Treasurer, salary
J. H. Kay, His Excellency, salary
A. McCrae, Post Office, salary
L. A. Moody, Civil Commissary, salary
W. McCrea, Colonial Surgeon, salary
S. W. McGowan, Superintendent Electric Telegraph, salary
C. Pasley, Colonial Engineer, salary
R. W. Pohlman, Administration of Justice, salary
J. A. Porter, Administration of Justice, salary
F. A. Powlett, Chief Commissioner Crown Lands Bourke, salary

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F. A. Powlett, Chief Commissioner Crown Lands, salary
John Price, Penal Establishments, salary
R. Youl, Coroner, salary
Chief Commissioner and Paymaster of Police, salary
H. C. E. Childers, Customs, salary, &c.
Claud Farie, Sheriff, salary
Claud Farie, Gaols, salaries
A. McCrae, Post Office, gratuities to masters of vessels
R. W. Pohlman, Administration of Justice, contingencies
J. A. Porter, Administration of Justice, expenses of Crown witnesses
R. Youl, Coroner, medical fees, &c.
G. Stewart, Sub-Treasurer, Belfast, salary
E. Grimes and F. A. Powlett, to complete the furnishing of Toorak
W. H. Hull, Immigration, immigration remittance refunded

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.

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Private Advertisements.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership subsisting between us, as settlers, was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of March, 1854.

JOHN GRIEVE,
GIDEON RUTHERFORD.

Witnesses—

JNO. G. HALLIDAY,
ROBERT POWER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE partnership hitherto existing between JAMES NEILSON and HUGH BAIRD is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be settled by JAMES NEILSON.
2nd September, 1854.

JAMES NEILSON,
HUGH BAIRD.

Witness—

JOHN MACDERMOTT,
Solicitor, Melbourne.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WE, the undersigned THOMAS ALLANS and GEORGE DODSON, lately carrying on business at Collingwood, near Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, as livery-stable keepers, and hay and corn dealers, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent. The said GEORGE DODSON will continue to carry on the said business, and will receive and pay all debts due to and from the said copartnership.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1854.

THOMAS ALLANS,
GEORGE DODSON.

Witness to both signatures—

THEODORE HANCOCK,
Solicitor, 30, Queen-street, Melbourne.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership carried on under the style and firm of "E. COUTANCHE AND Co." as builders, &c., at Richmond, was on the eighth day of August dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the abovementioned firm are to be paid to Mr. J. WIGGLESWORTH, of Richmond, on or before the 10th day of September, and all accounts are likewise to be sent in for liquidation.

E. COUTANCHE,
THOS. LE SAUTEUR,
JAMES WIGGLESWORTH.

Witness—E. B. CRITCHLEY.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WE, the undersigned, trading under the name and style of "CORDNER AND ALKER," have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent.

15th August, 1854.

H. CORDNER,
WM. ALKER.

Witness—
DANIEL LEAR

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

I hereby give notice that I have taken into partnership Mr. JAMES WISEWOULD, who has been for some time past connected with my office, that such partnership commenced on the first day of July last past, and that the style of the firm shall be "MURPHY AND WISEWOULD."

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August, A.D. 1854.

EDWARD J. MURPHY,
Solicitor.

MELBOURNE, BRIGHTON, AND SOUTH EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended to apply to the Legislative Council for the Colony of Victoria during the ensuing Session, to be held in the City of Melbourne, in the said Colony, for an Act to incorporate a Joint Stock Company to be called the "Melbourne, Brighton, and South Eastern Railway Company," for the purpose of making and constructing a Railway from the City of Melbourne, in the county of Bourke, to the Township of Brighton, in the parish of Moorabbin, in the said county of Bourke, the said Railway to commence at or upon a certain piece of land situate in Flinders-street, in the said City of Melbourne, on the eastern side of the Prince's Bridge; and from thence crossing the River Yarra Yarra, and passing through South Melbourne and portions of the parishes of Prahran and Moorabbin, shall cease and terminate in or upon a certain spot in that portion of Dendy's Special Survey known as the Township of Brighton, according to a map or plan to be seen in the office of the said Company, in Melbourne. And it is intended in and by the said Act to invest the said Company with full powers to extend the said line of Railway in a southeasterly direction to such distance or distances as shall from time to time be determined upon by the shareholders of the said Company, and also to make any Tramway or Tramways, Piers or Jetties, which may be considered necessary or advantageous, in connection with the said Railways; And also to raise the necessary capital for making, constructing, and laying down the said Railways and Tramways, with a limitation of the liability of the shareholders to the amount of their respective shares, and with power also to increase the capital of the said Company in such manner, and to such an extent and amount as shall or may be provided for in

the said Act: And the necessary powers to borrow money for the purposes of making and constructing the said Railway and Tramways, and the several stations, approaches, works, and buildings which shall be requisite or necessary for the same: And also to invest the said Company with full powers to acquire and hold land, and to compulsorily purchase the same for the purpose of making and constructing the said Railroad, and the several stations and approaches, works and buildings respectively, which shall be requisite or necessary for the same: and to levy and receive such tolls, fares, charges, and rates as to the said Legislative Council shall seem fit, and such further and other powers, provisions, stipulations, and regulations as may be requisite, and as may be granted by the said Council, for the furtherance and accomplishment of the objects of the said Company, and for the due and efficient management and regulation of the affairs thereof as in and by the said Act shall or may be particularly mentioned or specified.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of July, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

JENNINGS AND COOTE,
Solicitors for the Bill.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
Colony of Victoria.

ROBERT HOOKINS, Plaintiff,
and

EDWARD HILL, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of this writ of *Fi. Fa.*, the Sheriff for the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, at the Supreme Court Hotel, situate in La Trobe-street, Melbourne, on Thursday, the twenty-first day of September next, at Twelve o'clock, noon, all the defendant's right, title and interest in or to all that piece or parcel of land, containing eighty acres more or less, being portion 37 in the parish of Corinella, county of Mornington; and also the said defendant's interest in and to all that other piece or parcel of land, containing eighty acres more or less, being portion 39, parish of Corinella, county of Mornington, in the Colony of Victoria, unless this execution be previously satisfied.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1854.

C. W. STUART,
Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the } *Fi. Fa.*
Colony of Victoria.

THOMAS DIXON AND ANOTHER,

vs.
DAVID W. BUGLASS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sheriff of the Colony of Victoria will cause to be sold by public auction, on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of September, 1854, on the premises, North Melbourne, at One o'clock P.M., the equity of redemption of the abovenamed defendant, DAVID W. BUGLASS, in and to all that piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in portion four of section two, North Melbourne, commencing 30 feet east from north west corner, bounded on the north by part of allotment five of section two, bearing east 30 feet, on the east by a reserved road 15 feet wide, bearing south 56 feet, on the south by another road 20 feet wide, bearing west 30 feet, and on west by another part of said allotment bearing north 56 feet, the such dimensions more or less, unless this execution be previously satisfied. Terms of sale—cash on the fall of the hammer, no cheques taken or change given.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of August, 1854.

GEORGE W. BROWN,
Sheriff's Officer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that by indenture bearing date the thirty-first day of August, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, made between ROBERT MCKEAN of Peel-street and Stanley-street, in Collingwood, in the City of Melbourne, ironmonger and blacksmith, of the first part; ROBERT GLOVER BENSON, of Stanley-street, aforesaid, draper, JOHN HOUSTON, of Elizabeth-street, in the City of Melbourne, ironmonger, and WALTER POWELL, of Swanston-street, in the City of Melbourne, ironmonger, of the second part; and the several persons creditors of the said ROBERT MCKEAN, whose names are set forth in Schedule B, thereunto annexed, of the third part: Whereby (and by another indenture bearing even date therewith) the said ROBERT MCKEAN did convey and assign all his real and personal estate whatsoever, to the said ROBERT GLOVER BENSON, JOHN HOUSTON, and WALTER POWELL, their executors, administrators and assigns, upon trust for the benefit of all the creditors of the said ROBERT MCKEAN, named in a Schedule annexed to such Deed; and that such Deeds are now lying at the office of MESSIEURS JENNINGS AND COOTE, solicitors, 81, Bourke-street west, in the City of Melbourne, for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said ROBERT MCKEAN.

Dated the thirty-first day of August, 1854.

R. MCKEAN, sen.

Signed in the presence of—
JAMES SMITH, J.P.

THIRTY POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN or strayed from Carisbrook, on 4th of June last.

- 1 dark bay cob, square tail, branded HS near shoulder, J reversed near cheek
- 1 bay mare, branded like SC near shoulder, J reversed near cheek
- 2 chesnut colts, star in forehead, branded J reversed near cheeks
- 1 dark bay colt, eighteen months old, branded J reversed near cheek
- 1 dark bay colt, black points, two years old, branded J reversed near cheek

Whoever will bring the same to JOHN McCORMACK, Carisbrook, shall receive the above reward; if stolen, on conviction of the thief, and Two pounds per head if strayed.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

POUNDKEEPERS and others are cautioned not to sell a dark bay horse, branded T

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near shoulder, white star on forehead, long tail, and about fifteen hands high, which was stolen on the night of 1st August.

Ten pounds reward is offered for the same, and Forty pounds for the conviction of the thief or thieves.

JAMES CARLYON,
Aberdeen-street,
Newtown, Geelong:

8th August, 1854.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

LOST in the Black Forest, on the 17th August, 1854:

- 1 grey horse, seventeen hands high, branded S off shoulder
- 1 bay horse, fifteen and half hands high, branded 3M near shoulder
- 1 bay horse, fifteen hands high, blind near eye, blaze down face, and one hind leg white
- 1 heavy bay horse, sixteen hands high, brand unknown.

£5 each horse if strayed, and £10 if stolen, will be paid on recovery.

WILLIAM HOGARTH,
At HEAPE BROTHERS AND CO'S,
Lonsdale-street.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN, 8th January, 1854, a black mare, branded JK conjoined near shoulder.

Whosoever will deliver the same to EDWARD WRIGHT, Deep Creek, will receive the above reward.
EDWARD WRIGHT.

1st September, 1854.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

STOLEN from the Deep Creek on the morning of the 31st August, 1854.

- 1 black draught horse, bang tail, rather lame near fore foot, fired on the fetlock fore ring bone, no visible brand
- 1 roan draught mare, sixteen hands high, branded DR off shoulder
- 1 light grey mare, half breed, branded PG near shoulder

Whoever will deliver the same to MR. EDWARD WRIGHT, Deep Creek, or at the Lalla Rookh Hotel, North Melbourne, shall receive the above reward.

EDWARD WRIGHT

THIRTY POUNDS REWARD.

LOST from Mount Moliagul, 26th August, 1854:—

- 1 black draught horse, white stripe down face, about sixteen hands high, branded diamond off neck, diamond with 72 under near shoulder (the last brand is indistinct)
 - 1 dark bay mare, black points, about fourteen and half hands high, aged three years off, branded diamond near shoulder
- Apply to GARRATT AND Co., Star Store, Moliagul.

NOTICE TO POUNDKEEPERS, AUCTIONEERS, AND OTHERS.

STOLEN or strayed from the Werribee Plains, on the night of the 22nd of August, 1854, six bullocks of the following description:—

- 1 small spotted bullock, branded BT near rib, N off rib
- 1 red bullock, same brands
- 1 brindle bullock, white back, star in forehead, hind feet white, same brands
- 1 strawberry bullock, cock horns, same brands
- 1 strawberry bullock, roan neck, same brands
- 1 red bullock, short stump, white tail, same brands

MICHAEL BROWN,
Broadmeadows, on the Moonee Ponds.

Impoundings.

IMPOUNDED at Belvoir, 23rd August, 1854, by W. Huon, Esq.

- 1 bay horse, short tail, near hind foot white, star forehead, like JZ near shoulder, white saddle marks
- 1 iron grey entire colt, long tail, no brand visible—Damages £5.
- 1 mouse colored filly, long tail, white face, unbroken, no visible brand, scar near thigh
- 1 bay mare, long tail, like WD near shoulder
- 1 bay filly foal, small blaze on face, like H neck and shoulder off side

By Mr. Streets.

- 1 bay mare, blaze down the face, off hind foot white, spots under saddle, long tail, collar marked, like 2 near shoulder
- 1 bay horse, near hind foot white, small star forehead, white snip on nose, like line in centre of circle near shoulder

By James Atkin, Esq.

- 1 mouse colored mare, long tail, white spots under saddle, like RJ blotch brand between like JB conjoined on near shoulder

- 1 bay mare, dock tail, star forehead, like J Ω near shoulder
 1 strawberry bullock, illegible brand off ribs, cock horns, piece off right and left ear
 1 red and white cow, droop horns, like JK off ribs, like K3 off shoulder
 1 black cow, white back, like CE off ribs, like 3 off thigh, cock horns
 1 brindle and white bullock, large cock horns, like 7 near shoulder, like CA off ribs
 1 yellow and brindle cow, cock horns, 3 off shoulder, like Ξ B off rump, like D off thigh,
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illegible brand off ribs

- 1 red and white bullock, cock horns, like BC off ribs, slit off ear
 1 magpie bullock, cock horns, white on face, like RS near rump
 1 yellow sided cow, g off thigh, like T other letter illegible off rump
 1 red bullock, star forehead, AM off rump, illegible brand off thigh, piece out off ear
 1 red bullock, like AW off rump, like 2 off thigh, down horns
 1 brindle bullock, white back, illegible brand off ribs, cock horns
 1 strawberry cow, like JP off ribs, cock horns

- 1 brindle bullock, near horn short, off horn cocked, like GK off ribs, brand off rump illegible

- 1 red and white bullock, cock horns, like I under half circle off rump
 1 red cow, like HB conjoined off rump, hoop horns, piece out right ear
 1 dark brindle bullock, cock horns, slit off ear, CE off ribs, other brand above illegible, 3 off thigh

- 1 yellow and white bullock, white face, like CC off rump, slit in each ear

- 1 yellow and white cow, SC on near ribs, cock horns, α near rump, like RQ off ribs

- 1 black bullock, white back, off horn down, near horn cracked, WL off ribs, like η off thigh

- 1 red bullock, cock horns white, white on face, like AI near rump, like IA off rump, white on flanks

- 1 brindle bullock, white back, speckled on face, like BC off ribs, illegible brand off thigh

- 1 dark brindle bullock, off ear split, illegible brand off thigh

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 21st September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

R. W. JOHNSTON,
Poundkeeper.

43s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Shepparton Pound (late McGuire's Punt), Lower Goulburn River, 17th August, 1854.

- 1 red bullock, cock horns, BOYD near neck, dewlap cut, like IM off rump
 1 magpie colored bullock, cock horns, LT off rump, like 7 off thigh
 1 brindle bullock, hoop horns, IJT off rump
 1 red and white bullock, cock horns, O off rump, indescribable brand near rump
 1 roan poley bullock, anchor near shoulder
 1 red and white spotted bullock, cock horns, like 66 near ribs, MC off rump
 1 brindle bullock, snail horns, like three broad arrows near ribs

- 1 red and white bullock, cock horns, OM off loin, like 2 off shoulder, like PC or G off rump
 1 brindle and white poley bullock, notch out off ear, indescribable brand off loin and rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 19th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

R. A. Q. HENRIQUES,
Poundkeeper.

15s.

IMPOUNDED at the Public Pound at Bates Ford, 23rd August, 1854.

- 1 yellow and white bullock, cock horns, TR off
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On 30th August.

- 1 white cow, hoop horns, both ears slit, B near rump

- 1 red sided cow, white back, hoop horns, PG near rump, α -C off side, illegible brand off rump

- 1 yellow and white heifer, stag horns, no visible brand

- 1 strawberry steer, hoop horns, off ear cut, illegible brand near rump

- 1 yellow and white cow, stag horns, no visible brand

On 31st August.

- 1 bay horse, small blaze down face, near hind foot white, H near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 26th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

Pro HENRY A. ALEXANDER,
Poundkeeper,

16s.

HENRY THOS. PELL.

IMPOUNDED at Elephant Bridge, 29th August, 1854, by Mr. Shaw.

- 1 black steer, white on the back, JR off rump,
 writing EB conjoined

EB conjoined near rump, writing
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EB conjoined near ribs

EB conjoined

- 1 strawberry bullock, like D Δ near rump, Δ near shoulder

- 1 red steer, snail horns, white on the off shoulder, like \dagger 9 and panican brand under off ribs, illegible brand off rump

- 1 brown cow, illegible brands on the off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 29th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

J. DENTON,
Poundkeeper.

12s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Kyneton, Mount Macedon, 31st August, 1854, by Mr. Govett.

- 1 magpie cow, R near shoulder, blotch brand or scar off ribs

- 1 yellow bullock, white face and belly, BOYD near side neck, scar or illegible brand off rump, ear marked

- 1 dark yellow bullock, brown face, H near horn, 3 or B off rump, IH off thigh

- 1 yellow and white spotted bullock, snail horns, supposed O or heart near loins

- 1 brindle and white bullock, cock horns, supposed Ξ near rump, has on strap and bell,

stamp tail

- 1 yellow bullock, white on back and belly, R near shoulder, JW off ribs
 1 yellow cow, white spot near shoulder, JW off ribs
 1 red heifer, star, same brand
 1 roan bullock, supposed C or O near shoulder, supposed TH near rump, I-B off rump, off ear slit
 1 brown bullock, white back and belly, JPM (the JP conjoined) in two places near horn, 2 off thigh, supposed S or 5 near ribs
 2 ^{or} ^{or}
 1 red cow, JW off ribs
 W
 1 yellow and white spotted bullock, IC off ribs, GB conjoined near flank
 W
 1 brown and white bullock, stag horns, much scarred about body, illegible brand near rump, had on pair of broken green hide hobbles
 1 blue strawberry cow, WR off ribs, R in circle rump, DR thigh, off ear marked
 1 red bullock, white on back and belly, supposed writing JR conjoined near ribs, WC off rump, horse shoe off ribs, off ear marked
 1 white steer, stag horns, supposed PC near shoulder
 1 white bullock, red ears, CB near rump, like R or B2 off ribs and rump, off ear slit
 1 red bullock, cock horns, white back and belly, supposed WW conjoined off rump, illegible brand off loins
 1 white bull, red ears, B off shoulder
 1 white bullock, TC near rump, 5 thigh, near ear marked
 1 yellow and white spotted bullock, B in square near rump, stag horns
 1 white cow, yellow spots on neck, supposed ICK off ribs, near ear marked
 1 yellow and white spotted yearling heifer, no visible brand
 1 strawberry bullock, T near horn, I-A near shoulder R² (the R reversed) near rump, WR or K off ribs
 1 yellow sided bullock, white back and belly, hoop horns, supposed IS off shoulder
 1 white cow, BT or BO near rump, near ear marked
 1 red bullock, wide horns, illegible brand, like JB conjoined off ribs and rump
 1 light yellow bullock, wide cock horns, S in two places near horn, supposed handle of surveyor's chain near shoulder, DC near ribs, spur off shoulder, M off rump
 1 blue bullock, white flanks, HM before supposed A near rump, CC off rump
 1 red and white spotted bullock, S in circle near ribs, H off ribs, supposed LB off rump, stag horns
 WB
 1 red bullock, wide horns, supposed IH off rump, O thigh
 If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 26th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.
 S. WINDRIDGE,
 Poundkeeper.
 44s. 6d.

IMPOUNDED at Wattle Creek, 24th August, 1854.

- 1 red bullock, 3 off shoulder, OS off rump, hobble on one foot
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- 1 red steer, white on shoulder and on rump, SB off rump
 1 white steer, with red neck and shoulder, EH (writing E) off rump
 1 red steer, bob tail, like SHA (the HA conjoined) off side, swallow tail in right ear
 1 light red bullock, white flanks, DR off thigh, and on off hip ()
 1 red steer, white on rump, OR conjoined near hip
 1 white steer, with a few red patches, CA conjoined near rump
 1 red and white steer, like LB or ZB off rump, blotch off shoulder, quarter out of back of right ear
 1 red bullock, white on rump and on shoulder, HD conjoined near rump, IO near horn

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A. BARKER,
 Poundkeeper.

16s. 6d.

NOTICE.

THE bay mare advertised on the 17th August, with star, switch tail, no visible brand, has S on off cheek.

A. BARKER,
 Poundkeeper.

6s.

IMPOUNDED at Colac, 19th August, 1854, by William Robertson, Esq.

- 1 bay mare, star on forehead, long tail, hind feet white, brand like Y near shoulder, ST off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 19th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

WILLIAM ARCHER,
 Poundkeeper.

8s.

IMPOUNDED at Gisborne, 31st August, 1854.

- 1 black and white spotted bullock, cock horns, top off off ear, notch back of near ear, CC or CD off rump, illegible brand in square near rump, brush off tail

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JAMES MCGILCHRIST ROBERTSON,
 Poundkeeper.

8s. 6d.

NOTICE.

THE yellow heifer, advertised 22nd August, DD off ribs, has IDS or IOS off ribs instead.

JAMES MCGILCHRIST ROBERTSON,
 Poundkeeper.

6s.

IMPOUNDED at the Bullock Creek Pound, 29th August, 1854.

- 1 grey horse, TG off shoulder, MCC near shoulder
 JML conjoined

der
 If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 22nd September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

JOHN W. GOWER,
 Poundkeeper.

8s.

IMPOUNDED at Braybrook Pound, 1st September, 1854, by Thomas Churnside, Esq., for trespass at Point Cook, 4d. each.

- 1 brindle bullock, bell on neck, off rump WS S
- 1 yellow sided bullock, same brands
- 1 yellow bullock, white belly, near thigh a bar over RK, off rump WA, off ribs CS
- 1 magpie poley bullock, slit in off ear, off shoulder OB, off rump like JB over JJY
- 1 yellow bullock, white belly, slit in off ear, near rump like a quadrant R, off shoulder EM, off rump PS
- 1 light strawberry bullock, slit in near ear, top off ear, off rump WA
- 1 strawberry bullock, near ribs WA, off rump like anchor reversed, off ribs JM

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1 dark brown bullock, white belly, off rump CJ (the J reversed), off ribs CJ over MW (the J reversed)

1 brown cow, off ribs $\frac{Z}{2}$ over JH (the JH conjoined), WR conjoined over 2, off rump A

- 1 young red bull calf
- 1 yellow heifer, nob horned, off ribs Z
- 1 young red bull calf
- 1 light strawberry yearling heifer, no visible brand

By Mrs. Delaney, 2nd September.—Trespass 6d.

1 red and white spotted cow, top off right ear, near rump JR conjoined, near thigh M, off thigh NK

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G. SCARBOROUGH,

22s. Poundkeeper.

NOTICE.

THE pony described a chesnut is a light bay pony mare, near shoulder J, off shoulder PF, and will be sold on 16th September, 1854.

G. SCARBOROUGH,

Poundkeeper.

Braybrook Pound,
4th September, 1854. 7s.

IMPOUNDED at Melbourne, by the Police.

1 strawberry cow, appears ϕ near F off ribs

1 yellow cow, brindled spots, white on flanks, white back, white tail, near the calving, appears WM near hip

1 light yellow cow, a springer, white back, \approx near ribs near back, DM off rump, like F or D off ribs

1 bay draught mare, T near shoulder, the YR YR conjoined, Δ H or Λ H off shoulder
By I. Byrne.

1 red and white cow, W near rump, WC off shoulder

1 strawberry cow, W near rump, WC off shoulder
By Mr. Grey.

1 brindled bullock, cock horns, star, hobbles on, appears WR off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid on or before 28th September, 1854, will be sold according to Act of Council.

IRWIN BYRNE,

15s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at South Yarra Pound, 30th August, 1854, by Mr. Eveans.—Damages 6s. on each.

1 bay mare, aged, docked tail, light color muzzle, saddle marked, little white on off hind fetlock, TJ near shoulder

1 bay colt foal, no brand visible, the progeny of the above mare

1 dark bay pony mare, four years old, switch tail, little white on near hind fetlock, Δ or Λ

(the I within the Δ or the Λ within the Δ) near shoulder

1 bay yearling colt, TW near shoulder

1 roan filly, large star, no legible brand

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THOMAS REES,

13s. Poundkeeper.

IMPOUNDED at Buninyong, 29th August, 1854.

1 dark brown or black mare, near shoulder NL conjoined, off neck like R, off fore foot bumble

1 bay chesnut mare, star forehead and snip on nose, injured in the fore feet, near shoulder JF conjoined, near neck G

GP

JF conjoined

1 mouse colored mare, fine white hairs on nose, scar near hip, off shoulder Λ P conjoined

1 bay yearling colt, star forehead, near shoulder A

1 light grey roan horse, five years old, off shoulder AP, illegible brand near shoulder

1 tall bay mare, long tail, near shoulder TO, scar off ribs and loin, lame in the fore legs

1 chesnut horse, small star forehead, near shoulder A

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1 red roan horse, small star forehead, near shoulder A with blotch above, off neck PMS

1 mouse colored horse, near hind feet white, near shoulder H, short tail, injured in the fore feet

1 chesnut horse, small blaze down face, blotched brand near shoulder

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

GEORGE INNES,

18s. 6d. Poundkeeper.

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