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"THE EVIDENCE BY COMMISSION ACT 1885."

THE subjoined Despatch and its enclosures, from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, are published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,
H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 19th March 1886.

[CIRCULAR (1).]

Downing street, 5th December 1885.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, for information and publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of an Act passed during the late Session of Parliament, entitled *An Act to amend the law relating to taking evidence by commission in India and the Colonies, and elsewhere in Her Majesty's Dominions.*

The necessity for this measure was brought by the Indian Government to the notice of Her Majesty's Government; and I transmit to you a copy of a memorandum by Sir Richard Garth, the Chief Justice of the High Court of Calcutta, dated 26th June 1883, in which he points out the inconveniences which were found to arise from the state of the law as then existing.

The Act which I enclose has accordingly been passed amending the provisions of the Act 22 Victoria, cap. 20.

As the Act is an enabling measure, and one which relieves the Judges of Colonial Courts from certain duties imposed by an Act of the Imperial Parliament, my predecessor did not think it necessary to delay the introduction of the Bill into Parliament until the Colonial Governments had first been consulted.

I have, &c.,
FRED. STANLEY.

The Officer Administering
the Government of Victoria.

CHAPTER 74.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO TAKING EVIDENCE BY COMMISSION IN INDIA AND THE COLONIES, AND ELSEWHERE IN HER MAJESTY'S DOMINIONS. [11th August 1885.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. *Short title.*—This Act may be cited as *The Evidence by Commission Act 1885.*

2. *Power to courts to nominate examiner in civil proceedings.*—Where in any civil proceeding in any court of competent jurisdiction an order for the examination of any witness, or person has been made, and a commission, mandamus, order, or request for the examination of such witness or person is addressed to any court, or to any judge of a court, in India or the Colonies, or elsewhere in Her Majesty's dominions, beyond the jurisdiction of the court ordering the examination, it shall be lawful for such court, or the chief judge thereof, or such judge, to nominate some fit person to take such examination, and any deposition or examination taken before an examiner so nominated shall be admissible in evidence to the same extent as if it had been taken by or before such court or judge.

3. *Power in criminal proceedings to nominate judge or magistrate to take depositions.*—Where in any criminal proceeding a mandamus or order for the examination of any witness or person is

addressed to any court, or to any judge of a court, in India or the Colonies, or elsewhere in Her Majesty's dominions, beyond the jurisdiction of the court ordering the examination, it shall be lawful for such court, or the chief judge thereof, or such judge, to nominate any judge of such court, or any judge of an inferior court, or magistrate within the jurisdiction of such first-mentioned court, to take the examination of such witness or person, and any deposition or examination so taken shall be admissible in evidence to the same extent as if it had been taken by or before the court or judge to whom the mandamus or order was addressed.

4. *Application of 22 Vict., c. 20, as to conduct money, &c., to proceedings under this Act.*—The provisions of the Act passed in the twenty-second year of Her Majesty, chapter twenty, intituled "An Act to provide for taking evidence in suits and proceedings pending before tribunals in Her Majesty's dominions in places out of the jurisdiction of such tribunals" (which may be cited as *The Evidence by Commission Act 1859*), as amended by this Act, shall apply to proceedings under this Act.

5. *Amendment of 22 Vict., c. 20, as to costs.*—The power to make rules conferred by section six of *The Evidence by Commission Act 1859* shall be deemed to include a power to make rules with regard to all costs of or incidental to the examination of any witness or person, including the remuneration of the examiner, if any, whether the examination be ordered pursuant to that Act or under this or any other Act for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses beyond the jurisdiction of the court ordering the examination.

6. *Oath or affirmation of witness.*—When, pursuant to any such commission, mandamus, order, or request as in this Act referred to, any witness or person is to be examined in any place beyond the jurisdiction of the court ordering the examination, such witness or person may be examined on oath, affirmation, or otherwise, according to the law in force in the place where the examination is taken, and any deposition or examination so taken shall be as effectual for all purposes as if the witness or person had been examined on oath before a person duly authorized to administer an oath in the court ordering the examination.

MINUTE BY THE HON. THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA, DATED 26TH JUNE 1883.

1. I wish to direct the attention of the Governor-General in Council to the present state of the law, which enables the Superior Courts at home to issue commissions to the High Courts in India to take evidence in English suits.

2. I have reason to believe that the provisions of this law, and the inconveniences which result from it, are often very imperfectly understood; and I therefore think it right to explain them to the Government, in order that proper steps may be taken, if His Excellency should think fit, for protecting the High Courts from an unnecessary waste of public time.

3. By the Statute 13 Geo. III., cap. 63, section 40, 13 Geo. III., the Court of King's Bench in England was empowered, "that in all cases of indictments or informations for offences committed in India, to issue a writ of mandamus requiring the Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court at Calcutta, or the Judges of the Mayors' Courts at Madras or Bombay, to hold a court for the examination of witnesses, and the reception of other proofs concerning the matters charged in such indictments and informations, and to institute such proceedings as might be necessary for the purpose of taking such evidence, and transmitting it to the Court of King's Bench."

4. By section 44 of the same statute it was provided "that, in all suits brought in any of the Courts at Westminster for any cause arising in India, it should be lawful for such Court to award such writs in the nature of a mandamus or

commission to the Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court of Calcutta, or to the Judges of the Mayors' Courts at Madras or Bombay, for the examination of witnesses in such suits.

5. By the Statute 1 Will. IV., cap. 22, section 1, the powers thus given to the Courts at Westminster by the Act of George the 3rd were extended to all colonies, islands, plantations, and places under the dominion of the British Crown in foreign parts, and to the Judges of the several Courts therein, and to all actions depending in any of the Courts at Westminster, wherever the cause of action may have arisen.

6. It thus became the duty of the Judges of the Supreme Court at Calcutta, and afterwards of the Supreme Courts at Madras and Bombay, whenever they should be required so to do by the Courts at Westminster, to examine witnesses and take evidence in any case depending in those Courts; and it has always been considered that the present High Courts in India, although constituted in a different way, and exercising powers which are in some respects larger than those of the Supreme Courts, are bound to execute commissions by order of the Courts at Westminster.

7. The Statute 3 and 4 Vict., cap. 105, section 69, gives the same powers to Irish Judges as are given to English Judges by the Act of William the 4th, and I believe that there are other Acts which give similar powers to all the other Superior Courts in Great Britain.

8. In former days the duties thus imposed upon the Indian Courts were not very onerous. Their own business was comparatively light, so that they could comply with the requirements of the Courts at home without much, if any, inconvenience.

9. I find, however, that even then, when a commission arrived, it had the effect of stopping for a time the whole business of the Supreme Court. It was considered, rightly or wrongly, that all the Judges were bound to execute the writ; and I have discovered several instances on record where the whole Court (the Chief Justice and two Puisne Judges) were solemnly engaged for several days in sitting to see a commission properly executed.

10. It was probably unnecessary that *all the Judges* should have attended. It was held by the Queen's Bench in the case of *Regina vs. Douglas*, 13 Q.B., 42, that a Court to execute the commission might be composed of two out of three Judges; but it would seem from that case that where the writ is directed to the Chief Judge and Judges, it is necessary that two at least should form the Court; and in a case which lately occurred here, it was considered that one Judge could not safely execute a commission except by consent of the parties.

11. In former days a little waste of time was probably not of much consequence; but circumstances have now materially changed. The business of the High Court of Calcutta has, as his Excellency is well aware, very largely increased. There is at present a very heavy arrears of causes, more especially on the appellate side; and I need hardly say that it is of the utmost importance to the Indian public that the time of the Judges should not be wasted.

12. Of course, if it were really necessary, or even desirable, to employ the services of High Court Judges in taking evidence under these commissions, I should hesitate before suggesting any change. But everyone who is at all conversant with the subject knows that in the large majority of cases it is simple waste of power to employ a highly-paid Judge for such a purpose. The duty which he has to perform is ministerial; and any man of business, who understands the way in which such commissions are executed, is quite as capable of acting the part of Commissioner as the best Judge amongst us.

13. It was not long ago that a commission was sent out to the High Court of Calcutta to examine witnesses in an English Chancery suit. I was not informed how long the commission would last, and I was unwary enough to appoint the Judge who was then sitting on the original side to execute it as soon as it arrived.

14. This commission lasted for upwards of a fortnight. I calculated that it cost this country (in the time of the Judge and the officers of the Court) at least Rs. 2,000; besides delaying, of course, the regular business of the Court and keeping Indian suitors waiting for the trial of their causes. And all this time, as I have said before, the Judge was performing a duty purely ministerial. He was bound to let Counsel put what questions they pleased to the witnesses, subject only to any objections which might be taken. He could not use his own discretion to decide a single point. He had only to see that the questions and answers, with the objections and all else that occurred, were duly taken down by the officer of the Court, and that the technical requirements of the commission were properly observed.

15. And it is worthy of consideration by the Government of India that if any private person had been appointed a Commissioner, the expense of the commission would have fallen, as of course it ought to fall, upon the parties to the suit; whereas, when the commission is directed to the High Court, the expense of executing it is thrown upon the Indian public.

16. These considerations naturally suggest the question—Why should these commissions ever be directed to the High Court at all? Why should not any other Commissioner do as well? The answer is, that any other Commissioner will do as well and better, because any other Commissioner would proceed to execute the commission at once; whereas if it is executed by the Court, the parties would, in the present state of the business, have to wait several months.

17. It is for this reason that commissions, as a rule, are not directed to the High Court. The practice has generally been, and I believe still is, to send out the commission under section 4 of the Act of William IV., or the 3 and 4 Victoria, directed to some private Commissioner, or more often directed in blank, so that the agents of the parties may appoint whom they will to execute it.

18. In former days, no doubt, where witnesses would not attend voluntarily, there was a difficulty in getting evidence taken before a private Commissioner, because the Courts in India had no power to compel the attendance of witnesses, except where the commission was directed to themselves. But now by the Statute 22 Vict., cap. 20, section 1, it is provided that,

"where upon an application for this purpose it is made to appear to any Court or Judge having authority under this Act that any Court of competent jurisdiction in Her Majesty's dominions has duly authorized, by commission or other process, the obtaining the testimony in any suit, or other proceeding pending in or before such Court, of any witness or witnesses out of the jurisdiction of such Court, and within the jurisdiction of such first-mentioned Court, it shall be lawful for such Court to order the examination before the person or persons appointed, and in manner and form directed by such commission or other process as aforesaid, of such witness or witnesses accordingly; and it shall be lawful for the said Court by the same order or for such Court, or by any subsequent order, to command the attendance of any person to be named in such order for the purpose of being examined, or the production of any writings or other documents to be mentioned in such order; and to give all such directions, as to the time, place, and manner of such examination, and all other matters connected therewith, as may appear reasonable and just, and any such order may be enforced, and any disobedience thereof punished, in like manner as in the case of an order made by such Court in a cause depending in such Court." The Supreme Courts of India are amongst those to which these powers are given.

19. And by section 3 of the same Act it is provided that every person whose attendance shall be so ordered shall be entitled to the like conduct money, and payment for expenses and loss of time, as upon attendance at a trial.

20. There is therefore now no practical difficulty in enforcing the attendance of witnesses before a private Commissioner; and there would therefore seem no reason, unless in some very exceptional cases, for directing commissions to the High Court.

21. In some instances lately commissions have been sent out to "the Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court"—a Court which has ceased to exist for the last twenty years; and in two or three cases the commission has been directed "to the Chief Justice and Judges of the Supreme Court, jointly and severally, or to any person or persons whom they may appoint to execute it."

22. In these cases the High Court has been asked to appoint some private Commissioner named by the party in charge of the commission; and it has been thought right, out of respect to the English Judges who issued the commission, to appoint the Commissioner as requested, but with an intimation that, in the opinion of the Court, it had no authority to make the appointment.

23. It may be that there is some legislative provision, or some rule of the High Court of Judicature, which we have not been able to discover; but, so far as I can ascertain, there is no law here or in England which empowers the Courts at home to direct the High Court to appoint a private Commissioner.

24. It seems to me, therefore, having regard to the foregoing observations, that the matter is one which deserves the consideration of the Lord Chancellor; and that it might with propriety be suggested to his Lordship that some rule or rules should be passed, or some other steps taken, to prevent commissions being directed to the High or Chief Courts in India for the following reasons:—

1stly.—Because it is undesirable that the time of High Court Judges should be unnecessarily occupied in ministerial duties;

2ndly.—Because it is unjust that the Indian public should bear the cost of procuring evidence in suits between private persons at home; and

3rdly.—Because it is inconvenient for English suitors to be kept waiting several months before their commissions can be executed.

25. There seems no reason why the execution of these commissions should have precedence over suits which are standing for trial in the High Court; and I consider that such commissions should take their turn with the other cases, which are for the time being on the list for disposal. This would probably, under present circumstances, delay the execution of a commission for at least six or eight months.

26. I would also suggest that some further rule or rules might be usefully framed to guide the Courts in India as to the sums which should be allowed to witnesses (under section 3 of the Act XXII. Vict., cap. 20), for conduct money, expenses, and loss of time. The sums allowed here to witnesses are different from those allowed at home, and they are regulated, especially as regards travelling expenses, by considerations peculiar to this country.

27. It might be sufficient probably, in framing any such rule or rules, merely to direct that the sums allowed to witnesses shall be regulated according to the English or the Indian scale, and the Courts here will act accordingly. But if the High Courts are to use their process to compel the attendance of witnesses, and to punish them for disobedience, it is necessary, of course, that the sums to be allowed to witnesses should be correctly defined.

28. I consider that it would not be proper for me to communicate directly upon this subject with the authorities at home; and I believe I am adopting the right course in asking the Governor-General in Council to take the matter into consideration, and, if so advised, to submit it to the Lord Chancellor through the Secretary of State for India.

RICHARD GARTH.

High Court, 26th June 1883.

March 26, 1886.

LICENSING MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

W. H. FOSTER, Esq., P.M.,

to be the Licensing Magistrate, in lieu of J. J. O'Meara, Esq., to act with Messrs. Wyatt and McCormick at Seymour on Tuesday the 30th day of March instant, in respect of the Licensing Districts of Seymour, Pyalong, and Avenel.

HENRY CUTHBERT,
Minister of Justice.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

RESIGNATION OF A MAGISTRATE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has accepted the resignation by

ROBERT TYNEMOUTH BRASLEY, Esq.,

of the commission of the Peace for the Midland Bailiwick.

HENRY CUTHBERT,
Minister of Justice.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

RIFLE CLUB.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the formation of a Rifle Club in the undermentioned district, viz.:-

TARKEVIA.

JAMES LORIMER,
Minister of Defence.

Defence Department,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

VICTORIAN NAVAL BRIGADE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, viz.:-

JOHN L. HARRISON and
ALEXANDER WEIR

to be Midshipmen in the Victorian Naval Brigade.

JAMES LORIMER,
Minister of Defence.

Defence Department,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

THE Central Board of Health, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by *The Public Health Amendment Statute 1883*, has approved of the undermentioned appointments by the Local Boards of Health concerned, namely:-

Shire of Leigh ... JAMES BLAIR DONALDSON, L.R.C.P.,
vice MAX WALL, M.D., left the district.

Borough of Daylesford ... THOMAS RUPERT HENRY WILLIS, M.B.,
vice John J. MacGregor resigned.

Borough of Kew ... WILLIAM BUTLER WALSH, M.D., vice
Thomas S. Ralph, M.R.C.S., resigned.

J. W. COLVILLE,
Secretary, Central Board of Health.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 19th March 1886.

HEALTH OFFICER.

JOHN DE COURCY YOUNG, L.R.C.P., having declined to undertake the duties of Officer of Health for the Shire of Taupo, the approval of his appointment by the Central Board of Health on the 26th ultimo is hereby cancelled.

J. W. COLVILLE,
Secretary, Central Board of Health.

Government Offices,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

DEPUTY REGISTRARS OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

M. W. EDWARDS

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths at Lubeck, vice Andrew Jack, whose resignation has been accepted.

The Governor in Council has removed the undermentioned persons from the office of Deputy Registrars of Births and Deaths at the places set opposite to their respective names, viz.:-

Kyabram East ...	GEORGE HENLEY.
Strangways ...	W. S. McALPINE.
Welshman's Reef ...	M. MORRIS.
Wharparilla ...	T. C. H. GOSLING.
	ALFRED DEAKIN, Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

ACCOUNTANT TO THE TREASURY.

HENRY FRANCIS EATON, Esquire,

to be Acting Accountant to the Treasury, during the absence on duty, as Deputy Commissioner of Audit, of Robert Gudemann, Esquire.

D. GILLIES,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 22nd March 1886.

CERTIFYING OFFICER OF ACCOUNTS.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to authorize

Mr. J. B. SEXTON, Accountant in the Registrar-General's Department,

to certify to all accounts, &c., during the absence, through illness, of the Registrar-General.

D. GILLIES,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 22nd March 1886.

COLLECTOR OF IMPOSTS.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

Mr. HENRY KRONE

to act as a Collector of Imposts, during the absence, through illness, of the Registrar-General.

D. GILLIES,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 22nd March 1886.

CHIEF CLERK OF COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

D. HARKNESS

to be a Chief Clerk of the Court of Insolvency for the Western Insolvency District, acting at Belfast, during the absence of S. Perrottet on leave.

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

SHERIFF'S SUBSTITUTE.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has, by virtue of the provisions of section 85 of the Act No. 500, been pleased to appoint

D. HARKNESS (as Deputy Clerk of the Peace and Registrar of the County Court at Belfast)

to do and perform with respect to the courts at Belfast, in the place and stead of the Sheriff, all such acts and things as the Sheriff is by the said Act authorized or required to do or perform, during the absence of S. Perrottet on leave.

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

CLERK OF LICENSING COURT.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

G. R. MURPHY, Horsham,

to be a Clerk of each and every Licensing Court, to attend to discharge the duties of his office at the several places at which he may be appointed to act as Clerk of Petty Sessions, and at such adjacent places as may be appointed for the holding of Licensing Courts.

HENRY CUTHBERT,
Minister of Justice.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

BAILIFF OF COUNTY COURT, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

GORDON BADENACH

to be Bailiff of the County Court and Court of Mines at Creswick and Clunes, vice H. W. Edwards, whose resignation has been accepted.

HENRY CUTHBERT,
Minister of Justice.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

REGISTRAR OF THE COUNTY COURT, ETC.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

D. HARKNESS

to be Registrar of the County Court and Clerk of Petty Sessions at Belfast, during the absence of S. Perrottet on leave.

HENRY CUTHBERT,
Minister of Justice.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

DEPUTY ELECTORAL REGISTRAR.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

E. S. GUTTERIDGE, Bruthen,
to be a Deputy Electoral Registrar for the Bairnsdale division of the Electoral District of North Gippsland, and for the Bairnsdale division of the Gippsland Province, *vice* T. T. Stirling, whose resignation has been accepted.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

TRUSTEES.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments, viz.:-

GEORGE DAVIS,
RICHARD GRANGE,

to be Additional Trustees of the land temporarily reserved on the 11th December 1876 as a site for Public purposes at Buangor;

JAMES DICKSON,
SAMUEL R. PEEL,
GEORGE PAINE,
JAMES HORSELEY,
JAMES STYLES,

to be Trustees of the land temporarily reserved on the 12th January 1886 as a site for a Mechanics' Institute at Newport;

JAMES MCNEIL,
RICHARD NOBLE,

to be Trustees of the Walhalla Cemetery site, in the room of Edward S. Gutteridge and William Callow, whose resignations have been accepted.

THE Governor in Council has accepted the resignations of the undermentioned gentlemen, viz.:-

ALEXANDER ALLAN
as a Trustee of the Pitfield Cemetery site;

DAVID A. WILLIAMS
as a Trustee of the Walwa Cemetery site.

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

CROWN LANDS BAILIFF.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

Mounted Constable JOSEPH WATERS, No. 3620,

to be a Crown Lands Bailiff in and for the colony of Victoria.

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

BOARDS OF ADVICE FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be members of the Boards of Advice for the School Districts referred to in conjunction with their respective names, viz.:-

The North-western and South-western Ridings of the Shire of Lillydale. No. 177.

DAVID GRAY,
WILLIAM TOUT,
JAMES QUIGLEY,
GEORGE WHITE.

The West Riding of the Shire of St. Arnaud. No. 238.

JOSEPH LITCHFIELD.

CHARLES H. PEARSON,
Minister of Public Instruction.

Education Department,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

RETURNING OFFICER FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT.

THE Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS T. GRIGG.

to be Returning Officer for the School District of the Bellarine Riding of the Shire of Bellarine, No. 95, *vice* R. Gallop resigned.

CHARLES H. PEARSON,
Minister of Public Instruction.

Education Department,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

TRANSFER OF LAND STATUTE.—NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified that

PETER WRIGHT, Esq., of Tallangatta,
is specially licensed by me to practise as a surveyor under the Transfer of Land Statute.

A. J. SKENE,
Surveyor-General.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

"FACTORIES AND SHOPS ACT 1885."

SECOND NOTICE.

SECTION 3 of the above Act interprets a factory or work-room as being a building or place in which *six or more* persons are engaged working for hire or reward in any handicraft, or in preparing or manufacturing articles for trade or sale, and any building or place in which *steam or other mechanical power* is used.

Section 6 requires the occupier of every factory or workroom to serve on the Chief Inspector, within *fourteen days* from the commencement of the Act, viz., the 1st March 1886, a written notice, in *prescribed form*, containing particulars of his or her factory or workroom, in default a *penalty* not exceeding *Ten pounds*.

Section 9 requires that every factory or workroom shall be *registered*, and the fee, as per first schedule, paid for the current year on or before the 30th April 1886, in default a *penalty* not exceeding *Ten pounds*.

Forms of notice and any information may be obtained from the Chief Inspector, at his office. Forms of notice may also be obtained at the nearest police station.

D. J. C. GOODSIR,
Chief Inspector.

Government Offices,
Spring street, Melbourne.

THE ELSTERNWICK REGISTRATION DISTRICT.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Sir HENRY BROUGHAM LOCH, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by *The Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Statute 1865* (28 Vict. No. 246, sec. 5) it was amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council might, by Proclamation in the *Government Gazette*, divide the colony of Victoria into districts and assign the said colony and districts to the Registrar-General and Deputy-Registrars respectively, or to so many of them as he might think fit, and might define the limits of such districts, and from time to time revoke, vary, and alter such division and the limits of such districts: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, do hereby define the limits and boundaries of the Elsternwick Registration District in manner following, that is to say:—

THE ELSTERNWICK REGISTRATION DISTRICT.

Bounded on the south by Henderson street or North road, on the east by the Melbourne and Brighton Railway, on the north by the Glen Huntly road, and on the west by Port Phillip Bay.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) HENRY B. LOCH.

By His Excellency's Command,
ALFRED DEAKIN,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

"THE LICENSING ACT 1885."—POLL OF ELECTORS.

At the Executive Council Chambers, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.

Mr. Deakin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Wrixon	Mr. James
Mr. Pearson	Mr. Derham
Mr. Lorimer	Mr. Davies.
Mr. Dow	

WHEREAS by *The Licensing Act 1885* it was enacted that the Governor in Council might, upon the receipt of any petition or petitions, in accordance with section 22 of the said Act, by an Order in Council direct the Returning Officer for the Electoral Division forming such Licensing District to take a Poll of the Electors upon a day to be fixed in the said Order in Council for that purpose: And whereas a petition has been received by the Governor in Council, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, from one-fifth of the number of persons whose names are on the Roll of Electors for the Electoral Division forming the Licensing District hereunder specified for a Poll of the Electors to be taken to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers' Licenses in such Licensing District should be increased: And whereas the number of Victuallers' Licenses in the subjoined Licensing District is below the statutory number: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under and by virtue of the power and authority in him vested by the said Act, doth hereby direct the Returning Officer for the Electoral District to take a Poll of the Electors on Tuesday the thirtieth day of March instant, to determine whether or not the number of Victuallers licensed in the district hereunder set forth shall be increased, viz.:-

THE ARAPLES LICENSING DISTRICT.

And the Honorable Alfred Deakin, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXAMINATION FOR LAND SURVEYORS, VICTORIA.

THE Board of Examiners hereby notify that the under-mentioned gentlemen have, after examination, been granted Certificates of Competency as Land Surveyors:—

Passed with Credit.

- 1st. J. S. CRAWFORD.
- 2nd. H. M. CHRISP.
- 3rd. D. G. GALLOP.
- 4th. F. A. WILSON.

Passed.

- 5th. H. CALDER.
- 6th. A. C. HADLEY.
- 7th. R. BRAZIER.
- 8th. B. C. BOYES.
- 9th. ALEXANDER TYERS.

H. BLAIR,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—NEW ZEALAND.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Marine Department, Wellington, is published for general information.

W. F. WALKER,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, March 18th 1886.

[No. 4 of 1886.]

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th February 1886.

THE Thames Harbour Board notify that the wharf at the end of Albert street, Grahamstown, will be pulled down, and that the light thereon will be discontinued on and after the 1st March next.

JOS. A. TOLE,
(for the Minister having charge of the
Marine Department).

NOTICES TO MARINERS—QUEENSLAND.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, are published for general information.

W. F. WALKER,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 18th March 1886.

[No. 1 of 1886.]

ALTERATIONS IN CODE OF TIDAL SIGNALS IN USE AT GRASSY HILL, ENDEAVOUR RIVER.

ON and after the 20th instant, the following code of tidal signals will be substituted for that now in use at Grassy Hill, viz:—

Depth of Water on Bar.	Day Signals.	Night Signals.
ft. in.		
12 0	Cone at north yard-arm ...	White light
12 6	Cone at north yard-arm, dipped	Red light
13 0	Cone at south yard-arm ...	Green light
13 6	Cone at south yard-arm, dipped	Red light over white
14 0	Ball at north yard-arm ...	Red light under white
14 6	Ball at north yard-arm, dipped	Green light over white
15 0	Ball at south yard-arm ...	Green light under white
15 6	Ball at south yard-arm, dipped	Red light over green
16 0	Two balls at north yard-arm ...	Red light under green
16 6	Two balls at north yard-arm, dipped	Two white lights, vertical
17 0	Two balls at south yard-arm ...	Two white lights, horizontal
17 6	Two balls at south yard-arm, dipped	Two red lights, vertical
18 0	Ball at each yard-arm ...	Two green lights, vertical
18 6	Ball at each yard-arm, dipped	Two red lights, horizontal
19 0	Flag over ball north yard-arm	Two green lights, horizontal
19 6	Flag over ball north yard-arm, dipped	White light north, red south
20 0	Flag over ball south yard-arm	Red light north, white south
20 6	Flag over ball south yard-arm, dipped	White light north, green south
21 0	Ball over flag north yard-arm...	Green light north, white south

During flood tide a red burgee is flown from a detached pole near the flagstaff, and at night a red light is shown to the northward of the permanent white light.

G. P. HEATH, Commander R.N.,
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 2nd March 1886.

[No. 2 of 1886.]

CUTTING THROUGH BAR AT ENTRANCE TO ENDEAVOUR RIVER, AND ALTERATION IN POSITION OF LEADING LIGHTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a cutting in which there is a depth at low water of 13 feet has been made through the bar of the Endeavour River. The line of the cutting is denoted by two triangular beacons placed on the bank abreast the township, which, when in line, lead through the centre of the channel on a S.W. southerly bearing.

On and after the 10th instant, the red leading lights for entering the port at night will be exhibited from these beacons instead of from their present positions on shore.

G. P. HEATH, Commander R.N.,
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 2nd March 1886.

[No. 3 of 1886.]

CORAL SEA—REEF REPORTED SOUTH OF HOLMES REEFS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a reef has been reported by Mr. J. B. Robertson, master of the schooner *Flora*, as lying 10 miles south of the southern extreme of Holmes Reefs, as shown on the chart, and in longitude 147 degrees 43 minutes east. The schooner passed some two miles south of this danger.

G. P. HEATH, Commander R.N.,
Portmaster.

Department of Ports and Harbours,
Brisbane, 8th March 1886.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(HYDROGRAPHIC).— AUSTRALIA.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Admiralty Hydrographer, is published for general information.

W. F. WALKER,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd March 1886.

[No. 22.]

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

Sunken Rock and Shoal Ground Northward of Eagle Islet.

Information has been received from Lieutenant and Commander Pullen, H.M. surveying vessel *Lark*, of the existence of a dangerous rock, and shoal ground extending about 6 cables northward of the reef fringing Eagle Islet, western side of the Inner Route to Torres Strait.

The rock, with less than 6 feet water on it, lies with Eagle Islet bearing S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant 1 mile; a small rock above water is situated between it and the fringing reef; and shoal patches lie about 5 cables south-eastward of the sunken rock.

Position of rock, lat. $14^{\circ} 41' S.$, long. $145^{\circ} 24' E.$
The bearing is magnetic. Variation 6° Easterly in 1886.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. WHARTON,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
28th January 1886.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Coral Sea; Great Barrier Reef, sheet 11, No. 2764; Cape Tribulation to Cape Flattery, No. 2351; Cape Flattery to Cape Sidmouth, No. 2352; also, Australia Directory, vol. II., 1879, page 250.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—NETHERLANDS-INDIA.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Consul-General for the Netherlands, is published for general information.

W. F. WALKER,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd March 1886.

(Voor het Land.)

[No. 2.]

Hydrographic Office, Batavia.

E. I. ARCHIPELAGO.

Reefs near the south coasts of Flores and Soemba Islands.

THE master of the Government's steamer *Zicalow* reports the existence of the undermentioned reefs, lying near the south coast of Flores.

1. A reef in Ende Bay, about 870 yards from shore, with South point of Nosa Ende bearing ... S.E.
Most westward visible land ... S.S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.

2. A reef of less than 3 fathoms water, extending off shore, bearings as follows:
Vulcano (eastward of Ende Bay) ... N.W. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.
Most westward visible land ... W.S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W.
East Point ... N.E. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.

3. A reef off Kainpong Paga (east of the Vulcano) about 1100 yards from shore.

Also, it was stated that the reef, surrounding Hoog and Lääg Islands, is separated from the shore of Soemba, the passage between Hoog Island and the main land being clear.

Bearings true.

The Rear-Admiral
Commanding the Naval Forces in Neth-India,
BINKES.

Batavia, 29th January 1886.

March 26, 1886.

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CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1885-86.)

Serial No.	Purpose, No. of Tenders, and Particulars of Contract	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charge against Vote or Fund.	Authorized according to Regulations on the date stated.
2228	LANDS AND SURVEY—(4)—10,000 lbs. cotton waste. This tender was erroneously gazetted at 4½d. per lb. on 16th October 1885	4½d. per lb.	Briscoe and Co. ...	63, Item 1. Extirpation of rabbits	John L. Dow. 20.3.86.
2229	PENAL DEPARTMENT—Contract No. 2378 (Series 1884-85), for carting bread from Pentridge Gaol to the Lunatic Asylums at Yarra Bend and Kew, is continued from its expiration on 31st March to 30th June 1886	£5 per week	D. V. Hennessy ...	Contingencies, 1885-86	Duncan Gillies. 25.3.86.
2230	RAILWAYS—Supply of coke at Flinders street, Prince's Bridge, and Port Melbourne Stations, at 18s. 6d. per ton for 1,500 tons or over per month, and at 19s. per ton if less than 1,500 tons are taken per month	Rates ...	Metropolitan Gas Co.	Vote 97/1 of 1885-86 ...	P. P. Labertouche, by order of the Railways Commissioners. 24.3.86.

Corrigenda.—Contract 435 of 1884-85, D. Munro, charged to Loan 717, item 1, Act 776, clause 2. Loan 760, item 1, Act 821, and Act 860 should also be quoted.

Contract 1475 of 1885-86, Quayle and Williams, charged to Loan 760, item 1, Act 821. Act 860 should also be quoted.

Contract 2281 of 1884-85, Phipps Turnbull and Co., charged to Vote 79/2, should be charged to Loan 760, item 1, Act 821.

Defences.—Contract No. 2097 of 1885-86, £235, for O. Phillips read A. Phillips.

SUPPLY OF FORAGE 1886-87.—*Note.*—Forage contracts as hereafter described are cancelled:—No. 154, Mirboo, Wm. Bredin, jun.; No. 190, Cashel, Knight and Padley; No. 220, Mooropna, Knight and Padley; No. 226, Nagambie, J. Morrissey; No. 234, Shepparton, J. Knight; No. 239, Tatura, Knight and Padley; No. 319, Redesdale, G. Took; No. 386, Mortlake, W. Absalom; No. 392, Port Campbell, R. Blair.—D. G. 24.3.86.

Melbourne, 26th March 1886.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1885-86.)

Serial No.	Purpose and Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
2231	GOVERNMENT PRINTER— 270 reams demy, 48 lbs., at 19s. 256 10 0 } 240 reams demy, 40 lbs., at 16s. 184 0 0 }	£ s. d. 440 10 0	W. Detmold ...	Div. 54. Unforeseen expenditure	Exempted from operation of General Regulation No. 68. Approved by the Governor in Council, 9th March 1886.—Rob. Wadsworth, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Melbourne, 26th March 1886.

ROLLS OF RATEPAYING ELECTORS DECLARED VALID.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.

Mr. Deakin
Mr. Wrixon
Mr. Pearson
Mr. Lorimer
Mr. Dow

Mr. Walker
Mr. James
Mr. Derham
Mr. Davies.

WHEREAS by *The Legislative Council Act 1881*, No. 702, it was amongst other things enacted, that where any accidental or unavoidable impediment, misfeasance, or omission should have happened in the preparation or transmission or printing of any roll of ratepaying electors, the Governor in Council might, by Order in Council, take all such measures as might be necessary for removing such impediment or rectifying such misfeasance or omission, or might declare any such roll valid as to and notwithstanding such impediment, misfeasance, or omission, and every such Order in Council should state specifically the nature of the impediment, misfeasance, or omission, and should be forthwith published in the *Government Gazette*: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under and by virtue of the power in him vested by the 31st section of the said Act, doth hereby declare valid the Rolls of Ratepaying Electors for the divisions of the Provinces hereunder mentioned, notwithstanding the non-receipt by the respective Electoral Registrars of the Rolls or portions thereof from the Secretaries or Clerks of the municipal districts named in the third column of the schedule hereto within the time fixed by law for that purpose, that is to say:—

Provinces.	Divisions.	Municipal Districts.
Nelson ...	Mortlake ...	Shire of Mortlake
Northern ...	Sandhurst Central ...	City of Sandhurst
" ...	Sandhurst North ...	City of Sandhurst
" ...	Sandhurst South ...	City of Sandhurst
North-Eastern ...	Rutherglen ...	Borough of Rutherglen
North-Western ...	Lowan ...	Shire of Lowan
" ...	Swan Hill ...	Shire of Swan Hill
North Yarra ...	Glasshouse South ...	City of Collingwood
Southern ...	Merriang and Darebin ...	Shire of Kilmore
South-Eastern ...	Cranbourne ...	Shire of Cranbourne
" ...	Mornington ...	Shire of Mornington
South Yarra ...	St. Kilda North ...	Borough of St. Kilda
" ...	St. Kilda South ...	Borough of St. Kilda
" ...	St. Kilda West ...	Borough of St. Kilda
Wellington ...	Creswick Shire ...	Shire of Creswick
Western ...	Koroit ...	Borough of Koroit

And the Honorable Alfred Deakin, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SANDHURST MINING DISTRICT.

GENERAL BYE-LAW No. 12.

AT a meeting of the Mining Board of the Mining District of Sandhurst, begun and holden at Sandhurst, in the said district, on the 26th day of October, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885), it is ordained by the said Board as follows, that is to say:—Bye-laws of Mining Board repealed. —Whereas it is expedient that the general bye-law No. 11 enacted by the Mining Board of the Mining District of Sandhurst should be revised and amended, the said bye-laws are hereby repealed and the following bye-laws substituted in lieu thereof. Provided that nothing therein contained shall in any manner affect the right, title, interest, liability, or obligation existing at the time when this bye-law shall come in force.

SECTION 1.

For prescribing the mode in which the validity of disputed elections shall be decided.

1. *Petition disputing validity of election.*—Any petition disputing the validity of the election of any member or members of this board must be signed by at least ten (10) duly qualified electors, and must be forwarded to the chairman of this board within one calendar month from the day on which the returning officer shall have declared the member or members so petitioned against to have been duly elected.

2. *Special meeting to be convened.*—On the presenting of any such petition as aforesaid to this board, it shall be competent for the chairman to convene a special meeting within fourteen days from the date of reception of such petition, for the purpose of trying the validity of the election so petitioned against. Provided that the parties petitioning shall have fulfilled the conditions hereinafter contained.

3. *Security to be deposited.*—Upon the presentation of any such petition, it shall be necessary for the parties so petitioning to deposit with the clerk of the board the sum of Twenty pounds, to cover any expenses not hereinafter specially provided for, and in the event of such sum proving excessive, any balance remaining after payment of such expenses shall be returned to the depositors. And no petition as above shall be entertained by this board unless such sum shall have been so deposited.

4. *Summons to be issued.*—It shall be lawful for the clerk of this board to issue a summons (as per Schedule A 1 or to the like effect) to any party petitioning as aforesaid, calling upon any person therein named to give evidence in the matter of the election so petitioned against and to produce any documentary evidence relating thereto which may be in the custody of the party named in the summons. Provided that no such summons shall be granted unless the applicant shall have previously deposited with the clerk an amount sufficient to allow each witness a mileage of One shilling (1s.) per mile and a further sum of Twenty shillings (20s.) for the expenses of such witness during the time of his attendance; and in the event of the non-attendance of such witness, the sum so deposited shall be returned by the clerk to the depositors.

5. *Oath to be administered.*—At any meeting specially called for the purpose aforesaid, it shall be competent for the chairman of this board to administer an oath in the usual form to any witness previous to the examination of such witness, and any such meeting may be adjourned for the hearing of further evidence at the discretion of the board.

6. *The examination of witnesses, how conducted.*—The examination of witnesses shall be conducted by the chairman, the petitioners, the member petitioned against, or their legal advisers; after which the chairman shall inquire if any member of the board desires to ask any question; each member shall then, commencing on the left hand of the chairman, put such questions as he may see fit, or signify that he has no intention of examining the witness, *re-examination may then proceed in the same manner, after the completion of which no question shall be put to the witness unless through the chairman.*

7. *Judgment of board, how arrived at and pronounced.*—The decision of this board shall be arrived at by ballot in the following manner, that is to say—the clerk of the board shall furnish to each member a ballot-paper in the form specified in Schedule B 2, and after the examination of witnesses shall have been concluded, each member shall erase from his ballot-paper the form of judgment in which he does not concur, and shall put into the ballot-box such paper, which shall be opened in the presence of the board by the chairman, who shall declare the result of such ballot, and the majority of either form of finding shall be deemed to be the judgment of the board, which shall be declared by the chairman accordingly. Provided that in the event of the findings being equally divided the chairman shall then give his casting vote, and pronounce judgment in the form specified in Schedule C 3, and such judgment shall be deemed final and conclusive in the matter of such disputed election.

8. Notwithstanding anything contained in this bye-law, it shall be competent for the board to entertain any petition (that may be presented within fourteen days from the day upon which this bye-law becomes law) disputing the validity of any election that may have already taken place.

SECTION II.—FOR REGULATING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SANDHURST MINING BOARD.

ORDER OF MEETINGS.

1. That the sittings of the board be open to the public on all ordinary occasions, but a majority of the board may require the exclusion of strangers while the sense of the board is taken,

whether the question then under consideration shall be discussed with closed doors or not.

2. The first business at each sitting of the board shall be to confirm, and, if necessary, amend the minutes of the preceding sitting. The chairman shall initial any amendment made on the minutes.

3. The reception of depositions, the presentation of memorials or petitions, and the reading of correspondence shall take precedence of all other business in the order herein stated.

4. The order of the day shall include all business of which due notice has been given, and all matters arising out of former sittings of the board. The bringing up of reports shall have precedence of all motions.

5. All motions shall be considered in the order in which notice thereof has been given.

6. It shall be competent for any member to propose an original motion, or an amendment upon a motion, without previous notice, provided the same shall be handed to the chairman and read to the members, and that it be not of a legislative character. But no motion the effect of which would be to rescind any previous resolution of the board shall be entertained unless a fortnight's notice shall have been previously given.

7. No motion having reference to the amendment, repeal, or introduction of a bye-law shall be entertained unless upon one (1) week's notice in writing given at a previous sitting of the board.

8. No notice of motion entered on the notice paper shall be proceeded with unless by the member who gave such notice, or by some member authorized by him, and no motion shall be entertained until seconded, nor shall any motion be withdrawn unless by the sanction of the board, and any member about to propose a motion shall read the same before speaking to it.

9. No committee report shall be adopted unless it shall have been brought up and read at a previous sitting of the board.

10. Any proposed bye-law or amendment of any bye-law shall be read a first time without discussion. Upon a second reading of such proposed bye-law or amendment of any bye-law a discussion may take place, after which the said proposed bye-law or amendment of any bye-law may be considered in a committee of the board. But no bye-law or any amendment of a bye-law shall be passed until read a third time.

11. Any one or more of the "standing orders" may be suspended *pro tem.* in case of emergency by the consent of a majority of the members present, exclusive of the chairman.

12. A call of the board for special purposes shall be made by the chairman, on the written requisition of four (4) members of the board.

13. The final decision of the board upon all questions shall be ascertained by the chairman in the following manner, viz.:—Having put the question to the board, the members shall each respectively signify his judgment by the word "aye" or "no." The chairman may afterwards require a show of hands upon any such occasion, at his discretion.

14. The clerk of the board shall have charge of the board-room, and all books, records, maps, &c., therein, and shall affix in a conspicuous place in the same room copies of such notices as may be given at the board from time to time, and shall also preserve the original notices.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1. Any member upon proposing a motion or amendment, or discussing any matter, must rise and address the chairman, and no member shall be interrupted unless by a call to order, when he shall resume his seat; the member calling to order shall then be heard, and the question of order decided by the chairman before the subject is resumed or any other business entered upon.

2. If more than one member rise at the same time, the chairman shall decide respecting the pre-audience.

3. No member shall speak twice on the same question, unless by way of explanation merely, or in reply, as the mover of an original motion; after such reply the question shall be immediately put to the vote, unless an amendment be moved. When, however, any amendment has been proposed and seconded, it may be discussed, and the question upon it put by the chairman before he shall put the original motion. If no amendment shall be proposed, nor any amendment proposed shall be carried, then the original motion shall be put to the vote.

4. No member shall digress from the subject under discussion, and any member who may impute motives or make use of expressions calculated to offend any other member of the board shall be required by the chairman to withdraw such expression and apologize to the board.

5. The decision of the chairman shall be final on all questions of "order" or "practice," and he shall state the same without comment or argument.

6. Any member may require the clerk of the board to take down any particular expression immediately upon it being used, and any member may of right demand the production of any of the documents of the board bearing upon the question under consideration.

7. No discussion shall be allowed on any motion for adjournment, and if the question shall be decided in the negative, the next motion or order of the day shall be considered before the question of adjournment be again entertained.

8. Any member may record his protest against any decision of the board, provided he notify his intention to that effect on the passing of the resolution against which he protested.

SECTION III.—GENERAL CLAUSES.

1. *Warning before blasting.*—Ten (10) minutes previous to the discharge of any blast of gunpowder or other explosive substance within fifty (50) feet from the surface of the ground, due notice of such discharge shall be given by the persons who shall have prepared or caused such explosion to all other persons working, residing, or passing within a distance of one hundred (100) yards from the place of such discharge.

2. *Pegs, posts, and all mining plant and easements protected.*—No person shall remove, injure, destroy, or deface any posts, pegs, logs, fence, notices, or any mining plant of whatsoever description without permission from the owner of the claim on which they may be situated.

3. *Forms, &c.*—For the purposes of this bye-law, all printed forms, schedules, or other documents appertaining to them shall be issued in triplicate, two copies of which shall be filed in the proper offices, and one retained by the person requiring it. In the district mining registrar's office it shall be necessary only to issue such forms, schedules, documents, &c., in duplicate.

4. *Making of crossing-places.*—Where any two (2) or more miners are desirous of forming a road, or bridge, or crossing-place over or across any gully, creek, reef, or claim, they shall be at liberty to do so. Provided, however, that no such road or crossing-place shall be made over or through any mining claim unless compensation for damage or loss shall be immediately paid or tendered to the owners thereof; and provided further, that such road, bridge, or crossing-place shall be of a breadth, when practicable, of not less than fifteen (15) feet, and be so constructed that no injury shall accrue to any drain, creek, or culvert passing under it.

5. *Transfers.*—Any interest held under this bye-law may be transferred in the form of Schedule eleven (11) hereunto annexed.

6. *Protection of private roads.*—No person shall dig within a distance of five (5) feet from the nearest wheel-track of any private road used for mining purposes, or drive underneath the same, unless the drive shall be more than ten (10) feet beneath the surface of the road, nor shall any person interfere in any way with any such road.

7. *Registration of sites, &c.*—All sites for dams, reservoirs, mining plant, or other easements may be registered on application to the mining registrar of the division.

8. *Preparatory work in claims.*—Any miner employed in making necessary preparation for the working of any claim, or employed in the erection of machinery in connection with the same, shall be deemed as working the claim.

9. *Claims not forfeited by neglect of hired workmen or tributors.*—No miner holding a claim or portion thereof, or share or interest therein, who employs hired labor, and no miner holding a claim or interest therein, where the claim or a portion thereof is let on tribute, that is to say, when a portion of the gross or net proceeds of the claim (as the case may be) is agreed upon to be returned by the tributor or tributors to the owner or owners of the claim by way of tribute rent or royalty, shall be deemed to have forfeited his right, title, or interest in the same through any neglect, absence, or omission on the part of any workman thereon employed by him, nor by the neglect, absence, or omission of any tributor to whom the claim or a portion thereof is let on tribute.

And the owner or owners of any claim let on tribute as aforesaid shall be deemed to be working the same in a *bona fide* manner as much as if they employed hired workmen for that purpose, and shall enjoy all the rights, privileges, and exemptions contained in the bye-laws now in force. Provided always that any such neglect shall not extend over a period of twenty-eight (28) days; but in the event of the neglect extending over that period, then any such claim shall be liable to forfeiture whether the owner or owners be acquainted with such neglect or not.

10. *Registration of shares in claims held under tribute.*—It shall be competent for any miner or miners having a tribute share or interest in any claim or claims to register such share or interest at the office of any local registrar in the same manner as any ordinary claim.

11. *Justifiable absence.*—No miner shall forfeit his claim or share in a claim who may be absent from the same from the twenty-fourth (24th) day of December in any one year to the fifth (5th) day of January in the following year, or on any general holiday, or through sickness of himself or family, or through attending a court of justice or a mining board, or being a volunteer and absent in obedience to an order received from his commanding officer.

12. *Lien clause.*—The holder or holders of any registered claim (whether quartz or alluvial), or of any share or interest therein, may grant a lien upon the same to any person or persons as security for the payment of any debt or liability which he or they may have contracted; and upon the production to the registrar of the register, or transfer, or certificate by which the intending lienor holds such share, claim, or interest intended to be made subject to such lien, and of the lienor's miner's right, and upon the execution of a lien ticket by the lienor and hencee in the form of Schedule No. 1, the said registrar shall register the said lien, and after making such registration, he (the registrar) shall issue to the licensee a duplicate of the lien ticket, and shall inscribe on the register or transfer ticket, or certificate of the lienor, the date and amount of the lien, and the name of the licensee. And every such lien so effected shall be a specific charge upon the subject of such lien; and when more than one (1) lien shall be effected on the same subject, each lien shall take precedence according to their respective dates. Provided that the registrar shall cancel any lien on any claim, share, or interest upon the lienor delivering to the said registrar a certificate from the licensee to the effect that such debt or liability for which such lien was granted has been discharged.

13. *Time within which surveys shall be made.*—That upon an application for a survey being made by any miner or miners to an authorized mining surveyor, and upon the requisite fee having been deposited, it shall be the duty of the surveyor to make the same or cause it to be made within fourteen (14) days from the date of application.

14. *Interests may cross each other.*—It shall be lawful for any miner to take up and hold any alluvial claim across any quartz claim already occupied, and *vice versa*, but no alluvial mining shall be carried on within a distance of twenty (20) feet of any quartz workings.

15. *Auriferous earth, quartz, &c., may be stacked and registered.*—Any person or persons having forfeited or abandoned any quartz or gold workings shall be at liberty to retain possession of any quartz, stones, cement, tailings, or other substance containing gold (the produce of such workings) that may have been raised at the time of forfeiture or abandonment, provided such quartz, stone, cement, tailings, or other substance shall be stacked and registered within seven (7) days after such abandonment or forfeiture, and the registrar shall, on application being made, to him, register an exemption for the same for a period not exceeding twelve (12) months, and issue a certificate stating where the said quartz, stone, cement, tailings, or other substance is situated, the period for which it is exempted or protected, and the name or names of the owners thereof. Such certificate shall be in the form of Schedule 2 so far as it is applicable, and when such certificate has been obtained, the owners shall cause a board to be posted in a conspicuous place on the quartz or other substance stacked, with the letter B and the number and date of such certificate legibly painted thereon. At the end of such period of exemption or protection the owner of such quartz, stone, cement, tailings, or other substance may be ordered to remove the same at the instance of any miner applying to be put in possession for mining purposes of the ground on which it was stacked.

SECTION IV.—ALLUVIAL CLAIMS.

1. *Claims to be properly marked.*—All alluvial claims taken up or occupied under this bye-law shall be marked as follows, that is to say:—In alluvial ground the claim shall be marked by substantial pegs standing at each corner of the claim at least one (1) foot above the surface of the ground, and in addition an angular trench at least six (6) inches in depth and three (3) feet in length to be cut at each corner of the claim.

2. *Prevention of accidents.*—Any miner working in alluvial ground a claim within twenty (20) feet of any public road or ordinary crossing-place shall enclose any shaft or excavation which he shall make upon such claim by an embankment or other fence at least four (4) feet in height, so as to afford thereby a reasonable security against accidents to passengers; and no person shall, without previously filling up such shaft or excavation, destroy or remove any such fence or embankment or portion thereof.

3. *Extent of ordinary block claims.*—The greatest extent of ground that miners shall be entitled to mark off and hold as claims shall be as follows, viz:—

	Feet.	Feet.	Sq. Feet.
One miner shall be entitled to	35	x 35	or area of 1,225
Two " " "	50	x 50	" 2,500
Three " " "	60	x 60	" 3,600
Four " " "	70	x 70	" 4,900

But whenever the extent of sinking shall exceed fifty (50) feet the greatest extent of ground for—

	Feet.	Feet.	Sq. Feet.
Two men shall be	70	x 70	or an area of 4,900
Three " " "	85	x 85	" 7,225
Four " " "	100	x 100	" 10,000

And when the ground is wet and the sinking exceeds twenty (20) feet the greatest extent of ground for—

	Feet.	Feet.	Sq. Feet.
Two men shall be	80	x 80	or an area of 6,400
Three " " "	95	x 95	" 9,025
Four " " "	110	x 110	" 12,100

As far as practicable all claims under this clause shall be marked off in a rectangular form, the length of the same in any case not to exceed twice the breadth. Any claim taken up under this clause must be worked with the number of men entitled to hold the same either by owners or their representatives.

4. *Size of prospecting claims.*—Prospectors shall be entitled to an extent of claim as specified in the following table:—

FOR DISCOVERING A NEW LEAD.

Exceeding two hundred and fifty (250) yards and less than one (1) mile distant from any established lead	Sixty-five (65) yards on the supposed lead by a width of two hundred (200) yards.
One (1) mile and less than three (3) miles	One hundred (100) yards by two hundred (200) yards
Three (3) miles and less than five (5) miles	One hundred and fifty (150) yards by two hundred and fifty (250) yards
Five (5) miles or any greater distance	Two hundred (200) yards by three hundred (300) yards

Such distance to be reckoned from the nearest point thereto of any existing alluvial gold-workings.

FOR DISCOVERING A LOST OR ABANDONED LEAD.

In dry sinking	Fifty (50) yards by one hundred (100) yards.
In wet sinking	One hundred (100) yards by two hundred (200) yards.

5. *Sinking ahead of an established lead.*—Any party sinking not less than two hundred and fifty (250) yards distant from the

nearest boundary-line of any claim bottomed or at work (at the time of commencing to sink) shall be entitled to a claim—

In dry sinking ...	...	Fifty (50) yards by one hundred (100) yards.
In wet sinking ...	...	One hundred (100) yards by two hundred (200) yards.

6. *Prospectors must register their claims and report the discovery of payable gold.*—Prospectors on discovering payable gold shall within seven (7) days report the same, and make application, in the form of Schedule 4, to the registrar of the division or subdivision in which such discovery is made, and register the claim and post a notice outside the registrar's office stating the locality in which such claim is situated. Prospectors not complying with the aforesaid conditions shall only be entitled to an ordinary claim.

7. *Claims may be amalgamated.*—In wet ground the holders of any number of adjoining claims, not exceeding four (4), may amalgamate the same by posting, on some conspicuous place near the centres of such claims, a notice, in writing, containing the number of claims amalgamated and the name of each shareholder, which notice must be kept posted until a shaft has been bottomed in any of such claims; the working of any one of the said amalgamated claims until then shall be deemed a working of the whole; after which the full number of men necessary to hold each claim separately must be employed thereon, and such amalgamated claims shall be worked every working day whilst sinking by at least two (2) miners.

8. *Co-operative claims.*—It shall be lawful for any number of miners to combine together in the use of steam machinery for the working of previously worked wet alluvial ground, and to hold any quantity of that ground not exceeding twenty (20) acres. Provided, however, that when the horse-power of the steam-engine or engines used on such claim shall not amount to fifteen (15) horse-power, such claim shall not exceed ten (10) acres. Provided also that any such miners, not employing at least five (5) horse-power, shall not be entitled to hold more than five (5) acres. And provided that in all such claims at least one (1) man to every acre shall be constantly employed during the ordinary working hours. Provided that in all such cases claims shall be taken possession of only upon being laid out and surveyed by a mining surveyor, and the expenses of such survey shall be defrayed by the applicant.

9. *Shepherding claims.*—On the day on which any claim shall be taken possession of not less than one-half (½) the shareholders must remain thereon for two (2) consecutive hours, viz., from nine (9) of the clock a.m. to eleven (11) of the clock a.m., and on every succeeding day each shareholder or his representative in such claim must (except prevented through sickness, or any public holiday) be present thereon during the term above-mentioned until work is commenced and continued in a *bona fide* manner. No share or interest in any claim being shepherded shall, under any circumstances, become liable to forfeiture unless through absence from such claim during the hours specified above.

10. *Alluvial claims (forfeited).*—If any miner or miners shall neglect to work or cause to be worked his or their claim or claims, after the shaft thereon has been bottomed, for a longer period than ninety-six (96) consecutive hours, his or their claim or claims shall be deemed forfeited, unless, in case of dispute, he or they can justify such neglect under any of the provisions of the bye-law.

11. *Exempted alluvial claims in wet ground.*—The owner of any wet alluvial claim held under this bye-law, and in which a shaft of not less than fifty (50) feet deep from grass to bed rock has been sunk, not being a puddler's claim, shall be exempted from working the same for a period of one (1) month from the date that *bona fide* work ceased. Provided that the owner of such claim shall immediately acquaint the mining registrar of the division of the cessation of work; and the mining registrar shall keep a record of the same, and issue a certificate of exemption in the form of Schedule 2 hereunto annexed; and the said owner shall post up a notice on a conspicuous part of the claim, with the number and date of such record and the letter E painted legibly thereon.

SECTION V.—QUARTZ WORKINGS.

1. *Marking of quartz claims.*—All quartz claims shall be marked by substantial posts at least three (3) inches in thickness and standing three (3) feet above the surface, and in addition an angular trench at least six (6) inches in depth and three (3) feet in length to be cut at each corner of the claim; and all such posts and trenches shall be maintained free from any rubbish or soil, so as to be readily observed.

2. *Extent of ordinary claim.*—Any one or more miners shall be entitled to hold more than one claim on any line of reef, but such claim shall not exceed one hundred (100) yards in length by a width at right angles to the supposed line of reef of one hundred and fifty (150) yards. Provided the right to any such claim shall not be taken to include a right to any alluvial deposits that may exist within the boundaries of the same. And further, that not less than two (2) miners or workmen shall be kept regularly employed upon or at work in connection with any such claim.

3. *Prospecting.*—When any miner may be desirous of searching for any new lode or vein of quartz or the continuation of any discovered vein, he shall be entitled to mark off and occupy a claim not exceeding two hundred (200) yards in length on the supposed line of reef by a width at right angles to said line not exceeding one hundred and fifty (150) yards. Provided the boundary of such claim be not within the distance of four hundred (400) yards from the nearest boundary of any claim occupied upon the supposed line of reef. Provided further, that any claim taken up under this clause shall be worked in a *bona fide* manner, by not less than two (2) miners, during the ordinary hours of labor for a period of six (6) months; but the holder of any claim under this clause shall, if the same has been worked in accordance

therewith, be entitled to an exemption for a period of three (3) months at the end of every six (6) months' *bona fide* work executed, having previously obtained registration thereof. Provided also, that the occupant of any such increased claim shall, within seven (7) days after the marking thereof, report the particulars to the mining registrar of the division or subdivision wherein the said claim is situated, and obtain registration thereof. And further, on the discovery of any such payable reef aforesaid, the said occupant shall defray the expenses of surveying the claim, with the view of laying down the definite bearing of his said reef.

4. *Temporary amalgamation of quartz claims.*—It shall be lawful for the owners of any number of adjoining claims on the same line of reef, such claims having been sunk below the known datum water-level, and the aggregate length of which said claims, taken together, shall not exceed two hundred and forty (240) yards, to amalgamate such claims temporarily for the purpose of mining in search of any lode or supposed lode at their joint expense and under their joint management, until the discovery of a payable auriferous lode shall be effected; and under the aforesaid circumstances, and until such discovery, the *bona fide* working of any one (1) such amalgamated claims shall be deemed a legal working of the whole of them. And it shall be lawful for any owner of a claim so amalgamated to hold the same unworked if he shall pay to the owner of the working claim a weekly contribution as may be agreed upon. But the owner or owners of any claims amalgamated and contributed for, and so held unworked, shall be bound to work the same as if no amalgamations had taken place, within one (1) month from the day upon which such mining ceased to be carried on. And the proprietors of any shaft upon such amalgamated claims, or the owners of any prospecting shaft receiving any such contribution, shall post up on each shaft and at all times maintain a ticket containing a list legibly written of the number of such claims amalgamated or paying in the length of each claim respectively, and the name of the owners thereof. And the miners working at any such shaft shall in addition at all times give such information respecting any contributing claim as shall be required of them by any miner, and the owner of the claim to which contributions are paid, or in which the work is carried on, shall immediately after such amalgamation lodge with the registrar of the division wherein the said amalgamated claims are situated a memorial in the form of Schedule 6 hereunto annexed. Provided, however, that it shall not be lawful for any claimholder to let his claim stand unworked under this clause so as in any manner to interfere with any bye-law enacted by the mining board for the drainage of wet reefs.

5. *Special claims.*—For the better and more economical working of quartz, it shall be lawful for any miner or miners to take up a quartz claim on any line of reef exceeding eighty (80) yards and not exceeding three hundred and twenty (320) yards in length, by a width not exceeding one hundred and fifty (150) yards, subject to the following special conditions:—That the owners of any such claim shall, within forty-eight (48) hours after marking off, commence to work the claim in a *bona fide* manner, and shall for the first six (6) months thereafter, or until payable gold shall be obtained, keep constantly employed thereon every lawful day not less than two (2) men, after which, and so long as they continue to hold it, not less than one (1) man for every forty (40) yards in length or portion thereof. The erection of machinery for the working of the claim shall be deemed equivalent to manual labor in the following ratio:—One hundred and fifty pounds (£150) shall be deemed equivalent to the labor of one (1) miner for one (1) year, and in a like ratio for every One hundred and fifty pounds (£150) expended *bona fide* for the same purpose in any year, and the net cost of all machinery erected, or in conjunction with such claim, may be assessed by a competent surveyor or engineer, and a statutory declaration to such effect, with the amount of capital expended on such machinery specified therein, shall be lodged with the mining registrar. That such sum expended in machinery which, at the rate of Ten per cent. per annum, would produce an interest of One hundred and fifty pounds (£150) sterling a year is to be equivalent to the labor of one (1) man, and so in like ratio as hereinbefore provided. Provided that the owner of any such claim shall be entitled to exemption from the aforesaid labor basis for one (1) month for each six (6) months' labor continuously done, such exemption to be recorded in manner as provided for in Schedule 2. And every owner of a claim held under this clause shall, upon discovery of payable gold, cause such claim to be surveyed by a Government mining surveyor, and the plan of the same shall be lodged with the mining registrar, and a duplicate thereof delivered to the owner of such claim. The bearings of such surveys to be taken from some previous survey, or, where that may be impracticable, from some defined point. But in the event of the conditions imposed by this clause not being fulfilled, any claim held under the same shall be liable to forfeiture, and such forfeiture may be enforced by any duly qualified miner before any warden or warden and assessors; and in the event of such forfeiture being decreed, the miner enforcing such forfeiture will have the preference of being put into possession of such forfeited claim, and a prior right to the same as against any other person. Provided that, when a claim is declared forfeited, it shall be lawful to have any road, shaft, drives, timber, mining plant, or other materials absolutely beneficial to the applicant, valued by a mining surveyor, and that the amount of such valuation (if any), together with the costs of estimating such value, shall, within forty-eight (48) hours, be paid or tendered to the original owner; and such payment or tender of payment shall be a condition precedent to putting the applicant in possession of such claim.

6. *Exemption of ordinary quartz claims.*—The owner of any ordinary quartz claim in which six (6) months' *bona fide* work or upwards has been done shall be entitled to be exempted from working the same for a period of three (3) months from the date on which such work ceased; provided that the said owner shall, within three (3) days of the commencement of such period of

exemption, lodge with the registrar of the division wherein the claim is situated an application in the form of Schedule 2 hereunto annexed, and headed "Exemption Certificate;" and the registrar shall thereupon issue to the aforesaid owner a certificate; and the said owner shall post up a notice on a conspicuous part of the claim, with the number and date of such certificate and the letter E legibly painted thereon.

7. *Forfeiture of claims.*—The owner or owners of any claim other than a special claim neglecting to work or to cause the same to be worked with the full number of men required to be employed on any such claim by the section under which such claim is held, or neglecting to work the same for a period of ninety-six (96) consecutive hours, shall forfeit all right, title, and interest in such claim, and such forfeiture may be enforced by any duly qualified miner before any warden or warden and assessors; and in the event of such forfeiture being decreed; the miner enforcing such forfeiture will have the preference of being put in possession of such forfeited claims, and a prior right to the same as against any other person. Provided that when a claim is declared forfeited, it shall be lawful to have any road, shaft, drives, timber, mining plant, or other materials absolutely beneficial to the applicant, valued by a mining surveyor, and that the amount of said valuation (if any), together with the cost of estimating such value, shall, within forty-eight (48) hours, be paid or tendered to the original owner; and such payment or tender of payment shall be a condition precedent to putting the applicant in possession of such claim. But no suit in law or equity shall be had or taken under this clause after the resumption of work by the latest registered holder.

8. *Claims may be declared abandoned.*—Any quartz claim unworked for one (1) calendar month when the workings are dry, or three (3) calendar months when the workings are wet, from the date on which *bona fide* work ceased in such claim, or from the date of expiration of period of exemption shall be deemed to be abandoned, and may without any adjudication of forfeiture or abandonment be taken up and registered as a claim in accordance with the bye-laws by any holder of a miner's right, but subject, nevertheless, to the rights (if any still subsisting) of any previous occupant of such ground.

9. *Amalgamated claims, or when labor is found to be inadequate.*—It shall be lawful for the owners of any number of adjacent quartz claims which cannot be worked by manual labor, and the length of which in the aggregate shall not exceed three hundred and twenty (320) yards, and any one of such claims having worked two hundred and twenty (220) feet below the surface or to the original water level, to amalgamate their claims into one area, which shall be called a working area, so that such amalgamated claims may be worked from one (1) main shaft and drives, and the working of any one (1) of such amalgamated claims shall be considered equivalent to working the whole of said claims. Or the said claimholders may permanently amalgamate their interests in the said claims, which shall then be registered and held under the same conditions as a special claim (clause 5) under this section. (5.) Provided always that there shall be one (1) miner employed to every eighty (80) lineal yards contained within such area, and also that such an amalgamation as aforesaid shall not in any way invalidate or interfere with any right, title, or interest of any claimholders or part claimholders that may have existed prior to its formation. But no working area shall be considered legally formed until a survey and plans have been made showing the boundaries of all the claims proposed to be amalgamated within said area. And further, the holders of any claim may withdraw the same from any working area three (3) months after they have given to the mining registrar and to the manager of the area notice in writing of their intention so to do. Provided that the said claimholders shall have paid their share of all the expenses incurred, and of all the expenses they have agreed to incur by the execution of any work that they have consented to have done for the benefit of the whole of the said area; but the withdrawal of any claim from any working area shall not deprive the owners of the claims which have not been withdrawn from the free use of any shafts or drives in the said withdrawn claims that may have been made at the joint expense of the claimholders within the said area.

The plans of all working areas shall be left in charge of the mining registrar, who shall certify the withdrawal of any claim by writing across the face of the said claim as shown on said deposited plan.

10. *Claims to be registered.*—Every owner or part owner of a claim held by "miner's right" under this section shall, within seven (7) days after first becoming possessed of the same, cause his or their interest in the claim to be registered in a book to be kept for that purpose by the mining registrar, and no miner shall be deemed to be legally in possession of any claim or share in any such claim until such claim or share as aforesaid has been so registered; and no transfer made of any claim or share in such claim by transferrors, though in legal possession, shall be deemed a legal transfer unless such transfer has been duly registered by the registrar of the division in which the claim sought to be transferred is situated; and when any claim or share in any such claim has been transferred, and the transfer duly registered, the registrar shall certify the same by signing his name across the face of the transfer ticket and affixing the day and date. All claims to be numbered consecutively as they are registered, and the registrar shall issue to each applicant for registration a certificate in the form set forth in Schedule 3 annexed, and shall keep a duplicate copy of the same. This clause shall not apply to any claims situated ten (10) miles or more from the nearest mining registrar's office. Provided always, the owners of any claim situated a further distance off may avail themselves of said clause should they deem it advisable.

11. *For defining and fixing the boundaries of quartz claims.*—The owner of any quartz claims other than prospecting claims may, for the better identification of their respective claims, cause the same to be surveyed by the mining surveyor, who shall make a plan of the same, showing the area and boundaries, and shall connect each claim with one fixed point, and the said surveyor

shall issue to the owner whose claim he has surveyed a sketch or duplicate of the plans made. And such mining surveyor shall make, and always maintain at the registrar's office, a plan of each line of reef within his division, or within such portion of a division as may be allotted to him, on a scale not more than twenty (20) yards to the inch; and such plans shall be called office plans, and shall be kept in conspicuous places in the registrar's office, and shall at all times be accessible for inspection by the public; and in the event of no objection being raised by any miner, the said surveyor shall enter such survey in the office plan to which it respectively belongs within fourteen (14) days after such survey has been made. And further, the said surveyor shall, at the time of making such surveys as aforesaid, afford every facility for adjoining claimholders to ascertain whether any encroachment is being made; and any miner deeming that an encroachment has been made may lodge an objection with the warden against the survey, and shall lodge a copy of such objection with the registrar of the division; but no such objection shall hold good unless made within fourteen (14) days after the survey has been made. And no survey objected to shall be entered on the office plan until all objections made have been heard and set aside; and the fact of any such claim surveyed as aforesaid being entered on any such office plan shall be deemed good and conclusive evidence that such claim, with such boundaries as are therein set forth, was at the time of the survey legally in possession of the aforesaid owner, unless direct evidence can be brought showing that mistakes have occurred. And in the event of any such owner being desirous of having his boundaries altered, he may mark off the claim temporarily in such altered form as he may require, and shall, within three (3) days thereafter, lodge with the registrar an application for re-survey; and when such re-survey shall have been made and the alterations entered on the office plan as aforesaid, the boundaries shown in such survey shall be deemed the boundaries of such claim.

12. *Shafts shall be made safe for the public.*—Any miner who may sink a shaft or make an excavation upon his claim in search of auriferous quartz within twenty (20) feet of any public road or ordinary crossing-place shall substantially fence or embank in such shaft or excavation to the height of at least four (4) feet, and maintain the same during the occupancy of such claim. No person shall destroy or remove any such fence or embankment or any portion thereof without previously filling up such shaft or excavation.

SECTION VI.

1. *Machinery sites.*—Any person or persons may take possession of and occupy a site upon which to erect machinery for the purpose of crushing or extracting gold or other metals from quartz, cement, pyrites, or any similar substance connected with mining, any extent of unoccupied Crown lands not exceeding three (3) acres, the length thereof in no case to exceed twice the breadth. Provided such site be not on any known reef, or within fifty (50) yards of any known reef, and does not interfere with residence sites or any existing rights to the said land in that locality.

2. *Application.*—The applicant for a machinery site shall, as far as practicable, in the first place, erect posts at each angle of the ground, for the purpose of defining, as nearly as possible, the boundaries of such site, such posts to be six (6) inches square and standing three (3) feet above the ground, each post to have a metal plate on it, with the words "Applied for machinery site," with the name of the applicant painted thereon, such notice to be maintained, as far as practicable, until the date of registration of such site; and the applicant shall, within forty-eight (48) hours after marking out such site, leave with the mining registrar a notice in the form of the schedule hereunto annexed numbered 8, and publish a copy of such notice in any newspaper published or circulating in the division in which the site is situated, giving, as far as practicable, the exact position of the ground applied for.

3. *Survey and registration.*—The applicant shall then cause the site to be surveyed by the mining surveyor appointed to make surveys under the bye-laws for the division in which such machinery site is situated, and shall, upon the expiration of twenty-one (21) days of the first marking out of the site, lodge a plan of it with the mining registrar, and register such site and the owners thereof in the same way that claims and shares therein are registered; and the mining registrar shall issue certificates of the same in the form of No. 9 hereunto attached.

4. *Exemption.*—The applicants or registered owners of any machinery site shall be allowed six (6) months for the erection of their machinery, after which, if having worked their machinery for any period not less than six (6) months for any of the purposes named in the bye-law, they may, on application to the registrar, obtain exemption for the same for a period of six (6) months from the date of ceasing to work, and the registrar shall issue an exemption certificate in the form of Schedule No. 2, hereunto annexed.

5. *Forfeiture.*—Two months after ceasing to work the machinery for which any machinery site has been obtained, without having the same exempted, or seven (7) days after period of exemption has expired, without work being resumed, such site may by the warden be declared abandoned; or if the owners or applicants of any machinery site should fail to erect the machinery for which the site was obtained within six (6) months after the first marking out such site, on the application of any miner it may by the warden be declared abandoned, and on such declaration being made the first applicant may be put in possession of the same without having to pay compensation to former owners. Provided that the former owners shall be allowed two (2) months from the date of such declaration to remove any machinery they may have erected on the said site. But no machinery site shall be declared abandoned if the machinery be in perfect working order and cannot be worked through want of water or such material to crush for which the site was granted, or from other and sufficient cause proved before a warden.

SECTION VII.—PUDDLING AND CEMENT CRUSHING.

1. *Machines not to be placed on workable ground.*—No race, dam, dam-bank, machine, roadway, waterhole, or water shall be made, placed, formed, or collected upon auriferous ground, nor in such a position as to prevent or hinder any miner from taking out auriferous earth, quartz, or other substance, and the owner of any such race, dam, dam-bank, machine, waterhole, or water so situated, shall be compelled to remove the same. Provided always, that no such owner shall be compelled to remove the same until compensation for such removal shall have been paid or tendered to him by the miner or miners seeking to enforce such removal, and the amount of compensation to be determined by the warden.

2. *Dams, machines, &c., authorized.*—Any miner may form a dam, well, or waterhole, or erect a puddling machine, but so as not to prejudice the rights of any other person under this bye-law or otherwise, provided that such miner shall first personally serve upon the owners (or persons in charge) of two (2) machines or registered dams nearest to the site required a notice in the form prescribed in Schedule 5 annexed, provided such machines are not more than half (½) a mile distant from the said site; and in case there should not be so many as two (2) machines or registered dams within the said distance, then upon any storekeeper or smith residing within the distance aforesaid; or if there be none such, then upon any miner or miners working nearest to such site. And the applicant shall, if required by any person upon whom such notice is served, go to and point out to such person the exact position of such site. Any person to whom such notice is tendered (if tendered in accordance with this bye-law) shall insert in writing on the back of same, and in the manner therein prescribed, the date on which it was served upon him, and his approval or objection to the occupation of such site. After the expiration of three (3) clear days from the day of the service of the said notice, but not before, and if within that period no proceedings before a competent tribunal have been taken to prevent the formation or erection proposed, the person who has served the said notice may, but subject to the provisions of clause three (3) of this section, proceed with such formation or erection. If any such proceedings be taken, then after their determination in favor of the person who has served the notice, and after the lapse of the said three (3) days, and subject as aforesaid, such person may so proceed. On compliance with the aforesaid conditions, applications shall be made to the registrar, who shall register such site and issue a certificate in the form of Schedule 7, and no miner shall be deemed to be legally in possession of any site until such site has been so registered.

3. *Sites of dams, &c., to be surveyed.*—No person shall obtain the grant of a site for a puddling mill, dam, or easements therewith, save upon the survey and report made by a mining surveyor, and the said surveyor shall see that a notice has been received by the persons named in and in accordance with clause 2 of this section before making the survey, and shall give a copy of his report and plans of said site to the applicant; and also the said surveyor shall, on making such plan, connect the site of the proposed mill or dam, &c., with some point so as to secure its identity.

4. *Claims when exempted.*—When any miner is engaged in the erection of steam or horse machinery for puddling or crushing cement, it shall be competent for him to mark off the claim which he proposes to occupy in connection with such machinery, and the said claim shall be deemed his claim to occupy in connection with such machinery; but he shall duly work the same within two (2) months after the so marking it off; and when any miner, notwithstanding proper precautions on his part, shall be, through the want of water, unable to work his claim, he shall not forfeit the same nor any portion thereof on that account. And this clause further provides that it shall be competent for any miner, upon giving notice to the registrar of the division, to obtain three (3) months' exemption in any one (1) year, provided three (3) months' bona fide work shall have been done upon the claim immediately preceding the application for such exemption, such application to be made in accordance with Schedule 2 hereunto annexed, and the registrar shall thereupon issue to the aforesaid miner a certificate, and the said miner shall post up a notice on a conspicuous part of the claim, with the number and date of such certificate and the letter E legibly painted thereon.

5. *Changing a road.*—If any miner be desirous to change the direction of any private road, he shall, for a period of seven (7) days previous to such change, affix a notice of such desire in a conspicuous place in such road.

6. *Machines, &c., not to be too close to roads.*—No puddling or crushing machine of any description shall be placed within the distance of fifteen (15) feet from the edge of any road or crossing-place in use.

7. *Sludge and water to be kept off roads.*—No person shall allow any water or sludge flowing from his mill, dam, or machine to run or spread over any road, footpath, or crossing-place in common use, unless the same shall be in an authorized drain.

8. *Dams, &c., to be properly made.*—When any person shall receive authority under this section to make any waterhole or dam, he shall excavate the earth to the depth of twelve (12) feet, unless the bed rock lies nearer to the surface, in which latter case the said dam or waterhole shall be excavated to the rock.

9. *Dams not to be made near reefs.*—No waterhole, race, or dam shall be made by any miner within the distance of twenty (20) yards from the line of any quartz workings; and the removal or alteration of any race, waterhole, or dam respectively, which is proved to discharge water into any underground workings, may be made on payment of such sum of money as may be deemed equitable to be paid by the person benefited to the owner of the said waterhole or dam; and any such removal or alteration of any such race or dam shall be effected in such manner as may be directed by the warden of the district.

10. *Water not to be taken from dams.*—No person shall, without the consent of the owner thereof, take away or make use of any water which may be in any duly authorized waterhole or dam,

nor shall any person drive or allow his or their cattle into any such hole or dam, but any person may carry water therefrom for domestic purposes only. Provided, however, that it shall be lawful for any person to take water from any dam or waterhole when such dam or waterhole shall have been (under the provisions of this section) unused for the purposes intended for a period of three (3) months.

11. *Forfeiture of puddling dams, &c., by neglect to use them.*—The owner of any dam, waterhole, well, or site of machine neglecting or discontinuing the use of the same in connection with his own mining operations for a period of six (6) months, except in the case of want of water, shall thereby forfeit all right, title, and interest therein.

12. *Puddlers or others not to pump water from other miners.*—No puddler or other person shall pump, take away, or damage any water which may be in any unregistered waterhole or excavation of any kind, if any other miner shall be at work at such waterhole or excavation and require the water for puddling purposes, unless such puddler or other person shall have previously obtained the consent of such miner or other competent authority.

13. *Machines, &c., obstructing creeks.*—It shall not be lawful for any person to hold or place any machine, dam, waterhole, bank washing stuff, or building of any kind so as to impede the passage of water or sludge in any channel or creek within the district in which mining operations are carried on, or within the distance of fifteen (15) feet from the edge of any channel or creek as aforesaid.

14. *Drains for machines, &c., to be made.*—The owner or occupier of any machine or claim which discharges sludge or water shall, if necessary, under the direction and subject to the approval of the superintendent of drains for the time being, make, for the proper conveyance of such sludge or water to the main drain of the gully or flat in which such machine is situated, a good and sufficient drain; and every such private drain shall be excavated and made as nearly as possible to the same depth as that of the main drain into which it shall discharge and join; and when in any branch gully there shall be no proper main drain, then such private drain shall, subject and under like direction, be made and united in the manner most convenient to the private drain of any other machines in the same gully; and the owner of such private drain shall at all times maintain the same in good order and free from obstruction.

15. *Making drains across roads, &c.*—Any person who may enjoy the use of any drain crossing any road or footpath, or who may be desirous to make any drain of any kind across any road or footpath, shall make or hold such drain only upon obtaining permission from the owner of said road or footpath or other competent authority; and such drains, and the bridges in connection therewith, shall be constructed and kept in repair by the owner of such drains.

16. *Protection of sludge or water drains and reservoirs.*—No person shall, in any way whatsoever, interfere with any private or public sludge or water channel without the written authority of the owner or superintendent of sludge and water drains. But it shall be lawful for the superintendent, or any one authorized by the board, to mark off and hold certain areas, to be called sludge or tailing reservoirs, for the more convenient depositing of the sludge or tailings flowing from puddling, quartz crushing, or other machines; such areas to be marked by posts three (3) inches in thickness, and standing three (3) feet above the surface of the ground, with the words painted, thereon "Sludge" or "Tailing reservoir."

17. *Puddling and cement crushing.*—In all partially worked and unoccupied ground where horse machinery is employed, any miner or miners employing not less than two (2) men to each machine, shall be entitled to hold one (1) acre in not more than two (2) blocks to each machine, exclusive of the site of his or their mill where the ground exceeds 20 feet in depth two (2) acres, and where steam machinery is employed three (3) acres, which may be taken up in not more than two (2) blocks, the working of either of which shall be deemed a working of the claim. Provided that no such claim be allowed on any goldfield until after the expiration of twelve (12) months from the date of the day on which the prospecting claim of such goldfield was allowed, and any such claim left unworked for ninety-six (96) consecutive hours (except in the case of want of water) shall be declared forfeited.

SECTION VIII.

1. *Rules and regulations for mining partnership.*—In any mining partnership or company formed for the purpose of extracting gold from any claim held under miner's right, where the rules and regulations of the said company shall not otherwise provide, or where the said company shall not have any rules and regulations in writing, the rights and privileges of the several members shall be held and enjoyed subject to the following rules and regulations:—

The decision of a majority of shareholders in number and value shall (subject to any bye-law made or hereafter to be made by this board) be final on all questions relating to the working of the mine, or the amount of money to be paid by each member into the funds of the company for the purpose of carrying on the works, or for the erection of machinery, or for drainage purposes; provided that each member shall be liable to pay a share of the expenses, and shall be entitled to receive a share of the profits of the company, proportionate to the value of the share held by him. When any call of money shall have been made by a majority as aforesaid of the members of any company for any of the purposes aforesaid, every member shall forthwith pay unto the person appointed to receive the same his part or proportion thereof; and every call shall become due twenty-four (24) hours after the same shall be made. When any member shall make default in payment of any such call for the space of fourteen (14) days next after such call shall have become due, a meeting of the

company shall be called in the same manner as the meetings of the said company have heretofore usually been called, and notice of such meeting, in the form and to the effect hereinafter provided, shall be delivered to the defaulting member, or advertised three (3) clear days in one or more newspapers circulating or published in the division in which the claim is situated before the time of holding such meeting, and such notice shall be signed by the manager or other presiding member of the company. And when said meeting shall be held, if the said defaulting member shall not in the meantime have paid up all arrears due by him, and shall not be present, or, being present, shall not then pay up the amount due, a majority of the members then present, having paid up all arrears, may declare the share or shares of the said defaulting member to be forfeited, and without any further notice to the defaulter, and the said share or shares, with all right, title, or interest to or in any capital, machinery, or other property of the company, shall be forfeited.

Provided always that, when any share or shares have been declared by the said shareholders forfeited, such share or shares shall be put up for sale by public auction, of which previous notice shall be given of at least three (3) succeeding days in some newspaper published or circulating in the division, or if there be no such newspaper, then in two (2) newspapers circulating in the district where the claim is situated, and shall at such sale be sold to the highest bidder; and the proceeds of such sale, after payment of the expenses thereof, shall, so far as they will extend, be appropriated in liquidation of the debt due to the company on such share or shares; the surplus, if any, shall be delivered to the former owner of the said share or shares, and after payment of the expenses of such sale, and of the call or calls due on such share or shares, on his executing to the said company and the shareholders thereof a release of all claims in respect thereof.

The following is the notice referred to:—

To A.B. (the defaulter).

Sir,—You are requested to take notice that a meeting of the company, of which you are a shareholder, will be held at _____ on the _____ day of _____ 18____; at which you are requested to attend.

You are indebted to the company for calls now due over fourteen (14) days, in the sum of £ _____, and unless that sum be paid at or before said meeting your share (or shares) will be forfeited.

G.D.,
Manager or Secretary (as the case may be).

INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

Construction of words and terms.—For the purpose of this bye-law, and any other or others that may be subsequently made, the word "miner" shall also be construed to mean any holder of a miner's right, and the word "machine" to mean any engine, mill, or other apparatus (not being a trough or puddling tub) used in mining or for the purpose of separating gold from any other substance; and throughout this bye-law every word and term used in the singular number or masculine gender only shall be construed equally to imply and include the plural number and females as well as males, unless there be something in the context repugnant to such construction; and the word "warden" shall mean one of Her Majesty's wardens in and for the colony or in and for any district thereof; and "payable quartz or payable gold" shall mean that which shall yield a return after the cost (average wages included) of procuring and crushing or washing twenty (20) tons of material, irrespective of sinking a shaft or putting in drives or levels, or assessments for pumping; and the words "mining registrar" and "registrar" shall mean any officer to be appointed to effect registration of mining interests in this district; and the words "mining surveyor" and "surveyor" shall mean any officer to be appointed to make surveys in accordance with this bye-law; and the word "prospector" shall mean any person or persons engaged in searching for or discovering any new vein of quartz, lost or abandoned lead, or deposit of gold. The term "alluvial claim" shall mean all debris from the surface to the bed rock, and the term "quartz claim" shall mean all the rock or other substance from the bed rock downwards. "Wet sinking" shall mean when not less than three hundred (300) gallons of water shall be required to be drawn in each twenty-four (24) hours for six (6) consecutive days. Wherever the word "month" appears in this bye-law it shall be taken to mean calendar month.

SCALE OF FEES FOR DEFRAYING THE EXPENSES OF REGISTRIES.

	£	s.	d.
Registration of claim, residence area, or site	...	0	2 6
Each share or interest	...	0	1 0
Each transfer of ditto	...	0	2 0
Registration of residence area	...	0	1 6
Annual endorsements upon miners' rights	...	0	1 0
Lien or mortgages, per interest	...	0	5 0
Amalgamated claims, each share therein	...	0	1 0
Exemption or protection certificate	...	0	2 6
Extended ditto	...	0	2 0
Application for dam	...	0	1 0
Business sites	...	0	2 6
Information from registration-book	...	0	1 0
Written extract from ditto	...	0	1 0
Notices, each	...	0	1 0

SECTION IX.—RESIDENCE AREAS.

1. No person shall be entitled to occupy any land as a "residence area" unless such area shall for the time being be registered by the mining registrar or other proper officer, and unless such person shall be registered as the holder of such area and the number of the miner's right or business license by virtue of

which he is entitled to occupy such area is also registered. The extent of a residence or business area shall not exceed one (1) acre, and any such area shall not have a frontage to any road or street or the continuation of any road or street exceeding one hundred and thirty-two feet by a depth of three hundred and thirty feet (132 feet by 330 feet).

2. Any person may be the holder at any one and the same time of not more than one residence area in addition to the residence area on which he may actually reside or on which he may reside and carry on his business, but no person shall be the holder of a residence area situated within a distance of ten miles from any other residence area held by him.

A separate miner's right or business license shall be held for each residence area of which any person may be the holder.

3. A notification of the fact of the registration of any residence area registered after the 1st day of April 1882 shall be endorsed by the mining registrar or other officer on the miner's right or business license by virtue of which such area is held, and a similar endorsement shall be made by the registrar upon any renewal of such right or license.

4. Every holder of a miner's right or business license who is entitled to occupy and does occupy either by himself or his agent any Crown lands for the purpose of residence or of residence and carrying on his business, and who on the 24th day of December 1881 was registered, or before the 31st day of March 1882 shall have become registered, as the holder of such area, shall be entitled to all the rights and privileges by *The Residence Areas Act 1881* conferred on holders of residence areas who have resided thereon for a period of at least twelve months.

Provided that any person who has been in undisturbed occupation by himself or his agent of any residence area for twelve months prior to the 1st day of April 1882 shall be deemed to be a person entitled to occupy within the meaning of this clause.

5. If at any time after the registration of a residence area it shall be proved to the satisfaction of any warden that the person who is registered as the holder thereof is no longer the holder of a miner's right or business license, as the case may be, or that such person has obtained such registration in contravention of any of the provisions of *The Residence Areas Act 1881*, or of *The Mining Statute 1865*, or of any bye-laws of the district, such warden shall in any such case make an order that the registration of such residence area be cancelled, and such registration shall thereupon be cancelled by the mining registrar or other proper officer, and the land so registered shall on such cancellation cease to be a residence area.

6. If at any time after four months from the registration of a residence area it shall be proved to the satisfaction of any warden that there is no habitable dwelling thereon erected, and that there has not been a habitable dwelling thereon erected for a period of at least three consecutive months, such warden shall make an order that the registration of such residence area be cancelled, and such registration shall thereupon be cancelled by the mining registrar or other proper officer, and the land so registered shall on such cancellation cease to be a residence area, and no second registration shall be effected by the same person of the whole or any part of a residence area within a period of six months.

7. Every order as aforesaid and the decision of any warden, whether he will or will not make an order as aforesaid, shall be final; and no such order or decision shall be a bar to any fresh suit before any warden; and no order shall in any case be made or refused until a suit claiming an order for the cancellation of the registration of a residence area shall have been commenced before and heard and determined by such warden in accordance with the provisions of Part II. of *The Mining Statute 1865*, or any Act amending the same.

8. The holder of a residence area and the executors or administrators of any deceased holder shall have, except as against Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, the sole and exclusive right to occupy the surface of such residence area, or to take any proceedings that may be necessary to enable him to keep or recover possession of such surface in like manner so far as is consistent with *The Residence Areas Act 1881*, as if he were the owner of such area in fee simple.

9. The holder of a residence area may at any time after he has resided thereon for a period of at least twelve months let his interest in the occupation of the surface thereof to any person at a monthly or weekly rental, and between such holder and such person there shall exist the same rights as between any landlord and his tenant.

10. The holder of a residence area may at any time after he has resided thereon for a period of at least twelve months sell or transfer his interest in the occupation of the surface of such area to any other holder of a miner's right or business license.

11. No such sale or transfer shall have any force or effect until the fact of such transfer or sale shall be registered by said mining registrar or other proper officer, and the area shall be registered in the name of the person to whom it shall be so sold or transferred, and such person's right or license as the case may be shall be endorsed as hereinbefore provided, and such person shall thenceforth be and be deemed to be the holder of such residence area.

12. In the case of the death of the holder of a residence area before he shall have resided thereon for a period of twelve months, it shall be lawful for the executors or administrators of such deceased holder to sell, transfer, or let the interest in the occupation of the surface of such area, notwithstanding the deceased holder may not have resided for at least twelve months thereon. Provided always that every such sale or transfer shall be in accordance with the provisions of *The Residence Areas Act 1881*.

13. Every residence area shall be and the same is hereby exempted from occupation for mining purposes under any miner's right; subject, however, to the powers conferred upon the

Governor in Council by section 15 of the *The Residence Areas Act 1881*, and to the provisions of that section.

14. Nothing in this clause shall affect the right of any person or company holding a claim under a miner's right at the time of coming into operation of this Act to mine under any residence area that may have heretofore been taken up as a residence area on the surface of such claim so held under a miner's right.

15. *Waterholes for domestic purposes.*—Where any miner or miners or holders of business licenses find it necessary to reserve a waterhole for domestic purposes, the same shall be protected from damage. Provided that, in case of long-continued drought or scarcity of water, the waterholes so protected shall become public property for domestic purposes only. And this clause further provides that any person or persons wishing to protect a waterhole for the above purposes must cause a notice to that effect to be placed on a post alongside of such hole.

SECTION X.—SLUICING.

1. *Definition of claims.*—A single claim shall be such a parcel of land as may, by virtue of one miner's right, be held for sluicing purposes under this bye-law; and a united claim shall be any number of such parcels of land as shall have been taken possession of conjointly, or any number of such parcels of land as shall have been amalgamated, as hereinafter provided.

2. *Mode of marking out claims.*—Any person or persons marking out a claim for sluicing purposes shall proceed as follows:—A post three feet high shall be placed at each angle of the boundary-lines, such posts not to be less than two inches in diameter, and to be firmly fixed in the ground.

3. *Size of claims other than creek claims.*—Sluicing claims, that is, alluvial claims intended to be worked by any sluicing process, either box sluicing, ground sluicing, or otherwise, shall not exceed the following dimensions, viz.:—

50 yards by 100 yards for one man.
100 " " 100 " " two men.
150 " " 100 " " three "
200 " " 100 " " four "

And in all cases claims must be constantly worked in a *bona fide* manner (except where otherwise provided) by the number of men for which they have been taken up.

4. *River and creek claims.*—River and creek claims shall not exceed the following dimensions, viz.:—Seventy (70) yards in the direction of the course of the stream by one hundred (100) yards in width for one man; one hundred and forty (140) yards in the direction of the course of the stream by one hundred (100) yards in width for two men; two hundred and ten (210) yards in the direction of the course of the stream by one hundred (100) yards in width for three men. The width to be taken from the centre of the river or creek equally on each side.

5. *Prospecting claims.*—Any person prospecting by sluicing for new alluvial gold workings within one mile from any place where gold has been obtained, or where any prospecting claim is at the time occupied, shall be allowed to mark off an area of ground equal to a four-men's claim, and hold the same until such time as payable gold may have been discovered, after which, and within seven days of the date of such discovery, the area shall be reduced to the size of a two-men's claim, and registered at the office of the nearest mining registrar.

6. *Amalgamation of claims.*—Any number of claims (not exceeding six) may be amalgamated, and held and worked as one claim, provided always that the number of men necessary to be employed on or in connexion with the claims, if occupied singly, shall be employed on or in connexion with the amalgamated claim, as provided for in clause No. 3.

7. Any claim upon which work having been commenced shall be left unworked for a longer period than seven consecutive days, except as hereinafter provided for, or in which less than the full number of men required by this bye-law have been regularly employed thereon, shall become forfeited; and any such forfeiture may be enforced by any person or persons the holder or holders of miners' rights, in case the owners thereof shall not have resumed work and continue *bona fide* to work thereon at least forty-eight hours before complaint made to the warden and summons issued for the purpose of enforcing the forfeiture thereof.

8. *Exemption from work.*—When any holder of a sluicing claim requires exemption from mining operations, through overflow of water, want of water, breakage of machinery, or from any other sufficient cause, he shall, upon making a statutory declaration as in the form of Schedule A, hereunto annexed, setting forth his reasons for requiring such exemption, be entitled to obtain exemption from the mining registrar of the division in which such claim is situate for a period not exceeding three months, such exemption to be in the form of Schedule B, and after the expiration of such period of exemption work, with the necessary number of men, shall be immediately resumed; and further, no second or subsequent exemption shall be allowed until at least three months' work with the full complement of men shall have been done on the claim from date of the last exemption. In every case of exemption as above, the owner or owners of the claim shall post or cause to be posted on the claim a board not less than ten (10) inches square, with the word "Exempted" distinctly painted thereon, and also the registered number of such exemption.

9. *Exemption from forfeiture.*—1. Notwithstanding the provision made in this bye-law for forfeiture of claims, the lawful occupant of a claim shall not be liable to any penalty, or his claim liable to forfeiture, should he be debarred from working the same from any of the following causes, viz.:—Sickness, or having to attend any court of law, or having to attend his duties as a volunteer in the Volunteer Force of the colony, or from attending to any urgent business, or from absenting himself

from the claim upon any public holiday. 2. No miner or shareholder in a claim who employs hired labor to work the same shall be deemed to have forfeited or abandoned his right, title, or interest in the same through the neglect, absence, or omission on the part of any workman therein employed by him.

10. *Water-races.*—Any person intending to cut or construct a race for sluicing purposes shall mark the proposed course thereof with pegs firmly fixed in the ground, and showing at least one foot above the surface, and at intervals of not less than fifty feet. He shall then register the site with the mining registrar of the division, in the form of Schedule C, but if he shall not within fourteen days from the date of such registration begin to form such race, or, having begun, shall not continue the formation each working day until the completion thereof, he shall forfeit his title to the proposed course of the race, and any applicant may be put in possession of the same by the warden (or other officer appointed to administer this bye-law). Should sluicing be discontinued by the person constructing the race, and should such race be required in the locality for domestic purposes, the original registration shall be sufficient to so protect it from pollution.

11. *Tail-races.*—The holder of any claim using a tail-race in connection with such claim shall be entitled to an area for the site of such tail-race not exceeding one hundred (100) yards in length by a width of twenty-seven feet, for a distance of twenty yards from the upper end of the race, and twelve feet for the remaining portion thereof. Any miner or miners shall be entitled to cut and construct a tail-race, or drain, for mining purposes through any claim or claims held by any other miner or miners, or under, over, or across any other race, tail-race, or drain. Provided always that such first-mentioned race, or tail-race, or drain be cut, constructed, timbered, framed, and formed in such manner as not to injure the claim, race, tail-race, or drain through, across, under, or over which it may be constructed.

12. *Flooding claims.*—No person or persons shall be permitted to construct any embankment of earth or other material the effect of which would be to flood any claim or mining tenement, and no person or persons shall back the water of any river, creek, race, or water-course into or upon any claim, or other mining tenement, or otherwise cause the same to be flooded, wilfully or by neglect.

SCHEDULE A.

I [or we] do solemnly and sincerely declare that I [or we] require to suspend work on my [or our] claim, situated at _____ for the period of three months from the date hereof; and for the following reasons, viz.:—[state reasons.]

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

(Signed)

Declared before me at _____ this _____ day of _____ 18 _____

(Signed)

SCHEDULE B.

Suspension Certificate.

I, _____ Mining Registrar of the _____ division of the Mining District of Sandhurst, have this _____ day of _____, at the hour of _____, for the reasons assigned by him [or them] in his [or their] declaration, produced to me, registered _____ for permission to hold his [or their] claim unworked from the date hereof till the _____ day of _____

(Signed)

Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE C.

For Registration of Races in the _____ division of the Sandhurst Mining District.

Progressive Number.	Hour and day of Registration.	Name of person Registering.	Point at which the Race ends.	Point at which the Race ends.	General Remarks.

Registered this _____ day of _____ 18 _____

(Signed)

Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 1.

[Section 3, clause XII.]

FORM OF LIEN TICKET.

No. _____ of _____, do hereby grant to _____ of _____, lien upon my share numbered _____ in a _____ situated _____ as security for the payment on or before the _____ day of _____, of the sum of £ _____, being the amount due and owing by me to the said _____; and until the sum aforesaid shall have been paid in full I hereby engage and bind myself not to transfer or assign the

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said or any portion thereof without the written consent of the said And I, the said hereby accept the said lien upon the said as security for the payment within the time specified of the aforesaid sum of £ , and upon such payment being made to me I hereby engage and bind myself to release the said

Dated at this day of 18 Miners' rights.

No. Date—

Lienor—

Lienee—

Witness—

The within lien was registered by me this day of 18 , at the hour of o'clock Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 2.

[Section 4, clause 11. Section 5, clause 6. Section 6, clause 4.]
No. EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE.

Mining District of Sandhurst.

Division, Subdivision.

Locality.	Nature of claim, residence, or site.	Name of company.	How long worked since last exemption.	Date of stopping work.	Exemption required for how long from face of stopping work.	If required on special grounds, such as flooding, state them.	No. of claim and remarks.

I certify that the above particulars are correct.

Applicant.

Dated at the Mining Board Registrar's office at this day of 18

Received the above memorial this day of 18 , and certify that the within-named parties are exempted from working the within-named claim, or on machinery site, or residing on said residence area, until the day of 18

Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 3.

[Section 5, clause 10.]

Mining District of Sandhurst.

No.

Date—

Division, Subdivision.

Registered name of claim—	State whether the claim or share sought to be registered was taken up under miner's right or by purchase—
Nature of claim and size (as nearly as possible)—	
Registered number of claim—	If by purchase, state transferor's name and day and date of transfer—
Situation of claim—	
Position (as nearly as possible) with regard to fixed points or known objects—	

I certify that I have this day registered miner's right No. , date , for a in a claim, the particulars of which are inserted above.

Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 4.

[Section 5, clause 3.]

No. Mining District of Sandhurst.

Division.

the undersigned hereby make application for the registration of a prospecting claim in accordance with the bye-law regulating mining in this district, and do solemnly and sincerely declare that the particulars hereunder set forth are true.

Name of application.	Situation of claim.	Depth and nature of claim.	Prospect obtained.

Dated this day of 18

Applicant.

SCHEDULE No. 5.

[Section 7, clause 2.]

No. Mining District of Sandhurst.

Division.

To all whom it may concern.

I hereby give notice that has, on behalf of himself and partners, applied to me to register a site for a in Gully, and that in accordance with clause 2, section VI. of the mining bye-law No. 10 of this district, I have required him to serve this notice. And I require each of you upon whom this notice is served to express to me by signing your name in the proper column on the back of this notice your approval of or objection to such site being granted to the applicant, and also to state the day on which the notice was served upon you; and I caution each of you against unreasonably or vexatiously refusing your consent, lest the cost of hearing the case between the applicant and the objector and for loss of time be imposed upon you.

Registrar.

Sandhurst,

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N.B.—This notice must not be kept more than seven (7) clear days from the day on which service of it is made. The person upon whom this notice is served must, on behalf of himself and partners (if any) signify his approval of or objection to the registration of said site, for if such person refuses to do either, he is liable to be fined Ten pounds (£10) sterling as provided in section 237 of *The Mining Statute 1865*.

Date on which notice was served.	I approve of the application being allowed.	Date on which notice was served.	I disapprove of the application being allowed.

I hereby declare that this notice has been served in the manner and upon the persons prescribed by the bye-law, and that the signatures and date were inserted by them.

Signature of applicant—

SCHEDULE No. 6.

[Section 5, clause 4.]

TEMPORARY AMALGAMATION.

Mining District of Sandhurst.

No.

Division.

Locality.	Number of claims amalgamated or paying in. Length of each claim. Names and addresses of the shareholders, and shares of each.	Working claim.	Amount of contribution per week.	Date of amalgamation or otherwise.	Remarks.

I certify that the above particulars are correct.

(Signed)

Manager or Shareholder of the working claim.

Dated at the Mining Board Registrar's office, at Sandhurst, this day of 18

Received the above memorial this day of 18

(Signed)

Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 7.

[Section 7, clause 2.]

No. Sandhurst Mining District.

Division.

Date—

I hereby certify that I have this day registered for a dam (reservoir), the particulars of which are stated beneath, and that the said is now duly in possession.

Locality.	Names of applicants.	Precise description of situation.	Have the provisions of the bye-laws been observed, as far as you can ascertain?

Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 8.

[Section 6, clause 2.]

NOTICE.

No.

I [or we] hereby give you notice that have marked out a site for machinery in [location] and that it is my intention forthwith to erect machinery thereon for the purpose of under clause 2, section 5, mining board bye-law No. 10.

Name and address of applicant—

Place and date—

SCHEDULE No. 9.
[Section 6, clause 3.]
MACHINERY SITES.
Mining District of Sandhurst.
Date— Division Subdivision.
Registered name of machinery site—
Nature of site and size (as nearly as possible)—
Registered No. of site—
Situation of site—
Position (as nearly as possible) with regard to fixed points or known objects—
State whether this site sought to be registered was taken up under miner's right or by purchase—
If by purchase, state transferor's name and date of transfer—
I hereby certify that I have this day registered miner's right No. , date , for a machinery site, the particulars of which are inserted above.
Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 10.
[Section 9, clause 2.]
Mining District of Sandhurst.
Division Subdivision.
I hereby certify that I have this day of registered for a business allotment situated under the provisions of bye-law No. 10.
Business license.
No. Date— Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE No. 11.
[Section 3, clause 5.]
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I, , do hereby, for valuable consideration, sell and transfer unto a , No. , situated on registered as , subject to all and singular the terms and conditions under which the said share has been held by me.
Witness—
I, said , do hereby accept the aforesaid, subject to the terms and conditions.
Witness—

SCHEDULE A 1.
You are hereby summoned to appear on the day of 18 at the hour o'clock in the at Sandhurst, before the Mining Board for the Sandhurst district, to bear witness in the matter of a petition disputing the validity of the election of as a member of the said Board. [Should documentary evidence be required, the following to be added:—]
And you are hereby required to produce, at the same time and place, the undermentioned documents relating to the matter of the said petition.

SCHEDULE B 2.
Ballot Papers.
Duly Elected.
Not duly Elected.

SCHEDULE C 3.
I, , Chairman of the Mining Board of the Mining District of Sandhurst, hereby pronounce the judgment of this Board to be that has [or has not] been duly elected to serve as a member of this Board.

The undersigned members of the said Mining Board concurred in making the foregoing Bye-law.

W. G. BLACKHAM,
MORRIS COLLIMANN,
JOHN CRAWLEY,
BARTHOLOMEW CUNNINGHAM,
F. DEBNEY,
CORMACK DOLAN,
HUGH KANE,
A. MCINTYRE,
J. SHEPPARD,
DAVID SIMS, Chairman.

I hereby certify that in my opinion this Bye-law is not contrary to law.

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 16th March 1886.

"The Mining on Private Property Act 1884."
APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.
In pursuance of the Act of Parliament 48 Victoria No. 736, section 29, it is hereby notified that, after the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is intended to grant Leases of the portions of ground hereunder mentioned and described.
J. L. DOW,
Minister of Mines.
Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 26th March 1886.

Mining District.	No. of Application.	Names of Applicants, and style under which it is intended that the business shall be carried on.	No. of Lease.	Approximate Area of Ground intended to be leased. A. R. P.	Amount of Money proposed to be invested, and in what manner the land is to be worked.	Minimum number of men to be employed when commencing operations, also subsequently when in full work.	Precise locality and time of commencing operations.	Term of Lease and General Remarks, showing excisions to be made from area applied for, &c.
Ballaarat	14	H. Morris, "Jenny Lind Quartz Mining Co."	488	15 0 0	£2,000. Manual labor and steam-power	First six months two men, subsequently seven men	Parish of Bungal. On grant of lease	15 years.
"	10/85	T. J. Dibdin. "Dibdin and Party"	493	40 0 32 1/2	£10,000. Manual labor and machinery	First six months two men, subsequently fifteen men	Parishes of Smeaton and Spring Hill. On grant of lease	15 years.
Castlemaine	4	W. Noell. "The Loddon Reef Co."	427	12 1 15 1/2	£500. Steam machinery	First six months two men, subsequently six men	Exploration Reef. On grant of lease	15 years.
"	30	J. Smith. "North Prince of Wales G. M. Co. No Liability"	481	17 1 5	£2,000. Manual labor and machinery	First six months two men, subsequently nine men	South Taradale. On grant of lease	15 years.
Maryborough	9	C. Napier. "The New Kong Meng Extended"	497	72 1 36	£1,000. Horse-power, &c.	First six months two men, subsequently twenty-two men	Parish of Craigie. On grant of lease	15 years.
Sandhurst	20	Thomas Britt	496	37 0 0	£500. Machinery	First six months two men, subsequently fifteen men	Parish of Bagshot. On grant of lease	15 years.

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MINING LEASES, ETC.

THE undermentioned Mining Leases, &c., with the lessees' names, extent of ground leased, and annual rent reserved, have been recently issued, and are now awaiting execution by the respective lessees. Any lease not executed within the period proscribed by the regulations under which the application for such lease shall have been made will be liable to forfeiture.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease or License.	Date of Lease or License.	Term (No. of Years).	Lessee or Licensee.	Area.	Annual Rent.	Fee.	Payable to Receiver at—
						A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£	
Gold Mining Leases.									
Castlemaine	Castlemaine	2669	15.3.86	15	A. H. Halford and E. Schroeder	29 3 2	7 8 10	1	Castlemaine
"	Fryer's Creek	2640	4.1.86	15	W. Aberdeen and R. Walker	19 3 5	4 19 0	1	Melbourne
"	Daylesford	2666	15.3.86	15	G. White	9 2 20	2 8 2	1	Daylesford
"	Tarrangower	2671	16.3.86	15	E. J. Hartley	20 2 21	5 3 2	1	Melbourne
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	789	15.3.86	15	The Long Tunnel United Company No Liability	30 0 0	7 10 0	1	"
"	"	820	15.3.86	15	T. Fullerton	29 2 33	7 8 8	1	Walhalla
Maryborough	Avoca	2774	8.2.86	15	The Working Miners' United Company No Liability	30 0 0	7 10 0	1	Maryborough
"	Inglewood	2779	15.3.86	15	P. Cotter	5 0 4	1 5 2	1	Inglewood
"	Dunolly	2783	15.3.86	15	E. Morris	24 0 4	6 0 2	1	Dunolly
Leases under "The Mining on Private Property Act 1884."									
Ballaarat	Creswick	279	15.3.86	9 & 47 days	W. Bell	49 1 23	4 0 0	1	Creswick
Castlemaine	Taradale	121	15.3.86	11	The Ironstone Hill Lead Gold Mining Company No Liability	425 2 0	10 13 0	1	Kyneton
"	"	469	15.3.86	15	W. Northey and J. R. Treglown	98 3 19	4 0 0	1	Castlemaine
"	Taradale (Kyneton)	466	15.3.86	15	J. Castlehow	57 3 18	4 0 0	1	Kyneton
Maryborough	Amherst	387	15.3.86	15	The Rip Van Winkle Furnishing Gold Mining Company No Liability	287 2 36	7 4 0	1	Talbot

¹ Issued in lieu of leases Nos. 658, 1483, and 2626, Castlemaine, surrendered. Fine £3.

² The particulars of lease No. 789, Gippsland, are as herein stated, not as published in the *Government Gazette* of the 11th December 1885, p. 3473.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

J. L. DOW,
Minister of Mines.

MINING LEASES DECLARED VOID.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned Leases have been declared void.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Lessee.	Area.	Locality.
					A. R. P.	
Gold Mining Leases.						
Ararat	Pleasant Creek	1073	8th Dec. 1884	A. Rosewall	15 3 32	Cosmopolitan Reet
Beechworth	Beechworth	2334	3rd Mar. 1885	A. Lamb	24 0 12	Myrtleford
"	Mitta Mitta	2125	21st Dec. 1883	W. Forrester and others	14 0 11	Dart River
"	"	2126	21st Dec. 1883	W. Wye and another	11 0 21	"
"	"	2133	21st Dec. 1883	J. Tucker and others	18 1 7	Green's Creek
"	"	2134	30th Nov. 1883	T. H. Day and another	26 0 37	Dart River
"	Goulburn (Wood's Point)	1844	9th Dec. 1880	The All Nations Q. M. Co. Registered	1 3 18	Matlock
Castlemaine	Castlemaine	2393	23rd June 1884	H. King and others	10 0 18	Chewton
"	"	2601	22nd June 1885	J. Michell	20 1 12	Barker's Creek
"	Daylesford	2335	30th Nov. 1883	M. Bedolla and another	11 3 5	Hepburn
"	"	2382	16th June 1884	T. F. Cugley	10 2 30	Kidd's Gully
"	Tarrangower	2379	16th June 1884	P. Wood	9 3 15	Gardener's Reef
"	"	2440	16th Dec. 1884	The Great International Q. M. Co. No Liability	32 0 25	Mount Tarrangower
"	Taradale	2337	30th Nov. 1883	R. Stringer	9 2 6	Kangaroo Reef
"	"	2433	1st Dec. 1884	W. Kaye and another	12 2 32	Taradale
"	"	2434	1st Dec. 1884	G. Hogg	17 1 27	Belltopper
"	"	2443	23rd Dec. 1884	W. Boundy and another	16 3 8	"
"	"	2594	15th Dec. 1884	J. Hubber	6 1 18	"
"	"	2604	22nd June 1885	A. McIntyre	8 1 18	Taradale
Gippsland	Stringer's Creek	663	21st Dec. 1883	W. B. Thorne	14 1 29	Walhalla
"	Crooked River	586	19th June 1882	P. Mitchell and another	25 1 28	King's Spur
"	"	587	19th June 1882	P. Mitchell and another	26 1 30	"
"	"	704	9th June 1884	J. Davis and others	28 0 18	Mammoth Reef
"	Omeo	712	28th May 1884	R. Higgins and others	16 2 0	Zulu Creek
"	"	770	26th May 1885	J. L. Reilly	25 1 13	Cobungra
Maryborough	Maryborough	2547	18th Dec. 1882	J. Beveridge	3 2 23	Chinaman's Flat
"	Inglewood	2610	30th Nov. 1883	M. Toghill and another	22 3 39	Inglewood
"	"	2613	21st Dec. 1883	E. McClean	30 0 35	Wild Rose Hill
"	"	2619	21st Dec. 1883	J. Hunt	14 2 10	Inglewood
Sandhurst	Sandhurst	4182	21st June 1880	K. McLennan	2 0 27	Tipperary Gully
"	"	5351	11th June 1885	A. B. Robinson	8 2 33	Long Gully
"	"	5352	11th June 1885	J. Heap	5 3 3	Deadcat Gully
Leases under "The Mining on Private Property Act 1884."						
Ballaarat	Ballaarat	240	21st Sept. 1885	A. Mercer and another	5 2 12	Ballaarat
"	Creswick	216	14th Sept. 1885	W. Bell and another	55 2 12	Creswick
"	"	82	14th Sept. 1885	The Lord Hepburn Mg. Co. No Liability	202 2 13	Smeaton
Castlemaine	Daylesford	306	26th Oct. 1885	R. Sinclair	19 2 0	Glengower
"	"	307	26th Oct. 1885	R. Sinclair	37 1 23	"
"	Taradale	125	21st Sept. 1885	The McClure G. M. Co. Limited	58 0 5	Parish of Burke
"	"	344	24th Aug. 1885	R. Beeston	23 2 19	Malmsbury
"	"	345	24th Aug. 1885	T. Williams	23 2 1	"
"	"	346	24th Aug. 1885	J. Currie	20 1 31	"
Sandhurst	Kilmore	231	3rd Aug. 1885	M. Crofts	679 3 25	Goldie

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

C. W. LANGTREE,
Secretary for Mines.

APPLICATION FOR A WATER-RIGHT LICENSE.

IN pursuance of the Act of Parliament 29 Victoria, No. 291, it is hereby notified that, after the expiration of one month from the date hereof, it is intended to grant the Water-right License undermentioned, subject to such special conditions as may be necessary.

Applicant's Name.	No. of Application	No. of License.	Area.	Quantity of Water to be diverted per diem.	Locality, &c.	Term.	Annual Rent.
R. Thomson ...	28	539	A. R. P. 0 2 19	Gallons. 200,000	Stringer's Creek ...	Water-race ...	5 years £ 3

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

J. L. DOW,
Minister of Mines.

"The Mining on Private Property Act 1884."

APPLICATION FOR A MINING LEASE REFUSED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned application for a Lease of Auriferous Lands has been refused:—

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—TARRANGOWER DIVISION.

Application for lease No. 494; W. B. Ochiltree; allotments 1A, 2A, 3A, 10, 13, and 14, section 6, also Hunter's Pre-emptive Right; parish of Tarrangower.

C. W. LANGTREE,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

"The Mining on Private Property Act 1884."

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES ABANDONED.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned applications for Leases of Auriferous Lands have been abandoned:—

BALLAARAT DISTRICT—GORDON DIVISION.

Application No. 12, for lease No. 489; H. Morris; 25a. 3r.; parish of Moorabool West.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—TARADALE (KYNETON) DIVISION.
Application No. 2, for lease No. 457; C. D. Young; 43a. 2r. 16p.; Hardie's Reef.

C. W. LANGTREE,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

GOLD MINING LEASES SURRENDERED.

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT—TARRANGOWER DIVISION.

No. 658, dated 24th April 1871; D. Hutton; 3a. 0r. 28p.; Maldon.

No. 1483, dated 24th March 1873; The Eaglehawk Union Q. M. Co. Registered; 12a. 1r. 23p.; Maldon.

No. 2626, dated 14th September 1885; F. C. White; 5a. 0r. 10p.; Maldon.

A new lease, No. 2671, has been issued in lieu of the above leases.

C. W. LANGTREE,
Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

VICTORIAN WATER SUPPLY.—CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

(41 Vict. No. 589, and 29 Vict. No. 289, Section 222.)

NOTICE to the owners of tenements in the undermentioned streets and roads, and the private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys opening thereto.

The main pipes in the said streets and roads being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as under are hereby required, on or before the 9th day of May next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe within such premises.

C. W. LANGTREE,
Secretary for Mines and Water Supply.

Office of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 16th March 1886.

Castlemaine.

Preshaw street, Vic- from a point 2½ chains south from Britton
toria Gully, street to 13 chains south.

Doveton street, " a point 5½ chains east from Urquhart
street to 6 chains east.

Unnamed street, " a point in unnamed street about 17
Happy Valley, chains south-east from junction of
Wills and Lyttleton streets to 3
chains south.

Campbell's Creek.

Main road, from a point 17 chains south of junction of
Main road and road branching to
Fryerstown to 67 chains south-
westerly.

Unnamed road, " Main road to 2 chains south-easterly.
branching through
No. 7 gate of
Maryborough
Railway Line,

No. 38.—MARCH 26, 1886.—2.

"THE COMPANIES STATUTE 1864."

I HEREBY certify that "The Mount Nicholas Coal Mining Company Limited" has been this day registered by me, and notify that the said company is incorporated, and is limited by shares.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of March 1886.

HENRY KRONE,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Melbourne.

SHIRE OF WALHALLA CONSTITUTED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.

Mr. Deakin

Mr. Walker

Mr. Wrixon

Mr. James

Mr. Pearson

Mr. Derham

Mr. Lorimer

Mr. Davies.

Mr. Dow

WHEREAS by The Local Government Amending Act 1885 (49 Vict. No. 867, sec. 2) it was amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council might, by Order in Council, annex any area of territory not forming a portion of any other municipal district to any borough if such area so annexed is contiguous to such borough. Any such order might be made notwithstanding that such borough when such area has been so annexed contains an area of more than nine square miles, or that any point therein was distant more than six miles from some other point therein: Provided that in that case the Governor in Council should, by the same Order in Council, constitute such borough a shire; and the same should thereupon be deemed to be a shire within the provisions of The Local Government Act 1874, anything therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding: and the name of the corporation thereof should be changed accordingly: And whereas the powers conferred upon the Governor by the above in part recited Act are now exercised upon a Petition under the common seal of the Borough of Walhalla, setting forth that the Council of the said borough is desirous that the outlying territory described in the said Petition, which forms with the borough one continuous area, may be annexed to the said borough and constituted a municipality under the name of the Shire of Walhalla, notices of which Petition have been published in the manner prescribed in the forty-sixth section of The Local Government Act 1874. Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in compliance with the prayer of the Petition hereinbefore mentioned, doth by this present Order annex the outlying territory, as described in the said Petition, to the Borough of Walhalla. And, with the advice aforesaid, doth direct that the said borough, together with the outlying territory so annexed as aforesaid, be constituted a shire, under the designation of The Shire of Walhalla, the boundaries of which said shire are as follow, that is to say:—

SHIRE OF WALHALLA CONSTITUTED AND DEFINED.

Commencing at a point on the Thomson River at the north-west angle of the parish of Toongabbie North, being the north-west angle of the Shire of Rosedale; thence by a line magnetic south to the north-east angle of the selection of Charles G. Wykes, parish of Numbruk; thence west by the northern boundary of said selection to its north-west angle; thence south-westerly by a straight line in the direction of the north-west angle of Anders Anderson's selection, in the parish of Tangil East, until such line, which forms the boundary of the shires of Rosedale and Traralgon, is intersected by the Tyers River, the boundary of the shire of Narracan; thence northerly by the Tyers River to its source; thence by a direct line to the summit of Mount Baw Baw; thence northerly by a direct line to the south-west angle of the Borough of Wood's Point; thence east by the south and north by the east boundary of that borough to the north-east angle thereof; thence south-easterly by a direct line to Mount Selma; thence by the range south-easterly to Mount Useful; thence southerly by a direct line to the junction of Silver Jack's Creek with Connolly's Creek, being the boundary of Maffra Shire; thence by a direct line southerly to the bridge over the Thomson River on the road from Walhalla to Toongabbie; and thence easterly by the Thomson River to the commencing point.

It is also hereby further ordered that the Council of the Shire of Walhalla hereby constituted shall consist of nine members, and that the said shire shall not at present be subdivided.

And the Honorable John Nimmo, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Public Works for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRES OF NEWHAM AND ROMSEY BOUNDARIES ADJUSTED AND RE-DEFINED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.	
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Wrixon	Mr. James
Mr. Pearson	Mr. Derham
Mr. Lorimer	Mr. Davies.
Mr. Dow	

WHEREAS by *The Local Government Act Amendment Act 1883* (47 Vict. No. 786, sec. 3) it was amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council might make orders altering, for the purpose of adjustment, the boundaries of contiguous municipal districts or subdivisions without any petition: And whereas it has been deemed expedient to adjust the contiguous boundaries of the Shires of Newham and Romsey; Now therefore the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby adjust the boundaries of the said Shires of Newham and Romsey, and doth re-define the boundaries of the said shires in manner following, that is to say:—

THE SHIRE OF NEWHAM RE-DEFINED.

Commencing at a point on the Campaspe River at the north-east angle of allotment 113, parish of Tylden; thence by the centre line of that river northwardly to the north-west angle of the parish of Woodend; thence by the north boundary of same parish east to the west boundary of the parish of Newham; thence north by that boundary to the boundary between the counties of Dalhousie and Bourke; thence easterly by that boundary to a point on the same true north of the junction of the Saltwater River and Deep Creek, parish of Rochford; thence south to that junction and southerly by the Deep Creek and Monument Creek to the head of the creek last named, in allotment 120, parish of Rochford; thence by a direct line to the south-west angle of said allotment; thence to and by the centre of the road forming the west boundaries of allotments 119, 118, and 117 to the boundary between the parishes of Rochford and Kerrie; thence west by the north boundary of allotment 56, parish of Kerrie, to the county boundary between Bourke and Dalhousie; thence by that boundary south-westerly to a point due south of the south-west angle of allotment X, parish of Trenham; thence north to that angle; thence north by a road to the north-west angle of allotment X; thence north-easterly to the south-east angle of allotment 67; thence north to the north-west angle of allotment 78; thence north-westerly and north to the north-west angle of allotment 120 A, parish of Tylden; thence north-east to the south-east angle of allotment 120; thence north to the north-east angle of allotment 115; and thence north-easterly along the three-chain Tylden main road to the point of commencement.

THE ROMSEY SHIRE RE-DEFINED.

Commencing at a point on the north boundary of the county of Bourke north of the north-east angle of suburban allotment 18, in the parish of Lancefield; thence southerly by the eastern boundaries of the parishes of Lancefield and Monegeetta to the south-east angle of the parish of Monegeetta; thence west by the south boundary of the said parish to a point in the centre of the Lancefield road west of the north-west angle of the parish of Havelock; thence southerly by the centre of the said road to the northern boundary of the parish of Bolinda; thence west to the north-west angle of that parish to the centre of the western branch of the Saltwater River; thence by the said river westerly to a point in the centre of a one-and-a-half chain road leading from Riddell's Creek to Sunbury; thence by the centre of the said road north-westerly and north to the northern boundary of the Mount Alexander and Murray River Railway; thence by that railway south-westerly and westerly to the centre of a road forming the western boundaries of allotments 7, 6, and 5 of section 35, parish of Gisborne; thence north and north-easterly by that road to the Macedon River; thence crossing that river to the south-west angle of block 6A, parish of Kerrie; thence by the south-western boundary of that allotment to the north-west angle of same; thence west by a one-chain road to the south-west angle of allotment 36, same parish; thence by the west and north boundary of said allotment to the south-east angle of allotment 41; thence northerly by the one-chain road forming the eastern boundary of allotments 41, 53, and 50 to the north-east angle of the allotment last named; thence west by the north boundary of allotments 50 and 51 and a line to the centre of the Barringo Creek; thence northerly by that creek to the south boundary of allotment 58; thence westerly by that boundary and north by the west boundary of said allotment and allotments 57 and 56 to the north-west angle of allotment last named; thence easterly by the north boundary of same allotment to the south-western boundary of the parish of Rochford; thence north-easterly by the centre of a road forming the western boundaries of allotments 117, 118, and 119, said parish, to the south-west angle of allotment 120; thence by a direct line easterly to the head of Monument Creek; thence northerly by that creek and Deep Creek to the junction of the latter with the Saltwater River; thence by a line true north to the Dividing Range, being the boundary between the counties of Bourke and Dalhousie; thence easterly by that boundary to the commencing point.

THE MONEGETTA RIDING OF THE SHIRE OF ROMSEY RE-DEFINED.

Commencing at a point on the shire boundary in the centre of Monument Creek at the south-west angle of allotment 10, parish of Rochford; thence east by the south boundary of allotments 10 and 9 to the north-west angle of allotment 5; thence south by the west boundaries of allotments 5 and 1 to the south-west angle

of last-named allotment; thence east by the south boundaries of allotments 1 and 2, said parish; thence to and by the centre of a road forming the north boundaries of allotments 38, 39, 40, 36, and 28, parish of Monegeetta, to the north-east angle of the last-named allotment; thence south by part of the east boundary of said allotment 28, and east by the north boundary of allotment 26 to the east boundary of the shire; thence following said boundary southerly to the north boundary of the Riddell's Creek Riding at the Mount Alexander and Murray River Railway; thence north-westerly by that railway to a point due south of the south-west angle of Brock's pre-emptive section; thence north to that angle at the Bolinda Creek; thence north-westerly by Bolinda Creek to the south-west angle of allotment 115, parish of Rochford; thence north-easterly by the north-western boundary of that allotment to the south-east angle of allotment 116, same parish; thence north-westerly by the south-west boundaries of allotments 116 and 117 to the road forming the shire boundary on the west of allotments 117, 118, and 119; thence northerly by said road to the south-west angle of allotment 120; thence by a direct line easterly to the head of Monument Creek; and thence by that creek northerly to the commencing point.

And the Honorable John Nimmo, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Public Works for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE BOROUGH OF ESSENDON—THE MOONEE PONDS AND ASCOT VALE WARDS ADJUSTED AND RE-DEFINED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.	
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Wrixon	Mr. James
Mr. Pearson	Mr. Derham
Mr. Lorimer	Mr. Davies.
Mr. Dow	

WHEREAS by *The Local Government Act Amendment Act 1883* (47 Vict. No. 786, sec. 3) it was amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council might make orders altering, for the purpose of adjustment, the boundaries of contiguous municipal districts or subdivisions without any petition: And whereas it has been deemed expedient to adjust the boundaries of the Moonee Ponds and Ascot Vale Wards of the Borough of Essendon; Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby alter and adjust the boundaries of the Moonee Ponds and Ascot Vale Wards, in the Borough of Essendon, and doth re-define the boundaries of the said wards in manner following, that is to say:—

BOROUGH OF ESSENDON.

Boundary of Moonee Ponds and Ascot Vale Wards Adjusted and Re-defined.

MOONEE PONDS WARD.

Commencing at a point where the centre of the Main Mount Alexander road intersects the centre of the Maribyrnong road; thence north-westerly by the centre of the Mount Alexander road aforesaid for a distance of about 148 feet; thence easterly by the centre of the new road through allotment IX, of section 5, parish of Doutta Galla, to the Moonee Ponds Creek; thence northerly by that creek to the south-east angle of portion I. of the said section; thence west by the south boundary of the said portion, Buckley street east, and Buckley street west to a point in the centre of the said street immediately north of the north-west angle of allotment 1, section 7, of the said parish; thence south to and by the west boundary of that allotment to the Saltwater River; thence by that river south-easterly to the Maribyrnong road at the north-west angle of allotment 37, section 3, parish aforesaid; thence easterly by the Maribyrnong road to the commencing point.

ASCOT VALE WARD.

Commencing at the south-east angle of portion II., section 5, parish of Doutta Galla; thence northerly by the Moonee Ponds Creek to the centre of a new road leading from that creek to the Mount Alexander road; thence west by that new road to its intersection with the Mount Alexander road; thence south-easterly by the last-named road a distance of about 148 feet to the intersection with the Maribyrnong road; thence west by the Maribyrnong road to the Saltwater River; thence southerly by that river to the north-west boundary of the Racecourse Reserve; thence north-easterly by that boundary to its intersection with a Government road known as Epson road; thence south-easterly by that road to its intersection with another Government road known as Ascot Vale road; thence northerly by that road to Kent street, being the south boundary of allotment 13, parish of Doutta Galla; thence east by that street to its intersection with the Main Mount Alexander road; thence north-westerly by that road to its intersection with the south boundary of portion II. hereinbefore mentioned; and thence east by the said boundary to the commencing point.

And the Honorable John Nimmo, Her Majesty's Commissioner of Public Works for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council

**TRAGOWEL PLAINS IRRIGATION TRUST.—
ELECTION OF COMMISSIONERS.
REGULATIONS.**

*At the Executive Council Chambers, Melbourne, the twenty-third
day of March 1886.*

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.	
Mr. Deakin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Wrixon	Mr. James
Mr. Pearson	Mr. Derham
Mr. Lorimer	Mr. Davies.
Mr. Dow	

WHEREAS by section 28 of *The Victorian Water Conservation Act 1883*, No. 778, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may, subject to the provisions of the said Act, from time to time make, alter, and repeal regulations relating to any irrigation trust constituted under the said Act for the purposes following:—

(a.) For determining the period for which the commissioners of any trust shall hold office, the time and manner of election, and the order of their retirement from office.

(b.) For determining the manner in which elections of any such commissioners shall be held, and the manner of voting thereat.

(c.) For determining the manner in which any vacancies in the office of any such commissioners shall be filled up; and

(d.) For determining questions as to the due election of any such commissioner.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of the said provisions of the now in part recited Act, doth for the purposes aforesaid, so far as these may relate to a certain irrigation trust duly constituted under the said Act, and known as the Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust, make the regulations following, namely:—

1. *Interpretation of terms.*—In these regulations, “the Minister” shall mean the Minister of Water Supply; “the trust” or “the said trust” shall mean the said Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust; and “the area,” “the said area,” or “the irrigation area” shall mean the lands as defined by the Order in Council constituting the said trust wherein the trust shall have authority.

2. *Period for which commissioners shall hold office.*—Subject to the provisions in reference to the first election of commissioners hereinafter contained, for securing the annual retirement of commissioners, the period during which the commissioners of the said trust shall hold office shall be three years.

3. *Annual retirement of commissioners.*—Certain commissioners as hereinafter provided shall retire annually, but the retiring commissioners shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act, be eligible for re-election.

4. *Area to be divided into four ridings.*—For the purpose of the election of commissioners, the area of the said trust shall be divided into four ridings, numbered respectively 1, 2, 3, and 4, and the same shall be severally bounded as follows, namely:—

No. 1 RIDING.

Boundaries of ridings defined.—Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 8, section D, parish of Mologa, on the southern boundary of the county of Gunbower; thence westerly along the said boundary to its intersection with the Calival Creek; thence north-west, north-east, and north-west by the said creek to its intersection with the three-chain road from Kerang to Echucua; thence south-easterly along the said road to its intersection with Pyramid Creek; thence south and east by the said creek to a point in line with the eastern boundary of allotment 43, section B, in the parish of Macorna; thence southerly by a road to the south-east angle of the same allotment; thence south-east by a road to the north-east angle of allotment 41; thence southerly by a road to the north-west angle of allotment 29, section B, all in the parish of Macorna; thence south-westerly by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 28 in the parish of Mincha West; thence due west by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 45; thence southerly by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 92; thence westerly by a road to the north-east angle of allotment 93, all in the parish of Mincha West; thence southerly by a road to the southern angle of allotment 40, section B, in the parish of Mologa; thence south-easterly by a road to the eastern angle of allotment 42, section C, in the same parish; thence southerly by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 8, section D, in the parish of Mologa, the point of commencement aforesaid.

No. 2 RIDING.

Commencing at the intersection of the Calival Creek with the southern boundary of the county of Gunbower; thence westerly along the said boundary to its intersection with the Serpentine Creek; thence northerly by the said creek to its intersection with the Nine-mile Creek; thence north-easterly and northerly by the last-named creek to its intersection with the three-chain road from Kerang to Echucua; thence south-easterly along the said road to its intersection with the Calival Creek; thence south-easterly, south-westerly, and south-easterly along the said creek to its intersection with the southern boundary of the county of Gunbower, the commencing point aforesaid.

No. 3 RIDING.

Portion 1. Commencing at the intersection of the Serpentine Creek and the southern boundary of the county of Gunbower; thence westerly along the said boundary to its intersection with the River Loddon; thence north-westerly along the said river to its intersection with the Twelve-mile Creek; thence north-easterly along the said creek to its intersection with the northern boundary of allotment 81 in the parish of Loddon; thence easterly along the northern boundary of the said allotment to

the south-east angle of allotment 90A; thence north-easterly by a road to the north-west angle of allotment 88; thence along the northern boundary of the said allotment 88 to its intersection with Bannagher Creek, all in the parish of Loddon; thence south-easterly along the said creek to its intersection with the Serpentine Creek in allotment 25, section A, in the parish of Loddon; thence southerly along the last-named creek to its intersection with the southern boundary of the county of Gunbower, the point of commencement aforesaid.

Portion 2. Commencing at the intersection of Bannagher Creek with the most northern boundary of allotment 29 in the parish of Tragowel; thence easterly by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 23 in the same parish; thence northerly by a road to its intersection with the River Loddon; thence north-easterly along the said river to its intersection with the creek from the Tragowel Swamp; thence along the said creek to its intersection with the north-east angle of allotment 18C in the parish of Tragowel; thence easterly along the northern boundary of the last-named parish until it intersects the north-eastern boundary of the Tragowel Swamp; thence south-easterly and south-westerly along the eastern boundary of the Tragowel Swamp to a point in a line with the road forming the northern boundary of allotment 15 of the same parish; thence due easterly by a line and the last-named road to the north-east angle of the last-named allotment; thence southerly by a road to its intersection with the Two-mile Swamp; thence south-easterly and south-westerly by the eastern boundary of the said swamp to the north-west angle of allotment 39; thence south-westerly by the watercourse to the south-western angle of allotment 91 at its intersection with the Bannagher Creek, all in the parish of Tragowel; thence north-westerly by the said creek to its intersection with a point on the most northern boundary of allotment 29 of the last-named parish, the commencing point aforesaid.

RIDING No. 4.

Commencing at the intersection of the Nine-mile Creek with Bannagher Creek; thence northerly along the last-named creek to its intersection with the watercourse from the south-west angle of allotment 91, parish of Tragowel, to the Two-mile Swamp; thence north-easterly along the said watercourse to the north-west angle of allotment 39; thence north-easterly and north-westerly along the eastern boundary of the Two-mile Swamp to its intersection with a road forming the western boundary of allotment 41; thence northerly by the said road to the north-eastern angle of allotment 15; thence westerly by a road to a point on the eastern boundary of the Tragowel Swamp in a line with the said road; thence north-easterly and north-westerly along the said boundary to its intersection with the northern boundary of the parish of Tragowel; thence westerly along the said boundary to its intersection with the north-east angle of allotment 18C; thence north-westerly by a creek from the Tragowel Swamp to River Loddon to its intersection with the River Loddon; thence northerly by the said river to its intersection with the north-west angle of allotment 1, section D, in the parish of Kerang; thence easterly by a road to the north-east angle of the same allotment; thence south-easterly by a three-chain road to its intersection with the Nine-mile Creek; thence southerly and south-westerly along the said creek to its intersection with Bannagher Creek, the commencing point aforesaid.

5. *Number of commissioners to be elected for each riding.*—The number of persons to be elected as commissioners for each of the said ridings shall respectively be as follows, that is to say:—

No. 1 Riding	Five persons.
No. 2 Riding	Four persons.
No. 3 Riding	Three persons.
No. 4 Riding	Three persons.

6. *Term of office of persons elected commissioners at first election.*—For the purpose of securing the annual retirement of certain of the commissioners of each of the said ridings, it is hereby provided that of the said number of persons elected commissioners at the first election the term for which such persons shall hold office as commissioners for each of the said ridings respectively shall be the following, namely:—

No. 1 Riding—Two persons for three years, two persons for two years, and one person for one year.

No. 2 Riding—Two persons for three years, one person for two years, and one person for one year.

No. 3 Riding—One person for three years, one person for two years, and one person for one year.

No. 4 Riding—One person for three years, one person for two years, and one person for one year;

and the particular term for which each such person so elected a commissioner of the said trust, for any of the said ridings, shall hold office, shall be determined in the manner following, that is to say:—

(A.) *How term of office is ascertained when no poll taken.*—

If in the case of all or any of the said ridings the first election is made without a poll as in these regulations provided, then the particular term as aforesaid for which each candidate elected as a commissioner shall hold office shall immediately upon such election be publicly determined by lot by the returning officer in such manner as to him may seem fit, and the returning officer shall thereupon immediately, and publicly, announce the term for which each individual candidate elected a commissioner shall hold office as so determined, and shall report the same to the Minister.

(B.) *How term of office ascertained when poll taken.*—If at the first election a poll shall be taken as in these regulations provided, then of the five candidates elected as commissioners with respect to No. 1 Riding the two candidates who shall have received the highest numbers of votes shall hold office as commissioners for a term of three years, the two candidates who shall have received the next highest numbers of votes shall hold office for a term of two years, and the remaining candidate who shall have been elected shall hold office for a term of one year.

In like case with respect to No. 2 Riding, of the four candidates elected as commissioners the two candidates who shall have received the highest numbers of votes shall hold office as commissioners for a term of three years, the candidate who shall have received the next highest number of votes shall hold office for a term of two years, and the remaining candidate who shall have been elected shall hold office for a term of one year; and in like case with respect to No. 3 Riding of the three candidates elected as commissioners, the candidate who shall have received the highest number of votes shall hold office as commissioner for a term of three years, the candidate who shall have received the next highest number of votes shall hold office for a term of two years, and the remaining candidate who shall have been elected shall hold office for a term of one year.

If, in the case of any riding, two or more than two candidates elected shall have obtained the same number of votes, then the returning officer shall determine by lot (as hereinbefore provided in the case of the first election if decided without ballot) the term or terms of three, two, or one years or year, during which such candidates shall respectively hold office. But so that no candidate elected shall hold office for a shorter time than the term during which any other candidate who shall have obtained a less number of votes shall hold office. And the returning officer shall publicly declare the respective terms during which the several candidates shall hold office as so determined, and shall report the same to the Minister.

7. Extraordinary vacancies, how filled, and term of office.—Should any vacancy in the office of commissioner be occasioned by death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or any other cause whatever, an election shall forthwith be held to fill such vacancy, and the provisions contained in these regulations as to the nomination of candidates, the manner in which elections shall be held, and the mode of voting thereat, shall apply to any election in respect of such vacancy, and the person elected to fill such vacancy shall hold the office of commissioner during the unexpired portion of the term of office of the commissioner whose seat shall have become vacant.

8. Date for first election of commissioners.—Date of ordinary annual election.—The first election of commissioners of the said trust shall be held on the seventeenth day of April 1886, and the ordinary annual election shall be held on the seventeenth day of April in each succeeding year. Provided that whenever such date shall fall upon a Sunday, or upon any day set apart as a public holiday, such election shall be held upon the day next following.

9. Voters' lists to be prepared.—For the purpose of the first election of commissioners of the said trust, a voters' list shall be prepared in respect of each of the said ridings, by the persons upon whose petition the said trust has been constituted, and the said voters' lists shall be forwarded to the Minister.

10. Form of voters' list.—First Schedule.—Such voters' lists shall be in the form of the First Schedule hereto, and shall contain in regular numerical sequence and alphabetical order of surname the christian name or names, surname, and address, so far as these may be known, of each owner of not less than ten acres of land situate within the riding for which such list shall have been prepared, and shall also specify the extent of the said land of each such owner, and indicate the parish wherein the same is situate, and shall also state the number of votes to which, under the provisions of the said Act, each such owner is entitled in respect of such land.

11. How owners of lands in several ridings entitled to vote.—Owners having lands within two or more than two of the said ridings shall, anything in the last preceding clause to the contrary notwithstanding, be enrolled in respect of such lands in the voters' lists as follows, that is to say:—

(a.) If any person shall be the owner of lands within two or more than two of the said ridings, the land within each riding being of a less extent than ten acres, but the aggregate extent of such lands being not less than ten acres, such person shall be entitled to have his name entered, as hereinbefore provided, upon the voters' list for any one (but not more than one) riding wherein any part of the said lands may be situate, as if he were the owner of lands within the riding for which the said list shall have been prepared, equal in extent to the aggregate extent of such lands, and such person shall be entitled to vote accordingly.

(b.) If any person shall be the owner of less than ten acres of land in any riding of the said trust, and shall also be the owner of more than ten acres of land in any other such riding, for the purpose of determining the number of votes to which, under the provisions of the said Act, such owner is entitled, the area of the lands less in extent than ten acres shall be added to the area of the land exceeding in extent ten acres, and such owner shall be entered in the voters' list for such said other riding as the owner of land equal in extent to the aggregate area of such lands as so determined, and shall be entitled to vote accordingly.

(c.) If any person shall be the owner of lands within two or more than two of the said ridings, the extent of land within each riding being sufficient, under the provisions of the said Act, to entitle such owner to one, or more than one, vote in respect thereof, the name of such owner shall be placed upon the voters' list for each of the ridings wherein such lands may be respectively situate, but the number of votes to be set opposite the name of such owner on the voters' list for any one riding in respect of lands situate therein shall not exceed a number which, when added to the total number of votes that the said owner appears by the voters' lists for the other ridings to be entitled, will amount in the aggregate to not

more than six, and such owner may vote accordingly. Provided always that, if any owner shall, by notice in writing, desire any amendment consistent with the provisions of the said Act and of these regulations to be made in the manner of the distribution of his votes among the voters' lists for the said ridings, such amendment shall be made accordingly when the said lists are being revised, as hereinbefore provided, but nothing herein shall be deemed to authorize the placing of the name of any such owner upon the voters' list for any riding wherein a part of his lands shall not be situate, or to authorize such owner voting at any election in respect of such riding as last aforesaid.

12. Voting in respect of lands jointly owned.—In the case of joint owners of land, the name of any one of such owners shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act and of these regulations, be placed, in respect of such land, upon the voters' list or voters' lists, as the case may be, in like manner as if such land were owned solely by such one owner, and the owner so placed upon the said list or lists shall alone be entitled to vote accordingly.

Provided always that if such owners jointly, by notice in writing, desire that the number of votes to which, under the said provisions, any one of such owners is so entitled to give as aforesaid may be allotted between such owners in any manner they may jointly indicate, the alteration or alterations so desired to be made in the said list or lists shall, if the same be consistent with the said provisions, be made when the list or lists shall be revised as hereinafter provided, and such owners shall be entitled to vote accordingly.

13. Copies of voters' lists to be available for inspection.—Second Schedule.—Objections to lists to be in writing and forwarded to Minister.—A copy of each such voters' list for each riding shall be available for inspection, without payment of any fee or charge, at all reasonable hours in the day time, in some convenient place within or near to the riding of the area for which the list shall have been prepared for a period of seven clear days; and a notice in the form, or to the like effect, of the Second Schedule hereto, setting forth the times and place at which such voters' lists may be so inspected, shall be published in some newspaper ordinarily circulating within the area, and such notice shall state that all objections to the said lists must be forwarded in writing to the Minister within the time mentioned in the said notice.

14. Grounds of objection to be stated.—All objections to the said lists, or to any of them, shall be forwarded in writing to the Minister within nine days after the first day of publication of such notice, and the ground or grounds of objection must be clearly set forth.

15. Minister to revise and certify lists.—The Minister shall revise the said lists and consider all objections thereto, and make such alterations and amendments therein as to him may seem just, and shall certify the lists under his hand as correct, and no objections to the lists, or to any of them, when so certified shall be allowed.

16. Certified lists to be voters' rolls.—The lists so revised and certified shall be the voters' rolls for the purposes of the first election of the commissioners of the trust, but shall also be available for any election in respect of any extraordinary vacancy occurring within twelve months next after the date of the said first election.

17. Voters' lists to be prepared annually.—Before the 31st day January in each year the officers of the trust shall prepare a voters' list for each such riding in the form of the First Schedule hereto, and such lists shall contain, in regular numerical sequence and in alphabetical order of surname, the christian name or names, surname, and address (so far as these may be known) of each owner of not less than ten acres of land situate within the riding for which such list shall have been prepared, and shall also specify the extent of the said land of each such owner and indicate the parish wherein the same is situate, and shall state the number of votes to which, under the provisions of the said Act, each such owner is entitled in respect of such land.

18. How owners of land in more than one riding entitled to vote.—In the preparation of the voters' lists last aforesaid, owners having lands within two or more than two of the said ridings shall, anything in the last preceding clause to the contrary notwithstanding, be enrolled in respect of such lands in the said voters' lists in accordance with the provisions contained in such one of sub-clauses A, B, and C, of clause 11 of these regulations as may apply to the circumstances of each such owner.

19. Voting in respect of land jointly held.—In the case of joint owners of land, the name of any one of such owners shall, subject to the provisions of the said Act and of these regulations, be placed in respect of such land upon the voters' list or voters' lists, as the case may be, in like manner as if such land were owned solely by such one owner; and the owner so placed upon the said list or lists shall alone be entitled to vote accordingly. Provided always that if such owners jointly by notice in writing desire that the number of votes to which under the said provisions any one of such owners is so entitled to give as aforesaid may be allotted between such owners in any manner that they may jointly indicate, the alteration or alterations so desired to be made in the said list or lists shall, if the same be consistent with the said provisions, be made when the list or lists shall be revised, as hereinafter provided; and such owners shall be entitled to vote accordingly.

20. Copies of lists to be available for inspection.—Third Schedule.—A copy of each such voters' list for each riding shall be available for inspection, without payment of any fee or charge, at all reasonable hours in the day time, in some convenient place within or near to the riding for which the list shall have been prepared, for a period of seven clear days; and a notice in the form or to the like effect of the Third Schedule hereto shall be published in some newspaper ordinarily circulating within the area; and such notice shall state that all objections to the said lists, or to either of them, must be forwarded in writing to the chairman of the trust within the time mentioned in the said notice.

21. *Grounds of objections to lists to be forwarded in writing to chairman of trust.*—All objections to the said lists, or to either of them, shall be forwarded in writing to the chairman of the trust within the time mentioned in the said notice, and the ground or grounds of objection must be clearly set forth.

22. *Special meeting of trust to be held to revise lists. Lists to be certified.*—In the month of February of each year a special meeting of the trust shall be held for the purpose of revising the said lists; and all objections which may have been forwarded to the chairman under the preceding clause shall be considered by the commissioners then present; and the chairman may make such alterations and amendments in the said lists, or in any of them, as the commissioners or a majority of the commissioners present may determine to be just and necessary, or such as they are by these regulations required to make; and the lists, when so revised, altered, and amended, shall be certified as correct under the hand of the chairman, and no objection to the lists, or any of them, when so certified shall be allowed.

23. *Revised and certified lists to be voters' rolls.*—The list so revised and certified shall be the voters roll for the purposes of any election (whether ordinary or extraordinary) of trust commissioners to be held within one year from the seventeenth day of April then next, the said day inclusive.

24. *Appointment of returning officer.—First election.*—For the purposes of the first election, the Minister may appoint some fit and proper person, not being the owner of land within the irrigation area, to be the returning officer; and such returning officer may appoint a deputy or deputies to assist him or to act in his room at such election, and such deputy or deputies may do all or any of the acts or things which the returning officer is hereby authorized or required to do.

25. *Chairman of trust to be returning officer.*—For every subsequent election, whether ordinary or extraordinary, the chairman of the trust for the time being shall be the returning officer; but if at the time of any election the office of chairman of the trust shall be vacant, the commissioners of the trust may by resolution appoint one of their number to be returning officer until the office of chairman of the trust shall again be filled; and the returning officer may appoint a deputy or deputies to assist him or to act in his room at any election, and such deputy or deputies may do all or any of the acts or things which the returning officer is hereby authorized or required to do.

26. *Returning officer not to be candidate.*—No person who acts as returning officer or deputy returning officer at any election shall be or become a candidate for the office of commissioner at such election.

27. *Notice of election.—Nomination of candidates.—Fourth Schedule.*—Fourteen clear days before any election of commissioners under these regulations, the returning officer shall give public notice of such election by advertisement inserted in some newspaper generally circulating in the said area, and by such notice shall require all candidates at such election to be nominated at some place within the said area, to be named in such notice, in manner hereinafter mentioned, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon on some day before a day (hereinafter called the day of nomination) not less than four nor more than seven days after the time of giving such notice, and named therein; and any person desirous of nominating a candidate shall, before four o'clock in the afternoon of the day next preceding the nomination day, cause to be delivered at the place aforesaid to the returning officer a nomination paper in the form of the Fourth Schedule, or to the like effect, stating therein the christian name and surname of such candidate, together with the other particulars required in and by the said schedule; and such nomination paper shall be signed by not less than ten persons duly qualified to vote at such elections, and also signed by the person named therein as a candidate in token of his assent to being so named.

28. *Qualification of candidates.*—No person shall be eligible for election as a commissioner for any riding of the trust unless he be the owner or occupier of land within such riding capable of being irrigated.

29. *Candidate to lodge deposit.*—At the time of the delivery to the returning officer of any such nomination paper as aforesaid, the candidate named therein, or some person for him or on his behalf, shall pay into the hands of the returning officer the sum of Ten pounds, to be dealt with as hereinafter provided; and no person who has not been so nominated as aforesaid, or by whom or on whose behalf such payment has not been so made, shall, within the subsequent provisions of these regulations, be or be deemed to be a candidate at any election of commissioners.

30. *Deposit how dealt with.*—Where a poll takes place for any election of commissioners for any riding, the moneys so paid as aforesaid to the returning officer by or on behalf of any candidates in respect of the riding who may not afterwards have received at the said election a number of votes equal at least to one-fifth part of the votes given to such one of the persons declared elected at such election as has had the least number of votes thereat shall be forfeited to the corporate funds of the trust; and the returning officer shall forthwith after such election repay to each of the candidates who has so received at least such fifth part, whether declared elected or not, or who has been returned without a poll, or who has retired as herein provided, the moneys so paid by or for them respectively.

31. *Where number of candidates do not exceed number of commissioners to be elected.*—If at the expiration of the time limited as hereinbefore provided for the nominations of candidates the number of persons who have become candidates for election as commissioners for any riding as aforesaid does not exceed the number of commissioners to be elected for the same, the returning officer shall then declare such candidates to be duly elected, and they shall be deemed to be then duly elected accordingly.

32. *Where number of candidates exceeds number of commissioners to be elected.—Fifth Schedule.—Notice of poll.—Hours of polling.*—If, at the expiration of the time limited for the nomination of

candidates, the number of candidates for any riding exceeds the number of commissioners to be elected, then the returning officer shall forthwith cause ballot-papers to be printed, with the christian names and surnames of all the candidates in full, in the form of the Fifth Schedule hereto, and shall also forthwith give public notice by advertisement in some newspaper generally circulating in the irrigation area, stating the names of the persons so nominated, and that a poll will be taken for the election of such commissioners upon the day named in such notice, at such place within the said riding as the returning officer shall in and by such notice appoint, and such poll shall take place accordingly, and shall commence at ten o'clock in the forenoon and close at four o'clock in the afternoon.

33. *Retirement of candidates before polling-day.*—If at any election after a poll shall have been appointed as aforesaid any candidate for such election and five of the persons having signed the paper nominating him as aforesaid are desirous that he should retire from such candidature, such candidate and the persons aforesaid may sign and deliver to the returning officer not later than four clear days before the day of polling a notice in the form of the Sixth Schedule hereto, stating that such candidate so retires, and the said candidate or his agent shall thereupon publish in some newspaper generally circulating in the irrigation area a copy of such notice, and the returning officer, on sufficient proof of such publication as aforesaid, if the number of candidates is by such retirement reduced to the number of persons to be elected at such election, shall on the day appointed for the election declare the remaining candidates duly elected, and if the said number is not so reduced shall omit the name of the person so retiring from the ballot-papers to be used at the said election, and if such papers are already printed shall erase such name therefrom, and such person shall not be capable of being elected at such election.

34. *Polling-booths may be hired.*—At such election the returning officer, the deputy returning officer, or some other person appointed as hereinafter mentioned, shall provide a suitable place or suitable places in each riding for taking a poll, and may, if necessary, cause to be hired and used as a polling-booth any room which he may deem to be suitable at either of the places appointed for taking the poll, and may divide such room into compartments as to the returning officer or his deputy, or the said other person so appointed may seem most convenient.

35. *Returning officer or deputy to preside at polling-booth.*—The returning officer, or his deputy, or some one to be appointed by writing under the hand of the returning officer or his deputy, shall preside at each polling-booth for taking a poll, and the returning officer may appoint poll clerks to attend in each booth at such election.

36. *Scrutineers may be appointed.*—Each candidate shall be entitled to appoint, in writing, one scrutineer to be present in each polling-booth, and the said returning officer, or his deputy, or the other person appointed as aforesaid, together with the scrutineers, poll clerks, and any voters, not exceeding four in number, actually engaged in voting, shall alone be permitted at any one time to enter or remain in the polling-booth.

37. *Pencils, &c., to be provided.*—The returning officer, his deputy, or the other persons so appointed, shall provide pencils in each polling-booth for the use of the voters, and also a locked box, to be called the ballot-box, with a cleft or opening therein capable of receiving the ballot-papers, and such box shall be opened and exhibited to the scrutineers before the polling begins, and the box shall then be locked, and shall stand upon a table opposite the returning officer, deputy returning officer, or the other person so appointed, who shall keep the key of such box.

38. *Mode of voting where voter is illiterate.—Fifth Schedule.*—The returning officer, or his deputy, or the other person so appointed, shall deliver to every voter who requires the same a ballot-paper, or if such voter appears by the roll to be entitled to give more votes than one, then so many ballot-papers as may be equal to the number of votes which such voter so appears to be entitled to give, such ballot-papers being in the form of Schedule Five hereto, and initialled by the returning officer; and every such voter shall, without leaving the booth, strike out from all or any of such papers the name of every candidate for whom he does not intend to vote. And in case any voter is unable to read or write, the returning officer, or deputy, or other person so appointed, if so required, shall, in view of such one of the scrutineers as the voter may desire, strike out the name or names of such candidate or candidates as such voter may designate, and after such name or names have been so struck out, the ballot-paper, or ballot-papers, as the case may be, shall forthwith be deposited in the said box. Provided that all the ballot papers to which any person may be entitled at the polling-booth shall be demanded and received by him at one and the same time, and no person having once demanded and received such ballot paper or papers, and voted by the same, shall at the same election receive any further ballot-papers, or exercise any further right of voting.

39. *Ballot-papers to be numbered.*—Before delivering any ballot-paper to the voter, the returning officer, his deputy, or the other person so appointed, shall write upon the back of each such ballot-paper, as near as practicable to the lower edge thereof, the number corresponding to the number set opposite to the voter's name in the roll, and shall thereupon, upon a copy of such roll, check off such voter's name as having voted, and mark against such name the number of ballot-papers delivered to such voter.

40. *Informal ballot-papers.*—If any voter suffer to remain upon his ballot-paper a greater number of names not struck out than the number of commissioners to be elected, the vote given on and by such paper shall be void and of no effect.

41. *What questions may be asked.*—At any election of commissioners, the returning officer, or his deputy, or the other person so appointed, may, if he see fit, or if required to do so by any candidate or scrutineer shall put to any person tendering his vote the questions or any of the questions following:—

(1.) "Are you the person whose name appears as (A. B.) in the roll now in force for this riding being enrolled therein

in respect of land in the parish of _____, and comprising (here specify the area of the land as given in the roll)?

(2.) Have you already voted at the present election for this riding?

And no other question shall be put to any person tendering his vote; and no person who shall refuse to answer any of the questions, or who shall not answer the first of such questions absolutely in the affirmative, and the second of such questions absolutely in the negative, shall receive a ballot-paper or be permitted to vote.

42. *False answer, polling twice, and personation.*—Every person who shall wilfully make a false answer to any of the questions aforesaid, or who shall poll more than once, or offer to poll more than once at the same election for the same riding, or who shall depart or attempt to depart from any polling-booth after having received a ballot-paper without having deposited the same in the ballot-box as hereinbefore mentioned, or who shall personate any other person for the purpose of polling at such election, shall be guilty of a breach of these regulations; but nothing contained in this clause shall apply to any person only by reason of his exercising the right of voting as often as it appears by the roll he is entitled so to do.

43. *Result of polling how ascertained.*—Returning officer to have casting vote.—Immediately upon the close of the poll the returning officer, his deputy, or the other person so appointed as aforesaid, shall, in the presence of and subject to the inspection of so many of the scrutineers of the candidates as please to be present, proceed to ascertain the number of votes for each candidate; and such returning officer, deputy, or other person, shall abstain from inspecting the number written as aforesaid on any ballot-paper, and take care that the same is not seen by any person before being sealed up as herein provided; and the returning officer shall seal up the ballot-papers deposited in the booth, and as soon as conveniently may be on or after the day of the poll publicly declare the candidates not exceeding the number of commissioners to be elected or vacancies to be filled up who have received the greatest number of votes to have been duly elected commissioners; and if two or more candidates have received an equal number of votes, the returning officer shall in each case have the casting vote.

44. *Ballot-papers, how disposed of.*—In the case of the said first election of commissioners, the returning officer shall forthwith after the declaration of the poll endorse with a description of the contents thereof and sign the sealed parcels of ballot-papers, and forward the same to the Minister, who shall, as soon as may be after the first meeting of trust commissioners shall have been held, forward such sealed packet to the secretary to the trust, to be by him safely and secretly kept for six months then next ensuing, and then by him caused to be destroyed in the presence of three commissioners of the trust; but in all subsequent elections the parcel or parcels of ballot-papers so sealed, endorsed, and signed shall be delivered by the returning officer to the said secretary, to be by him safely and secretly kept for six months after such delivery, and then by him caused to be destroyed in the presence of three of the commissioners of the trust.

45. *Minister to determine questions arising upon first election.*—If any question arise as to the due election of any commissioner at the first election, the returning officer shall, at the request of any voter or candidate, submit such question in writing to the Minister, who shall decide the same, and such decision shall be final and binding.

46. *Questions arising upon subsequent elections to be determined by trust.*—If any question arise as to the due election of any commissioner at any subsequent election, whether ordinary or extraordinary, such question shall be determined by the commissioners of the trust at the first ordinary meeting held after the election; but no commissioner in respect of whose election such question shall have arisen shall act as a commissioner at such meeting, or be entitled to take any part in the proceedings thereof, or in any manner or at any time to act as a commissioner until such question shall have been so determined, and the majority of the commissioners whose election is not in dispute shall form a quorum.

47. *Appeal to Minister from determination of trust.*—In event of any voter or candidate feeling aggrieved by the determination of the trust with reference to any such question as last aforesaid, he may appeal therefrom to the Minister within fourteen days from the date upon which the commissioners shall have determined the question, and the Minister may make such enquiry as to the merits of the question as may appear to him to be necessary, and determine such question in such manner as to him may appear just, and such determination of the Minister shall be final and binding.

48. *Failure to elect deemed to create extraordinary vacancies.*—If at any election of commissioners no vacancies or a number of vacancies less than the whole number which should have been filled up at such election are filled up, then the vacancies which are so not filled up shall severally be deemed extraordinary vacancies and to have occurred on the day appointed for such election.

Provided always that the commissioners eventually elected to fill such vacancies shall go out of office as if elected at such election.

49. *Penalty for breach of regulations.*—These regulations shall also be deemed to be regulations under section 95 of *The Victorian Water Conservation Act 1881*, and any person guilty of a breach of any of the provisions of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds, to be recovered in a summary manner before justices of the peace.

50. *Interpretation.*—In these regulations the words importing the masculine gender shall be deemed and taken to include females, unless there is something in the context repugnant to or inconsistent with this interpretation.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Clause 10.

Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust.

No. Riding
Voters' List. Year.

No.	Surname.	Christian Name.	Address.	Extent of Land owned within Trust Area.	Parish in which Land is situate.	No. of Votes to which entitled under Act 778 and Regulations.
				A. R. P.		

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Clause 13.

Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust.

Notice is hereby given that the lists of persons claiming to be entitled to vote for commissioners for the several ridings of the above trust will be available for inspection at the undermentioned places, between the hours of _____ o'clock a.m. and _____ o'clock p.m., for a period of _____ days from the date hereof.

All objections to the said lists, or to any of them, stating clearly the grounds of such objections, must be forwarded to the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply, in writing, on or before the _____ day of _____ 188____.

Dated at Melbourne this _____ day of _____ 188____.

Secretary for Mines and Water Supply.

Places above referred to—

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THIRD SCHEDULE.

Clause 20.

Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust.

Notice is hereby given that lists of persons claiming to be entitled to vote for commissioners for the several ridings of the above trust during the twelve months between the _____ day of _____ 188____ and the _____ day of _____ 188____ will be available for inspection at the undermentioned places, between the hours of _____ o'clock a.m. and _____ o'clock p.m., for a period of _____ days from the date hereof.

All objections to the said lists, or any of them, stating clearly the grounds of such objections, must be forwarded to me, in writing, on or before the _____ day of _____ 188____.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 188____.

Chairman of Trust.

Address—

Places above referred to—

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FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Clause 27.

Form of Nomination.

We, the undersigned, being entitled to vote for commissioners for No. _____ riding of the Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust, do hereby nominate _____ of _____ as a candidate for the office of commissioner for the said riding at the election to be held on the _____ day of _____ 188____.

(Here are to follow signatures.)

And I, the above-named _____ do hereby consent to such nomination.

Signed.....

NOTE.—A deposit of £10 must be lodged by or on behalf of the candidate with the returning officer.

FIFTH SCHEDULE.

Clause 38.

*Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust.**Ballot-paper.*

Candidates names (arranged in alphabetical order of surnames).

A.B.
C.D.
E.F.
G.H.

Directions.

The voter is to strike out the name of the candidate or candidates for whom he does not intend to vote by drawing a line through the same with a pencil. He must be careful not to leave uncanceled the names of more than (the number of commissioners to be elected) candidates, otherwise this ballot-paper will be invalid.

The ballot-paper so marked by or for the voter is to be dropped by him into the ballot-box.

The voter is not permitted to take his ballot-paper out of the ballot-room or polling-booth.

SIXTH SCHEDULE.

Clause 33.

Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust.

I (A.B.) nominated a candidate for election as a commissioner for No. riding of the above trust, and we (C.D. and E.F.) two of the nominators of the said (A.B.) hereby give notice that the said (A.B.) desires to retire from the said candidature, and that his name may be omitted or erased by the returning officer from the list of candidates.

Dated this day of 188

Signed, A.B., Candidate.
C.D. and E.F.,
Nominators of the said A.B.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of Water Supply.

Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne.

And the Honorable Alfred Deakin, Her Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

"THE VICTORIAN WATER CONSERVATION ACT
1883." — CONSTITUTION OF THE TRAGOWEL
PLAINS IRRIGATION TRUST.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-third
day of March 1886.

PRESENT:

The Honorable Duncan Gillies, presiding.

Mr. Deakin	Mr. Walker
Mr. Wrixon	Mr. James
Mr. Pearson	Mr. Dohman
Mr. Lorimer	Mr. Davies.
Mr. Dow	

WHEREAS His Excellency the Governor in Council, by an Order in Council bearing date the twenty-third day of March 1886, hath approved of the construction of certain works, without alterations or additions or restrictions of the plans and descriptions thereof, proposed to be carried out in the irrigation area hereinafter limited by an Irrigation Trust to be constituted under the provisions of *The Victorian Water Conservation Act 1883*.

Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order order and appoint as follows:—

1. That an Irrigation Trust be constituted to construct, maintain, and continue the whole or any part of the works described in the plans and descriptions thereof in accordance with the provisions of this Order and of the said Act.

2. That the limits of the lands to be called an irrigation area within which such trust shall have authority shall be as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east angle of allotment 8, section D, parish of Mologa on the south boundary of the county of Gumbower; thence west along the said boundary to its intersection with the Loddon River; thence north-west along the said river to its intersection with Twelve-mile Creek; thence north-east along the said creek to its intersection with the north-west angle of allotment 81, parish of Loddon; thence east to the north-east angle of the said allotment; thence north-east by a road to the north-west angle of allotment 88 of the same parish; thence east by the north boundary of the said allotment to its intersection with Banagher Creek; thence north-east and north along the said creek to its intersection with a road forming the northern boundary of allotment 29, parish of Tragowel; thence east by the said road to the south-east angle of allotment 23 of the same parish; thence north by a road to its intersection with the River Loddon; thence north-east along the said river to its intersection with the north-west angle of allotment 1, section D, parish of Kerang; thence by a road due east along the northern boundary of the said allotment to the north-east angle of the same; thence south-east by a three-chain road to its intersection with Pyramid Creek; thence south and east by the said creek to a point in a line with the eastern boundary of allotment 43, section B, parish of Macorna; thence south by a road to the south-east angle of the same allotment; thence south-east by a road to the north-east angle of allotment 41; thence south by a road to the north-west angle of allotment 29, section B, all in the parish of Macorna; thence south-west by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 28, in the parish of Mincha West; thence due west by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 45; thence south by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 32; thence west by a road to the north-east angle of allotment 33, all in the parish of Mincha West; thence south by a road to the southern angle of allotment 40, section B, in the parish of Mologa; thence south-east by a road to the east angle of allotment 42, section C, in the same parish; thence south by a road to the south-east angle of allotment 18, section D, in the parish of Mologa, the point of commencement aforesaid.

3. The scheme for the irrigation of the said irrigation area shall be the diversion of water from the Loddon River, and the distribution of such water upon the lands of the said area by means of channels and gravitation, and the principal works shall be weirs, head sluices, embankments, and main and branch irrigation channels.

4. That the name of the said irrigation area shall be "The Tragowel Plains Irrigation Area," and the corporate name of the said irrigation trust shall be the "Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust."

5. That the amount of money proposed to be expended on the scheme being One hundred and sixty-five thousand five hundred and eighty-eight pounds, the sum which may be raised as a loan for the purpose of carrying out such scheme and of paying the preliminary costs and expenses of the applications for this order shall not exceed One hundred and sixty-five thousand five hundred and eighty-eight pounds.

6. That the number of persons to be elected as commissioners of the said Tragowel Plains Irrigation Trust shall be fifteen, and the period for which such commissioners shall hold office shall be three years.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of Water Supply.

And the Honorable Alfred Deakin, Her Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

"THE VICTORIAN WATER CONSERVATION ACT
1883." — THE TRAGOWEL PLAINS IRRIGATION
TRUST.

CONSTRUCTION OF WORKS.

WHEREAS an application by petition signed by G. S. Burns and others, being a majority of the owners of land within the district therein specified, and situate within the parishes of Yarrowalla, Mologa, Macorna, Mincha West, Tragowel, Kerang, and Loddon, in the county of Gumbower, submitting a scheme for the irrigation thereof, and praying that such district be constituted an irrigation area under the provision of *The Victorian Water Conservation Act 1883*, No. 778, was duly received by me; And whereas the provisions of the said Act, contained in sections 5 to 12 inclusive, have been duly complied with; and whereas an application by petition for the constitution of an Irrigation Trust for such district has been duly made to me for submission to the Governor in Council signed by an absolute majority of the owners of land in the said district, such majority being the owners of at least half the land in the said district.

And whereas I am satisfied that the provisions of the said Act, as also the provisions of the *The Victorian Water Conservation Act 1883*, No. 859, have been substantially complied with, I therefore, being the responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Acts, submit the last-mentioned application, together with the original application for authority to construct the necessary works in connection with the said scheme, and the report and plans of an authorized and competent officer, and all petitions which have been received in respect of such applications, to the Governor in Council; and I recommend His Excellency the Governor in Council to approve of the construction of the said works set forth in the plans and descriptions thereof, without any alterations or additions in such plans and descriptions.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of Water Supply.

Department of Mines and Water Supply,
Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

The Governor in Council doth hereby approve of the construction of the above-mentioned works, without any alterations or additions in the plans and descriptions thereof.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

23rd March 1886.

INSOLVENCIES.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolvencies during the week ending
the twentieth day of March 1886:—

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.

15th March.

Antonio Fredrico, late customs excise detective, Fitzroy, Jacomb.
David Mitchell Fergusson the younger, blacksmith, Newport, Cohen.

16th March.

Josiah Maxwell, contractor, Richmond, Jacomb.
Charles Joseph Ohler, late restaurant-keeper, Carlton, Anderson.

17th March.

Max Koelbeke, carrier, St. Kilda, Jacomb.

18th March.

William Sherrard, late mail contractor, St. Kilda, Cohen.
William Henry Nichols, builder, Caulfield, Anderson.

20th March.

Thomas Knight, laborer, Port Melbourne, Cohen.

CHAS. P. WILLIAMS,
Chief Clerk.

Court of Insolvency,
Melbourne, 20th March 1886.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

SALES of Crown Lands in Fee-simple to be held at the under-mentioned places and dates, viz.:-

	No. of Gazette.		No. of Gazette.
Ararat— Tuesday, 30 March ...	26	Hamilton— Tuesday, 13 April ...	31
Boort— Tuesday, 13 April ...	31	Horsham— Tuesday, 13 April ...	31
Dunolly— Tuesday, 13 April ...	31	Melbourne— Tuesday, 30 March ...	26
Echuca— Friday, 30 April ...	38	Tuesday, 20 April ...	35
		Friday, 30 April ...	38
		Rosedale— Friday, 2 April ...	26

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

SALE (Nos. 6351 AND 6352) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct that sales by auction of the undermentioned Crown Lands will be holden at the times and places stated hereunder, and that such lands be offered for sale in the lots hereinafter specified, and at the upset price fixed to each lot respectively.

The lands will be sold in fee-simple, and subject to the covenants, conditions, exceptions, and regulations directed by the Governor in Council by an Order in Council dated the 17th day of March 1885, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 20th March 1885, page 817.

A deposit of one-fourth the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and all such payments shall be made only in gold, silver, or bank notes, or cheques approved of by the receiver and paymaster, and the residue of such price will be payable in twelve (12) equal instalments on the last day of each successive period of three (3) months from the time of sale, or, if the purchaser choose, at any earlier time or times, being one of such last days of any of the periods of three (3) months stated above; such residue of payment will bear interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, to be computed from the time of sale to the time of payment of such residue or instalment of such residue.

The Governor in Council may, if he think fit, register the transfer of the interest of any purchaser of an allotment sold by public auction prior to the final payment of the purchase-money being made. The fee for such registration shall be One pound eleven shillings and sixpence.

JNO. L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

ECHUCA.—Sale (No. 6351) at ELEVEN o'clock a.m. on FRIDAY the 30th APRIL 1886, at the COURT HOUSE, Echuca. To be conducted by M. MACOBOY, Esq. Auctioneers: Messrs. STERNBERG BROS.

TOWN LOTS.

ECHUCA, PARISH OF WHARFARILLA, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

In Heygarth and Hayes streets, and the Esplanade, Campaspe.

Upset price 4l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 1. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 4, section P.

Lot 2. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 5, section P.

Lot 3. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 6, section P.

Lot 4. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 7, section P.

Upset price 5l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 5. Area 1r. 13p., allotment 14, section P. Valuation 60l.

In Hansen street.

Upset price 4l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 6. Area 1r., allotment 7, section D.

ECHUCA, PARISH OF ECHUCA NORTH, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

Adjoining the purchased land of Emily Berthaly.

Upset price 7l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 7. Area 35 6-10p., allotment 1, section C.

TOWNSHIP AT BOILEAU, PARISH OF ECHUCA NORTH, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

At the site of the improvements of Mr. Thomas Oliver.

Upset price 7l. 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey 2l. 2s. 11d.

Lot 8. Area 3a., allotment 112. Valuation 35l.

SPECIAL LOTS.

PARISH OF MOIRA, COUNTY OF MOIRA.

At the site of the improvements of Elizabeth Sydenham.

Upset price 2l. per lot.—Charge for survey 2l. 16s.

Lot 9. Area 1r. 36p., allotment 3, section A. Valuation 40l.

PARISH OF NARIOKA, COUNTY OF MOIRA.

Between the Broken Creek and W. T. Maloney's holding.

Upset price 2l. per acre.—Charge for survey 2l. 3s. 6d.

Lot 10. Area 1a. 1r. 24p., allotment 6A, section 3.

PARISH OF PANNOOBAMAWM, COUNTY OF BENDIGO.

Between the holdings of P. Shanahan, R. Nankivell, jun., and R. Henderson.

Upset price 2l. per acre.—Charge for survey 4l. 8s.

Lot 11. Area 27a. 0r. 26p., allotment 71D.

PARISH OF KOTUPNA, COUNTY OF MOIRA.

The selections of Mary Jane Aylett, now Mrs. Pascoe, on the Skeleton Creek.

Upset price 1l. 4s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey 11l.

Lot 12. Area 219a. 1r. 37p., allotment 81C. Valuation 104l. 7s. 6d.

Upset price 1l. 5s. per acre.—Charge for survey 5l. 16s.

Lot 13. Area 65a. 3r. 32p., allotment 80B. Valuation 30l. 18s.

COUNTRY LOTS.

PARISH OF GUNBOWER WEST, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

On the road from Echuca to Kerang, adjoining the holdings of Luke Clough and Henry Rosel.

Upset price 1l. 10s. per acre.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 14. Area 8a. 2r. 34p., allotment 10.

Lot 15. Area 8a. 3r. 23p., allotment 10A.

PARISH OF GUNBOWER, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.

On the road from Echuca to Kerang, between the Gunbower pre-emptive section and the holding of H. J. Clements.

Upset price 1l. 12s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey 4l. 13s.

Lot 16. Area 92a. 3r. 32p., allotment 15A. Valuation 46l. 6s. 9d.

Upset price 1l. 12s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey 3l. 1s.

Lot 17. Area 60a. 0r. 5p., allotment 15B. Valuation 39l. 1s. 10d.

MELBOURNE.—Sale (No. 6352) at TWO o'clock p.m. on FRIDAY the 30th APRIL 1886, at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. FRASER AND CO., 19 Queen street, Melbourne. To be conducted by W. S. FINLAY, Esq.

TOWN LOTS.

WALLAN WALLAN, PARISH OF WALLAN WALLAN, COUNTY OF BOURKE.

In Dudley street, between Queen and King streets.

Upset price 12l. 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 1. Area 1a. 2r. 12p., allotment 5, section 31.

Lot 2. Area 1a. 1r. 29p., allotment 6, section 31.

Lot 3. Area 1a. 1r. 6p., allotment 7, section 31.

Lot 4. Area 1a. 1r. 24p., allotment 8, section 31.

DROUIN, PARISH OF DROUIN WEST, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

At the site of the improvements of Mary Ann Higgs.

Upset price 30l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 5. Area 2r. 18 4-10p., allotment 10, section 3. Valuation 90l.

TRAFALGAR, PARISH OF MOE, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

On the south side of the township of Trafalgar.

Upset price 24l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 6. Area 3a. 3r. 18p., allotment 7, section 9.

PAKENHAM, PARISH OF PAKENHAM, COUNTY OF MORNINGTON.

In the township, adjoining the holding of T. Mulcahy.

Upset price 5l. per acre.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 7. Area 6a. 1r. 5p., allotment 13A.

DARLIMURLA, PARISH OF MIRBOO, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

In the township, on the Little Morwell River.

Upset price 100l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 8. Area 1a. 3r. 32p., allotment 20, section 1. Valuation 210l.

Upset price 50l. per lot.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 9. Area 1a. 0r. 37p., allotment 19, section 1.

SUBURBAN LOTS.

PARISH OF CUT-PAW-PAW, COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Between the Frozen Meat Company's works and the Rifle Ranges, and adjoining the site of the Newport Gas Company.

Upset price 20l. per acre.—Charge for survey 1l.

Lot 10. Area 2a. 3r. 13p., allotment 131, section 2.

Lot 11. Area 2a. 3r. 13p., allotment 132, section 2.

Lot 12. Area 3a. 0r. 2 3-10p., allotment 133, section 2.

Lot 13. Area 2a. 2r. 2 8-10p., allotment 134, section 2.

SPECIAL LOTS.

PARISH OF DROUIN WEST, COUNTY OF BULN BULN.

The selection of Mr. William D. Clarke.

Upset price 1l. 3s. 6d. per acre.—Charge for survey 9l. 18s.

Lot 14. Area 198a., allotments 50A and 56B. Valuation 378l. 12s. 6d.

TOWNSHIP AT RINGWOOD, PARISH OF RINGWOOD, COUNTY OF EVELYN.

At the site of the improvements of the Victorian Brick and Ornamental Tile Company Limited.

Upset price 300l. per lot.—Charge for survey 6l. 12s.

* Lot 15. Area 9a., allotments 4, 5, and 6, section B. Valuation 9,740l.

At the site of the improvements of the Ringwood Brickmaking Company Limited.

Upset price 300l. per lot.—Charge for survey 6l. 12s.

* Lot 16. Area 9a., allotments 7, 8, and 9, section B. Valuation 5,832l. 10s.

* Lots 15 and 16 will be sold to a depth of 50 feet only from the surface.

LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE, ETC.

IN pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act 1884* (48 Vict. No. 812, § 10 and 13) and *The Education Act* (36 Vict. No. 447, § 4): Notice is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has reserved, temporarily, from sale and leasing, and from having a license granted in respect thereof, and has also (unless where otherwise stated) excepted from occupation for mining purposes or for residence or business under any miner's right or business license, in pursuance of the 10th section of the said *Land Act 1884*, the lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

Pursuant to Orders of 23 March 1886.

BARNAWARtha NORTH—Site for Camping and Watering purposes, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—Twenty-one acres two roods twenty-two perches, county of Bogong, parish of Barnawartha North: Commencing at the south-east angle of the site, being a point bearing N. 55° 15' W. one chain twenty-nine links from the south-west angle of allotment 1 of section 26; bounded thence by the road from Wodonga to Wahgunyah bearing N. 55° 15' W. ten chains forty links; thence by allotment 6 of section A² bearing N. 34° 45' E. two chains; N. 55° 15' W. one chain twenty-five links, and S. 34° 45' W. two chains; thence again by the aforesaid road bearing N. 55° 15' W. three chains seventy-two links; thence by a road bearing N. 6° 23' E. eighteen chains seven links and N. 56° 17' E. five chains ninety links; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 0° 56' W. eight chains eighteen links and S. 39° 22' E. eight chains forty-six links; and thence by a road bearing S. 1° 47' E. fifteen chains twenty-four links to the point of commencement.—(B.56⁽¹⁾) (86.Y.2717.)

Boolarra—Site for a Mechanics' Institute, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One rood eight perches and three-tenths, county of Buln Buln, township of Boolarra, being part of allotment 16 of section 2: Commencing at the south-east angle of the said allotment; bounded thence by roads bearing respectively N. 57° 41' W. three chains thirty-three links and a half and N. 32° 19' E. one chain; thence by a line bearing S. 57° 41' E. two chains seventy links; and thence by a road bearing south one chain eighteen links to the point of commencement.—(B.705) (86.L.13533.)

COBDEN—Site for Police purposes, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One acre one rood thirty-eight perches, county of Heytesbury, town of Cobden, being allotments 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, and 14 of section 11: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 4; bounded thence by that allotment and allotment 15 bearing south five chains; thence by a road bearing west one chain and N. 73° 18' W. one chain five links; thence by allotment 12 bearing north two chains twenty links and west two chains; thence by allotment 9 bearing north two chains fifty links; and thence by a road bearing east four chains to the point of commencement.—(C.353A) (86.P.20006.)

COONGULMERANG—Site for Watering purposes, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One hundred and twenty acres, more or less, county of Tanjil, parish of Coongulmerang: Commencing at the north-east angle of C. M. Cousen's licensed block No. 1279; bounded thence by that block and a line bearing N. 78° 18' W. to A. K. Desailly's block; thence by A. K. Desailly's and C. M. Cousen's blocks bearing northerly, easterly, and north-easterly to the east angle of the last-mentioned block; thence by a road bearing south to the north angle of A. Campbell's block; thence by that block bearing south-westerly, southerly, and easterly to the south-east angle thereof; and thence by a road bearing south-westerly to the point of commencement.—(L.P.19) (82.L.10954.)

ECHUCA NORTH—Site for Abattoirs, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—Ten acres, county of Rodney, parish of Echuca North, being portion of allotment 48: Commencing at the south-west angle of the Cattle Market reserve; bounded thence by that reserve bearing N. 89° 57' E. ten chains seventy-two links; thence by the Railway reserve bearing S. 5° 56' E. nine chains eighty-six links; thence by a line bearing S. 89° 57' W. nine chains sixty-six links; and thence by a road bearing N. 12° 0' W. ten chains three links to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(E.96⁽²⁾) (85.E.14335.)

GANNAWARRA—Site for a State School (application No. 2771), also excepted from occupation for mining purposes or for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—Three acres eight perches, county of Gunbower, parish of Gannawarra: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 76; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 89° 57' W. five chains sixty-six links; thence by allotment 75 bearing north ten chains ten links; and thence by the road from Swan Hill to Echuca bearing S. 60° 56' E. sixty-four links and S. 27° 30' E. eleven chains four links to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(G.211⁽²⁾) (86.E.13009.)

KATYIL—Site for a State School (application No. 2722), also excepted from occupation for mining purposes or for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—Five acres, county of Borung, parish of Katyil: Commencing at the south-west angle of the site, being a point bearing north seven chains and east one chain from the south-east angle of allotment 84; bounded thence by roads bearing respectively north seven chains seven links, east seven chains seven links, south seven chains seven links, and west seven chains seven links to the point of commencement. The bearings are from the true meridian.—(K.142) (85.E.12959.)

MURCHISON—Site for Watering purposes, in addition to and adjoining the site temporarily reserved therefor by Order of the 2nd April 1884, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One acre

two roods four perches, county of Rodney, town of Murchison, being portion of original allotments 2 and 3 of section 13: Commencing at the south-east angle of the existing site; bounded thence by that site bearing N. 7° 10' W. eight chains forty-one links; thence by allotment 1 bearing N. 82° 50' E. one chain; and thence by lines bearing respectively S. 7° 10' E. seven chains seventy-two links, N. 82° 50' E. three chains sixty-three links, S. 7° 10' E. two chains fifty-six links, and N. 75° 10' W. five chains to the point of commencement.—(M.273A) (86.W.26614.)

RICH AVON WEST—Site for a Mechanics' Institute, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One rood thirty-two perches, county of Borung, parish of Rich Avon West, being township allotment 18 of section C: Commencing at the north-west angle of the allotment; bounded thence by a road bearing east one chain; thence by allotment 17 bearing south four chains fifty links; thence by country allotment 1 of section C bearing west one chain; and thence by a road bearing north four chains fifty links to the point of commencement.—(R.73G) (86.A.14062.)

WERRIBEE—Site for an Ornamental Plantation, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—One acre three roods fifteen perches, county of Bourke, town of Werribee, being section 23A: Commencing at the east angle of the section; bounded thence by Synnot street bearing S. 51° 27' W. nine chains; and thence by roads bearing respectively northerly six chains eighty-one links in an arc of a circle whose centre lies eleven chains fifty links westerly, and easterly seven chains in an arc of a circle whose centre lies eleven chains fifty links northerly, to the point of commencement.—(W.229) (86.W.26615.)

WHIRLY—Site for a State School (application No. 2688), also excepted from occupation for mining purposes or for residence or business under any miner's right or business license.—Two acres, county of Karkaroc, parish of Whirly: Commencing at the south-east angle of M. Ryan's licensed block; bounded thence by that block bearing N. 0° 2' E. five chains; thence by J. Coffey's block bearing S. 89° 58' E. four chains and S. 0° 2' W. five chains; and thence by a road bearing N. 89° 58' W. four chains to the point of commencement.—(L.P.62A) (85.E.7356.)

JOHN L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

IN pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act 1884* (48 Vict. No. 812, secs. 10 and 13): Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, to revoke the temporary reservations of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:—

The following Notices were gazetted 1st on 4 March, pursuant to Orders of 2 March 1886.

BALNARRING—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 19th April 1875, of three hundred and seventy-nine acres two roods thirteen perches of land, being allotments 74A, 74B, and 75A, in the parish of Balnarring, as a site for the supply of Timber, is about to be revoked.—(B.74⁽²⁾) (85.F.14821.)

LANCERFIELD—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 21st October 1867, of one acre three roods twenty-three perches of land in the town of Lancerfield, being allotments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of section 66, as a site for Police purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Twenty-two perches seven-tenths, being part of allotments 3, 4, 5, and 6: Commencing at the north angle of allotment 3; bounded thence by allotment 10 bearing south-easterly two chains seventy-five links and a half; and thence by lines bearing respectively N. 88° 45' W. one chain sixty-nine links and a half, and N. 0° 25' W. two chains eight links to the point of commencement.—(85.F.19926.)

WARRANOOK—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 5th January 1880, of ninety-nine acres three roods twelve perches of land in the parish of Warranook, as a site for Camping and Watering purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portions thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—

Ten perches and a half: Commencing at the west angle of allotment 8 of section 1; bounded thence by a road bearing N. 26° 8' W. one chain eighty-two links; thence by a line bearing south-easterly one chain forty links in an arc of a circle whose centre lies nineteen chains fifty links north-easterly; and thence by allotment 8 aforesaid bearing S. 23° 43' W. ninety-five links and a half to the point of commencement; and

Five acres twenty-one perches: Commencing at a point bearing N. 23° 43' E. one chain twenty-two links and three-quarters from the south-west angle of allotment 6 of section 1; bounded thence by allotment 7 bearing N. 23° 43' E. one chain; thence by lines bearing respectively easterly thirteen chains ninety-one links in an arc of a circle whose centre lies nineteen chains fifty links northerly, N. 73° 41' E. three chains eighty-six links, and north-easterly seventeen chains twenty-two links in an arc of a circle whose centre lies sixty chains fifty links south-easterly; thence by roads bearing respectively east sixteen chains thirteen links and south one chain; and thence by lines bearing respectively west sixteen chains thirteen links, south-westerly sixteen chains ninety-three links and a half in an arc of a circle whose centre lies fifty-nine chains fifty links south-easterly, S. 73° 41' W. three chains eighty-six links, and westerly fourteen chains sixty-one links in an arc of a circle whose centre lies twenty chains fifty links northerly to the point of commencement.—(W.262⁽²⁾) 202^c (86.R.25685.)

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 12 March, pursuant to Orders of 9 March 1886.

BALLAN.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 29th June 1874, of five acres of land in the town of Ballan, as a site for Market and Cattle Saleyards, is about to be revoked.—(B.23⁽²⁾) (86.R.25684.)

BALLAN.—The temporary reservation, by Orders dated respectively the 13th August and the 17th September 1866, of five acres of land in the town of Ballan, as a site for the use of the Ballan Agricultural and Pastoral Society, is about to be revoked.—(B.23⁽²⁾) (86.R.25684.)

KURUG-A-RUC.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 13th April 1874, of One hundred and eighty acres of land in the parish of Kurug-a-ruc, being allotments 167, 170, 174, and 197, as sites for Watering and Camping purposes, is about to be revoked.—(373/67.)

MANGALORE.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 5th January 1880, of five acres of land in the parish of Mangalore, being portion of allotment 39B, as a site for Public purposes (State school application 1359), is about to be revoked.—(86.L.13021)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 19 March, pursuant to Order of 16 March 1886.

COBUNGRA.—The temporary reservation, by Orders dated respectively the 30th January 1865 and the 26th September 1881, of twelve acres thirty-eight perches of land in the parish of Cobungra, as a site for a Pound, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—Two acres two roods thirty perches, more or less: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively S. 65° 25' E. seven chains, S. 57° 15' W. four chains sixty-seven links, and S. 89° 18' W. four chains ninety links; and thence by a road bearing N. 24° 4' E. five chains ninety-nine links to the point of commencement.—(C.372) (85.S.30508.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 26 March, pursuant to Order of 23 March 1886.

GRANTVILLE.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 16th July 1873, of three acres two perches of land in the town of Grantville, as a site for State School purposes, is about to be revoked.—(G.198) (86.E.13022.)

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

LANDS PROPOSED TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act 1884* (48 Vict. No. 812, § 10 and 12): Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to reserve from sale, permanently, the lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 4 March, pursuant to Order of 2 March 1886.

MELBOURNE (CARLTON).—Site for a Lying-in Hospital about to be permanently reserved, being the site temporarily reserved therefor by orders dated respectively the 28th September 1857, the 9th August 1858, and the 1st December 1862.—Two acres two roods, county of Bourke, city of Melbourne, at Carlton, being allotments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 20, 21, and 22 of section 39: Commencing at the intersection of the north side of Grattan street and the east side of Madeline street; bounded thence by the latter street bearing north five chains; thence by allotments 9 and 19 bearing east five chains; thence by Cardigan street bearing south five chains; and thence by Grattan street aforesaid bearing west five chains to the point of commencement.—(M.313⁽²⁾) (86.H.32854.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 19 March, pursuant to Order of 16 March 1886.

MELBOURNE.—Site for an Ornamental Plantation about to be permanently reserved.—One rood six perches, county of Bourke, parish of Jika Jika, city of Melbourne: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 10 of section A; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 87° 40' E. seventy-nine feet two inches; thence by a right-of-way bearing S. 3° 20' E. three hundred and sixteen feet one inch; and thence by Park road bearing N. 16° 23' W. three hundred and twenty-five feet eight inches to the point of commencement.—(M.313⁽²⁾) (86.M.44436.)

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

COMMONS ABOUT TO BE DIMINISHED.

IN pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act 1884*, § 103: Notice is hereby given that the Governor in Council is about to diminish the Commons hereinafter mentioned, viz.:—

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 26 February, pursuant to Order of 23 February 1886.

THE GLEN GRANT AND TARNAGULLA UNITED FARMERS' COMMON (within the shire of Marong).—The portion of the Glen Grant and Tarnagulla United Farmers' Common within the shire of Marong, constituted a separate common by Order of the 21st October 1867, is about to be diminished by deducting therefrom fifty-six acres three roods thirty-six perches of land, being suburban allotment 14, town of Marong, and allotment 107C, parish of Marong.—(85.M.44516.)

THE ROKEWOOD GOLDFIELD COMMON, proclaimed by Order of the 28th January 1861, and increased by Orders dated respectively 25th April and 17th October 1864, 24th December 1866, and 25th November 1872, is about to be diminished by deducting therefrom forty acres of land, being allotments 18A and 18B, parish of Dereel.—(86.S.35900.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 4 March, pursuant to Order of 2 March 1886.

THE LAURISTON AND BURKE UNITED FARMERS' AND GOLDFIELDS COMMON, proclaimed by Order of the 3rd August 1868, and diminished by Order of the 1st May 1883, is about to be further diminished by deducting therefrom the portion situate south of the Spring Hill three-chain road, and comprising an area of about 2,800 acres.—(86.G.20636.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 19 March, pursuant to Order of 16 March 1886.

THE CRAIGIE AND EGLINTON FARMERS' COMMON, proclaimed by Order of the 4th March 1861, and increased by Orders dated respectively the 11th November 1868 and the 22nd February 1869, is about to be diminished by deducting therefrom the Water and Road reserve, being allotment 7 of section 7A, containing thirty-seven acres two roods sixteen perches of land.—(86.W.24795.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 26 March, pursuant to Order of 23 March 1886.

THE RUTHERGLEN COMMON, proclaimed by Order of the 24th January 1876, and increased by Order of the 8th December 1879, is about to be diminished by deducting therefrom the several portions of lands hereinafter described, viz.:—

Three hundred acres, more or less, parish of Carlyle, being allotments 1A, 1B, 2A, and 2B of section 33.

One hundred acres, more or less, parish of Carlyle, being the unalienated portions of original allotments 4, 5, and 6 of section 29.

Eighty-five acres, more or less, parish of Carlyle, being allotment 3 of section 15.

Fourteen acres, more or less, parish of Carlyle, situate in section 42: Commencing at the north-east angle of J. Bourke's licensed block; bounded thence south by a road west, south, and west by G. M. Drummond's block; north by allotments 24A and 25A; and north-easterly by E. Ray's block and J. Bourke's block aforesaid to the point of commencement.

Thirty acres, more or less, parish of Lilliput: Bounded on the south-east by allotment 15 of section J; on the south-west by allotment 5; and on the north by W. Pettigrew's and B. Mitchell's blocks, and a line bearing N. 59° E. from the south-east angle of the latter block.

And forty acres, more or less, parish of Lilliput: Bounded on the north by allotment 15 of section J; on the east and south by roads; and on the west by allotment 5.—(R.21057, 26108, 26109, B.42210, H.30749, and S.36471.)

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

COMMONS ABOUT TO BE ABOLISHED.

IN pursuance of the provisions of *The Land Act 1884*, § 103: Notice is hereby given that the Governor in Council is about to abolish the Commons hereinafter mentioned, viz.:—

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 4 March, pursuant to Order of 2 March 1886.

THE BALLARK AND BUNGAL COMMON, proclaimed by Order of 17th January 1879, and increased by Order of 12th September 1879.—(86.B.44560.)

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 19 March, pursuant to Order of 16 March 1886.

THE LACEBY COMMON, proclaimed by Order of the 27th August 1877, and increased by Orders dated respectively the 2nd December 1878 and the 7th August 1882, is about to be abolished.—(85.O.14939.)

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Lands and Survey Office,
Melbourne.

"THE MALLEE PASTORAL LEASES ACT 1883." LEASE FOR MALLEE BLOCK DECLARED VOID.

IT is hereby notified that the lease for the Mallee Block specified in the Schedule hereunder has been declared void.

JNO. L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown
administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

Schedule.

Date of Lease.	Name.	Block.	Area.
1.1.84	Henry O'Keeffe ...	44	300 square miles

**"THE MALLEE PASTORAL LEASES ACT 1883."—MALLEE BLOCKS AND MALLEE ALLOTMENTS
AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION.**

APPPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, for right to lease the undermentioned Mallee Blocks for the term of seventeen years and eleven months, from the first day of January 1886, are now receivable. Plans and forms of application, which must be accompanied by a receipt for registration fee of £1, can be obtained at the Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

J. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square miles.	Situation, &c.
31	412	On the South Australian boundary
37	281	On the South Australian boundary
39	392	On the South Australian boundary
40	193	South of and adjoining block 39, on the South Australian boundary
63	46	South of and adjoining block 62, on Yarriambiack Creek
67	31½	Formerly allotments 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, and south part of allotment 22, county of Tatchera
70	21½	Formerly allotments 65 and 56, county of Tatchera
71	104½	Formerly allotments 99, 100, 103, 105, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112B, 114, 115, 116, 117, 119A, 121, 126, and 131, county of Tatchera
72	64	Formerly allotments 142, 144, and 147, county of Tatchera
79	116½	South of Winiam and Woragworn and north of Nurcoog and Arapiles, formerly allotments 139, 140, 194, 195 and 208, county of Lowan
80	78	Formerly allotments 165, 167, 168, and 189, county of Lowan
82	70	Formerly allotments 25, 26, 27, and 28, county of Lowan

NOTE.—Allotments formed into blocks are available for application either as allotments or blocks.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS.

THE undermentioned Mallee Allotments are now available for application. Particulars as to position of allotments, and character of country, can be obtained on application at the local Land Offices.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
Horsham Survey District.		
116	11½ square miles	Borong
131	2½ "	"
4	5 " and 315 acres	Lowan
187	13 "	"
188	19 "	"
191	25½ "	"
193	18½ "	"
197	2½ "	"
198	1½ "	"
207	2½ "	"
Kerang Survey District.		
6	2½ square miles	Gladstone
8	2½ "	"
32	9½ "	Tatchera
37	31 "	"
66	1 square mile and 184 acres	"
102	1 " 576 "	"
120	3 square miles and 404 acres	"
132	4 " 346 "	"
139B	293 acres	"
146	1½ square miles	"
149	2 " "	"
St. Arnaud Survey District.		
10	2½ square miles	Gladstone
13	1½ "	"
20	1 square mile and 147 acres	"
130	555 acres	Karkaroc
74	2½ square miles	Tatchera
80	17 "	"
88B	3 square miles and 346 acres	"
95	1½ "	"
96	1½ "	"
98A	1½ "	"
155	2½ "	Borong
156B	1 square mile and 335 acres	"
157A	516 acres	"

"THE MALLEE PASTORAL LEASES ACT 1883."—TRANSFER OF LEASE OF MALLEE ALLOTMENT.

IT is hereby notified that the transfer of the Lease of Mallee Allotment specified in the Schedule hereunder has been approved by the Governor in Council.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Schedule.

Allotment.	County.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Date and Place of Payment of Fees for transfer.
9 C	Karkaroc	Jarvis Spittle	Peter Spittle	20.3.86. Donald

March 26, 1886.

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"THE MALLEE PASTORAL LEASES ACT 1883."—RENTS DUE ON MALLEE BLOCKS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 1885.

LESSEES and Occupiers of Mallee Blocks are hereby notified that the Rents due for the half-year ended the 31st December 1885, as set forth in the following statement, are now payable.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey,
Being the Responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

No. of Block.	Part Leased.	Area in square miles.	Name of Lessee.	Average number of Stock depastured for the half-year ended 31st December 1885.		Amount payable at minimum fee.	Vermitt Rate for 1886, at 2s 6d. per square mile.	Total for half-year ended 31st December 1885.	Remarks.
				Sheep	Cattle	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
41	B	242	The New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited)			15 2 6	30 5 0	45 7 6	
42	A	270		833	...	16 17 6	33 15 0	50 12 6	
65	A	154				9 12 6	19 5 0	28 17 6	

AREA OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF LAND INCREASED, ETC.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Sir HENRY BROUGHAM LOCH, Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS by *The Land Act 1884* it was amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council might, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, from time to time increase or diminish the area of land comprised in any of the classes mentioned in section six of the said Act, except increasing lands which might be sold by auction: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby increase or diminish (as the case may be) the area of Crown lands comprised in Classes Nos. 2 and 3 of said section, viz., "Agricultural and Grazing Lands" and "Auriferous Lands," to the extent set forth in the subjoined Schedules, that is to say:—

The Schedules referred to:

AREA OF AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING LANDS INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Block.	Area.	Description.
			A. R. P.	
Delatite ¹ ...	Dondangadale ...	A	317 0 13	Formerly licensed to Michael Loughnan
Normanby ¹ ...	Homerton ...	A	72 0 0	East of and adjoining R. Price's holding
Dundas ¹ ...	Bepcha ...	B	44 0 0	A reserve on the road from Glenisla to Horsham, adjoining J. Butler's holding
Borong ¹ ...	Concongolla South ...	C	120 0 0	North of and adjoining P. Lloyd's holding and the State School
" ¹ ...	Witchipool ...	B	20 0 0	Formerly licensed to G. W. Bentley
Tanjil ¹ ...	Meerlieu ...	A	184 0 0	Being the Crown lands situated between allotment 1 of section 39, and allotments 2A and 3 of section 27
Buln Buln ¹ ...	Allambee ...	C	168 2 30	Previously applied for by John McIntosh
" ¹ ...	Doomburrim ...	A	320 0 0	Formerly licensed to Maria M. Rooney
" ¹ ...	Dumbalk ...	A	312 0 0	Formerly licensed to James Brown
" ¹ ...	Moe ...	A	172 0 0	Formerly licensed to Francis Conley

AREA OF AURIFEROUS LAND DIMINISHED.

County.	Parish.	Area.	Description.
		A. R. P.	
Talbot ...	Maryborough ...	3 0 0	Land occupied by the late W. D. Allen as a garden site
Borong ...	Concongolla South ...	120 0 0	Land north of and adjoining P. Lloyd's holding and the State School

¹ All applications must be lodged with the Land Officer for the district in which the land is situated, and such applications so lodged on or before the 16th April 1886 will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.)

HENRY B. LOCH.

By His Excellency's Command,

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN !

"The Land Act 1884." Section 2.

GRAZING PERMIT.

IT is hereby notified that the following Permit to occupy land for Grazing purposes only has been granted, under the provisions of the regulations dated 1st April 1879, and published in *Government Gazette* of 4th April 1879.

No.	Permit granted to.	Area.	Parish.	Fee.	Section under which original application was made.	Payable to Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.
		A. R. P.		£ s. d.		
1686	Peter Green ¹ ...	6 2 19	Yarrowee ...	0 1 9	Forty-nine ...	Snythesdale

¹ This is a renewal.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

"The Land Act 1884," Sections 2, 32, 65, 67, 93, and 119.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSES NOT GRANTED.

IT is hereby notified that the following Applications for Licenses under the Land Acts 1869 and 1884 have not been granted.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Area.	Parish.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.		
Under Section 19 of "The Land Act 1869."				
9280	Thos. McCurran	48 0 0	Whorouly	Withdrawn.
9960	Jane Winchester	27 2 6	Wonga Wonga	Refused.
12942	James King	100 0 0	Warburton	Refused.
15884	Joseph Walkley	320 0 0	Dumbalk	Abandoned.
8490	Robt. Dyball, sen.	320 0 0	Belvoir	Refused.
Under Section 49 of "The Land Act 1869."				
2241	Alex. McDonald	11 0 0	Coliban	Refused.
Under Section 32 of "The Land Act 1884."				
452	Mary Ann Delaney	25 0 0	Ballyrogan	Withdrawn.
1472	Cornelius O'Keefe	300 0 0	Parrie Yalloak	Refused.
1475	Cornelius O'Keefe	360 0 0	Parrie Yalloak	Refused.
1834	George Taylor	338 0 0	Bellauna	Refused.
1596	Johann D. Rathjen	850 0 0	Gobarup	Refused.
1690	Ephraim Shaw	600 0 0	Borung	Refused.
1689	Walter Shaw	670 0 0	Borung	Refused.
253	Henry Clifford	20 0 0	Burrum Burrum	Refused.
1002	George Lang	20 0 0	Burrum Burrum	Refused.
1511	David Parry	535 0 0	Myrtleford	Refused.
1904	Albert D. Weston	90 0 0	Wandilgong	Refused.
1433	Wm. Nuttall	18 0 0	Myrtleford	Withdrawn.
601	Jno. Fearn	350 0 0	Myrtleford	Refused.
69	Thos. Brown, sen.	400 0 0	Maintongoon	Abandoned.
1096	Margt. E. Martin	800 0 0	Whanregarwen	Abandoned.
1908	James Woodbury	580 0 0	Maintongoon	Abandoned.
1089	David H. Martin	900 0 0	Granton	Abandoned.
888	Jno. A. Johnston	960 0 0	Whanregarwen	Abandoned.
682	Joseph A. Gordon	1,000 0 0	Eildon	Abandoned.
681	Wm. Gerrard	662 0 0	Maintongoon	Abandoned.
1544	Patk. Power ¹	100 0 0	Boorolite	Refused.
1112	Geo. C. Matthews	700 0 0	Howqua	Withdrawn.
51	David Brolly	390 0 0	Wangaratta South	Refused.
1894	Jno. Vaughan	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
1238	Bridget McInerney	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
264	Patk. Cunningham	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
1933	Alex. Westman	560 0 0	Lurg	Withdrawn.
1685	James Sloan	390 0 0	Wangaratta South	Refused.
77	Clarence Bollard	600 0 0	Toombullup	Refused.
1271	Jno. C. McCaul	390 0 0	Wangaratta South	Refused.
1084	Wm. Miller	390 0 0	Wangaratta South	Refused.
62	Geo. F. Brew	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
881	Wm. James	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
1091	Jno. Murray	160 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
627	Thos. Forrest	1,000 0 0	Tallangalook	Withdrawn.
1019	Wm. Lovick	200 0 0	Merrigig	Refused.
1121	Mary Ann Matthews	300 0 0	Howqua	Refused.
1533	Edwd. Parsons	450 0 0	Howqua West	Abandoned.
1101	Thos. Melano	1,000 0 0	Howqua West	Abandoned.
925	Catherine T. Kays	319 0 0	Panyabyr	Refused.
1541	Jeffrey Purcell	600 0 0	Bessibelle	Refused.
830	R. J. Holmes	550 0 0	Warrain	Refused.
1634	Elizabeth Ryan	1,000 0 0	Durong	Withdrawn.
923	Rose Kenney	1,000 0 0	Lambruk	Withdrawn.
265	Jno. Craig	120 0 0	Kaladbro	Refused.
1121	Michael Morrissey	320 0 0	Dunmore	Refused.
1683	Arthur Leary	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
888	Geo. W. Jordan	520 0 0	Kelfeera	Refused.
1834	David E. Thomas	500 0 0	Gorae	Withdrawn.
1627	David T. Richards	517 0 0	Glenaulin	Refused.
335	James Coutts, jun.	175 0 0	Homerton	Refused.
319	Henry Cowland	550 0 0	Warrain	Withdrawn.
1241	David McLellan, jun.	350 0 0	Drik Drik	Refused.
1908	Joseph Williams	860 0 0	Snake Island	Refused.
1232	Jno. McDonald	570 0 0	Caralulup	Refused.
1477	Christopher T. Ormsby	930 0 0	Kaanglang	Abandoned.
1600	Mary Jane Rowe	240 0 0	Timboon	Refused.
732	Wm. A. Hastings	125 0 0	Laang	Withdrawn.
57	Wm. Bradford	1,000 0 0	Windham	Withdrawn.
253	Michael Conway	190 0 0	Kyabram East	Refused.
255	Jno. Cull	428 0 0	Kanyapella	Refused.
1082	Alex. Mellis	190 0 0	Kyabram East	Refused.
1233	Duncan McLennan	600 0 0	Wyuna	Refused.
1681	James Smith	450 0 0	Kanyapella	Refused.
1001	Francis Laffy	173 0 0	Kyabram East	Refused.
921	Phillip Kennedy	173 0 0	Kyabram East	Refused.
681	Patk. Griffiths	960 0 0	Tooborne	Refused.
1593	Henry Roach	680 0 0	Flowerdale	Withdrawn.
1613	Robt. Roy	650 0 0	Panyule	Refused.
724	Francis Goodear	600 0 0	Dropmore	Refused.
Under Section 65 of "The Land Act 1884."				
532	Thos. Merifield	20 0 0	Heathcote	Refused.
324	Wm. M. Gardener	20 0 0	Carngnam	Refused.
271	Chas. Ewart	20 0 0	Warburton	Refused.
Under Section 67 of "The Land Act 1884."				
901	R. Thompson	980 0 0	Borodomanin	Refused.
748	Geo. H. Pickard	202 0 0	Moora	Refused.
30	Eliza Boyd	100 0 0	Caralulup	Refused.
370	George Hope	1,000 0 0	Dereel	Refused.
981	J. H. Walker	1,000 0 0	Warburton	Refused.
882	Chas. Jones	176 0 0	Warrandyte	Refused.
859	Thos. Sullivan	140 0 0	Kerrit Bareet	Refused.

¹ Land open under Part 3 of "The Land Act 1884."

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APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSES NOT GRANTED—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Area.	Parish.	Remarks.
		A. R. P.		
Under Section 93 of "The Land Act 1884."				
783	Donald Ross, sen. ...	48 0 0	Loyola ...	Refused.
614	W. J. McIntosh ...	1 0 0	Wodonga ...	Refused.
434	Wm. Jones ...	3 0 0	Mooroopna ...	Refused.
542	C. and E. Miller ...	3 0 0	Jeparit ...	Withdrawn.
534	Henry Martin ...	0 0 25	Bellarine ...	Refused.
452	Allan Kennedy ...	3 0 0	Irrewarra ...	Refused.
963	Robt. Warriner ...	3 0 0	Campbelltown ...	Refused.
378	Richard T. Hoare ...	3 0 0	Lynchfield ...	Abandoned.
40	Byrne and Rae ...	3 0 0	Blackwood ...	Refused.
52	Edwd. Bawden ...	3 0 0	Kerit Bareet ...	Refused.
227	Jno. Drury ...	3 0 0	Ringwood ...	Refused.
534	Arthur Morrison ...	0 2 0	Raymond Island ...	Refused.
321	Lorens Gronheit ...	0 1 0	Raymond Island ...	Abandoned.
941	Brown Worsloe ...	0 1 0	Raymond Island ...	Refused.
Under Section 119 of "The Land Act 1884."				
832	Herman J. H. Schoer ...	21 0 0	Omeo ...	Refused.
23	Leonard Brumby ...	22 0 0	Omeo ...	Refused.
615	Donald McLachlan ...	58 0 0	Waggon ...	Refused.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

"The Land Act 1884," Sections 2 and 119.

LICENSES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1869 AND 1884 REVOKED, CANCELLED, OR DECLARED VOID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licenses mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have been revoked, forfeited, or declared void for the reasons specified in each case.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed.	Parish.	Area.	Order in Council dated	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
					A. R. P.			
Licenses under "The Land Act 1869."								
Melbourne ...	2480	Owen Owens ...	47	Cut-Paw-Paw	0 2 0	...	Cancelled ...	Melbourne
" ...	2938	Samuel Willis ...	47	Richmond ...	1 3 8	...	Cancelled ...	"
Geelong ...	274	Jno. Hubbard ...	47	Grazing permit	20 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Geelong
" ...	2254	Alex. McDonald ...	47	Grazing block 2504	98 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	"
Camperdown ...	90	J. and W. Cross ...	47	Grazing block 127	80 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Hamilton
Sale ...	297	James Ingram ...	47	Grazing block 84	39,500 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Palmerston
Alexandra ...	14	Ah Wy ...	47	Alexandra	1 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Alexandra
" ...	15	Ah Wy ...	47	Alexandra	1 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	"
Beechworth ...	2685	Geo. Stephens ...	47	Grazing block 546	2,900 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Yackandandah
Seymour ...	618	Robt. Tuthill ...	47	Mitchell's Town	1 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Seymour
Horsham ...	238	Jno. Gleeson ...	47	Wallup ...	1 0 0	...	Land sold ...	Horsham
Echuca ...	...	Murray River Saw-mill Coy.	53	Cocomah ...	540 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Echuca
Licenses under "The Land Act 1869" as amended by "The Land Act 1873."								
Alexandra ...	1688	Richard Goodear ...	19	Yarek ...	39 1 15	...	Land sold ...	Alexandra
Hamilton ...	5374	Donald McKenzie ...	19	Woollpoor ...	319 0 0	...	Non-payment of rent	Hamilton
Horsham ...	12469	Louis Dorrington ...	19	Woorak ...	320 0 0	...	At licensee's request	Nhill
Melbourne ...	13951	Joseph Ward ...	19	Gracedale ...	320 0 0	...	At licensee's request	Melbourne
" ...	12685	W. J. Gunn ...	19	Narree Worrar	319 0 0	...	At licensee's request	Melbourne
Licenses under "The Land Act 1884."								
Echuca ...	221	Thos. Davies, jun. ...	119	Grazing block 2032	710 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Echuca
Sale ...	942	Fred. Willis ...	119	Grazing block 2203	1,200 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Rosedale
Camperdown ...	943	Western Meat Preserving Coy. Limited	119	Grazing block 2099	1,199 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Camperdown
Ballarat ...	945	Jno. Wilson ...	119	Grazing block 2131	280 0 0	...	Cancelled ...	Smythesdale

NOTES.

MELBOURNE DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted on 24th December 1885, p. 3581, cancelling Samuel Willis' license, 2903/47, is hereby cancelled.

SEYMOUR DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted on 1st May 1885, p. 1189, revoking 5754/19, Edwd. Sharp, 126 acres, parish of Monea South, is hereby cancelled.

"The Land Act 1884," Sections 2, 3, 93, and 119.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Licenses having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue, to whom the Licenses have been forwarded for issue.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

Number of License.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of License.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Payment.	Survey Charge to revenue except when otherwise ordered.	Fee for License.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		Acres.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

Under Section 19 of "The Land Act 1869" as amended by "The Land Act 1878."—Payment to be made half-yearly.

4874 H¹ Henry T. Field¹ ... 127 Homerton ... 1.4.80 | 3 3 6 | ... | ... | 38 2 0 | Portland

Under Sections 3 and 119 of "The Land Act 1884."—Renewal of Grazing Licenses.—Payment to be made yearly.

... Lars F. Westblado² ... 490 Grazing block No. 745 1.1.86 | 4 0 0 | ... | 0 5 0 | 4 5 0 | Kerang
145 Robt. Donohue ... 1,264 Watchem ... " | 45 0 0 | ... | ... | 45 0 0³ | Donald
146 Robt. Donohue ... 275 Watchem ... " | 11 6 3 | ... | ... | 11 6 3³ | "

Under Section 93 of "The Land Act 1884."—Payment to be made in advance.

... J. Johnston and Co. : to enter upon the Gunbower State Forest to fell and remove thirty-nine (39) pieces of timber, each not to exceed twenty (20) feet in length ... 7 16 0 | ... | ... | 7 16 0⁴ | Echuca
... John Robson : to enter upon the Gunbower State Forest to fell and remove eight pieces of timber, each not to exceed forty-five (45) feet in length ... 3 5 4 | ... | ... | 3 5 4⁵ | "
... W. Woodman : to enter upon the Gunbower State Forest to fell and remove therefrom forty (40) pieces of timber, each not to exceed twenty (20) feet in length ... 8 0 0 | ... | ... | 8 0 0⁶ | "

Under Section 93 of "The Land Act 1884."—Payment to be made quarterly.

1566 James Marshall : saw-mill site⁷ 1r. Seymour ... 1.1.86 | 3 0 0 | ... | ... | 6 0 0 | Seymour
613 John McGilvary : slaughter-house site 3r. 30p. Banyenong ... 1.4.86 | 2 10 0 | ... | ... | 2 10 0 | Donald
1549 Henry M. Wilson : rural store and hotel Yelta ... " | 1 5 0 | ... | ... | 1 5 0 | Kerang
1018 George Anderson : residence⁸ 3 Irrewillipe ... 1.1.86 | 1 5 0 | ... | ... | 1 5 0 | Colac
221 William Doorty : garden⁸ 2r. Traralgon ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Traralgon
223 Jas. Doorty : garden⁸ 2r. Traralgon ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
851 Alexander Stewart : tramway ... Corinella and Woolamai ... " | 12 10 0 | ... | ... | 12 10 0 | Melbourne

Under Section 93 of "The Land Act 1884."—Payment to be made yearly.

1542 James Lipscombe : garden site 2a. 3r. 8p. Alexandra ... 1.1.86 | 1 0 0 | ... | ... | 1 0 0 | Alexandra
2448 Daniel Hughes : removing fallen deadwood timber ... Mooroonpa and Shepparton ... 1.4.86 | 2 0 0 | ... | ... | 1 10 0 | Shepparton

Under Section 93 of "The Land Act 1884."—Renewal of Garden Licenses.—Payment to be made yearly.

235 Thomas Gould ... 1 Maryborough ... 23.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Maryborough
680 Robert Wilson ... 1 Craigie ... 16.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Talbot
2320 Jemmy Ah Fung ... 1 Maryborough ... 14.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Maryborough
2973 Ah Yung ... 1 Maryborough ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
313 William Kempmaer ... 1 Ballarat ... 23.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Ballarat
313 William Kempmaer ... 1 Ballarat ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
1684 Jeremiah Griffin ... 1 Scarsdale ... 4.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Smythesdale
1684 Jeremiah Griffin ... 1 Scarsdale ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
2014 Henry Leek ... 1 Argyle ... 2.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
2014 Henry Leek ... 1 Argyle ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
280 Alex. Hamilton ... 1 Ballarat East ... 11.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Ballarat
280 Alex. Hamilton ... 1 Ballarat East ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
428 M. McCarthy ... 1 Ballarat East ... 9.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "
570 Ah Sow ... 1 Argyle ... 23.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Smythesdale
2243 Matthew McCarthy ... 1 Ballarat ... 30.4.86 | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | Ballarat
2008 Will Loo ... 1 Ballarat ... " | 0 5 0 | ... | ... | 0 5 0 | "

¹ This is a re-license. See *Gazette* of 23rd October 1885, p. 2936. Total to pay includes arrears of rent. £31 15s., previously paid as rent, to be credited.

² In lieu of notice gazetted 22nd January 1886, p. 140. Rent paid. 5s. fee due.

³ Fee of 5s. to be collected.

⁴ Paid to Receiver and Paymaster at Melbourne on 3rd February 1886.

⁵ Paid to Receiver and Paymaster at Melbourne on 14th January 1886.

⁶ Paid to Receiver and Paymaster at Melbourne on 27th February 1886.

⁷ £3, paid to Receiver and Paymaster at Seymour on 19th November 1885, to be credited.

⁸ This is a renewal.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSES APPROVED—continued.

Number of License.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of License.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Payment.	Survey Charge to revenue except when otherwise ordered.	Fee for License.	Total Amount of first Payment.	
		Acres.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 119 of "The Land Act 1884."—Payment to be made yearly.									
3222	Hermion Lennon: grazing block No. 2617	70	Moira ...	1.4.86	2 10 0	...	...	2 2 6	Echuca
3223	Geo. W. Froggatt: grazing block No. 2616	80	Mincha and Mincha West	"	2 0 0	...	...	1 15 0	Sandhurst, Echuca district
3224	Jno. Brennock: grazing block No. 2618	14	Branjee ...	"	0 10 0	...	...	0 12 6	Benalla
2995	Hendry Boyd ...	6	Grazing block No. 225A	"	0 1 6	...	...	0 6 2	Bright
2994	Margaret Collins ...	5	Grazing block No. 224A	"	0 5 0	...	0 5 0	0 8 6	"
3636	Jno. Pettigrove: grazing block No. 2262 ¹	10	Macorna ...	1.9.85	0 5 0	...	0 5 0	0 6 8	Kerang
...	Jno. Pettigrove: grazing block No. 2262 ²	10	Macorna ...	1.1.86	0 5 0	...	0 5 0	0 10 0	"
3582	Thomas Hickey, sen.: grazing block No. 2482 ³	20	Sandford ...	15.2.86	5 14 0	...	0 5 0	5. 5 0	Casterton
3583	John Macinnes: grazing block No. 2473 ³	9	Coleraine ...	"	2 11 4	...	0 5 0	2 10 0	Hamilton
3584	James McGrath: grazing	13	Bahgallah ...	1.3.86	0 13 0	...	0 5 0	0 15 10	Casterton
2619	Andrew O'Keefe: grazing block No. 2464 ²	7,125	Kimbolton ...	15.2.86	30 0 0	...	0 5 0	26 11 0	Sandhurst
744	Mary Prigg: grazing ⁴	22	Block 2167, Colac	1.1.86	5 10 0	...	0 5 0	5 15 0	Colac
1772	Edmund Hayes: grazing ⁴	18	Birregurra ...	"	6 6 0	...	0 5 0	6 11 0	"
432	Robert Inglis: grazing ⁴	50a. or 19p.	Pomborneit ...	"	1 0 0	...	0 5 0	1 5 0	Camperdown
532	Peter Morrison: grazing ⁴	149	Block 2108 ...	"	4 0 0	...	0 5 0	4 5 0	"
484	William O'Hara: grazing ⁴	250	Block 290, Stratford	"	2 11 6	...	0 5 0	2 16 6	Maffra
663	John Wright: grazing ⁴	187	Rosedale ...	"	3 0 0	...	0 5 0	3 5 0	Rosedale
596	George Sligh: grazing ⁴	300	Block 73, Loy Yang	"	2 9 0	...	0 5 0	2 5 0	Traralgon
481	William O'Rourke: grazing ⁴	19,000	Reedy Creek ...	"	10 0 0	...	0 5 0	10 5 0	Palmerston
487	William O'Rourke: grazing ⁴	2,650	Woranga and Bruthen	"	18 8 3	...	0 5 0	18 13 3	"
109	J. M. Cameron: grazing ⁴	17,385	Block 471 ...	"	24 16 4	...	0 5 0	25 1 4	Maffra
533	W. H. Rankin: grazing ⁴	9,600	"Habitare," block 26	"	6 0 0	...	0 5 0	6 5 0	Bairnsdale

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 28th August 1885, p. 2463.² In lieu of notice gazetted 22nd January 1886, p. 140.³ Rent for current year and fee for license have been paid into Treasury, Melbourne.⁴ This is a renewal."The Land Act 1884," Section 32.
GRAZING AREAS AVAILABLE.

THE undermentioned allotments, or portions of allotments, will be available for application under the above section, at the offices mentioned hereunder, on and after Friday the 16th April 1886.

County.	Parish.	Area Available.	No. of Allotment.	Land Office.	Remarks.
		Acres.			
Anglesey ...	Flowerdale	680	Part 82	Seymour ...	The southern portion of the block
" ...	Windham ...	210	Part 42	" ...	The western portion of the block
Dalhousie ...	Tooborac ...	560	47A	" ...	Formerly applied for by P. Griffiths
" ...	Northwood	840	57, 58	" ...	Formerly applied for by Jeremiah Murphy
" ...	Mitchell ...	250	Part 53	" ...	Formerly applied for by Thomas Reynolds
" ...	Panyule	650	41	" ...	Formerly applied for by Robert Roy
Rodney ...	Gobarup ...	261	Part 73	Sandhurst ...	The southern portion of the block, formerly applied for by J. D. Rathjen
Ripon ...	Ballyrogan	25	B's	Ararat ...	Formerly applied for by Mary Ann Delaney
Borong ...	Bellauna ...	280	42	Stawell ...	Formerly applied for by George Taylor
Dundas ...	Lambruk ...	650	Parts 12 and 13	Hamilton ...	The eastern portions of the blocks
" ...	Bepcha and Wing Wing	376	Part 16	" ...	The northern portion of the block
Normanby ...	Warrain ...	550	26	" ...	Formerly applied for by Henry Cowland
" ...	Bessiebelle	600	94	" ...	Formerly applied for by Jeffrey Purcell
Anglesey {	Maintongoon	327	Part 20, section A, 47B	Alexandra...	Formerly applied for by Thos. Brown, sen., and abandoned
" {	Branket ...				
" ...	Whanregarwen	480	102	" ...	Formerly applied for by Margaret E. Martin
" ...	Maintongoon	290	Part 22, section B	" ...	The north-eastern portion of the block
" ...	Granton ...	900	61, 62	" ...	Formerly applied for by D. H. Martin
" ...	Whanregarwen	630	Part 104	" ...	Formerly applied for by Jno. A. Johnston
" ...	Eildon ...	130	Part 63	" ...	Formerly applied for by Joseph A. Gordon
" ...	Maintongoon	662	33A, section A	" ...	Formerly applied for by Wm. Gerrard
Delatite ...	Tallangallock	200	75A	" ...	Portion of the land applied for by Thos. Forrest
Womungatta	Howqua West	450	Part 135	" ...	Formerly applied for by Edwd. Parsons
" ...	Howqua West	870	136	" ...	Formerly applied for by Thomas Melano
Delatite ...	Lurg	560	69	Benalla ...	Formerly applied for by Alexander Westman
" ...	Myrtleford	18	24A	Beechworth ...	Formerly applied for by Wm. Nuttall
Polwarth ...	Kaanglang	316	Part 13	Geelong ...	The north-eastern portion of the block
Heytesbury	Timboon ...	240	44	" ...	Formerly applied for by Mary Jane Rowe
" ...	Laang ...	80	137	" ...	Portion of the block not proclaimed as township

"The Land Act 1884," Section 2.
APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.					Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees.		Total to pay.	
			A. R. P.	£ s.	£ s.	Lease.	Certification.	£ s.	
Under Section 20 of "The Land Act 1869."									
1.9.81	Christina Matheson ¹ ...	Budgerum West ...	319 3 29	16 0	160 0	1	1	163 0	Kerang 3202
Under Section 20 of "The Land Act 1869" as amended by "The Land Act 1878."									
1.1.86	Thomas Cropp ...	Arcadia ...	289 3 32	7 5	7 5	1	1	9 5	Shepparton 12322
1.2.86	Joseph A. D. Carmody ...	Youarang ...	319 3 33	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Tungamah 14253
1.1.86	Alfred Aston (adm. to estate of late Alexr. Aston)	Peechelba ...	319 3 38	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Wangaratta 12011
"	William Jones ...	Taminick ...	93 1 18	2 7	2 7	1	1	4 7	" 12914
1.1.84	Henry G. Thomas ...	Whitfield ...	99 3 35	2 10	12 10	1	1	14 10	" 3878
1.6.85	John Nolan (exr. of will of late Michael O'Keeffe)	Laceyby ...	199 2 11	5 0	10 0	1	1	12 0	" 13479
1.8.85	John Nolan (exr. of will of late Michael O'Keeffe)	Laceyby ...	44 0 0	1 2	2 4	1	1	4 4	" 13480
1.1.86	Charles Geo. Thomson ...	Cobram ...	50 2 37	1 5/6	1 5/6	1	1	3 5/6	Yarrowonga 14674
"	Robert Jacobs ...	Pelluebla ...	199 3 37	5 0	5 0	1	1	7 0	" 12905
1.12.85	Sarah Lowe (George P. Smith deceased, original selector)	Tharanbeggaa ...	319 3 33	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 15688
1.2.86	John Forrest ...	Nillahcootie ...	197 0 31	4 19	5 5	1	1	7 5 ²	Mansfield 1617
1.1.86	David Williams ...	Bungeet ...	79 3 37	2 0	2 0	1	1	4 0	Benalla 15893
1.12.85	Fredk. Wm. Vicary (adm. to estate of Ellen Vicary, formerly Warrington)	Mokoan ...	142 2 0	3 11/6	3 11/6	1	1	5 11/6	" 13937
2.11.85	Wm. H. Greenwood ...	Mokoan ...	159 3 38	4 0	4 0	1	1	6 0	" 12696
"	Jane G. Higgins (née Welsh)	Mokoan ...	98 3 38	2 9/6	2 9/6	1	1	4 9/6	" 13936
1.12.85	Jep H. Jespersen ...	Mokoan ...	45 0 0	1 2/6	1 2/6	1	1	3 2/6	" 12913
1.1.86	Thomas Creed ...	Youanmite ...	319 3 39	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Cashel 10277
1.12.85	Charles H. Hempel ...	Yabba Yabba ...	225 1 35	5 13	5 13	1	1	7 13	" 12772
1.1.86	William Shiels ...	Youanmite ...	199 3 36	5 0	5 0	1	1	7 0	" 11752
"	John J. Shiels ...	Youanmite ...	199 3 36	5 0	5 0	1	1	7 0	" 11753
"	John Clurey ...	Youanmite ...	239 0 21	6 0	6 0	1	1	8 0	" 10297
1.2.86	Alfred J. Canin ...	Murramurrangbong ...	31 2 18	0 16	0 16	1	1	2 16	Yackandandah 4307
"	John Bowran ...	Yackandandah ...	103 0 4	2 12	2 12	1	1	4 12	" 4107
1.1.86	George Robson ...	Mullindolingong ...	310 1 10	7 15/6	8 5/6	1	1	10 5/6	Bright 5605
1.2.86	Charles Johnson ...	Barwidgee ...	299 1 7	7 10	7 10	1	1	9 10	" 4891
"	Fredk. Jacobson ...	Norong ...	319 2 9	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Rutherglen 4908
1.8.85	James Phillips ...	Leaghur ...	94 3 37	2 7/6	4 15	1	1	6 15	Boort 5540
1.7.84	James C. Johnston ...	Gunbower West ...	143 2 1	3 12	14 8	1	1	16 8	Echuca 2452
1.1.86	John Kearney ...	Beethang ...	59 0 24	1 10	1 4	1	1	3 4	Tallangatta 4940
"	Geo. Neal ...	Corack East ...	279 2 36	7 0	7 0	1	1	9 0	Donald 7435
1.8.85	John McDougall ...	Corack East ...	288 0 0	7 4	14 8	1	1	16 8	" 7269
1.10.85	Donald McLean ...	Mysia ...	80 1 24	2 0/6	2 0/6	1	1	4 0/6	Durham Ox 5383
"	Charles Lemon ...	Woosang ...	316 0 22	7 18/6	7 0/6	1	1	9 0/6	Charlton 5068
1.10.84	James Herd ...	Barkly ...	320 2 20	8 0/6	24 7/6	1	1	26 7/6 ²	Avoca 4803
1.4.84	William Nalder ...	Towaninny ...	85 0 3	2 3	8 18	1	1	10 18 ²	Charlton 3456
1.1.86	Wm. H. Geyle ...	Moora ...	56 1 30	1 8/6	1 8/6	1	1	3 8/6	Rushworth 2685
1.11.85	D. S. Millett ...	Monea South ...	319 3 33	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Seymour 3126
"	Edward Green ...	Windham ...	52 3 32	1 6/6	1 6/6	1	1	3 6/6	" 2679
1.5.85	Charles Merritt, the elder (administrator of estate James Merritt, decd.)	Gymbowen ...	320 0 37	8 0/6	16 7	1	1	18 7 ²	Horsham 5156
1.12.85	John Pettit ...	Tallageira ...	319 2 37	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 5563
1.1.86	John Ryan ...	Warraknabeal ...	297 3 31	7 9	7 9	1	1	9 9	" 5641
"	William Compston ...	Goroke ...	319 2 30	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 6270
"	James Caring ...	Dunmunkle ...	257 1 3	6 9	6 9	1	1	8 9	" 6295
"	William Cunningham ...	Dunmunkle ...	169 2 5	4 5	4 5	1	1	6 5	" 6293
1.12.85	Flora Burns ...	Kellalac ...	320 0 0	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 6181
1.1.86	Ernst Matuschka ...	Dollin ...	318 2 37	7 19/6	7 19/6	1	1	9 19/6	" 7108
"	Henry L. Stanley ...	Kout Narin ...	269 3 38	6 15	6 15	1	1	8 15	Harrow 7688
"	Robert Hicks ...	Lawloit ...	179 3 37	4 10	4 10	1	1	6 10	Nhill 6780
"	Margaret McCracken ...	Lawloit ...	319 2 19	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 6778
2.11.85	George S. McKinnon ...	Tarranginnie ...	280 3 8	7 0/6	7 0/6	1	1	9 0/6	" 5323
1.12.85	Charlotte Ward ...	Tarranginnie ...	319 3 9	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 7882
1.11.85	George Fargeter ...	Woorak ...	319 3 7	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 7519
1.1.86	John Higgs ...	Yanipy ...	319 2 17	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 6761
"	John McDonald ...	Yanipy ...	319 3 25	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 7238
"	Joseph J. Watts ...	Yanipy ...	319 2 23	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 4408
"	John Parker ...	Ni Ni ...	319 3 28	8 0	8 0	1	2	10 0	" 7512
2.11.85	George Greedy ...	Warranook ...	159 3 28	4 0	4 0	1	1	6 0	Stawell 6673
1.12.85	Joseph Potter ...	Joel Joel ...	179 2 6	4 10	4 10	1	1	6 10	" 3525
1.8.85	Wilhelm Denkel ⁴ ...	Warrayure ...	78 1 29	3 19	7 18	1	1	9 18	Hamilton 4492
1.1.86	William Doyle ...	Gatum Gatum ...	44 3 39	1 2/6	1 2/6	1	1	3 2/6	" 2496
1.8.85	Ellen Hadden ...	Mokanger ...	317 3 20	7 19	15 6	1	1	17 6 ⁵	" 2821
1.12.85	George Cubis ...	Bogalara ...	319 3 37	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	Harrow 2342
1.9.85	William Kakin ...	Meereek ...	320 0 0	8 0	16 0	1	1	18 0	" 3177
2.11.85	William E. Sealey ...	Casterton ...	198 2 2	4 19/6	4 19/6	1	1	6 19/6	Casterton 3762
1.1.86	Alfred J. Peters ...	Digby ...	58 0 27	1 9/6	1 9/6	1	1	3 9/6	" 3534
"	James L. Watson ...	Wilkin ...	320 0 0	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 3955
1.2.86	Charles Riordan ...	Kapong ...	61 0 18	1 11	1 11	1	1	3 11	Belfast 3672
1.10.85	Charles E. Foote ...	Broadwater ...	319 3 15	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0	" 2624
1.5.85	James J. Vanner ...	Curraclurt ...	59 3 36	1 10	3 0	1	1	5 0	Portland 3881
2.11.85	William McLennan ...	Spring Plains ...	116 0 17	2 18/6	2 18/6	1	1	4 18/6	Heathcote 2243

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 4th March 1886, page 674.

² 6s., short paid on license, included.

³ 18s., overpaid under license, credited under lease.

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⁴ Under non-residence regulation.

⁵ 12s. overpaid on license.

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APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED—continued.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
				Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees.		Total to pay.
			A. R. P.	£ s.	£ s.	Lease.	Certificate.	£ s.
Under Section 20 of "The Land Act 1869" as amended by "The Land Act 1878"—continued.								
1.1.86	A. C. Johannsen	Sandon	59 3 29	1 10	1 10	1	1	3 10
"	Donald McK. Calder	Moliagul	39 3 36	1 0	1 0	1	1	3 0
"	Thomas Lee	Bealiba	55 2 20	1 8	1 8	1	1	3 8
1.10.85	Edgar Appleby	Powlett	321 0 30	8 1	8 13	1	1	10 13 ¹
1.2.86	Francis Mulgrew	Korweinguboorra	99 0 0	2 9/6	2 9/6	1	1	4 9/6
1.1.86	Richard Woodman	Korweinguboorra	80 0 0	2 0	2 0	1	1	4 0
1.11.85	George Mulder	Lorne	133 2 23	3 7	3 7	1	1	5 7
1.1.85	William Taylor	Numbruk	198 3 10	4 19/6	9 19	1	1	11 19 ²
1.1.86	Wm. A. Archer	Kirrak	320 0 0	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0
1.7.85	Edward Fleming	Narracan	93 2 13	2 7	4 14	1	1	6 14
1.2.86	Henry Godridge	Narracan	19 3 38	0 10	0 10	1	1	2 10
1.3.86	William Laing	Moe	29 0 16	0 15	0 15	1	1	2 15
1.10.84	Thomas Webb	Darnum	49 3 26	1 5	3 15	1	1	5 15
2.11.85	George B. Day	Tarranginnie	319 3 7	8 0	8 0	1	1	10 0
								Nhill 4500

¹ 12s., short paid on license.

² £4 19s. 6d., paid to Receiver and Paymaster, Walhalla, 5th October 1885, to be credited as first rent under lease.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

"THE LAND ACT 1884," SECTION 21.

THE following applications for the right to Leases of Pastoral Allotments under Section 21, *Land Act 1884*, having been approved, it is hereby notified that the rents and fees specified may be received at the Treasury, Melbourne, on or before 1st July 1886.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Lease.	Name.	County.	Allotment.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Date of Lease.	Rent, half-yearly; payable in advance.	Fee.	Total of first payment.
				Acres.		£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
757	Theophilus Higgins	Rorung	A	9,000	1.7.86	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
882	Geo. J. Johnson	Croajingolong	A	20,700	"	32 10 0	2	34 10 0
1691	M. M. Smith	Croajingolong	B	16,300	"	25 10 0	2	27 10 0
883	W. R. Johnson	Croajingolong	C	10,200	"	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
1086	Robert Moon	Croajingolong	F	17,300	"	27 0 0	2	29 0 0
455	Peter Dickson	Croajingolong	G ¹	15,000	"	23 10 0	2	25 10 0
1085	John Moore	Croajingolong	G ²	30,800	"	48 2 6	2	50 2 6
456	Archd. Dickson	Croajingolong	H ¹	26,500	"	41 10 0	2	43 10 0
62	Geo. Y. Beattie	Croajingolong	O ¹	28,600	"	44 15 0	2	46 15 0
751	L. Henderson	Croajingolong	P ²	15,600	"	24 7 6	2	26 7 6
1687	D. Smyth	Croajingolong	W ¹	11,400	"	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
1244	E. McMillan	Croajingolong	W ²	20,900	"	32 15 0	2	34 15 0
750	Alex. Henderson	Croajingolong	X ¹	15,600	"	24 7 6	2	26 7 6
272	H. Cameron	Croajingolong	Y	20,000	"	31 5 0	2	33 5 0
472	Richd. Gates	Croajingolong	Y ¹	11,900	"	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
297	D. Cameron	Croajingolong	Q	16,800	"	26 5 0	2	28 5 0
1829	Geo. E. Treasure	Dargo	D	30,000	"	46 17 6	2	48 17 6
761	John Hancock	Dargo	R	36,400	"	56 17 6	2	58 17 6
764	W. F. Heath	Dargo	U	17,200	"	26 17 6	2	28 17 6
1088	Ludoric Mario	Delatite	A	15,600	"	39 0 0	2	41 0 0
278	John Curtin	Delatite	B	22,700	"	56 17 6	2	58 17 6
1918	John Webb	Delatite	C	22,150	"	69 2 6	2	71 2 6
1912	Wm. and Robert Wilson, jun.	Delatite	D	26,000	"	81 5 0	2	83 5 0
1917	William Webb	Delatite	E	18,900	"	69 0 0	2	71 0 0
1916	H. N. Webb	Delatite	F	24,200	"	75 12 6	2	77 12 6
1891	G. S. Vowell	Delatite	K	40,000	"	100 0 0	2	102 0 0
1835	J. J. Tabulo	Delatite	L	26,900	"	84 0 0	2	86 0 0
1834	Thos. Tabulo	Delatite	O	12,200	"	38 2 6	2	40 2 6
1251	A. R. Macdonald	Delatite	P	15,600	"	39 0 0	2	41 0 0
65	Geo. E. Barrow	Delatite	Q	28,700	"	55 5 0	2	57 5 0
1252	F. Mackinnon	Delatite	R	32,000	"	61 12 6	2	63 12 6
1694	Peter Sim	Delatite	S	28,500	"	54 19 0	2	56 19 0
274	Elizth. Cook	Lowan	E	8,350	"	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
1593	Ernst Rokesby	Lowan	F	8,000	"	18 15 0	2	20 15 0
1475	Wm. O'Halloran ¹	Normanby	E	13,800	1.1.86	18 15 0	2	20 15 0

¹ Rent and fee in this case to be paid before 8th April 1886.

"The Land Act 1884," Section 2.

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE UNDER SECTION 45 APPROVED.

THE following application for a lease under section 45, *Land Act 1869*, having been approved, it is hereby notified that the rent specified may be received by the undermentioned Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Corr.	Date.	Term.	Name.	Situation.	Extent.	Purpose.	Annual Rent.	Amount payable quarterly.	Amount of first payment.	Payable to the Receiver and Land Officer at—
					A. R. P.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
2975	27.12.84	21 years	Alexr. R. Wallis ¹	South Melbourne	2 0 0	Storage of machinery, erection of warehouses, workmen's dwellings, and general engineering works	200 0 0	50 0 0	250 0 0	Melbourne

¹ £1 lease fee to be collected.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

"The Land Act 1884," Section 2.

CANCELLATION OF ALTERATION OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LICENSES ISSUED UNDER SECTION 19 OF "THE LAND ACT 1869" AND TRANSFERRED TO SECTION 3 OF "THE LAND ACT 1880."

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned *Gazette* notices have been cancelled, viz:—

District.	Name.	Parish.	Area.			Date gazetted.
			A.	R.	P.	
Benalla ...	Wm. V. Lawson ...	Yabba Yabba ...	92	0	0	23rd September 1881
" ...	Wm. N. Lawson ...	Yabba Yabba ...	229	0	0	23rd September 1881
" ...	Jno. Brown ...	Boosey ...	316	0	0	25th November 1881
" ...	Jno. Kelly ...	Mokoan ...	173	0	0	4th November 1881
" ...	Agnes A. Nicol ...	Mokoan ...	172	0	0	14th October 1881
St. Arnaud ...	Wm. Pollock ...	Corack East ...	320	0	0	25th November 1881
Horsham ...	Jno. Kimberley ...	Wonwondah ...	320	0	0	26th January 1883
" ...	Wm. Thorpe ...	Tarranginnie ...	263	0	0	1st September 1882
" ...	Samuel Brooks, jun. ...	Kiata ...	320	0	0	6th April 1882
Sale ...	Jno. S. Gorman ...	Willung ...	40	0	0	15th December 1882
Melbourne ...	L. H. Williams ...	Jumbunna ...	198	0	0	21st October 1882
Horsham ...	Richard Graham ...	Kaniva ...	320	0	0	6th April 1882

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

"The Land Act 1884," Section 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the balance to complete the Purchase and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.						Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
			Balance to complete Purchase.	Fees.			Total to pay.		
				Grant.	Certificatc.	Assurance.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		

Under Section 20 of "The Land Act 1869."

John Schwint ¹ ...	Wodonga ...	11 1 33	8 8 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 6	10 9 6	Wodonga 3786
James Turpie ...	Salisbury West ...	28 0 9	20 6 0	1 1	1 0	0 1 3	22 8 3	Inglewood 2823
Alfred Read ...	Gruyere ...	61 2 37	43 8 0	1 6	1 0	0 2 7	45 16 7	Melbourne 11613

Under Section 31 of "The Land Act 1869."

Thomas Balderston ...	Yarrowee ...	20 0 0	12 15 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	14 16 10	Smythesdale
George Gilmore ...	Yarrowee ...	60 0 1	3 0 6	1 6	1 0	0 2 7	5 9 1	"
T. C. Hayward ...	Ballarat ...	20 0 9	2 17 6	1 1	1 0	0 0 11	4 19 5	Ballarat
None Tognazzini ...	Wombat ...	25 2 16	...	1 1	1 0	0 1 5	2 2 5	Daylesford
Martin Courney ...	Knowsley ...	40 0 0	...	1 1	1 0	0 1 8	2 2 8	Heathcote

Under Section 4 of "The Land Acts Amendment Act 1880."

Patrick Sullivan ...	Kevington ...	18 2 12	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Jamieson 822
Wm. B. Mitchell ...	Bruarong ...	20 0 0	2 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	4 1 10	Yackandandah
Maria Myers ...	Burrumbidgee ...	20 0 0	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Ararat 542/49
Frances M. Myers ...	Burrumbidgee ...	20 0 0	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	" 531/49
David Dow ...	Landsborough ...	20 0 0	22 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 1 8	24 2 8	" 532/49
Hugh Duncan ² ...	Cavendish ...	19 3 37	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Stawell 1249/49
Catherine Black ² ...	Cavendish ...	19 3 36	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Hamilton 248/49
Godfrey Morgan ...	Witchipool ...	20 0 0	8 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	10 1 10	" 70/49
Arthur Kell ...	Moolerr ...	2 1 22	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 2	2 1 2	Donald 563
Hugh Bradley ...	St. Arnaud ...	19 3 30	8 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	10 1 10	St. Arnaud 471
William Lancaster ...	Holcombe ...	20 0 0	14 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	10 1 10	" 97
Bridget Phelan ...	Neilborough ...	20 0 0	2 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	16 1 10	Daylesford 2024
George Firmin, sen. ...	Yinnar ...	19 2 6	10 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	4 1 10	Sandhurst 752
Thomas Mallows ...	Longford ...	9 1 16	1 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 8	12 1 10	Traralgon 307
Sarah Cameron, as admin- istratrix of Alex. Cam- eron ...	Clunes ...	15 2 0	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 8	3 1 8	Sale 566
Robert Gray ...	Murheboluc ...	19 3 10	...	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Clunes 848
J. W. Phillips ...	Murheboluc ...	16 3 0	3 8 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 9	5 9 9	Geelong 351
John Maw ...	Struan ...	18 3 36	3 16 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	5 17 10	" 770
Robert Maw ...	Struan ...	18 1 17	3 16 0	1 1	1 0	0 0 10	5 17 10	Camperdown 543
Thomas L. Sawyer ...	Corinella ...	17 0 6	18 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 1 6	20 2 6	" 544
Elizabeth A. Dickins, administratrix of J. Dickins, deceased ...	Corinella ...	20 0 0	20 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 1 8	22 2 8	Melbourne 841
A. J. Wright ...	Moe ...	19 1 17	54 0 0	1 1	1 0	0 2 6	56 3 6	" 225
								Warragul 2948

¹ In lieu of notice gazetted 19th February 1886, p. 436.

² In lieu of notice gazetted 5th February 1886, p. 294.

JNO. L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

March 26, 1886.

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PUBLIC HEARINGS BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER THE 125TH SECTION OF "THE LAND ACT 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the times and places mentioned in the schedule hereunder, applications for licenses under Parts II. and III. of *The Land Act 1869*, and Parts III., IV., and VIII. of *The Land Act 1884*, objections to such applications, additions, diminutions, revocations, or unions of commons, and reasons against forfeiture of any leases or licenses under *The Land Act 1869* or any of the Acts thereby repealed, deemed liable to forfeiture for any cause except non-payment of rent or fees, will be publicly heard by the persons whose names are set opposite such places respectively in such schedule, being persons appointed by me, the responsible Minister of the Crown administering *The Land Act 1884*, to hear the same and report thereon in writing to me.

JOHN L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, and
President of the Board of Land and Works.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

Place of Meeting of Local Land Board.	Time of Meeting.	Members of Local Land Board.
	1886.	
Colac ...	Tuesday, 13th April, 12 noon	J. J. Blundell, Esq. G. R. Watson, Esq.
Camperdown ...	Wednesday, 14th April, 10 a.m.	J. J. Blundell, Esq. G. R. Watson, Esq.
Belfast ...	Thursday, 15th April, 10 a.m.	J. J. Blundell, Esq. Land Officer
Omeo ...	Saturday, 17th April, 10 a.m.	Land Officer.
Dargo ...	Wednesday, 21st April, 10 a.m.	Land Officer.
Rushworth ...	Monday, 19th April, 2 p.m.	E. W. Welch, Esq. M. H. Macoboy, Esq.
Seymour ...	Tuesday, 20th April, 12 noon	J. A. Levey, Esq. Land Officer
Yea ...	Wednesday, 21st April, 10.30 a.m.	J. A. Levey, Esq. Land Officer

FEES FOR GRAZING LICENSES UNDER SECTION 3, "LAND ACT 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given that the amounts set opposite the undermentioned runs are those to be charged for the period from 1st January 1886 to 31st December 1886.

A. J. SKENE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands Department,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

Run.	District.	Rent and License Fee for 1886.
Mount York ...	Beechworth ...	£8 5 0
Dederang North ...	" ...	32 5 0
Myrtle Creek ...	" ...	33 15 0
Weem ...	" ...	10 5 0
Whanegarwen ...	Gisborne ...	2 17 6
Serpentine ...	Echuca ...	12 5 0

ASSESSMENT OF RENT OF GRAZING AREAS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the yearly rent payable in respect of leases for grazing areas in the undermentioned parishes in the county of Gladstone has been assessed as follows:—

Parish.	Rate per acre per annum.
County of Gladstone—	
Marmal, allotments 33, 18A ...	2d.
Boort, allotments 12a at 3d.; allotment 41 ...	4d.
Mysia ...	4d.
Wychitella, allotment 13a at 4d.; allotments 79, 80 ...	2d.
Terraptee, allotments 12a, 38a, 101, at 4d.; allotment 100 at 3d.; allotments 8b, 14b, 15, 16, 16a ...	2d.
Glenloth ...	4d.
Narrewillock ...	4d.
East Charlton ...	4d.
Buckrabanyule ...	4d.
Woosang, allotment 27a at 4d.; allotment 74 ...	3d.
Kinypania, allotment 164 ...	4d.
Powlett, allotment 79a ...	4d.
Korong, allotments 60, 61, 62, 63, 68, 69, 71, at 2d.; balance ...	3d.
Brenanah, allotments 30, 32 to 37, at 2d.; balance ...	3d.
Kurraea, allotments 40a, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, at 2d.; balance ...	3d.
Yeungroon ...	4d.
Barrakee, allotments 50a, 123, 124, at 3d.; balance ...	2d.
Coonoer East ...	4d.
Berrimal, allotments 60, 65, 66, 68, at 4d.; balance ...	3d.
Wehla ...	3d.
Gowar, allotment 9 ...	4d.
Kingower, allotment 21 ...	2d.
Glenalbyn, allotment 13 at 2d.; allotment 15 ...	3d.
Salisbury West ...	2d.
Yalong ...	3d.
Glenlogie, allotment 210a ...	3d.

JOHN L. DOW,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF DUNEED.

WHEREAS by the 133rd section of *The Land Act 1884* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made, for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon such public parks and reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby make the Regulation following to be observed and enforced in respect of the land permanently reserved, by Order of 8th February 1886, as a site for Public Recreation in the parish of Duneed.

REGULATION.

The said reserve shall be under the control of the Council of the Shire of Barrabool, as a Committee of Management thereof.
(—(Corr.85.I.11779.)—)

In witness whereof the Common Seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this twenty-second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in presence of—

JNO. L. DOW,
President.
A. MORRAH,
Member.
(L.S.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR CAMPING AND OTHER PUBLIC PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF GLYNWYLLN.

WHEREAS by the 133rd section of *The Land Act 1884* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made, for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon such public parks and reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby make the Regulation following to be observed, and enforced in respect of the land temporarily reserved, by Order of 2nd February 1886, as a site for Camping and other Public purposes in the parish of Glynwylln.

REGULATION.

The said reserve shall be under the control of the Council of the Shire of Stawell, as a Committee of Management thereof.
(—(Corr.85.S.38485.)—)

In witness whereof the Common Seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this twenty-second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in presence of—

JNO. L. DOW,
President.
A. MORRAH,
Member.
(L.S.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF MOOROOLBARK.

WHEREAS by the 133rd section of *The Land Act 1884* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made, for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon such public parks and reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby make the Regulation following to be observed and enforced in respect of the land permanently reserved, by Order of 2nd March 1886, as a site for Public Recreation in the parish of Mooroolbark.

REGULATION.

The said reserve shall be under the control of the Council of the Shire of Lillydale, as a Committee of Management thereof.
(—(Corr.86.L.20817.)—)

In witness whereof the Common Seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this twenty-second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in presence of—

JNO. L. DOW,
President.
A. MORRAH,
Member.
(L.S.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR A RACECOURSE AND PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF MOORA.

WHEREAS by the 133rd section of *The Land Act 1884* power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make and alter or rescind rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations heretofore made, for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in trustees, and also for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of

tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon such public parks and reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby make the Regulation following to be observed and enforced in respect of the land temporarily reserved, by Order of 8th October 1877, as a site for a Racecourse and Public Recreation in the parish of Moora.

REGULATION.

The undermentioned gentlemen shall constitute a Committee of Management to exercise control over the said reserve:—

George Digby Heily,
John Matheson,
Alfred Collier,
George Groves White, and
Christopher J. Ryan.

—(Corr. 86.R.26317.)

In witness whereof the Common Seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this twenty-second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in presence of—

(L.S.) JNO. L. DOW,
President.
A. MORRAH,
Member.

TOWER HILL RECREATION RESERVE.

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION PURPOSES IN THE PARISHES OF KOROI AND YANGERY.

THE Council of the Borough of Koroit, the duly appointed Committee of Management of the Reserve for Public Recreation purposes in the parishes of Koroit and Yangery, comprising Tower Hill Lake and Island, having framed the following Regulations for the care, protection, and management thereof, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering therein or thereupon, submit the said Regulations to the Board of Land and Works to be made by such Board, in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 133 of *The Land Act 1884*:—

Regulations.

- The reserve shall be open to the public from sunrise to sunset.
- No person shall enter or remain in the reserve who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.
- No person shall damage in any way the trees, shrubs, flowers, or herbage in the reserve, nor shall fires be lighted therein.
- No person shall climb or jump over the fences, stick bills thereon, or cut names on the fences, trees, or seats, or roll or throw stones in the reserve.
- No person shall put in the reserve any cattle, goats, or pigs, except as hereinafter provided, or bring any dog therein, unless led by a chain or cord, without the authority, in writing, of the committee of management first obtained.
- No person shall erect any dwelling in the reserve, nor any booth or other structure for the purpose of offering for sale any article, without the consent, in writing, of the committee of management first obtained.
- No person, except laborers and workmen employed in the reserve, shall enter any plots therein which may be enclosed for plantations of young trees or shrubs, or for the propagation of herbs and grasses.
- Ratepayers of the Borough of Koroit may depasture on the reserve five (5) head of cattle, large or small.
- The scale of fees (payable weekly in advance) for depasturing stock on the reserve shall be as follows:—
For every horse, Sixpence per week.
For every milch cow, dry cow, or heifer, Threepence per week.
Foals at foot and calves (under six months' old) with cows, free.
- Animals other than those specified in the scale of fees shall be allowed to depasture on such portions only of the reserve as may be set apart for that purpose, on payment of fees to be agreed upon by the committee of management and the owners of such animals.
- No animal affected with any contagious disease shall be allowed to depasture on the reserve.
- The ranger shall attend at such times and places as may be duly advertised for the purpose of receiving applications from persons entitled to depasture stock on the reserve, and every such person shall supply his or her name and address, and the brands and descriptions of the stock to be depastured, and shall pay the agistment fees thereon. The ranger shall thereupon give an order for admission of the stock to the reserve.
- All stock which may at any time die upon the reserve shall be buried by the owners within twenty-four hours after notice thereof, in writing, from the ranger; or if not so buried, shall be interred at the owner's expense.
- The ranger shall immediately report to the committee of management indication of disease in any of the stock on the reserve.
- All unregistered stock running upon the reserve shall be liable to be impounded, or the owners of such stock prosecuted.
- The committee of management shall not be responsible for loss of, or injury to, stock depasturing on the reserve.
- All stock placed upon the reserve shall be branded by the owners thereof with a legible brand.
- No animal shall be tethered on any portion of the reserve.
- No person shall herd stock on the reserve, or remove stock therefrom, without first giving in either case twelve hours' notice, in writing, to the ranger.

20. No person shall unnecessarily disturb stock depasturing on the reserve.

21. No bull or entire horse shall be allowed to depasture on the reserve without the sanction, in writing, of the committee of management.

22. The committee of management shall at any time be at liberty to limit to the grazing capabilities of the reserve the number of cattle to be depastured thereon.

Every person offending against these Regulations shall, in accordance with section 133 of *The Land Act 1884*, on conviction before any justice, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence; and every person who knowingly and wilfully offends against any such Regulations, and who, after he has been warned by any bailiff of Crown lands or any constable, does not desist from so offending, may be forthwith apprehended by such bailiff or constable and taken before some justice of the peace, and shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds.

(L.S.) WILLIAM MIDGLEY, Mayor.
RICHARD LAFFAN, Town Clerk.

The Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by *The Land Act 1884*, section 133, doth hereby make the foregoing Regulations in respect of the reserve for Public Recreation purposes in the parishes of Koroit and Yangery, comprising Tower Hill Lake and Island.

The Common Seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 22nd day of March 1886, in presence of—

(L.S.) JNO. L. DOW,
President.
A. MORRAH,
Member.

—(Corr. 86.R.26319.)

CEMETERIES.

ACCOUNTS of Trustees, pursuant to *The Cemeteries Statute 1864* (27 Vict. No. 201, sec. 28).

APSEY PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£22 2 9
Fees for graves, &c.	12 8 0
	£34 10 9
EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 5 0
Grave-digging	5 0 0
Contingencies	0 5 0
Balance	29 0 9
	£34 10 9

WM. DONALDSON,
W. WATKINS,
H. MASON, SEN.,
Trustees.

Declared at Apsley the 27th day of February 1886, before
W. L. HOARE, J.P.

BARNAWARTHA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1883.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£80 1 4
Fees for graves, &c.	4 0 0
	£84 1 4
EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 3 0
Works	29 0 0
Fees remitted for burial of poor	1 10 0
Balance	53 8 4
	£84 1 4

JOHN BURROWS,
GEORGE CHAMBERS,
JAMES SCOTT,
Trustees.

Declared at Barnawartha the 3rd day of March 1886, before
HUMPHREY POOLEY, J.P.

BARNAWARTHA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1884.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£53 8 4
Fees for graves, &c.	7 0 0
	£60 8 4
EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£6 0 0
Office expenses	2 15 10
Works	46 6 9
Balance	5 5 9
	£60 8 4

JOHN BURROWS,
GEORGE CHAMBERS,
JAMES SCOTT,
Trustees.

Declared at Barnawartha the 3rd day of March 1886, before
HUMPHREY POOLEY, J.P.

March 26, 1886.

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BARNAWARTHA PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£5	5 9
Fees for graves, &c.	...	25	7 6
Other sources of income	...	2	0 0
		£32	13 3
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£2	0 0
Office expenses	...	0	3 6
Works	...	13	1 1
Balance	...	17	8 8
		£32	13 3

JOHN ANTHONY,
JOHN BURROWS,
GEORGE CHAMBERS,
Trustees.

Declared at Barnawartha the 3rd day of March 1886, before
HUMPHREY POOLEY, J.P.

COLERAINE PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£36	2 10
Fees for graves, &c.	...	23	12 6
		£59	15 4
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£18	0 0
Works	...	16	19 0
Balance	...	24	16 4
		£59	15 4

GEORGE TRANGMAR,
ISAAC GELSTON GRAY,
DAWSON McKEBERY,
Trustees.

Declared at Coleraine the 24th day of February 1886, before
ADAM TURNBULL, J.P.

CRESWICK PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£151	5 6
Fees for graves, &c.	...	242	10 0
Fees (remitted) for burial of poor	...	35	10 0
Other sources of income	...	4	9 6
		£433	15 0
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£150	0 0
Office expenses	...	0	15 6
Works	...	119	9 3
Grave-digging	...	0	4 0
Insurance	...	1	10 0
Contingencies	...	0	3 6
Fees remitted for burial of poor	...	35	10 0
Balance	...	126	2 9
		£433	15 0

JOSEPH REED,
EDWARD GROSE,
WM. CAHILL,
Trustees.

Declared at Creswick the 2nd day of March 1886, before JOHN
T. JEBB, J.P.

EAST GEELONG PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£327	15 7
Fees for graves, &c.	...	386	16 6
Other sources of income	...	61	5 0
		£775	17 1
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£41	18 0
Office expenses	...	3	0 0
Works	...	142	4 0
Grave-digging	...	132	9 0
Balance	...	456	6 1
		£775	17 1

GEO. M. HITCHCOCK,
GEO. A. STEPHEN,
ROBERT SHIRRA,
Trustees.

Declared at Geelong the 3rd day of March 1886, before
RICHARD CLARKE, J.P.

EGERTON PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£18	5 2
Fees for graves, &c.	...	24	11 6
		£42	16 8
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£4	5 0
Office expenses	...	0	4 6
Works	...	11	2 9
Grave-digging	...	12	11 0
Balance	...	14	13 5
		£42	16 8

JOHN BARCLAY,
JAMES SIMPSON,
DANIEL DEVLIN,
Trustees.

Declared at Egerton the 24th day of February 1886, before
R. W. TANNER, J.P.

ELTHAM PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£3	12 6
Fees for graves, &c.	...	13	17 6
		£17	10 0
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£3	0 0
Office expenses	...	0	12 6
Works	...	0	15 0
Grave-digging	...	5	7 6
Balance	...	7	15 0
		£17	10 0

ALFRED ARMSTRONG,
CHAS. SOUTER,
LAURENCE BOURKE,
Trustees.

Declared at Eltham the 2nd day of March 1886, before
C. S. WINGROVE, J.P.

EUROA PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£9	3 0
Fees for graves, &c.	...	22	5 0
Fees (remitted) for burial of poor	...	0	7 6
		£31	15 6
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£8	0 0
Office expenses	...	0	15 6
Works	...	11	8 9
Grave-digging	...	0	10 0
Fees remitted for burial of poor	...	0	7 6
Balance	...	10	13 9
		£31	15 6

MAURICE GARRETT,
GEORGE GORDON,
JOHN DEBOOS,
Trustees.

Declared at Euroa the 25th day of February 1886, before
JAMES BIRKETT, J.P.

GISBORNE PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£22	0 9
Fees for graves, &c.	...	45	5 0
		£67	5 9
EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£10	0 0
Office expenses	...	2	0 0
Works	...	5	5 6
Grave-digging	...	13	12 11
Balance	...	36	5 4
		£67	5 9

RD. HAINES,
DANIEL MORAND,
H. R. DIXON,
Trustees.

Declared at Gisborne the 26th day of February 1886, before
Hv. HUSSEY, J.P.

March 26, 1886.

GLENLOGIE PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£4 6 5½	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	2 5 0	
Other sources of income	...	1 3 0	
		<u>£7 14 5½</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£3 0 0	
Office expenses	...	0 3 1	
Works	...	0 13 6	
Balance	...	<u>3 17 10½</u>	
		<u>£7 14 5½</u>	

NICHOLAS DROMEY,
HENRY SPIERS,
WM. POYNTON,

Trustees.

Declared at Avon the 3rd day of March 1886, before
WM. GOODSHAW, J.P.

GORDON PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£27 14 10	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	65 0 6	
		<u>£92 15 4</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£16 0 0	
Office expenses	...	4 11 0	
Works	...	12 12 3	
Grave-digging	...	20 10 0	
Balance	...	<u>39 2 1</u>	
		<u>£92 15 4</u>	

JOHN NORTHEY,
THOMAS RYAN,
TIMOTHY CLIFFORD,
JAMES PARKER,

Trustees.

Declared at Gordon the 17th day of February 1886, before
JOHN McCULLOCH, J.P.

HARROW PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£3 12 1	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	18 5 0	
		<u>£21 17 1</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£5 0 0	
Grave-digging	...	5 15 0	
Balance	...	<u>11 2 1</u>	
		<u>£21 17 1</u>	

G. A. BROUGHTON,
C. SHEIRER,
D. EDGAR,

Trustees.

Declared at Harrow the 27th day of February 1886, before
F. D. HAYMAN, J.P.

MEYFIELD PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£4 10 0	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	9 10 0	
		<u>£14 0 0</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Grave-digging	...	£2 17 6	
Balance	...	<u>11 2 6</u>	
		<u>£14 0 0</u>	

HY. WILLIAMS,
ALAN MARSHALL,
HENRY FRANCE,

Trustees.

Declared at Denison the 1st day of March 1886, before ISAAC
McQUILKIN, J.P.

IRREWARRA PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£6 13 9	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	9 16 6	
		<u>£16 10 3</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Works	...	£3 0 0	
Balance	...	<u>13 10 3</u>	
		<u>£16 10 3</u>	

ALEXR. DENNIS,
WILLIAM BARR,
WILLIAM SHERREN,
MICHAEL BURKE,

Trustees.

Declared at Birregurra the 27th day of February 1886, before
CHARLES BEAL, J.P.

JAMIESON PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£12 1 9	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	3 10 0	
Fees (remitted) for burial of poor	...	1 10 0	
Other sources of income	...	5 10 0	
		<u>£22 11 9</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Works	...	£20 17 6	
Fees remitted for burial of poor	...	1 10 0	
Balance	...	<u>0 4 3</u>	
		<u>£22 11 9</u>	

H. A. BERGER,
THOMAS STILL,
JOHN CUTHBERT,

Trustees.

Declared at Jamieson the 27th day of February 1886, before
RICHARD DALE, J.P.

KANGAROO GROUND PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£3 3 6	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	1 10 0	
		<u>£4 13 6</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£1 0 0	
Balance	...	<u>3 13 6</u>	
		<u>£4 13 6</u>	

JOHN BELL,
JAMES ANDREW,
JAMES MESS,

Trustees.

Declared at Kangaroo Ground the 1st day of March 1886,
before E. H. CAMERON, J.P.

KYNETON PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£91 4 2	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	213 7 0	
Dr. balance	...	1 6 7	
		<u>£305 17 9</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£139 7 0	
Office expenses	...	1 7 6	
Works	...	56 8 3	
Insurance	...	1 3 6	
Contingencies	...	7 11 6	
Deposit at interest	...	100 0 0	
		<u>£305 17 9</u>	

R. HYNDMAN,
I. BETHELL,
W. THOMSON,

Trustees.

Declared at Kyneton the 1st day of March 1886, before
JOHN SPRINGER, J.P.

LANCEFIELD PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.			
Balance	...	£59 18 0	
Fees for graves, &c.	...	81 10 0	
		<u>£141 8 0</u>	

EXPENDITURE.			
Salaries	...	£57 0 0	
Building	...	78 7 0	
Insurance	...	0 15 6	
Interest on overdraft	...	5 5 6	
		<u>£141 8 0</u>	

RICHARD DAWES,
THOMAS FIELD,
ROBERT HEMPHILL,

Trustees.

Declared at Lancefield the 2nd day of March 1886, before
R. S. GRAHAM, J.P.

March 26, 1886.

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LEARMONTH PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£17 11 9
Fees for graves, &c.	35 10 0
	£53 1 9

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 5 0
Works	5 13 0
Building	12 1 0
Grave-digging	11 10 0
Balance	18 12 9
	£53 1 9

JAMES BAIRD,
NICHOLAS PURCELL,
WILLIAM RAIN,

Trustees.

Declared at Learmonth the 1st day of March 1886, before
JOHN DALGLEISH, J.P.

LINTON PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£2 11 6
EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 5 0
Works	1 16 6
Balance	0 10 0
	£2 11 6

NORMAN McPHEE,
DAVID CHRISTIAN,
JOSEPH LOBB,

Trustees.

Declared at Charnwood the 23rd day of February 1886, before
CHARLES DRAPER, J.P.

MEREDITH PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£17 14 11
Fees for graves, &c.	16 15 0
	£34 9 11

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 0 0
Office expenses	0 8 0
Works	14 3 0
Grave-digging	6 5 0
Contingencies	0 2 3
Balance	8 11 8
	£34 9 11

SIDNEY JOHNSON,
ANDREW WALSH,
WILLIAM DICKMAN,

Trustees.

Declared at Meredith the 2nd day of March 1886, before
J. ARMSTRONG, J.P.

MORRISONS PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£15 0 11
Fees for graves, &c.	12 0 0
	£27 0 11

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£6 5 0
Office expenses	1 1 0
Works	0 11 0
Grave-digging	2 0 0
Balance	17 3 11
	£27 0 11

WM. MUTER,
JOHN LAVERY,
CLAUD MORRISON,

Trustees.

Declared at Meredith the 10th day of March 1886, before
J. ARMSTRONG, J.P.

MORTLAKE PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£31 5 6
Fees for graves, &c.	47 0 0
Government loan (to be refunded)	20 0 0
	£98 5 6

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries	£10 0 0
Office expenses	0 18 8
Works	38 17 0
Grave-digging	12 5 0
Contingencies	3 8 6
Balance	32 16 4
	£98 5 6

WM. BRUMLEY,
THOMAS DUNNE,
W. F. SWEETNAM,

Trustees.

Declared at Mortlake the 1st day of March 1886, before JAMES
AIKMAN, J.P.

MOUNT DUNEED PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1882.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£9 10 0
Fees for graves, &c.	13 18 0
	£23 8 0

EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£2 12 0
Works	4 17 6
Grave-digging	3 0 0
Balance	12 18 6
	£23 8 0

GEORGE WILLIAMS,
JAMES HARKNESS,
DANIEL GANLEY,

Trustees.

Declared at Mount Duneed the 21st day of January 1886,
before A. WHITE, J.P.

MOUNT DUNEED PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1883.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£12 18 6
Fees for graves, &c.	6 12 0
	£19 10 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Works	£3 13 0
Grave-digging	2 0 0
Balance	13 17 6
	£19 10 6

GEORGE WILLIAMS,
JAMES HARKNESS,
DANIEL GANLEY,

Trustees.

Declared at Mount Duneed the 21st day of January 1886,
before ANDREW WHITE, J.P.

MOUNT DUNEED PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1884.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£13 17 6
Fees for graves, &c.	8 3 0
	£22 0 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£3 3 0
Office expenses	0 2 6
Works	14 11 0
Grave-digging	4 0 0
Balance	0 4 0
	£22 0 6

GEORGE WILLIAMS,
JAMES HARKNESS,
DANIEL GANLEY,

Trustees.

Declared at Mount Duneed the 21st day of January 1886,
before ANDREW WHITE, J.P.

MOUNT DUNEED PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£0 4 0
Fees for graves, &c.	0 12 0
	£0 16 0

EXPENDITURE.	
Grave-digging	£0 10 0
Balance	0 6 0
	£0 16 0

GEORGE WILLIAMS,
JAMES HARKNESS,
DANIEL GANLEY,

Trustees.

Declared at Mount Duneed the 21st day of January 1886, before
ANDREW WHITE, J.P.

March 26, 1886.

MOUNT WYCHEPROOF PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£21 3 6
Fees for graves, &c.	33 5 0
	£54 8 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 0 0
Office expenses	0 5 0
Grave-digging	7 0 0
Balance	42 3 6
	£54 8 6

C. W. QUIHAMPTON,
THOMAS BOASE,
WILLIAM HAMILTON,
Trustees.

Declared at Wycheproof the 27th day of February 1886, before
JNO. J. RYAN, J.P.

NEWSTEAD PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£8 17 11
Fees for graves, &c.	30 8 6
Government grant	20 0 0
	£59 6 5

EXPENDITURE.	
Works	£47 10 4
Grave-digging	9 15 10
Contingencies	0 9 3
Balance	1 11 0
	£59 6 5

A. NOMENS,
WILLIAM IBBOTSON,
JOHN TREACY,
Trustees.

Declared at Newstead the 23rd day of February 1886, before
G. MORE REID, J.P.

ST. KILDA PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£2,480 11 4
Fees for graves, &c.	2,431 15 6
Free interments	48 10 0
Interest	125 10 0
	£5,086 6 10

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£1,116 2 11
Office expenses	58 6 9
Works	769 19 6
Free interments	48 10 0
Building	473 17 0
Insurance	4 3 0
Contingencies	71 2 3
Balance	2,544 5 5
	£5,086 6 10

HENRY G. TURNER,
W. LANE,
THOS. MATTHEWS,
Trustees.

Declared at St. Kilda the 4th day of February 1886, before
THOMAS ALSTON, J.P.

SMEATON PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£0 7 6
Fees for graves, &c.	11 0 0
	£11 7 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Grave-digging	£9 7 6
Balance	2 0 0
	£11 7 6

RICHARD JOSEPH SHEEHAN,
DAVID MILLER,
WILLIAM ISAAC TOOSE,
Trustees.

Declared at Smeaton the 1st day of March 1886, before JOHN
ANDERSON, J.P.

SOUTH FRANKLIN AND CAMPBELLTOWN PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£10 15 2
Fees for graves, &c.	15 7 6
	£26 2 8

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries	£4 0 0
Office expenses	0 0 10
Works	3 5 0
Grave-digging	3 10 0
Balance	15 6 10
	£26 2 8

T. LANGMIRE,
JAMES SEWELL,
JOHN JAMES,
Trustees.

Declared at Sandon the 9th day of February 1886, before
J. C. HOUSE, J.P.

SPRING HILL (COLIBAN) PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£3 2 7

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£1 0 0
Office expenses	0 1 6
Works	1 13 0
Balance	0 8 1
	£3 2 7

F. W. THRUM,
ALEX. FERGUSON,
JOHN WILSON,
Trustees.

Declared at Spring Hill the 26th day of February 1886, before
GEO. KNIGHT, J.P.

SUNBURY PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£64 6 4
Fees for graves, &c.	32 19 0
	£97 5 4

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£10 0 0
Works	0 10 0
Grave-digging	13 19 0
Balance	72 16 4
	£97 5 4

JOHN EADIE,
JOHN HOGAN,
PETER EADIE,
Trustees.

Declared at Sunbury the 3rd day of March 1886, before W. B.
NICHOLSON, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of the Colony
of Victoria for taking affidavits.

TEESDALE PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£3 15 0
Fees for graves	3 4 6
	£6 19 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 0 6
Grave-digging	1 7 6
Balance	5 11 6
	£6 19 6

CHARLES A. C. WILSON,
JOHN CLARK,
PETER DOW,
Trustees.

Declared at Golffhill the 3rd day of March 1886, before GEORGE
RUSSELL, J.P.

TERANG PUBLIC CEMETERY.

1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£52 4 0
Fees for graves, &c.	85 15 0
	£137 19 0

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£20 0 0
Office expenses	1 13 0
Works	21 1 10
Grave-digging	12 15 0
Insurance	1 0 0
Balance	81 9 2
	£137 19 0

JOHN H. HEAD,
MICHAEL MONAGHAN,
THOMAS EMENY,
Trustees.

Declared at Terang the 8th day of March 1886, before J. C.
DUGAN, J.P.

VAUGHAN PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£0 10 2½
Fees for graves, &c.	13 1 0
	£13 11 2½

EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 18 0
Works	8 15 8
Grave-digging	3 10 0
Balance	0 7 6½
	£13 11 2½

JOHN RODGER,
JOHN WILLIAMS,
CHARLES McKENNA,
Trustees.

Declared at Guildford the 9th day of March 1886, before
JOSEPH WATERWORTH, J.P.

WODONGA PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£10 0 1
Fees for graves, &c.	13 0 0
	£23 0 1

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£4 0 0
Office expenses	0 4 6
Works	18 8 8
Balance	0 6 11
	£23 0 1

PATRICK O'CONNOR,
W. H. MOULDER,
W. T. McFARLANE,
Trustees.

Declared at Wodonga the 27th day of February 1886, before
W. L. FERRIER, J.P.

WYCHITELLA PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£2 2 2
Fees for graves, &c.	10 0 0
	£12 2 2

EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 5 6
Grave-digging	6 0 0
Contingencies	0 3 0
Balance	5 13 8
	£12 2 2

JOHN PIPER,
WILLIAM GRAY,
THOMAS HAMILTON,
HUBERT DOBSON,
Trustees.

Declared at Wychitella the 8th day of March 1886, before
GEO. E. BOURCHIER, J.P.

YAN YEAN PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£7 15 6
Fees for graves, &c.	22 15 0
	£30 10 6

EXPENDITURE.	
Salaries	£5 3 0
Office expenses	1 5 0
Works	5 11 0
Grave-digging	15 0 0
Balance	3 11 6
	£30 10 6

JAMES BETT,
JOHN GIBSON,
JAMES HARDY,
JAMES RYAN,
Trustees.

Declared at Yan Yean the 8th day of March 1886, before
ANDREW NELSON, J.P.

YARRAM YARRAM PUBLIC CEMETERY.
1st January to 31st December 1885.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance	£3 13 7
Fees for graves, &c.	1 10 0
	£5 3 7

EXPENDITURE.	
Office expenses	£0 1 6
Works	0 6 0
Balance	4 16 1
	£5 3 7

W. H. MASON,
THOMAS COLLISS,
W. T. DEVONSHIRE,
Trustees.

Declared at Yarram the 26th day of February 1886, before
WM. BUCKLEY, J.P.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

ALTERATION OF TRAINS.

On and after 1st April the following alterations will take effect, viz.:—

Brighton Line.—The train now leaving Flinders street for Brighton at 10.30 a.m. on Sundays will leave at 10.20 a.m. The train now leaving Flinders street for Balacava at 11.47 p.m. on week days, Saturdays included, will leave at 11.50 p.m. An additional train will leave Flinders street for Elsternwick at 5.15 a.m., and return from Elsternwick to Melbourne at 5.45 a.m. on week days, Saturdays included.

Camberwell Line.—An additional train will leave Prince's Bridge at 3.25 p.m. for Camberwell, and return from Camberwell at 4.1 p.m. on week days, Saturdays excepted.

Coburg Line.—Additional trains will leave Spencer street for Coburg at 6 a.m. and 8.25 p.m., and return from Coburg at 6.30 a.m. and 8.57 p.m. on week days, Saturdays included.

Essendon Line.—The trains now leaving Spencer street for Essendon at 6.50 and 10.45 a.m. on week days, Saturdays included, will leave at 6.45 and 10.50 a.m. respectively. The trains now leaving Essendon for Melbourne at 7.42 a.m. and 6.42 p.m. on week days, Saturdays included, will leave at 7.40 a.m. and 6.40 p.m. respectively.

Frankston Line.—The train now leaving Prince's Bridge for Frankston at 9.20 p.m. on week days, Saturdays included, will leave at 9.30 p.m.

Lilydale Line.—The train now leaving Prince's Bridge at 6.15 a.m. for Lilydale will leave at 6.10 a.m., and the trains now leaving Lilydale for Melbourne at 7.55 a.m. and 6.55 p.m. will leave at 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. respectively.

Mordialloc Line.—On Sundays the trains to and from Mordialloc will pick up and set down passengers at Richmond.

North-Eastern Line.—The train now leaving Spencer street for Wodonga and Sydney at 6.15 a.m. will leave at 6.40 a.m. An additional train will leave Spencer street for Seymour at 10.45 a.m. The 4.55 p.m. Express from Spencer street to Sydney will run daily, Sundays excepted. The trains now leaving Wodonga for Melbourne at 6.25 a.m., and at 9.45 a.m. for Seymour, will be discontinued. Instead, a train will leave Wodonga at 8.50 a.m. for Melbourne, reaching there at 4.40 p.m. The Express train now leaving Albury at 5.50 a.m., and Wodonga at 6.15 a.m., on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, will leave Albury at 5.45 a.m., and Wodonga at 5.55 a.m., and run daily, Sundays excepted.

Oakleigh Suburban Line.—The train now leaving Prince's Bridge at 9.14 a.m. for Oakleigh and Dandenong on week days, Saturdays included, will leave at 9.8 a.m. On Sundays the trains to and from Oakleigh will pick up and set down passengers at Richmond.

St. Kilda Line.—On week days, Saturdays included, an additional train will leave St. Kilda at 6.30 a.m., and return from Flinders street at 6.46 a.m. Additional trains will also stop at Middle Park station.

Williamstown Line.—On Sundays an additional train will leave Spencer street for Footscray at 9.20 p.m., and return from Footscray at 9.37 p.m. The train now leaving Williamstown at 9.20 p.m. will leave at 9.25 p.m.

Queenscliffe Line.—On and after the 1st April the train now leaving Queenscliffe for Geelong and Melbourne at 6.55 a.m. will leave at 7.10 a.m.

Ballarat and Maryborough Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Maryborough at 12.15 p.m., Talbot at 12.45 p.m., Clunes at 1.33 p.m., and Creswick at 2.20 p.m. for Ballarat, will leave Maryborough at 12.10 p.m., Talbot at 12.38 p.m., Clunes at 1.16 p.m., and Creswick at 2 p.m. The train now leaving Ballarat for Maryborough at 12.10 p.m. will leave at 12.30 p.m.

Scarsdale Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Scarsdale for Ballarat at 1.35 p.m. will leave at 1.30 p.m.

Daylesford Line.—On and after 1st April the train leaving Woodend for Daylesford at 5.45 p.m. will reach Daylesford at 7.15 p.m. instead of 7.30 p.m. as at present.

St. Arnaud Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving St. Arnaud for Maryborough at 3.15 p.m. will leave at 3.10 p.m.

Boort Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Boort at 10.15 a.m. for Korong Vale and Sandhurst will leave at 9.55 a.m.

Kerang Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Sandhurst for Kerang at 12.35 p.m. will leave at 12.10 p.m., and arrive at Kerang at 4.13 p.m. instead of 5.20 p.m., and the train leaving Sandhurst at 8.5 p.m. will reach Kerang at 12.8 a.m. instead of 12.48 a.m. The trains now leaving Kerang for Sandhurst at 5.45 a.m. and 1 p.m. will leave at 6.25 a.m. and 1.40 p.m., and reach Sandhurst as at present.

Wycheproof Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Wycheproof at 9.15 a.m., Charlton at 10.12 a.m., Korong

Vale at 11.35 a.m., and Inglewood at 1 p.m. for Sandhurst and Melbourne, will leave Wychoeproof at 8.45 a.m., Charlton at 9.42 a.m., Korong Vale at 11.5 a.m., and Inglewood at 12.25 p.m.

Beechworth Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Beechworth for Wangaratta and Melbourne at 5.50 a.m. (Mondays excepted) will leave at 5.30 a.m., Mondays included. The train now leaving Beechworth for Wangaratta and Melbourne at 6.30 a.m. on Mondays will be discontinued.

Myrtleford Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Myrtleford for Wangaratta and Melbourne at 5.38 a.m. (Mondays excepted) will leave at 5.18 a.m., Mondays included. The train now leaving Myrtleford for Wangaratta and Melbourne at 6.18 a.m. on Mondays will be discontinued.

North-Eastern Line.—On and after 1st April the trains now leaving Albury at 6 and 8.40 a.m., Wodonga at 6.25 and 9.45 a.m., Wangaratta at 8.3 a.m. and 12.15 p.m., Benalla at 9.14 a.m. and 1.55 p.m., will be discontinued to Seymour. Instead, a train will leave Albury at 8.25 a.m., Wodonga at 8.50 a.m., Wangaratta at 10.28 a.m., and Benalla at 11.34 a.m. for Melbourne, reaching there at 4.40 p.m. The Express train now leaving Albury at 5.50 a.m., Wodonga at 6.15 a.m., Wangaratta at 7.22 a.m., Benalla at 8.19 a.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, will leave Albury at 5.45 a.m., Wodonga at 5.55 a.m., Wangaratta at 7.2 a.m., Benalla at 7.56 a.m. daily, except Sundays.

On and after 1st April an additional train will leave Seymour for Melbourne at 2.15 p.m., arriving at Melbourne at 4.40 p.m. The Express train now leaving Seymour for Melbourne at 9.57 a.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, will leave at 9.33 a.m. daily, except Sundays.

Nunurkah Line.—On and after 1st April the trains now leaving Nunurkah at 7.5 a.m. and 2.45 p.m., Shepparton at 8.15 a.m. and 3.55 p.m., Tatura at 8.17 a.m. and 3.55 p.m., Murchison at 9.32 a.m. and 5.12 p.m., for Seymour and Melbourne, will leave Nunurkah at 5.40 a.m. and 3.15 p.m., Shepparton at 6.50 a.m. and 4.25 p.m., Tatura at 6.45 a.m. and 4.20 p.m., Murchison at 7.49 a.m. and 5.22 p.m. From the same date the 5.40 a.m. from Nunurkah and the 6.45 a.m. from Tatura will connect at Seymour with the Express train to Melbourne. The trains leaving Seymour for Nunurkah and Tatura in the morning and evening will reach those stations earlier than at present.

St. James Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving St. James for Benalla and Melbourne at 6.35 a.m. (Mondays excepted) will leave at 6.30 a.m., Mondays included. The train now leaving St. James for Benalla and Melbourne at 7.30 a.m. on Mondays will be discontinued.

Wahgunyah Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Wahgunyah for Springs, Benalla, and Seymour at 10 a.m. will leave at 9 a.m., and connect at Springs with a train to Melbourne.

Yea Line.—On and after 1st April the train now leaving Tallaroek for Yea at 8.45 a.m. will leave at 9.5 a.m., and arrive at Yea at 10.20 a.m., instead of 10 a.m. as at present. The train now leaving Yea for Melbourne at 10.20 a.m. will leave at 12.55 p.m., and connect at Tallaroek with a train reaching Melbourne at 4.40 p.m.

SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.

To give residents in the country an opportunity of visiting the coast at or near Queenscliffe, Birregurra, Portland, Frankston, or Sale, during the summer months, Seaside Excursion tickets, available for one month, will be issued at a low rate at the principal stations from 24th November 1885 to 31st March 1886 (both dates inclusive). The issue of these tickets will not be affected by any other excursions. For full particulars, see posters at all stations.

TOURISTS' TICKETS.

Tourists' Tickets (not available for breaking journey between starting and first terminating station, but available for so doing at certain stations on the return journey) are still issued daily at Melbourne, Ballarat, Geelong, Sandhurst, Castlemaine, and Maryborough stations, available for return for 30 days. They will continue to be issued till the 30th April, and full particulars and fares may be obtained from the Book Time-Table and posters at stations.

By Order of the Commissioners,

P. P. LABERTOUCHE,
Secretary for Railways.

Courts.

AVOCA.—LICENSING COURT.—*The Licensing Act 1885*, section 19.—The statutory number of inhabitants in the year 1886 for the undermentioned Licensing Districts is as follows:—

Avoca	2,650
Back Creek	1,445
Elmhurst	1,240
Lamplough	480
Lexton	820
Moonambel	1,620

This notice is given in pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court sitting at Avoca for such districts.—WALTER W. HARRIS, Clerk of the Licensing Court for the above-mentioned Licensing Districts. Avoca, 19th March 1886.

BAIRNSDALE.—LICENSING COURT.—In accordance with the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, notice is hereby given that the statutory number of inhabitants

within the Licensing Districts of Bairnsdale, Buchan, and Wonnangatta has been determined as under, viz:—

Bairnsdale District	5,750
Wonnangatta District	65
Buchan District	645

—JAMES H. TYRER, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Bairnsdale, 22nd March 1886.

BALLAN.—LICENSING COURT.—LICENSING DISTRICTS OF BALLAN SOUTH, BALLAN NORTH, EGERTON, AND BURNT BRIDGE.—In accordance with section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, I certify that the following is the statutory number of inhabitants for the respective Licensing Districts named hereunder for the current year, as determined by the Licensing Court for the districts named, viz:—

	Inhabitants.
Ballan South	960
Ballan North	615
Burnt Bridge	1,210
Egerton	1,765

—JAS. H. WALSH, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Ballan, 19th March 1886.

BERWICK.—LICENSING COURT.—*The Licensing Act 1885*.—Determination of Licensing Court, under section 19 of the said Act.—Licensing Districts of Berwick, Cranbourne, and Pakenham.—It is hereby notified that the number of inhabitants in each of the said Licensing Districts is as follows:—Berwick, 4,045; Cranbourne, 1,570; Pakenham, 2,600. Determined by the Licensing Court sitting at Berwick this 22nd day of March A.D. 1886, and published by direction of the Chairman of the said Court.—E. WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Licensing Court for the said Licensing Districts. Berwick, 24th March 1886.

BULLA AND "THE GAP."—LICENSING COURTS.—In pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Courts of the Licensing Districts of "The Gap" and "Bulla," notice is hereby given that, as determined by the said courts respectively, the statutory number of inhabitants in the year 1886 in the Licensing District of "The Gap" is 800, and the statutory number of inhabitants in "Bulla" Licensing District is 735.—W. B. NICOLSON, Clerk of the said Courts.

BYLANDS.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court of the "Bylands" Licensing District, notice is hereby given that the statutory number of inhabitants in the said Licensing District in the year 1886, as determined by the said court, is 640.—H. C. WHITE, Clerk of the said Court.

CARLTON.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that the statutory number of inhabitants in the District of Carlton is 14,920. The above notice is given in accordance with section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*.—(By order of the Licensing Court) J. KEOGH, Clerk of the said Court. Carlton, 23rd March 1886.

COLLINGWOOD.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that the statutory number of inhabitants in the Districts of—

Glasshouse North is	11,070
Glasshouse South	5,220
And Abbotsford	6,320

The above notice is given in accordance with section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*.—(By order of the Licensing Court) J. KEOGH, Clerk of the said Court. Collingwood, 23rd March 1886.

DAYLESFORD.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, the Licensing Court sitting at Daylesford has this 24th day of March 1886 determined the statutory number of inhabitants for the undermentioned Licensing Districts as follows:—

Daylesford	5,730
Glenulyon	2,810
Franklin	1,665
Smeaton	1,415

—(By direction of the chairman of the said court) GEO. JEPHSON RUMLEY, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Daylesford, 24th March 1886.

EMERALD HILL.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Emerald Hill, I hereby give notice that the statutory number of inhabitants in the said district is 30,375.—CHAS. G. ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, South Melbourne, 14th March 1886.

FITZROY.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that the statutory number of inhabitants in the Districts of—

Fitzroy East is	2,924
Fitzroy West	3,770
Fitzroy North	9,585
And St. Marks	7,240

The above notice is given in accordance with section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*.—(By order of the Licensing Court) J. KEOGH, Clerk of the said Court. Fitzroy, 23rd March 1886.

FOOTSCRAY.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court, I hereby give notice that the statutory number of inhabitants for the Licensing District of Footscray is 8,835, and that of Kororoit 1,380.—JOSEPH DRURY, Clerk of Licensing Court. Court House, Footscray, 13th March 1886.

GISBORNE.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court of the Licensing District of Gisborne, notice is hereby given that, as determined by the said court, the statutory number of inhabitants in the year 1886 in the said Licensing District is 2,475.—H. R. DIXON, Clerk of the said Court. 22nd March 1886.

HARROW.—LICENSING COURT.—LICENSING DISTRICTS OF HARROW, SOUTH HARROW, EDENHOPE, AND BALMORAL.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court held at Harrow for the undermentioned Licensing Districts, on the 19th March 1886, notice is hereby given that the number of inhabitants in the following Licensing Districts has been determined by the said court as follows:—

Harrow	1,785
South Harrow	970
Edenhope	1,555
Balmoral	840

—OWEN COGAN, Clerk of the said Court. Harrow, 19th March 1886.

HAWTHORN.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing District of Hawthorn, I hereby give notice that the statutory number of inhabitants in the said District of Hawthorn is 10,615.—JAMES ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Hawthorn, 22nd March 1886.

HOTHAM.—LICENSING COURT.—LICENSING DISTRICTS OF HOTHAM, ROYAL PARK, AND UNIVERSITY.—In accordance with the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, notice is hereby given that the following is the statutory number of inhabitants for the respective Licensing Districts named hereunder as determined by the Licensing Court:—

Hotham	4,940
Royal Park	13,560
University	9,990

—(By direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court) JAMES ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Hotham, 22nd March 1886.

KALKALLO.—LICENSING COURT.—KALKALLO, BEVERIDGE, AND CAMPBELLFIELD LICENSING DISTRICTS.—In pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the above-named Courts, notice is hereby given that the number of inhabitants in the year 1886 in the Licensing District of Kalkallo, as determined by the Licensing Court for that district, is 435; and that the number of inhabitants in the same year in the Licensing District of Beveridge, as determined by the Licensing Court for that district, is 735; and that the number of inhabitants in the same year in the Licensing District of Campbellfield, as determined by the Licensing Court for that district, is 705.—W. B. NICOLSON, Clerk of the said Courts.

KEW.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing District of Kew, I hereby give notice that the statutory number of inhabitants in the said district of Kew is 4,200.—JAMES ROBERTSON, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Kew, 22nd March 1886.

LANCEFIELD.—LICENSING COURT.—*The Licensing Act 1885*.—By direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court of Lancefield Licensing District, notice is hereby given that, as determined by the said court, the statutory number of inhabitants in the year 1886 in the said Licensing District is 2,480.—JOHN LITTLE, Clerk of the said Court. Court House, Lancefield, 20th March 1886.

MEREDITH.—LICENSING COURT.—LICENSING DISTRICTS OF STEIGLITZ AND ANAKIE.—I, the undersigned, Clerk of the Licensing Courts appointed to be held at Meredith, having been thereto directed by the Chairman, do hereby give notice that the Licensing Court has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, determined the statutory number of inhabitants of each of the above Licensing Districts to be as follows:—

Steiglitz	1,810
Anakie	180

—J. RAHILLY, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Dated at Meredith this 20th day of March 1886.

METROPOLITAN LICENSING COURT.—Licensing Districts of Gardiner, Oakleigh, Mulgrave, Mordialloc, Dandenong, and Caulfield.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, it is hereby notified that the number of inhabitants in each of the above Licensing Districts is as follows:—Gardiner, 1,940; Oakleigh, 1,265; Mulgrave, 1,070; Caulfield, 830; Mordialloc, 1,515; and Dandenong, 900. Published by direction of the Chairman of the Metropolitan Licensing Court.—F. WILLIAMS, Clerk of the said Licensing Districts. Court House, Oakleigh, 24th March 1886.

NHILL.—REVISION OF JURY LIST.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Nhill, on Thursday the 1st day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the Jury List for the County Court Town of Nhill.—A. A. RUTHERFORD, Clerk of Petty Sessions. Court House, Nhill, 22nd March 1886.

PYRAMID HILL.—LICENSING COURT.—The Licensing Court held this day at Pyramid Hill Court House hereby determines that the number of inhabitants for the current year in the Licensing District of Pyramid Hill is for the

Terricks Division	1,435
Yarrowalla	940
Mitiamo	1,080

—ROBT. STRICKLAND, P.M., Chairman; GRAHAM WEBSTER, P.M., Member; E. H. NICHOLSON, P.M., Member. Pyramid Hill, March 17th 1886.

ROCHESTER.—LICENSING COURT.—*The Licensing Act 1885*.

—Number of Inhabitants.—Notice is hereby given that the number of inhabitants of each of the several Licensing Districts hereinafter mentioned for the current year was, at the respective Licensing Courts for the said Licensing Districts held at Rochester on Thursday the 18th day of March 1886, determined by the said Courts, in pursuance of the provisions of the 19th section of the above-named Act, to be as follows:—

Licensing District.	Number of Inhabitants.
Rochester	1,150
Corop	1,810
Elmore	1,265
Tandarra	815

—G. C. MORRISON, Clerk of the Licensing Courts for the above districts.

WALHALLA.—LICENSING COURT.—Walhalla Licensing District.—Number of Inhabitants.—Section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*.—By direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court for the Walhalla Licensing District, I hereby give notice that the said Licensing Court did, at its sitting on the 16th day of March 1886 at Walhalla, determine the number of inhabitants in the said Licensing District to be 2,725.—W. MURSELL SMITH, Clerk of the Licensing Court. Court House, Walhalla, 18th March 1886.

WARRAGUL.—THE LICENSING COURT FOR THE LICENSING DISTRICT OF BULN BULN.—Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the said Court, that the number of inhabitants in the said Licensing District, as determined by the said Court at Warragul, on the 17th day of March 1886, is 7,960.—D. F. McGRATH, Clerk of the said Licensing Court. Court House, Warragul, 18th March 1886.

WEDDERBURN.—LICENSING COURT.—*The Licensing Act 1885*.—Number of Inhabitants.—Notice is hereby given that the number of inhabitants of each of the several Licensing Districts hereinafter mentioned for the current year was, at the Licensing Court for the said Licensing Districts held at Wedderburn Court House on the 19th day of March 1886, determined by the said Court, in pursuance of the provisions of the 19th section of the above-mentioned Act, to be as follows:—

Wedderburn	2,345
Kinypanial	935
Kingower	750
Jericho	1,040
Boort	980

—HENRY F. K. LEECH, Clerk to the Licensing Court. Court House, Wedderburn, 19th March 1886.

WILLIAMSTOWN.—LICENSING COURT.—In pursuance of section 19 of *The Licensing Act 1885*, and by direction of the Chairman of the Licensing Court, I hereby give notice that the statutory number of inhabitants for the Licensing District of North Williamstown is 5,110, and for that of South Williamstown 6,190.—JOSEPH DRURY, Clerk of Licensing Court. Court House, Williamstown, 13th March 1886.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT: pursuant to Order in Council of 14th December 1885.

Melbourne ... Thursday ... 15 April

COURTS OF ASSIZE: pursuant to Order in Council of 14th December 1885.

Ararat	Thursday	1 April
Ballarat	Wednesday	7 April
Beechworth	Monday	12 July
Belfast	Friday	13 August
Benalla	Wednesday	14 July
Castlemaine	Wednesday	9 June
Echuca	Tuesday	13 April
Geelong	Monday	3 May
Hamilton	Saturday	3 April
Horsham	Tuesday	29 June
Maryborough	Saturday	3 July
Sale	Wednesday	18 August
Sandhurst	Friday	16 April

Shepparton	Friday	16 July
St. Arnaud	Tuesday	6 July
Stawell	Thursday	1 July
Warrnambool	Friday	7 May

GENERAL SESSIONS: pursuant to Order in Council of 28th December 1885.

Alexandra	Tuesday	6 April
Ararat	Monday	7 June
Bairnsdale	Monday	10 May
Ballarat	Tuesday	11 May
Beechworth	Tuesday	18 May
Belfast	Tuesday	30 November
Benalla	Friday	21 May
Castlemaine	Thursday	1 April
Clunes	Friday	19 November
Daylesford	Tuesday	13 July
Dunolly	Thursday	8 April
Echuca	Friday	16 July
Geelong	Friday	2 April
Hamilton	Thursday	11 November
Heathcote	Tuesday	3 August
Horsham	Tuesday	18 May
Inglewood	Tuesday	6 April
Jamieson	Saturday	10 April
Kilmore	Thursday	5 August
Kyneton	Tuesday	4 May
Mansfield	Thursday	8 April
Maryborough	Tuesday	13 April
Melbourne	Thursday	1 April
Palmerston	Tuesday	4 May
Portland	Friday	4 June
Sale	Thursday	6 May
Sandhurst	Thursday	6 May
Shepparton	Wednesday	26 May
St. Arnaud	Saturday	10 April
Stawell	Friday	14 May
Walhalla	Friday	14 May
Wangaratta	Tuesday	20 July
Warrnambool	Tuesday	31 August
Wood's Point	Monday	12 April

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Alexandra	Tuesday	6 April
Ararat	Monday	7 June
Avoca	Wednesday	7 April
Bacchus Marsh	Friday	10 September
Bairnsdale	Monday	10 May
Ballan	Wednesday	7 April
Ballarat	Thursday	15 April
Beaufort	Saturday	5 June
Beechworth	Tuesday	18 May
Belfast	Saturday	5 June
Benalla	Friday	21 May
Blackwood	Thursday	8 April
Bright	Monday	17 May
Camperdown	Wednesday	19 May
Casterton	Friday	13 August
Castlemaine	Thursday	1 April
Chiltern	Friday	14 May
Clunes	Tuesday	13 April
Colac	Tuesday	18 May
Coleraine	Friday	14 May
Creswick	Wednesday	14 April
Dandenong	Friday	18 June
Daylesford	Friday	2 April
Donald	Friday	9 April
Dunolly	Thursday	8 April
East Charlton	Thursday	15 July
Echuca	Wednesday	5 May
Geelong	Thursday	1 April
Gisborne	Wednesday	21 April
Hamilton	Friday	28 May
Heathcote	Wednesday	4 August
Horsham	Tuesday	18 May
Inglewood	Tuesday	6 April

Jamieson	Saturday	10 April
Kerang	Tuesday	30 March
Kilmore	Thursday	5 August
Kyneton	Tuesday	4 May
Maldon	Thursday	15 April
Mansfield	Thursday	8 April
Maryborough	Tuesday	13 April
Melbourne	Thursday	1 April
Mornington	Friday	9 July
Nagambie	Thursday	22 April
Nhill	Wednesday	21 April
Omeo	Wednesday	18 August
Palmerston	Tuesday	4 May
Portland	Friday	4 June
Romsey	Tuesday	20 April
Rushworth	Wednesday	21 April
Rutherglen	Thursday	13 May
Sale	Tuesday	22 June
Sandhurst	Wednesday	31 March
Seymour	Tuesday	20 April
Shepparton	Wednesday	26 May
Smythesdale	Thursday	1 July
St. Arnaud	Saturday	10 April
Stawell	Friday	14 May
Talbot	Wednesday	14 April
Walhalla	Friday	14 May
Wangaratta	Tuesday	20 July
Warragul	Thursday	10 June
Warrnambool	Monday	7 June
Wodonga	Wednesday	30 June
Wood's Point	Monday	12 April
Yackandandah	Saturday	15 May
Yarrowonga	Wednesday	12 May
Yea	Monday	5 April

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.

Melbourne		
Ararat	Monday	7 June
Beaufort	Saturday	5 June
Stawell	Friday	14 May

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

Ballarat	Thursday	15 April
Clunes	Tuesday	13 April
Creswick	Wednesday	14 April
Mount Blackwood	Thursday	8 April
Smythe's Creek	Thursday	1 July

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.

Alexandra	Tuesday	6 April
Beechworth	Tuesday	18 May
Bright	Monday	17 May
Chiltern	Friday	14 May
Jamieson	Saturday	10 April
Kilmore	Thursday	5 August
Mansfield	Thursday	8 April
Rutherglen	Thursday	13 May
Wodonga	Wednesday	30 June
Wood's Point	Monday	12 April
Yackandandah	Saturday	15 May

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

Castlemaine	Thursday	1 April
Heidelberg		
Hepburn (Daylesford)	Friday	2 April
Kyneton	Tuesday	4 May
Maldon		

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.

Bairnsdale	Monday	10 May
Omeo	Wednesday	18 August
Palmerston	Tuesday	4 May
Sale	Tuesday	22 June
Walhalla	Friday	14 May

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.

Avoca		
Dunolly	Thursday	8 April
Inglewood	Tuesday	6 April

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Maryborough	...	Tuesday	13 April
St. Arnaud	...	Saturday	10 April
Talbot	...	Wednesday	14 April
SANDHURST DISTRICT.			
Heathcote	...	Wednesday	4 August
Rushworth	...	Wednesday	21 April
Sandhurst	...	Wednesday	31 March

Insolvency Notices.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Ballarat.—No. 824.—In the matter of PETER ROBERTSON, of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, hotelkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of the said Peter Robertson has been sequestrated, and I do hereby appoint a meeting of creditors herein to be held at the Court House, Lydiard street, Ballarat, on Monday the 29th day of March 1886, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes set forth in the 53rd section of the Insolvency Statute 1871.

Dated at Ballarat this 20th day of March 1886.

J. A. MULLIGAN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. William D. McKee is the assignee named in the order, and Mr. J. B. Pearson, solicitor acting in the insolvency.

In the Court of Insolvency, Midland Insolvency District, Sandhurst.—No. 86/3.—In the matter of JAMES GILMORE, of Raywood, late publican, now out of employment.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of the said James Gilmore has been sequestrated, and I hereby appoint a general meeting of creditors herein to be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, Sandhurst, on Tuesday the 30th day of March A.D. 1886, for the purposes set forth in the 53rd section of the Insolvency Statute 1871.

Given under my hand at Sandhurst this twentieth day of March A.D. 1886.

EDWARD C. BELL,
Chief Clerk.

N.B.—Mr. John Hasker is the assignee named in the order, and Mr. R. Johnson is the solicitor acting in the insolvency.

In the Court of Insolvency, Midland Insolvency District, Sandhurst.—No. 86/4.—In the matter of THOMAS McDONALD, of Marong, laborer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of the said Thomas McDonald has been sequestrated, and I hereby appoint a general meeting of creditors herein to be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices at Sandhurst, on Tuesday the thirtieth day of March A.D. 1886, at the hour of Half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes set forth in the 53rd section of the Insolvency Statute 1871.

Given under my hand at Sandhurst this 23rd day of March A.D. 1886.

EDWD. C. BELL,
Chief Clerk.

N.B.—Mr. John Hasker is the assignee named in the order.

In the Court of Insolvency, Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of William Sherrard, of Saint Kilda, late mail contractor, 4939; William Henry Nichols, of Caulfield, builder, 4940; Thomas Knight, of Port Melbourne, laborer, 4941; Guillaume Billiet, of Melbourne, wine merchant, 4942, have been sequestrated; and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, Queen street, in the city of Melbourne, on the twenty-ninth day of March A.D. 1886, at the hour of Half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the Insolvency Statute 1871.

Dated at Melbourne this 24th day of March A.D. 1886.

CHAS. P. WILLIAMS,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Hamilton.—In the estate of THOMAS HINKLEY and WILLIAM WILFORD HINKLEY, in partnership, trading together as T. and W. Hinkley, of Chetwynd, in the colony of Victoria, storekeepers and tanners.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the Court House, Hamilton, on Monday the twelfth day of April A.D. 1886, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for proof of debts and for the election of a trustee in the said estate.

Dated at Hamilton the twenty-fourth day of March 1886.

HAROLD MORRISON,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, Ballarat.—No. 825.—In the matter of JOHN WALSH, of Bungaree, in the colony of Victoria, farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of the said John Walsh has been sequestrated; and I do hereby appoint a meeting of creditors herein to be holden at the Court House, Lydiard street, Ballarat, on Monday the 29th day of March 1886, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes set forth in the 53rd section of the Insolvency Statute 1871.

Given under my hand, at Ballarat, this 23rd day of March 1886.

J. A. MULLIGAN,
Chief Clerk.

N.B.—Mr. Frederick Moses Claxton is the official assignee named in the order, and Mr. H. A. Nevett is the solicitor acting in the insolvency.

Police Sales.

MELTON.

THE following confiscated property will be sold at the Police Station, Melton, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at Two o'clock p.m.:

14 bottles of ale.
12 glasses.
6 tin pint measures.
2 empty cases.
And a number of empty bottles.

H. M. CHOMLEY,

Chief Commissioner of Police.
Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office,
Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

Tenders.

PUBLIC WORKS OFFICE, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received at this office until Twelve o'clock on the days and for the purposes undermentioned.

Particulars may be learnt at this office, and also at the offices named in each instance.

The Board of Land and Works will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

Wooden building for teacher's residence, State School No. 852, Bagshot. Particulars at Elmore State School, No. 1515, and on application to the District Inspector of Works, Sandhurst. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 1st April

Re-forming, &c., Wood's Point road, Contract 242A. Particulars also at Post Offices, Healesville and Marysville. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 1st April

Maintenance metal, &c., Wood's Point road, Contract 241A. Particulars also at Post Offices, Healesville and Marysville. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 1st April

Verandah and fencing, State School No. 2219, Black Flat, near Oakleigh. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, £5 ... 1st April

Additions, &c., Court House, Seymour. Particulars also at Police Station, Seymour. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Additions to Quarters, State School No. 2266, House Creek. Particulars also at Police Station, Wodonga. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £3. Final deposit, £5 ... 8th April

Additions and alterations to State School No. 888, Camberwell. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Additions to State School No. 1401, Northcote. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Fencing, &c., New Lodge, Studley Park. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Sundry works at Police Barracks, Russell street, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Alterations and repairs to buildings, State Nursery, Macedon. Particulars also at State Nursery, Macedon. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Painting and general repairs, Post and Telegraph Office, Wangaratta. Particulars also at Post Office, Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Additions to State School and Quarters, No. 2017, Buln Buln, near Warragul. Particulars also at Police Station, Buln Buln. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Caretaker's quarters, State School No. 1490, North Fitzroy. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 8th April

Additions to State School No. 876, Lillydale. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 15th April

New quarters and repairs, Police Station, Seymour. Particulars also at Police Station, Seymour. Preliminary deposit to accompany tender, £20. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 15th April

Brick underground-tanks at State Schools
No. 2275, Gillieston; No. 2291, Henley;
No. 1563, Mooroonpa; and No. 1612, Mooroonpa North. Particulars also at State
Schools No. 1469, Shepparton; No. 1432,
Mooroonpa; No. 1126, Murchison; and
No. 547, Seymour. Preliminary deposit to
accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per
cent. ... 15th April

**Additions, &c., State School No. 1098, Hast-
ings.** Particulars also at Police Station,
Hastings. Preliminary deposit to accom-
pany tender, £15. Final deposit, 5 per
cent. ... 15th April

**Repairs, painting, &c., Post and Telegraph
Office, Foster.** Particulars also at Post
Office, Foster. Preliminary deposit to ac-
company tender, £5. Final deposit, £5 ... 15th April

Fencing, &c., Police Reserve, Wangaratta.
Particulars also at Police Station, Wanga-
ratta. Preliminary deposit to accompany
tender, £5. Final deposit, £5 ... 15th April

**Addition, in wood, to teacher's quarters, State
School No. 1618, Moutajup.** Particulars
also at Police Stations, Hamilton and
Dunkeld. Preliminary deposit to accom-
pany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 22nd April

**Sawn post and rail fencing at State School
No. 1771, Undera.** Particulars also at
State Schools No. 1469, Shepparton; No.
208, Echuca; and No. 1771, Undera. Pre-
liminary deposit to accompany tender, £5.
Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 22nd April

**Alterations and additions, &c., State School
No. 550, Stanley.** Particulars also at Police
Station, Stanley. Preliminary deposit to
accompany tender, £5. Final deposit, 5 per
cent. ... 29th April

**New roof to Police quarters, painting, and
general repairs to Police Buildings, Black-
wood.** Particulars also at Police Station,
Bacchus Marsh, until Friday, 9th April;
after that date at Police Station, Ballan.
Preliminary deposit to accompany tender,
£5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 29th April

Additions to Police quarters, Glenorchy.
Particulars also at Police Station, Glen-
orchy. Preliminary deposit to accompany
tender, £5 ... 29th April

**Erection of wash-houses, and general repairs
to Lighthouse quarters at Point Lonsdale.**
Particulars also at Police Station, Queens-
cliffe. Preliminary deposit to accompany
tender, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 29th April

**Alternative tenders for additions to main
building, General Post Office, Melbourne,
in Tasmanian and in Stawell stone.** Pre-
liminary deposit to accompany tender, £100.
Final deposit, £2,000. Copies of the speci-
fication may be obtained at this office, price
£1 ls. each ... 6th May

**Fittings, &c., New Branch Post and Tele-
graph Office, Bourke street east, Melbourne.**
Preliminary deposit to accompany tender,
£5 ... 6th May

**Additions to State School No. 114, and quarters
of head teacher, Camperdown.** Particulars
also at Police Station, Camperdown, on and
after the 8th April. Preliminary deposit
to accompany tender, £20. Final deposit,
5 per cent. ... 6th May

**All deposit-receipts, &c., must be made payable to the Secretary
for Public Works.**

Tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of
Public Works, and marked "Tender for —."

JOHN NIMMO,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 26th March 1886.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SEPARATE Tenders are invited for the undermentioned
works, &c.

Tenders, accompanied by the necessary preliminary deposit,
and endorsed "Tender for —" (as the case may be), must
be deposited in the Tender-box, Secretary's Office, Spencer
street, Melbourne, at or before Twelve o'clock noon of the dates
as specified.

Monday, 5th April.—Construction of the Hawthorn to Kew
line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £200.

Monday, 5th April.—The time for receiving tenders for the
construction of the Hawthorn to Kew line has been extended to
the above date.

Monday, 5th April.—Fencing and Earthworks in excavation
for canal diversion, &c., West Melbourne Swamp, near North
Melbourne station. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office,
Spencer street. Preliminary deposit, £30.

Monday, 5th April.—Erection of 10 Gatekeepers' Cottages on
the Dimboola and South Australian Border Line. Particulars
at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer street, and at Ballarat,
Ararat, Stawell, Horsham, and Dimboola stations. Preliminary
deposit, £30.

Monday, 12th April.—Earthworks required for new engine
and fuel depot, West Melbourne Swamp, near North Melbourne
station. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £200.

Monday, 12th April.—Construction and Erection of Iron
Girders and Platform, &c., for renewal of Chapel-street bridge,
Windsor station. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office,
Spencer street. Preliminary deposit, £30.

Monday, 3rd May.—Construction of the Brighton to Picnic
Point line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £200.

Monday, 10th May.—Construction of the Moes and Narracan
line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £250.

Monday, 10th May.—Construction of the Alphington to
Heidelberg line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office,
Spencer street. Preliminary deposit, £300.

Monday, 17th May.—Construction of the Lilydale to Heales-
ville line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £300.

Monday, 17th May.—Construction of the Tatura to Echuca
line. Particulars at the Engineer-in-Chief's Office, Spencer
street. Preliminary deposit, £350.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

By Order of the Commissioners,

P. P. LABERTOUCHE,
Secretary for Railways.

RABBIT EXTIRPATION.

TENDERS FOR COTTON-WASTE.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders will be received up to
Twelve o'clock noon on Monday the 12th April 1886 for
a supply of 10,000 lbs. of Cotton Waste required for Rabbit
Extirpation.

Price per lb. to be expressed in figures and in words.

Samples must accompany tender. To be supplied in such
quantities and at such times as may be required.

Quality to be subject to approval of Lands Department; the
best not necessary, so long as the waste is clean and absorbent.

Forms of tender and further information can be obtained from
the Officer administering the Rabbit Suppression Act, Lands
Department.

A deposit or approved guarantee for the sum of £25, as security
for the due performance of the contract, must accompany each
tender, and such deposit will be liable to be forfeited to the
Department should the contractor fail to carry out his contract in
a satisfactory manner. If the contract be completed to the
satisfaction of the Department, the deposit or guarantee will be
returned to the contractor on termination of contract.

The quantity for which tenders are invited it is anticipated
will be required at the rate of 1,000 to 1,500 lbs. monthly; but
more must be supplied if ordered, or the quantity required will
be made up elsewhere at contractor's risk.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Cotton Waste," and
deposited in the Tender-box, Crown Lands Office, Melbourne.

The successful tenderer will be notified by letter of the accept-
ance of his tender.

J. L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 15th March 1886.

TENDERS FOR GRAZING ON TIMBER RESERVES.

NOTE.—The fee for the period from 1st April 1886 to 31st Decem-
ber 1886, and fee of Five shillings for license, must accompany
each tender.

TENDERS will be received by the Board of Land and Works
up to Noon on Thursday, 1st April 1886, for the occupa-
tion for grazing purposes only of the Timber Reserves in the
parishes of Meeran Meering and Leagbur, county of Tatchera.

The successful tenderers will be required to take measures for
the destruction of rabbits within the boundaries of their licenses,
in accordance with sections 3 and 4 of *The Rabbit Suppression
Act Amendment Act 1884*.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenderers must give their full names and postal addresses.

Plans showing the position and area of the several lots into
which these reserves are divided may be seen at the Enquiry
Room of the Lands Department, Melbourne, and at the District
Land Offices, Kerang and St. Arnaud, and the Post Office,
Boort.

JOHN L. DOW,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th March 1886.

Private Advertisements.

BOROUGH OF HORSHAM WATERWORKS TRUST.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been forwarded to the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply for an additional loan of One thousand five hundred and fifty-five pounds three shillings and ninepence (under the provisions of the Water Conservation Acts 1881 and 1883) for water supply purposes. The general plan and description of the works, and copies of such application, plan, and description were deposited at the Borough Offices, Pynsent street, Horsham, and also at the office of the Minister of Water Supply, Melbourne.

By order,

JOSEPH ROBERT COLLINS,
Secretary.

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BOROUGH OF PORT MELBOURNE.

BYE-LAW No. 49.—AS TO DAIRIES, DAIRY CATTLE, AND MILK.

THE Local Board of Health in and for the Borough of Port Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, being the Municipal Council thereof, by virtue of the powers contained in the Public Health Amendment Statute 1883, and every other power enabling the said local board in this behalf, and for the purpose of carrying the said Act into execution within the jurisdiction of the said local board, doth hereby make the following bye-law, being Bye-law No. 49 of the said Local Board of Health, that is to say:—

1. All former bye-laws on the matters and things hereinafter provided for are hereby repealed.

2. This bye-law shall come into full force and operation on its confirmation by the Central Board of Health, and immediately after its publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. This bye-law shall apply to and have operation in every part of the Borough of Port Melbourne.

REGISTRATION OF COWKEEPERS, DAIRYMEN, AND PURVEYORS OF MILK.

4. Every person carrying on the trade of a cowkeeper, dairyman, or purveyor of milk shall, on or before the first day of April in every year, register himself with the local board of health in manner following, that is to say:—By signing and forwarding to the secretary of the local board of health an application in the form hereunder written, and every such person shall, with every such application, pay a fee of One pound (£1).

Application for Registration as

To the Secretary of the Local Board of Health for
Sin,

I desire to be registered in accordance with the particulars in the schedule hereunder:—

Schedule.

Name in full	...	...
Trade in respect of which registration is desired	...	...
Style or firm under which trade is to be carried on	...	...
Every place within the jurisdiction of the local board of health at which such trade, or any part of it, is to be carried on, including a full description of all paddocks, grass lands, grounds, and enclosures, occupied or used, or intended to be used, by the applicant	...	...
Period of time for which registration is desired	...	...
Year commencing the 1st day of April 18	...	...

5. Upon receipt of every such application and fee, the secretary for the local board of health shall endorse the same with a memorandum of the date on which it is received, and of the payment of the fee, and shall file the same, and shall enter the particulars in the schedule to such application in a book to be kept for that purpose, and cause the same to be properly indexed.

6. All paddocks, grounds, lands, and enclosures used as grazing ground for dairy cattle shall, whenever necessary, be inspected by any member or officer of the said local board or by any person authorized, in writing, by the chairman or secretary of the said local board, and if on inspection such paddocks, grounds, or enclosures, or any one of them, are or is likely, in the opinion of the officer or person so inspecting, to be prejudicial to health, by affecting the milk or otherwise, the said local board may, by an order in writing signed by the secretary, and served personally or left at the dwelling house of the registered person, or in the case of an unregistered person served personally or left at his dwelling place or posted upon the land, prohibit the use of the same for the purpose of feeding dairy cattle, either absolutely or for any time named in such order. All cattle in dairies shall also be similarly inspected by a veterinary surgeon or other competent person, and any cows found to be diseased, or which from poverty or weakness are, in the opinion of the inspector, likely to be unfit for use for dairy purposes, shall be forthwith removed from such dairy if ordered by such inspector or other officer as aforesaid. And any such order as aforesaid the said local board may revoke, but upon every fresh inspection a similar order may from time to time be made.

7. All houses, dairies, cowsheds, milk stores, milk shops, or other buildings or structures in the occupation of any person following the trade of cowkeeper or dairyman, whether registered or not, shall be kept in such a state in respect of cleanliness as not to be a nuisance or injurious to health, and shall be thoroughly and effectively lighted and ventilated; and the drainage of all such buildings shall be so arranged that no stagnant water or refuse matter of any kind shall remain or lie in any way whatever in or upon or contiguous to any premises of such person following the trade of a cowkeeper or dairyman, whether registered or not.

8. All yards, sheds, or other places used for keeping or holding dairy cows shall be regularly swept, and be kept perfectly clean, and shall within twenty-four hours of any order to such effect from the health officer or inspector of nuisances be fumigated, disinfected, or linewashed, as may be in any such order so directed.

9. All vessels used for containing milk shall be thoroughly scalded and scoured daily.

10. If any person, or any member of the family of any person, registered as aforesaid, or not so registered but employed as a cowkeeper, dairyman, or purveyor of milk, or any visitor or member of the family of any visitor to any such person, shall be attacked by typhoid fever or any dangerous infectious disease, the occupier of the house in which such person shall be, or (if he be the person attacked) his wife or other person in charge, shall immediately give notice thereof to the local board or officer of health, or to the nearest member of the police force, who shall immediately inform the local board of health, and thereupon it shall and may be lawful for the said local board or the officer of health, by order served as aforesaid, to prohibit absolutely the sale and vending and forwarding of milk for sale from any premises in the use and occupation of any such cowkeeper, dairyman, or purveyor of milk, until danger, in the opinion of such local board or officer of health, no longer exists. And in any such case it shall not be lawful to allow any person so suffering, or having recently been in contact with a person so suffering, to milk cows or to handle vessels used for containing milk for sale, or in any way to take part or assist in the conduct of such trade or business. Nor, if the person registered or conducting such business be himself the person suffering, shall he take any part whatever in the conduct of such trade or business until, in either case, all danger therefrom of the communication of infection to the milk or of its contamination has ceased.

11. If at any time disease exists in the dairy or among the cows or cattle in any cowshed or dairy or in the herds of any cowkeeper, dairyman, vendor or purveyor of milk, the registered person, owner, occupier, or other person in charge, as the case may be, shall immediately give notice to the local board, officer of health, or nearest member of the police force, and the milk of a diseased cow shall not be used in any way whatsoever.

12. No cowkeeper, dairyman, or purveyor of milk shall keep, or permit or suffer to be kept, any pigs in the sheds, buildings, or milking yards in which any dairy cows may be kept or sheltered.

13. In the interpretation of this bye-law, words importing the masculine gender shall be deemed and taken to include females, and the singular the plural and the plural the singular, and the word "person" shall include a corporation.

14. Every person guilty of any breach of this bye-law, or of any of its provisions, shall be liable, in the discretion of the convicting justices, to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds nor less than Five shillings, or in the like discretion to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds nor less than Five shillings for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued.

The foregoing bye-law was duly made, ordered, and passed by the Local Board of Health (being the Municipal Council) in and for the Borough of Port Melbourne this twenty-eighth day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

JAMES K. B. PLUMMER,
Chairman Local Board of Health, Port Melbourne.

EDWD. CLARK, Town Clerk,
Secretary Local Board of Health for Port Melbourne.

The foregoing bye-law was allowed and confirmed by the Central Board of Health in and for the colony of Victoria (it having been first certified that notice of the intention to apply for such confirmation had been given in the borough for which the same has been made in the manner required by law) this nineteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

By order of the Central Board,

1010 (SEAL) J. W. COLVILLE, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF PORT MELBOURNE.

BYE-LAW No. 50.

A Bye-law of the Local Board of Health for Port Melbourne, for the prevention of the use of steam whistles at factories or other establishments so as to be a nuisance to any person.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the Public Health Amendment Statute 1883, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, the Local Board of Health for Port Melbourne, being the Municipal Council thereof, doth hereby make the bye-law following, that is to say:—

1. No person shall use, cause to be used, or assist in using, any steam whistle at any factory or other establishment so as to be a nuisance to any person; and no person who occupies, or has the management or control of any factory or other establishment, shall suffer or permit any steam whistle to be used thereat so as to be a nuisance to any person.

2. Every person who shall commit a breach of this bye-law shall for every such breach be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds and not less than Five shillings.

3. This bye-law shall apply to and be in force in the whole of the place or places within the jurisdiction of the Local Board of Health aforesaid, that is to say, the whole of the Borough of Port Melbourne.

Made and ordered by the Local Board of Health for Port Melbourne the 28th day of January 1886.

JAMES K. B. PLUMMER,
Chairman Local Board of Health, Port Melbourne.
EDWD. CLARK, Town Clerk,
Secretary Local Board of Health, Port Melbourne.

The foregoing bye-law was allowed and confirmed by the Central Board of Health in and for the Colony of Victoria (it having been first certified that notice of the intention to apply for such confirmation had been given in the borough for which the same has been made in the manner required by law) this nineteenth day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

By order of the Central Board,
1012 (SEAL) J. W. COLVILLE,
Secretary.

SHIRE OF PORTLAND.

BYE-LAW No. 3.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in "The Public Health Amendment Statute 1883," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, the Local Board of Health for the Shire of Portland, being the Municipal Council thereof, for the purpose of carrying the said Act into execution within its jurisdiction, doth hereby make the Bye-law following, that is to say:—

Keeping free from noisome matter yards, stables, and places used for noxious trades, slaughter yards, &c.; regulating management of earth-closets, privies, &c.; disinfecting and deodorizing night-soil and other offensive matter; and for its removal and final deposit.

1. *Interpretation of terms.*—In the construction and for the purposes of this bye-law the following terms shall, if not inconsistent with the context or subject-matter, have the respective meanings hereby assigned to them:—

"House" shall mean and include dwellings of any kind, schools, hotels, licensed public-houses, factories, work-rooms, common or other lodging-houses, or other buildings or premises.

"Cesspool" shall mean any receptacle for night-soil, or for noxious or offensive matter below or above the ground.

"Street" shall mean and include any highway, and any public bridge, and any lane, road, footway, square, court, alley, or passage, whether a thoroughfare or not.

2. *Premises to be kept so as not to be a nuisance.*—Every occupier or person having the management or control of any house or premises shall cause the same to be kept in such a state as not to be a nuisance or injurious to health.

3. *Removal of refuse from houses.*—Every occupier of a house or premises shall remove therefrom all dust, mud, ashes, rubbish, filth, or such other refuse matter produced or accumulated thereon once every week, and in case of default of such occupier the Local Board of Health may remove the same.

4. *Receptacles for house refuse.*—Every occupier of a house or premises shall provide and keep thereon a box or some other covered receptacle for the temporary deposit of house refuse, which box or receptacle shall be of such dimensions as the same may, with the contents thereof when full, be readily and conveniently movable by one man, or so many such boxes or receptacles as may be necessary to contain all the house refuse produced or accumulated on such premises during one week, and shall cause all house refuse to be deposited as soon as conveniently may be in some such box or receptacle.

5. *Removal of refuse from places where animals are kept.*—Every occupier of land on which is erected any stable, shed, sty, yard, or other place for the keeping of animals shall from time to time remove from such premises all dung, soil, or other manure produced or accumulated thereon as often as the same shall amount to two cubic yards, or once at least every week, and in case of default of such occupier the Local Board of Health may remove the same.

6. *Power to use refuse as manure.*—Nothing hereinbefore contained shall be taken to prevent the occupier of any premises from causing any dung, soil, or other refuse matter produced or accumulated on any premises to be at any time removed, or to be used as manure on any garden or land contiguous to such premises as manure, so that the same be so not removed, kept, or used to contravene any bye-law of the Local Board of Health, or so as to be a nuisance or injurious to health.

7. *Removal of refuse from places where noxious or offensive trades are carried on.*—Every occupier and every person having the management or control of premises used for the purpose of any noxious or offensive trade, business, or manufactory whatsoever, shall cause all rubbish, filth, offal, soil, or other offensive matters, and all waste products of such manufacture from which effluvia may arise, to be removed from such premises once at least in every forty-eight hours, and to be in the meantime kept so as not to be a nuisance or injurious to health, and so that no noxious or offensive effluvia arise therefrom; and if any such occupier or other such person shall neglect or fail to have removed any such offensive matter or waste products as aforesaid, the same may be removed by the Local Board of Health.

8. *Removal of blood from places where animals are slaughtered.*—Every occupier, licensee, or person having the management or control of an abattoir, slaughter-house, or place where any cattle or other animals are killed, shall cause all the blood from the animals killed therein, as soon as conveniently may be, to be collected in a fit receptacle to be provided for that purpose, and to be effectually deodorized by mixing therewith commercial sulphate of iron or chloride of lime in the proportion of one pound to the gallon, or some other efficient deodorizer sufficient effectually to deodorize the same, and to be removed from the premises within forty-eight hours after such blood is shed.

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9. *Removal of offal.*—Every occupier of any premises on which may be any offal shall forthwith effectually deodorize the same, and remove the same from the premises within twenty-four hours.

10. *Construction of privies.*—No person shall construct or cause to be constructed any privy except in the form of an earth-closet, which shall consist of a suitable privy building, the floor whereof is at no point less than three inches above the surface of the adjoining ground, and every such building shall be constructed with proper openings or flues to provide sufficient means of ventilation, and shall be provided with a suitable pan or movable receptacle for night-soil, the contents whereof does not exceed five cubic feet, and with the requisite apparatus for the application of dry earth or some other deodorizing material to the contents thereof, and shall be constructed and placed so as to afford easy means of access for the purpose of removing the pan or receptacle and the contents thereof, and emptying and cleansing the same. Every privy attached to any school, hotel, licensed public-house, factory, work-room, or common lodging-house, and every public privy, shall be flagged or paved with some non-absorbent material having a fall or inclination towards the door or other opening of at least half an inch to the foot.

11. *Supply of deodorizing material to earth-closets.*—Every occupier and every person having the management or control of any premises shall cause to be kept in every earth-closet belonging thereto a supply of dry powdered earth, ashes, charcoal, lime, or some other material efficient for deodorizing night-soil, and shall cause all night-soil to be deposited in any pan or other receptacle in such earth-closet to be immediately on the deposit thereof covered with a quantity of such deodorizing material sufficiently and thoroughly and effectually to deodorize the contents of such pan or other receptacle for night-soil.

12. *Emptying receptacles for night-soil.*—Every occupier and every person having the management or control of any premises once at least in every week shall empty or cleanse, or cause to be emptied and cleansed, every earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or place for the deposit of night-soil on or belonging to such premises.

13. *Removal of night-soil to be by properly constructed conveyances.*—No person shall empty, cause or permit to be emptied, or assist in emptying, any earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or place for the deposit of night-soil, except by means of a cart, carriage, or means of conveyance properly constructed, and furnished with a sufficient covering so as to prevent the escape of the contents or any portion thereof, or of effluvia therefrom.

14. *Hours within which night-soil may be removed.*—No person shall empty, assist in emptying, or cause or permit to be emptied, any earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or place for the deposit of night-soil, except between the hours of Ten and Twelve o'clock at night, or until the contents thereof have been properly deodorized; and every person emptying, or causing to be emptied, any earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or other place for the deposit of night-soil, shall cause the night-soil taken therefrom to be removed as soon as the same is emptied.

15. *Construction of cesspools.*—Every cesspool shall be furnished with a water-tight cover or roof, and every cesspool formed or made below the surface of the ground shall be constructed with water-tight walls or sides which project on all sides at least six inches above the surface of the ground.

16. *Emptying of cesspools.*—Every occupier of premises and every person having the management or control of premises on which there shall be any cesspool shall cause the same to be emptied at least once in every week.

17. *Times within which cesspools may be emptied.*—No person shall empty, or assist in emptying, or cause or permit to be emptied, any cesspool or place for the deposit of offal, blood, or other refuse and offensive matter except between the hours of Ten and Twelve o'clock at night, or until such contents have been properly deodorized; and every person emptying or causing to be emptied any cesspool shall remove, or cause to be removed, the contents thereof as soon as the same is emptied.

18. *Conveyances by which cesspools may be emptied.*—No person shall empty, cause or permit to be emptied, or assist in emptying, any cesspool, or place for deposit of offal, blood, or other refuse or offensive matter except by means of a cart, carriage, or other conveyance properly constructed and furnished with a sufficient covering so as to prevent the escape of the contents, or any portion thereof, or of any effluvia therefrom.

19. *Disposal of refuse and offensive matter.*—No person shall place or deposit any dust, mud, ashes, rubbish, filth, blood, offal, manure, dung, or soil, or any night-soil or other offensive matter, in any place so as to be a nuisance to any person or injurious to health.

20. *Night-soil, &c., removed from any earth-closet, &c., and deposited anywhere, to be covered with earth.*—Every person placing or depositing, or causing or suffering to be placed or deposited, or assisting in placing or depositing, on any land, whether by way of manure or otherwise, any night-soil, offal, blood, or other refuse matter removed from any earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or other place of deposit, shall, immediately on deposit thereof, cover the same, or cause the same to be covered, with a layer of earth not less than six inches in thickness.

21. *Earth-closets, &c., not to be emptied into drains or sewers.*—No person shall empty, cause or permit to be emptied, or assist in emptying, any earth-closet, privy, cesspool, or place for the deposit of night-soil, offal, blood, or other refuse matter into any drain or sewer, so that the contents thereof may find its way, or be likely to find its way, into any drain or sewer.

22. *Prevention of pollution of water.*—No person shall place, assist in placing, or cause or permit to be placed, in or so that the same may or may be likely to find its way into any water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for the manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or used or likely to be used in any dairy, any matter or thing likely to endanger the health of any person using such water or drink or milk or other produce of such dairy.

23. *Cesspools not to be emptied into water used for drinking or domestic purposes.*—No person shall empty, cause or permit to be emptied, or assist in emptying, any cesspool or place for the deposit of offal, blood, or other refuse matter into any water

supplied, used, or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or used or likely to be used in any dairy, or so that the contents or any portion of the contents thereof may find its way or be likely to find its way into any such water.

24. Every accumulation or deposit of offensive matter so situated to find its way, or be likely to find its way, into any water used, or likely to be used, by man for drinking purposes, or likely to be used in any dairy, shall be deodorized and removed by the owner of the property upon which such accumulation or deposit is situated within one week of notice given by the Local Board or by one of its officers.

25. *Keeping of animals.*—No person shall keep any animal of any kind so as to be a nuisance or injurious to health.

26. *Animals not to be so kept as to pollute water.*—No person shall keep any animal in such a manner as to pollute any water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or for manufacturing drinks for the use of man, or used or likely to be used in any dairy, so as to endanger the health of any person using such water or drink or milk or other produce of such dairy.

27. *Supply of water to slaughter-houses.*—Every occupier or licensee or person having the management or control of a slaughter-house or abattoir shall cause the same to be supplied with a sufficient quantity of water for all purposes.

28. *Drainage of new buildings.*—Every person erecting, or causing to be erected, any new building, shall cause the foundation thereof, and the ground over which such building is to be placed, to be rendered dry, sound, and well drained, so that no water soakage or damp shall lodge there.

29. *Drainage of existing buildings.*—Every owner of a building shall cause the same to be provided with proper and sufficient drains, so constructed as to prevent any nuisance arising therefrom, and to secure the healthfulness of the inmates of such building; and every tenant of a building under a lease of which fourteen years or upwards is unexpired shall be deemed an owner within the meaning of this section.

30. *Registration of cowkeepers, dairymen, and purveyors of milk.*—Every person carrying on the trade of a cowkeeper, dairymen, or purveyor of milk, shall, on or before the first day of May in every year, register himself with the Local Board of Health in the manner following, that is to say, by signing and forwarding to the Secretary of the Local Board of Health an application in the form hereunder written, and every such person shall with every such application pay a fee of Ten shillings:—

Application for registration as _____

To the Secretary of the Local Board of Health for the Shire of Portland.

Sir,

I desire to be registered in accordance with particulars in the schedule hereunder:—

Schedule.

Name in full	...
Trade in respect of which registration is desired	...
Style or firm under which trade is carried on	...
Every place within the jurisdiction of the Local Board of Health at which such trade or any part of it is carried on	...
Period of time for which registration is desired	...
Year commencing the 1st day of May 18	...

31. Upon receipt of every such application and fee the Secretary for the Local Board of Health shall indorse the same with a memorandum of the date on which it is received, and of the payment of the fee, and shall file the same, and shall enter the particulars in the schedule to such application in a book to be kept for that purpose, and cause the same to be properly indexed.

32. *Milk stores and shops to be kept clean.*—Every person following the trade of cowkeeper or dairymen shall cause every milk store or milk shop in his occupation, or under his management or control, and every milk vessel used by him for containing milk for sale, to be kept thoroughly clean.

33. *Dairymen, &c., to report disease to the Health Officer.*—Every person carrying on the trade of a cowkeeper, dairymen, or purveyor of milk, and every person having the management of any such trade, shall forthwith report in writing to the Health Officer the occurrence of any disease in any of his milk cows, or of any contagious or infectious diseases in man or animal upon the premises upon which such trade is carried on.

34. *Extent of application of bye-law.*—This bye-law, number three, and numbered by sections one to thirty-five, shall apply to and have operation in the whole of the Shire of Portland.

35. *Penalties.*—If any person commit a breach of any of the foregoing sections of this bye-law, he shall, for every such breach, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds, or to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued; provided the justices before whom any penalty imposed hereby is sought to be recovered may order the whole or part only (not being less than Five shillings) of such penalty to be paid. And every person committing any such breach as aforesaid shall be liable to the foregoing penalty, notwithstanding that the Local Board of Health may be empowered by this bye-law or otherwise to remedy such

breach, and whether such Local Board of Health have or have not taken advantage of such powers.

Made and ordered by the Local Board of Health for the Shire of Portland this ninth day of February 1886.

WM. HANLON,
President, Shire of Portland. (SEAL)

The seal of the Portland Shire Council was hereunto affixed this 9th day of February 1886.

E. ATKINSON, Shire Secretary.

The foregoing bye-law was allowed and confirmed by the Central Board of Health in and for the Colony of Victoria (it having been first certified that notice of the intention to apply for such confirmation had been given in the shire for which the same has been made in the manner required by law) this nineteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

By order of the Central Board,

(SEAL) J. W. COLVILLE, Secretary.

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BOROUGH OF WANGARATTA.

BYE-LAW No. 17.

A BYE-LAW of the Borough of Wangaratta, made under Section 479 of "The Local Government Act 1874," and numbered 17, for fixing the days and hours on which the Borough Market shall be held.

1. That bye-law No. 16 be and the same is hereby repealed.

2. That a fortnightly market, for the sale of stock, farm, garden, and dairy produce, shall be held on Thursday the (4th) fourth day of March next (1886), and subsequently on every alternate Thursday, from Six o'clock a.m. to Six o'clock p.m., provided that, in the event of any fortnightly market day falling on Christmas Day or a public holiday, or in the event of any special cause rendering it necessary or desirable, the Council may substitute and appoint some other day, in lieu thereof, for the holding of said market.

Passed this thirteenth day of January One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

1098 (SEAL) GEO. PHILLIPSON, Jun., Mayor.
J. H. TONE, Town Clerk.

BOROUGH OF FOOTSCRAY.

NOTICE FOR TAKING PRIVATE LANDS FOR FORMING A DEVIATION OF THE NORTHERN BUILDING LINE OF LENNOX STREET.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the Borough of Footscray, under the authority of "The Local Government Act 1874," to form a deviation of the northern building line of Lennox street through the southern portion of lot 61, of block 9, portion 2, section 8, parish of Cut-paw-paw, borough of Footscray.

A plan and specification of the proposed deviation of the northern building line of such street, 22 feet 6 inches in length, and varying from one inch to ten feet in width, showing the exact site and admeasurements thereof, and of the land required to be taken for its construction and names of the reputed owners, lessees, or reputed lessees, and the occupiers thereof, as far as known, are deposited, and will be open for inspection, at the Town Hall, Footscray, of all persons interested therein for forty days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, within which time all persons affected by the proposed work are hereby required to set forth, in writing, addressed to the Council or Town Clerk, all objections they may have to the said work.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

1099 F. J. GOMM, Town Clerk.

BOROUGH OF FOOTSCRAY.

NOTICE FOR TAKING PRIVATE LANDS FOR OPENING A NEW STREET.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the Borough of Footscray, under authority of "The Local Government Act 1874," to open a new street through lots 9 and 10 of block 11, and lots 4, 5, 22, and 23 of block A, portion 1, section 14, parish of Cut-paw-paw, Borough of Footscray.

A plan and specification of the proposed street of thirty-three feet wide by two hundred and ninety feet in length, showing the exact site and admeasurements thereof, and of the land required to be taken for its construction, and names of the reputed owners, lessees, or reputed lessees, and the occupiers thereof, as far as known, are deposited and will be open for inspection at the Town Hall, Footscray, of all persons interested therein for forty days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette*, within which time all persons affected by the proposed work are hereby required to set forth, in writing, addressed to the Council or Town Clerk, all objections they may have to the said work.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

1100 F. J. GOMM, Town Clerk.

CITY OF RICHMOND.—POUNDKEEPER.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Council of the City of Richmond, held on the 18th day of March 1886, Mr. Michael Godfrey was appointed Poundkeeper to the Richmond City Pound, in the room of Ernest Alfred Avery.

THOMAS GARDNER,
Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Richmond, March 19, 1886.

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SHIRE OF GORDON.

A PPOINTMENT of Poundkeepers—

JOHN SINCLAIR ... at Durham Ox
THOMAS D. CRABTREE ... at Boort
WILLIAM F. SHERIDAN,
Shire Secretary.

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SHIRE OF WANNON.

NOTICE is hereby given that Constable James Loftus has been appointed Inspector of Nuisances and of Slaughtering-houses within the Naresen Riding, Shire of Wannon.

By order, W. G. THURMAN,
Shire Secy.

Shire Hall, Coleraine, 1st March 1886.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, trading as timber merchants at Albert street, East Melbourne, under the style of "Sutor & Turnbull," has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts will be received and paid by Mr. Turnbull, who, with his sons, will continue the business under the style of "Wm. Turnbull & Sons."

Dated 8th day of March 1886.

OTTO SUTOR.
WILLIAM TURNBULL.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership previously existing between Edward Masey, Robert Oprey, and myself, as boot manufacturers, at Cambridge street, Collingwood, under the style or firm of "Masey & Co.," was, by mutual agreement of the twenty-fifth day of January 1886, dissolved on and from that date, upon my retirement from the said firm. And it was agreed that thenceforward the business should be carried on by Edward Masey and Robert Oprey alone, by whom also all debts and liabilities would be duly paid.

Dated this 22nd March 1886.

WALTER MASEY.

Witness—W. H. C. DARVALL, solicitor, Melbourne.

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THE partnership (if any) heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Thomas Montgomery and Joseph Pine, in the business of storekeepers at Hexham, in the colony of Victoria, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of February 1886. All debts due to or by the late partnership will be received and paid respectively by the said Thomas Montgomery.

Dated this nineteenth day of March 1886.

THOS. MONTGOMERY.
JOSEPH PINE.

Witness to both signatures—BEN. BURROWS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that we have this day dissolved by mutual consent the partnership business carried on by us as tailors and outfitters at No. 98 Smith street, Collingwood, under the firm of "Cock & Forbes." The business will be continued by the undersigned Walter Scott Forbes, to whom all debts due to the partnership must be paid.

Dated the 20th day of March 1886.

HENRY JEMMITT COCK.
WALTER SCOTT FORBES.

Witness—R. W. EAST, solr., 40 Collins street east, Melbourne.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Cyril Trower and William Brodie Lochore, in the business of tea, coffee, and sugar dealers, at number 160A Bourke street east, in the city of Melbourne, number 79 Chapel street, Prahran, and number 175 Smith street, Fitzroy, in the colony of Victoria, and at number 509 George street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, under the style or firm of "Fochow and Calcutta Tea Company," was dissolved by mutual consent on the tenth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

Mr. Lochore will continue to carry on the like business at the above-mentioned places, and will receive and pay all debts due to and by the late firm.

Dated the twenty-third day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

CYRIL TROWER.

W. B. LOCHORE.

Witness to both signatures—A. M. WILLIAMS, solr., &c., 36 Collins street west, Melbourne.

1055

THE partnership hitherto carried on by the undersigned, as engineers and boiler-makers, under the firm of Buchanan and Nodrum, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the business will be received and paid by the undersigned David Buchanan and Robert Buchanan, who will continue to carry on the business under the firm of D. and R. Buchanan.

Dated the twenty-fourth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

DAVID BUCHANAN.
CHAS. W. NODRUM.
ROBERT BUCHANAN.

Witness—J. F. C. ANDERSON, solicitor, Melbourne.

1056

Patent for invention entitled "An improved waterproof and anti-corrosive composition suitable for coating ships' bottoms and such like purposes."

THIS is to notify that Edwin Lewis Kitchingman, of 268 Wellington street, Collingwood, pyrites burner, and Arthur Andrews, of Albury, New South Wales, surgeon, have applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the twenty-third day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1045

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in packages specially applicable for carrying eggs."

THIS is to notify that James Walter Butcher, of Pitt street, Sydney, New South Wales, manufacturers' agent, and William Mecke Fehon, of Stephen street, Melbourne, gentleman, have applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the twenty-third day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1046

Patent for invention entitled "A combined water filter and cooler."

THIS is to notify that John William Colton, Alfred Cutting Colton, and William Eagland Longbottom, trading under the style or firm of "J. Colton and Co.," at Adelaide, in South Australia, merchants, have applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the twenty-third day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1047

Patent for invention entitled "An illuminant appliance for gas and other burners."

THIS is to notify that Frederick de la Fontaine Williams, of No. 6 Jeffrey's square, London, England, merchant, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1048

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in petroleum and gas engines."

THIS is to notify that Johannes Spiel, of Berlin, in Germany, engineer, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1049

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in driving bands and pulleys or wheels for the transmission of motive power."

THIS is to notify that Patrick Adie, of London, in England, engineer, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof in writing, at the said office, on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1050

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in telephones."

THIS is to notify that The New Telephone Company Limited, of 4 Great Winchester street, London, England, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1051

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in telephones."

THIS is to notify that The New Telephone Company Limited, of 4 Great Winchester street, London, England, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

1052

Patent for invention entitled "Improvements in checking apparatus."

THIS is to notify that Percival Everitt, of London, England, engineer, has applied for letters patent for the said invention, and that I have appointed Tuesday the twenty-seventh day of April 1886, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Patent Office, Melbourne, to hear the said application and all objections thereto. All persons objecting to the grant of such application must leave notice thereof, in writing, at the said office on or before the 23rd day of April 1886, or they will not be heard.

Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

(Signed)

H. J. WRIXON,
Attorney-General.

SECOND UNIVERSAL TERMINATING BUILDING SOCIETY.

FIRST SERIES OF SHARES.

Balance-sheet for the Year ending December 22nd 1885.

Dr.		LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
To	Four years' subscriptions on 1,587½ shares at £12			19,047	0	0
	Subscriptions in advance			48	2	5
	Borrowers in advance			8	0	0
	Deposits and interest to date			20,843	4	8
	Balance, profits			3,514	14	6
				£43,461	1	7

Cr.		ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
By	Present value of loans			39,947	14	11
	Arrears due by borrowers			199	12	4
	investors			73	13	3
	Colonial Bank			3,104	12	10
	Office furniture			71	0	9
	Rules scrip			10	11	0
	Fire insurance			53	16	6
				£43,461	1	7

SECOND SERIES OF SHARES.

Balance-sheet for Six Months ending December 22nd 1885.

Dr.		LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
To	Six months' subscriptions on 2,242 shares at £1 10s.			3,363	0	0
	Subscriptions in advance			317	3	4
	Deposits and interest to date			75	10	10
	Accounts owing			25	0	0
	Colonial Bank			915	8	4
	Balance, profits			167	2	11
				£4,863	5	5

Cr.		ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
By	Present value of loans			4,569	15	5
	Arrears due by investors			74	4	3
	Office furniture and account books			25	5	3
	Preliminary expenses			179	2	0
	Rules and scrip on hand			14	18	6
				£4,863	5	5

JAMES W. TOD,
WILLIAM CRELLIN, } Auditors.
THOMAS A. F. INGLIS, Secretary.

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UNIVERSAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.

BALANCE-SHEET for the Year ending October 6th 1885.

Dr.		LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
To	Investors' subscriptions, including interest and accumulated profits			£56,080	0	4
	Deposits and interest to date			50,325	2	10
	Borrowers' repayments received in advance			266	6	11
	Reserve fund			1,500	0	0
	Balance of profit and loss account			6,840	7	2
				£115,011	17	3
By	Present value of loans			£112,681	1	10
	Arrears due by borrowers			426	15	3
	Office furniture			60	18	9
	Rules and scrip on hand			14	1	4
	Fire insurance premiums			115	3	7
	Colonial Bank			1,713	16	6
				£115,011	17	3

R. MANSFIELD TAYLOR,
WILLIAM S. PATERSON, } Auditors.
THOMAS A. F. INGLIS, Secretary.

1035

THE AUSTRALASIAN DEODORISING, DISINFECTING, AND FERTILISING COMPANY LIMITED.

Notice in accordance with "The Companies Statute 1864." NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of The Australasian Deodorising, Disinfecting, and Fertilising Company Limited has been changed to Commercial Bank Chambers, Number 22 Collins street west, in the city of Melbourne. Dated this 25th day of March 1886.

DAVIES & CAMPBELL, No. 22 Collins street east, solicitors for the said company.

1036

THE COMPANIES STATUTE 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of "The Pender's Grove Estate Company Limited" is situate at Number 40 Collins street east, in the city of Melbourne in the colony of Victoria.

Dated this 18th day of March A.D. 1886.

ALFRED G. HALL,

Secretary.

FINK & BEST, 40 Collins street east, Melbourne, solicitors to the said company.

1043

THE COMPANIES STATUTE 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the Australian Hat Manufacturing Co. (Limited) has been removed to the factory, Judd street, Richmond.

W. H. ALBINSON, Sec. pro tem.

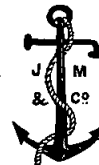
Melbourne, 18th March 1886.

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APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ONE TRADE-MARK.—(No. 1217.)

To the Registrar-General.

I, JAMES MILLER, of the firm of James Miller & Coy., rope, twine, mats, and matting manufacturers, 5 Queen street, Melbourne, apply to be registered as proprietor of a trade-mark—An anchor with cable attached, and initials of firm, "J. M. & Co." interwoven, thus:—



I desire that the said trade-mark may be registered in respect of the description of goods following, contained in Class 4, that is to say in respect to all our manufactures, comprising Rope and Cordage, Reaper and Binder Twines, Twines and Cords, Coir Mats, Coir Matting, Bordered Mats and Slips, Beam Slips.

JAMES MILLER.

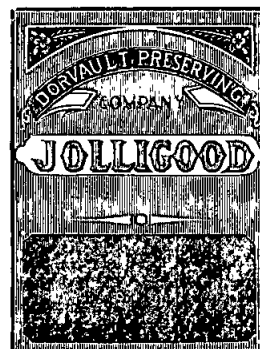
Witness—THOS. W. BARKE.

1014

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ONE TRADE-MARK.—(No. 1218.)

To the Registrar-General, Melbourne.

I, JOHN HENRY BUSSELL, trading under the name or style of "The Dorvault Preserving Co.," at Lisson Grove,



Hawthorn, near Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, apply to be registered as proprietor of a trade-mark consisting of an oblong label, horizontally across and a little above the centre of which is a tablet bearing the word, "Jolligood." In the upper portion of the label is a ribbon bearing the words, "Dorvault Preserving," and below said ribbon is the word, "Company." Beneath the tablet is a space intended for the reception of the name of the article (such as "Pickles") in respect of which the trade-mark is used. At the bottom of the label is another tablet intended for the reception of information regarding the article in respect

of which the trade-mark is used. The whole is enclosed within an oblong border, and is shown in the margin.

I desire that the said trade-mark may be registered in respect of the description of goods following contained in Class 42, that is to say in respect of Pickles, Sauces, and other substances used as food.

JOHN HENRY BUSSELL.

Witness—W. S. BAYSTON.

EDWARD WATERS, agent for applicant.

1054

General Rules under "The Trade Marks Registration Act 1876." Third Schedule.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ONE TRADE-MARK.—(No. 1211.)

To the Registrar-General.

I, ALFRED EDWARD SAMPSON, of 55 Flinders street west, Melbourne, tea merchant, apply to be registered as proprietor of a trade-mark composed of two anchors lying one across the other, with cables attached, and the letters S. R. & Co. printed between them, and which is represented in the margin.



I desire that the said trade-mark may be registered in respect of the description of goods following, contained in Class 42, that is to say, in respect to Tea.

A. E. SAMPSON.

Witness—A. E. RITCHIE.

1079

In the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*
NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff of the Central Bailiwick, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of W. N. Morris, the said Sheriff will, on Wednesday the 28th day of April 1886, at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, cause to be sold, at the Four Courts Hotel, corner of William street and Little Bourke street west, Melbourne (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, and interest (if any) of the said W. N. Morris in and to part of block 5 on plan of subdivision of portion F, section 14, parish of Cut Paw Paw, at Footscray, described in memorial 302, book 329.

Also lots 731, 732, 733, and 734 on block 3 on plan of subdivision of part of section 16 of said parish, described in memorial 303, book 329.

And also part of Crown allotment 8, section 15, said parish, described in certificate of title, entered in the Register Book vol. 1793, fol. 353486.

N.B.—Terms: Cash on the fall of the hammer. No cheques taken.

Dated at Melbourne this 23rd day of March 1886.

1029 JAMES McNAMARA, Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria.—Midland Bailiwick.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue of a certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff of the Midland Bailiwick, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of John Welsh, of Merrigum, the said Sheriff will, on Monday, 3rd day of May 1886, at the hour of One o'clock p.m., cause to be sold at Mr. Hogan's Hotel, Tatura (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, and interest (if any) of the said John Welsh, of Merrigum, in and to freehold estate, consisting of 219 acres 3 roods 36 perches, or thereabouts, being allotment 117, parish of Kyabram East, county of Rodney, registered volume 1659, folio 331, 671.

Terms—Cash on the fall of the hammer. No cheques taken.

Dated at Shepparton this 23rd day of March 1886.

1082 J. G. McKINNEY, Sheriff's Officer.

ONE POUND REWARD.

LOST, red roan colt, 3 years old, blaze down face, two hind fetlocks white, branded TM near shoulder. Apply
 1094 O'FARRELL & SON, Ballarat.

Mining Notices.

THE HEPBURN ROCKY LEAD GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, MOUNT PROSPECT.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above-named company will be held at Durose's hotel, Mount Prospect, on Tuesday the 6th day of April 1886, at 2 o'clock p.m. Business: 1. To increase the capital of the company. 2. To give the directors power to give security over the company's property. 3. Any business arising out of the above.

M. DONNELLY, Manager.
 Smeaton, 16th March 1886. 979

LANGRIDGE GREAT EXTENDED G. M. COMPANY "NO LIABILITY," REEDY CREEK.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above company will be held at the company's office, Sydney street, Kilmore, on Saturday, April 3, 1886, at 5.30 p.m. Business: 1. To direct in what manner the forfeited shares now held by the company shall be disposed. 2. To confirm minutes of said meeting.

P. HUNT, Manager.
 Company's Office, Kilmore, 13/3/86. 986

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the Bacchante Mining Company Limited, Pantan Hill, will be held at the office of the company, 49 Collins street west, Melbourne, at half-past Seven o'clock p.m. on Friday, March 16th 1886, to pass resolutions empowering the directors to wind up the company, and to accept tenders for the purchase of all plant, tools, machinery, and other property belonging to it.
 1078 GEO. N. OAKLEY, Manager.

COLLMANN AND TACCHI'S FREEHOLD MINING CO., REGISTERED.

A CALL (the 8th) of Threepence per share has been duly made, payable at the company's office, Forest street, Sandhurst, on Wednesday, 14th April 1886.
 1022 JOHN HASKER, Manager.

GARIBALDI MINING AND CRUSHING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

NOTICE—A Call, 11th, of One shilling per share has been made, payable at the company's office, View Point, Sandhurst, on Wednesday, April 14th 1886.
 1027 HENRY VON DER HEYDE, Manager.

OUTWARD-BOUND SILVER MINING CO. (NO LIABILITY), THACKERINGA, NEW SOUTH WALES.

A CALL (the 4th) of Twopence per share has been made, payable at the company's office, 22 Collins street west, Melbourne, Wednesday, 14th April 1886.
 1040 CHAS. A. WILLIAMSON, Manager.

UNITED BUCHANAN'S AND AMERICAN QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, INGLEWOOD.

A CALL (16th) of Three-halfpence per share has been made on the capital of the company, payable at the office, Brooke street, Inglewood, on Wednesday, April 14th 1886.
 1060 R. H. ARTHUR, Manager.

UNITY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, INGLEWOOD.

NOTICE—A Call (the 32nd) of Fourpence per share on the capital of the company has been made, due and payable at the company's office, Brooke street, Inglewood, on Wednesday, 14th April 1886.
 1076 SAMUEL DEEBLE, Manager.

KILMORE QUARTZ AND ALLUVIAL G. M. COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, GOLDIE.

A CALL (3rd) of Twopence per share has been made, payable at the office of the company, Kilmore, on Wednesday, 14th April 1886.

JOHN P. GLENNON, Manager.
 Company's Office, Kilmore, 23/3/86. 1080

LANGRIDGE GREAT EXTENDED G. M. COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, REEDY CREEK.

A CALL (21st) of Twopence per share has been made, payable at the office of the company, Kilmore, on Wednesday, 14th April 1886.
 P. HUNT, Manager. 1081

Company's Office, Kilmore, 23/3/86.

Sixth Schedule.
I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Rose of Denmark Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act 1871."

1. The name of the company is to be the Rose of Denmark Gold Mining Company No Liability.

2. The place of its operations is at Haunted Stream.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Sale.

4. The value of the company's property, including lease, is £1000.

5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty-four thousand, of Five shillings each.

6. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand.

7. The name of the manager is Robert Stellwag.

8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name.	Address.	Occupation.	No. of Shares.
L. Jorgensen,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1500
K. Jorgensen,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1500
N. T. Jorgensen,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1500
J. C. Dahlsen,	Bairnsdale,	storekeeper	750
J. Tipping,	Bairnsdale,	chemist	750
J. Petersen,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1500
A. Parquhar,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1500
G. Anderson,	Haunted Stream,	miner	2000
T. Johnston,	Haunted Stream,	miner	1000
David Evans,	Haunted Stream,	miner	3000
Albert Morrall,	Haunted Stream,	miner	3000
F. Larsen,	Haunted Stream,	miner	3000
G. Reid,	Haunted Stream,	miner	3000

Dated this twenty-second day of March 1886.
 ROBERT STELLWAG, Manager.

Witness to signature—JOHN LITTLE, J.P.

I, ROBERT STELLWAG, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.

2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

ROBERT STELLWAG.
 Taken before me this twenty-second day of March 1886—
 JOHN LITTLE, J.P. 1041

I THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register the Great Western Long Tunnel Quartz Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of the Mining Companies Act 1871.

1. The name of the company is to be Great Western Long Tunnel Quartz Mining Company No Liability.

2. The place of operations is at Walhalla.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Collins street west, Melbourne.

4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is Twelve hundred pounds.

5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty-four thousand, of Ten shillings each.

6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty-four thousand.

7. The name of the manager is Edmund William Spain.

8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name.	Address.	Occupation.	No. of Shares.
E. Weinreuter,	Melbourne,	upholster	3000
Donald McIntosh,	Walhalla,	mining speculator	1200
Wm. Charles Palmer,	Melbourne,	gentleman	400
J. McGregor Munro,	Walhalla,	mining investor	2600

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares.
H. R. Hogg, Melbourne, merchant	600
A. J. Miller, Melbourne, gentleman	400
R. W. Gilsenan, Walhalla, mine manager	2600
E. W. Spain (in trust), Melbourne, mining agent	13,200
	24,000

I, EDMUND WILLIAM SPAIN, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

E. W. SPAIN.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of March 1886—DERBIN WILLDER, J.P. 1070

Sixth Schedule.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register Aurifera Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act 1871."

1. The name of the company is to be Aurifera Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Carisbrook.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Lydiard street, Ballarat.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is £1,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is 10,000, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 10,000.
7. The name of the manager is James Scott Smith.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as below:—

Name, Address, Occupation.	No. of Shares.
J. McNeill, Mount Blowhard, farmer	1000
J. Caldwell, Mount Blowhard, farmer	1000
R. Baird, Mount Blowhard, farmer	1000
H. Beilby, Carisbrook, gentleman	1000
J. S. Smith (in trust), Ballarat, clerk	6000
	10,000

Dated this 23rd day of March 1886.

J. SCOTT SMITH, Manager.

Witness to signature—E. H. L. SWIFTE.

I, JAMES SCOTT SMITH, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
 2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

J. SCOTT SMITH.

Taken before me at Ballarat this twenty-third day of March 1886.—A. T. MORRISON, J.P. 1095

NEW ERA MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

ALL shares in the above-named company on which the eighth call of Threepence per share, due 10th March 1886, remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the office of Mr. George Thomas, Lyttleton street, Castle-maine, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at Five o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

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C. TOLSTRUP, Manager.

CASTLEROSSE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company, from 1 to 24,000, upon which the first call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid and forfeited, will be sold by public auction by Thompson Moore & Co., at the Victoria Hotel, Sandhurst, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 4 o'clock p.m.

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OLIVER MOREY, Manager.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares, from 1 to 24,000, on which the 7th call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction on Saturday the 3rd day of April 1886, at Sandhurst.

HAY KIRKWOOD, Manager.

Eaglehawk, March 23/86.

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SOUTH NEW MOON GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares on which the thirteenth call of Twopence per share remains unpaid will be sold by Messrs. Holmes, White, and Co., at the Victoria Hotel, Sandhurst, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Saturday the third day of April 1886.

WILLIAM COOK, Manager.

Eaglehawk, 24th March 1886.

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SHAMROCK COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—Messrs. Holmes, White, and Co. have received instructions to sell by auction all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 13th call of Sixpence per share, Nos. from 1 to 30,000, on Saturday, April 3rd 1886, at the Victoria Hotel, Sandhurst, at 4 o'clock p.m.

JOHN H. SAVILLE, Manager.

Victoria Chambers, Sandhurst, March 20th 1886.

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BRITT'S FREEHOLD COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—J. H. Teague and Co. will sell by public auction, at the Beehive Exchange, Sandhurst, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 4.30 p.m., all shares forfeited for non-payment of 33rd call of Sixpence per share.

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GEORGE MERZ, Manager *pro tem.*

NORTH ROSE OF DENMARK-GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

FORFEITED shares for the non-payment of 26th call will be sold by auction, on the 3rd April 1886, at the Victoria Chambers, Sandhurst.

1023

FREDERICK PRINGLE, Manager.

ROYAL HUSTLERS COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company on which the 12th call of 3d. per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by Messrs. Holmes, White, and Co., on Saturday, April 3rd 1886, at 4 p.m., unless previously paid.

JAS. G. WEDDELL, Manager.

1023

NEW LONGFELLOWS QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY), WALHALLA.

ALL shares on which the first call of Threepence per share remains unpaid will be sold at auction by J. H. Knipe, Collins street west, on Saturday 10th April 1886, at 11 o'clock forenoon, if not previously paid, with expenses thereon.

WM. GUTMANN, Manager.

80 Elizabeth street, Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

1039

QUEENSLAND MINING ASSOCIATION NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 3rd and 4th calls, each of 1s. per share, will be sold by public auction, at Messrs. Bliss and Peryman's rooms, Collins street west, on Monday, 5th April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon, unless previously paid on.

EBENR. COX, Manager.

34 Collins street west, Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

1044

UNITED BUCHANAN'S AND AMERICAN QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, INGLEWOOD.

ALL shares in arrear of the 15th call of Three-halfpence per share are now forfeited, and will be sold by auction, by Mr. S. Deebie, at his rooms, Brooke street, Inglewood, on Saturday, April 10th 1886, at 2 o'clock, unless said call is previously paid:—

1061

Nos. 1 to 24,000 inclusive, except those already paid upon.

By order of the Directors,
R. H. ARTHUR, Manager.

No. 1 NORTH CORNISH Q. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY, DAYLESFORD.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company forfeited for non-payment of the 1st call of Threepence (3d.) per share will be sold at public auction, by Mr. Thos. Reynolds, at the Victoria Hotel, Daylesford, on Monday the 5th day of April 1886, at 2 o'clock p.m., unless previously paid on.

JAMES SMIDT, Manager.

Daylesford, March 24th 1886.

1062

BOBBIE BURNS AMALGAMATED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares upon which the 21st call of One-half-penny (½d.) per share (due 10th March 1886) remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 noon, by J. Lyons and Co., at their rooms, Collins street west, Melbourne, unless previously paid.

March 25th 1886.

D. BRIGHAM, Manager.

1063

GREAT NORTHERN QUARTZ MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of 25th and 26th calls, including numbers from 1 to 24,000, will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 10th April 1886, at 11.30 a.m., at Messrs. Beauchamp Bros., Collins street west, Melbourne, unless calls are previously paid.

CHAS. J. LEWIS, Manager.

Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

1064

LONG TUNNEL GOLD MINING COMPANY, TANGIL, NO LIABILITY, TANGIL.

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of 26th and 27th calls, including numbers from 1 to 16,000, will be sold by public auction, at Messrs. Gemmell, Tuckett, & Co., Collins street west, Melbourne, on Saturday the 10th April 1886, at 11 a.m., unless calls are previously paid.

CHAS. J. LEWIS, Manager.

Melbourne, 23rd March 1886.

1065

GENERAL GORDON QUARTZ GOLD MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY), ARARAT.

THE undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction on Tuesday, 30th March 1886, by Mr. C. Hadland, at the Ararat Hotel, unless call be previously paid:—

1066

Nos. 1 to 19,000, exclusive of those on which said call has been paid.

JNO. MCGIBBONY, Manager.

YEA GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, YEA.

NOTICE.—Shares in default the 5th call of 3d. per share, due on the 10th March 1886, become absolutely forfeited on 24th inst., and will be sold by public auction, at Barnard's Rooms, 16 Collins street west, on Monday, 5 April, unless previously redeemed.

1067

E. W. SPAIN, Manager.

**STAR OF THE EAST COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
REDAN.**

NOTICE.—Shares in default the 75th call of 3d. per share, due on the 10th March 1886, become absolutely forfeited on 24th inst., and will be sold by public auction, at 30 Collins street east, on Friday, 2nd April, unless previously redeemed.
1068 E. W. SPAIN, Manager.

**CENTRAL CLUNES QUARTZ MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CLUNES.**

NOTICE.—Shares in default the 13th call of 3d. per share, due on the 10th March 1886, become absolutely forfeited on 24th inst., and will be sold by public auction, at Barnard's Rooms, 16 Collins street west, on Monday, 5th April, unless previously redeemed.
1069 E. W. SPAIN, Manager.

**DOWLING FOREST ESTATE GOLD MINING COY.
NO. 1 N. L.**

THE undermentioned shares in the above-named company, forfeited for non-payment 22nd call of 6d. per share, will be sold by public auction on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 noon, at the company's offices, 54 Queen street, Melbourne, by Messrs. Patterson & Sons, unless calls and expenses are previously paid :—
Nos. 1 to 14,000, exclusive of those already paid on.
B. D. SMITH, Manager.
1071 Melbourne, 25th March 1886.

**EGERTON QUARTZ MINING CO. NO LIABILITY,
BLACKWOOD.**

ALL shares on which the 33rd call has not been paid will be sold by public auction at the company's office, 59 Queen st., on Saturday the 3rd April, at 12 o'clock noon.
1072 D. MACPHERSON, Manager.

**CORNISH UNITED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BRIGHT.**

NOTICE.—All forfeited shares in the above-named company, Nos. 1 to 20,000, upon which calls remain unpaid, will be sold by auction, in Melbourne, at 7 Collins street west, on Saturday, April 3rd 1886, at 12 o'clock noon.
1073 GEORGE BROWN, Manager.

**NEW TUBAL CAIN MINING COMPANY.
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—All forfeited shares in the above-named company, Nos. 1 to 24,000 inclusive, upon which calls remain unpaid, will be sold by auction, in Melbourne, at 7 Collins street west, on Saturday, April 3rd 1886, at 12 o'clock noon.
1074 GEORGE BROWN, Manager.

**LOCK'S QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
SANDY CREEK, MALDON.**

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 22nd call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Monday the 5th day of April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon, unless call be previously paid.
JOHN LETCHER, Manager.
1075 Ballarat, 24th March 1886.

**UNITY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
INGLEWOOD.**

NOTICE.—All shares upon which the 31st call of Threepence per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by auction, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 2 o'clock p.m., at Mr. S. Deeble's auction mart, Brooke street, Inglewood, unless call and expenses are previously paid.
1077 SAMUEL DEEBLE, Manager.

**UNITED AJAX GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CAMPBELL'S CREEK.**

ALL shares in the above-named company, numbering consecutively from 1 to 30,000, upon which the 31st call of Threepence per share (due 10th March) remains unpaid, will be sold by public auction at the rooms of Mr. Thomas, auctioneer, Lyttleton street, Castlemaine, on Saturday, 3rd April, at 4 o'clock p.m.
1083 H. W. GREEN, Manager.

**THE EXTENDED SOUTH QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY
G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, DRUMMOND.**

NOTICE.—All shares on which the 2nd call of One penny per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction at the Exchange, Kyneton, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 noon, unless call and expenses are previously paid :—
Nos. 1 to 30,000, except those already paid on.
W. M. JOHNSON, Manager.
1084 Kyneton, 24 Mar. 1886.

HEPBURN NUMBER ONE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE to Shareholders.—The undermentioned shares have become forfeited for non-payment of 48th call of 1s. per share, and are liable to be sold at Mining Exchange, Ballarat, if not paid on or before Tuesday, 13th April 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager.
1085 49 Sturt street, Ballarat.

**NORTH BAND AND BARTON COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE to Shareholders.—The undermentioned shares have become forfeited for non-payment of 11th call of 6d. per share, and are liable to be sold at Mining Exchange, Ballarat, if not paid on or before Tuesday, 13th April 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 24,667, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager.
1086 49 Sturt street, Ballarat.

**NEW NORTH HOMEBUSH COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE to Shareholders.—The undermentioned shares have become forfeited for non-payment of 68th call of 6d. per share, and are liable to be sold at Mining Exchange, Ballarat, if not paid on or before Saturday, 10th April 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager.
1087 49 Sturt street, Ballarat.

NAPIER FREEHOLD COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE to Shareholders.—The undermentioned shares have become forfeited for non-payment of 28th call of 6d. per share, and are liable to be sold at Mining Exchange, Ballarat, if not paid on or before Monday, 12th April 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager.
1088 49 Sturt street, Ballarat.

**THE NEW KOHINOOR GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.**

DAVID FITZPATRICK will sell by public auction at the Corner, Ballarat, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon, the following shares forfeited for non-payment of the 46th call of 3d. per share :—
Progressive numbers from 1 to 24,000, with the exception of those already paid on.
A. CLARK, Manager.
1089 Eldon Chambers, Ballarat.

**THE SPRING HILL AND CENTRAL LEADS GOLD
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, KINGSTON.**

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 27th call of 6d. per share, will be sold by public auction at the Corner, Ballarat, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon :—
Progressive numbers from 1 to 20,000, with the exception of those already paid on.
A. CLARK, Manager.
1090 Eldon Chambers, Ballarat.

**AMPHITHEATRE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—All shares in above company forfeited for non-payment of the second call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon :—
Nos. of shares, 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those shares on which said call shall have been paid.
JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
1091 Ballarat, March 22nd 1886.

**GLADSTONE GOLD MINING COY. NO LIABILITY,
SMEATON.**

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of March call (12th), of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, at Twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, April 6th 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 20,000, except those on which the said call is paid.
G. C. ROBINSON, Manager.
1092

**MORGAN'S FREEHOLD GOLD MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY, SEBASTOPOL.**

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of March call (1st), of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, at Twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, April 6th 1886 :—
Nos. 1 to 15,000, except those on which the said call is paid.
G. C. ROBINSON, Manager.
1093

**THE SUN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
WAIHALLA.**

SHARES forfeited for non-payment of calls will be sold by auction by Mr. J. Bellin, at No. 7 Collins street west, Melbourne, on April 3rd 1886, at 12.15 o'clock.
1096 J. NIGHTINGALE, Manager.

**NEW GOLDEN BAR AMALGAMATED MINING
COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, CHILTERN.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of first call of Two-pence per share will be sold at public auction, by J. Bellin, at his rooms, Collins street west, Melbourne, on Saturday, 3rd of April 1886, at 12 o'clock noon, unless said call be previously paid.
GEORGE H. BURNS, Manager.
1097 22 Collins street west, Melbourne, 24th March 1886.

THE PARKER'S UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY, GORDON.

NOTICE.—All shares included in the numbers 1 to 24,000, forfeited for non-payment of the 36th (March) call of Sixpence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Corner, Ballarat, on Saturday, 3rd April 1886, 12 noon, unless redeemed.
1101 CHARLES WILSON, Manager.

NEW GOLDEN GATE G. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares in arrear of the fourth call are forfeited, and will be sold by auction, at the Exchange, Kyneton, on Saturday the 3rd of April, at 12 noon.
Nos. 1 to 24,000, exclusive of those paid upon.

F. T. LAVENDER, Manager.
Kyneton, 25th March 1886. 1102

THE EXTENDED SOUTH QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, DRUMMOND.

THIS is to certify that W. M. Johnson has been appointed manager of the above-named company, in lieu of C. D. Young, who has left the district, and that the office of the company has been removed to next door but one to Mining Exchange, Mollison st., Kyneton.

(SEAL.) Directors { HENRY HILL,
L. WINDRIDGE.
Kyneton, 19 March 1886. 1016

EXHIBITION No. 2 MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office of the Exhibition No. 2 Mining Company No Liability, is situated in Main street, Maldon, and that James Henry Rule, of Maldon, is the manager of the said company, and we, the undersigned, being directors of the said company, have this day set our hands and the seal of the company.

J. H. RULE, Manager.
WILLIAM SHORT, } Directors. (SEAL.)
JOHN PAULL, }
1017

EXTENDED HUSTLERS' FREEHOLD COMPY. NO LIABILITY.

THE office of the above company has been removed to Bank Chambers, Forest street.
GEO. H. WATSON, } Directors. (SEAL.)
THOS. GLANVILLE, }
Sandhurst, 23 March 1886. 1025

COLLMANN & TACCH'S FREEHOLD MINING COY., REGISTERED.

THE office of the above company has been removed to Bank Chambers, Forest street.
JOHN H. TEAGUE, } Directors. (SEAL.)
T. MAX, }
Sandhurst, 23 March 1886. 1026

Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Statute 1871.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of JOHN DWYER, of Fakenham, in the colony of Victoria, storekeeper.

A SECOND and final dividend will be payable at the office of Messrs. Danby and Gilmour, 38 Elizabeth street, Melbourne, on and after Saturday, March 27th 1886.
1030 A. GILMOUR, Trustee.

In the Court of Insolvency.—The Insolvency Statute 1871.—In the matter of THOMAS DALTON and FRANCIS DALTON, of Dick's place, Hawke street, West Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, boot manufacturers, trading as Dalton Bros.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by resolution of the creditors assembled at the general meeting of creditors in this estate, held at Melbourne on the twenty-second day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, I, the undersigned Laurence Paterson, of Premier Chambers, No. 7 Collins street west, in the city of Melbourne, accountant, was appointed to fill the office of trustee of the property and estate of the said insolvents, and such appointment has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the said insolvents must deliver them up to me, and all debts due to the insolvents must be paid to me. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to me at my offices, Premier Chambers, No. 7 Collins street west, Melbourne.
Dated this twenty-second day of March 1886.

LAURENCE PATERSON, Trustee.
E. Sydney Raphael, No. 7 Collins street west, Melbourne, solicitor to the estate. 1031

The Insolvency Statute 1871.—In the Court of Insolvency.—In the matter of JOHN ALFRED HARRIS, of Dandenong, in the colony of Victoria, plumber and gasfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by a resolution of the creditors assembled at the general meeting of the creditors in this estate, held at the Court of Insolvency, Melbourne, on this twenty-second day of March instant, I, the undersigned Andrew Gilmour, of Number 38 Elizabeth street, Melbourne, in the said colony, accountant, was appointed to fill the office of trustee of the property of the said insolvent, and such appointment has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the insolvent must deliver them to me, and all debts due to the insolvent must be paid to me. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to me, at the office of Messrs. Danby and Gilmour, 38 Elizabeth street, Melbourne.
Dated this twenty-second day of March 1886.

A. GILMOUR, Trustee. 1032

The Insolvency Statute 1871.—In the Court of Insolvency at Melbourne.—In the matter of JOHN GREENSMITH and JOSEPH MONKHOUSE, trading as "Greensmith and Monkhouse," of Carpenter street, Brighton, carpenters, insolvents.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by a resolution of the creditors assembled at the general meeting of creditors in this estate, held at Melbourne on the eighteenth day of March 1886, James Henry Cole, of No. 10 Collins street east, Melbourne, accountant, was appointed to fill the office of trustee of the estate of the said insolvents, and such appointment has been duly confirmed. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the said insolvents must deliver them to the said James Henry Cole, and all debts due to the said insolvents must be paid to the said James Henry Cole. Creditors who have not proved their debts must forward their proofs to the said trustee, addressed to No. 10 Collins street east, Melbourne aforesaid.

JAMES H. COLE AND CO.,
Trade Assignees.
1033

In the insolvency of EDWARD LITCHFIELD, of Oakleigh, builder.
A DIVIDEND will be payable at my office, No. 121 Collins street west, on and after Monday, 29th March 1886.

ROBERT C. ANDERSON,
Official Assignee.
1058

In the insolvency of RICHARD GROVES, of 19 Jolimont street, Jolimont, printer.

A DIVIDEND will be payable at my office, No. 121 Collins street west, on and after Monday, 29th March 1886.
ROBERT C. ANDERSON,
Official Assignee.
1059

Empoundings.

BACCHUS MARSH.—Impounded at Bacchus Marsh Shire Pound, by Mrs. O. Keefe, Darley.

1 red and white heifer calf
1 roan heifer calf
1 red and white heifer calf, no visible brands

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 17th April 1886.

THOMAS HANSON,
Poundkeeper.
4/6

BUNGAREE.—Impounded at the Bungaree Shire Pound, 22nd March 1886.

1 bay colt, star and snip, dock tail, off hind fetlock white, like JC off shoulder
1 red heifer, like TL near rump
1 red or yellow heifer, no visible brand
1 brown heifer, white on flank and belly, star, like TL off rump
1 strawberry heifer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

SIMON J. BENTLEY,
Poundkeeper.
6/

DUNDAS.—Impounded at Dundas Shire Pound, 15th March 1886, by Mr. Wm. Loats, Murphy Creek.

1 strawberry bullock, a worker, like JH on near horn, indescribable brand near rump, like a blotched off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th April 1886.

RICHD. BLOOMFIELD,
Poundkeeper.
4/

ECHUCA.—Impounded at Echuca, 23rd March 1886, by Ambrose Bowles.

35. Black horse, saddle and collar marked, snip, HB conjoined near shoulder, like 4 near neck

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

GEORGE JAMIESON,
Poundkeeper.
4/

KOROIT.—Impounded at Koroit Borough Pound, 19th March 1886, by Thos. Lumsden.

1 chesnut mare, light draught, blaze, short tail, IJ near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

J. SHEEHAN,
Poundkeeper.
3/6

MORTLAKE.—Impounded at Mortlake, 16th March 1886, by Mr. W. Toleman.

1 bay horse, star on forehead, three white feet, PE near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

M. A. ABSALOM,
Poundkeeper.
3/6

OAKLEIGH.—Impounded at Oakleigh Shire Pound, 19th March 1886.

1 strawberry cow, branded JA off rump, and blotch brand milking hip

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

ADAM HOPE,
Poundkeeper.
4/

ROCHESTER.—Impounded at Rochester, 22nd March 1886, by P. Doherty, Esq.
63. Red and white cow, slit off ear, slit and piece out of near ear, branded W off rump
64. Red and white cow, notch out of top of off ear, branded A1 off rump
65. Strawberry cow, notch out of top of off ear, branded M off rump
66. White cow, branded AC near ribs
67. Red and white yearling bull, no visible brands
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st April 1886.

7/ C. E. SUBLET,
Poundkeeper.

WARRAGUL.—Impounded at Warragul Shire Pound 19th March 1886, by James O'Connor, Longwarry South.—Damages 2s. each.
1 dark-bay mare, star, like a off shoulder, near hind foot white
1 black horse, c near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 16th April 1886.

5/ JAS. R. BROWN,
Poundkeeper.

WINCHELSEA.—Impounded at Winchelsea, by Mr. Patterson, Barwon Park.

81. Cross-bred wether, slit off ear, three front notches and back notch near ear, signs of red brand on rump
82. Cross-bred ewe, back notch off ear, tip and back notch near ear, signs of pitch brand on off hip
83. Cross-bred ewe, back notch off ear, tip and back notch near ear, signs of pitch brand on off hip
84. Cross-bred ram, long tail, no visible marks or brands
85. Merino weaner, back and front notch near ear, swallow off ear, black brand like D on rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 14th April 1886.

7/6 H. SCHROETER,
Poundkeeper.

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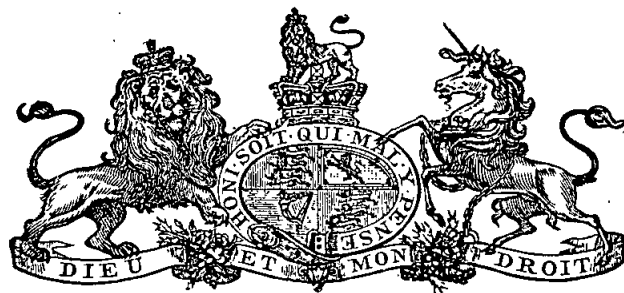
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