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LEVÉE.

HIS Excellency the Governor will hold a Levée at Government House on Saturday, the 13th proximo, at Twelve o'clock noon.

Gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to appear in uniform, official dress, or morning costume, and to provide themselves with two cards with their names legibly written thereon; one card to be left on the table at the entrance hall, and the other to be given to the Aide-de-Camp, who will announce the name to His Excellency.

Gentlemen who have received cards for the private entrée will be admitted at the main entrance at a quarter to Twelve, the other gentlemen at the ball-room entrance at Twelve o'clock noon.

Members of the Corporation of the City, the Council and Senate of the University, and officers of the Army and Navy should assemble in the gallery to the right of the ball-room to facilitate their presentation to His Excellency.

By Command,

RICHARD NEVILL,
A. D. C.

Government House,
Melbourne, 22nd December, 1899.

CLERK OF COURTS, ETC.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

EDWARD HARRISON

has been directed by the Minister to act as Clerk of Petty Sessions at Melbourne during the absence of S. J. Goldsmith on leave (s. 41, Act No. 1133).

M. BYRNE,
Secretary to the Law Department.

Crown Law Offices,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

Factories and Shops Act 1890.

CERTIFYING MEDICAL PRACTITIONER.

I HEREBY notify that, in pursuance of the power conferred by section 6 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1890*, I have, on the recommendation of the Board of Public Health, appointed

Dr. W. DOCKER, of Portland (a legally-qualified medical practitioner),

to be Certifying Medical Practitioner, for the purposes of the *Factories and Shops Acts*, *vice* Dr. N. Dowling resigned.

A. McLEAN,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

Health Act 1890.

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.—REPRESENTATIVE MEMBER FOR THE SOUTH YARRA GROUP.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Health Act 1890*, I hereby declare that Robert Arthur Forbes, J.P., being a member of the Council of the City of Prahran, has been duly elected Representative Member for the South Yarra Group on the Board of Public Health, from the 1st day of January, 1900.

Dated at Melbourne this 28th day of December, 1899.

D. MELVILLE,
Minister of Health.

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Health Act 1890.

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.—REPRESENTATIVE MEMBER OF THE CITY OF MELBOURNE.

HAVING received notice that the Council of the City of Melbourne has nominated Alderman Cornelius Job Ham, one of the members of the said council, to be its Representative Member on the Board of Public Health from and after the 1st day of January, 1900, in virtue of the provisions of the *Health Act 1890*, I declare the said Cornelius Job Ham to be duly elected to be a Member of the Board for the City of Melbourne, from the 1st day of January, 1900.

Dated at Melbourne, this 28th day of December, 1899.

D. MELVILLE,
Minister of Health.

Municipalities' Loans Extension Act 1893.—Form No. 9.

EXTENSION OF LOAN OF £20,000 OF THE BOROUGH OF KEW TO THE 1st DAY OF OCTOBER, 1930.

SECTION 18 (2).

WHEREAS the Council of the Borough of Kew has applied to the Treasurer to take advantage of the provisions of the above-recited Act in respect to its

No. 2 Loan for £20,000, maturing on 31st March, 1918.

And whereas the Governor in Council has approved of an application from the said council that an agreement between the said council and the Treasurer be entered into under the provisions of the Act: And whereas the said agreement has been entered into on 27th November, 1899, under which the said council covenants to pay to the Treasurer certain sums on certain fixed dates, and the said council has issued and lodged with the Commissioners of Audit certain debentures as security for such payments in pursuance of the said Act: And whereas the Treasurer has, in pursuance of the said Act, and the said Act inscribed an additional sum of £9,934 4s. 11d. of Victorian Government Three per cent. Stock as a sinking fund for the said loans:

Now I, the Treasurer of Victoria, hereby notify that the period during which the Council of the Borough of Kew is required to provide for the payment of the principal moneys secured on the debentures under the said loans has been extended until the first day of October, 1930; and the said council shall not be bound or required from the date of the said agreement to cause any sum to be invested or to make any payment under the Principal Act into any sinking fund formed for the purpose of the liquidation of the loan in respect of which such debentures have been so issued.

WM. SHIELDS,
Treasurer of Victoria.
Treasury,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

ARTILLERY PRACTICE.—FORT GELLIBRAND.

TARGET Practice will take place from Fort Gellibrand on the 20th January, 1900, between the hours of Three p.m. and Six p.m.

All ships and boats should be kept at a distance of at least one mile to the right and 800 yards to the left of the line of fire, for a distance of 6,000 yards from the Battery.

During and one hour before practice, a red danger flag will be flying from the masthead in the Battery.

By order,
E. BINGHAM, Colonel,
Staff Officer for Artillery.

7th December, 1899.

Marriage Act 1898.

MINISTERS OF RELIGION REGISTERED TO CELEBRATE MARRIAGES IN VICTORIA.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Marriage Act 1898* (62 Vict. No. 1582, sec. 12), the undermentioned officiating ministers of religion have been registered at this office for the celebration of marriages in Victoria:—

No. in Register.	Name.	Designation.	Denomination.	Residence.	Date of Registration.
3524	Revd. Ernest Charles Thomson...	Deacon ...	Church of Eng-land	Hargreaves-street, Bendigo	21st December, 1899
3525	Revd. Robert John Houston ...	Minister ...	Presbyterian ...	Cobram ...	22nd December, 1899
3526	Revd. David Ross ...	Minister ...	Presbyterian ...	Acland-street, St. Kilda ...	22nd December, 1899
3527	Revd. Arthur Rae Campbell ...	Deacon ...	Church of Eng-land	Broadford ...	27th December, 1899

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

RICHD. N. D. TREACEY,
Assistant Government Statist.

Factories and Shops Acts.

IN compliance with an application in writing under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Acts*, and after due inquiry, I, the Chief Secretary of Victoria, being the responsible Minister for the time being administering the *Factories and Shops Acts*, do hereby suspend the operation of the first clause of section 30 of the *Factories and Shops Act 1890*, as re-enacted by the *Factories and Shops Act 1896*, in the

FACTORY OR WORK-ROOMS OF MR. M. ARMSTRONG, TAILOR,
TIMOR-STREET, WARRNAMBOOL,

for a period of three weeks from the 11th December, 1899, upon the following express conditions, that is to say:—

1. That no person or persons shall employ in the said factory or work-rooms more than four females for more than forty-eight hours in any one week, and that the said four females shall not be employed for more than fifty-six hours in any one week, nor for more than three hours beyond the ordinary working hours in any one day, in preparing or manufacturing articles for trade or sale.
2. That every female so employed shall receive not less than Twelve shillings per week for each week during which she works overtime, and, in addition, each wage-worker shall be paid for such overtime at the rate of time and a half; and each piece-worker shall be paid Threepence per hour for overtime in addition to ordinary earnings by piece-work.
3. That every female shall receive Sixpence tea money each evening she works overtime.
4. That none of such females shall be so employed for more than forty-eight hours in any one week without their consent.
5. That a copy of this Order be kept conspicuously and continuously posted in such factory or work-room for the information of all concerned.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, the 22nd day of December, 1899.

A. McLEAN,
Chief Secretary.

TRUANT OFFICER, EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 6th January next, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service, for the position of Truant Officer, Education Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£132 minimum; £144 maximum. Regular increments are not provided.

The applications of officers who are recorded for transfer will receive consideration.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

HOSPITAL ATTENDANT, SUNBURY LUNATIC ASYLUM.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 6th January next, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service who are qualified for the position of Hospital Attendant, Sunbury Lunatic Asylum, Chief Secretary's Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£120, with quarters and rations when required to reside on the premises.

Applicants must understand nursing and the care of the sick, and be competent to take charge of the hospital and the control and direction of junior attendants in that ward.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

TYPEWRITER (FEMALE), POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 6th January next, from female officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service who are qualified for the position of Typewriter, Post and Telegraph Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£48 minimum; £72 maximum. Regular increments are not provided.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

MAIL-DRIVER, POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 6th January next, from officers of the Non-Clerical Division of the Public Service, for the position of Mail-driver, Post and Telegraph Department.

Yearly rate of pay:—£72 minimum; £96 maximum. Regular increments are not provided.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

MATRON AT A COUNTRY ASYLUM, HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Board up to Saturday, the 6th January next, from female officers of the non-clerical division of the Public Service—who have passed the non-clerical examination—for the position of Matron at a country Asylum, Hospitals for the Insane, Department of the Chief Secretary.

Yearly rate of pay:—£72 minimum; £96 maximum; with quarters when required to reside on the premises. Regular increments are not provided.

The Matron will be required to take general charge of the female wards, sewing rooms, and laundry, and be responsible generally for the satisfactory working of the female division of the asylum under the orders of the Medical Superintendent.

Applicants should possess a nursing certificate from the Lunacy Department or from some recognised hospital.

By order,
J. D. MERSON,
For Secretary.

Public Service Board,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.—(Part II., Division 2.—Tobacco.)

£5 CIGAR LICENCE.—REMOVAL.

PERMISSION has been granted to Rupert Cuthbert to remove his licensed factory from premises abutting on Clausen-street, North Fitzroy, to a room in the premises situate at 13 Dalley-street, Clifton Hill, the said room being shown on the plan attached to the licensee's application for permission to remove his factory and the said room has been approved and appointed a factory; and it is further notified that the said room is the only portion of the said premises wherein the said Rupert Cuthbert is allowed to store leaf tobacco or cigars, or to carry on any operations connected with the manufacture of cigars from the leaf under the regulations and within the meaning of the *Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890*.

J. WHITESIDE McCAY,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.
Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1899.

VICTORIA.—ARRIVALS BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who arrived in the Colony of Victoria by Sea during the Month of October, 1899.

Port of Arrival, &c.	Place of Departure.											Total Souls.	
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total from the Neighbouring Colonies.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.	Other British Dominions.		Foreign Ports.
Melbourne.—Adults ... { Males	1,406	155	140	542	903	82	49	3,277	487	52	83	151	4,050
... { Females	869	109	86	271	326	53	8	1,722	280	17	9	58		2,086
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	111	8	4	42	38	7	3	213	39	7	1	11	271
" year ... { Females	117	9	3	40	32	7	1	209	37	6	1	10	263
" Infants ... { Males	15	1	2	19	5	1	...	43	8	3	...	2	56
... { Females	6	...	...	13	7	2	...	28	3	1	...	...	32
Geelong.—Adults ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" year ... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portland.—Adults ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" year ... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals ...	2,524	282	235	927	1,311	152	61	5,492	854	86	94	232	6,758
Total { Adults ... { Males	1,406	155	140	542	903	82	49	3,277	487	52	83	151	4,050
... { Females	869	109	86	271	326	53	8	1,722	280	17	9	58	2,086
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Immigration Office, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Immigration Agent.

VICTORIA.—DEPARTURES BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who departed from the Colony of Victoria by Sea during the Month of October, 1899.

Port of Departure, &c.	Place of Destination.											Total Souls.	
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total to the Neighbouring Colonies.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.	Other British Dominions.		Foreign Ports.
Melbourne.—Adults ... { Males	1,022	126	153	455	686	153	16	2,611	167	370	113	133	3,394
... { Females	586	56	89	275	374	129	8	1,517	148	9	21	37		1,732
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	80	10	11	47	39	11	1	199	28	1	2	9	239
" year ... { Females	66	11	16	58	36	8	1	196	22	3	4	3	228
" Infants ... { Males	17	1	1	7	2	...	...	23	3	...	...	...	30
... { Females	10	1	3	7	3	...	...	24	6	...	...	...	30
Geelong.—Adults ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" year ... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Portland.—Adults ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Children, 12 to 1 { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" year ... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Infants ... { Males	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... { Females	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals ...	1,781	205	273	849	1,140	301	26	4,575	373	383	140	182	5,653
Total { Adults ... { Males	1,022	126	153	455	686	153	16	2,611	167	370	113	133	3,394
... { Females	586	56	89	275	374	129	8	1,517	148	9	21	37	1,732
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C. W. MACLEAN,
Immigration Agent.

Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890.—(Part II., Division 2.—Tobacco.)

£5 CIGARETTE LICENCE.—REMOVAL.

PERMISSION has been granted to Solomon Cohen to remove his licensed factory from 77 Scotchmer-street, North Fitzroy, to the premises situate at No. 24 Queen's Walk, off Swanston-street, Melbourne, the said premises having been approved and appointed a factory wherein the manufacture of cigarettes may be carried on under the regulations and within the meaning of the *Customs and Excise Duties Act 1890*.

J. WHITESIDE McCAY,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1899.

**BONDED WAREHOUSE.—PERMISSION
WITHDRAWN.**

IT is hereby notified for general information that the permission granted to the Austral Otis Engineering Company Limited on the 15th September, 1898, to use the premises occupied by them, and situate at the corner of Moray and Hancock streets, South Melbourne, known as the Dorman, Long, and Company Limited Machinery Yard, as a Bond for the storage of goods liable to duty, without payment of duty on the first entry thereof, has been withdrawn, at the request of the proprietors, as from the 1st July, 1899, inclusive.

J. WHITESIDE McCAY,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1899.

BONDED WAREHOUSE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that permission has been granted to Dalgety and Company Limited to use a bluestone building, known as No. 1 Bond, in the yard at the rear of their premises, situate at Nos. 461 to 471 Bourke-street west, Melbourne, and also that portion of the basement of such premises known as No. 3 Bond, for the warehousing and securing of goods therein without payment of duty, in accordance with the provisions of the *Customs Act 1890*, such permission to date from the 23rd October, 1899.

J. WHITESIDE McCAY,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1899.

BONDED WAREHOUSE CLOSED.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the permission granted to Dalgety and Co. Limited to use their building known as Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Bonds, and situated in Little Collins-street, Melbourne, for the warehousing and securing of goods therein without payment of duty on the first entry thereof, in accordance with the provisions of Section 13 of the *Customs Act 1890*, has been withdrawn as from the 23rd October, 1899.

W. A. WATT,
For the Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

**THE MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD
OF WORKS.**

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, having made sewers for carrying off the sewage from each and every property which, or any part of which, abuts on the streets or parts of streets in which such sewers are laid, and which are included within the sewerage areas hereinafter described, doth hereby declare that on and after the 6th day of January, 1900, each and every property which, or any part of which abuts on the said streets or parts of streets, shall be deemed to be a sewerage property within the meaning of the *Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Acts 1857*.

The sewerage areas hereinafter referred to are—

SEWERAGE AREA No. 27.

Melbourne.—Starting at the intersection of Laurens-street and Victoria-street; thence easterly along Victoria-street to its intersection with Abbotsford-street; thence southerly along Abbotsford-street to its intersection with Miller-street; thence easterly along Miller-street to a point opposite the boundary of Sewerage Area No. 23, southerly along the western boundary of No. 39 Miller-street, westerly along the southern boundary of Nos. 41 to 71 Miller-street, southerly along the eastern boundary of No. 86 Abbotsford-street and No. 654 Spencer-street, westerly along Spencer-street, southerly along the western boundaries of No. 667 Spencer-street and Nos. 51 to 73 Abbotsford-street, westerly along Ireland-street, southerly along the eastern boundary of No. 83 Ireland-street and No. 294 Adderley-street, easterly along Adderley-street and southerly along Abbotsford-street to Railway-place; thence north-westerly along Railway-place to its intersection with Laurens-street; thence northerly along Laurens-street to the starting point at the intersection of Laurens-street and Victoria-street.

SEWERAGE AREA No. 28.

North Melbourne.—Starting at the intersection of Dryburgh-street and Brougham-street; thence easterly along Brougham-street to its intersection with Flemington-road; thence south-easterly along Flemington-road to its intersection with Peel-street; thence southerly along Peel-street to its intersection with Victoria-street; thence westerly along Victoria-street to its intersection with Curzon-street; thence southerly along Curzon-street to its intersection with Miller-street; thence westerly along Miller-street to its intersection with Abbotsford-street; thence northerly along Abbotsford-street to its intersection with Victoria-street; thence westerly along Victoria-street to its intersection with Laurens-street; thence northerly along Laurens-street to its intersection with Arden-street; thence easterly along Arden-street to its intersection with Dryburgh-street; thence northerly along Dryburgh-street to the starting point at the intersection of Dryburgh-street and Brougham-street.

SEWERAGE AREA No. 29.

Flemington and Kensington.—Starting at the intersection of the Essendon Railway line and Race-course-road; thence easterly along Race-course-road to its intersection with the Moonee Ponds Creek; thence southerly along the Moonee Ponds Creek to its intersection with Arden-street; thence westerly along Arden-street to its intersection with the Essendon Railway line; thence north-westerly along the Essendon Railway line to the starting point at the intersection of the Essendon Railway line and Race-course-road.

By order of the Board,

E. G. FITZ GIBBON, Chairman.
GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

Office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
501 Collins-street, Melbourne, 5th December, 1899.

**THE MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD
OF WORKS.**

GENERAL NOTICE.

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The sewerage area hereinafter referred to is—

SEWERAGE AREA No. 30.

Prahran.—Starting at the intersection of Toorak-road and Williams-road; thence southerly along Williams-road to its intersection with Malvern-road; thence westerly along Malvern-road to its intersection with Surrey-road; thence following the eastern boundary of Sewerage Area No. 6 northerly along Surrey-road to its intersection with Cromwell-road, northerly along Cromwell-road to its intersection with the municipal drain, north-westerly along the municipal drain to its intersection with a line running parallel with and about 48 feet east of the eastern building line of Clara-street, and northerly along this line to Toorak-road; thence following the southern boundary of Sewerage Area No. 17 easterly along Toorak-road to the starting point at the intersection of Toorak-road and Williams-road.

By order of the Board,

E. G. FITZ GIBBON, Chairman.
GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

Office of The Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
501 Collins-street, Melbourne, 19th December, 1899.

WATER: RIGHT LICENCE SURRENDERED.

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.—YACKANDANDAH DIVISION.

No. 690, dated 30th January, 1894; S. Britton and another; 3s. 3r. 10p.; parish of Stanley.

A new licence, No. 800, has been issued in lieu of the above.

J. TRAVIS,
Acting Secretary for Mines.

Office of Mines,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR EXCURSIONS.

Holiday excursion tickets will be issued to and from all stations (suburban excepted), and at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, from 16th December till 3rd January (both days inclusive, Sundays excepted), available for return for one calendar month from date of issue. The journey must be commenced on the date the ticket is issued, but after a distance of 15 miles has been travelled the journey may be broken at the discretion of the passenger. On tickets issued at Spencer-street and Prince's-bridge stations and at the Central Booking Office, Flinders-street, bearing dates from 16th till 27th December inclusive, and from 28th December till 3rd January inclusive, the journey may be commenced on any day during the respective periods, and the tickets will be available for return till 27th January or 3rd February inclusive (as the case may be).

Sydney, Adelaide, Brisbane.—Excursion tickets will be issued at Melbourne at the following return fares, viz.:—

—	First Class.	Second Class.	Available 3 calendar months	Dates issued—
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Sydney, <i>via</i> Southern Line	5 0 0	3 15 0		8th to 29th Dec.
Sydney, <i>via</i> Harden and Blayney	5 12 6	4 5 6		8th to 29th Dec.
Adelaide	4 0 0	2 10 0		11th Dec. to 1st Jan.
Broken Hill	6 17 9	4 6 3		11th Dec. to 1st Jan.
Brisbane	10 0 0	6 17 6		9th Dec. to 2nd Jan.

Sydney excursion tickets will not be available by the express train on the New South Wales line, except on payment of 21s. 6d. first class and 16s. second class. In all cases the journey may be broken for one month on the forward and during the currency of the ticket on the return journey.

Luggage.—Excursion passengers to and from stations in Victoria will only be allowed to carry such luggage free as can be stowed under the seats without inconvenience to other passengers, and those who have luggage for the van are required to be at the station half-an-hour before the starting time of train. All luggage should be plainly addressed with the owner's name and the station it is for, and the address affixed in such a way that it will not come off.

Horses and Vehicles.—From 21st December till 3rd January (both dates inclusive) the Department cannot engage to forward horses or vehicles by passenger trains unless accommodation can be provided by special arrangement.

Commercial Travellers' Samples.—From 21st December till 3rd January (both dates inclusive) commercial travellers' samples will only be taken to or from road-side stations by mixed or goods trains. They will not be despatched to or from Spencer-street by passenger or mixed trains, but must be sent by goods trains.

Parcels.—On 22nd, 23rd, and 30th December parcels must be at the parcels offices at Spencer-street and Princes-bridge stations half-an-hour before the starting times of ordinary trains.

Goods Sheds Holidays.—The 25th and 26th December and 1st January will be observed as holidays in the goods branch, and only dairy produce goods trains will be run. Perishable goods will be delivered at all stations on application. On 22nd, 23rd, 25th, and 26th December, and 1st and 2nd January, fruit and dairy produce will not be carried by purely passenger trains between Melbourne, Ballarat, and Bendigo, nor on the North-Eastern line, unless full parcels rates are paid.

Handbook for Tourists. containing description of the beauty-spots of Victoria, and all information re rail, coach, and steamboat charges, fishing, shooting, &c., can be obtained at the principal stations, and at all bookstalls.

Inquiry Offices.—Flinders-street, Telephone No. 959; Spencer-street, No. 1268. Apply early for information.

EXTRA TRAINS AVAILABLE FOR EXCURSION AND ORDINARY PASSENGERS.

Northern lines.—From 22nd December till 2nd January inclusive extra trains preceding the ordinary trains will run, if required, from Melbourne and from Bendigo. On 22nd, 23rd, and 30th December an extra train will leave Melbourne for Bendigo at 3.10 p.m., stopping at North Melbourne and at all stations from Braybrook Junction inclusive. *Wycheproof line.*—On 23rd, 26th, and 30th December, and 1st January, an extra train will leave Wycheproof for Korong Vale at 5.30 p.m. and return at 9.5 p.m., in connexion with the 11.40 a.m. train from Melbourne, on 26th December and 1st January, and the 12.15 p.m. train from Melbourne on 23rd and 30th December. On the same dates an extra train will leave Bendigo for Korong Vale at 5.5 p.m. and return at 9.5 p.m. *Woodend and Daylesford line.*—On 23rd, 25th, 26th, 27th, and 30th December and 1st and 2nd January an extra train will leave Daylesford at 7.20 p.m., and return from Woodend at 9.30 p.m. It will connect with the last trains to or from Melbourne or Bendigo. On Thursdays, 21st and 28th December, the 2.45 p.m. train will run from Woodend to Daylesford in connexion with the 11.40 a.m. train from Melbourne. Powder will not be received for conveyance on the Daylesford line on these dates. *Avoca line.*—On 26th December and 1st January the 10.20 p.m. train from Maryborough to Avoca, returning at 11.20 p.m., will run the same as on Saturdays.

North-Western and South-Western lines.—From 22nd December till 3rd January inclusive special booking windows at the south end of the station will be open for the issue of tickets. On 23rd, 25th, and 26th December and 1st January the 8.15 a.m. train from Geelong to Melbourne will be run as a passenger train. On 22nd and 30th December an extra train, stopping only at Newport and North Geelong, will leave Melbourne for Ballarat, *via* North Geelong, at 10.45 a.m. On 22nd, 23rd, 26th, and 30th December and 1st January an extra train, not stopping at any intermediate station beyond Bacchus Marsh (Ballan excepted), will leave Melbourne for Ballarat at 4.10 p.m. On 23rd December an extra train, not stopping at any intermediate station beyond Bacchus Marsh (Ballan excepted), will leave Melbourne for Ballarat at 7 a.m. On 22nd, 23rd, 26th, and 30th December and

1st January an extra train, stopping at all stations, if required, will leave Ballarat for Melbourne (*via* Bacchus Marsh) at 7.45 p.m.

Adelaide Express.—If there is room, excursion passengers for Ballarat and stations at which the train stops will be allowed to travel by the Adelaide express train leaving Melbourne at 4.40 p.m., except on the 22nd, 23rd, 26th, and 30th December and 1st January, when passengers for Ballarat must travel by the 4.10 p.m. extra train.

North-Eastern line.—On 22nd December and till 3rd January inclusive passengers for Seymour, Benalla, Wodonga (Albury, Sydney), Beechworth, and other stations on the North-Eastern and Goulburn Valley lines will be booked at the old Essendon line booking office, and admitted at the station gates adjoining. All passengers' luggage for these lines will also be received there. From 22nd December till 3rd January inclusive all trains for these lines will start from the east yard platform at the northern end of Spencer-street station. On 22nd and 26th December and 2nd January (and any intermediate day if necessary, Saturdays excepted), the 5.15 p.m. Sydney express train will be run in two divisions between Melbourne and Albury. The first division will leave Melbourne at 4.55 p.m., and stop at Seymour, Benalla, Wangaratta, Wodonga, and Albury. On 23rd December the 3.40 p.m. Sydney express will be run in two divisions between Melbourne and Albury; the first division, stopping as above, will leave Melbourne at 3.25 p.m. New South Wales passengers are requested to travel by the trains leaving Melbourne at 3.25 and 4.55 p.m. respectively. On 23rd, 25th, and 26th December an extra train will leave Melbourne for Seymour at 6 a.m., and will not stop at any station on the Melbourne side of Donnybrook. On 22nd and 26th December and 2nd January an extra train, preceding the 5.41 p.m. ordinary train, will leave Melbourne for Seymour at 5.23 p.m. It will only take passengers for North Essendon, Pascoe Vale, Glenroy, Broadmeadows, Seymour, and stations on the Goulburn Valley line, and when it is running passengers for Seymour and stations on the Goulburn Valley line will not be allowed to travel by the 5.15 p.m. Sydney express train. On 23rd and 30th December an extra train will leave Melbourne for Seymour at 4.5 p.m., taking passengers for Seymour and stations on the Goulburn Valley line, and when it is running passengers for these stations will not be allowed to travel by the 3.40 p.m. Sydney express train. On 22nd, 23rd, 26th, and 30th December and 2nd January the 5.58 a.m. train from Numurkah to Seymour will be run through to Melbourne, leaving Seymour at 9.50 a.m.

Bright line.—On 23rd December a special train will leave Everton for Bright at 9.5 p.m. in connexion with the 3.40 p.m. express from Melbourne.

Eastern line.—On 22nd and 23rd December an extra train will leave Prince's-bridge for Warragul at 4.15 p.m., and return at 8 p.m., and on 26th December an extra train will leave Prince's-bridge for Warragul at 7.35 a.m., and return at 11 a.m.

EXTRA LOCAL TRAINS.

Ballan line.—On 26th December and 1st January an extra train will leave Ballarat for Ballan at 10.10 p.m., and return at 11.50 p.m.

Buninyong line.—On 26th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force on the Buninyong line, as per posters at stations concerned.

Cressick and Daylesford line.—On 26th December and 1st January the 5.40 p.m. train from Daylesford to Ballarat, returning at 10.50 p.m., will run as on Saturdays.

Linton line.—On 26th December and 1st January the 5.50 p.m. train from Linton to Ballarat, returning at 11.5 p.m., will run as on Saturdays.

Waubra line.—On 26th December and 1st January the 5.40 p.m. train from Waubra to Ballarat, returning at 11 p.m., will run as on Saturdays.

Ballarat and Maryborough line.—On 26th December an extra train, stopping at all stations, will leave Ballarat for Maryborough at 10 a.m. and return at 10.10 p.m. For times at intermediate stations see posters at stations.

EARLY SUBURBAN TRAINS.

Coburg and Somerton line.—On 25th and 26th December and 1st January a train will leave Melbourne at 5 a.m., and return from Coburg at 5.30 a.m., stopping at all stations, and reaching Spencer-street at 5.53 a.m. and Flinders-street at 5.57 a.m., returning from Flinders-street to Spencer-street at 6.3 a.m. with passengers for early country trains. The 6.3 a.m. train from Flinders-street to Spencer-street will also run on 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th December.

SUBURBAN TRAIN SERVICE.

Essendon—Broadmeadows.—On 22nd, 23rd, and 26th December and 2nd January the 5.38 p.m. train from Essendon to Broadmeadows and the 6.5 p.m. train from Broadmeadows to Essendon will not run.

Williamstown line.—On 26th December and 1st January, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m., the ordinary time-table will be suspended, and trains will run at intervals of about twenty minutes, as per special time-table. On 25th December, and till 1st January inclusive, the trains usually leaving Melbourne for Newport at 6.3, 6.58, 11.30 a.m., and 3.41 p.m., and Newport for Melbourne at 6.39 and 7.34 a.m., 12.18 and 5.9 p.m., will not run.

St. Albans line.—On 26th December and 1st January the 11.10 p.m. train will run from Melbourne to St. Albans, and return at 11.50 p.m., the same as on Saturdays.

Whittlesea line.—On 26th December and 1st January an extra train will leave Melbourne for Whittlesea at 7.25 a.m., and return at 7.40 p.m. An extra train will leave Whittlesea for North Fitzroy at 9.15 a.m., and return to Whittlesea at 10.45 a.m.

Collingwood and Heidelberg line.—On 26th December and 1st January a special time-table will be in force on the Melbourne, Collingwood, and Heidelberg line. See posters at stations concerned.

South Suburban lines.—On 25th and 26th December and 1st January, if necessary, the ordinary time-table will be suspended on the St. Kilda, Port Melbourne, Hawthorn, Camberwell, and Caulfield lines, and trains will run as required. On the Brighton and Essendon lines a special time-table will be in force. See posters at stations concerned.

ADDITIONAL TRAINS.

Box Hill—Ringwood line.—On 26th December and 1st January extra trains will run between Box Hill and Ringwood. See special time-table at stations.

Fernree Gully line.—On 26th December and 1st January special trains will, if required, leave Prince's-bridge for Upper Fernree Gully between the hours of 8.40 and 11.30 a.m., and return between the hours of 4.50 and 8.25 p.m.

Lilydale line.—On 23rd and 30th December the train leaving Prince's-bridge for Ringwood at 8.25 p.m. will run on to Lilydale and reach there at 9.45 p.m. On the return journey it will leave Lilydale at 9.55 p.m., and connect at Box Hill with the 10.39 p.m. train. On 26th December and 1st January, if required, a special train will leave Prince's-bridge for Lilydale in the morning and return in the evening.

Healesville line.—On 26th December and 1st and 2nd January an extra train will leave Prince's-bridge for Healesville at 9.15 a.m., and return at 7.25 p.m.

Mordialloc and Frankston line.—On 26th December and 1st January extra trains will, if required, leave Prince's-bridge for Mordialloc at 9.35 and 11.50 a.m., and return at 9 and 10 p.m. On 26th December and 1st January an extra train will leave Prince's-bridge for Mordialloc and Frankston at 11.20 a.m., and return from Frankston at 7 p.m., and, if required, a train will leave Prince's-bridge for Frankston at 10.10 a.m., and return at 5.45 p.m.

Stony Point line.—From 22nd to 30th December inclusive a special train will leave Mornington Junction for Stony Point at 3.5 p.m. in connexion with the 1.10 p.m. train from Melbourne, and the steamer to Cowes and San Remo will make a special trip in connexion therewith. On 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th January an extra train will leave Frankston for Stony Point at 5.20 a.m., and return from Stony Point at 6.25 a.m., stopping at all stations, and connecting with the 7.20 a.m. train from Frankston to Melbourne.

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

The issue of cheap suburban sea-side excursion tickets to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc will be suspended on 25th and 26th December and 1st and 2nd January.

BEAUMARIS TRAMS.

The Beaumaris trams will run in connexion with the trains to and from Cheltenham and Sandringham. For particulars see posters at suburban stations.

MILK CANS.

On all holidays empty milk cans will be received at the Goods Shed, Spencer-street station, up till 12 noon.

V.R.C. RACES AT FLEMINGTON RACE-COURSE.

On Monday, 1st January, trains will run as required, from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m., and at 2.20 p.m. The usual arrangements as to entrance of passengers will be carried out.

BENDIGO TRAINS (V.R.C. RACES).

On Monday, 1st January, passengers for the 11.30 a.m. special and the 11.40 a.m. ordinary trains to Bendigo will be booked at and enter by the gate in Spencer-street next Collins-street.

HIGHLAND SOCIETY'S GATHERING AT MARYBOROUGH.

On 1st January additional trains will run as under. In all cases the special trains will pick up or set down passengers at intermediate stations as required :—

Ballarat and Maryborough line.—Special trains will leave Ballarat at 8.35 a.m., and Clunes at 9.37 and 10.5 a.m., and return from Maryborough at 10.8 p.m. as far as Clunes, and at 9 p.m. to Ballarat.

Avoca and Ararat line.—A special train will leave Avoca at 10.20 a.m., and return from Maryborough at 8.40 p.m. and 10.20 p.m. A special train will also leave Maryborough at 7.15 p.m. for Avoca and Ararat.

Stawell.—Passengers can leave Stawell at 6.20 a.m., reach Maryborough at 10.20 a.m., and return at 7.15 p.m., reaching Stawell at 10.27 p.m.

Birchip and St. Arnaud line.—A special train will leave Birchip at 6.30 a.m., Donald at 8.5 a.m., St. Arnaud at 9.35 a.m., and reach Maryborough at 11.40 a.m. Donald and Birchip line passengers can return by the train leaving Maryborough at 6.30 p.m. A special train will leave Maryborough for St. Arnaud at 8.25 p.m. A special train will also leave Maryborough for Bealiba at 9.45 p.m.

Dunolly and Inglewood line.—A special train will leave Inglewood for Maryborough at 9.5 a.m., and Maryborough for Dunolly and Inglewood at 7.45 p.m.

Bendigo, Castlemaine, and Maryborough line.—A special train will leave Bendigo at 7 a.m., Castlemaine at 8.15 a.m., and return from Maryborough at 6.15 p.m. for Castlemaine and Bendigo.

TERANG RACES.

Geelong.—On 1st January a special train, stopping at all intermediate stations, will leave Geelong for the Terang Race-course platform at 7.10 a.m., and return at 6 p.m. Holiday Excursion fares will be charged.

Warrnambool.—On 1st January special trains, stopping at all intermediate stations, will leave Warrnambool for the Terang Race-course platform at 10 and 10.40 a.m. A special train, stopping at all stations, will leave the Terang Race-course platform for Warrnambool at 6.15 p.m. Holiday Excursion fares will be charged.

Mortlake.—On 1st January the ordinary trains will stop at the Race-course to pick up or set down passengers.

CARNIVAL AT CASTLEMAINE.

Bendigo.—On 1st January special and ordinary trains will leave Bendigo for Castlemaine at 8.45, 10, 11, 11.20, 11.50 a.m., and 12 noon, and return between 7 and 9.30 p.m.

Maldon.—On 1st January a special train will leave Maldon for Castlemaine at 9.45 a.m. Special trains will leave Castlemaine for Maldon at 6.20 and 10 p.m. The train usually leaving Castlemaine for Maldon at 7.50 p.m. will leave at 8.15 p.m.

Maryborough line.—On 1st January a special train, stopping at all stations, will leave Moolort for Castlemaine at 8.40 a.m.

LAL LAL RACES.

On 1st January special trains, consisting of carriages and seated trucks, will run from Ballarat to the Lal Lal Race-course platform, commencing at 7.20 a.m., and continuing at short intervals till 1.45 p.m. Returning from Lal Lal Race-course platform, commencing at 5.10 p.m., and continuing at short intervals till 8 p.m. Horses will only be conveyed by the first special train from Ballarat.

Geelong.—On 1st January a special train, consisting of seated trucks, will leave Geelong for Lal Lal Race-course platform at 9 a.m., and return at 6.2 p.m.

The special trains will stop at all intermediate stations.

WARRNAMBOOL—TERANG TRAIN.

On Monday, 1st January, the 4.35 p.m. mixed train from Warrnambool to Terang will not run.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS.

Holiday Excursion tickets, available for return till the following Monday, will be issued by last trains on Fridays and by all trains on Saturdays, to and from all stations outside a radius of 9 miles of each other, provided the return journey can be completed within the time for which the ticket is available. These tickets are also issued by the following trains from Melbourne on Fridays :—Bendigo line, 4.50 p.m.; Ballarat line, 4.40 p.m.; Warrnambool and Queenscliff lines, 4.15 p.m.; Seymour line, 5.15 p.m.; Bairnsdale line, 4.30 p.m.; Frankston line, 5.30 p.m.; and by the 6.8 p.m. train from Frankston to Melbourne.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS.

Till 30th April, 1900, tickets in connexion with the following cheap excursions will be issued :—Sea-side and Gippsland Lakes; Mountainous Districts; combined rail and coach; Saturday and Sunday excursions to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc; Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday excursions to Black Rock and Beaumaris; also excursions to Cowes and San Remo. Full particulars can be obtained from the "Book Time-table," or from posters at stations.

COWES AND SAN REMO REDUCED FARES.

Combined rail and steamer return tickets to Cowes and San Remo will be issued at the following reduced fares :—

From—	To Cowes.		To San Remo.	
	1st Class.	2nd Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Melbourne	10 6	8 0	14 6	12 0
Geelong	19 6	14 0	23 6	18 0
Ballarat	25 6	18 0	29 6	22 0
Bendigo	31 0	22 0	35 0	26 0

Tickets available for return for three months. Three days break of journey allowed in Melbourne each way on tickets from Geelong, Ballarat, and Bendigo. These fares will also be granted to passengers from Cowes and San Remo to Melbourne.

SUNDAY TRAIN.—FERNTREE GULLY LINE.

On Sundays, commencing 8th October, a train stopping at all stations will leave Prince's-bridge for Upper Ferntree Gully at 11 a.m., and return at 6.50 p.m. Special cheap fares:—From Melbourne, first class, 2s. 11d.; second class, 1s. 11d. The special tickets will be available for return till the following Monday.

SEA-SIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, Sea-side Excursion tickets will be issued at some of the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, Dean's Marsh, Forrest, Timboon, Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Frankston, Hastings, Bittern, Mornington, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Foster, Toora, Welshpool, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes. The tickets will be available for three months, and the journey may be broken at Melbourne for three days, going and returning. Purchasers of sea-side tickets to Queenscliff or to Warrnambool and Port Fairy (*via* Peshurst) and Port Fairy (*via* Terang) may make Drysdale or Marcus Hill or Koroit respectively their destination instead. For full particulars see posters at all stations.

EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 17th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, first and second class return tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Prince's-bridge stations (as the case may be) by certain trains on Fridays, and by all trains on Saturdays, to Toongabbie, Briarong, Beechworth, Yackandandah, Bright, Hunon Lane, Tallangatta, Mansfield; and daily from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Portland to Beechworth or to Bright.

COMBINED RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, combined rail and coach tickets will be issued at Spencer-street and Prince's-bridge stations (as the case may be), and at the Central Booking Office, to Sassafras, Launching Place, Yarra Junction, Warburton, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Fillians, Marysville, Buxton, Jamieson, Gaffney's Creek, Wood's Point, Bousteads, Omeo, Bruthen, Buchan, Lorne, Port Campbell, Princetown, Peterborough, and Flinders.

Combined rail and coach circular tickets will also be issued from Melbourne to Healesville (by rail), thence to Marysville and Alexandra (by coach), and Alexandra-road to Melbourne (by rail); and Melbourne to Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo and Bairnsdale (by coach), thence to Melbourne (by rail), and *vice versa*.

Combined rail and coach tickets will also be issued as follows:—(1) Bright to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 6s.; second class, 5s. 6d. (2) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 7s.; second class, 5s. 6d. Residents of Omeo who take advantage of these tickets will require to pay the coach fare to Bright or Bairnsdale (according to the route travelled), in addition to the above fares. The coach fares are—Omeo to Bright, 3s.; Omeo to Bairnsdale, 2s. (3) Beechworth to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Bright (by coach), thence to Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 10s. 6d.; second class, 8s. (4) Beechworth to Bright (by rail), thence to Bairnsdale (by coach), thence to Melbourne and Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 10s. 6d.; second class, 8s.

For full particulars see posters at all stations.

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

From 18th November, 1899, till 30th April, 1900, both dates inclusive, cheap suburban sea-side excursion tickets will be issued by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, and by all trains on Sundays, as follows—Children under sixteen years of age travel at half-fare:—

To Williamstown.—From Flinders-street, Spencer-street, North Melbourne, South Kensington, and Footscray. Rail only—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From Yarraville. Rail only—First class, 8d.; second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 11d.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Williamstown, children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban stations, within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Beach if desired. Available for return on day of issue only.

To Port Melbourne.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare. Available for return on day of issue only.

To St. Kilda.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare. Available for return on day of issue only.

To Brighton Beach.—Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Windsor—Second class, 6d. From stations nearer to Brighton Beach, children under sixteen years of age may travel at half ordinary return fare on these days. From any north or

south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Available for return on day of issue only. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from North Brighton or Middle Brighton if desired.

To Sandringham.—From Spencer-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Sandringham children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fare on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Melbourne—First class, 1s. 6d.; second class, 1s. Available for return on day of issue only. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Hampton if desired.

To Mordialloc.—From Prince's-bridge, Richmond, South Yarra, Hawksburn, Toorak, and Armadale—First class, 1s. 6d.; second class, 1s. From stations nearer to Mordialloc children under sixteen years may travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. Available for return till the following Monday. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Cheltenham or Mentone if desired.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS TO BLACK ROCK AND BEAUMARIS ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS, AND WEDNESDAYS.

Special Beaumaris circular tickets, available by train and tram, will be issued at all stations, Spencer-street to Brighton Beach and Prince's-bridge to Caulfield inclusive, by all trains after 9.50 a.m. on Saturdays, by all trains on Sundays, and by the 2 p.m. train from Flinders-street and the 1.10 p.m. train from Prince's-bridge on Wednesdays. First class, 1s. 8d.; second class, 1s. 6d.

First and second class special return tickets to Black Rock, *via* Sandringham, available for train and tram, will be issued at Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran stations, by all trains after 9.50 a.m. on Saturdays, by all trains on Sundays, and by the 2 p.m. train from Flinders-street on Wednesdays. First class, 1s. 4d.; second class, 1s. 1d.

First and second class special return tickets to Black Rock and Beaumaris, *via* Sandringham, will be issued at any north or south suburban stations (Brighton line excepted) within 10 miles of Melbourne by all trains after 10 a.m. on Saturdays, and by all trains on Sundays as under:—Black Rock—First class, 1s. 10d.; second class, 1s. 4d. Beaumaris—First class, 2s. 2d.; second class, 1s. 8d.

Children under sixteen years of age will be charged half-fare. The journey may be broken. Tickets issued on Saturdays and Sundays are available till the following Monday.

BAND CONCERTS AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

On Wednesdays (commencing 6th December), the Victorian Railways Military Band, under Conductor Wallace, will give concerts of classic music in the new Rotunda from 8 till 10 p.m. Special cheap return fares from Melbourne and other stations:—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. Trains leave Flinders-street at 7, 7.20, 7.40, 8, and 8.20 p.m., and return from Brighton at 9.15, 9.35, 10, 10.20 p.m., and later. See posters and programmes at stations.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCURSION TRAINS.

Applications for special excursion trains on 26th January should reach the Chief Traffic Manager by 13th January.

EPSOM RACES AT MORDIALLOC.

On Tuesday, 2nd January, special trains, stopping at Caulfield, will leave Flinders-street for Mordialloc at 11.57 a.m., 12.43, 1.7, and 1.40 p.m., and return after the races. Race fares as usual.

Mordialloc line.—On the above date, passengers for Mordialloc will not be booked by the 12.20 and 1.10 p.m. trains at ordinary fares, but Prince's-bridge and Caulfield will issue the special tickets by them. Mordialloc periodical ticket-holders and holders of return halves of tickets issued at Mordialloc may travel by the special trains from Flinders-street, or by the 12.20 and 1.10 p.m. ordinary trains.

MENTONE RACES.

On Saturday, 6th January, special trains, stopping at Caulfield, will leave Flinders-street for Mordialloc at 11.57 a.m., 12.43, 12.55, 1.7, and 1.38 p.m., and return after the races. Race fares as usual.

Mordialloc line.—On the above date the trains leaving Prince's-bridge at 12.20 and 1.10 p.m. will not stop at Mentone, but Mentone periodical ticket-holders and holders of return halves of tickets issued at Mentone can travel by the race specials.

PROPOSED CENTRAL PASSENGER STATION.

Designs are invited till 22nd December next for station buildings, approaches, roofs over station, &c., at Flinders-street. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Railway Offices, Spencer-street.

(By order) R. G. KENT, Secretary.

December 29, 1899.

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PATENTS.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED.

DECEMBER 21—27.

The letter C denotes that a Complete Specification accompanied the Application.

21st December.

16810. JOHN SCOON, 6 Bridge-street, Sydney, N.S.W., "An improved fender for street-cars." (Assignée of James Steele, Canada.) C.

22nd December.

16811. THE MOULDING SYNDICATE LIMITED, 101 Grosvenor-road, London, England, "Improvements in moulding machines for making metal castings." (Assignee of Harris Talor and Edgar Huydekooper, U.S.A.) C.

16812. MICHAEL JOHN O'FARRELL, 131 William-street, Melbourne, "Improvements in saddles for cycles and the like vehicles."

16813. WALTER ANDREW, 442 Church-street, Richmond, "An improved apparatus for recording the results of bicycle and other races."

16814. ANDREW FARQUHARSON RIDLAND, Upper Walker-street, Dunedin, N.Z., "Improved method of and apparatus for and relating to obtaining auriferous material from the beds of rivers and the like."

16815. MATILDA ALICE CRABBE, "Berrings," Moffat-street, Brighton Beach, "An improved scissor sharpener."

16816. HERBERT MERRIMAN and SAMUEL DANKS MERRIMAN, both of 611 Little Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, "Improvements in pumps for forcing brine through meat."

16817. CHARLES HENRY GOULD, 88 Canning-street, North Melbourne, "An improved smoke preventer and fuel economiser for furnaces." C.

16818. VALDEMAN POULSEN, 17 Alhambravej, Copenhagen, Denmark, "A method of receiving and storing and reproducing messages or the like by magnetic action and apparatus for that purpose." C.

16819. WILLIAM THOMAS CARTER, Sherborne Villa, Norfolk-road, Maidenhead, Berks, England, and HECTOR ALEXANDER CONWELLAS, 421 Mansion House Chambers, 11 Queen Victoria-street, city of London, England, "Improvements in or connected with the manufacture of calcic carbide."

27th December.

16820. WALTER MAPLEDEN NOAKES, Clyde Engineering Works, Clyde, N.S.W., "Improvements in stump-jump and other ploughs." C.

16821. UNIVERSAL SAFETY-TREAD COMPANY, Jersey, county of Hudson, New Jersey, U.S.A., "Improvements in treads for stairs, pavements, &c." (Assignee of Frederick W. Huestis, U.S.A.) C.

16822. THE PLANO MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A., "Improvements in grinding machines for harvesting knives, also applicable for other like purposes." C.

16823. FRANZ GATZSCHE, Freiberg, Saxony, Germany, "Improvements in floor-cloth, and in the method of manufacturing the same." C.

16824. FRANZ GATZSCHE, Freiberg, Saxony, Germany, "Improvements in soles and heels for boots and shoes, and in the method of manufacturing the same." C.

16825. VICTOR BELANGER, Sea View, Marshfield, county of Plymouth, Massachusetts, U.S.A., "Spinning or twisting machines." C.

16826. PARNELL RABBIDGE, Bond Boyd-road, Neutral Bay, Sydney, N.S.W., "An improved arrangement of switching appliances for use with telephones." C.

16827. JOSEPH JOHN HARRIS and EDWIN TOFT, both of 99 Cannon-street, London, E.C., England, "Improvements in saddle seats or supports for the human body."

PROVISIONAL SPECIFICATIONS ACCEPTED.

16520. DUGAN. 16963. BURRELL.

COMPLETE SPECIFICATIONS ACCEPTED.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have accepted the complete specifications in the following applications:—

15811. THE GEM NEEDLE-THREADER COMPANY LIMITED, 154 St. Vincent-street, county of the City of Glasgow, North Britain, "An improved needle threader."

15830. FREDERICK WILLIAM JONES, Barwick, near Ware, Hertford, England, chemist, "Improvements connected with granulated gelatinized gunpowder and in the manufacture or treatment thereof."

15843. CHARLES SCHENCK BRADLEY, Avon, county of Livingston, New York, United States of America, electrical engineer, and CHARLES BORROWS JACOBS, East Orange, county of Essex, New Jersey, United States of America, chemist; "Improvements in the process for manufacturing barium oxide and sulphide."

16116. HUGH ACKLAND, Woorak, Victoria, blacksmith, "Improvements in ploughs and cultivators."

16195. HENRY CLAY FLETCHER, 110 and 112 Franklin-street, Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer, and SIDNEY HERBERT CORNISH, Empire Buildings, Collins-street, Melbourne aforesaid, stock and share broker, "Improved spring wire bedstead bottom, mattress, or seat."

16267. CLARENCE HERBERT SMITH, machinist, and GEORGE JAMES WILLIAM FREEMAN, farmer, both of Ardrossan, South Australia, "Improvements in implements for ploughing or cultivating and sowing seed and fertilizers."

16462. ILLIUS AUGUSTUS TIMMIS, 2 Great George-street, Westminster, S.W. London, England, civil engineer, "Improvements in the manufacture of food."

16494. HUGH JONWERTH ROBERTS, 44 Breeze Hill, Bootle, Liverpool, county of Lancaster, England, member of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, "Improvements in baling presses."

16523. WALTER CHAMBERLAIN PEACOCK, "W. C. Peacock and Brother," Sturt-street, South Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer, "Improved means for adjusting the spur gearing used for driving the beater drums of grain-stripping machines."

16527. AUGUST JULIUS METZLER, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney, New South Wales, brewer, "Improvements in the gelatinizing of brewing grain."

16794. CHARLES SCHENCK BRADLEY, Avon, county of Livingston, New York, United States of America, electrical engineer, and CHARLES BORROWS JACOBS, East Orange, county of Essex, New Jersey, United States of America, chemist, "Improvements in process of manufacturing oxides."

16795. CHARLES SCHENCK BRADLEY, Avon, county of Livingston, New York, United States of America, electrical engineer, and CHARLES BORROWS JACOBS, East Orange, county of Essex, New Jersey, United States of America, chemist, "Improvements in process of manufacturing benzene, anthracene, and other polymerized products of acetylene."

These accepted complete specifications are now open to public inspection at this office on payment of the prescribed fee.

Notice of opposition (if any) to the grant of Letters Patent herein must be duly given at this office within two months from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1899.

Patent Office,
Lonsdale-street west; Melbourne.

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Patents.

LETTERS PATENT SEALED.

21st December.

15695. Effront; 15733. Porter; 15786. Moss; 15809. Glover; 15836. Goodridge; 16156. Harper; 16178. Bell; 16184. Taylor; 16191. Renner and Boyens; 16342. Dowell.

TRADE MARKS.

APPLICATIONS.

The following Applications have been made for the registration of the undermentioned Trade Marks:—

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The device of a fish with the word "Chubb" thereon; and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, except so far as it consists of the address.

CLASS 13.

6238. Safes, Safe-locks; Strong-rooms, Strong-room Doors, and all Goods in this class. Chubb and Sons Lock and Safe Company Limited, of 123 Queen Victoria-street, London, England, lock and safe manufacturers. 17th November, 1899.



CLASS 1.

6246. Chemical substances used in manufactures, photography, and philosophical research, anti-corrosives and anti-foulers, including compositions for ships' bottoms. Suter Hartmann and Rahtjens Composition Co. Limited, of 18 Billiter-street, London, England, merchants and manufacturers. 28th November, 1899.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The combination of devices; and the proprietors disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, except in so far as it consists of their name and address.

CLASS 22.

6277. Bicycles and all other carriages in this class. The Lozier Manufacturing Company, of Toledo, county of Lucas, state of Ohio, United States of America. 15th December, 1899.



The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The combination of devices; and the proprietors disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 45.

6284. Tobacco, manufactured or unmanufactured, Cut Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff. The persons trading as "Moss, White, & Co.," of a Beckett-street, Melbourne, Victoria, tobacco manufacturers and importers, &c. 18th December, 1899.



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CLASS 50.

6288. Polishing preparations of all kinds. Frederick Schollenberger, of 293 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, Victoria, manufacturer. 21st December, 1899.

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CLASS 42.

6289. Preserved Fish. D. and J. Fowler Limited, of No. 6 East India-avenue, London, England. 21st December, 1899.

AUSONE

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The distinctive device formed of an oval line enclosing two curved lines which enclose the letter "T"; and the proprietors disclaim any right to the exclusive use of the added matter.

CLASS 38.

6290. Boots and Shoes. Alfred Lee and George Anthony Woodstock Kibble, trading as "Enoch Taylor and Company," of No. 22 York-street, Sydney, New South Wales. 22nd December, 1899.



CLASSES 6, 13, AND 18.

6291. Class 6. Electric Machines (not Philosophical or Medical) and parts thereof, not used for Agricultural or Horticultural purposes. 6292. Class 13. Electrical Fittings of Metal, Electric Lamps (ordinary), and other Metal Goods not included in other classes. 6293. Class 18. Electrical Apparatus, being Engineering, Architectural, and Building Contrivances included in this class, and Electric Bells. Veritys Limited, of 31 King-street, Convent Garden, London, England, electrical manufacturers, engineers, and contractors. 22nd December, 1899.

VERITAS

The essential particulars of the Trade Mark are the following:—The combination of devices and the company disclaims any right to the exclusive use of the added matter, save and except the name "Barrett's."

CLASS 42.

6294. Food for infants and invalids. Barrett's Food Proprietary Limited, of Stephenson-street, Richmond, Victoria. 22nd December, 1899.



CLASS 8.

6295. Cameras and other Photographic Apparatus. Kodak Limited, of 43 Clerkenwell-road, in the city of London, England; manufacturers. 22nd December, 1899.

KODAK.

CLASS 39.

6296. Photographic Paper. Kodak Limited, of 43 Clerkenwell-road, in the city of London, England, manufacturers. 22nd December, 1899.

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NOTE.—Any person who has grounds of objection to the registration of these Marks may, within one month of the date of this Gazette (or such further time, not exceeding three months, as the Commissioner may allow), give notice, in duplicate, at the Patent Office (Trade Marks Branch), in the Form H in the Third Schedule to the Rules under the Trade Marks Act 1890 (No. 2), of opposition to such registration.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1899.

Patent Office (Trade Marks Branch),
Lonsdale-street, Melbourne.

E. DE VERDON,
Commissioner of Trade Marks.

VITAL STATISTICS OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS (GREATER MELBOURNE),
NOVEMBER, 1899.

(Area of district, exclusive of water, 163,942 acres.)

RETURN for the month of November, 1899, showing the estimated population, also the numbers of registered births and deaths, and excess of the former over the latter, in the Statistical District of Greater Melbourne, embracing a radius of 10 miles, and divided into thirty-one sub-districts.

POPULATION, 1898; AND BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN GREATER MELBOURNE, REGISTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1899.

Sub-districts.	Estimated Population, 31st December, 1898.	Births.					Deaths.			Excess of Births over Deaths.*
		Including Twins and Illegitimate Children.			Cases of Twins.	Illegitimate Children.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	
		Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.						
Melbourne City—Bourke Ward ...	14,154	21	12	9	1	2	22	13	9	-1
" Gipps Ward ...	7,713	3	3	...	...	...	7	4	3	-4
" Lonsdale Ward ...	1,479	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	-2
" La Trobe Ward ...	4,174	1	...	1	...	...	5	2	3	-4
" Albert Ward ...	7,401	10	5	5	...	...	12	7	5	-2
" Smith Ward ...	15,863	11	6	5	...	3	24	10	14	-13
" Victoria Ward ...	19,257	37	21	16	1	1	36	17	19	1
North Melbourne Town ...	17,139	43	22	21	...	...	26	19	7	17
Fitzroy City ...	23,689	58	28	30	1	6	42	20	22	16
Collingwood City ...	32,479	70	35	35	2	4	52	26	26	18
Richmond City ...	34,485	77	44	33	1	3	54	27	27	23
Brunswick Town ...	22,759	55	32	23	1	2	34	13	21	21
Northcote Town ...	7,833	18	11	7	...	...	12	4	8	6
Prahran City ...	36,500	69	36	33	...	7	40	17	23	29
South Melbourne City ...	38,405	82	34	48	1	4	44	19	25	38
Port Melbourne Borough ...	10,956	33	14	19	2	3	17	13	4	16
St. Kilda City ...	19,785	31	20	11	...	...	25	10	15	6
Brighton Town ...	9,711	15	9	6	...	...	12	4	8	3
Essendon Town ...	15,200	36	26	10	1	...	17	13	4	19
Flemington and Kensington Borough	10,501	21	6	15	...	1	7	2	5	14
Hawthorn City ...	20,006	33	14	19	...	1	31	12	19	2
Kew Borough ...	7,638	15	8	7	...	...	4	1	3	11
Footscray City ...	16,922	42	18	24	1	2	18	7	11	24
Williamstown Town ...	13,449	26	15	11	...	...	28	12	16	-2
Oakleigh Borough ...	1,310	5	2	3	...	...	2	2	...	3
Caulfield Shire ...	9,446	13	7	6	...	...	7	5	...	6
Malvern Shire ...	9,939	20	9	11	...	...	9	4	5	11
Boroondara Shire ...	7,350	12	6	6	...	...	5	5	...	7
Preston Shire ...	3,020	16	9	7	...	1	9	4	5	7
Coburg Shire ...	6,200	11	6	6	...	...	8	4	4	3
Remainder of District (84,135 acres)	12,716	34	25	9	1	...	17	5	12	17
Hospitals, Asylums, &c.†	4,396	76§	37	39	...	37	182	112	70	-106
Shipping in Hobson's Bay and River	1,965‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	469,880	994	508	486	13	79	810	415	395	184
Daily average ...	...	33.13	16.03	16.20	.43	2.63	27.00	13.83	13.17	6.13

* In cases where the minus sign (-) is prefixed to any number it implies that the deaths exceeded the births by that number.
 † Including the Melbourne, Alfred, St. Vincent's, Women's, Children's, Homeopathic, and Austin Hospitals, the Metropolitan and Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylums, the Immigrants' Home, the Benevolent Asylum, the Infant Asylum, and the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor.
 ‡ Census figures.
 § Includes one case of triplets.

The births and deaths in Greater Melbourne, together with the mean temperature in the shade, the mean atmospheric pressure, and the amount of rainfall, during the month of November of each of the ten years 1889-98, were as follow:—

Year	Births Number.	Deaths Number.	Mean Temperature °	Mean Height of Barometer. Inches.	Rainfall. Inches.
1889	1,300	925	61.8	29.844	4.27
1890	1,249	581	58.7	29.861	4.88
1891	1,396	810	59.8	29.945	1.98
1892	1,386	543	61.8	29.840	2.74
1893	1,156	561	60.1	29.833	2.37
1894	1,177	507	62.2	29.899	.79
1895	1,063	557	61.4	29.984	.25
1896	995	590	63.1	29.983	.71
1897	950	541	62.8	29.868	.83
1898	978	676	59.9	29.694	.67
Mean of ten years ...	1,165	629	61.2	29.875	1.95

The births of 994 children, viz., 508 boys and 486 girls, were registered in Greater Melbourne during the month of November. The number was, it will be observed, 16 more than in November, 1898, and 44 more than in November, 1897, but were fewer than in any other of the previous ten years. The number was, moreover, 171 below the average of the month during the previous ten years, or 194 below it if allowance be made for the increase of population.

The deaths recorded in November numbered 810, viz., 415 of males and 395 of females; the births thus exceeded the deaths by 184, or by only 23 per cent., as against 45 per cent. in November, 1898, and 85 per cent. according to the average. The number, it will be noticed, exceeded that in November, 1898, by 134, and was far larger than that recorded for the month during any of the previous ten years, except 1889 and 1891—in the latter of which the number was equal; and was 181 above the average of November during the last ten years, or 169 above it, allowing for the increase of population.

To every 1,000 of the population of the district the proportion of births registered was equivalent to 25.74 and of deaths registered to 20.97 per annum, as compared with averages of the same month in 1898 of 25.95 and 17.91 respectively, and during the last ten years of 30.73 and 16.50 respectively, and averages of the whole year of 32.45 and 17.58.

The highest temperature in the shade recorded at Melbourne Observatory during the month was 88.6° on the 1st, and the lowest was 42.8° on the 16th. The mean temperature of the month (60.1°) was 1.1° below the average. The greatest range of the thermometer in any one day (37.8°) took place on the 1st, and the least range (6.3°) on the 2nd. The mean daily range was 19.4°. The highest atmospheric pressure recorded was 30.088 inches on the 2nd, and the lowest was 29.418 inches on the 7th. The mean atmospheric pressure (29.778 inches) was nearly one-tenth of an inch below the average.

Rain fell on eleven days, the amount being 2.02 inches, which was higher than in any corresponding month during the previous ten years, except 1889, 1890, 1892, and 1893, and .07 of an inch above the average during that period. The mean humidity of the month was .69.

Males contributed 51 per cent. and females 49 per cent. to the mortality of the month. Children under five years of age contributed 26 per cent. to that mortality, as against 38 per cent. in November, 1898; 32 per cent. in November, 1897; 36 per cent. in November, 1896; 33 per cent. in November, 1895; 33 per cent. in November, 1894; and 38 per cent. in November, 1893.

The deaths of infants under twelve months numbered 173, as compared with 203 in November, 1898. The rate of infantile mortality was 174 per 1,000 births registered in the month under review, as compared with 208 in November, 1898; 134 in November, 1897; 160 in November, 1896; 127 in November, 1895; 115 in November, 1894; 147 in November, 1893; 112 in November, 1892; 183 in November, 1891; 119 in November, 1890; and 309 in November, 1889.

Eighty-six persons—*as against 67 in November, 1898*—whose deaths were recorded during the month had attained or passed the age of 75 years. Of these, two labourers, a seaman, and a female, each aged 75, died of influenza; a mariner, aged 75, of cancer; two females, both aged 75, of cerebral hemorrhage and hemiplegia respectively; two females, both aged 75, of valvular disease of the heart; a pensioner and a labourer, both aged 75, of bronchitis; a male, of no occupation, and three females, each aged 76, of influenza; a florist, aged 76, of syncope; a pensioner, aged 76, of heart disease; a gentleman and a female, both aged 76, of bronchitis; a gentleman and a gardener, both aged 77, of influenza; a female, aged 77, of cancer; a painter, aged 77, of phthisis; a female, aged 77, of apoplexy; a locksmith, aged 77, of paralysis; a labourer, aged 77, of uræmia; a female, aged 77, of dislocation of the shoulder, caused by a fall; a male, of no occupation, aged 78, of influenza; a female, aged 78, of cerebral hemorrhage; a station manager, aged 78, of spinal disease; a gardener, aged 78, of syncope; a contractor, aged 78, of cystitis; two females, both aged 79, of influenza; a gentleman, aged 79, of mitral regurgitation; a dealer and a female, both aged 79, of heart disease; a gentleman, a teacher of dancing, a bootmaker, and a female, each aged 80, of influenza; two gardeners, both aged 80, of bronchitis and pneumonia respectively; a labourer, aged 80, of dyspepsia; an auctioneer, aged 80, of enteritis; a male, of no occupation, aged 80, was "found drowned"; a gentleman, a shop assistant, a seaman, and two females, each aged 81, of influenza; a female, aged 81, of diarrhoea; two females, both aged 81, of apoplexy; a quarryman, aged 81, of asthma; a female, aged 81, of pneumonia; a saddler and two females, each aged 82, of influenza; a female, aged 82, of diarrhoea; a draper and a female, both aged 82, of heart disease; a farmer and a female, both aged 83, of influenza; a female, aged 83, of pneumonia; two labourers and a female, each aged 84, of influenza, apoplexy, and insanity respectively; a female, aged 85, of asthma; a gentleman, aged 85, of nephritis; a female, aged 86, of syncope; another, aged 87, of influenza; a plumber, aged 87, of syncope; a female, aged 88, of bronchitis; a seaman, aged 90, of influenza; a female, aged 90, of cancer; another, aged 95, of pneumonia; a minor, aged 98, of peritonitis; a female, aged 99, of syncope; a gardener, aged 75, a female, aged 77, a clerk and a female, both aged 83, and three females, aged 87, 88, and 91 respectively, of old age.

Thirty-four of the deaths recorded during the month—*as compared with 24 in November, 1898*—were from external causes, of which 28 were set down to accident, 1 to homicide, and 5 to suicide. The following are the particulars of the accidental deaths:—A female, aged 64, was passed over by a railway train; a labourer, aged 40, by a dray; a labourer, aged 23, died of fracture of the skull, caused by the kick of a horse; a farmer, aged 49, of injuries, resulting from a fall from a horse; a female, aged 30, of dislocation of the neck, through falling out of a van; a groom, aged 38, of fracture of the skull, and a female, aged 77, of dislocation of shoulder, the result of falls; a female, aged 35, of gunshot wounds; two female children, aged 4 and 9 respectively, of burns; a boy, aged 4, and a female, aged 44, of scalds; a boy, aged 12, a female, aged 30, a solicitor, aged 32, a bank clerk, aged 35, a hawker, aged 36, a male of occupation unknown, aged 40, a blacksmith, aged 42, a carter, aged 45, and a printer, aged 55, were "found drowned" in the River Yarra; a male of no occupation, aged 80, in a well at East Brighton; a female infant, aged 11 days, and two male infants, aged 3 and 7 weeks, were overlain; a wood and coal merchant, aged 53, was suffocated in a conservatory heated by hot-water pipes (probably carbonic acid gas); and two new-born male infants died of umbilical hemorrhage. The homicidal death was that of a female, aged 26, who died of blood poisoning, the result of injuries inflicted by her husband—a verdict of manslaughter being returned. The suicidal deaths were those of a bank teller, aged 35, and a theatrical manager, aged 69, who shot themselves; a bootmaker, aged 39, a commission agent, aged 71, and a female, aged 36, who cut their throats.

One hundred and eighty-six deaths, or 23 per cent. of the whole, took place in public institutions, viz.—78 in the Melbourne, 27 in the Alfred, 6 in St. Vincent's, 2 in the Women's, 8 in the Children's, 10 in the Homeopathic, and 5 in the Austin Hospitals; 8 each in the Metropolitan and Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylums; 4 in the Immigrants' Home; 19 in the Benevolent Asylum; 7 in the Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor, 1 in the Protestant Refuge, 1 in the Eye and Ear Hospital, and 2 in the Melbourne Gaol.

The deaths of children under five years of age numbered 214, of which 112, or 52 per cent., were of males, and 102, or 48 per cent., were of females. Of those who died, 173 were under one year of age, 21 were between one and two, 11 were between two and three, 2 were between three and four, and 7 were between four and five.

The persons who died at a more advanced age than five years numbered 596. Of these 303, or 51 per cent., were males, and 293, or 49 per cent., were females; 16 were between five and ten, 10 were between ten and fifteen, 20 were between fifteen and twenty, 14 were between twenty and twenty-five, 26 were between twenty-five and thirty, 41 were between thirty and thirty-five, 52 were between thirty-five and forty, 47 were between forty and forty-five, 35 were between forty-five and fifty, 42 were between fifty and fifty-five, 28 were between fifty-five and sixty, 52 were between sixty and sixty-five, 68 were between sixty-five and seventy, 59 were between seventy and seventy-five, 39 were between seventy-five and eighty, 33 were between eighty and eighty-five, 8 were between eighty-five and ninety, 3 were between ninety and ninety-five, and 3 were between ninety-five and a hundred.

The following table shows the causes of death of persons of both sexes under and over five years of age, and the proportions per cent. of deaths from each cause, in Greater Melbourne during the month under review:—

CAUSES OF DEATH IN GREATER MELBOURNE, NOVEMBER, 1899.

Classes.	Cause of Death.	Number of Deaths.				Total.	Proportions per cent.
		Males.		Females.			
		Under Five Years.	Over Five Years.	Under Five Years.	Over Five Years.		
I.	Specific febrile or zymotic diseases ...	9	71	22	82	184	22.71
II.	Parasitic diseases ...	...	1	...	1	2	.25
IV.	Constitutional diseases ...	8	54	3	53	118	14.57
V.	Developmental diseases ...	14	5	10	7	36	4.44
VI.	Local diseases ...	56	154	52	139	401	49.51
VII.	Violence ...	20	18	2	9	34	4.20
VIII.	Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	20	...	13	2	35	4.32
	All causes ...	112	303	102	293	810	100.00

CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES, 184 (81).
 Sub-class 1. *Miasmatic diseases*.—Influenza, 152 (5); whooping-cough, 2 (14); diphtheria, 1 (10); typhoid fever, 1 (5).
 " 2. *Diarrhoeal diseases* (30).—Diarrhoea, 14; dysentery, 2.
 " 5. *Veneral diseases*.—Syphilis, 4; gonorrhoea, 1.
 " 6. *Septic diseases*.—Erysipelas, 1; pyæmia, septicæmia, 3; puerperal fever, 3.
 CLASS II.—PARASITIC DISEASES, 2 (2).
 Hydatids, 2.
 CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES, 118 (131).
 Rheumatism, 3; gout, 1; rickets, 1; cancer, malignant disease, 29 (37); tabes mesenterica, 2; tubercular meningitis (acute hydrocephalus), 4; phthisis, 66 (63); other forms of tuberculosis, scrofula, &c., 9 (13); purpura, 1; diabetes mellitus, 2.
 CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES, 36 (36).
 Premature birth, 18 (10); atelectasis, 2; cyanosis, 1; imperforate anus, 2; other congenital defects, 1; old age, 12 (23), at the following ages:—65, 67, 71, 74, 74, 75, 77, 83, 83, 87, 88, and 91.
 CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES, 401 (373).
 Sub-class 1. *Diseases of the nervous system*, 76 (61).—Inflammation of brain or its membranes, 4; apoplexy, 26 (19); softening of brain, 4; hemiplegia, 5; paralysis, 3; insanity (general paralysis of insane), 13; convulsions, 9; paraplegia, diseases of spinal cord, 3; others, 9.
 " 3. *Diseases of the circulatory system*, 53 (57).—Endocarditis, valvular disease, 14 (18); pericarditis, 1 (5); angina pectoris, 1; syncope, 12 (6); aneurism, 3; thrombosis, 1; heart disease (undefined), 21 (20).

CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES—continued.
 Sub-class 4. *Diseases of the respiratory system*, 120 (81).—Croup, 1; asthma, emphysema, 9 (4); bronchitis, 28 (11); pneumonia, 73 (45); congestion of lungs, 2; pleurisy, 5; others, 2.
 " 5. *Diseases of the digestive system*, 105 (144).—Dyspepsia, 1; diseases of stomach, 10; enteritis, 69 (99); ulceration of intestines, 6; obstruction of intestine, 1; intussusception of intestine, 1; hernia, 2; fistula, 1; peritonitis, 6 (1); ascites, 1; cirrhosis of liver, 3 (8); other diseases of liver, 3 (8); others, 1.
 " 7. *Diseases of the urinary system*, 38 (19).—Nephritis, 12 (7); Bright's disease, 13 (6); uræmia, 6; calculus, 2; diseases of bladder and of prostate, 3; others, 2.
 " 9. *Diseases of parturition*, 7 (4).—Abortion, 3; placenta previa, 1; other accidents of childbirth, 3.
 " 10. *Diseases of the organs of locomotion*, 1 (1).—Arthritis, 1.
 " 11. *Diseases of the integumentary system*, 1 (nil).—Pomphigus, 1.
 CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE, 34 (24).
 Sub-class 1. *Accident or negligence*.—Fractures, contusions, 7; gunshot wounds, 1; burn, scald, 4; drowning, 10; suffocation, 4; umbilical hemorrhage, 2.
 " 2. *Homicide*.—Manlaughter, 1.
 " 3. *Suicide*.—Gunshot wounds, 2; cut, 3.
 CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES, 35 (25).
 Dropsy, 1; debility, atrophy, inanition, 33 (21); abscess, 1.
 N.B.—The figures in parentheses represent the numbers in the corresponding month of the preceding year.

In the month under review, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year, deaths from zymotic diseases increased by 103, those from local diseases by 28, from violence by 10, and from ill-defined causes also by 10; but those from constitutional diseases fell off by 13. Influenza, which has been so fatal in the last two months, more than accounts for the increased mortality under zymotic diseases, as well as under all causes, having caused 152 deaths as against only 5 in November, 1898; but, on the other hand, there was a marked decrease under other diseases of the zymotic type, deaths from whooping-cough having fallen from 14 to 2, diphtheria from 10 to 1, typhoid fever from 5 to 1, and diarrhoeal diseases from 30 to 16. In the local class, the most important increases were from 81 to 120 under diseases of the respiratory system (chiefly bronchitis and pneumonia), and from 19 to 38 under those of the urinary system; whereas the principal decrease was from 144 to 105 under diseases of the digestive system, more especially enteritis. In the constitutional class, deaths from cancer fell off from 37 to 29; and in the developmental class an increase of 8 under premature birth was more than counterbalanced by a decrease of 11 under "old age," the old people having been carried off by influenza instead. Deaths of child-bearing women showed an increase from 6 to 10.

Influenza seems to have first appeared in an endemic form in Melbourne in April, 1890 (when 30 deaths occurred). Prior to that period the average annual number of deaths from the disease was only 7, and the highest ever recorded was 15; but, since 1889, the number was once as high as 406, viz., in 1891, and varied in the eight other years ended with 1898 from a minimum of 34 to a maximum of 134, and averaged 69. The largest number ever recorded in one month was 233, viz., in October, 1891, the next largest being in the month under review, and the next in October, 1899, and November, 1891—when 91 and 90 deaths respectively occurred. As a rule the principal epidemics appeared in the spring season of the year (September to November). The number of deaths from influenza in each month during the ten years ended with 1899 is shown in the following table:—

DEATHS FROM INFLUENZA DURING EACH MONTH FROM 1890 TO NOVEMBER, 1899.

Month.	Year.									
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.
January	...	...	5	8	4	1	3	2	7	3
February	...	1	4	4	1	2	1	4	2	4
March	...	...	2	3	1	5	1	4	6	2
April	30	...	6	6	1	1	4	1	5	7
May	14	2	1	3	4	3	7	11	8	5
June	2	2	3	2	...	6	13	15	14	8
July	2	1	3	2	1	7	6	7	20	5
August	...	3	2	1	9	10	7	7	9	11
September	...	90	1	8	16	26	3	4	5	10
October	1	233	1	20	13	33	2	5	6	91
November	...	58	2	9	3	28	1	2	5	152
December	...	16	4	3	2	12	1	3	4	...
Total	57	406	34	69	55	134	49	65	91	...

NOTE.—Prior to 1890 the maximum number recorded in any one month was 15.

Of the deaths from the recent epidemic, 23 occurred in Public Institutions, viz.:—14 in the Benevolent Asylum, 2 each in the Alfred and Melbourne Hospitals, and 1 each in the Homoeopathic and St. Vincent's Hospitals, Immigrants' Home, Convent of the Little Sisters of the Poor, and Melbourne Gaol; 13 in the City of Melbourne, (including 6 in Carlton), 13 in Richmond, 10 each in South Melbourne and Hawthorn, 9 each in Fitzroy and Brunswick, 8 in St. Kilda, 7 each in Prahran, Essendon, and Remainder of District, 6 in North Melbourne, 5 in Collingwood, and 4 each in Brighton and Williamstown. On the other hand, no deaths occurred in Flemington and Kensington; but from 1 to 3 in each of the other Sub-Districts. The epidemic was especially fatal to elderly people, the great majority of those who died being over 60. Only 6 deaths occurred between the ages of 15 and 30, and 52 between 30 and 60, although the number of persons affected with the disease at those ages must have been very numerous. The ages of the victims are shown by the following figures:—

AGES AT DEATH FROM INFLUENZA, NOVEMBER, 1899.

	Males.		Females.	

Under 15 years	7	10
15 to 30	3	3
30 to 45	13	16
45 to 60	9	14
60 to 75	25	22
75 and upwards*	17	13
			74	78

* Of these 10 males and 7 females were aged 80 or upwards.

The following is a statement of the deaths set down to diphtheria and typhoid fever in each month of the years 1890 to 1898, and the first eleven months of 1899, from which may be traced the rise and fall of the mortality at various periods of the year. It will be noticed that the mortality from typhoid fever usually attains its maximum in March, and is at a minimum from July to November. It will also be noticed that the mortality from diphtheria during the last eleven months, and from typhoid fever in the last seven months, was below the average.

DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA AND TYPHOID FEVER IN EACH MONTH, 1890 TO NOVEMBER, 1899.

Month.	Deaths from Diphtheria.*										Deaths from Typhoid Fever.									
	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1890.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.
January	27	8	6	6	1	2	2	5	5	1	78	25	16	13	13	25	28	25	88	22
February	48	10	13	1	5	8	1	6	17	4	73	32	23	19	22	30	27	21	64	25
March	66	22	10	2	7	6	7	8	20	7	89	36	39	21	31	19	25	19	41	32
April	60	15	6	3	5	5	11	18	18	2	63	30	28	21	24	20	30	15	36	29
May	47	24	15	2	4	5	11	22	12	7	36	20	9	11	22	13	10	10	35	16
June	55	18	15	1	6	2	6	28	12	6	20	11	12	17	6	3	6	7	9	9
July	49	11	6	3	4	4	8	11	12	9	12	10	8	3	6	3	5	4	nil	1
August	25	16	4	1	4	4	18	12	8	7	5	2	6	2	4	5	2	2	5	1
September	30	16	7	9	5	2	11	14	7	2	3	6	1	2	4	2	1	nil	2	nil
October	22	9	9	4	3	8	10	12	7	6	7	nil	5	nil	1	nil	nil	1	5	1
November	23	13	6	nil	2	8	8	4	10	1	4	3	3	2	6	1	5	3	5	1
December	18	10	3	3	5	3	5	11	5	...	13	17	4	9	16	20	10	14	12	...
Total	470	172	100	35	51	57	68	151	128	...	403	192	154	120	155	142	149	121	222	...

* Inclusive of diphtheritic croup.

JAMES J. FENTON,
Assistant Government Statist.

December 29, 1899.

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CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900.)

Serial No.	Purpose, No. of Tenders, and Particulars of Contract.	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorized according to Regulations on the date stated.
GENERAL STORES—					
Supply of Leather Work and Saddlery Stores for Defence Department, as per Schedule No. 44—					
1571	Leather Work and Saddlery Stores—Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21	Rates as per annex	W. H. Hunter ...	Contingencies, 1899-1900	Wm. Shiels. 18.12.99.
1572	Leather Work and Saddlery Stores—Items 5, 7, 8, 12, 13, 17, and 18	Ditto ...	David Altson ...	Ditto ...	
1573	Leather Work and Saddlery Stores—Items 10 and 16	Ditto ...	W. Allamby ...	Ditto ...	
1574	Leather Work and Saddlery Stores—Miscellaneous Items—Items 23, 27, 28, 31, and 32	Ditto ...	Daniel White and Co. Limited	Ditto ...	
1575	Leather Work and Saddlery Stores—Miscellaneous Items—Item No. 30	Ditto ...	Barnet Glass and Sons	Ditto ...	

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Leather Work and Saddlery Stores, for Defence Department.

ANNEX TO CONTRACTS Nos. 99/1571 TO 1575.

- 99/1571. W. H. Hunter. Deposit, £30.
- 99/1572. David Altson. Deposit, £16.
- 99/1573. W. Allamby. Deposit, £1.
- 99/1574. Daniel White and Co. Ld. Deposit, £3.
- 99/1575. Barnet Glass and Sons. Deposit, £6.

The supplies shall be subject to the approval of the Controller of Naval and Military Stores. Delivery to be made at the Ordnance Stores, Barracks, St. Kilda-road.

All articles must be strictly in accordance with samples at the Ordnance Stores.

All leather to be of the very best quality of its sort, and all stitching to be done by hand.

As regards goods of Victorian manufacture, no subletting will be allowed; all work must be carried out in the factory of the contractor; the hours of employment of any person engaged in the manufacture of Leather Work, Saddlery Stores, &c., tendered for in this schedule shall not exceed 48 per week; and every such person shall be paid at the minimum wage usually paid to skilled workers in the trades to which the various articles respectively belong; and a copy of these conditions shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted, in legible Roman characters, in the factory (and in each part of the factory where several rooms are in use) in which the goods are prepared or manufactured. Any infringement of these conditions, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money; and the Treasurer's decision will be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

Item.	Description.	Quantity required.	Rate.	Contractors.
<i>Leather Work and Saddlery Stores.</i>				
1	Bandoliers ... each	3	£ s. d. 1 0 0	W. H. Hunter
2	Belts, pouches, &c., V.E., complete ... per set	120 sets	0 17 9	
3	" Sam Browne ... each	18	1 12 0	
4	" waist, with frogs, V.M.R. pattern ... "	119	0 3 0	
5	Bridles—universal, complete ... "	2	1 5 0	David Altson
6	Buckets—water, leather ... "	12	0 14 0	W. H. Hunter
7	" rifle ... "	118	0 6 6	David Altson
8	Harness—double ... per set	6 sets	13 10 0	W. H. Hunter
9	Headstalls ... each	30	0 7 0	W. Allamby
10	Knots—sword, brown ... "	5	0 2 0	Purchase
11	Nets—forage ... "	158	0 5 0	
12	Reins—bridle ... per set	25 sets	0 10 0	David Altson
13	Ropes—drag, light ... each	12	0 2 0	W. H. Hunter
14	" head ... "	158	0 4 0	
15	" heel ... "	159	0 3 0	
16	" looped ... "	80	6 14 0	W. Allamby
17	Saddles—riding, universal ... "	2	0 1 3 0	David Altson
18	Slings—rifle ... "	248	0 0 7	W. H. Hunter
19	Straps—peg ... "	255	0 0 1	
20	Ties—leather ... "	72	0 9 9	Purchase
21	Wallets—with straps, complete ... per pair	127 pairs	0 1 0 0	
<i>Miscellaneous Articles.</i>				
22	Bags—ammunition ... each	4	1 0 0	Daniel White and Co. Ld.
23	Jacks—lifting ... "	6	1 5 0	
24	Lamps—signalling, with tripods ... "	2	0 3 0	Purchase
25	" veterinary ... "	1	0 1 0	
26	" waggon ... "	6	1 5 0	Daniel White and Co. Ld.
27	Pins—linch ... "	12	0 4 9	
28	Fots—cooking ... per set	2 sets	0 3 0	Purchase
29	Sheets—ground, waterproof ... each	256	0 3 0	
30	Washers—drag ... "	12	11 0 0	Barnet Glass and Sons
31	Wheels ... per set of 4	2 sets	11 0 0	Daniel White and Co. Ld.

Approved—WM. SHIELDS, Treasurer. 18.12.99.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900.)

Serial No.	Purpose, No. of Tenders, and Particulars of Contract.	Rate per ton of 2,240 lbs.		Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorized according to Regulations on the date stated.
		Goods generally. £ s. d.	Furniture. £ s. d.			
1576	CARTAGE— Cartage and delivery of goods and furniture as may be required, from 1st January, 1900, to 31st December, 1900, to and from the undermentioned places:— From Blanket Bay to Cape Otway Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 17 6	0 17 6	R. H. Robinson, Cape Otway	Contingencies, 1899-1900, 1900-1901	Wm. Shiels. 11.12.99.
1577	From Dromana Pier to Cape Schanck Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 13 0	0 13 0	William Hopley, Rosebud		
1578	From Dromana Pier to South Channel Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 3 3	0 3 3	Robert Cairns, Rosebud		
1579	From Portland Railway Station or Pier to Cape Nelson Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 7 6	0 7 6	W. Pitts & Sons, Portland		
1580	From Queenscliff Piers or Railway Station to Queenscliff Light-houses, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 1 6	0 1 6	E. Werry, Queenscliff ...		
1581	From Queenscliff Piers or Railway Station to Point Lonsdale Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	0 4 0	0 4 0	E. Werry, Queenscliff ...		
1582	From Winchelsea Railway Station to Split Point Light-house, and <i>vice versa</i>	1 7 6 Anything under ½ ton 15s.	1 7 6 Anything under ½ ton 15s.	James Hasty, Airey's Inlet		

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CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900 and 1900-1.)

No. of Contract.	Security.	Particulars of each Tender Accepted.	Rate per ton.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
	£	FUEL— Supply of House Coal, Smiths' Coal, Steam Coal, and Coke, Victorian (except where otherwise specified), in such quantities as may be ordered, from 1st January, 1900, to 31st December, 1900:— HOUSE COAL. (Screened, per ton of 2,240 lbs.)	£ s. d.		
1583.	100	Melbourne District, except Coburg and the Yarra Bend and Kew Lunatic Asylums	0 17 0	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, City	Contingencies, 1899-1900, 1900-1.
1584	30	Coburg, including Pentridge Gaol and Female Penitentiary, &c.	0 17 0		
1585	5	Williamstown	0 18 6		
1586	150	Yarra Bend and Kew Lunatic Asylums ...	0 17 0		
1587	10	Ballarat Lunatic Asylum	1 1 0		
1588	5	Geelong, including Newtown-cum-Chilwell ...	1 1 0		
1589	30	Sunbury—The Lunatic Asylum	0 18 9		
1590	5	Point Nepean—Defence—The Point Nepean Jetty	1 2 9		
1591	5	Franklin—Defence—The Portsea Jetty ...	1 1 6		
1592	20	Queenscliff—Defence	0 19 0		
1593	10	Swan Island—Defence	1 1 6		
1594	5	South Channel—Defence—The South Channel Jetty	1 2 9		
1595	5	SMITHS' COAL. (Screened, per ton of 2,240 lbs.) Melbourne, including Yarra River improvements and Prince's Reef works	0 12 6		
1596	5	Coburg—The Penal Establishment	0 12 9		
1597	5	Williamstown—The Dock-yard	0 13 0		
1598	5	Williamstown—The Torpedo Depot (imported)	0 17 6		
1599	2	Bairnsdale	1 2 6		
1600	2	Geelong	0 16 6		
1601	2	Port Fairy	0 18 6		
1602	2	Sale	1 1 1		
1603	2	Swan Island	0 16 6		
1604	5	COKE. Coburg—The Penal Establishment	1 4 0		
1605	2	Williamstown—The Dock-yard	1 4 0		

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1890-1900 and 1900-1)—continued.

No. of Contract.	Security.	Particulars of each Tender Accepted.	Rate per ton.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
	£	FUEL—continued—	£ s. d.		
		STREAM COAL.			
1606	30	Hobson's Bay—For tug boats, launches, &c., at their moorings (except for s.s. <i>Lady Loch</i> , vessels of the navy, and for dredges)	0 18 6	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	Contingencies, 1899-1900, 1900-1.
1607	60	Hobson's Bay—For s.s. <i>Lady Loch</i> , at her moorings	0 17 6	The Jumbunna Coal Mine No Liability, 60 and 70 Queen-street, Melbourne	
1608	60	Hobson's Bay (imported coal)—For the <i>Cerberus</i> and other vessels in the Victorian naval service, at their moorings	0 17 9	James Paterson and Co., 441 Collins-street, Melbourne	
1609	80	Melbourne—For General Post Office, Electric Lighting Parliament Houses, &c.	0 16 3	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	
1610	40	Melbourne—For Pumping Plant, Dight's Falls	0 17 0		
1611	20	Melbourne—For Yarra River and Prince's Reef works	0 16 6		
1612	50	Coburg—For the Penal Establishment	0 16 0	The Jumbunna Coal Mine No Liability, 60 and 70 Queen-street, Melbourne	
1613	40	Williamstown—For the Dock-yard, at the Dock-yard coal store or at the Dock-yard wharf, as required	0 17 6		
1614	10	Williamstown—For Defence, at the Torpedo Depot	0 18 0	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	
1615	10	Williamstown—For Defence, at the Torpedo Depot (imported)	1 0 6	The Melbourne Steam-ship Co. Ltd., 25 King-street, Melbourne	
1616	5	Point Nepean—For Quarantine Station, at the Portsea or Quarantine Jetty	1 1 9	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	
1617	20	Swan Island—For Defence, at the Swan Island Jetty	1 1 9		
1618	5	Swan Island—For Defence (imported coal), at the Swan Island Jetty	1 5 6	Huddart, Parker, and Co. Proprietary Limited, 525 Collins-street	
1619	5	Snake Island—For steam launch at Pilot Station	1 10 0	The Coal Creek Co. Proprietary Limited, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	
		Steam Coal—Dredges, &c., at—			
1620	20	Melbourne	0 16 6	The Coal Creek Proprietary Co. No Liability, 312 Flinders-street, Melbourne	
1621	20	Williamstown	0 19 3		
1622	10	Port Fairy	1 3 0		
1623	10	Portland	1 4 6		
1624	20	Bairnsdale	1 7 0		
1625	10	Sale	1 5 0		
1626	60	Geelong	0 19 9		
1627	10	Port Albert	0 19 6		
1628	10	Queenscliff and Swan Bay	0 19 9		
1629	10	Warrnambool	1 3 0		

Approved—WM. SHIELDS, Treasurer. 19.12.99.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900 and 1900-1.)

No. of Contract.	Security.	Particulars of each Tender Accepted.	Rate per ton.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
	£	FUEL—	£ s. d.		
		Supply of Firewood, in the Metropolitan District, in such quantities as may be ordered, from 1st January, 1900, to the 31st December, 1900—			
		FIREWOOD.			
		(In 1 and 2 foot billets, 40 cubic feet measurement, or 2,240 lbs. weight, per ton), to be placed in stacks 5 feet high—			
		Melbourne District, excepting Coburg, the Yarra Bend and Kew Lunatic Asylums—			Contingencies, 1899-1900, 1900-1.
1630	50	{ Redgum or Box, or both mixed, as ordered, in 2-ft. billets	0 8 9	Wm. Tregear, Arden-street wood siding, North Melbourne	
		{ *Mixed woods, as allowed by conditions, in 2-ft. billets, White Gum and Peppermint	0 6 9		
1631	30	Melbourne District, excepting Coburg, the Yarra Bend and Kew Lunatic Asylums—Redgum or Box, or both mixed, as ordered, in 1-ft. billets	0 10 0	Wm. Tregear, Arden-street wood siding, North Melbourne	
1632	10	Coburg—The Penal Establishment—Redgum or Box, or both mixed, as ordered, in 2-ft. billets	0 8 6	Wm. Tregear, Arden-street wood siding, North Melbourne	
1633	20	*Yarra Bend—The Lunatic Asylum—Redgum, in 1-ft. billets	0 9 6		
1634	5	*Williamstown District—Box, 2-ft. billets	0 11 6	Henry Clark, 76 Berry-street, Clifton Hill	
		White Gum, 2-ft. billets	0 7 6			Robert L. Doig, Nelson-place, Williamstown

Approved—WM. SHIELDS, Treasurer. 19.12.99.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED FOR FIREWOOD, CENTRAL TOWNS, FOR 1900—(Series 1899-1900 and 1900-1.)

No. of Contract.	Security.	Particulars.	Kind of Firewood.	Amount— Rate per ton.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.
	£	FUEL—		£ s. d.		
		Supply of Firewood, in such quantities as may be ordered at the undermentioned places, from 1st January, 1900, to 31st December, 1900—				
1635	30.	Ararat— For the various Government Offices, including the Lunatic Asylum, in 2-ft. billets	Gum and Box ...	0 4 0½	Joseph Clark, Ararat ...	
1636	10	For the Lunatic Asylum only, in 5-ft. lengths	Gum and Box ...	0 2 7½	John Ronchi, Ararat ...	
1637	10	Ballarat— For the various Government Offices, excepting Lunatic Asylum and Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	Messmate, Peppermint, and Gum	0 5 11	Cleghorn Bros., Lydiard-street, Ballarat	
1638	20	For the Lunatic Asylum only, 2-ft. billets	Messmate, Peppermint, and Gum	0 6 0	Smith Bros., Carngham ...	
1639	8	For the Gaol only, 4½-ft. lengths	Messmate, Peppermint, and Gum	0 5 11	Cleghorn Bros., Ballarat ...	
1640	20	Beechworth— For Lunatic Asylum and the various Government Offices, excepting the Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	Peppermint and White Gum	0 3 8	John Shennan, Silver Creek, Beechworth	
1641	10	For the Gaol and Lunatic Asylum, in 4½-ft. lengths	Gum and Peppermint ...	0 3 0	Wm. Counsell, Silver Creek, Beechworth	
1642	5	Charcoal (in bags) for Lunatic Asylum and Gaol	...	4s. per cwt.	Walter J. Edwards, Beechworth	
1643	10	Bendigo— For the various Government Offices, excepting the Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	Box and Gum ...	0 7 11	Joseph Dowd, McIvor-street, Bendigo	
1644	7	For the Gaol, in 5-ft. lengths	Box and Gum ...	0 5 9	Joseph Dowd, McIvor-street, Bendigo	
1645	5	Castlemaine— For the various Government Offices, excepting the Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	Box and Gum ...	0 6 0	John Reilly, Woodbrook ...	
1646	7	For the Gaol, in 4½-ft. lengths	Box and Gum ...	0 6 0	John Reilly, Woodbrook ...	
1647	7	Geelong, including Newtown-cum-Chilwell— For the various Government Offices, excepting the Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	White Gum ...	0 5 7	Wm. Simmons, Fresh-water Creek	
1648	7	Geelong— For the Gaol only, in 4½-ft. lengths	Gum and Peppermint ...	0 6 0	John Kerwin, South Geelong Timber Yard	
1649	5	Maryborough— Maryborough Bowenvale Carisbrook Majorca For various Government Offices, excepting the Gaol, in 2-ft. billets	Box ...	0 4 6 0 5 0 0 5 3 0 6 3	James Dillon, Adelaide Lead	
1650	2	For the Gaol only, in 4½-ft. lengths	Box and Gum ...	0 2 9	John Black, Adelaide Lead	
1651	30	Sunbury— For the Lunatic Asylum, in 2-ft. billets	White Gum and Peppermint	0 6 9	James Nicholls and Sons, Macedon	
		FIREWOOD FOR LIGHT-HOUSES—				
		Supply of Firewood, in such quantities as may be ordered, for the undermentioned Light-houses, from 1st January, 1900, to 30th September, 1900, in 5-ft. lengths—				
1652		Cape Nelson ...	Mixed Wood ...	0 10 0	Thomas Hickey, Portland	
1653		Cape Otway ...	Sheoak ...	0 6 6	R. H. Robinson, Cape Otway	
1654		Cape Schanck ...	Gum ...	0 7 0	William Cairns ...	
1655		South Channel ...	Gum ...	0 3 6	William Hobley, Rosebud, Dromana	
1656		Split Point	0 6 6	James Hasty ...	

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Approved.—Wm. SHIELDS, Treasurer. 19.12.99.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1900.)

Serial No.	Purpose, No. of Tenders, and Particulars of Contract	Amount.	Name of Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authorized according to Regulations on the date stated.
1657	POST OFFICE— Construction of a line of electric telegraph between Newlyn Railway Station and Post Office, Dean, for the sum of	£ s. d. 70 0 0	Thomas Sly ...	Telegraph Lines, 1899-1900	F. L. Outtrim.
1658	RAILWAYS— (11)—The construction and erection of a carriage shed, &c., at Bendigo. Deposit, £258	5,169 19 9	Bulte and Macpherson	Act 1437, Item 27 ...	R. G. Kent, Secretary, by order of the Railways Commissioner. 27.12.99.
1659	(5)—Manufacture and supply of carriage fittings. Deposit, £168	Rates as per annex	W. S. Busby ...	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20	
1660	(9)—Erection of station-master's residence at Colac. Deposit, £67	£ s. d. 668 9 7	W. Kirkland ...	Votes and Loans ...	
1661	(3)—Erection of station offices and shelter shed at Nar-mar-geon. Deposit, £20	199 6 6	D. A. Jack ...	Ditto ...	
1662	(3)—Alterations and repairs to engine traverse table at St. Kilda. Deposit, £13	132 6 8	G. B. Wilson and Son	Votes. Working Expenses, Maintenance, and Renewals	
1663	(2)—Erection of a platform verandah at Dandenong. Deposit, £11	114 4 8	A. Challingsworth	Votes and Loans ...	
1664	(171)—2,000 sleepers, 9' x 10" x 5", at 3s. 6d., at Picola. Deposit, £17	Rates ...	E. McKinnon ...	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20	
1665	(171)—750 sleepers, 9' x 10" x 5", at 3s. 6d., at Echuca. Deposit, £7	Ditto ...	R. Evans ...	Ditto ...	
1666	Building the body of one ABC corridor car. (Not publicly advertised)	£ s. d. 270 0 0	R. L. S. Smith and party	Votes and Loans ...	
1667	Supply of 2,100 yards of scoria, at 1s. 3½d. per yard, at Koroit. (Not publicly advertised)	Rates ...	A. Johnston and Co.	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 1439, Section 20	

Corrigendum.

General Stores.—Contract for Supply of Painters' and Glaziers' Materials, Item 193, Varnish, best French Polish, for name of contractors read E. L. Yencken & Co. Ltd., in lieu of Brooks Robinson Co. L.—T. M. CALLAN, Secretary to the Tender Board. 28.12.99.

Melbourne, 29th December, 1899.

ANNEX TO CONTRACT No. 1659.

W. S. Busby.

Schedule of Quantities and Rates for the manufacture, supply, and delivery of Carriage Fittings.

No. of Item.	Description.	Quantity.	Rate each.
1	Hat net brackets ...	2,456	£ s. d. 0 2 3
2	" " nuts ...	4,912	0 0 4
3	Door light racks ...	650	0 2 6
4	Door "T" handles, wrought-iron spindles, and brass nuts ...	684	0 2 3
5	Escutcheons for handles ...	684	0 0 8
6	Inside door handles, R.H. ...	672	0 2 1
7	" " plates ...	1,242	0 0 4
8	Commode handles ...	660	0 2 9
9	Ventilator swivels ...	1,820	0 0 4
10	" " plates ...	1,820	0 0 2½
11	" " openers (straight) ...	910	0 1 9
12	Bar lifts ...	3,680	0 1 0
13	Louvre bolts ...	2,180	0 1 6
14	Quarter louvre lifts (top) ...	1,470	0 0 6
15	" " (bottom) ...	1,470	0 0 6
16	" racks, R.H. ...	710	0 1 9
17	" " J.H. ...	760	0 1 9
18	" light catches, R.H. ...	710	0 1 10
19	" " L.H. ...	760	0 1 10
20	Door louvre lifts ...	660	0 0 6
21	" light catches ...	660	0 1 11
22	Shutter catches, R.H. ...	50	0 1 6
23	Private lock escutcheons ...	660	0 0 3
24	Lavatory window bars (deep ends) ...	200	0 1 8
25	" " (shallow ends) ...	400	0 1 8

CONTRACT ACCEPTED.—(Series 1899-1902.)

Contract No.	No. of Service.	Particulars of Contract.	Amount per Annum.	Name for Approval.	—
882	498	POST OFFICE— Addition to Contract No. 474, for increased mileage caused by a deviation from the mail route in order to deliver a Loose Bag at Mr. Campbell's residence, "Narriwillook," from the 27th November, 1899, at the rate of £5 5s. 2d. per annum ...	£ s. d. 5 5 2	Margaret Howard ...	Conveyance of Inland Mails, 1899-1902.

Cancellation of Contracts.

The following contracts have been cancelled:—

- No. 749, Vines and McPhee, £20, from 1st January, 1900.
- No. 315, Charles Tate, £8, from 1st January, 1900.

General Post Office,
Melbourne, 29th December, 1899.

F. L. OUTTRIM,
Deputy Postmaster-General.

KORUMBURRA WATERWORKS TRUST.—
REGULATION No. 7.

THE Commissioners of the Korumburra Waterworks Trust (a portion of the Waterworks District of which Trust has been proclaimed an Urban District, being an area comprised within lines parallel to and 40 chains distant from the boundaries of the Township of Korumburra, as described in the *Government Gazette* of the 16th December, 1887, page 3804), for the purposes of the *Water Act 1890*, and pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, do hereby make the following Regulation:—

REGULATION No. 7.

For fixing a scale of charges for water supplied by measure, and a minimum quantity of water to be charged for in cases where water is so supplied, and for regulating the construction, disposition, custody, and inspection of meters, and for other purposes.

1. For water for domestic and other than domestic purposes supplied by measure (except in cases of special agreement with the Trust) a charge of Two shillings per 1,000 gallons shall be paid.

2. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for in each case where the water is supplied by measure shall be as follows:—

(1) If for domestic and other than domestic purposes, the quantity for which the charge at Two shillings per 1,000 gallons would be equal to the amount of the assessed water rate which would be payable for the premises so supplied if supplied otherwise than by measure.

(2) If for other than domestic purposes solely, 30,000 gallons per half-year, excepting as follows:—

For gardens and lawns—

One-sixteenth of an acre or less, 8,000 gallons per annum.

Above $\frac{1}{16}$ but not more than $\frac{1}{8}$ of an acre, 12,000 gallons per annum.

Above $\frac{1}{8}$ but not more than $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre, 16,000 gallons per annum.

Above $\frac{1}{4}$ but not more than $\frac{1}{2}$ of an acre, 28,000 gallons per annum.

Above $\frac{1}{2}$ but not more than 1 acre, 40,000 gallons per annum.

Livery and carriers' stables, for each stall or space of 5 feet 3,000 gallons per annum.

Stand-pipe or hydrant water for each load of 100 gallons or under One shilling shall be charged, and for each additional 100 gallons or fraction of 100 gallons after the first 100 in any one load Sixpence shall be charged. Payments for such water to be made at the time of taking delivery.

All charges for water supplied by measure to be paid quarterly.

The water supplied in the Urban District of the Trust shall be received and used under and in accordance with these regulations and the *Water Act 1890* or any Act amending the same.

The Regulation No. 1 of the Trust is hereby repealed, and the following provisions substituted therefor:—

(1) Meters, how placed.—Every meter shall be placed according to the direction of a duly authorized officer of the Trust, and so as to be open to inspection at all times, and, as far as practicable, where it cannot be affected by frost or injured by any other means, and shall be provided with means of access thereto. A meter shall not be connected with more than one separate and distinct inlet pipe leading from the service-pipe or other pipe of the Trust, unless permitted in writing under the hand of the duly authorized officer of the Trust. A meter shall not be continued to be used if it is found on being tested by the Trust's officer to be inaccurate, and no meter shall be affixed unless the dial of the same is capable of registering 1,000,000 gallons. The keys of the meter shall be in possession of the Trust.

(2) Use of hose prohibited.—No cock or tap, with any connexion for attaching hose, shall be affixed to any service-pipe, connexion, or fitting, and no hose or pipe shall be applied to any pipes or taps for the purpose of watering the ground or trees or plants, or washing houses, walls, or vehicles, or animals, or for any similar purpose, unless the water is charged for by meter, without the written authority of the Trust, under a penalty not exceeding Two pounds.

(3) Penalty for illegally using water.—Any person not having agreed to be supplied with water by the Trust who shall take or carry away water from any stand-pipe, drinking-tap, water-trough, or private or public service-pipes shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

(4) Licence to lay service-pipes.—Penalty for breach of this clause.—Before any person shall affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Trust, or alter or repair or in any manner interfere with any pipe of the Trust, or any service-pipe, cock, or fitting connected with the pipes of the Trust, he shall obtain from the Trust a licence in that behalf to execute such works, and any unlicensed person affixing, altering, repairing, or in any manner interfering with any such pipe, service-pipe, cock, or fitting as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

(5) Licence-fee.—Licences to affix and lay or alter or repair service-pipes, to tap mains and sub-mains, and to do and execute generally the plumbing and other work necessary for laying on and maintaining water services may be granted to persons who shall satisfy the Trust of their competency to perform such plumbing and other work, upon payment of an annual fee of One pound.

(6) It shall not be compulsory on the Trust to grant a licence to every or any applicant who shall prove his competency.

(7) Deposit as security for good faith.—Every person previous to being licensed to lay services shall deposit with the Trust Secretary the sum of Two pounds sterling as security for the strict observance and performance of the regulations and conditions contained in this regulation, and, in the case of the non-observance or non-performance of any of such stipulations and conditions at any time by such licensed person, the Trust shall be entitled to declare his deposit absolutely forfeited, and the same shall be forfeited as liquidated damages, and the name of such person shall at once be struck off the roll of licensed plumbers. On surrender of the licence to the Trust the deposit, if not forfeited, shall be refunded.

(8) Responsibility of licensee.—In every case a licensee shall be responsible for the acts, errors, and omissions of his employes, and the Trust shall have power to cancel the licence at any time.

(9) Service-pipes at cost of consumers.—All service-pipes, with the necessary stop-cocks, shall be supplied and fixed at the cost of the person or persons requiring the same, under the direction and supervision of such officer as the Trust may appoint. All service-pipes shall have a stop-cock at the main with brass ferrule.

(10) No pipe to be fixed, nor afterwards removed, without permission of the Trust.—It shall be unlawful for any person, whether licensed or not, to open any ground so as to uncover any pipe or pipes the property of the Trust, or a communication or service-pipe belonging to or used by the owner, occupier, or consumer, or any other person, or to make any alteration in any such communication or service-pipe, or in any apparatus connected therewith, or remove such service-pipe or apparatus, without the consent in every such case of the Trust; and if any person act in any respect in contravention of the provisions of this clause he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, without prejudice to the right of the Trust to recover damages from him in respect of any injury done to its property, and without prejudice to its right to recover from him the value of any water wasted, misused, or unduly consumed.

(11) Defective service-pipes, penalty for neglect to repair.—If any person shall neglect to have repaired any service-pipe conveying water from the pipes of the Trust into the premises of such person, after having received notice from an officer of the Trust that such service-pipe requires to be repaired, the Trust may stop the water from flowing into such premises, either by cutting off the service-pipe or otherwise, until the necessary repairs shall have been effected. The occupier (if any), and if none the owner, shall in every instance in which any damage shall be caused by reason of such service-pipe being leaky, or otherwise out of repair or broken, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds; and in the event of continuing the offence, after notice, to a further penalty not exceeding Two pounds for every day after such offence is continued after notice thereof from the Trust.

(12) Water-troughs and cisterns.—To prevent overflow, all water-troughs and cisterns must be fitted with approved self-acting taps which shall at all times be maintained in good working order.

(13) Boilers, steam-pipes, &c.—No person shall connect any service-pipe or branch service-pipe with any steam boiler, for the purpose of feeding or supplying the same with water, without first affixing a self-acting valve for preventing the pressure of the steam reversing or affecting the dial of the meter.

(14) All boilers or hot-water apparatus must be supplied from cisterns, as in no case will they be permitted to be fed direct from the pipes of the Trust.

(15) Baths.—In every bath the inlet must be distinct and unconnected with the outlet. The inlet pipes must be visible and accessible, and be attached to the bath above the bottom thereof, and such bath shall be provided with a proper well-fitted and perfectly water-tight ground outlet, plug, or cock. Overflow pipes to private baths or other vessels will not be permitted, except where the supply is taken by measure.

(16) Water-closets.—Water-closets will not be allowed to be supplied direct from the main, but from a cistern only, so constructed that the water cannot flow continuously, and that not more than 2 gallons can escape at each flush.

(17) Entry of Trust's officers for purposes of inspection.—The officers of the Trust may at all reasonable times, between the hours specified in sections 451 and 471 of the *Water Act 1890*, enter any house, tenement, or land through or into which water is supplied by the Trust, in order to inspect the instruments, pipes, and apparatus for conveyance, reception, or storage of water, or for the purpose of examining if there be any waste or misuse of such water.

(18) Regulations for laying service.—The following regulations shall be observed by all persons in connexion with the laying of services, &c.:

- (1) The whole of the pipes, tees, bends, &c., shall be sound and free from defects, and all ends of pipes, bends, &c., shall be properly threaded and capable of being screwed into thimbles, tees, &c. All delivery cocks shall be high pressure and the best quality in workmanship, and in all exposed places to be opened and shut by movable key or handle. All jointing between pipes, thimbles, bends, couplings, elbows, meters, and cocks shall be made with red lead and flax.
- (2) No service-pipe shall be laid at a depth below the surface of less than 10 inches. After service-pipes have been laid, the trench or trenches shall be properly filled and thoroughly rammed, and any subsidence therein which may appear within three months shall be immediately made good by the owner or occupier of the premises supplied by such service-pipe. No trench made for the purpose of receiving, removing, altering, or repairing, or extending a service-pipe shall be left open after sunset.
- (3) No private service whatsoever shall be laid or removed, or extensions made by any licensed person unless he has ascertained at the Trust's office that the person for whom such work is intended has received the consent of the proper officer of the Trust to have such work executed.
- (4) Within 24 hours after the completion of each service the licensed person by whom such service shall have been laid shall report at the office of the Trust the completion thereof.
- (5) If at any time such licensed person shall wilfully act contrary to any of the provisions of this regulation either by himself or his workmen his name may be erased from the Trust's list of licensed plumbers.
- (6) Each licensed person shall be held solely responsible to the Trust for such service-pipes being laid and completed by him or his workmen in a sound, workmanlike, and durable manner, and maintained in that condition (sound and water-tight) for a period of three months after such service-pipe has been completed.
- (19) In the construction of this regulation the word "person" shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation, whether aggregate or sole; and the word "Trust" shall mean the Korumburra Waterworks Trust.
- (20) Any person who shall commit a breach of these regulations shall, in addition to the penalty that may be imposed for such breach, be liable to have the supply of water cut off from his premises either by cutting the pipes by or through which such water is supplied or otherwise as the Trust may think fit, and such supply shall cease so long as the cause of complaint remains or is not remedied.

Passed this 28th day of November, 1899.

(SEAL) JOHN F. JOYCE, Chairman.
JOHN EADIE, Commissioner.
TALBOT ADKINS, Commissioner.
JNO. C. CAFFIN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

KORUMBURRA WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING REGULATION FOR 1900.—No. 6.

THE Commissioners of the Korumburra Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1890*, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, do hereby make the following Regulation:—

REGULATION No. 6.

1. For determining the rate to be paid for the several lands and tenements to be supplied otherwise than by measure with water for domestic use.
2. For making and levying such rate.
 - (1) For every house or tenement situate in any street or road where pipes have been laid for the supply of water thereto, such house or tenement being used either wholly or partly as a domicile, a rate of One shilling in the pound sterling upon the municipal valuation for the time being of such house or tenement shall be paid. Provided that the said rate shall not in any case be less than the sum of Twenty shillings per annum.
 - (2) For every unoccupied allotment or vacant lot the rate to be paid shall be at the rate of One shilling in the pound sterling, according to the municipal valuation of such allotment. Provided that in no case shall a less rate than Ten shillings (10s.) be charged.
 - (3) For every occupied allotment a rate of One shilling in the pound sterling, according to the municipal valuation of such allotment. Provided that in no case shall a less rate than Ten shillings (10s.) each be charged.

(4) For all lands and tenements situated otherwise than in streets in which pipes are laid down, and which are within a quarter of a mile of a stand-pipe of the Trust, there shall be paid one-half of the above rates. And for all such lands and tenements being over a quarter of a mile, but within half-a-mile, from such stand-pipe, one-quarter of the full rate shall be paid.

3. The foregoing rate for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1900, shall be due and payable in two equal moieties half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July, 1900.

4. Such person as the Commissioners of the Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be authorized to demand, collect, and recover such rate.

Passed this 28th day of November, 1899.

(SEAL) JOHN F. JOYCE, Chairman.
JOHN EADIE, Commissioner.
JNO. C. CAFFIN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

YEA WATERWORKS TRUST.—REGULATION No. 1.

ANY person receiving water from the Trust who shall take and carry away such water from the premises to which it is supplied, or who shall allow any person to take or carry away such water, or who shall sell the same to any other person, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for every such offence.

2. Every house, tenement, factory, or steam boiler receiving water from the Trust shall have a separate and independent service-pipe connexion with the pipes of the Trust for every such house, tenement, factory, or steam boiler.

3. No person shall lay any pipe to communicate with the pipes of the Trust without giving two days' notice of the day and hour when such pipe is intended to be made to communicate with the pipes of the Trust, nor shall make such communication except under the superintendence and according to the directions of a duly authorized officer of the Trust, appointed for the purpose; and any person committing a breach of this Regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for every such breach.

4. The service-pipe for conveying water from the pipes of the Trust into the premises of the consumers shall in no case exceed the following diameters:—For the domestic supply of premises of less annual value than Twenty pounds, one-half inch diameter; for the domestic supply of premises of the annual value of Twenty pounds and over, three-quarters of an inch diameter, except where special agreement is made; for the supply of water for other than domestic purposes and for all supplies by meter, such diameters as the Trust shall authorize in each case.

5. The Trust may contract with any owner or occupier of any lands or tenements who is entitled to be supplied with water from its works, or who is desirous of being so supplied, for the provision and laying on of a service-pipe from the pipes of the Trust to the boundary of such land or tenement abutting on the street or road in which are the pipes of the Trust.

6. If any person shall waste water of the Trust by neglecting to repair any service-pipe conveying water from the pipes of the Trust into the premises of such person after having received notice from any officer of the Trust that such service-pipe requires repairing, the Trust may stop the water from flowing into such premises, either by cutting off the service-pipe or otherwise as to the Trust may seem fit, until the necessary repairs shall have been effected.

7. No person supplied by the Trust with water shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste, and any person committing a breach of this Regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for any such breach.

8. Overflow pipes to private baths will not be permitted.

9. All water-troughs must be fitted with approved self-acting taps to prevent overflow.

10. The fire-plugs shall not be used except for the purpose of extinguishing fires, unless any other use of them is allowed, in writing, by the Trust, and they shall at all times be under the control of the officers of the Trust.

11. No person shall connect any service-pipe or branch service pipe with any steam boiler for the purpose of feeding or supplying the same with water, without first affixing a self-acting valve for preventing the pressure of the steam reversing or affecting the dial of the meter.

12. No meter shall be affixed unless the dial of the same is capable of registering one million (1,000,000) gallons.

13. If any person supplied with water by the Trust does, or causes or permits to be done, anything in contravention of these Regulations, or fails to pay his rates, or any lawful charge imposed by the Trust, when due, or fails to do anything which, under any of these Regulations, ought to be done, or wilfully or negligently allows water to run to waste, the Trust may cut off the supply of water from the premises of such person, either by cutting the pipes by or through which water is supplied, or otherwise, and may cease to supply him with water so long as the cause of complaint remains or is not remedied.

14. The water supplied in the Waterworks District of the Trust shall be received and consumed under and in accordance with these Regulations, and not otherwise, through pipes and meters laid, placed, and being under and in accordance with these Regulations, and not otherwise.

15. Before any person shall affix any service-pipes to any pipes of the Trust, or alter, or repair, or in any manner interfere with any pipes or service-pipes, cocks, or fittings, connected with the pipes of the Trust, he shall obtain from the Trust a licence in that behalf to execute such work, and any unlicensed person affixing, altering, or repairing, or in any manner interfering with such pipes, service-pipes, cocks, or fittings as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

16. Plumbers and other persons employed to lay on service-pipes and to fix meters, or to relay or refix the same, must satisfy the Trust that they are competent to perform the same in a workmanlike manner, and shall pay a license-fee of One pound per annum, notwithstanding which the Trust shall have the power of cancelling any such licence at any time.

17. The quality of materials required in laying private services shall be as follows:—

- (1) The whole of the pipes, tees, thimbles, bends, reducing couplings, plugs, &c., to be of the best galvanized iron.
- (2) All pipes and pieces to be true in sectional form, straight longitudinally, and of equal strength and thickness throughout the entire body of the same.
- (3) All end of pipes, bends, &c., to be properly and truly threaded, and capable of being screwed into thimbles, tees, &c.
- (4) The whole of the pipes, tees, bends, &c., to be sound and free from all defects, and capable of withstanding a hydrostatic pressure equal to a column of water 400 feet in height.
- (5) All delivery-cocks and thimbles for connecting the service-pipes and mains to be high-pressure, and made of brass of the best quality and workmanship, and of approved patterns, to screw into elbows, bends, &c.; all cocks and thimbles to stand the same pressure as the pipes.
- (6) No service-pipe shall be laid at a depth below the surface of the ground of less than 10 inches.

18. If any person throw, or convey, or cause or permit to be thrown or conveyed, any rubbish, dirt, filth, or other noisome things into any stream, reservoir, aqueduct, or other waterworks, belonging to the Trust, or wash or cleanse therein any cloth, wool, leather, or skin of any animal, or any clothes or other thing, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five (5) pounds.

19. If any person bathe in any stream, reservoir, or aqueduct, which by notice in the *Government Gazette* has been required to be kept free from contamination or pollution for domestic water supply, or in any other waterworks belonging to the Trust, or wash, or throw, or cause to enter therein any dog or other animal, he shall for each such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five (5) pounds.

20. Any person who, having been served with notice to provide a meter, shall refuse or neglect to supply such meter within one month of receiving such notice, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two pounds for every day after the expiration of the time mentioned in the notice on which he shall refuse or neglect to comply with the terms of such notice.

21. Any person who shall in any way tamper with or alter any pipe the property of the Trust without the permission, in writing, of the Trust being first obtained, or who shall wilfully or carelessly break open or injure any lock, cock, valve, pipe, work, weir, channel, reservoir, or engine, the property of the Trust, or who shall trespass on the Trust's work without leave, shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Twenty pounds.

22. The officers of the Trust shall have power, between the hours of Ten in the forenoon and Four in the afternoon, to enter any house, building, or lands through or into which water is supplied by the Trust, by measure or otherwise, in order to inspect the meters, instruments, pipes, and apparatus for the measuring, conveyance, reception, or storage of water, or for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity of water supplied or consumed, and may from time to time enter any house, building, or land for the purpose of removing any meter, instrument, pipe, or apparatus the property of the Trust, and if any person hinder such officer from entering or making such inspection, or effecting such removal, he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

23. In the construction of these Regulations the word person shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation or company, whether aggregate or sole. The word officer shall be deemed and taken to mean any officer or servant of the Trust duly authorized in that behalf; and the word Trust shall be deemed to mean the Yea Waterworks Trust.

The foregoing Regulations were made and adopted on the 13th day of November, 1899, and the seal of the Trust was affixed hereunto in the presence of—

(SEAL) E. S. PURCELL, Chairman.
D. OLNEY, Commissioner.
E. H. DOBSON, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council

HEATHCOTE WATERWORKS TRUST.—REGULATION No. 3.

THE Commissioners of the Heathcote Waterworks Trust, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, do make the following Regulation respecting Fishing, &c., in the Caledonia and Hanging Rock Reservoirs, Heathcote:—

1. No person shall use in the Caledonia and Hanging Rock Reservoirs, Heathcote, any weir, net, implement, device, or contrivance fixed to the soil, or made stationary, or partly stationary, in any way or manner, for the purpose of taking fish.

2. No person shall angle for or remove, or take from the said reservoirs, any fish which may be therein during the months of May, June, July, August, and September in each and every year.

3. No person shall angle with or use more than one line of any kind whatsoever upon or in either of the said reservoirs at one and the same time. That no person shall angle in the said reservoirs with more than two hooks covered with bait at one and the same time.

4. No person or persons shall be allowed to catch fish in the reservoirs between the hours of Eight p.m. and Five a.m.

5. No person shall use ground bait of any kind whatsoever in the said reservoirs for the purpose of attracting fish to any particular spot, or for any other purpose whatsoever.

6. All persons catching any fish in the said reservoirs under 4 ozs. in weight shall forthwith return the same to the reservoirs.

7. No person shall remove or take away, or cause or procure to be removed or taken away, from the said reservoirs any ova or spawn without the consent of the Heathcote Waterworks Trust being first obtained.

8. Any person detected in leaving any weight, stone, tin, or other obstacle at the bottom of the reservoirs shall, on conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two pounds.

9. No person shall angle for or otherwise endeavour to catch fish in the said reservoirs unless previously licensed so to do: Such licences shall be issued to applicants at the discretion of the Engineer of the Trust, at the following rate:—

For each licence, Two shillings and sixpence per annum.

10. If any person shall be guilty of any wilful offence or misfeasance, or wilful or negligent act of commission or omission, contrary to any of the provisions of this by-law, where not otherwise provided, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding Five pounds.

The common seal of the Commissioners of the Heathcote Waterworks Trust, was affixed hereto, by order of the Commissioners of the said Trust, this 1st day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. E. LEWIS, Chairman of the Meeting.
H. D. THOMAS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

HEATHCOTE WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING REGULATION FOR 1900.

THE Commissioners of the Heathcote Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in exercise of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, make the following Regulations:—

Regulations for the making of a rate for the year 1900 on all rateable property within the Waterworks District of Heathcote Waterworks Trust; also for the dealing with the sale of water by measure from the works of the Trust.

1. A rate of One shilling in the pound sterling shall be paid on the annual value of all rateable property fronting streets in which a main pipe has been laid, according to the valuation for the time being of all lands and tenements for the municipal rate of the shire of Mclvor; but no such rate in any case shall be less than One pound sterling.

2. A rate of ten shillings shall be charged on all unoccupied lands facing the mains.

3. Tenements not fronting a street within which a main pipe is laid, but are situated within a quarter of a mile of a stand-pipe, shall be charged half the amount of the assessed rate.

4. Tenements exceeding one-quarter, but not exceeding half-a-mile, distant from a stand-pipe, shall be charged one-quarter of the amount of the assessed rate.

5. For water supplied by measure, a charge of One shilling per 1,000 gallons shall be made, and the minimum quantity to be charged for where water is used for other than domestic purposes solely shall be 20,000 gallons, and shall be paid for in advance, or as the Trust may deem necessary.

6. Where water is supplied by meter for domestic and other than domestic use, the minimum quantity to be charged for shall be the quantity which, at One shilling per 1,000 gallons, would be equal to the amount of the assessed rate payable for the year in respect of the premises supplied.

7. The foregoing rate is made payable in moieties on the 1st January and 1st July, 1900.

8. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint shall be authorized to demand and receive the said rates and charges.

Passed by the Commissioners of the Heathcote Waterworks Trust this 1st day of December, 1899, and the seal of the Trust was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. E. LEWIS, Chairman.
H. D. THOMAS, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

NAGAMBIE WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING
REGULATION FOR 1900.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Nagambie Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purpose of the *Water Act 1890*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, make the following Regulation:—

REGULATION MAKING A RATE FOR 1900.

The following are the rates which the owners or occupiers of land and tenements within the Urban District of the Nagambie Waterworks Trust shall pay for water supplied by the said Trust:—

For every house or tenement of the annual value of over Ten pounds, according to the municipal valuation, an amount of One shilling and ninepence in the pound of such valuation.

For every house or tenement of the annual value of Ten pounds or under, according to the municipal valuation, an amount of One pound sterling per annum.

For all water sold by meter by the Trust, the sum of Two shillings per 1,000 gallons will be charged, except in cases of special agreement.

The before-mentioned rates and charges are made for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January and ending on the 31st day of December, 1900, and shall be due and payable in equal moieties on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July, 1900.

Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the Nagambie Waterworks Trust may appoint from time to time for the purpose shall be authorized to demand and receive and collect the said rates and charges.

Passed this 11th day of December, 1899.

The seal of the said Trust was affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) R. G. REID, J.P., Chairman.
H. B. BAUD, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

HEALESVILLE WATERWORKS TRUST.—RATING
REGULATION FOR 1900.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1890*, the Commissioners of the Healesville Waterworks Trust hereby make the following Regulation:—

The following are the rates and charges which the owners or occupiers of land and tenements liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the said Trust shall pay for the year 1900 in respect of water supplied by the said Trust:—

1. For every house or tenement of the annual municipal value of Twenty pounds or under, the sum of Twenty shillings.

2. For every house or tenement above the annual municipal value of Twenty pounds, the sum of One shilling in the pound sterling.

3. The rate to be paid in respect of vacant or unoccupied township or subdivisional allotments shall be Sixpence in the pound sterling of the annual municipal value, provided that no rate of less than Ten shillings shall be made.

4. Water supplied for other than domestic use shall be by measure or by special agreement, and shall be charged for at the rate of Ninepence per 1,000 gallons, or such price as may be agreed upon. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for shall be 20,000 gallons per half-year, or a quantity which, at the price mentioned, would be equivalent to the quantity of water which the owner or occupier would be entitled to receive according to his assessed rate for the year, if supplied otherwise than by measure.

The rates and charges herein mentioned are hereby made payable half-yearly in advance on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July, 1900, and such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for the purpose are hereby authorized to collect and recover the said rates and charges.

The foregoing Regulation was made and passed by the Commissioners of the Healesville Waterworks Trust this 29th day of November, 1899, and the common seal of the Trust was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) GEORGE S. MATTHEWS, Chairman.
C. H. ALEXANDER, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council
the 15th December, 1899.

THOS. BRISBANE,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

PROHIBITION AGAINST CUTTING, DIGGING, OR
REMOVING TIMBER OR BARK FROM CERTAIN
CROWN LANDS AROUND STAWELL REVOKED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, 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 a Proclamation under the Hand of the Governor and the Seal of the Colony, made in pursuance of *The Land Act 1869*, and bearing date the 6th day of November, 1876, it was declared that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, should cut, dig, or remove any timber, which at the height of three feet from the ground is of less diameter than twelve inches, on any Crown lands within a distance of twelve miles from the Town Hall site at Stawell; or should cut or remove bark from any standing timber on such Crown lands: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamation: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this fifteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

PROHIBITION AGAINST CUTTING, DIGGING, OR
REMOVING TIMBER, BARK, STONE, GRAVEL,
ETC., FROM CERTAIN CROWN LANDS REVOKED.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Right Honorable Thomas, Baron Brassey, 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 Part I. of the *Land Act 1890* (54 Vict. No. 1106) it is amongst other things enacted that, notwithstanding anything thereinbefore contained, the Governor in Council may by Proclamation declare that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, shall cut, dig, or remove live or dead timber, or particular description of timber or bark, stone, gravel, sand, loam, brick, or other earth from such portions of Crown lands as are named in such Proclamation, or shall exercise on any such portions the powers, or any of them, conferred by any licence granted under the authority of Division 8 of Part I. of the said Act: And whereas certain Proclamations as hereunder set forth have been made in pursuance of the provisions aforesaid: And whereas it is expedient to revoke in part each of such Proclamations: Now therefore I, the Governor of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, do hereby revoke each of the Proclamations mentioned hereunder so far only as they relate to the portion of the land therein referred to, extending from Griffin's Gully, in the municipal district of Geelong West, northerly to the road forming the south boundary of allotment 64, parish of Moorparryal, that is to say:—

The Proclamation bearing date the 13th July, 1874, by which it was declared that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, should cut, dig, or remove live or dead timber, or bark, stone, gravel, sand, loam, brick, or other earth from such portions of Crown lands as were permanently reserved around any lakes, lagoons, rivers, creeks, bays, or fronting the Southern Ocean or Bass' Straits.

The Proclamation bearing date the 23rd July, 1877, by which it was declared that no person, although he be duly licensed or otherwise authorized, should remove stone, gravel, sand, loam, brick, or other earth from the foreshore of Port Phillip Bay, or from any Crown land situate within a distance of one chain from high-water mark in the said bay.—(99, C. 9162.)

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Colony, at Melbourne, this fifteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and in the sixty-third year of Her Majesty's reign.

(L.S.) BRASSEY.

By His Excellency's Command,
J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WILLIAMSTOWN.

WHEREAS by section 111 of the *Land Act 1898* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1890*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint

THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WILLIAMSTOWN to be a Committee of Management of the land temporarily reserved by Order of 27th September, 1897, as a site for Public Recreation in the municipal district of Williamstown.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 4th day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) R. W. BEST, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.10958.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR SHOW-YARDS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF BIRCHIP.

WHEREAS by section 111 of the *Land Act 1898* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1890*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint

WILLIAM BECKHAM,
THOMAS GREEN,
LEWIS LAWRENCE SIMPSON,
HUGH CAMPBELL,
JOHN FRASER,
CHARLES NUNN, and
PETER SCOTT

to be members of the Committee of Management of the reserve for Show-yards in the township of Birchip, in the room of George Valentine Mogg, Louis Lewis Simpson, Peter Scott, Thomas Bull, and Andrew Sheean, resigned.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 21st day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.11083.)

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR A PUBLIC PARK AND FOR RECREATION PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF ST. ARNAUD.

WHEREAS by section 111 of the *Land Act 1898* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1890*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint

THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ST. ARNAUD to be a Committee of Management of the reserve for a Public Park and for Recreation purposes in the parish of St. Arnaud.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 21st day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.11101.)

RESERVE FOR RECREATION PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF ST. ARNAUD.
RESIGNATION OF REGULATION.

WHEREAS by the 136th section of the *Land Act 1890* 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: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby rescind the Regulation made by the said Board on 14th August, 1873, in respect of the land temporarily reserved by Order of 30th June, 1873, as a site for Recreation purposes in the parish of St. Arnaud.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 21st day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
THOS. F. MORKHAM, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.11101.)

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE KOROIT PUBLIC GARDENS.

THE Council of the Borough of Koroit, the duly appointed Committee of Management of the Koroit Public Gardens, 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 136 of the *Land Act 1890*—

1. The gardens shall be open daily to the public from sunrise to sunset free of charge, except on such days, not exceeding twelve in any one year, as the gardens may be set apart for shows, sports, fêtes, or holiday amusements, on any of which occasions a sum not exceeding two shillings and sixpence may be charged and taken for the admission of every adult to that portion of the gardens known as Victoria Park, and to the unplanted portion of the gardens west of the curator's cottage.

2. The Committee of Management may allow any duly recognised committee of any shows, sports, fêtes, or holiday amusements to use the portion of the gardens known as Victoria Park and the unplanted portion of the gardens west of the curator's cottage, and such committee shall abide by any order given by the Committee of Management in reference to these two portions of the gardens, or to the buildings or other structures for the time being thereon.

3. No person shall pluck any flowers or walk on the beds or borders, or remove any of the tallies, or climb or jump over the fences or gates, stick bills thereon, or cut names on the fences, seats, or trees, or throw or roll stones, or damage or destroy any property or thing in the gardens.

4. No person shall carry firearms in or through the gardens, or shoot, snare, or destroy any wild-fowl therein.

5. No cart or other vehicle used for the conveyance of goods shall, without the authority of the Committee of Management, be driven through the gardens.

6. Such trees, plants, seeds, or cuttings as are commonly purchasable at nurseries in Victoria shall not be supplied from the gardens to any person, unless in exchange or for public institutions, or for benevolent purposes.

7. No visitor shall interfere with the employes in the gardens, by conversation or otherwise.

8. Children under the age of ten years and not under the control of some competent person shall be liable to be removed from the gardens.

9. All dogs, goats, pigs, or poultry found within the gardens shall be liable to be destroyed, and the owner shall be responsible for any damage done.

10. No person shall enter or remain in the gardens who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.

11. No person shall erect any dwelling in the gardens, 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.

12. No person, except labourers and workmen employed in the gardens, shall enter any plots therein which may be enclosed for plantations of young trees or shrubs.

13. No person shall put any horses, cattle, or sheep in the gardens, or take horses therein without first obtaining the written permission of the Committee of Management, provided always that the moneys received for agistment shall be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the gardens, and that an account thereof shall be furnished annually to the Board of Land and Works.

14. Any person committing in the gardens, or in any of the buildings or other structures for the time being thereon, any of the following offences, shall be liable to be removed from the gardens, notwithstanding such person may have purchased, and shall or may be in possession of a ticket of admission to the gardens—

1. Assaulting any person.
2. Being drunk.
3. Using profane or obscene language.
4. Using abusive or insulting words.
5. Behaving improperly or riotously.
6. Obtaining admission into the gardens or any buildings thereon, when not entitled to such admission, or refusing to surrender on demand to any gate-keeper or other duly authorized person any authentic ticket of admission to the gardens.

Every person offending against these Regulations shall, in accordance with section 136 of the *Land Act 1890*, on conviction before any justice, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding £5 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 £10.

Dated at Koroit this 6th day of December, 1899.

(SEAL) PETER McVICAR, Mayor.
RICHARD LAFFAN, Town Clerk.

THE Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Land Act 1890*, section 136, doth hereby make the foregoing Regulations in respect of the Koroit Public Gardens.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 27th day of December, 1899, in the presence of—

(SEAL) J. H. McCOLL, President.
J. M. REED, Member.

—(Corr. 99/C.11258.)

Land Acts.

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENCES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Licences 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.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
							Payment.	Survey Charges to revenue except when otherwise ordered.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
...	Chas. Hindell: bathing box ¹	...	...	...	...	1.1.1900	0 10 0	...	...	0 10 0	Geelong
15944	Maria Gibbon Timothy Kelly	593 0 0	...	39	...	1.12.99 1.11.99	1 0 0 1 2 6	...	0 5 0 0 5 0	0 16 8 1 0 0	Echuca Horsham

¹ Licence No. 1373/99, in the name of H. E. L. Hall, is hereby cancelled.
² Amount paid.

NOTE.—*Re* notice in *Gazette*, 22nd November, 1895, page 3927, Wm. Hartmann, Moe, 1370/20, date of permit should read 1st January, 1895, not 1st July, 1895. (Payable at Warragul.)

Land Act 1890, Section 44.

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. When lease is ready for execution, lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Extent.	Conditions—How Complied with.				Amount to be Collected.				Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—		
				Fencing.	Cultivation.	Other Improvements.	Total.	Residence.	Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Fees.		Total to pay.	
											Leas.			Poste.
1.8.99	Frank Murphy	...	8 0 36	10 0 0	...	87 0 0	97 0 0	...	0 4 6	0 4 6	1	1	2 4 6	Kerang
1.7.98	Henry Edward Fry	...	316 0 12	150 0 0	...	105 0 0	351 0 0	Yes	8 0 0	24 0 0	1	1	26 0 0	Omeo
1.1.98	Thomas Cusack	...	163 2 16	63 0 0	...	145 0 0	213 0 0	Yes	4 12 0	18 8 0	1	1	20 8 0	Omeo
1.7.99	George Jackson	...	100 0 0	21 15 0	...	184 10 0	206 5 0	Yes	2 10 0	2 10 0	1	1	4 10 0	Yarram

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 67.

RENEWAL OF LICENCES APPROVED.

THE Renewal of Licences to the undermentioned persons having been approved, the Fees specified in each case may be received by the Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area. A. R. P.	Parish.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected		Payable to Receiver and Land Officer at—
					Yearly Payment.	Fee for Licence.	
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 67 of the Land Act 1890.							
590	Wm. Maxwell ...	145 0 0	Borodomanin ...	1.11.99	2 8 4	0 5 0	Mansfield
2874	Hy. Schlue, sen. ...	16 0 0	Lilliput ...	1.3.99	0 8 0	0 5 0	Rutherglen

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Acts.

TRANSFERS APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Transfer of Licences under the 47th, 65th, and 123rd Sections of the Land Acts 1869 and 1890 having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers.

Number of Licence.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas. A. R. P.	Parish.	Held under Section	Date of Licence.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
1025	Chas. Basten (administrator of Wm. Basten, deceased)	Chas. Basten ...	20 0 0	Berringa	65	1.8.92	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 8.12.99	Bethanga
67	Chas. Basten (administrator of Jane Basten, deceased)	Chas. Basten (administrator of Jane Basten, deceased)	20 0 0	"	65	1.4.90	1 0 0	10s., Melbourne, 8.12.99	"
310	The Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Ltd.	Thomas E. Knight	2 0 0	Sandhurst	47	1.1.99	10 0 0	£1, Bendigo, 16.12.99	Bendigo
1271	Hy. Exell ...	Hy. Petrass ...	323 0 0	Jung Jung	123	1.7.99	5 17 4	£1, Horsham, 15.11.99	Horsham 217/2

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1890, Section 18.

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.	Ext-ent.	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.	Certif.	Assurance.		
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Under Section 18 of the Land Act 1890.								
James Matthews ...	Hinno-Mungie...	19 2 4	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 1 3	2 2 3 ¹	Omeo 533
Maria Cameron (née Pyle)	Guttamurra ...	20 0 0	2 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 1 3	4 2 3 ²	" 749
Alexander Hay ...	Huntly ...	20 0 0	2 0 0	1 1 0	1 0	0 1 3	4 2 3 ²	Bendigo 12076
A. E. Matteson, exrx.	Moyston ...	20 0 0	...	1 1 0	1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10 ³	Ararat 269
A. Withers, deceased								

¹ £30 rent paid credited.
² £28 rent paid credited.

³ £20 previously paid credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

TRANSFER OF LEASEHOLDS.

THE Board of Land and Works has sanctioned the undermentioned Applications to Transfer Leaseholds under Section 32 of the Land Acts 1884 and 1890.

NOTE—No Transfer will have any legal effect till same has been duly registered at the Office of Titles under the Transfer of Land Act 1890.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

J. H. McCOLL,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Date of Lease.	Lease's Term.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
3817	Saml. J. Warnock (trustee in estate of John H. Teague)	Wm. C. Williams	400 0 0	Moorngag	1.1.87	12 years less 3 days	5 0 0	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	Benalla
2011	Henry Ansell	Geo. Harrison ...	250 0 0	Euroa ...	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	3 2 6	£1, Melbourne, 6.12.99	Euroa
1106	Jas. D. Morrison	Albert Stafford	369 0 0	Samaria...	1.7.86	12½ years less 3 days	4 12 3	£1, Melbourne, 8.12.99	Benalla
144	Alice Beattie	Maria I. Beattie	231 0 0	Howqua West	"	12½ years less 3 days	1 18 6	£1, Melbourne, 1.12.99	Jamieson
1286	Wm. McDonald	Allan McDonald	261 0 0	Bael Bael	1.7.88	10½ years less 3 days	3 6 0	£1, Melbourne, 8.12.99	Kerang
103	Zach. Burton (administrator to estate and effects of late Julia Burton)	Ernest Hobson	106 0 0	Tyntynder	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	1 15 4	£1, Swan Hill, 5.10.99	Swan Hill
1752	Edwd. Stevens	John McMullan	171 0 0	Bael Bael	1.7.94	4½ years less 3 days	2 2 9	£1, Melbourne, 5.12.99	Kerang
1754	Peter Stevens	John McMullan	70 0 0	" ...	1.1.95	4 years less 3 days	0 17 6	£1, Melbourne, 5.12.99	"
795	Chas. Hutton	Wm. H. Trevena	317 0 0	Byawatha	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	2 12 10	£1, Melbourne, 14.12.99	Wangaratta
1932	Edwd. W. Wray	Heath Pearce ...	250 0 0	Wagra ...	"	11½ years less 3 days	2 6 8	£1, Tallangatta, 1.11.99	Tallangatta
4314	John Connors	Christina Connors	263 0 0	Everton ...	1.7.89	9½ years less 3 days	2 3 10	£1, Melbourne, 12.12.99	Beechworth
2801	Jas. Hargreaves	Mary Jane Hargreaves	984 0 0	Yabba ...	"	9½ years less 3 days	8 4 0	£1, Tallangatta, 7.12.99	Tallangatta
1901	Robert Wilson	Robert Wilson...	466 0 0	Winteriga	1.1.88	11 years less 3 days	3 17 8	£1, Melbourne, 6.12.99	Wangaratta
1530	Henry H. Pearce (administrator of Arabella G. Pearce deceased)	Kate Pearce ...	756 0 0	Wagra ...	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	6 6 0	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	Tallangatta
128	Maria Boyes...	John Thos. Boyes	312 0 0	Baranduda	"	11½ years less 3 days	2 12 0	£1, Beechworth, 20.11.99	Wodonga
4882	Thos. Jury, jun.	Jas. Francis Jury	237 0 0	Tatonga...	1.1.88	11 years less 3 days	3 19 0	£1, Melbourne, 15.12.99	Tallangatta
3252	Hy. W. McIllree (administrator of Isabella McIllree deceased)	Mary McIllree...	900 0 0	Towong ...	"	11 years less 3 days	7 10 0	£1, Melbourne, 15.12.99	"
1431	Wm. Naughton	Daniel Slater, jun.	946 0 0	Wabonga	"	11 years less 3 days	7 17 8	£1, Melbourne, 14.12.99	Wangaratta
2321	Thomas Connellan	Margaret Connellan	112 0 0	Warmur	1.1.91	8 years less 3 days	1 8 0	£1, Melbourne, 7.12.99	Donald
2339	Thomas Connellan	Margaret Connellan	102 0 0	" ...	"	8 years less 3 days	1 5 6	£1, Melbourne, 7.12.99	"
505	Richard Delaney	Bridget Delaney	191 0 0	Bailieston	1.7.86	12½ years less 3 days	3 3 8	£1, Melbourne, 5.10.99	Rushworth
1537	Edward Plummer (executor of the late Wm. Plummer)	Charles Ed. Plummer	232 0 0	Avenel ...	1.1.87	12 years less 3 days	2 18 0	£1, Melbourne, 12.12.99	Scymour
2852	Matthew Hyland	Mary Hyland ...	408 0 0	Moormbool East	1.7.98	6 months less 3 days	3 8 0	£1, Melbourne, 5.12.99	Heathcote
929	Edward Kennedy (as administrator of the late P. Kennedy)	Ellen Kennedy	511 0 0	Traawool	1.7.86	12½ years less 3 days	4 5 10	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	Scymour
1914	Mary Woodlock (as executrix of the late P. Woodlock)	Mary Woodlock	553 0 0	Mitchell...	"	12½ years less 3 days	6 19 6	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	"
3977	Victor J. Wakley	Olivia B. Wakley	214 0 0	Ghin Ghin	1.7.98	6 months less 3 days	2 13 6	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	Yea
3976	Victor J. Wakley	Olivia B. Wakley	207 0 0	Kobyboyn	1.1.98	1 year less 3 days	2 11 9	£1, Melbourne, 11.12.99	"
2369	Jessie Crowley, nee Cameron	Isabella Cameron	320 0 0	Connangorach	1.7.89	9½ years less 3 days	2 13 4	£1, Horsham, 6.5.99	Horsham
4085	Executor estate of late E. L. Bull	Geo. Bull ...	320 0 0	Morea ...	1.1.92	7 years less 3 days	3 6 8	£1, Melbourne, 6.11.99	" 94/1 59/1
3264	Mgt. K. McDougall	Cathne. Hynes, jun.	915 0 0	Lambruk	1.1.89	10 years less 3 days	7 12 6	£1, Melbourne, 8.12.99	Hamilton
1916	Wm. Walsh ...	K. Butler ...	508 0 0	Bepcha ...	1.7.91	7½ years less 3 days	4 4 8	£1, Melbourne, 30.10.99	" 402/1 566/1

TRANSFER OF LEASEHOLDS--continued.

Number of Lease.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Date of Lease.	Lease's Term.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee, and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at--
1118	Mary J. Murch	Eric Murch ...	A. R. P. 247 0 0	Bunnugal	1.1.88	11 years less 3 days	3 1 9	£1, Melbourne, 28.11.99	Ararat 308/1
1622	Jno. Rinaldi	J. Rinaldi, jun.	294 0 0	Kooroc ...	1.7.95	3½ years less 3 days	3 13 6	£1, Melbourne, 5.12.99	Dunolly 463
1924	M. Raymond, sen.	A. Jacobs	92 0 0	Bealiba ...	1.1.94	5 years less 3 days	1 10 8	£1, Melbourne, 13.4.98	" 539
1448	Geo. Nichols	Wm. Thos. Nichols	565 0 0	Meerlieu	1.7.87	11½ years less 3 days	5 17 10	£1 Sale, 27.11.99	Sale 1/419
5546	Executor of A. Poole	T. S. Knight ...	175 0 0	Yeerung ...	1.1.88	11 years less 3 days	1 16 6	£1 Sale, 27.11.99	" 2/454

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

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

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.				Total to pay.	Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at--
			Purchase Money.	Fees.				
				Grant.	Plan or Survey.	Assurance.		
A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			

Under Section 76 of the Land Act 1890.

James Hy. Curnow ... | Sandhurst ... | 0 0 21 5 | 2 10 0 | 1 1 | 2 4 | 0 0 2 | 5 15 2 | Bendigo B.26412

Under Section 36 of the Mines Act 1890.

Michael Flannigan ... | Sandhurst ... | 0 0 35 7 6 | 50 0 0 | 1 1 | ... | 0 2 1 | 51 3 1 | Bendigo 301/36
 Frederick D. Perry ... | " ... | 0 0 21 | 20 0 0 | 1 1 | ... | 0 0 10 | 21 1 10 | " 746/36

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 27th December, 1899. J. H. McCOLL, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUE OF CROWN GRANTS.

Corr. No.	Name.	Area.	Parish.	Date of Payment	Amount Collected.				Paid to Receiver of Revenue at--
					Balance.	Grant Fee.	Assurance Fee.	Total Amount	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	

Under Section 20 of The Land Act 1869 as amended by The Land Act 1878.

4846	Mary J. Poole ...	233 0 0	Gannawarra ...	11.12.99	99 0 6	1 6 0	0 9 9	100 16 3	Kerang 3/450
1914	W. H. Jury ...	200 0 18	Borodomanin ...	"	40 4 0	1 6 0	0 8 5	41 18 5	Melbourne 2/253
3884	W. H. Jury ...	120 0 0	"	"	33 0 0	1 6 0	0 5 0	34 11 0	" 2/346
4892	W. H. Jury ...	320 0 0	"	"	88 0 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	90 4 10	" 2/345
2721	Eliz. R. Shaw ...	168 3 29	Branket ...	13.12.99	4 4 6	1 6 0	0 7 1	5 17 7	Mansfield 2/473
16758	J. Croxford ...	119 0 0	Boho ...	14.12.99	17 17 0	1 6 0	0 5 0	19 8 0	Benalla 8/152
14755	J. Croxford ...	201 0 0	"	"	5 0 6	1 6 0	0 8 5	6 14 11	" 8/153
8932	Minister of Education (transferee of W. King)	1 0 0	Boorhaman ...	18.12.99	0 13 0	1 1 0	0 0 1	1 14 1	Melbourne 4/173
3827	G. Lhuillier ...	320 0 0	Mincha ...	11.12.99	16 0 0	1 11 6	0 13 4	18 4 10	" 3/321
2081	James Belton ...	209 3 33	Pranjip ...	11.12.99	26 5 0	1 6 0	0 8 9	27 19 9	" 2/51
2684	Robert Gemmell ...	313 3 25	Yea ...	12.12.99	15 14 0	1 11 6	0 13 1	17 18 7	Yea 2/214
3252	Isaac Bell ...	182 0 0	Monea N., &c. ...	14.12.99	22 15 0	1 6 0	0 7 7	24 8 7	Seymour 3/65
5350	F. Marchmont ...	291 1 29	Swanwater ...	12.12.99	7 6 0	1 6 0	0 12 2	9 4 2	St. Arnaud 4/476
2648	Sarah Fennell ...	249 0 34	Langkoop ...	18.11.99	6 5 0	1 6 0	0 10 5	8 1 5	Harrow 3/185
6052	Jas. F. Beard ...	50 1 1	Loy Yang ...	11.6.99	1 5 6	1 6 0	0 2 2	2 13 8	Traralgon 3/22
5177	Wm. Murdoch ...	185 3 2	Maryvale ...	12.12.99	13 19 0	1 6 0	0 7 9	15 12 9	Morwell 2/341
4133	Wm. Bryson ...	86 1 21	Budgeree ...	"	2 3 6	1 6 0	0 3 8	3 13 2	" 2/57
92	John Bulmer ...	209 1 25	Colquhoun ...	"	15 15 0	1 6 0	0 8 9	17 9 9	Bairnsdale 1/33
98	John Bulmer ...	89 1 30	"	"	9 0 0	1 6 0	0 3 9	10 9 9	" 1/34

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 27th December, 1899. J. H. McCOLL, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS FOR THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF LOCAL COMMITTEE FOR THE NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT.

It is hereby notified that the following alphabetical list of voters for the North-Eastern Vermin District is published in accordance with the Regulations under the Land Act 1870, Part II., for the destruction of vermin.

J. H. McCOLL,

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 13th December, 1899.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
Anderson, Thomas Wm.	433	Tatchera	One
Anderson, Samuel Geo.	434	"	"
Anderson, David Andrew	436	"	"
Anderson, Amy Ada	437	"	"
Anderson, Henry Arthur	438	"	"
Austin, Robert Linton	306	"	"
Anderson, Laurie Francis	{ 437L 438R	"	"
Allen, Joseph John	1	Parish of Pier Millan	"
Ah Fan	58 (Piangil)	Tatchera	"
Allan, William F.	974	Karkaroc	"
Ah Taek	67 (Piangil)	Tatchera	"
Anderson, Geo. W.	1000	Karkaroc	"
Allen, J. J.	745	"	"
Allen, B.	745	"	"
Allison, Robert	541	Tatchera	"
Ah Yin Luio	66 (Piangil)	"	"
Allison, Thomas F.	540	"	"
Aldridge, Benjamin	442	"	"
Ah Kow, James	68 (Piangil)	"	"
Angus, James H.	453	"	"
Allan, Wm.	40 (Piangil)	"	"
Allen, Benjamin	2 (Pier Millan)	Karkaroc	"
Allan, James Hall	9 (Nowie)	Tatchera	"
Burton, Zachariah	Block 52A	"	"
Balderson, Christopher	9 (Murnungin)	"	"
Banko, James A.	10 (Meatian)	"	"
Bell, Thomas	2	Karkaroc	"
Bird, Thomas James	(Bourka) 3 (Woorinen)	Tatchera	"
Borchard, Johannes	28	"	"
Buchanan, David	(Towan) Block 17A	"	"
Barry, David	Allot. 166	"	"
Burns, James	440J	"	"
Bell, Henry Edwd.	295	"	"
Burke, Susan	440A	"	"
Boyle, Wm. Geo.	436K	"	"
Blade, James	162T	"	"
Betheras, Samuel	165P	"	"
Bunning, John	165J	"	"
Black, Wm.	570	"	"
Byrne, Edwd. Jno. Chas.	72 (Piangil)	"	"
Barton, James	480	"	"
Bassett, Francis	1107	Karkaroc	"
Barton, Geo.	545	Tatchera	"
Banner, Thomas	788	Karkaroc	"
Brehaut, George	1129	"	"
Brehaut, Geo. T.	1184	"	"
Brennan, Michael	1170	"	"
Brennan, William	1189	"	"
Bird, Arthur	458	Tatchera	"
Borchard, Robert	586	"	"
Bosher, Wm. H.	830	Karkaroc	"
Bosher, Geo. G.	828	"	"
Bosher, David T.	829	"	"
Bond, Fredk. Wm.	1059	"	"
Burrows, Wm. H.	1100	"	"
Burns, John	454	Tatchera	"
Burke, Robt.	443	"	"
Byrne, Wm. J.	1171	Karkaroc	"
Bryant, Jane	919	"	"
Burdett, Archibald Ewing	508	Tatchera	"
Burdett, Charles James	509	"	"
Chapman, William	2 (Tyn-tynder North)	"	"
Cant, Jno. Wm.	14 (Tyn-tynder North)	"	"
Carr, Hugh Jno.	5 (Meatian)	"	"
Cleary, Thomas	5 (Murnungin)	"	"
Cleary, Patrick	4 (Murnungin)	"	"
Conway, Frank	11 (Nowie)	"	"

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS—continued.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT—continued.			
Connor, Stephen	7 (Nowie)	Tatchera	One
Currie, Simon Hugh	2 (Woorinen)	"	"
Connelly, Elizabeth	2 (Boorong)	Karkaroc	"
Cockfield, Roland	299	Tatchera	"
Cobham, Percy Edwd.	437s	"	"
Chisholm, Annie Eleanor	440	"	"
Cooper, Wm. Adam	190	"	"
Cuttle, Edwin H.	436E	"	"
Cuttle, Margaret Ann	437P	"	"
Currie, Mary	179	"	"
Currie, James Gilbert	180	"	"
Cockfield, Richard	298	"	"
Cockfield, Oscar	300	"	"
Cooper, Thos. N.	305	"	"
Cobham, Alex. Blyth	437M	"	"
Carty, Patrick	15	"	"
Creswick, Alex. Thomson	(Ultima) { 16A 16B	"	"
Creswick, Henry	Block 18A	"	"
Creswick, Alice	Block 18B	"	"
Cleary, Wm.	162J	"	"
Clohesy, Wm.	{ 162E 162H	"	"
Candy, Lily Ann Newton	1162	Karkaroc	"
Caldow, Wm.	744	"	"
Cannard, Chas.	1101	"	"
Candy, Alfd. J.	1161	"	"
Carmichael, Chas.	572	Tatchera	"
Cant, Geo. M.	596	"	"
Clarke, Wm. H.	596	"	"
Cowper, C. A.	558	"	"
Conlan, Michael	{ 968 969	{ Karkaroc Tatchera	"
Coman, James	507	Tatchera	"
Conlan, James	876	Karkaroc	"
Conlan, Jno. P.	917	"	"
Cross, Henry	910	"	"
Collins, Jno. C.	1121	"	"
Cronyn, Edwd.	617	Tatchera	"
Connolly, Patk. J.	1196	Karkaroc	"
Currie, Robt.	457	Tatchera	"
Curran, Patk.	611	"	"
Currie, Alice V.	455	"	"
Dawe, Alfred Ernest	11 (Murnungin)	"	"
Dawe, Gustavus	12 (Murnungin)	"	"
Dawe, Spencer	16 (Murnungin)	"	"
Dawe, Walter H.	3 (Murnungin)	"	"
Dillon, John	2	"	"
Donohue, Roger	(Ultima) 8 Murnungin	"	"
Dugan, Leonard W.	57 (Piangil)	"	"
Dickson, Lewis	4 (Pier Millan)	"	"
Dillon, Gerald	165	"	"
Dohnt, Johann G.	440H	"	"
Devine, Jno.	440S	"	"
Devine, James	440N	"	"
Donohue, John	315	"	"
Davis, Stephen	437J	"	"
Dagge, David	162I	"	"
Dagge, James	162U	"	"
Devine, Hugh	165A	"	"
Draper, Wm.	1061	Karkaroc	"
D'Arcy, Francis	1123	"	"
Daniell, Wm. A.	832	"	"
Danaher, Alicia	736	"	"
Danaher, Wm.	737	"	"
Devlin, Wm. J.	446	Tatchera	"
Devine, A.	440W	"	"
Devine, Patk.	440Z	"	"
Devlin, Geo.	447	"	"
Dickson, Alex.	484	"	"
Dickson, Wm. H.	1062	Karkaroc	"
Donnan, James R.	591	Tatchera	"
Dobbin, David	968	Karkaroc	"
Duggan, Wm.	466	Tatchera	"
Durie, Thomas	918	Karkaroc	"
Duthie, James S.	588	Tatchera	"
Egan, James F.	612	"	"
Eakin, Sarah J.	1124	Karkaroc	"
Eskrick, Wm. H.	571	Tatchera	"
Ellison, Thomas	518	"	"
Ellison, Jno.	474	"	"
Farrant, E. H. B.	4 (Woorinen)	"	"
Fowler, Wm.	46 (Piangil)	"	"
Ferguson, Jno.	292	"	"
Froment, Florian	437D	"	"

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS—continued.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT—continued.			
Freeman, Chas. ...	{ 438r } 438r	Tatchera	One
Foreman, Wm. Edwd. ...	163L	"	"
Foreman, Geo. Hy.; and	{ 164q } 164q	"	"
Foreman, Chas. Hy. ...	{ 165x } 165x	"	"
Foreman, Mary E. ...	964	Karkaroc	"
Gleeson, John ...	10 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Glover, Jno. ...	3 (Meat-tian)	"	"
Good, Robt. H. ...	20 (Murnungin)	"	"
Good, Thomas Patk. ...	19 (Murnungin)	"	"
Gay, Robt. ...	170	"	"
Gleeson, Jno. ...	188	"	"
Grey, Peter ...	438s	"	"
Gray, John ...	Block 52a	"	"
Goldsbrough, Mort, and Coy. Ltd. ...	160	"	"
Good, Josiah ...	164k	"	"
Good, Christopher ...	164L	"	"
Gammon, Wm. S. ...	462	"	"
Green, Chas. ...	543	"	"
Glenton, Frank E. H. ...	8 & 9 (Pian-gil)	"	"
Gillespie, David ...	549	"	"
Griffin, Wm., the elder	747	Karkaroc	"
Gibson, Robt. ...	969	"	"
Gillick, Thomas ...	1111	"	"
Gottschutke, Joseph ...	959	"	"
Glowrey, Edwd. J. ...	735	"	"
Gurr, Richard B. ...	973	"	"
Hallam, Geo., jun. ...	1 (Boor-ong)	"	"
Hadlam, James ...	3 (Tyn-tynder West)	Tatchera	"
Hammond, Samuel ...	7 (Bourka)	Karkaroc	"
Harrop, Violet May ...	6 (Tyn-tynder West)	Tatchera	"
Hayes, Jno. ...	7 (Tyn-tynder West)	"	"
Hallam, Jno. ...	26 (Bim-bourie)	Karkaroc	"
Harrop, Thos., jun. ...	10 (Tyn-tynder West)	Tatchera	"
Hart, Samuel Hendy ...	12 (Woo-riren)	"	"
Hetherington, Jno. M. ...	14 (Ul-tima)	"	"
Hogben, Wm. ...	4 (Tyn-tynder West)	"	"
Hill, Joseph ...	16 (Pian-gil)	"	"
Hood, Robert ...	15 (Murnungin)	"	"
Holloway, George ...	Block 21	"	"
Hercules, Rosa ...	16 (Ul-tima)	"	"
Hardyman, Patk. ...	174	"	"
Hardiman, Thomas ...	175	"	"
Hehir, Michael ...	{ 440f } 287	"	"
Hunter, Alex. L. ...	440P	"	"
Harse, Thos. ...	437A	"	"
Hooper, E. J., jun. ...	202	"	"
Hooper, W. R. P. ...	187	"	"
Holyoak, Wm. ...	293	"	"
Hardiman, Jno. ...	176	"	"
Hill, Jno. ...	162A	"	"
Hehir, Martin ...	{ 165B } 165E	"	"
Hughes, Jno. ...	165I	"	"
Holding, Jno. ...	{ 162K } 162Q	"	"
Hardiman, Maria ...	162s	"	"
Honan, Michael ...	{ 164f } 165Q 165R 165S 165T 165U	"	"
Hayes, Margaret ...	525	"	"
Hannon, Jno. ...	441	"	"
Harper, Joseph ...	{ 162K } 162N 162o	"	"
Haddlam, James ...	511	"	"
Hamilton, Richd. ...	461	"	"
Harvey, Jno. T. ...	467	"	"
Harrop, Thos. ...	487	"	"
Hayes, Jno. J. ...	501	"	"
Haig, Geo. ...	523	"	"
Hayward, Joseph ...	590	"	"

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Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT—continued.			
Hayes, Jno. ...	574	Tatchera	One
Haessler, Ferdinand ...	786	Karkaroc	"
Hammond, Geo. ...	1185	"	"
Hammond, Samuel ...	1190	"	"
Hagelthorn, Adolf F. ...	976	"	"
Harcoan, Chas. E. ...	1177	"	"
Hammond, Samuel, the younger	1186	"	"
Hewetson, Thomas ...	603	Tatchera	"
Heath, Robert ...	598	"	"
Hewell, Ephraim ...	746	Karkaroc	"
Healey, Patrick ...	1183	"	"
Hessian, B. ...	1159	"	"
Henson, Thos. W. ...	872	"	"
Hewetson, Hy. W. ...	600	Tatchera	"
Heggen, Wm. ...	602	"	"
Holland, Jno. ...	477	"	"
Hoare, Patk. J., jun. ...	1120	Karkaroc	"
Hoo Ah Lein ...	65 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Hurry, G. ...	569	"	"
Ison, Thomas ...	314	"	"
Joyce, Edmond Thomas ...	{ 513 } 2 (Tyn-tynder West)	"	"
Jones, Thomas Tolley ...	294	"	"
Jury, Thomas ...	437I	"	"
Johnstone, Adam ...	286	"	"
Jager, Wm. ...	440G	"	"
Jones, B. J. J. ...	301	"	"
Johnson, Jane ...	{ 165N } 165O	"	"
Jenkin, Mark ...	506	"	"
Jeans, George ...	566	"	"
Joyce, Jno. ...	475	"	"
Joyce, Lucy ...	512	"	"
Kehiry, Sarah Ann ...	5 (Tyn-tynder West)	"	"
Kehiry, Jno. ...	19 (Tyn-tynder West)	"	"
Keim, Daniel F. ...	4 (Nowie)	"	"
Kemp, Randolph Meredith ...	3 and 18 (Bourka)	Karkaroc	"
Kensley, Thomas Jno. ...	1 (Towan)	Tatchera	"
King, Stephen, the younger ...	7 (Ul-tima)	"	"
Kennedy, Patrick William ...	{ 296 } 297	"	"
Kane, James ...	1180	Karkaroc	"
Kehiry, Patrick ...	476	Tatchera	"
Kemp, Eleanor ...	864	Karkaroc	"
Kemp, Randolph ...	1056	"	"
Kiel, Geo. ...	451	Tatchera	"
Kirk, Jno. ...	1089	Karkaroc	"
Kruger, Otto ...	562	Tatchera	"
Learnmonth, J. H. ...	8 (Ul-tima)	"	"
Leslie, Margaret Jane ...	8 (Bourka)	Karkaroc	"
Liston, Luke ...	5 (Bourka)	"	"
Lockhart, Jno. ...	6 and 7 (Murnungin)	Tatchera	"
Lawless, Patk. ...	200	"	"
Lorimer, Jno. ...	438o	"	"
Lavery, Hugh ...	1139	Karkaroc	"
Langley, Jno. ...	965	"	"
Lee, Wm. Jno. ...	515	Tatchera	"
Lee, Wm. ...	514	"	"
Leahy, Daniel ...	1132	Karkaroc	"
Leslie, Wm. Jno. ...	1114	"	"
Leslie, James A. ...	1109	"	"
Lloyd, Albert E. ...	1118	"	"
Marshall, Jno. ...	3 (Pier-Millan)	"	"
Meehan, James P. ...	1 (Meat-tian)	Tatchera	"
Moloney, Michael ...	4 (Ul-tima)	"	"
Murdoch, Thos. B. ...	2 (Meat-tian)	"	"
Mallee Agricultural and Pastoral Coy. Ltd. ...	{ 24A } 24B 26A	"	"
Marshall, Wm. Hy. ...	197	"	"
Mather, Chas. W. M. ...	440o	"	"
Maloney, Thos. ...	169	"	"
Moore, Jno. Hy. ...	191	"	"
Moffatt, Isaac S. ...	307	"	"
Moore, Richd. ...	171	"	"
Matheson, Neil ...	437T	"	"
Magee, Samuel ...	302	"	"
Munro, Samuel ...	437N	"	"
Muhlan, August ...	438H	"	"
Marks, Auldrif Goodland ...	438H	"	"

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Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMINT DISTRICT—continued.			
Matthews, Geo.	164J	Tatchera	One
	162G		
	163O		
Milburn, Jno. Wm....	163D	"	"
	163K		
	164H		
Murray, James	165H	"	"
Murphy, Jno. Wm....	42 (Pian-gil)	"	"
Macague, Jno.	1119	Karkaroc	"
Matthews, Thos.	1172	"	"
Mangan, James	1103	"	"
Mines, Jno.	1181	"	"
Morrow, Simon A.	922	"	"
Manfield, Wm.	544	Tatchera	"
Moloney, Patk.	1127	Karkaroc	"
Murphy, Wm. Jas.	741	"	"
Murphy, Jeremiah ...	63 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Maughan, George	164M	"	"
McCallum, Alex.	2 (Bim-bourie)	Karkaroc	"
McInerney, Michael ...	1 (Tyn-tynder West)	Tatchera	"
McDonald, James ...	4 (Bourka)	Karkaroc	"
McDonald, Hugh ...	47 (Bourka)	"	"
McDonald, Euphemia ...	53 (Bourka)	"	"
McDonald, Donald ...	8 (Boo-rong)	"	"
McGrath, Timothy ...	1 (Murnungin)	Tatchera	"
McGrath, Jno. Ambrose ...	2 (Murnungin)	"	"
McInerney, Michael ...	12 (Boo-rong)	Karkaroc	"
McKay, Thos. F. ...	22 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
McLarty, Alex. D. ...	1 (Nyr-raby)	"	"
McLennan, Donald ...	4 (Nyr-raby)	"	"
Macfarlane, Walter ...	Blk. 50A	"	"
McCabe, Hugh, jun. ...	198	"	"
McFarlane, Elizabeth B. ...	438A	"	"
McKeown, Hy.	284	"	"
McKenzie, Allan ...	437B	"	"
McLennan, Neil Innes ...	304A	"	"
McLeod, Roderick ...	438B	"	"
McLeod, Wm.	436G	"	"
McLennan, Alex.	309	"	"
McNaughton, Jno. ...	283	"	"
	288	"	"
McLennan, Annie ...	310	"	"
McKenzie, Donald ...	437E	"	"
McKenzie, Angus, jun. ...	437F	"	"
McKay, Alex.	436A	"	"
McKay, Donald ...	436B	"	"
McKay, Roderick ...	436C	"	"
McNaughton, James ...	162C	"	"
McNaughton, Peter...	165K	"	"
McLean, Andrew ...	165F	"	"
	165G		
McCallum, Angus ...	961	Karkaroc	"
McCurdy, Mary Ann ...	289	Tatchera	"
McDonald, Norman ...	1095	Karkaroc	"
McDonald, Donald ...	1104	"	"
McDonald, Jno.	1131	"	"
McInerney, James ...	521	Tatchera	"
McKenzie, Jno.	456	"	"
McKay, Geo.	548	"	"
McKenzie, Chas. ...	785	Karkaroc	"
McKnight, Walter...	579	Tatchera	"
McLean, Peter Fraser ...	471	"	"
McLennan, Farquhar ...	479	"	"
McLennan, Catherine ...	539	"	"
McLennan, Louis ...	463	"	"
McNeill, Mary ...	1113	Karkaroc	"
McNeill, James ...	1105	"	"
McDonald, Annie Jane ...	743	"	"
McDonald, Catherine B. ...	1191	"	"
McMonnies, William ...	296	Tatchera	"
	297		
Newman, Bartholomew ...	6 (Ultima)	"	"
Nicholas, Charles James ...	5 (Towan)	"	"
Noonan, Michael ...	13 (Murnungin)	"	"
Neely, Hy. A.	440D	"	"
Neely, Daniel ...	440P	"	"
Neumann, Heinrich ...	1128	Karkaroc	"
Nicholson, Donald ...	852	"	"
Niske, Ludwig ...	1102	"	"
O'Shannassy, Wm. N. ...	4 (Tyn-tynder North)	Tatchera	"
O'Connor, Geo.	14 (Mea-tian)	"	"
O'Connor, Hannah ...	1 (Woo-riren)	"	"

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS—continued.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMINT DISTRICT—continued.			
Odgers, Wm. Hy. ...	3 & 975 (Boo-rong)	Karkaroc	One
Odgers, Wm. Hy., the younger	4 & 7 (Bim-bourie)	"	"
O'Toole, James ...	9 (Mea-tian)	Tatchera	"
Oughtred, Joseph ...	13 (Mea-tian)	"	"
O'Connor, James ...	162Y	"	"
	163	"	"
	440Q	"	"
Onge, Robt. P. ...	437K	"	"
Oakley, Hy. W. ...	368	"	"
Old, Thos. S.	162M	"	"
O'Brien, Owon ...	162P	"	"
Old, Geo. Thos. ...	162E	"	"
O'Connor, Jessie ...	162Z	"	"
O'Bree, Patk.	24	"	"
	(Piangil)		
O'Shannassy, Walter V. ...	573	"	"
Orbell, Philip F. ...	1136	Karkaroc	"
O'Reilly, James ...	1116	"	"
O'Connor, Martin ...	464	Tatchera	"
O'Rourke, James ...	1188	Karkaroc	"
O'Bryan, Mark K. ...	1198	"	"
Orr, Alex.	1122	"	"
Presley, Frank ...	2 (Nyr-raby)	Tatchera	"
Power, Pat.	17 (Murnungin)	"	"
Power, James ...	10 (Murnungin)	"	"
Power, Thomas ...	18 (Murnungin)	"	"
Porter, Arthur ...	1 (Bourka)	Karkaroc	"
Parker, Orville Jno. ...	440B	Tatchera	"
Paulin, Wm.	186	"	"
Fearse, Wm. A. J. ...	311	"	"
Fritchard, Wm. Jno. ...	436D	"	"
Folley, Robt. Eton ...	436J	"	"
Pendlebury, Walter ...	165L	"	"
Pendlebury, Geo. Hy. ...	164E & 164F	"	"
Parker, Richd. ...	516	"	"
Perinoni, Battista ...	26	"	"
	(Piangil)		
Power, Joseph ...	535	"	"
Pomeroy, Walter ...	1099	Karkaroc	"
Purcell, Stephen ...	564	Tatchera	"
Power, Charles ...	535	"	"
Riseborough, Andrew ...	18	"	"
	(Ultima)		
Richardson, Donald ...	7 (Mea-tian)	"	"
Roberts, Evan ...	26 (Woo-riren)	"	"
Rooney, Jno. ...	38 (Woo-riren)	"	"
Rodgers, Frank ...	11 (Mea-tian)	"	"
Ryan, Mary ...	1 (Bim-bourie)	Karkaroc	"
Ryan, Matthew ...	33 (Piangil)	Tatchera	"
Ridges, Edwd. W. ...	436H	"	"
Rohan, Michael ...	178	"	"
Rohan, John ...	189	"	"
Rutland, Geo. Hy. ...	437G	"	"
Rutland, Edwd. ...	437H	"	"
Rutland, Frank ...	436I	"	"
Ryan, Patrick ...	195	"	"
Ryan, James ...	196	"	"
Ryan, Edmond ...	177	"	"
Ryan, Michael ...	279	"	"
	162L		
	440R		
Ryan, Jno. Joseph ...	440C	"	"
	440V		
	440X		
	440T		
Ryan, Martin ...	192	"	"
Ryan, Michael Jno. ...	192	"	"
Ross, Wm. A. ...	440M	"	"
Richardson, James ...	164I	"	"
Rees, George Symons ...	164M	"	"
Robertson, Jno. ...	164N	"	"
Richter, Martin ...	1063	Karkaroc	"
Roberts, Wm. ...	448	Tatchera	"
Roberts, Victor ...	877	Karkaroc	"
Rogers, Baylee H. ...	692	"	"
Rutherford, Wm. ...	1135	"	"
Ryan, Jno. ...	1125	"	"
Ryan, Michael ...	1197	"	"
Saville, Geo. E. ...	1 (Tyn-tynder North)	Tatchera	"

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS—continued.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT—continued.			
Sanford, Edith ...	12 (Ultima)	Tatchera	One
Schubert, Paul ...	12 (Meatian)	"	"
Simons, George ...	14 (Murnungin)	"	"
Sturrock, Grace ...	4 (Meatian)	"	"
Scanlon, Michael P. ...	201	"	"
Shaw, Maria Maud ...	437a	"	"
Slattery, Joseph ...	199	"	"
Slattery, Hugh, jun. ...	199	"	"
Smith, Walter ...	437o	"	"
Stuart, Jno. ...	285	"	"
Sutherland, James ...	{ 182 } 183	"	"
Standen, Thomas ...	303	"	"
Slattery, Patk. ...	164A	"	"
Sayers, James A. ...	164G	"	"
Stoddart, James ...	{ 164N } 164O	"	"
Sutton, Jno. Thos. ...	162A ¹	"	"
Squire, Joseph ...	165w	"	"
Stafford, Obediah ...	537	"	"
Stafford, Henry ...	551	"	"
Sandford, Henry ...	554	"	"
Serpell, Wm. T. ...	577	"	"
Steedman, Jno. ...	921	Karkaroo	"
Severson, Johannes, P. ...	469	Tatchera	"
Smith, Melville ...	550	"	"
Smith, Fred. ...	613	"	"
Smith, Hy. A. ...	882	Karkaroo	"
Schiller, Johann A. ...	1110	"	"
Sing, Hakim ...	25 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Smith, Elderson ...	510	"	"
Smith, Lucy ...	482	"	"
Scobie, Jno. ...	536	"	"
Scobie, Daniel ...	563	"	"
Sutherland, Peter ...	783	Karkaroo	"
Sutherland, Wm. C. ...	920	"	"
Sutherland, Jno. ...	784	"	"
Sutherland, Hy., the younger	782	"	"
Sutton, Jno. ...	1117	"	"
Sutton, Elijah Percy ...	41 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Simms, Wm. ...	547	"	"
Teasdale, Jno. W. ...	4 (Bim-bourie)	Karkaroo	"
Trower, Wm. ...	3 (Tyn-tynder North)	Tatchera	"
Triplet, Hy. E. ...	13 (Ultima)	"	"
The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company Limited	{ Blocks } 19A 19n	"	"
Taylor, Thos. ...	440c	"	"
Theobald, Augustus A. ...	440E	"	"
Theobald, Albert E. ...	440F	"	"
Town, Elizabeth Ann ...	40 (Woorinen)	"	"
Trevithick, Wm. E. ...	163i 162D, 163A, 163B ¹ , 163E, 163F, 163G, & 165D	"	"
Tilling, Friedrich W. ...	51 (Pian-gil)	"	"
Taylor, Albert Chester ...	565	"	"
Taylor, Francis Hy. ...	923	Karkaroo	"

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF VOTERS—continued.

Name.	Number of Allotment.	County.	Number of Votes.
NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT—continued.			
Taylor, George M. ...	958	Karkaroo	One
Taffe, Francis ...	547	Tatchera	"
Taffe, Richard Joseph ...	547	"	"
Tellefson, Thomas ...	908	Karkaroo	"
Teague, Mary Adelaide ...	517	Tatchera	"
Thompson, Matthew ...	542	"	"
Thompson, Wm. D. ...	791	Karkaroo	"
Umbers, Frederick ...	165M	Tatchera	"
Umbers, Richard ...	71 (Pian-gil)	"	"
Walker, Hy. ...	3 (Nyr-raby)	"	"
Walker, Phillis ...	2 (Town-an)	"	"
Watson, Francis Jno. ...	5 (Bim-bourie)	Karkaroo	"
Wells, Wm. ...	3 (Ultima)	Tatchera	"
Whittaker, Benjamin, the younger	4 (Town-an)	"	"
Whittaker, Nahum ...	27 (Town-an)	"	"
Wilkins, Wm. ...	39 (Woorinen)	"	"
Wieckhardt, Margaret P. ...	438Q	"	"
Wilson, James ...	438c	"	"
Wyse, Isabella ...	440x	"	"
Walsh, Mary ...	167	"	"
Walsh, Jno. ...	172 & 173	"	"
Waise, Heinrich ...	194	"	"
Waise, Gustave ...	193	"	"
Wells, Geo. J. ...	438D	"	"
Weatherly, Henry J. ...	436F	"	"
Wilson, Wm. ...	438F	"	"
Wood, George ...	435	"	"
Watson, Walter Creswick	437Q	"	"
Watson, Robert Alfred ...	437c	"	"
Wilson, Matthew ...	438z	"	"
White, Hugh ...	181	"	"
Wilkinson, Edith Annie ...	312	"	"
Wood, Matthew ...	592	"	"
Ward, Thomas ...	459	"	"
Walker, George ...	553	"	"
Watson, James C. ...	575	"	"
Watson, James Geo. ...	875	Karkaroo	"
Ward, Thos. ...	50 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Watson, Mary Ellen ...	290	"	"
Watson, Elizabeth Ann ...	291	"	"
Watson, Samuel Pearson ...	576	"	"
Watts, Alfred ...	867	Karkaroo	"
Wallace, Annie ...	450	Tatchera	"
Webster, Jno. Thos. ...	1112	Karkaroo	"
Whelan, James ...	833	"	"
Weise, Gottlieb ...	445	Tatchera	"
Witney, Walter W. ...	1096	Karkaroo	"
Wishart, James B. ...	930	"	"
Williams, Jonathan H. ...	1053	"	"
Williams, Thos. ...	1138	"	"
Worrall, Seth H. ...	460	Tatchera	"
Woodburn, Robt. ...	470	"	"
Wood, Thos. James, the younger	578	"	"
Wolf, Friedrich ...	616	"	"
Wood, Robt. Gravenor ...	Block 52A	"	"
Woods, Thomas ...	873	Karkaroo	"
Woodburn, Hugh ...	1176	"	"
Woodburn, James ...	1195	"	"
Woodburn, Robert ...	1194	"	"
Young, Peter ...	69 (Pian-gil)	Tatchera	"
Yetman, Jno. ...	1086	Karkaroo	"
Yeo, Tavernor, and Co. Ltd.	313	Tatchera	"

Mallee Lands Act 1896 and Land Act 1898.

MALLEE LANDS AVAILABLE FOR SELECTION UNDER SECTION 7 AS AGRICULTURAL ALLOTMENTS, EITHER UNDER LICENCE OR PERPETUAL LEASE.

APPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, to select the undermentioned allotments are now receivable.

Applications must be made on the forms issued for that purpose (which can be obtained at any Lands Office in the district or from the Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne), and forwarded to any Land Officer, accompanied by a certificate of registration to be obtained from any receiver and paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
675	628	Karkaroc
676	632	"
677	632	"
678	639	"
679	639	"
680	631	"
681	640	"
682	640	"
683	640	"
684	640	"
685	633	"
686	640	"
687	640	"
688	474	"
689	474	"
690	474	"
691	440	"
693	364	"
694	341	"
695	340	"
696	341	"
697	473	"
698	341	"
699	478	"
700	493	"
701	474	"
702	474	"
703	474	"
704	640	"
705	640	"
706	632	"
707	640	"
708	640	"
709	640	"
710	640	"
711	632	"
712	640	"
713	640	"
714	634	"
715	635	"
716	630	"
717	631	"
718	631	"
719	631	"
720	631	"
721	632	"
722	620	"
723	640	"
724	632	"
725	640	"
726	640	"
727	640	"
728	513	"
729	632	"
730	640	"
731	597	"
732	474	"
733	474	"
734	474	"
738	474	"
739	474	"
740	456	"
748	474	"
749	473	"
750	474	"
751	632	"
752	640	"
753	632	"
754	632	"
755	640	"
756	640	"
757	639	"
758	632	"
759	639	"
760	639	"
761	632	"
762	632	"
763	551	"
764	631	"
765	632	"
766	633	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
767	631	Karkaroc
768	631	"
769	640	"
770	640	"
771	632	"
772	640	"
773	640	"
774	640	"
775	640	"
776	632	"
777	640	"
778	640	"
779	474	"
780	478	"
781	474	"
790	473	"
792	473	"
797	474	"
798	640	"
799	640	"
800	632	"
801	640	"
802	640	"
803	640	"
804	640	"
805	632	"
806	640	"
807	640	"
808	632	"
809	632	"
810	631	"
811	631	"
812	640	"
813	640	"
814	633	"
815	640	"
816	640	"
817	640	"
818	640	"
819	663	"
820	609	"
821	640	"
822	474	"
823	474	"
824	474	"
825	474	"
826	474	"
834	474	"
885	483	"
836	487	"
836A	487	"
837	686	"
838	613	"
839	602	"
840	576	"
841	797	"
842	841	"
843	641	"
844	639	"
845	639	"
846	639	"
847	632	"
848	639	"
849	639	"
850	474	"
851	473	"
853	474	"
854	640	"
855	640	"
856	633	"
857	641	"
858	641	"
859	642	"
860	640	"
861	826	"
862	840	"
863	840	"
865	472	"
866	477	"
868	474	"
869	475	"
878	480	"
879	477	"
880	512	"
881	508	"
883	641	"
884	641	"
885	803	"
886	640	"
887	638	"
889	639	"
890	632	"
891	640	"
892	630	"
893	474	"
894	474	"
895	473	"
896	474	"
897	468	"
898	467	"
899	468	"
900	468	"

Subdivisions of blocks 26B and 27A

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—*contin ed.*

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MALLEE ALLOTMENTS— <i>contin ed.</i>			MALLEE ALLOTMENTS— <i>contin ed.</i>		
Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.	Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
Subdivisions of blocks 26A and 27A	901	Karkaroo	1091	343	Karkaroo
	902	"	1092	484	"
	903	"	1093	481	"
	904	"	1094	480	"
	905	"	1130	481	"
	906	"	1135	629	"
	907	"	1134	606	"
	909	"	1137	632	"
	911	"	1140	633	"
	912	"	1141	633	"
	913	"	1142	633	"
	914	"	1143	559	"
	915	"	1143	616	"
	924	"	1144	632	"
	925	"	1145	633	"
	926	"	1146	617	"
	927	"	1147	616	"
	928	"	1148	632	"
	929	"	1149	632	"
	931	"	1150	617	"
	932	"	1151	617	"
	933	"	1152	632	"
	934	"	1153	632	"
	935	"	1155	553	"
	936	"	1156	562	"
	937	"	1157	435	"
	938	"	1158	532	"
	939	"	1160	525	"
	940	"	1163	520	"
	942	"	1164	517	"
	943	"	1165	516	"
	944	"	1166	514	"
	945	"	1167	512	"
	947	"	1168	510	"
	948	"	1173	500	"
	949	"	1174	499	"
	950	"	1175	488	"
	951	"	1178	481	"
	952	"	53	92	Lowan, parish of Balrootan
	953	"	30	320	Lowan, parish of Woraigworm
	954	"	64*	393	Lowan, parish of Gerang Gerung
	955	"	1	613	Tatchera, parish of Piangil West
	956	"			
	957	"			
	958	"			
	970	"		2	637
971	"		3	637	
972	"		4	637	
977	"		5	637	
978	"		6	636	
979	"		7	636	
980	"		8	635	
981	"		9	635	
982	"		10	634	
983	"		11	632	
984	"		12	637	
985	"		13	637	
986	"		14	637	
987	"		15	637	
988	"		16	638	
989	"		17	638	
990	"		18	638	
			19	639	
			20	639	
			21	637	
			22	637	
			23	637	
			24	637	
			25	637	
			26	637	
			27	637	
			28	637	
			29	636	
			30	636	
			31	637	
			32	637	
			33	637	
			34	637	
			35	637	
			36	637	
			37	637	
			38	637	
			39	636	
			40	636	
			41	635	
			42	634	
			43	635	
			45	626	
			46	621	
			47	621	
			48	618	
			49	637	
			51	638	
			52	635	
			53	636	
			54	636	
			55	636	
			56	635	
			57	635	
			58	635	
			59	634	
			60	644	

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
61	635	Tatchera, parish of
62	634	Piangil West
63	636	"
64	635	"
65	634	"
66	634	"
67	635	"
68	635	"
69	634	"
70	639	"
71	631	"
72	631	"
73	635	"
74	635	"
75	635	"
76	636	"
77	637	"
78	639	"
79	639	"
2	482	Tatchera, parish of
3	481	Piangil
4	481	"
5	488	"
6	480	"
11	478	"
12	479	"
13	479	"
14	480	"
15	480	"
17	482	"
18	482	"
19	481	"
20	481	"
21	480	"
23	480	"
27	478	"
28	478	"
29	477	"
30	476	"
31	477	"
34	483	"
35	486	"
36	486	"
37	485	"
38	480	"
39	486	"
43	477	"
48	479	"
52	479	"
53	479	"
55	479	"
56	480	"
61	476	"
62	477	"
64	478	"
Subdivisions of block 64A	5	399
1019	555	Woeah Karkaroc
Subdivision of block 64B	67	642
9	140	"
10	130	Karkaroc, parish of
11	200	Gutchu
7	628	"
9	591	Parish of Pigick
10	492	"
12	591	"
13	591	"
14	591	"
16	591	"
18	591	"
22	630	"
2	636	"
11	635	Parish of Kurnbrunin
12	635	"
13	632	"
15	640	"
16	610	"
19	639	"
21	639	"
23	636	"
25	635	"
26	636	"
27	639	"
28	639	"
30	639	"
31	626	"
6	639	"
7	639	Parish of Nanowie
1	466	"
3	640	Parish of Nowie
10	465	"
35	487	"
53†	567	Parish of Wortongie
43	489	"
		Parish of Yaapeet

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

Number of Allotment.	Area in Acres.	County.
487	480	Tatchera
491	634	"
492	635	"
493	636	"
494	640	"
495	627	"
496	627	"
497	640	"
498	640	"
499	640	"
500	640	"
502	640	"
526	640	"
527	640	"
528	640	"
529	640	"
530	570	"
531	632	"
532	610	"
Subdivisions of blocks 21A and 21B	533	640
	534	640
	555	565
	556	639
	557	631
	559	639
	560	629
	583	635
	584	638
	585	639
	604	628
	665	640
	666	574
	607	499
	608	627
	609	629
Subdivisions of block 22A	281	639
	282	639

* All applications received on or before Friday, the 19th January, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.
 † All applications received on or before Friday, the 12th January, 1900, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made.

NOTE.—Incoming licensee or lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

Mallee Lands Act 1896.

MALLEE BLOCKS AND MALLEE ALLOTMENTS AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION.

APPLICATIONS, addressed to the President of the Board of Land and Works, for the right to lease the undermentioned mallee blocks for the term of three years and eleven months, from the 1st January, 1900; are now receivable. Plans and forms of application can be obtained at the Crown Lands Department, Melbourne. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate of registration, to be obtained from any Receiver and Paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

MALLEE BLOCKS.

Number of Block.	Area in square miles.	Situation, &c.
32B	140	County of Woeah
34B	199	County of Woeah
36B	141	County of Woeah
37A	157	On the South Australian boundary
37B	143	On the South Australian boundary
33A	202	On the South Australian boundary
38B	201	County of Woeah
39A	199	On the South Australian boundary
39B	201	County of Woeah
40A	98	County of Lowan
40B	90	County of Lowan
43A	102	County of Woeah
44A	104	County of Woeah
44B	104	County of Woeah

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements (if any) on these 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. Plans and forms of application can be obtained at the Land Offices in the district, or from the Crown Lands Department, Melbourne. Applications must be accompanied by a certificate of registration, to be obtained from any Receiver and Paymaster on payment of a fee of £1.

The tenure of lease is three years and eleven months from the 1st January, 1900.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
1	12 sq. miles and 229 acres	LOWAN
2	14 " and 556 "	"
3	14 " and 289 "	"
4	8 " and 225 "	"
5	8 " and 320 "	"
9x	1 " and 56 "	"
9g	442 acres	"
25	17 sq. miles	"
26	16 "	"
20	12 " and 523 acres	"
30B	3 " and 471 "	"
46A ¹	550 acres	"
55A	.1 sq. mile and 320 acres	"
54D	20 acres	"
67	8 sq. miles and 160 acres	"
63g	6 " and 284 "	"
75g	1 sq. mile and 287 "	"
75H	1 " and 284 "	"
121	31 sq. miles and 160 "	"
122A	14 sq. miles	"
124	23 sq. miles and 320 acres	"
126B	1 sq. mile and 41 "	"
136	2 sq. miles and 187 "	"
137B	605 acres	"
138	13 sq. miles and 553 acres	"
138A	16 " and 286 "	"
140	21 " and 583 "	"
141	15 " and 120 "	"
148	1 sq. mile and 45 "	"
152	2 sq. miles	"
153	629 acres	"
164	640 "	"
165B	5 sq. miles and 198 acres	"
167B	9 " and 490 "	"
168	18 " and 380 "	"
169	19 " and 117 "	"
170	13 " and 201 "	"
171	26 " and 347 "	"
173	13 " and 160 acres	"
174	14 " "	"
175	14 " "	"
176	12 " and 556 acres	"
175B	8 " and 178 "	"
184	15 " and 160 "	"
185	13 " and 253 "	"
187	11 " and 145 "	"
188	18 " and 142 "	"
189	18 " and 160 "	"
190	17 " and 506 "	"
191	24 " and 634 "	"
192	21 " "	"
193A	9 " and 422 acres	"
193B	8 " and 532 "	"
194	15 " and 120 "	"
195	9 " and 18 "	"
196B	10 " "	"
196c	5 " "	"
199	3 " and 320 acres	"
201	490 acres	"
201B	488 " "	"
208A	12 sq. miles and 533 acres	"
210	5 " and 168 "	"
210g	640 acres	"
210H	640 " "	"
210I	640 " "	"
210J	610 " "	"
210K	2 sq. miles	"
212D	637 acres	"
217A	1 sq. mile and 341 acres	"
217B	1 " and 341 "	"
217c	1 " and 341 "	"
221	554 acres	"
220A	1 sq. mile and 324 acres	"
221A	381 acres	"

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

MALLEE ALLOTMENTS—continued.

No. of Allotment.	Area.	County.
80	50 acres	Tatchera, parish of Piangil
81	"	"
82	"	"
83	"	"
86	"	"
87	"	"
88	"	"
89	"	"
90	"	"
91	"	"
92	"	"
93	"	"
94	"	"
95	"	"
96	"	"
97	"	"
98	"	"
99	"	"
100	"	"
101	"	"
102	"	"
103	"	"
104	"	"
105	"	"
106	"	"
107	"	"
108	"	"
109	"	"

Situated on the west side of the main road from Euston to Swan Hill, near "Wood Wood."

NOTE.—Incoming lessee to pay value of improvements (if any) on these allotments.

Land Act 1890, Part II.

NORTH-EASTERN VERMIN DISTRICT.—ELECTION.

AN Election of Members of Local Committee, under the Land Act 1890, Part II., for the North-Eastern Vermin District, will be held at the Court House, Swan Hill, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, commencing at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, and closing at Five o'clock in the afternoon.

E. W. SAMPSON,
Returning Officer.

Swan Hill, 27th December, 1899.

Courts.

ELECTORAL REVISION COURTS.—I hereby notify to the Clerks of Revision Courts, at the places named below, that Electoral Revision Courts will be held on the days and at the times and places set out hereunder, for the revision of the Lists of Ratepaying Electors and also the General Lists for the Legislative Assembly, viz. :—

- At CORRYONG, on Friday, the 2nd February, 1900, at Ten a.m.
- At MITTA MITTA, on Tuesday, the 6th February, 1900, at Nine a.m.
- At WODONGA, on Thursday, the 8th February, 1900, at Nine a.m.
- At STANLEY, on Saturday, the 10th February, 1900, at Eleven a.m.
- At YACKANDANDAH, on Monday, the 12th February, 1900, at Eleven a.m.
- At BEECHWORTH, on Tuesday, the 13th February, 1900, at Eleven a.m.
- At BRIGHT, on Thursday, the 15th February, 1900, at Nine a.m.
- At MYRTLEFORD, on Friday, the 16th February, 1900, at half-past Nine a.m.
- At BETHANGA, on Wednesday, the 21st February, 1900, at Eleven a.m.

Given under my hand, at Beechworth, the 23rd day of December, 1899.—JOSEPH ROWAN, P.M., Judge of the said Courts.

MELTON.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Melton, on Thursday, 18th day of January, 1900, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revising the General List for the Melton Division of the Southern Province. Dated at Melton this 27th day of December, 1899.—JAS. WADE, Clerk of the Revision Court.

TRARALGON.—ELECTORAL REVISION COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Court of Petty Sessions will be held at the Court House, Traralgon, on the 18th day of January, 1900, at Ten a.m. for the purpose of revising the General List for the Narracan and Traralgon Division of the Gippsland Province. Dated at Rosedale the 22nd day of December, 1899.—CHARLES DU VÉ, Clerk of the Revision Court.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes: pursuant to Order in Council of 27th November, 1899.

Ararat	...	Tuesday	...	27 March
Bairnsdale	...	Tuesday	...	24 April
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	13 February
Beechworth	...	Thursday	...	1 March
Benalla	...	Tuesday	...	1 May
Bendigo	...	Tuesday	...	20 February
Castlemaine	...	Tuesday	...	20 March
Echuca	...	Thursday	...	22 March
Geelong	...	Thursday	...	8 February
Hamilton	...	Monday	...	2 April
Horsham	...	Wednesday	...	28 March
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	10 May
Melbourne	...	Thursday	...	15 February
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	15 May
Sale	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Shepparton	...	Tuesday	...	10 April
St. Arnaud	...	Tuesday	...	8 May
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	5 June
Warrnambool	...	Tuesday	...	6 February

GENERAL SESSIONS: pursuant to Order in Council of 15th December, 1899.

Ararat	...	Wednesday	...	4 April
Bairnsdale	...	Wednesday	...	21 March
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	6 March
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	25 April
Benalla	...	Thursday	...	22 February
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	...	14 March
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	8 February
Daylesford	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Echuca	...	Thursday	...	19 April
Geelong	...	Friday	...	6 April
Hamilton	...	Friday	...	9 March
Horsham	...	Friday	...	23 February
Kilmore	...	Wednesday	...	11 April
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	...	7 February
Mansfield	...	Wednesday	...	21 March
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	1 February
Melbourne	...	Thursday	...	1 February
Mildura	...	Tuesday	...	1 May
Nhill	...	Wednesday	...	4 April
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	22 May
Palmerston	...	Tuesday	...	26 June
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	13 March
Portland	...	Thursday	...	29 March
Sale	...	Friday	...	23 March
Shepparton	...	Thursday	...	15 February
St. Arnaud	...	Friday	...	2 February
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	20 February
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	...	29 March
Warragul	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Warrnambool	...	Wednesday	...	14 March

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	...	Wednesday	...	4 April
Bacchus Marsh	...	Tuesday	...	10 April
Bairnsdale	...	Wednesday	...	21 March
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	6 March
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	25 April
Benalla	...	Thursday	...	22 February
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	...	14 March
Bright	...	Friday	...	27 April
Camperdown	...	Tuesday	...	6 February
Casterton	...	Wednesday	...	7 March
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	8 February
Charlton	...	Thursday	...	26 April
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	24 April
Clunes	...	Thursday	...	1 March
Colac	...	Wednesday	...	7 February

Creswick	...	Friday	...	2 March
Daylesford	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Donald	...	Tuesday	...	19 June
Dunolly	...	Wednesday	...	9 May
Echuca	...	Thursday	...	19 April
Geelong	...	Thursday	...	15 February
Hamilton	...	Friday	...	9 March
Heathcote	...	Tuesday	...	10 April
Horsham	...	Friday	...	23 February
Inglewood	...	Friday	...	27 April
Kerang	...	Wednesday	...	11 April
Kilmore	...	Wednesday	...	11 April
Korumburra	...	Tuesday	...	15 May
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	...	7 February
Mansfield	...	Wednesday	...	21 March
Maryborough	...	Thursday	...	1 February
Melbourne	...	Thursday	...	1 February
Mildura	...	Tuesday	...	1 May
Mornington	...	Thursday	...	7 June
Nhill	...	Wednesday	...	4 April
Omeo	...	Tuesday	...	22 May
Palmerston	...	Tuesday	...	26 June
Port Fairy	...	Tuesday	...	13 March
Portland	...	Thursday	...	29 March
Sale	...	Friday	...	23 March
Seymour	...	Wednesday	...	14 February
Shepparton	...	Thursday	...	15 February
St. Arnaud	...	Friday	...	2 February
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	20 February
Walhalla	...	Thursday	...	19 April
Wangaratta	...	Thursday	...	29 March
Warracknabeal	...	Tuesday	...	3 April
Warragul	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Warrnambool	...	Wednesday	...	14 March
Wodonga	...	Wednesday	...	23 March
Wood's Point	...	Friday	...	23 March
Yarrowonga	...	Tuesday	...	20 February
Yea	...	Thursday	...	26 April

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUDGE.				
Melbourne	...	...	...	—
ARARAT DISTRICT.				
Ararat	...	Wednesday	...	4 April
Stawell	...	Tuesday	...	20 February
BALLARAT DISTRICT.				
Ballarat	...	Tuesday	...	6 March
Clunes	...	Thursday	...	1 March
Creswick	...	Friday	...	2 March
BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.				
Beechworth	...	Wednesday	...	25 April
Benalla	...	Thursday	...	22 February
Bright	...	Friday	...	27 April
Chiltern	...	Tuesday	...	24 April
Kilmore	...	Wednesday	...	11 April
Mansfield	...	Wednesday	...	21 March
Wodonga	...	Wednesday	...	23 March
Wood's Point	...	Friday	...	23 March
BENDIGO DISTRICT.				
Bendigo	...	Wednesday	...	14 March
Heathcote	...	Tuesday	...	10 April
CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.				
Castlemaine	...	Thursday	...	8 February
Heidelberg	...	...	...	—
Hepburn (Daylesford)	...	Tuesday	...	27 February
Kyneton	...	Wednesday	...	7 February

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.			
Bairnedale	...	Wednesday	21 March
Omeo	...	Tuesday	22 May
Palmerston	...	Tuesday	26 June
Sale	...	Friday	23 March
Walballa	...	Thursday	19 April
MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.			
Dunolly	...	Wednesday	9 May
Inglewood	...	Friday	27 April
Maryborough	...	Thursday	1 February
St. Arnaud	...	Friday	2 February

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.

The Board of Land and Works will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

Painting and repairs to Police stable, forage store, and lock-up, Police Station, Mount Moriac. Particulars also at Police Stations, Mount Moriac and Geelong. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 1st Jan., 1900

Repairs, painting, &c., "J" Ward, Attendants' quarters, Lunatic Asylum, Ararat. Particulars also at Police Station, Ararat, and Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 1st Jan., 1900

Rebuilding stone pier, Entrance gates, Male Division, Lunatic Asylum, Yarra Bend. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 1st Jan., 1900

Removal of State School No. 2381, Banyenong East, and re-erection at State School No. 2434, Granite Flat. Particulars also at Police Station, Charlton, and at Office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, £30 ... 4th Jan., 1900

Colouring inside and repairs, Orderly-room, William and a'Beckett streets, Melbourne. Preliminary deposit, £1... 4th Jan., 1900

New wooden State School, No. 3207, Glenormiston. Police Station, Terang, until the 16th December, after that date at Police Station, Mortlake, until the 23rd December, and after that date at Police Station, Warrambool. Preliminary deposit, £3. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 4th Jan., 1900

Repairs, painting, &c., State School No. 1437, Wilson's Reef, Marong. Particulars also at the School, and at Office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 4th Jan., 1900

Additions to Police Station, Brunswick. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 4th Jan., 1900

Painting and papering quarters, Artillery Orderly-room, Albert Park ... 4th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 2433, Driffield. Particulars also at Police Station, Morwell. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 4th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 824, Gowerville. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 4th Jan., 1900

Repairs, painting, &c., State School No. 550, Stanley. Particulars also at Police Station, Stanley. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Sundry alterations, tar-paving, &c., Lunatic Asylum, Sunbury. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 11th Jan., 1900

Formation of New Stop Butts, Canadian Rifle Ranges, Ballarat. Particulars also at Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 11th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, Court House, Yarrowonga. Particulars also at Police Station, Yarrowonga. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, Post Office, Romsey. Particulars also at Post Office, Romsey. Preliminary deposit, £2... 11th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 2069, Katamatite. Particulars also at Police Station, Katamatite. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Repairs and painting, State School No. 1070, Bolinda. Particulars also at Police Station, Romsey. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Repairs and painting, State School No. 1999, Katupna. Particulars also at Police Station, Numurkah. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Repairs and painting, State School No. 2268, Yielima. Particulars also at Police Station, Nathalia. Preliminary deposit, £3 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Painting and Repairs, State School No. 2928, Yielima South. Particulars also at Police Station, Nathalia. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Repairs and painting, State School No. 226, Ercildoune. Particulars also at Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Repairs and painting, State School No. 755, Gordons. Particulars also at Police Office, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 11th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 1334, Warracknabeal. Particulars also at Police Stations, Horsham and Warracknabeal. Preliminary deposit, £5 ... 11th Jan., 1900

New building for State School No. 3312, Foster-villa. Particulars also at Police Station, Foster-villa. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 18th Jan., 1900

Additions to State School No. 2134, Numurkah. Particulars also at Police Station, Numurkah. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 18th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 1455, Toolamba. Particulars also at Police Station, Toolamba. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 18th Jan., 1900

Painting and repairs, State School No. 2611, Drummanura. Particulars also at Police Station, Numurkah. Preliminary deposit, £2 ... 18th Jan., 1900

Construction of Levee on Eastern bank of River Goulburn, near McCoy's Bridge, from chainage 19 miles 47 chains to 20 miles 35 chains. Particulars also at Post Offices, Shepparton, Nathalia, and Echuca. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent. ... 18th Jan., 1900

New Rifle Range: Construction of Trench and Stop Butt Earthworks, Bendigo. Particulars also at Public Works Office, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent. 25th Jan., 1900

Tenders to be addressed to the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, and marked "Tender for —."

N.B.—Cheques will not be accepted in payment of preliminary deposits.

GEO. GRAHAM,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SEPARATE Tenders are invited for the undermentioned works, &c.—Tenders, indorsed "Tender for —," must be lodged, with the preliminary deposit; in the Tender-box, Railway Offices, Melbourne, at or before One p.m. on the dates specified. Particulars at the Contractors' room, Spencer-street, and at the local stations.

Monday, 8th January.—Erection of sheep races and crushes at Birchip. Particulars at Donald and Birchip stations. P.D., £2.

Monday, 8th January.—Erection of sheep yards at Morton Plains. Particulars at Donald and Birchip stations. P.D., £5.

Monday, 8th January.—Erection of cattle yards at Whittlesea. Particulars at Whittlesea station. P.D., £5.

Monday, 8th January.—Removal of gatehouse No. 27, near Toolamba, and re-erection at Tallygaroopna. Particulars at Toolamba and Shepparton stations. P.D., £3.

Monday, 8th January.—Removal of gatehouse No. 7, near Toongabbie, and re-erection at Maffra. Particulars at Toongabbie and Maffra stations. P.D., £2.

Monday, 8th January.—Purchase and removal of coal storage shed at Echuca. Particulars at Echuca station. Deposit, £1.

Monday, 8th January.—Supply of 200 tons of 3-in. dog spikes. P.D., £40.

Monday, 8th January.—Turntable and ash-pit at Woome-laug. P.D., £10.

Monday, 8th January.—Manufacture of ten tons of 3-in. dog spikes (fresh tenders). P.D., £5.

Monday, 8th January.—Removal and re-erection of 20,000-gallon tank at Stawell. P.D., £10.

Monday, 22nd January.—Supply of 100 hardwood occupation crossing gates. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street. P.D., £3.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

(By order) R. G. KENT, Secretary.

FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 3rd January next, for the supply of Forage, in such quantities as may be required for the service of the Government at the undermentioned stations, from the 1st March, 1900, to the 28th February, 1901.

District.	Station.	Department for which supply is required.	Estimated Quarterly Consumption for each Station.				Storage Capacity.			
			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
Bourke	Bacchus Marsh	Police	8	1	12	3	17	2	20	7
	Berwick	"	8	1	12	3	18	2	20	10
	Blackwood	"	8	1	12	3	17	2	22	8
	Box Hill	"	8	1	12	3	14	2	20	8
	Broadford	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	12	5
	Broadmeadows	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	11	4
	Burwood	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5
	Campbellfield	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	22	5
	Caulfield East	"	8	1	12	3	8	2	12	4
	Cranbourne	"	8	1	12	3	8	2	12	4
	Dandenong	"	8	1	12	3	22	2	16	8
	Dandenong (Stud Depôt)	"	30	3	40	10	20	3	20	5
	Doncaster	"	8	1	12	3	9	2	15	4
	Dromana	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	2
	Eltham	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	16	3
	Epping	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	18	10
	Ferntree Gully	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	4
	Frankston	"	8	1	12	3	10	3	14	5
	Gisborne	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	16	6
	Grantville	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	15	10
	Hastings	"	8	1	12	3	9	1	13	4
	Healesville	"	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	4
	Heidelberg	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	20	5
	Kilmore	"	16	2	24	6	30	3	40	15
	Kyneton	"	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	11
	Lancefield	"	8	1	12	3	30	5	22	11
	Lilydale	"	8	1	12	3	18	2	20	5
	Macedon	"	8	1	12	3	3	2	10	4
	Macedon	Lands	3	7	12 chaff	20 in* bundles	20	5	20	25
	Marysville	Police	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	5
	Melton	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	11	3
	Mitcham	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	11	3
	Mornington	"	8	1	12	3	18	2	18	3
	Oakleigh	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	4
	Pakenham	"	8	1	12	3	10	3	10	4
	Point Nepean	Quarantine Station	13	2	20 chaff	...	10	2	13	...
	Pyalong	Police	8	1	12	3	12	2	20	11
	Queenstown	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	16	4
	Riddell's Creek	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	4
	Ringwood	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	4
	Romsey	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	17	5
	Sandringham	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	4
	San Remo	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	14	5
	Sorrento	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	11	4
	Sunbury	"	8	1	11	3	12	2	20	5
	Sunbury	Lunatic Asylum	10	10	...	150	...	14	...	...
	Surrey Hills	Police	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	4
	Tooradin	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	12	3
	Trentham	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	12	5
	Tylden	"	8	1	12	3	12	3	17	8
Wallan Wallan	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	22	6	
Warrandyte	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	20	6	
Whittlesea	"	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	5	
Woodend	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5	
Werribee	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4	
Yarra Glen	"	8	1	12	3	11	5	11	5	
Yarra Junction	"	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	4	
Central	Ballarat	Lunatic Asylum	48	6	77	20	80	20	100	25
	Ballarat	Police	13	5	...	30	40	12	45	60
	Ballan	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Beaufort	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	25	8
	Bullarto	"	9	1	12	3	20	2	20	5
	Bungaree	"	9	1	12	3	10	1	14	6
	Buninyong	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Cape Clear	"	9	1	12	3	10	1	14	6
	Clunes	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Creswick	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Daylesford	"	9	1	12	3	20	2	25	10
	Dean	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	14	5
	Glenlyon	"	9	1	12	3	22	5	22	5
	Gordons	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Kingston	"	9	1	12	3	6	1	8	4
	Learnmonth	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Lexton	"	9	1	12	3	20	2	25	10
	Linton	"	9	1	12	3	10	1	15	6
	Miner's Rest	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Napoleon Lead	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	15	6
	Skipton	"	9	1	12	3	10	1	15	6
	Smythesdale	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	25	8
	Snake Valley	"	9	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Talbot	"	9	1	12	3	22	2	33	11
	Yandot	"	9	1	12	3	22	5	22	5
Yendon	"	9	1	12	3	10	1	15	6	
Gippsland	Sale	"	16	2	24	6	20	4	18	10
	Alberton	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	3
	Bairnsdale	"	16	2	24	6	20	5	20	10
	Bendoc	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	11	5
	Briarolong	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	3
	Bruthen	"	8	1	12	3	20	2	12	4
	Buchan	"	8	1	12	3	5	2	14	4
	Coongulmerang	"	8	1	12	3	10	3	20	10
	Cunningham	"	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Dargo	"	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	8

* Wheaten straw required.

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			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.		
Gippsland— (continued)	Drouin ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	14	2	12	4	
	Foster ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	3	15	5	
	Foster ...	Post and Telegraph	12	1½	18	4½	5½	2	11	6	
	Glen Wills ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	5	2	8	2	
	Heyfield ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	3	12	4	
	Inverloch ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	4	
	Korumburra ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	4	2	8	2	
	Leongatha ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	5	20	5	
	Loch ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	4	8	2	
	Longwarry ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	13	4	
	Maffra ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	12	4	
	Mirboo ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	4	
	Moe ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	6	2	9	3	
	Morwell ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	5	
	Nearin South ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	6	1	8	3	
	Omeo ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	11	5	15	5	
	Orbost ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	3	
	Poowong ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	15	5	
	Rosedale ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	14	5	
	Stratford ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	4	20	6	
	Toongabbie ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	5	
	Toora ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	10	3	
	Traralgon ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	4	30	10	
	Walhalla ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	20	10	
Warragul ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	24	10	25	10		
Yarragon ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	15	5		
Yarram Yarram	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	3		
Melbourne	Depôt ...	" ...	180	50	400	100	80	20	100	45	
	Essendon ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	16	2	
	Footscray ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3	
	Melbourne ...	Post and Telegraph	294	90	407	200	80	10	120	32	
	Royal Park ...	Neglected Children and Reformatory Schools	22	23	75	9	30	23	75	27	
	Royal Park ...	Public Health Department	...	9	68	17	...	...	40	20
	Kew ...	Lunatic Asylum ...	55	50	...	300	30	10	...	100	
	Yarra Bend ...	" ...	37½	4	...	200	18	9	...	80	
	Pentridge ...	Gaols ...	66	8	...	...	18	1½	...	...
	Melbourne ...	Botanic and Do-main Gardens	18crsh. oats	12	90 chaff	10	4	4	32 chaff	4	
Midland	Maryborough ...	Police ...	16	2	25	7	32	10	40	10	
	Avoca ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Baringhup ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	10	
	Bealiba ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	10	
	Birchip ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	7	
	Boort ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	3	
	Charisbrook ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	10	
	Charlton ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	5	20	10	
	Donalt ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	5	13	5	
	Dunolly ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Eddington ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Inglewood ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Kaneira ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	3	
	Korong Vale ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	6	
	Moonambel ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	5	
	Newstead ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Quambatook ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	3	
	Rheola ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Sea Lake ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	10	10	
	St. Arnaud ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Stuartmill ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Tarnagulla ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
	Wedderburn ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	5	
	Wycheproof ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	5	20	5	
	North-Eastern	Benalla ...	" ...	34	4	58	15	60	6	40	15
		Alexandra ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	15	3	14	8
		Avenel ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	6
		Barnawartha ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	18	5
Beechworth ...		" ...	16	2	24	6	20	3	40	12	
Beechworth ...		Lunatic Asylum	18	50	...	120	...	50	...	40	
Bethanga ...		Police ...	8	1	12	3	12½	3½	12½	10	
Bonnie Doon ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	14	4	
Bright ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	30	12	20	5	
Chiltern ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	12	1½	15	6	
Cobram ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3	
Corryong ...		" ...	16	2	24	6	12	3	20	5	
Dederang ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	18	2	8	4	
Dookie ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	6	
El Dorado ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	20	3	20	8	
Euroa ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	7	
Everton ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	3	
Gaffney's Creek		" ...	8	1	12	3	11	3	17	5	
Glenrowan ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	20	5	20	5	
Greta ...		" ...	16	2	24	6	40	10	30	20	
Harrietville ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	5	
Hedi ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	20	4	40	20	
Jamieson ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	7	3	
Katamatite ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	2	
Kiowa ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	20	4	16	8	
Kyabram ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3	
Longwood ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	14	2	20	6	
Mansfield ...		" ...	16	2	24	6	21	3	30	10	
Milawa ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	15	10		
Mitta Mitta ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	2	16	4		
Mooroopna ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	25	15		
Murchison ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	30	6	30	20		
Myrtleford ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	3		

* See conditions of contract No. 3.

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			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
North-Eastern— (continued)	Nagambie ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	12
	Nathalia ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	15	2	26	8
	Numurkah ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	17	2	26	8
	Rushworth ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5
	Rutherglen ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	9	2	14	4
	Seymour ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	35	4	40	10
	Shepparton ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	35	4	40	10
	St. James ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	4	15	5
	Strathmerton ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	30	6
	Swanpool ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	18	4	22	13
	Tallangatta ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	30	7	30	12
	Tallaroek ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5
	Tatura ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	16	5
	Tintalra ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	20	5
	Tungamah ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	16	5
	Violet Town ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	5
	Wahgunyah ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	25	7
	Wangaratta ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	40	10	40	25
	Wodonga ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	3	30	8
	Wood's Point ...	" ...	1	...	2	...	3	1	5	2
	Wunghnu ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	5	40	20
	Yackandandah ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	25	8
	Yarrowonga ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	3	20	7
	Yea ...	" ...	12	1½	18	4½	13	2	18	5
	North-Western ...	Bendigo ...	" ...	24	3	40	10	20	5	30	15
Avedale ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	20	5	25	10
Bridgewater ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	8	5	12	3
Castlemaine ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Corop ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	10
Eaglehawk ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Echuca ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	22	10	48	15
Elmore ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	20	10
Fryerstown ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	20	5
Goornong ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	12	5	12	4
Gunbower ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	8
Heathcote ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Huntly ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	22	5
Kangaroo Flat ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Kerang ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Koondrook ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	4
Maldon ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	16	5
Marong ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Mildura ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	5	15	5
Mitiamo ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	8
Pyramid ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	15	5	12	8
Raywood ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	17	5
Redesdale ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	11	5	24	10
Rochester ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	11	5	11	5
Serpentine ...		" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10
Strathfieldsaye ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
Swan Hill ...	" ...	16	2	25	7	32	10	48	15	
Taradale ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	5	24	10	
Southern ...	Geelong ...	" ...	24	3	40	10	60	6	100	22
	Bannockburn ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	6	15	8
	Beac ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	2	12	8
	Birregurra ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Camperdown ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	25	7
	Colton ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Colac ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	16	2	20	8
	Drysdale ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Inverleigh ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	12	4
	Krambruk ...	Post and Telegraph	8	...	8 chaff	...	...	...	...	...
	Krambruk ...	Police ...	8	...	12	3	...	...	...	...
	Meredith ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Mount Moriac ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Portarlington ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Queenscliff ...	Defence ...	14	4	20 chaff	57*	...	...	...	...
Rokewood ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8	
Steiglitz ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8	
Winchelsea ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	6	
Western ...	Hamilton ...	" ...	24	3	36	9	25	5	18	11
	Allansford ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1½	14	4
	Apsley ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	1	12	3
	Balmoral ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	4	20	10
	Branxholme ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	15	5
	Caramut ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	22	10
	Casterton ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	34	4	33	15
	Cavendish ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	15	5
	Coleraine ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	16	2	20	6
	Dartmoor ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	8	2	10	3
	Dunkeld ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	15	5
	Edenhope ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	2	12	5
	Harrow ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	12	5
	Heywood ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	1	12	4
	Koroit ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	17	5
	Macarthur ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	3	12	4
	Merino ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	10	5
	Mortlake ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	10	5
	Pannure ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	15	4
	Penshurst ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	11	4
	Port Campbell ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	2	15	5
	Port Fairy ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	14	4
	Portland ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	25	7
	Terang ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	20	8
	Warrnambool ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	24	4	22	10
Woodford ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	10	1	13	4	
Wimmera ...	Stawell West ...	" ...	32	4	50	14	25	3	30	15
	Ararat ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	2	30	8

* Hydraulic pressed.

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			Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.	Oats.	Bran.	Hay.	Straw.
			Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
Wimmera— (continued)	Ararat ...	Lunatic Asylum ...	45½	70	...	200	73	120	...	600
	Beulah ...	Police ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	8	2
	Buangor ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	20	3	20	6
	Dimboola ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	5
	Elmhurst ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	12	3	20	6
	Glenorchy ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	17	2	22	5
	Goroke ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	7	1	8	4
	Hopetoun ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	8
	Horsham ...	" ...	16	2	24	6	25	3	22	8
	Jeparit ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	8	2
	Kaniva ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	5	1	7	2
	Landsborough ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	22	5
	Minyip ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	18	6
	Moyston ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	3	11	3
	Murtoa ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	22	8
	Natimuk ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	4
	Nhill ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	5
	Rupanyup ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	8
	Warracknabeal ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	11	2	22	11
	Wickliffe ...	" ...	8	1	12	3	15	2	20	6

Alternative tenders are required for white and Algerian oats.

Printed forms of tender and conditions of contract may be obtained from the Secretary, Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne, or from the officer in charge at the station, by whom also information or explanation will be afforded to persons tendering.

As much forage as can be stored at any station where the storage is small will, for the convenience of the contractor, be ordered at one time.

The price, which must be expressed in words as well as in figures, and without alterations, erasures, or discrepancies, must be per cental of 100 lbs. (net weight), including delivery at the stations, and all charges except the bags, which will remain the property of the contractor. At stations where the bags can be at once emptied the contractor will be required to remove them when delivery is taken. At other stations, notice will be sent to the contractor when the bags are empty. Bags to be removed at contractor's expense.

Tenders, which should be upon the printed form, will be received for either oats, bran, hay, or straw (the particular kind of hay or straw offered to be stated); but if all be included in one tender it may be accepted for one article only, if advisable. Oaten hay will be preferred. If sheaf hay be tendered for, it must be so stated in the tender.

A tenderer not desiring to accept a contract for part of the requirements of any station should write against such station the words "all or none."

Telegrams or tenders not complying with the terms of advertisement will not be entertained.

The successful tenderer will be required to enter into a bond for one-third of the estimated amount of the contract within ten days after the acceptance is notified. Two approved sureties are required for contracts amounting to £150 and upwards, and one surety for contracts under £150.

Tenderers failing to take up their accepted tenders, or failing to carry out their contract satisfactorily, will be ineligible to again hold contracts for Government supplies.

Tenders must be enclosed in an envelope, marked "Tender for Forage," and deposited in the Tender-Box, Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne; or, if sent by post, they must be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Treasury, Melbourne.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

The decision of the Government will be made known by *Gazette* notice, and by letter to accepted tenderers.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The hay to be good, sound, and sweet, and properly trussed, except when otherwise specified in the contract; the straw to be wheat or oat, and both to be in all respects of the best quality; oats, white or Algerian (Victorian grown), of the best description of their respective kind, full kernel, clean, and free from wild oats or other objectionable seeds; bran to be sound and sweet, and of the best description; chaff to be made from oaten hay of the best quality; the maize to be of the best quality. The hay tenders must specify whether they are for oaten or wheat hay.

2. The supplies are for police, telegraph, and other horses, and are to be delivered on the order of the officer in charge of the district or station. The quantities stated in the schedule being only approximate, it must be understood that the Government may draw either more or less than those mentioned; and should new telegraph stations be formed, or additional horses required to be stationed at any of the stations, the contractor will be required to supply the additional forage. Should the additional number of horses, however, exceed two the contractor may, if he desires it, terminate the contract by supplying at once the whole quantity due at the station under the contract according to the foregoing schedule.

3. Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding condition, the contractors for the supply to the Police Depot may be called upon to supply any Government Departments within a radius of six miles from Melbourne, for which no contracts have been taken, at the same rates.

4. The forage, when delivered, must be accompanied by the particulars of quantity, showing the net weight, to be indorsed on the back of the order, which, when signed by the officer in charge of the station, for the net quantity received, will be returned to the contractor, and by him rendered in support of his account.

5. Each contractor will be required to prepare his own account in the prescribed form, and, on presentation thereof to the officer in charge of the station or district, it will be forwarded for payment at the Treasury, Melbourne, or the Pay Office of the district, as may be indicated by the contractor on the account.

6. Should forage duly ordered under these contracts not be delivered within forty-eight hours of the time specified in the order for delivery, it will be competent for the department (should circumstances require it) to purchase the same at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense over and above the contract price is to be deducted.

7. In the event of a difference of opinion between the contractor and the officer receiving the forage as to the quality of the same, it is to be decided by a board of survey, composed of persons named by the head of the department ordering the supply, and the decision of the Board is to be considered final.

8. If the Board shall decide that the forage is not of proper quality, it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which it will be procured elsewhere, and the extra cost, if any, will be charged as in clause 6.

9. When a board of survey cannot be conveniently assembled, or when, from some other cause, injury would accrue either to the public service or to the contractor by waiting for a board of survey, the officer in charge will have the power to reject such supplies as are obviously of inferior quality, it being understood that he will be responsible to the Government for so doing; and the contractor must take back the rejected forage, and supply good in its stead, failing which it will be obtained by the officer requiring it, and the expense will be charged as in clause 6.

10. A refusal to execute orders, irregularity in the quantity or quality of the forage, or delay in delivering or replacing it when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding £20, as the Treasurer of the Colony for the time being may direct. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such refusal, irregularity, or delay, to terminate the contract forthwith.

11. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise; and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

12. Under no circumstances will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract, and in the event of his failing to carry on his contract he will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure. In the event of a station being discontinued or any change in the supplies required, the contractor will receive the earliest possible intimation.

13. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as broken, infringed, or vitiated by the purchase by any Department of forage grown at any Government establishment.

GEORGE TURNER,
Treasurer.

**WRITING AND PRINTING PAPERS,
ENVELOPES, ETC.**

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1900, from persons willing to supply to the Government Printer Writing and Printing Papers, Envelopes, and Bookbinders' Leathers and Materials, as per schedule, in the quantities and on the times stated therein.

Printed forms of tender, the schedules, and conditions of contract, &c., may be obtained at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board. The samples may also be inspected at the office of the Secretary to the Tender Board.

Schedule No.	Description	Deposit. £	Security. £
No. 1.	Printing papers ...	50	250
Ditto	No. 2. Printing and lithographic papers	100	500
Ditto	No. 3. Printing papers ...	5	25
Ditto	No. 4. Writing papers ...	90	450
Ditto	No. 5. Writing papers ...	65	325
Ditto	No. 6. Writing papers ...	10	50
Ditto	No. 7. Cartridge papers ...	5	25
Ditto	No. 8. Coloured papers ...	20	100
Ditto	No. 9. Pasteboards ...	10	50
Ditto	No. 10. Millboards ...	5	25
Ditto	No. 11. Strawboards ...	5	25
Ditto	No. 12. Writing papers ...	40	200
Ditto	No. 13. Parchment ...	5	25
Ditto	No. 14. Banding vellum ...	1	5
Ditto	No. 15. Bookbinders' leather ...	10	50
Ditto	No. 16. Bookbinders' materials ...	10	50
Ditto	No. 17. Printing and lithographic papers	2	10
Ditto	No. 18. Brown and cartridge papers	9	45
Ditto	No. 19. Writing papers ...	2	10
Ditto	No. 20. Writing papers ...	25	125
Ditto	No. 21. Writing papers ...	25	125
Ditto	No. 22. Drawing papers ...	9	45
Ditto	No. 23. Blotting papers ...	8	40
Ditto	No. 24. Parchment ...	10	50
Ditto	No. 25. Envelopes ...	36	180
Ditto	No. 26. Envelopes ...	16	80
Ditto	No. 27. Envelopes ...	2	10
Ditto	No. 28. Envelopes (cartridge) ...	6	30
Ditto	No. 29. Envelopes (cartridge) ...	6	30

Each schedule can be tendered for, and will be dealt with, separately.

The price must be expressed without alterations or erasures, and the total amount of the tender must be stated.

Tenders must be accompanied by a preliminary deposit, as shown above, in bank notes or a bank draft payable to the order of the Secretary of the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application. Such deposit to be forfeited in the event of the successful tenderer failing to complete the security within the prescribed period.

Security will be required either in Government debentures, Savings Bank Deposit Book, or Bank Deposit Receipt (in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board), or cash deposit, as the tenderer may elect.

The security must be completed within five days of acceptance of the tender, failing which the contract may be again advertised, or another tender accepted.

Tenderers failing to take up their accepted tenders will be disqualified for tendering for Government supplies for a period of twelve months.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

Tenders must be enclosed in a separate envelope, marked "Tender for Printing Papers, &c.," and be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The supplies are to be equal in every respect to the contract sample or specification, and are to be delivered as directed by the Government Printer, either at the Government Printing Office or at a store situate in the city of Melbourne, but delivery will not be deemed to have been made until the goods have been approved of.

2. The quantity mentioned in the schedules will be required from the contractor, who will be bound, however, to supply any further quantities, at the scheduled price, that may be ordered by the Government Printer during the currency of the contract. Four (4) months' notice of the ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS will be given to the contractor by the Government Printer.

3. In the event of the supplies not being delivered by the time specified in the schedule or order as the case may be, it will be competent for the Government Printer to purchase the same, or such articles as may be suitable for the service, at the risk of the contractor, from whose account any expense that may be incurred over and above the contract price will be deducted.

4. The supplies on delivery will be surveyed by a board appointed by the Government for that purpose, and the decision of the board is to be considered as final. Payment will be made on the board's certificate that the goods are of contract quality and in good order and condition.

5. If the board of survey shall decide that the goods are not of contract quality, the contractor must in that case remove the goods objected to and supply others in their stead, failing which the supplies may be purchased as in condition 3.

6. All rejected goods must be removed by the contractor within forty-eight hours after notice has been given to him by the Government Printer of such rejection, and if not so removed the Government Printer is hereby empowered to send same to any store in Melbourne, there to be stored at the contractor's risk and expense.

7. A repetition of irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, or delay in delivering or replacing them when required, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding One hundred pounds, as the Government may direct, and the amount may be deducted as in condition 3, or from the contractor's security. It will also be in the power of the Government, upon such repetition, to terminate the contract forthwith and forfeit the security.

8. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise, and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government.

9. In the event of the contractor failing to carry out the contract, the contract security money will be absolutely forfeited, and the contractor disqualified from tendering for a period of twelve months.

10. The packages, cases, &c., will become the property of the Government without extra charge.

11. In the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, the Government or the contractor, as may be the case, will make a proportionate allowance by way of deduction from or increase of the price of the item so affected, provided that the duty on such item has actually been paid.

WM. SHIELS,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

Insolvency Notices.

INSOLVENCIES—MELBOURNE.

RETURN of Melbourne Insolencies during the week ending the 27th day of December, 1899.

Date, name, trade, address, assignee.

21st December.

Arthur Martyn Thomas, horse-trainer, Mordialloc, Brown.

A. J. CLARK,
Deputy Chief Clerk.

Court of Insolvency,
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Arthur Martyn Thomas, of Mordialloc, horse-trainer, 3540, has been sequestrated; and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Friday, the 5th day of January, A.D. 1900, 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 Act 1890*.
Dated at Melbourne this 27th day of December, A.D. 1899.

A. J. CLARK,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Eastern District, at Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of John Marshall, of Stratford, farmer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Foster-street, Sale, on Friday, the 5th day of January, A.D. 1900, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 53rd section of the *Insolvency Act 1890*.
Dated at Sale this 18th day of December, A.D. 1899.

E. D. MOORS,
Chief Clerk.

Police Sale.

SWAN HILL.

THE undermentioned unclaimed horse, if not previously claimed, will be sold by public auction, at the Police Station, on Saturday, the 20th January, 1900, at Ten o'clock a.m.:-

1 bay gelding, aged, about 16 hands, blotch brand on near shoulder.

H. M. CHOMLEY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department (Chief Commissioner's Office),
Melbourne, 20th December, 1899.

Private Advertisements.

YEA WATERWORKS TRUST.

NOTICE to owners of tenements in View, Lyons, High, Johnston, Station, East, Hood, Craigie, Marchbank, Pechell, Snodgrass, Wild, Miller, North, Francis, Hocking, Oliver, Cemetery, and Raglan streets, Melbourne-road, the Parade, Semi-circles, Crescent, and Whatton-place, and the private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys opening thereto.

The main pipe in the said streets and roads being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as above are hereby required, on or before the thirtieth (30th) day of January next, to cause a pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe within such premises.

E. H. DOBSON,
Trust Secretary.

**BOROUGH OF STAWELL.
WATER SUPPLY.**

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

The main pipe in the said streets and roads being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as under are hereby required, on or before 12th day of February next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water from the main pipe within such premises:—

Byrne-street, from Church-street to Oriental-street.

JNO. T. SINCLAIR,
Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Stawell, 23rd December, 1899. 9772

**SHIRE OF MOORABBIN.
SPECIAL ORDER.**

WHEREAS the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Moorabbin, pursuant to the powers granted by the *Local Government Act 1891*, No. 1243, did, on the 2nd October, 1899, approve of plans, specifications, sections, estimate of cost and apportionment of cost among the various properties from the owners of which the council would be able to recover the cost of forming metalling the undermentioned streets and roads:—

Street	Estimated cost	£	s	d
Campbell-street	136	0	0	
Cowper-street	161	0	0	
Southey-street	247	0	0	
Sim-street	260	0	0	
Tennyson-street	324	0	0	
Fern Hill-road, Pic Nic Point Estate	376	0	0	
Fern Hill-road, Sandringham	215	0	0	
Portion of Sandringham-road	114	0	0	
Portion of Abbott-street	123	0	0	
Crisp-street	150	0	0	
Portion of Mills-street	132	0	0	
Portion of Willis-street	72	0	0	
John-street, Mordialloc	234	0	0	
	£2,544	0	0	

And whereas the council did, on 18th December, 1899, finally adopt the said specifications, plans, sections, estimate of cost and apportionment of same amongst the various owners.

The said estimate of cost being £2,544, and to enable the said council to carry out and execute the said works, it is proposed to borrow the said sum of £2,544 for a period of twelve (12) years, and to provide for the payment of sinking fund and interest.

The President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Moorabbin now order that a rate, to be called a special improvement rate, be made upon the rateable property having a frontage to—

Street	of	3d.	per foot annually.
Campbell-street	231	"	"
Southey-street	34d.	"	"
Sim-street	27d.	"	"
Tennyson-street	34d.	"	"
Fern Hill-road, Pic Nic Point Estate	3d.	"	"
Fern Hill-road, Sandringham	34d.	"	"
Sandringham-road	34d.	"	"
Abbott-street	34d.	"	"
Crisp-street	34d.	"	"
Mills-street	34d.	"	"
Willis-street	24d.	"	"
John-street, Mordialloc	34d.	"	"

and that the said rate shall become due and payable on and after the 1st day of June, 1900, and further that the said rate shall continue for a period of twelve (12) years, and the said annual rate as above per foot frontage on the said property fronting the several streets and roads, shall become due and payable on and after the 1st day of June in each and every year up to and including the year ending 31st May, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Moorabbin Shire Council will be held at the Shire Hall, South Brighton, on the 5th February, 1900, Seven p.m., to confirm the above special order and minutes of special meeting held on 18th December, 1899.

JOHN KEYS, Secretary. 9733

28th December, 1899.

**SHIRE OF DANDENONG.
SPECIAL ORDER.**

WHEREAS a majority of the owners and occupiers of land having a frontage to Wells-road and adjacent thereto have petitioned the Dandenong Shire Council to construct a portion of Wells-road referred to in said petition, and to make an improvement rate on the lands referred to in said petition, and whereas the Council has approved and adopted plans, specifications, estimate of cost, and apportionment of same amongst the several owners and occupiers, the Council has decided to borrow and take up at interest the sum of £610 to provide funds for carrying out and executing the said works; the said sum of £610 is proposed to be borrowed for a period of twelve years, and to provide for the payment of interest and sinking fund.

The President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Dandenong now order that a rate, to be called an improvement rate, be made on the land hereinafter described, that is to say, on allotments 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 163, 123, 124a, 124b, 125, 126, 127, and on 70 acres of 123, and on 70 acres of 129, a rate of Fourpence per acre annually, and on allotments 100, 104, 105, 106, and 99 a rate of Threepence per acre annually, and on allotments 107, 108a, and 108b, a rate of Twopence per acre annually. The whole of the foregoing land is situated in the parish of Lyndhurst, in the county of Mornington, in the colony of Victoria; and the said Council further order that the said rates

shall become due and payable on and after the 1st day of June, 1900, and further that the rates shall continue for a period of twelve years, and that the aforesaid rate per acre on the property herein described shall become due and payable on the 1st day of June in each and every year up to the year ending 31st May, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Dandenong Shire Council will be held at the Shire Hall, Dandenong, on Monday, 29th January, 1900, at Two o'clock p.m., to make the said rate, and to confirm this special order and minutes of meeting held on the 20th December, 1899.

JOHN KEYS, Secretary. 9732

Dandenong, 27th December, 1899.

THE SHIRE OF WOORAYL.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mounted Constable James Hehir, No. 4169, stationed at Leongatha, was, on the 26th day of September, 1899, duly appointed Inspector of Nuisances and Slaughter-yards for the Shire of Woorayl.

By order of the Council,

CHARLES OGILVY, Shire Secretary. 9909

27th December, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned Charles Everest Bridgland and Percy John King, carrying on business as engravers and manufacturers of brass plates, at No. 273 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, under the style or firm of "Bridgland and King," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Percy John King, who will continue the said business.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1899.

CHAS. E. BRIDGLAND.

Signed by the said Charles Everest Bridgland in the presence of Edw. C. RIGBY, solicitor, 150 Queen-street, Melbourne.

PERCY J. KING.

Signed by the said Percy John King in the presence of JAMES FK. FRYFE, solicitor, 230 Collins-street, Melbourne. 9717

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned Adam Graham Melville, William Lowell Mullen, Leonard Slade, Andrew Stewart, Hermann William Puttmann, and John Francis McCarron, carrying on business at 262 and 264 Collins-street, Melbourne, and at No. 12 Ludgate-square, London, as booksellers, stationers, and librarians, under the style or firm of "Melville, Mullen, and Slade," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of November, 1899, so far as regards the said Leonard Slade, Andrew Stewart, Hermann William Puttmann, and John Francis McCarron, whose interests have been purchased by the said Adam Graham Melville and William Lowell Mullen. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Adam Graham Melville and William Lowell Mullen, who will continue the said business under the style or firm of "Melville and Mullen."

As witness our hands this first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety nine—

ANDW. STEWART.
H. W. PUTTMANN.

Witness to the signatures of Andrew Stewart and Hermann William Puttmann—D. BRAHAM, solicitor, Melbourne.

JOHN F. MCCARRON.

Witness to the signature of John Francis McCarron—S. G. PIRANI, solicitor, Melbourne.

ADAM G. MELVILLE.
WILLIAM LOWELL MULLEN.
LEONARD SLADE.

Witness to the signatures of Adam Graham Melville, William Lowell Mullen, and Leonard Slade—H. R. HAMER, solicitor, Melbourne. 9905

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned, cap manufacturers, trading as T. A. Bird and Co., Richmond, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent.

EDWARD PITMAN.
THOMAS A. BIRD.

Witness—JAMES H. TURNER.
Melbourne, 22nd December, 1899. 9719

The Companies Acts.

SILENETTE PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, 300 Flinders-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the fourth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the subjoined special resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the twenty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the subjoined special resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, and that William Gilmour Brown, of No. 61 Queen-street, Melbourne, accountant, be and he is hereby appointed, liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this twenty-eighth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JOHN JACOBS, Chairman. 9806

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, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Florence Arnott, being separate property of the said Florence Arnott, not subject to any restriction against anticipation, unless by reason of section 22 of the *Married Woman Property Act 1890*, the property shall be liable to execution, notwithstanding such restriction, the said Sheriff will, on Wednesday, the 31st day of January, 1900, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, cause to be sold, at the Police Station, Lilydale (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, estate, and interest (if any) of the said Florence Arnott (aforesaid, &c.) in and to all that piece of land in the colony of Victoria, containing by admeasurement one acre, be the same more or less, situated in the county of Evelyn, parish of Yering, being part and parcel of allotment four of section thirty of said parish: Commencing at a point four hundred and fifty links west from the north-east corner of the said allotment four; thence by a line bearing south eight degrees forty-one minutes and a half-minute west five hundred links; thence by a line bearing north eighty-one degrees eighteen minutes and a half-minute west two hundred links; thence by a line bearing north eight degrees forty-one minutes and a half-minute east five hundred links; and thence by a line bearing south eighty-one degrees eighteen minutes and a half-minute east two hundred links home to the commencing point.

N.B.—Terms: Cash. No cheques taken.

Dated at Melbourne this 27th day of December, 1899.
 E. B. PORTER,
 Sheriff's Officer

9851

FRANK McLAUGHLIN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Frank McLaughlin, late of Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, miner, deceased, intestate (who died on the 2nd day of August, 1899), and administration of whose estate has been granted by the Supreme Court of the said colony, in its probate jurisdiction, to The Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, the office of which is in Camp-street, Ballarat aforesaid, are hereby required to send in, in writing, particulars of their claims to said company at its office, in Camp-street, Ballarat, on or before the 1st day of May, 1900. And notice is hereby also given that after that date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1899.
 PEARSON & MANN, Ballarat, proctors for the said company. 9333

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE ANNE BUDDEN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Anne Budden, late of Bendigo, widow, deceased (who died on the 24th day of November, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and letters of administration, with the will annexed, of whose estate was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in the probate jurisdiction, on the 14th day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, to The Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, hereinafter called the said company), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, at the office of the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of February, One thousand nine hundred. And notice is hereby also given that after the last-mentioned date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Anne Budden, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be answerable or liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.
 QUICK, HYETT, & RYMER, Molesworth Chambers, Bull-street, Bendigo, proctors for the said company. 9766

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—JOHN CONLAN, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Conlan, late of the "Coburg Hotel," Coburg, in Victoria, licensed victualler, deceased (who died on the 19th day of November, 1899), and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of the Colony of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 14th day of December, 1899, to the National Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, of Number 454 Collins-street, Melbourne, in said colony), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims, in writing, to the said company, on or before the 20th day of January next. And notice is further given that after that date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Conlan, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims whereof the said company shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims the said company shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 19th day of December, 1899.
 GAVAN DUFFY & KING, 69 Chancery-lane, Melbourne, proctors for the said company. 9774

JOHN WHITE, DECEASED.

CREDITORS and others having claims against the estate of John White, late of Joyce's Creek, farmer, deceased, are to send particulars of their claims to Edwin Bucknall and Charles Bucknall, both of Rodborough, the executors of the will of the above-named deceased, under cover to the undersigned, on or before the twenty-fifth day of January, One thousand nine hundred, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for any claims of which they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 21st day of December, 1899.
 F. S. HERKING, Maryborough, proctor for executors.

9758

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Eliza Saunders, late of Frazer-street, Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, widow, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars of such claims, on or before the twenty-seventh day of January, 1900, to Thomas Saunders, of Lygon-street, Carlton, saddler, and William Saunders, of Ross-street, Elsterwiwick, labourer, the executors of the will of the said deceased, at the office of Messieurs Cuthbert, Morrow, and Must, of Lydiard-street, Ballarat, proctors for the said executors. And notice is hereby given that after the said date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they may then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this twenty-second day of December, 1899.
 CUTHBERT, MORROW, & MUST, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, proctors for the said executors. 9756

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MARY AGNES BONHAM, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Agnes Bonham, late of Elm-grove, Richmond, in the colony of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the 25th day of November, 1899, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said colony, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 19th day of December, 1899, to the National Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, of Number 454 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said colony, as executor thereof), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims, in writing, to the said company, on or before the 23rd day of January next. And notice is further given that after that date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mary Agnes Bonham, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims whereof the said company shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims the said company shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1899.
 GAVAN DUFFY & KING, 69 Chancery-lane, Melbourne, proctors for the said company. 9773

ROGER HEFFERNAN, DECEASED.—STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Roger Heffernan, late of The Court House Hotel, Grey-street, St. Kilda, gentleman, deceased (probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, on the 16th December instant, to The National Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company of Australasia Limited, of 454 Collins-street, Melbourne, the executor appointed by the said will), are required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, addressed to the care of the solicitors, the undersigned, on or before the 3rd of February, 1900, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and that it will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1899.
 LYNCH & McDONALD, 481 Bourke-street, Melbourne, solicitors. 9812

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—JOHN MCPHEE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1890*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of John McPhee, late of Lydiard-street, Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, coach proprietor and grazier, deceased (who died on the second day of November, 1899), and administration of whose estate was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 412 Collins street, Melbourne, in the said colony), are hereby required to send in, in writing, the particulars of such claims to the said company, at 412 Collins-street, Melbourne aforesaid, or to Messrs. Wm. Little and Co., of 54 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, agents for the said company, on or before the seventh day of March, 1900. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John McPhee, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and the said company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this eighteenth day of December, 1899.
 SALTER & PINKERTON, 56 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, proctors for the said administrator. 9903

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jane Morgan Fergusson, Alfred Reid, and James Peter Willis Fergusson, of Equitable Buildings, Collins-street, Melbourne, stationers, trading as Fergussons, Morgan, Bowden, and Co., have by deed dated the 21st day of December, 1899, conveyed and assigned all their estate, property, and effects whatsoever and wheresoever to Thomas James Davey, of the city of Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, registered trustee, in trust for realization and otherwise for the benefit of all their creditors, as in the said deed mentioned. All parties having any claims against the estate are hereby required to forward the same, accompanied by a sworn proof, to Messrs. Davey, Flack, and Co., at No. 9 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before the 8th day of January, 1900, after which date the trustee will distribute the trust funds amongst those persons only of whose claims such proof and notice shall then have been given.

Dated this 28th day of December, 1899.
DAVEY, FLACK, & CO., 9 Queen-street, Melbourne, public accountants.
Snowball and Kaufmann, 49 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the estate. 987

The Patents Act 1890.

Notice of amendment of complete specification in Application No. 15508, dated 5th September, 1898, by Francis Ellershausen, of Broad Street House, New Broad-street, London, England, formerly of 21 Green-street, Blackfriars, London, England, gentleman, for "Improvement in the smelting of refractory sulphide ores."

IN pursuance of leave granted by the Commissioner of Patents on the 28th day of December, 1899, the above-numbered specification has been amended as per amended specification, filed at the Patent Office, Melbourne, notice of application for which amendment was published in the Melbourne *Argus* and *Age* respectively, on the 25th day of November, 1899, and in the *Government Gazette* of the 1st day of December, 1899, pages 4413 and 4414.

EDWD. WATERS & SON, agents for Francis Ellershausen.
Edwd. Waters and Son, patent agents, 131-133 William-street, Melbourne. 9912

Mining Notices.

THE NEW PRINCE OF WALES EXTENDED GOLD MINING COMPY. NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in this company will be held at the company's office, Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, on Monday, the 15th day of January, 1900, at half-past Three p.m., to transact the following business, and instruct directors accordingly, viz.:-

1. To increase the capital of the company from £5 to £10 per share; or
2. To dispose of the balance of shares held in trust by the company on such terms and conditions as the meeting may direct; or
3. To increase both capital and shares in such proportions of each as may be decided by said meeting, and on such terms and conditions as may be deemed advisable, and to instruct the directors to carry out such proposal or proposals as may be deemed most suitable in the interest of the company.

SAMUEL HENRY MCGOWAN, Manager. 9640
20th December, 1899.

CHALK'S No. ONE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—The Adjourned Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above-named company is hereby convened, and will be held at the registered office of the company, Commercial Bank Chambers, 339-Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 17th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the transaction of the following business:—

1. To pass a resolution requiring that the company be voluntarily wound up under Part 2 of the *Companies Act 1890*.
2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property which may remain after completion of the winding up.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

9660 A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

THE MOUNT MERRIMAC PROPRIETARY MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above company will be held at Phair's Hotel, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1900, at Eight o'clock p.m.

Business:

1. To pass a resolution or resolutions authorizing and empowering the directors of the company to sell or dispose of the company's Lightning leases to a no-liability company to be formed and registered in Melbourne upon such terms as they may think fit, and to do all acts necessary for carrying such sale into effect.
2. To empower the directors to dispose of forfeited shares in the hands of the company.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

9700 D. A. RULE, Manager.

SOUTH DEFIANCE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the South Defiance Gold Mining Company No Liability will be held at the registered office of the company, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Business:

1. To authorize the directors to issue reserve shares and forfeited shares in the hands of the company.
2. To confirm minutes of meeting.

By order of the Board,

BARTLE RYAN,
(Pearson and Ryan), Manager.

9879

THE BLAYNEY MINING AND SMELTING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above company will be held at the registered office of the company on the 4th floor of the Equitable Building, corner of Collins and Elizabeth streets, Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1900, at the hour of half-past Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of revoking the existing rules of the company and ratifying all acts of the directors thereunder, and making and adopting new rules and regulations for the management and purposes of the company.

By order of the Board,

9661 J. P. SADDLER, Manager.

BIRTHDAY TUNNEL COMPANY NO LIABILITY (BERRINGA).

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company will be held on Friday, the twelfth day of January, 1900, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, at Craig's Royal Hotel, Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

Business:

1. To authorize the directors to transfer and dispose of all the assets of the company to a new company, to be formed with a capital of £60,000, consisting of 60,000 shares of £1 each, upon such terms and conditions as the meeting may determine.
2. To empower the directors to affix the seal of the company to all deeds and documents, and do all things necessary to carry the resolutions passed at the meeting into effect.
3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1899.
W. M. ACHESON, Manager.
Furnival's Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9707

CRUSOE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above-named company will be held at the company's office, City Chambers, Bendigo, on Thursday, the 18th day of January, 1900, at a quarter-past Four o'clock p.m., for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, to transact the following business:—

1. To pass a resolution that the company be voluntarily wound up without resort to the court.
2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property which may remain on completion of the winding up.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

J. HEMMING, Manager. 9727
City Chambers, Bendigo, 29th December, 1899.

BALMORAL G. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—An Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, Wood's Point, on Tuesday, the 16th day of January, 1900.

Business:

- To adopt rules and regulations of the company.
- To elect directors and auditors for the ensuing twelve months.
- To confirm appointment of legal manager.
- To fix remuneration of directors, auditors, and legal manager.
- To confirm minutes of meeting.

9784 RICHARD MACKAY, Legal Manager.

THE BRISEIS TIN MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of The Briseis Tin Mining Company No Liability will be held at the office of the company, Lombard-Buildings, 17 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, 1900, at Two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

- (a) To consider, and if thought fit to pass, a resolution that the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*.
- (b) To consider, and if thought fit to pass, resolutions appointing liquidators and fixing their remuneration.
- (c) To consider, and if thought fit to pass, resolutions determining the course to be pursued in the winding up and the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property upon the completion of the winding up.
- (d) To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1899.

JOHN DITCHBURN, Manager.
William James Robb, Temple Court, Melbourne, solicitor for the said company.
NOTE.—Transfer-books close on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1900. 9809

**BRISTOL REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, ST. ARNAUD.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company is hereby convened, and will be held in the Board-room, Equitable Building, 320 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 15th January, 1900, at Eleven a.m.

Business :

To authorize the directors to dispose of forfeited shares held in trust for the company.

To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

J. PRINCE CAMERON, Manager.

The Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899.

9808

**NEPTUNE AMALGAMATED HYDRAULIC SLUICING
COMPANY, NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the company will be held at 30 Queen-street, Melbourne, on 8th January, 1900, at 4 p.m., to increase the capital of the company.

By order of the Board,

JOHN BARKER,
Manager.

9906

**NEW BROTHERS HOME No. 1 TIN MINING CO.
NO LIABILITY, DERBY, TASMANIA.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders of the above company will be held in the Board-room, Broken Hill Chambers, No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 17th day of January, 1900, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, to consider, and if deemed advisable to pass, the subjoined resolutions:—

"That the rules of the company be altered and amended by the addition of the following clauses to clause 3 of the said rules:—

3 (a). To sell and dispose of all or any part of the property of the company to any person or company, and upon such terms and conditions and for such consideration as the company may think fit.

3 (b). To sell or otherwise deal with or dispose of the undertaking of the company for such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any other company.

3 (c). To promote any company or companies for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property and liabilities of this company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this company.

3 (d). In furtherance and not in limitation of and without prejudice to the general powers conferred by these rules, the board of directors may on behalf of the company enter into, execute, complete, and carry into effect (either with or without alteration or modification) an agreement dated the twenty-second day of December One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, which at the date of the making of this rule has already been prepared, and is expressed to be made between this company of the one part and one Fergus MacIver of the other part, a copy whereof, for the purposes of identification, has been indorsed with the signatures of Pavey, Wilson, and Cohen, solicitors."

"That the minutes of this meeting be and the same are hereby confirmed."

Dated this twenty-seventh day of December, One thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

By order of the Board of Directors,

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.),
Legal Manager.

9810

**KING LYELL GOLD & COPPER COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company is hereby convened, and will be held in the Board-room, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 15th January, 1900, at half-past Three o'clock p.m.

Business :

1. To pass a resolution or resolutions requiring that the company be voluntarily wound up under Part 2 of the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*, without recourse to the court; appoint liquidator for the purpose of carrying out such winding-up, and fix his remuneration.

2. To pass a resolution or resolutions authorizing the liquidator of the company to sell the company's claims, leases, and property to a new company in consideration of 100,000 shares, 50,000 shares paid to Twelve shillings and fivepence halfpenny per share, and 50,000 shares paid to One pound per share; in a company of 150,000 shares.

3. To authorize the liquidator to transfer the claims, leases, and property of the company to a new company on such sale being effected; and to affix the company's seal to such deeds and documents, and to such other acts or things as may be required for carrying such sale and transfer into effect.

4. To authorize the liquidator to allot the 50,000 shares paid to One pound per share, and 50,000 shares paid to Twelve shillings and fivepence halfpenny per share in a new company when formed amongst the present shareholders in the company, in proportion of one share for each share now held by them in the said company.

5. To direct the manner in which the books and documents of the company shall be disposed of.

6. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

W. P. JARVIE, Manager.

Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

9908

NORTH STEEL'S CREEK G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY.

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders in the above company is hereby convened, and will be held in the Board-room, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1900, at half-past Four o'clock p.m.

Business :

1. To pass a resolution or resolutions requiring that the company be voluntarily wound up under Part 2 of the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*, without recourse to the court; appoint liquidator for the purpose of carrying out such winding up, and fix his remuneration.

2. To do any other acts or things that may be done at an extraordinary meeting.

3. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

W. P. JARVIE, Manager.

Melbourne, 21st December, 1899.

9907

**NORTH WELSHMANS REEF GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 3rd) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the company's office, City Chambers, Bendigo, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

G. A. PETRIE, Manager.

**THE GREAT COLUMBIAN MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 5th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of this company, due and payable at the company's office, City Chambers, High-street, Bendigo, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

J. H. MCCOLL, Manager.

**THE DELBRIDGE RED WHITE AND BLUE
FRESHOLD TRIBUTE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 22nd) of One penny per share has been made on the capital of this company, due and payable at the company's office, City Chambers, High-street, Bendigo, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

J. H. MCCOLL, Manager.

**THE BROOKVILLE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 6th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of this company, due and payable at the company's office, City Chambers, High-street, Bendigo, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

J. H. MCCOLL, Manager.

**THE ORIENTAL AND NORTH CROSS REEF GOLD
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 52nd) of Threepence (3d.) per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the office of the company, Main-street, Stawell, on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1900.

P. Q. KEMPSON, Manager.

**THE ALL NATIONS G. M. COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, MATLOCK.**

A CALL (the 54th) of One penny per share on all shares of the old issue, Nos. 1 to 24,000, and a Call (the 16th) of Threepence per share on all shares of the new issue, Nos. 24,001 to 36,000, has been made, due and payable to me, at the office of the company, Wood's Point, on Wednesday, 16th January, 1900.

Registered office: Wood's Point.

R. MACKAY, Manager.

9783

**ANGLO SAXON GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BULUMWAAL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 1st) of Threepence per share has been made upon the 10,000 contributing shares in the company (Nos. 20,001 to 30,000), due and payable to me, at the registered office of the company, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th day of January, 1900.

W. W. BILL, Manager.

9785

**GREAT WALHALLA GOLD MINING COY.
NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA, GIPPSLAND.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 17th) of Twopence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the registered office, 92 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

9804

H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

**CALEDONIAN TAILINGS COY. NO LIABILITY,
GOLDEN SQUARE, BENDIGO.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 1st) of Sixpence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the registered office, 92 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

9805

H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

**THE BLAYNEY MINING AND SMELTING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

A CALL (the 2nd) of One shilling per share has been made on the contributing shares of the above company; the same to be due and payable at the office of the company, Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900.

By order of the Board,

J. P. SADDLER, Manager.

Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

9807

**EXCHANGE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, EAST BALLARAT.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 32nd) of Three halfpence per share has been made on the contributing shares in the above company, due and payable at the office of the company, Capel Court, 377 Collins-street, Melbourne, on or before the 10th day of January, 1900.

W. P. JONES, Manager.
Registered office, Capel Court, 377 Collins-street, Melbourne. 9852

**NORTH RED, WHITE & BLUE O. M. COY.
NO LIABILITY, BLACKWOOD.**

A CALL (the 3rd) of Twopence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900, at the company's office.

E. A. LESTER, Manager.
7 Lydiard-street north, Ballarat. 9853

**NORMAN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
LITTLE BENDIGO.**

NOTICE—A Call (the 22nd) of One penny per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the company's office, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

G. G. GRAHAM, Manager.
Old Colonists' Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9854

**SVENGALI SILVER MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE—A Call (the 25th) of Threepence per share has been made and declared; due and payable to the manager, at the company's office, on Wednesday, the 10th January, 1900.

A. C. MACDONALD, Manager.
31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 25th December, 1899. 9855

**DEFIANCE No. 1 MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 12th ordinary) of One penny halfpenny per share has this day been made on all contributing shares in the company, due and payable to the manager, at the company's registered office, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

By order of the Board,
A. McCRINDLE, Manager.
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9856

**SALISBURY COPPER SILVER & GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 10th) on the increased capital of Two shillings and sixpence per share has this day been made on all shares, Nos. 1 to 500, due and payable to the manager, at the company's registered office, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

By order of the Board,
A. McCRINDLE, Manager.
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9857

**THE CAMPBELL'S CREEK DREDGING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CASTLEMAINE.**

NOTICE—A Call (the 8th) of Sixpence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable to the manager, at the office of the company, 3rd floor, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

A. F. SHOWERS, Legal Manager.
9858

**THE COCKS PIONEER ELECTRIC GOLD AND TIN
SLUICING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 2nd) of One shilling per share has been made upon all the shares in the above company numbered from 19,001 to 40,000, due and payable to me; at the registered office, Frell's Buildings, 60-70 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

A. McNICOL TURNER, Manager.
Dated 12th December, 1899. 9859

**THE BEEHIVE G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
BULUMVAAL.**

A CALL (the 10th) of Threepence per share has been made on all the shares in the company, due and payable to the manager, at the office of the company, 443 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

MURRAY JONES, Manager.
Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.
Country shareholders will please add exchange. 9860

**BALLARAT CREEK DREDGING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.**

A CALL (the 1st) of One halfpenny (½d.) per share on the uncalled capital of the company has been made, due and payable to the undersigned, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1900, at the registered office of the company, No. 490 Collins-street, Melbourne.

STEPHEN J. BYRNE, Manager.
9861

**NORTH LONG TUNNEL GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WALHALA.**

A CALL (the 79th) of Sixpence per share has been made, due and payable on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900, at the company's office, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne.

THOS. HAMILTON, Manager.
9862

**NEW ELDORADO GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, ABERFELDY.**

A CALL (the 11th) of One penny per share has been made, due and payable on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900, at the company's office, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne.

THOS. HAMILTON, Manager.
9863

**BAYLEYS GREAT OVERSIGHT GOLD MINE N. L.
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 23rd) of Three halfpence per share has been made, due and payable to me, at the registered office of the company, 52 William-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 10th January, 1900.

By order of the Board,
GEORGE A. S. GRIFFIN, Manager.
9902

Twelfth Schedule, Act No. 1074.

I THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Albion Contract Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1890*.

1. The name of the company is to be the Albion Contract Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Steiglitz.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Lydiard-street south, Ballarat.
4. The value of the company's property is £500.
5. The number of shares in the company is Twenty thousand, of Two shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is Twenty thousand.
7. The name of the manager is William John Wright.
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
Thomas Anderson, Ballarat, salesman	200
James Don, Ballarat, machinery merchant	200
Irvine Coulter, Ballarat, merchant	200
Peter Sharp, Ballarat, merchant	200
E. H. L. Swift, Ballarat, accountant	200
W. J. Wright, Ballarat, mining manager (in trust)	19,000
	20,000

Dated this 27th day of December, 1899.
W. J. WRIGHT, Manager.
Witness to signature—JOHN L. ANDERSON, J.P.

I, WILLIAM JOHN WRIGHT, 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.

W. J. WRIGHT.
Taken before me, at Ballarat, this 27th day of December, 1899—
JOHN L. ANDERSON, J.P.

Companies Act 1890, Part II., Division 4, Sec. 309.

I, WILLIAM JOHN WRIGHT, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the intended company to be named the Albion Contract Company No Liability.
2. Five per cent. of the subscribed capital of the said company is at this time paid up.
3. 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.

W. J. WRIGHT.
Taken before me this 27th day of December, 1899—
JOHN L. ANDERSON, J.P. 9757

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

**THE ALLANDALE MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

I THE undersigned, do hereby make application to register the Allandale Mining Company No Liability as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1890*.

1. The name of the company is to be The Allandale Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Purnamoota, near Broken Hill, New South Wales.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 34 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is £1,000.
5. The number of shares in the company is 8,000, of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 8,000.
7. The name of the manager is Cecil Denne Finch.
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.	Number of Shares
John Waugh Brougham, Esq., Broken Hill	2,000
Reginald Bright, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, gentleman	100
Thomas Alexander Allan, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, gentleman	100
J. E. Hayne, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, gentleman	100
Alfred Bright, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, gentleman	100
Cecil Denne Finch, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, manager	100
Cecil Denne Finch, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne, manager (in trust for shareholders)	5,500
	8,000

C. D. FINCH, Manager.
Dated this twenty-eighth day of December, 1899.
Witness to signature—L. K. S. MACKINNON.

I, **CROFT DENNE FINCH**, 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.

C. D. FINCH.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this twenty-eighth day of December, 1899—**L. K. S. MACKINNON**, Notary Public, Melbourne.
Blake and Riggall, of 120 William-street, Melbourne, solicitors to the company. 9811

Companies Act 1890.—Twelfth Schedule.

MEMORIAL FOR REGISTRATION OF THE JUNCTION DREDGING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Junction Dredging Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1890*.

1. The name of the company is to be the "Junction Dredging Company No Liability."
2. The place of operation (or intended operations) is at Porepunkah, near Bright.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Ludstone Chambers, Collins-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim, is £7,500.
5. The number of shares in the company is 50,000, of 7s. 6d. each, of which 20,000 are paid up to 7s. 6d., and the balance are to be issued and treated as paid up to 2s. each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 37,915.
7. The name of the manager is Clyde Bicknell Norton.
8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

W. H. Quick, 352 Collins-street, Melbourne, broker	200
H. B. Black, Collins-street, Melbourne, merchant	200
S. W. Wilkinson, Vine-street, Moonee Ponds, decorator	200
Charles Tointon, Fuckle-street, Moonee Ponds, contractor	200
Charles Brazier, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, merchant	200
James Hayes, Quamby, Essendon, mining investor	200
Clyde B. Norton, Collins-street, Melbourne, accountant (in trust for shareholders)	36,715
Clyde B. Norton, Collins-street, Melbourne, accountant (in trust for company)	12,085
	50,000

Dated this 28th day of December, 1899.
C. B. NORTON, Manager.
Witness to signature—**J. A. YOULDEN**.

I, **CLYDE BICKNELL NORTON**, 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.

C. B. NORTON.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this 28th day of December, 1899—**E. SMITH**, a Justice of the Peace of the Central Bailwick. 9864

THE QUARRY HILL GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 24,000 on which the 2nd call of One penny per share is then unpaid.
J. H. McCOLL, Manager. 9721

THE ELLESMERE AND AXEDALE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 30,000 on which the 4th call of One penny per share is then unpaid.
J. H. McCOLL, Manager. 9722

THE BROOKVILLE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 24,000 on which the 5th call of One penny per share is then unpaid.
J. H. McCOLL, Manager. 9723

THE WILSON'S HILL GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 32,000 on which the 8th call of One penny per share is then unpaid.
J. H. McCOLL, Manager. 9724

THE MYRTLE CREEK GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at Victoria Chambers, Bendigo, at Four o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, all shares in this company included in Nos. from 1 to 30,000 on which the 6th call of One penny per share is then unpaid.
J. H. McCOLL, Manager. 9725

Saturday, 6th January, 1900.

THE PRINCESS DAGMAR GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

W. G. BENTLEY will sell by auction, at the Beehive Exchange, Bendigo, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Four p.m., all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 38th call of Sixpence per share, due 13th December, 1899, unless previously redeemed.
J. HEMMING, Manager. 9726

GREY MARE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BARKSTEAD.

NOTICE—All shares (Nos. 1 to 30,000) in above company upon which the 9th call of One penny per share shall then remain unpaid will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat.
CHAS. BARKER, Manager. 9734

5 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

NEW LALLAH ROOKH MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, PITFIELD.

ALL shares (Nos. 1 to 24,000) in above company upon which the 15th call of Threepence and the 16th (machinery) call of Threepence each per share shall then remain unpaid will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat.
CHAS. BARKER, Manager. 9735

5 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

DALZEL-BUCHANAN MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT EAST.

NOTICE—All shares (Nos. 1 to 20,000) in above company upon which the 4th call of Twopence per share shall then remain unpaid will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat.
CHAS. BARKER, Manager. 9736

5 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

PRINCE REGENT QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT EAST.

NOTICE—All shares (Nos. 1 to 20,000) in above company upon which the 72nd call of Threepence per share shall then remain unpaid will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat.
CHAS. BARKER, Manager. 9737

5 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

SEBASTOPOL PLATEAU NUMBER ONE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 87th call of Fourpence (4d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
Nos. 1 to 24,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9738

28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

GLENFINE NUMBER ONE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 13th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
Nos. 1 to 25,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9739

—28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

PRINCE OF WALES AND BONSHAW UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 91st call of Sixpence (6d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
Nos. 1 to 24,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9740

28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

DUKE UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 30th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
Nos. 1 to 60,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.
J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9741

28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

KANGAROO COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BERRINGA.
NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 11th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
 Nos. 1 to 25,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.

J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9743
 28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

THE EGERTON COMPANY NO LIABILITY.
NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 21st call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
 Nos. 1 to 25,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.

J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9743
 28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

FEDERAL CENTRIFUGAL GOLD SLUICING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BRAIDWOOD, N.S.W.
NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 5th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:—
 Nos. 1 to 60,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.

J. A. CHALK, Manager. 9744
 28 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

THE BREAK O' DAY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, CORINDHAP.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 24,000, forfeited for non-payment of 2nd call of One penny per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 27th December, 1899. 9745

EAST BANNER QUARTZ AND ALLUVIAL COMPANY NO LIABILITY, PITFIELD PLAINS.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 17,000, forfeited for non-payment of 4th call of Twopence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, 27th December, 1899. 9746

THE FEDERAL MINT GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, PITFIELD PLAINS.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 25,000, forfeited for non-payment of 14th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, 27th December, 1899. 9747

THE VICTORIA MINT GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, PITFIELD PLAINS.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 24,000, forfeited for non-payment of 25th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, 27th December, 1899. 9748

SOUTH STAR EXTENDED COMPANY NO LIABILITY, SEBASTOPOL.
NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 30,000, forfeited for non-payment of 38th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.
 JOHN P. ROBERTS, Manager.
 Lydiard-street, Ballarat, 27th December, 1899. 9749

IMPERIAL CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, MAGPIE.
NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of One penny per share, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those on which the said call has been paid.
 W. M. ACHESON, Manager.
 Furnival's Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9750

CENTRAL PLATEAU COMPANY NO LIABILITY, SEBASTOPOL.
NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 110th call of Fourpence per share, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 Nos. 1 to 25,000, exclusive of those on which the said call has been paid.
 W. M. ACHESON, Manager.
 Furnival's Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9751

No. 112.—DECEMBER 29, 1899.—4.

THE BAND AND LOCH UNITED COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 13th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 Nos. 1 to 45,000, exclusive of those on which the said call has been paid.

W. M. ACHESON, Manager.
 Furnival's Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9752

NORTH BIRTHDAY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BERRINGA.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 14th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those on which the said call has been paid.

W. M. ACHESON, Manager.
 Furnival's Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9753

SOUTH GOLDEN BIRTHDAY COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 9754

J. W. KIRTON, Manager.

MOONLIGHT CONSOLS GOLD-MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of the 3rd call of Twopence per share, will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—
 Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of those on which the said call has been paid.
 9755

J. C. BELL, Manager.

NORTH SPRING GULLY G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY, FRYERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares upon which the 15th call of Twopence per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Castle-maine Stock Exchange, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter past Four p.m., unless the said call be previously paid to me.
 9760

WM. LASCELLES, Manager.

SPRING GULLY CONSOLS G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY, FRYERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares upon which the 1st call of a Halfpenny per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Castle-maine Stock Exchange, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter past Four p.m., unless the said call be previously paid to me.
 9761

WM. LASCELLES, Manager.

EUREKA & VINEYARD UNITED G. M. CO. NO LIABILITY, CHEWTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares upon which the 11th call of One penny per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Castle-maine Stock Exchange, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter past Four p.m., unless the said call be previously paid to me.
 9762

WM. LASCELLES, Manager.

VICTORIA REEF Q. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY, TARADALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares upon which the 7th call of One penny per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Castle-maine Stock Exchange, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter past Four p.m., unless the said call be previously paid to me.
 9763

WM. LASCELLES, Manager.

CENTRAL CATHERINE AMALGAMATED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares (from 1 to 24,000) on which the 12th call of Threepence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, unless the call be previously paid.
 9765

C. DAVIDSON, Manager.

HEPBURN HOMESTEAD GOLD-MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, SMEATON.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of Twopence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

M. C. DONNELLY, Manager.

9 Camp street, Ballarat.

9767

THE ORIENTAL AND NORTH CROSS REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company, forfeited for non-payment of the 51st call of Threepence (3d.) per share, due 8th November, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Commercial Hotel, Main-street, Stawell, at Four o'clock p.m., on Monday, 8th January, 1900:—

Nos. 1 to 50,000, exclusive of those shares on which the said call has been paid.

P. Q. KEMPSON, Manager.

KEMPSON GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company, forfeited for non-payment of the 19th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, due 13th December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Commercial Hotel, Main-street, Stawell, at Four o'clock p.m., on Monday, 8th January, 1900:—

Nos. 1 to 20,000, exclusive of the shares on which the call has been paid.

P. Q. KEMPSON, Manager.

ARCHDALE ALLUVIAL GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—Shares in default the 1st call of Three shillings per share, due on 13th December, 1899, became absolutely forfeited on 27th idem, and will be positively sold by public auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, at Twelve (Noon), on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, unless previously redeemed.

By order of the Board.

ARTHUR ROBERT TABER, Legal Manager.
Napier-street, St. Arnaud, and at Reef Hill, Archdale, 28th December, 1899. 9775

TASMANIA UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company on which the 3rd ordinary call of Twopence per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, 108 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.

A. G. GOWER, Manager.

TASMANIA BLACK LEAD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, CAPE BAREN ISLAND, TASMANIA.

ALL forfeited shares in above company will be sold by public auction, at Melbourne Stock Exchange, Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN MAY, Manager.

THE NEW PIONEER GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, DIAMOND CREEK.

ALL forfeited shares in above company will be sold by public auction, at Melbourne Stock Exchange, Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon.

JOHN MAY, Manager.

THE WELSHMAN'S REEF GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, SANDY CREEK.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company, forfeited for non-payment of the 1st call of Twopence on the increased capital of the company, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless redeemed.

S. J. WARNOCK, Manager.

BURNT CREEK GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, BURNT CREEK.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company, forfeited for non-payment of the 39th call of Fourpence, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m., unless redeemed.

S. J. WARNOCK, Manager.

THE WONGA CYANIDE GOLD RECOVERY CO. NO LIABILITY, STAVELL.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company, forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of Sixpence on the increased capital, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m., unless redeemed.

S. J. WARNOCK, Manager.

THE SOUTH STAR COMPANY NO LIABILITY, SEBASTOPOL.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company on which the 5th call of Sixpence (6d.) per share, due on the 11th day of October, 1899, remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, in the Vestibule, Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon.

GEO. RUFFLE, Manager.
Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9795

LOCH FYNE UNITED G. MG. CO. N. L.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of call No. 21 of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m.

FRED. TRICKS, Manager.

MCCAULS REWARD PROPRIETARY G. MG. CO. N. L.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of call No. 22 of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 9th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m.

FRED. TRICKS, Manager.

GARRETT AND LONG GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 29th call of Twopence per share will be sold by public auction, at the office of the company, Brooke-street, Inglewood, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, unless the said shares be previously redeemed.

JOHN C. MORROW, Manager.
Inglewood, 28th December, 1899. 9801

WEST LYELL EXTENDED MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, GORMANSTON, TASMANIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of One farthing per share, due the 8th day of November, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at quarter-past Twelve p.m., unless previously redeemed.

H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

92 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9802

GREAT WALHALLA GOLD MINING COY. NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA, GIPPSLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of calls (including the 15th) will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

H. D. MCKIE, Manager.

92 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9803

LONDON GOLD MINES COMPANY NO LIABILITY, MYRTLEFORD.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th (October) and 5th (November) calls of Nine halfpence per share respectively will be sold absolutely by public auction, at the registered office of the company, Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve noon, unless the said calls be previously paid.

J. PRINCE CAMERON, Manager.

The Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9813

SNOWY HEIGHTS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, MT. WILLS.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 12th (December) call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at quarter past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

J. PRINCE CAMERON, Manager.

The Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9814

BRISTOL REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, ST. ARNAUD.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 8th (December) call of Three halfpence per share, will be sold absolutely by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

J. PRINCE CAMERON, Manager.

The Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9815

BRILLIANT Q. M. CO. NO LIABILITY, MAINDAMPLE.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of One penny per share, due and payable on the 13th December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Exchange Buildings, Collins-street, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.

By order,

J. J. WHELAN, Manager.

9816

NEW STIRLING PROPRIETARY GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of One penny per share; due 13th December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

W. O. STRANGWARD, Manager.

23th December, 1899. 9817

SOUTHERN AND PRENTICE UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company on which the 60th call of Threepence (3d.) per share, due on the 13th day of December, 1899, remains unpaid, will be sold by public auction, in the Vestibule, Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon.

GEO. RUFFLE, Manager.

Equitable Building, Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9818

**OLD MEN'S HOPE MINERAL & GOLD MINING
CO. NO LIABILITY, HOMEWOOD.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th call of Two shillings and sixpence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

SIDNEY J. PLAIN, Manager.
341-3 Collins-street, Melbourne. 9819

**SOUTHERN CROSS & CENTRAL WATTLE GULLY
GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY, CHEWTON.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 23rd call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter-past Eleven a.m., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless redeemed.

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.), Manager.
Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 27th
December, 1899. 9820

**NEW ROYAL STANDARD GOLD MINES
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 7th and previous calls will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter to Twelve a.m., at the registered office, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, unless redeemed.

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.), Manager.
27th December, 1899. 9821

**VICTORS NORTH GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 9th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Eleven a.m., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless redeemed.

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.), Manager.
Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 27th
December, 1899. 9822

**GERMAN & DERBY EXTENDED GOLD MINES
NO LIABILITY, MALDON.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve noon, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless redeemed.

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.), Manager.
Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 27th
December, 1899. 9823

**ARGYLE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
JERICHO.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 23rd call of Three halfpence per share will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless redeemed.

W. GRANT MEUDELL
(Meudell, Mackay, and Co.), Manager.
Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, 27th
December, 1899. 9824

**THE STOCKMAN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BIG RIVER.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th call of One halfpenny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at a quarter to Twelve o'clock a.m., unless previously redeemed.

A. R. FLINT, Manager.
9825

**OLD NUGGETTY REEFS COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
MALDON.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all contributing shares in the above-named company on which the fourth (4th) call of Threepence per share, due 13th December, 1899, and any previous call remain unpaid, will be sold by public auction, by Messrs Gimmell, Tuckett, and Co., without any further notice, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m.

FRANK P. BURGESS, Manager.
Registered office: No. 408 Collins-street, Melbourne. 9826

**NEW MORNING STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above-named company on which the Thirteenth (13th) call of One penny per share, due 13th December, 1899, or any previous call remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, without any further notice, by Messrs Gimmell, Tuckett, and Co., at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m.

FRANK P. BURGESS, Manager.
Registered office: 408 Collins street, Melbourne. 9827

**GOLDEN GATE QUARTZ AND ALLUVIAL GOLD-
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

The undermentioned shares in the above company, forfeited for non-payment of the 12th call of Threepence per share, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 9th January, 1900, at Twelve noon:—

All shares numbered 1 to 20,000 on which the said call remains unpaid.

JOHN CLARK, Manager.
Melbourne, 28th December, 1899. 9828

HANLON GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 9th call of Threepence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
9829

**ROYALTOWN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

All shares on which the 1st call of One penny per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
99 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9830

**MAIN LEADS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

All shares on which the 14th call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
99 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9831

**GLENFINE CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

All shares on which the 7th call of Threepence per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
99 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9832

**WESTERN THARSIS MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

All shares on which the 8th call of Twopence per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
99 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9833

**LEVIATHAN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, WOOD'S POINT.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 25th call of Three halfpence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at five minutes to Twelve o'clock, unless previously redeemed.

A. R. FLINT, Manager.
9834

**HOPE GOLD MINING COY. NO LIABILITY,
WOOD'S POINT.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of 26th call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Saturday 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

A. R. FLINT, Manager.
9835

**GLENFINE NORTH GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 18th call of Fourpence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
9836

**NEW VICTORIA KLONDYKE GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of Twopence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
9837

**SOUTHERN LEADS GOLD MINES MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 19th call of Sixpence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.
9838

**BLINK BONNIE Q. M. COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
ST. ARNAUD.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 12th call of Three-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**NEW MADAME HOPKINS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 3rd call of Three-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**CATHCART PROPRIETARY GOLD MINES
NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 4th call of One penny will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**MOUNT ELLIOTT PROPRIETARY SYNDICATE
NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of Ten shillings will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**GREAT SOUTHERN CONSOLS COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 44th call of Three-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**WEST BERRY CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, CRESWICK.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 52nd call of Sixpence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**SOUTH LOCH FYNE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 46th call of One penny will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**BAR ONE DARGO HIGH PLAINS GOLD MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 32nd call of Three-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

**DUNDEE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of One penny per share, due the 13th day of December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

H. S. DICKSON, Manager.

31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

9847

**MONARO TIN AND GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company, forfeited for non-payment of the 2nd call of Three halfpence per share, due the 13th day of December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

H. S. DICKSON, Manager.

31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

9848

**ANDERSON GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 4th call of Three halfpence per share, due the 13th day of December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

H. S. DICKSON, Manager.

31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

9849

**GRASSMERE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 12th call of Three halfpence per share, due the 13th day of December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange Vestibule, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless the said call be previously paid.

H. S. DICKSON, Manager.

31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

9850

**THE GREAT ELDORADO GOLD MINING COMPANY
GAFFNEY'S CREEK, N. L.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call on increased capital will be sold by public auction, on Friday, 5th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, unless previously redeemed.

By order of the Board,
A. SCHMEIDT, M.A., Legal Manager.

Melbourne, 27th December, 1899.

9855

**EXCHANGE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT EAST.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of calls will be positively sold by auction, at Stock Exchange Vestibule, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, 8th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon.

W. P. JONES, Legal Manager.

Office, 377 Collins-street.

9866

OAKLEIGH G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, LINTON.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 1st call of Two-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9867

**SOUTH IMPERIAL G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY,
HISCOCKS.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 13th call of One penny will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9868

**GREAT BIRTHDAY G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY,
BERRINGA.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 5th call of One penny will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9869

**HEPBURN ESTATE EXTENDED G. M. COY.,
SMEATON.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 15th call of Two-pence will be sold by public auction, at Stock Exchange Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9870

**SAILOR GULLY G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY,
BALLARAT EAST.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of Three-pence will be sold by public auction at Stock Exchange Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

ALFRED M. W. SIMMS, Manager.

Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9871

**MELVILLE GLEN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY, PIGGOREET.**

NOTICE.—All shares included in the Nos. 1 to 20,000, forfeited for the non-payment of the 1st call of One penny (1d.) per share, will be sold at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless redeemed.

W. M. WILLIAMS, Manager.

50 Mining Exchange, Ballarat.

9872

**NORTH RED, WHITE, AND BLUE QUARTZ MINING
COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BLACKWOOD.**

NOTICE.—All shares included in Nos. 1 to 24,000 forfeited for non-payment of 2nd call of Twopence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.

E. A. LESTER, Manager.

7 Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

9873

**CARISBROOK EXTENDED GOLD MINING
CO. NO LIABILITY, CARISBROOK.**

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 11th call of Three-pence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

W. R. HENRY, Manager.

9874

THE SPRING HILL AND CENTRAL LEADS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, KINGSTON.

NOTICE.—All shares on which the 76th call of Fourpence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat:—

Progressive numbers from 1 to 40,000, with the exception of those previously paid on.

J. H. DILL, Manager.
42 and 43 Mining Exchange, Ballarat. 9875

JUBILEE CONSOLS GOLD MINING COY. NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares on which the 1st call of Twopence per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, at half-past twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
7 Lydiard-street north, Ballarat. 9876

FIRST CHANCE COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT EAST.

ALL shares on which the 28th call of Three halfpence per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

R. GILPIN, Manager.
7 Lydiard-street north, Ballarat. 9877

THE SOUTH BIRTHDAY CO. NO LIABILITY, BERRINGA.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 16th (December) call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless calls and expenses be previously paid.

E. GORDON ROSS, Manager.
9879

PIGGOREET G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, PIGGOREET.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 6th call of Threepence per share, due 13th December, 1899, will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m.:

Progressive Nos. from 1 to 15,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.

G. W. COPELAND, Manager.
Chancery-lane, Ballarat. 9880

NORMAN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, LITTLE BENDIGO.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned shares, forfeited for non-payment of 21st (December, 1899) call of One penny per share, will be sold by public auction, at Mining Exchange, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m.:

Nos. 1 to 21,000, exclusive of those upon which said call has been paid.

G. G. GRAHAM, Manager.
Old Colonists' Hall, Lydiard-street, Ballarat. 9881

THE SOUTH JUBILEE MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, CLARKESDALE.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Mining Exchange, Ballarat, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

J. H. CUNNINGHAM, Manager.
7 Lydiard-street north, Ballarat. 9882

ALL NATIONS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, BEAUFORT.

ALL shares on which the 13th call of Fourpence (4d.) per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction at half-past Twelve p.m., at the Exchange, Ballarat, on that date.

W. D. THOMPSON, Manager.
Exchange, Ballarat. 9883

LIDLERS EXTENDED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, ROKEWOOD.

ALL shares on which the 10th call of One penny (1d.) per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve p.m., at the Exchange, Ballarat, on that date.

W. D. THOMPSON, Manager.
Exchange, Ballarat. 9884

SOUTH PITFIELD CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, PITFIELD PLAINS.

ALL shares on which the 10th call of Twopence (2d.) per share remains unpaid on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, will be sold by public auction, at half-past Twelve p.m., at the Exchange, Ballarat, on that date.

W. D. THOMPSON, Manager.
Exchange, Ballarat. 9885

GREAT SOUTHERN GOLD MINING CO. NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company on which the 29th call of Sixpence per share remains unpaid are now forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, 352 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Monday, the 8th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

W. H. MACLURCAN, Manager.
9886

WALLACE CHILTERN VALLEY CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, CHILTERN.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company on which the 15th call of One shilling per share remains unpaid are now forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1900, at a quarter past Twelve o'clock p.m., unless previously redeemed.

W. H. MACLURCAN, Manager.
9887

GREAT SOUTHERN & CHILTERN VALLEY UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIAB., RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above-named company on which the 8th call of Fourpence per share on the increased capital of the company remains unpaid are now forfeited, and will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, the 9th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

W. H. MACLURCAN, Manager.
9888

GAY STAR COMPY. NO LIABILITY, BALLARAT.

NOTICE.—All shares (from 4,801 to 24,000) upon which the 62nd call of Threepence per share is unpaid became absolutely forfeited on Wednesday, the 27th day of December, 1899, and will be sold by public auction, at the company's office, Prell's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, if not previously redeemed.

J. B. DEAN, Manager.
9889

VICTORIAN MOUNT MORGAN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 16th call of One halfpenny per share on all shares (numbered from 1 to 50,000) in the above-named company will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, the 6th day of January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, at the company's office, No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

G. E. ROBINSON, Manager.
9890

RUSSELLS REEF AMALGAMATED GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 40th call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve noon, unless previously redeemed.

JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
9891

No. 1 SOUTH RUSSELLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 66th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at 30 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at half-past Twelve p.m., unless previously redeemed.

JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
9892

SOUTH RUSSELLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 64th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at 30 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at quarter-past Twelve p.m., unless previously redeemed.

JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
9893

NORTH LOCH FYNE COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 19th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange, 382 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed.

JOHN BARKER, Legal Manager.
9894

NEW MARINER G. M. COY. NO LIABILITY, STEIGLITZ.

ALL shares on which the 46th call, due 13th December, 1899, is not paid are forfeited, and will be sold by auction, at rooms of W. F. Vale and Co., Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, unless paid on previous.

H. W. FORD.
373 Collins-street. 9895

GREAT NORTHERN EXTENDED CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, RUTHERGLEN.

NOTICE.—All shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 66th call of Threepence per share will be sold by public auction, at the Stock Exchange of Melbourne, Collins-street, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, unless previously redeemed.

A. J. E. MOREY, Manager.
9896

**MORAN'S LUCK GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for the non-payment of the 13th call of Three pence per share will be sold by public auction, in the Hall of the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Saturday, the 6th January, 1900, at a quarter to Twelve a.m., unless previously redeemed.

BERNARD BRADLEY, Manager.
150 Green-street, Melbourne. 9837

**McMILLANS AJAX Q. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
DAYLESFORD.**

ALL shares upon which the 8th and previous calls of Three pence per share remain unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by auction, at the rooms of Lascelles and Adams, Castlemaine, on Saturday, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Two o'clock.

T. PRICE, Manager.
9838

**BRUCES No. 1 NORTH Q. M. CO. NO LIABILITY,
DAYLESFORD.**

ALL shares upon which the 41st call of Three pence per share remains unpaid are forfeited, and will be sold by auction, at the rooms of Lascelles and Adams, Castlemaine, 6th January, 1900, at half-past Two o'clock.

T. PRICE, Manager.
9839

**HUNT'S EXTENDED COMPANY NO LIABILITY,
GAFFNEY'S CREEK.**

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the 17th call of Two pence per share, due 8th November, will be sold by public auction, at the rooms of Messrs. Gemmell, Tuckett, and Co., Collins-street, Melbourne, on Tuesday, 9th January, 1900, at Twelve noon, unless previously redeemed.

THOS. HAMILTON, Manager.
60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9900

BAYLEYS GREAT OVERSIGHT GOLD MINE N. L.
NOTICE is hereby given that all shares in the above company forfeited for non-payment of the 22nd call of Three half-pence per share will be sold by public auction, on Saturday, 13th January, 1900, at Twelve o'clock noon, at the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, unless previously redeemed.

By order of the Board,
GEORGE A. S. GRIFFIN, Manager.
9901

**DAY DAWN GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.**

THE undersigned manager, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 22nd day of December, 1899, resolved on. The mode adopted for the increase is by raising the amount of each of the Twenty-four thousand (24,000) shares existing in the company from Ten shillings to Twenty shillings.

A. R. W. DABB, Manager of the above-named company.
GEO. UPTON, } Directors of the above-named company.
S. RODDA, }

In the Court of Mines for the Mining District of Ballarat, at Ballarat—Petition No. 7, 1899.—In the matter of Part II. of the COMPANIES Act 1896 No. 1074, and in the matter of the METROPOLITAN GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

Friday, the fifteenth day of December, 1899.
UPON the petition of James Richardson, trading at Armstrong-street, Ballarat, in the colony of Victoria, under the style and firm of the Ballarat Hardware Company, a creditor of the Metropolitan Gold Mining Company No Liability, on the fifteenth day of December, 1899, presented to me, the undersigned, a Judge of the said court, and, upon hearing Mr. Dugdale, of counsel for the said James Richardson, and upon reading the said petition, and an affidavit of the said James Richardson verifying the same, and upon the other evidence adduced in this matter, I do order that the said the Metropolitan Gold Mining Company No Liability be wound up under the provisions of the said part of the said Act; and I further appoint the twelfth day of January, 1900, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, as the day for a general meeting of the creditors of the said the Metropolitan Gold Mining Company No Liability, to be held at the registered office of the company, No. 32 Lydiard-street, Ballarat; and I direct that this order be served upon the said company by leaving a copy thereof at the registered office of the company; and I further order that all proceedings in connexion with the winding up of the said company be conducted in the Court of Mines for the Mining District of Ballarat, at Ballarat.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this fifteenth day of December, 1899.

Stamps
5/-
Cancelled.

(L.S.) WILLIAM H. GAUNT,
Judge of the said Court.

F. H. Tutbill, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, solicitor for the petitioning creditor. 9904

Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John McKee Kerr, of Northwood Park, grazier, whose estate was sequestrated on the 24th day of April, 1899. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of January, 1900, will be excluded.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1899.
HORACE E. WOOTTON, Trustee.
17 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9790

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Sanderson, of West Melbourne, bottle manufacturer, whose estate was assigned on the 31st day of August, 1899.

Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of January, 1900, will be excluded.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1899.
HORACE E. WOOTTON, Trustee.
17 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9786

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Morris Nathan, of Mansfield, bookseller, stationer, &c., whose estate was assigned on the 24th day of October, 1899.

Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 12th day of January, 1900, will be excluded.

Dated this 22nd day of December, 1899.
HORACE E. WOOTTON, Trustee.
17 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9787

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Robert McKinley Kerr, of Northwood Park, grazier, whose estate was sequestrated on the 24th day of April, 1899.

Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of January, 1900, will be excluded.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1899.
HORACE E. WOOTTON, Trustee.
17 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9788

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of R. and J. Kerr, of Northwood Park, graziers, whose estate was sequestrated on the 24th day of April, 1899. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of January, 1900, will be excluded.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1899.
HORACE E. WOOTTON, Trustee.
17 Queen-street, Melbourne. 9789

Impoundings.

AXE CREEK.—Impounded at Axe Creek, 27th December 1899, by Mr. N. Lingham.

242 to 481. Includes two hundred and twenty-five merino ewes, branded ⊕ on back, near ear marked; and fifteen crossbred rams

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 24th January, 1900.

9913—5/3 BENJN. CODE,
Poundkeeper.

COBDEN.—Impounded at Cobden, 21st December, 1899, by the Herdsman.

1 bay filly, white star, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9915—4/1 WM. RYDER,
Poundkeeper.

COBURG.—Impounded at Coburg, 19th December, 1899,

1 black cow, white udder, D off rump
1 red and white cow, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9781—4/1 J. BUZAGLO,
Poundkeeper.

COLAC.—Impounded at Colac, 28th December, 1899, by John Dale, parish of Elliminyt.

1 white and red short-horn bull, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 19th January, 1900.

9914—4/1 CHAS. BUCHANAN,
Poundkeeper.

EPPING.—Impounded at Epping.

1 bay mare, star and snip, hind feet white, knees injured

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9779—3/6 JAMES BOYLE,
Poundkeeper.

FERNTREE GULLY.—Impounded at Ferntree Gully, by P. Williamson.

1 blue-roan cow, branded MA near rump, G off ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 24th January, 1900.

9916—4/1 JOHN MASON,
Poundkeeper.

LANDSBOROUGH.—Impounded at Landsborough.—Trespass 10s.
1 black or brown gelding, hack, star, off hind hoof shod, heart near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9799—4/8

WILLIAM FALVEY,
Poundkeeper.

LEONGATHA.—Impounded at Woorayl Shire Pound.

1 bay mare, branded like H on the off shoulder, off hind foot white, near hind foot little white, small star on forehead

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 18th January, 1900.

9917—4/1

E. A. COLE,
Poundkeeper.

McIVOR CREEK.—Impounded at McIvor Creek, by Mr. J. Young, jun.

1 bay mare, star forehead, hind feet shod, like □□ conjoined near shoulder, 18 near neck
1 black yearling gelding, TN near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 24th January, 1900.

9782—5/3

WILLIAM H. WASON,
Poundkeeper.

MOORABBIN.—Impounded at Moorabbin Shire Pound, by John Marriott.

149. Chestnut mare, grey patches, star, shod, lame off hind foot

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9911—4/1

EWEN McSWAIN,
Poundkeeper.

MURCHISON.—Impounded at Murchison, 23rd December, 1899, by G. Wilfote.

1 black poley heifer, little white on belly, branded like NB off rump.

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 24th January, 1900.

9798—4/8

JAMES MURRAY,
Poundkeeper.

OMEQ.—Impounded at Omeo Shire Pound, 19th December, 1899, by Doyle Brothers, from Coughlan's paddock, Bald Hill-road.

1 brown horse, black points, branded like T over — over M near shoulder

1 dark-brown draught horse, star, injury on near hind leg, like AD near shoulder

1 brown horse, black points, like ∩ off shoulder

1 creamy-bay yearling colt, white nose, like — over J near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 13th January, 1900.

9720—8/2

WM. MESLEY,
Poundkeeper.

OXLEY.—Impounded at Oxley.

12. Chestnut mare, faint star, hind feet white, branded P near shoulder

13. Draught bay mare, three white feet, star and stripe, no visible brand

14. Black draught mare, white blaze down face, four white feet, branded H near shoulder

15. Chestnut mare, star, branded H near shoulder

16. Bay horse, hind feet white, branded Q near shoulder

17. Bay mare, star, branded Q near shoulder

18. Brown filly, star, white on nose; progeny of above

19. Brown draught mare, large star and stripe, fore legs bent, hind feet white, no visible brand

20. Chestnut colt, silver tail, star, hind feet white, branded like W near shoulder

21. Bay colt, star and small stripe, off hind foot white, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 21st January, 1900.

9759—12/3

H. WALKER,
Poundkeeper.

RUTHERGLEN.—Impounded at Rutherglen Shire Pound, 23rd December, 1899, by Mr. McRea.—Damages £3.

1 strawberry-roan bull, off horn broken, indistinct brand like TC or IC off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 20th January, 1900.

9910—4/8

R. TURNER,
Poundkeeper.

SOUTH BARWON.—Impounded at South Barwon Shire Pound.

1 red heifer, branded like M off rump, off ear marked

1 black and white steer, both ears marked

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 8th January, 1900.

9768—4/8

J. BROSNAN,
Poundkeeper.

WATCHEM.—Impounded at Watchem Shire Pound, by Mr. R. Donohue.

1 bright bay gelding (buggy horse), 4 years, branded blotch D off shoulder

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E. J. GLOWREY,
Poundkeeper.

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