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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SUPREME COURT.

HIS Honour the Chief Justice has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Supreme Court of Victoria:—

FOR TAKING AFFIDAVITS.

Name.	Profession.	Residence.	Jurisdiction.	Duration of Commission (unless revoked).
John Crawford ...	Acting Clerk of Courts	Whittlesea ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to hold the office of Acting Clerk of Courts at Whittlesea
William Henry Dower	Estate Agent ...	Mount Dandenong	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near Mount Dandenong
Arthur Frederick Fitzhardinge	Solicitor ...	Gilgandra ...	New South Wales ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside and practise the profession of a Solicitor at or near Gilgandra
Egbert Lock ...	Shire Secretary	Woodend ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to hold the position of Shire Secretary at Woodend
Robert Crompton ...	Solicitor ...	Suva ...	Fiji ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside and practise the profession of a Solicitor at or near Suva
Frank Vernon Higgins	Solicitor ...	Geelong ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside and practise the profession of a Solicitor at or near Geelong, during the absence of his partner, Mr. Speed, on military duties during the war
Benjamin Henderson McPherson	Registrar of Births	Trentham ...	Victoria ...	Until Commissioner ceases to reside at or near Trentham

Prothonotary's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1916.

D. F. McGRATH,
Prothonotary.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE EMPOWERED TO GIVE CONSENT TO THE MARRIAGE OF MINORS.

HIS Honour the Chief Justice has been pleased to empower the undermentioned Justice of the Peace to consent to the Marriage of Minors under the provisions of the *Marriage Act 1915*.

Name.	Residence.	Jurisdiction.
George Burn ...	Ararat ...	District of Ararat

D. F. McGRATH,
Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

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Health Act 1915.

OFFICER OF HEALTH.

THE Board of Public Health, by virtue of the powers conferred on it by the *Health Act 1915*, has approved of the appointment by the Council of the city of Camberwell of WILLIAM SPALDING LAURIE, M.D., as Acting Officer of Health for the said city during the temporary absence of Basil Kilvington, M.D.

T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary, Board of Public Health.

Public Health Department,
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1916.

Public Service Act 1915 (No. 2713), Section 172.

IT is hereby notified that a charge has been preferred against JOHN LESLIE CANTY, Warder, Penal and Gaols Branch, Department of Chief Secretary, under section 170 of the *Public Service Act 1915*, and that a registered letter asking him whether he admits or denies the truth of the charge has been posted to his last known address, viz., 553 Sydney-road, North Coburg.

Unless a reply to such communication be received by Tuesday, the 15th February, 1916, he shall be deemed to deny the truth of the charge, and the investigation thereof will be proceeded with on Tuesday, the 22nd February, 1916, at Eleven o'clock a.m., at the Penal Establishment, Pentridge.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

OVERSEER OF WOOLLEN MANUFACTURES,
PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, PENTRIDGE, DE-
PARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from persons, who are qualified, for the position of Overseer of Woollen Manufactures, General Division, Penal Establishment, Pentridge, Department of Chief Secretary.

Yearly Salary.—£180, minimum; £240, maximum; with quarters when required to reside on the premises.

Qualifications.—A general knowledge of wool, its condition from a shrinkage point of view, and its adaptability for manufacturing into various classes of goods; a knowledge of dyeing, plain and fancy colours, both with wool and coir yarn; a practical and experimental knowledge of carding and spinning and ability to manage looms, tuning, &c. (jacquard and plain); ability to give instruction in finishing tweeds and other goods for market; to be generally able to control prison labour, and to conduct a woollen factory in all its branches.

The successful applicant may, when required, be called upon to do other duty in the Penal Establishment.

Applications (which should be accompanied by evidence of experience and qualifications, together with a statement of date of birth) are required to be lodged at the office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Friday, the 18th February, 1916.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 4th February, 1916.

FOURTH CLASS CLERKS (2), INCOME TAX
BRANCH, DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from officers of the Fifth Class of the Clerical Division of the Public Service of Victoria, who are qualified, for appointment to the positions of Fourth Class Clerk, Income Tax Branch, Department of Treasurer.

The officers selected will for the present be appointed at their present salaries.

1. *Duties.*—To deal with and assess Income Tax returns, and in particular those of a special and intricate character.

Qualifications.—An applicant should possess a good knowledge of the Income Tax Acts and Regulations.

A knowledge of the principles and practice of Accountancy, as well as the trade usages in particular businesses, is desirable.

2. *Duties.*—To take charge of and supervise certain "check" investigation work and collate and deal with the information and statements required from taxpayers in connexion therewith.

Qualifications.—An applicant will be required to assess returns and make any amendments in connexion therewith arising out of the "check" investigation. He should possess a good knowledge of the Income Tax Acts and Regulations.

Applications (which should be accompanied by evidence of experience and qualifications) are required to be lodged at the Office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Friday, the 18th February, 1916.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 8th February, 1916.

THIRD CLASS CLERK, INCOME TAX BRANCH,
DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from Officers of the Fourth Class of the Clerical Division of the Public Service of Victoria, who are qualified, for appointment to the position of Third Class Clerk (Investigating Officer), Income Tax Branch, Department of Treasurer.

The officer selected will for the present be appointed at his present salary.

Duties.—Investigation of doubtful Income Tax returns of an intricate character and the examination of taxpayers' books and accounts in connexion therewith.

The Investigating Officer must be prepared to give evidence in Court in support of the charge in cases where prosecutions for lodging false returns arise out of the investigation.

Qualifications.—An applicant should be a qualified accountant and possess a knowledge of the commercial practice relating to accounts. An intimate knowledge of the Income Tax Acts and Regulations will be required, more especially with regard to those sections relating to prosecutions for lodging false returns.

Applications (which should be accompanied by evidence of experience and qualifications) are required to be lodged at the Office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Friday, the 18th February, 1916.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 8th February, 1916.

FEMALE SHORTHAND AND TYPE WRITER.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from persons, who are qualified, for appointment to the position of Female Shorthand and Type-Writer.

Yearly Salary.—£108 minimum; £132 maximum.

Applicants should be able to write shorthand at the rate of 130 words a minute, and to operate a typewriting machine at the rate of 55 words a minute, and be not less than the age of 21 years.

Applications (which should be accompanied by documentary evidence of experience and qualifications, together with a statement of date of birth) are required to be lodged at the Office of the Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than Monday, the 14th February, 1916.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 8th February, 1916.

Income Tax Act.

NOTICE TO PAY TAX.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above-named Act, the tax chargeable on all assessments of income for the year commencing on the first day of July, 1915, made after the 8th day of February, 1916, and on or before the 15th day of February, 1916, is payable at this office on or before the 1st day of March, 1916.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1916.

THOS. PROUT WEBB,

Commissioner of Taxes.

Taxation Office (Income Tax Branch), Railway Buildings, Flinders-street, Melbourne.

Fruit Act 1915, No. 2657.

ELECTION NOTICE.

HURSTBRIDGE COOL STORES TRUST.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 1st day of March, 1916, I, the undersigned, shall hold an election of six members to serve on the Hurstbridge Cool Stores Trust; and I further notify that I have appointed Monday, the 14th day of February, 1916, as the day of nomination.

Nomination forms on the prescribed form must be lodged or delivered by post before Four o'clock in the afternoon of the day of nomination with the Deputy Returning Officer, Mr. R. C. Harris, at the Evelyn Observer office, Kangaroo Ground.

J. R. PESCOTT, Returning Officer.

Fruit Act 1915 (No. 2657).

HURSTBRIDGE COOL STORES TRUST.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to make available for inspection at the Post Office, Hurstbridge, from the 16th February, 1916, a roll of the names of persons entitled under the *Fruit Act 1915 (No. 2657)* to vote as owners of orchards.

F. W. HAGELTHORN,

Minister of Agriculture.

1st February, 1916.

Gold Buyers Act 1915.

LIST of Gold Buyers' and Gold Assayers' Licences issued at the undermentioned Revenue and Pay Offices during the period ended the 31st December, 1915:—

Name, Occupation, Address, Description of Licence, Date of Issue, Court of Petty Sessions at which Certificate was Issued.

AVOCA.

Fitzgerald, James, storekeeper, Moonambel, gold buyer's, 24th December, 1915, Avoca.
Spiers, Fredk., storekeeper, Amphitheatre, gold buyer's, 21st December, 1915, Avoca.
Stuart, David M., storekeeper, Moonambel, gold buyer's, 24th December, 1915, Avoca.
Henderson, Thomas, storekeeper, High-street, Avoca, gold buyer's, 31st December, 1915, Avoca.
Snell, Benjamin D., storekeeper, High-street, Avoca, gold buyer's, 29th December, 1915, Avoca.

BAIRNSDALE.

Clements, Richard, storekeeper, Bulumwaal, gold buyer's, 17th December, 1915, Bairnsdale.

BALLARAT.

Cohen, Simon, financier, Albert-street, Ballarat, gold buyer's, 24th December, 1915, Ballarat.
Cohen, Simon, financier, Albert-street, Ballarat, gold assayer's, 24th December, 1915, Ballarat.
Crosthwaite, William R., grocer, Italian Gully, gold buyer's, 29th December, 1915, Smythesdale.
Kingston, Elizabeth, storekeeper, Enfield, gold buyer's, 22nd December, 1915, Sebastopol.

BEECHWORTH.

Borschmann, Frederick C., storeman, Spring Creek, Beechworth, gold buyer's, 21st December, 1915, Beechworth.

BENDIGO.

Leggo, Arthur V., metallurgist, California Gully, gold assayer's, 20th December, 1915, Eaglehawk.

CASTLEMAINE.

Archbold, John, metallurgist, Main-street, Chewton, gold assayer's, 21st December, 1915, Castlemaine.
Archbold, Oliver J., metallurgist, Main-street, Chewton, gold buyer's, 24th December, 1915, Castlemaine.
Arkininstall, Augustus F., metallurgist, Campbell's Creek, gold assayer's, 20th December, 1915, Castlemaine.
Davis, Ernest E., grocer, Campbell's Creek, gold buyer's, 20th December, 1915, Castlemaine.
Mein, Wilfred J., manager, Guildford, gold buyer's, 20th December, 1915, Castlemaine.
O'Brien, John P., storekeeper, Fryerstown, gold buyer's, 20th December, 1915, Fryerstown.
Steiner, Charles W., teacher, Farnsworth-street, Castlemaine, gold assayer's, 24th December, 1915, Castlemaine.

DAYLESFORD.

Richards, Marres, storekeeper, Blackwood, gold buyer's, 20th December, 1915, Trentham.
Hamilton, David M., agent, Vincent-street, Daylesford, gold buyer's, 31st December, 1915, Daylesford.

KYNETON.

Rivett, Alfred, assayer, Faraday-street, Taradale, gold assayer's, 23rd December, 1915, Taradale.

MARYBOROUGH.

Walker, Joseph M., storekeeper, Nolan-street, Maryborough, gold buyer's, 31st December, 1915, Maryborough.
Hodgetts, Wm. B., storekeeper, Landsborough, gold buyer's, 31st December, 1915, Landsborough.

MELBOURNE.

Glover, Alfred E., 379A Briscoe-lane, Melbourne, gold buyer's, 23rd December, 1915, Melbourne.
Glover, Alfred E., 379A Briscoe-lane, Melbourne, gold assayer's, 23rd December, 1915, Melbourne.

TALBOT.

McDonald, Harriet H. M., grocer, Amherst, gold buyer's, 24th December, 1915, Talbot.

M. MINOGUE,
Under-Treasurer of Victoria.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 5th February, 1916.

Gold Buyers Act 1915.

LIST of Gold Buyers' and Gold Assayers' Licences issued at the undermentioned Revenue and Pay Offices during the period ended the 29th January, 1916:—

Name, Occupation, Address, Description of Licence, Date of Issue, Court of Petty Sessions at which Certificate was Granted.

BALLARAT.

Davidson, George J., assayer, Mt. Egerton, gold assayer's, 5th January, 1916, Gordon.
Kleinman, Eskel, pawnbroker, 2 Peel-street, Ballarat East, gold buyer's, 4th January, 1916, Ballarat East.
Lane, Nicholas J., grocer, 341 Humfray-street north, Ballarat East, gold buyer's, 13th January, 1916, Ballarat East.

BENDIGO.

Harrison, Fredk. C., gold assayer, Bendigo, gold assayer's, 6th January, 1916, Bendigo.
Stevenson, Richard S., grocer, Kangaroo Flat, Bendigo, gold buyer's, 5th January, 1916, Bendigo.
Bolton, Stanley, bank manager, Royal Bank, Bendigo, buyer's, 11th January, 1916, Bendigo.
Liddell, Geo. Albert, metallurgist, Derwent Gully, assayer's, 12th January, 1916, Eaglehawk.
Yeates, Edward G., grocer, High-street, Kangaroo Flat, gold buyer's, 19th January, 1916, Bendigo.

CRESWICK.

Hawkey, Sarah C., grocer, Albert-street, Creswick, gold buyer's, 4th January, 1916, Creswick.

MARYBOROUGH.

Johnston, George, battery manager, Maryborough, assayer's, 12th January, 1916, Maryborough.
Hamilton, Robert A., cyanider, Carisbrook, assayer's, 11th January, 1916, Maryborough.

MELBOURNE.

Mitchell, Stanley R., gold assayer, Madden-grove, Burnley, Richmond, assayer's, 11th January, 1916, Richmond.
Levy, Henry W., gold assayer, 423B Chancery-lane, Melbourne, assayer's, 21st January, 1916, Melbourne.

WEDDERBURN.

Smith, William B., storekeeper, High-street, Wedderburn, buyer's, 4th January, 1916, Wedderburn.

M. MINOGUE,
Under-Treasurer of Victoria.

The Treasury,
Melbourne, 5th February, 1916.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.—VICTORIA.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Geelong Harbor Trust, is published for general information.

GEO. KERMODE,
Port Officer.

Department of Ports and Harbors,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

[No. 2 of 1916.]

HOPETOUN CHANNEL LIGHTING.

REFERRING to Notice No. 1 of 1916, notice is hereby given that, on or about the 8th inst., the temporary light referred to therein will be removed, and in lieu thereof a double flashing white light will be exhibited from the No. 2 (the easternmost) beacon.

Simultaneously a temporary white light will be exhibited from a punt moored about 600 feet eastward of No. 4 beacon and in line with the red beacons, and the light on No. 4 beacon will be discontinued.

GEO. A. MOLLAND,
Harbor Master.

Geelong, 2nd February, 1916.

Licensing Act 1915.

NUMBER OF INHABITANTS OF LICENSING DISTRICTS.

I HEREBY give notice that, in pursuance of section 39 of the Licensing Act 1915 (No. 2683), the number of inhabitants of each of the undermentioned Licensing Districts has been determined by me to be respectively as follows:—

Licensing Districts.	Number of Inhabitants.
Orbost	4,780
Tambo	2,425

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

Chief Secretary's Office,
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

The Licensing Act 1915, Section 130.

REGISTRATION OF BREWERS.

THE following have registered their names and premises as brewers for the year 1916:—

Name.	Situation of Premises.
J. E. B. Millington	Little Malop-street, Geelong
Hodges Bros.	Latrobe-terrace, Geelong
Volun Brewing Company Limited	Corio-street, Geelong

A. M. COOK,
Clerk of Licensing Courts at Geelong.

EXECUTION.

THE subjoined certificate and declaration touching the execution of John Jackson at His Majesty's Gaol, at Melbourne, are published, pursuant to the provisions of the Crimes Act 1915.

WM. RICHARDS,
For Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office,
Melbourne, 24th January, 1916.

I, JOHN ALOYSIUS O'BRIEN, being the Medical Officer in attendance on the execution of John Jackson at the Gaol of Melbourne; do hereby certify and declare that I have this day witnessed the execution of the said John Jackson at the said gaol. And I further certify and declare that the said John Jackson was, in pursuance of the sentence of the Supreme Court, hanged by the neck until his body was dead.

Given under my hand this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen—

J. A. O'BRIEN, M.O.

We do hereby testify and declare that we have this day been present when sentence of death was carried into execution on the body of John Jackson, convicted at the Criminal Sessions of the Supreme Court, held at Melbourne, on the fifteen day of November, A.D. 1915, and sentenced to death, and that the said John Jackson was, in pursuance of the said sentence, hanged by the neck until his body was dead.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of January, A.D. 1916, at the Gaol of Melbourne.

- J. W. K. FREEMAN, Sheriff.
- W. CLARK, Governor.
- J. A. O'BRIEN, Medical Officer Attending.
- D. DWYER, Chief Warder.
- E. J. KELLY, Warder.
- ERN. WEBB, *Age*.
- R. REG. NOTT, *Argus*.
- G. J. POWER, *Herald*.
- A. E. BLACKLOW, Sheriff's Office.
- R. WHITE, *Truth*.
- E. G. LAMB, *Labor Call*.
- J. RODDY, Constable of Police.
- B. C. HOLLAND, Constable of Police.
- WILLIAM A. HUGHES.

The Fisheries Act 1915.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PROHIBIT OYSTER DREDGING IN PORTION OF WESTERN PORT BAY.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that it is intended, after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the Victoria Government Gazette, to move His Excellency the Governor in Council to make a Proclamation prohibiting the use of oyster dredges for the purpose of taking oysters in that portion of Western Port Bay eastward of an imaginary line running north-easterly from the northernmost point of Churchill Island to the chequered buoy marking the Loelia Shoal, off Reef Island, and thence northerly to Settlement Point.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.
14th January, 1916.

F. LEWIS,
Acting Chief Inspector of Fisheries and Game.

First published, 19th January, 1916.

The Fisheries Act 1915.

NOTICE OF INTENTION RE SECOND SCHEDULE, FISHERIES ACT 1915.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that it is intended, after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice in the Victoria Government Gazette, to move His Excellency the Governor in Council to make a Proclamation directing that the species of fish mentioned in the list following shall, from the date of such Proclamation, be included in the Second Schedule to the Fisheries Act 1915, and that the length less than which it shall be unlawful for any person to take, attempt to take or consign, or have in his possession, house or shop, or under his control, or sell, or expose for sale, fish of such species, shall be the length set opposite the name of each such species of fish in the said list.

List referred to—

- Blackfish (except those in streams flowing north from the Great Dividing Range), 9½ inches.
- Bream, 8 inches.
- Butterfish, 7 inches.
- Crayfish, 11 inches.
- Flathead, 10½ inches.
- Flounder, 9 inches.
- Garfish, 8 inches.
- Gippsland Perch, 10 inches.
- Grayling or Yarra Herring, 9 inches.
- Ling, 13 inches.
- Luderick, 8½ inches.
- Mackerel, 10½ inches.
- Mullet, 8½ inches.
- Murray Cod, 15 inches.
- Perch, Macquarie's, 10 inches.
- Perch, Silver or Grunter, 10 inches.
- Perch, Golden or Yellowbelly, 11 inches.
- Pike, 14 inches.
- Red Mullet, 8 inches.
- Rock Cod, 8½ inches.
- Rough or Roughy, 8 inches.
- Salmon Trout, 8 inches.
- Sand Mullet or Poddy, 10 inches.
- Schnapper, 10½ inches.
- Silver Trevally or Silver Bream, 8½ inches.
- Skipjack, 9 inches.
- Sole, 8 inches.
- Stranger, 8 inches.
- Tench, English, 10 inches.
- Trevally, black, 10 inches.
- Trout (non-indigenous to Victoria), 11 inches.
- Trumpeter, 9 inches.
- Whiting, 11 inches.
- Whiting, Sand, 8 inches.

The length of all such fish (except Garfish and Crayfish) shall be ascertained by measuring overall, that is, from the tip of the snout to the end of the tail.

Garfish shall be measured from the tip of the upper jaw to the end of the upper half of the tail.

Crayfish shall be measured from the rostrum or small central horn between the eyes to the end of the telson or central flap of the tail.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

14th January, 1916.

F. LEWIS,
Acting Chief Inspector of Fisheries and Game.

First published, 19th January, 1916.

POLICE SALE.—PORT CAMPBELL POLICE STATION.

THE undermentioned unclaimed animals will, if not previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the Port Campbell Police Station, on the 12th February, 1916, at Three o'clock p.m.:—

- 1 black or brown cow, about 6 years old, branded like RF on off rump.
- 1 yellow and white cow, aged, right horn sawn off, branded NS on off ribs.
- 1 spotted red and white cow, branded (invisibly) on off rump, back half missing from off ear, W in bottom of near ear.
- 1 yearling heifer calf.
- 1 red and white steer, 3 years old, branded G on near ribs, scollop out of near ear.

A. G. SAINSBURY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department (Chief Commissioner's Office),
24th January, 1916.

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1915, Sections 73 and 102.—Sixth Schedule.

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

NOTICE TO THE OWNERS OF TENEMENTS IN THE UNDERMENTIONED STREETS, AND THE PRIVATE STREETS, LANES, COURTS, AND ALLEYS OPENING THERETO.

THE main pipe in the said streets being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as under are hereby required, on or before 10th March, 1916, next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid, so as to supply water within such tenements from the main pipe.

GEO. A. GIBBS,
Secretary.

Melbourne, 1st February, 1916.

STREET AND POSITION.

Brunswick.

Fallon-street, from Dawson-street to Albert-street.
Alsace-street, from Albion-street east to Balmoral-street.

Camberwell.

Percy-street, from Whitehorse-road to Normanby-road.
Normanby-road, from Percy-street westwards 3½ chains.

Caulfield.

Booran-road, from Macgowan-avenue to Foster-avenue.
Foster-avenue, from Booran-road eastwards 8 chains.
Downshire-road, from Railway-crescent northwards 4½ chains.
Railway-crescent, from Downshire-road north-westwards 12½ chains.
Oakleigh-road, from 15½ chains west of Murrumbenean-road further westwards 20½ chains.
Tostar-grove, from Inkerman-road southwards 5 chains.

Malvern.

Vincent-street, from High-street southwards 15½ chains.

Moorabbin.

Codrington-street, from Bay-road to Sandringham-road.
Sandringham-road, from Codrington-street westwards 2 chains.
Littlewood-street, from Hood-street westwards 4½ chains.
Hood-street, from Littlewood-street to Mills-street.
Mills-street, from Hood-street westwards 3½ chains.
Gibson's-road, from Bamfield-street north-eastwards 5 chains, and eastwards 9 chains; total, 14 chains.

Nunawading.

Unnamed lane, from Shepherd-street at intersection of Pembroke-street southwards to right-of-way 3½ chains.
Right-of-way, from unnamed lane to Pine-street.
Pino-street, from right-of-way southwards to Broughton-road.

Broughton-road, from Pine-street to Chestnut-street.
Chestnut-street, from Broughton-road southwards 8½ chains.
Beech-street, from Broughton-road southwards 5½ chains.
Rostrevor-parade, from Victoria-crescent northwards 9 chains.

Preston.

Regent-street, from Sheffield-street to Maritana-avenue.
Maritana-avenue, from Regent-street northwards 7½ chains.
Station-street, from Spring-street eastwards 6½ chains.
Northernhay-street, from High-street eastwards 9½ chains.
Kelvin-grove, from Gower-street to Town Hall-avenue.
Town Hall-avenue, from Kelvin-grove eastwards 10½ chains.

Richmond.

Twickenham-crescent, from Gibdon-street to Loyola-grove.

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 area hereinafter described, doth hereby declare that on and after the third day of April, 1916, 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 seweraged property within the meaning of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1915.

The sewerage area hereinbefore referred to is:—

SEWERAGE AREA No. 395.

City of Essendon.—Starting at the intersection of Ascot-street and Ascot Vale-road; thence southerly along Ascot Vale-road to a fence about 124 feet south from the south side of Ascot-street; thence westerly along said fence to Epsom-road; thence north-westerly along Epsom-road to a point about 48 feet north from the north side of Grand National-avenue; thence easterly by a line parallel to and about 284 feet north from the north side of Ascot-street to Ascot Vale-road; thence southerly along Ascot Vale-road to the starting point at the intersection of Ascot Vale-road and Ascot-street.

By order of the Board,

W. J. CARRE RIDDELL, Chairman.
GEO. A. GIBBS, Secretary.

Office of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, 110 Spencer-street, Melbourne, 1st February, 1916.

MINING LEASES.

THE undermentioned Mining Leases have been granted, and are now awaiting execution by the lessees. Any lease not executed by the 4th prox. will be liable to forfeiture.

District.	Division.	No. of Lease.	Date of Lease.	Term (No. of Years).	Lessee.	Area.	Annual Rent.			Payable to Receiver at—
							A.	R.	£	
Gold Mining Leases.										
Beechworth	Goulburn (Jamieson)	6931	26.1.16	15	Working Miners Gold Mining Co. N. L.	25 2 19	3	5	0	1 Melbourne
Castlemaine	Tarrangower	7352	"	15	T. M. Baxter	25 0 20	1	13	0	1 Maldon
Gippsland	Jericho	4754	"	15	A. Smith	13 0 32	2	7	6	1 Jamieson
"	"	4755	"	15	A. Smith	12 0 18	1	12	6	1 "
"	"	4788	"	15	A. Smith	142 0 7	17	17	6	1 "
Maryborough	Dunolly	6021	"	15	T. Matthews	51 3 17	6	10	0	1 Maryborough
Bendigo	Sandhurst	9317*	4.7.14	15	South Garden United Mining Co. N. L.	48 2 0	6	2	6	1 Bendigo

* In lien of lease No. 7312, Bendigo, expired.

TREASURY—VICTORIA.

TRANSACTIONS DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1915.

Accounts.	During the Quarter ended 31st December, 1915.		Total from 1st July to 31st December, 1915.			
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Finance, 1915-16—						
Receipts:						
Revenue			2,426,825	15 6		4,448,539 5 7
Expenditure:						
Under Votes and Appropriations	2,924,521	2 0			5,060,695	7 11
Finance, 1915-16, on account of 1914-15					137,987	19 10
Advances	171,309	8 10	181,350	18 7	1,039,390	5 11
Other Governments			9,681	15 0	26,711	12 1
The Year 1914-15					33,404	7 9
The Year 1915-16	617,199	12 4	434,594	14 6	2,246,974	9 1
The Year 1915-16—Cr. Account					23,636	2 10
Suspense Account	117	1 10	114	12 7	297	16 10
Agent-General	643,348	14 9	636,333	6 3	1,001,360	15 0
Loan Agents						366,999 10 10
London County and Westminster Bank	338,852	12 8	1,452,068	2 3	742,176	0 6
Treasurer's Remittance Account	969,840	5 3	944,782	19 9	1,653,363	0 5
London County and Westminster Bank Advance Account	1,408,678	9 4	950,184	2 8	1,733,678	9 4
Bonds Conversion Account—Act 1982					590,650	0 0
Loan Receipts—Act No. 1552						4,520 0 1
" " Act No. 1962						11,499 11 9
" " Act No. 2026			11,499	11 9		768,650 0 0
" " Act No. 2041			23,000	0 0		4,102 19 6
" " Act No. 2161			1,602	19 6		33,328 15 5
" " Act No. 2308			26,867	0 7		6,560 0 0
" " Act No. 2323			2,245	0 7		10,200 0 0
" " Act No. 2415			100,000	0 0		211,000 0 0
" " Act No. 2428						
" " Act No. 2480			126,138	4 1		126,138 4 1
" " Act No. 2481						
" " Act No. 2531			239,324	15 8		1,214,324 15 8
" " Act No. 2563			120,470	4 8		295,470 4 8
" " Act No. 2568			1,585	0 0		76,585 0 0
" " Act No. 2591			163,400	0 0		172,750 0 0
Loan Expenditure—Act No. 1552					4,520	0 1
" " Act No. 1962	10,867	17 6				31,011 12 5
" " Act No. 2026					743,650	0 0
" " Act No. 2041					2,909	5 4
" " Act No. 2161	4,233	11 2			4,329	19 11
" " Act No. 2286		1 0 0				1 0 0
" " Act No. 2308	3,840	0 0			3,840	0 0
" " Act No. 2323	6,919	18 5			11,078	1 5
" " Act No. 2415	142,837	10 7			218,086	3 8
" " Act No. 2428						914 4 11
" " Act No. 2429	8,642	5 1	273	0 3	9,964	7 10
" " Act No. 2480	297,682	15 10	11,191	14 11	685,678	15 9
" " Act No. 2481	18,729	16 1			28,109	4 4
" " Act No. 2531	541,262	17 6	56,260	4 8	678,163	14 4
" " Act No. 2563	120,470	4 8			295,470	4 8
" " Act No. 2568	55,707	0 11	4,193	5 9	80,882	16 9
" " Act No. 2591	136,350	0 0			136,350	0 0
Trust Fund—Commissioners of Savings Banks	271,649	10 0	270,229	10 0	692,162	9 2
" Other	102,883	17 8	124,742	7 7	491,328	1 7
Commissioners of Savings Banks Security Account	240,000	0 0			620,000	0 0
Railways Stores Suspense Account	638,070	2 9	644,419	3 5	1,072,482	3 7
Assurance Fund	72,500	0 8	1,801	8 10	72,500	0 10
Police Superannuation Fund	15,645	15 10	19,638	5 3	26,592	6 3
Licensing Fund	1,003	1 0	76,641	0 7	1,806	12 7
<i>Licensing Act 1906</i> Compensation Fund	2,083	19 11	65,121	7 7	4,372	18 9
Port Phillip Pilot Sick and Superannuation Fund	912	10 1	1,094	2 5	1,647	4 3
Country Roads Board Fund	126,646	9 5	161,377	6 11	286,260	14 11
Railway Accident and Fire Insurance Fund	7,111	14 6	6,766	7 3	13,939	16 4
Mallee Land Account			9,379	3 9	58,009	10 0
Victorian Government Consolidated Inscribed Stock Redemption Fund			9,495	16 10	243,000	0 0
Victorian Loans Redemption Fund	13,792	15 8	155,273	17 4	157,790	14 3
Closer Settlements Fund	91,208	14 1	36,240	8 10	102,132	4 2
Rolling Stock Replacement Fund	10,837	17 9			18,227	19 9
Railway Loans Repayment Fund			187	18 7		263 3 4
<i>Railways Advances Act 1915—Act No. 2585</i>	44,059	19 8	31,676	14 6	101,438	10 3
Public Account Advances Account	107,037	8 0	306,820	4 8	291,351	16 3
Treasurer's Investment Account—Act No. 1552						4,520 0 1
Treasurer's Investment Account—Specific	294,033	10 0	10,573	15 5	305,581	4 10
Treasurer—Sundry Investors at Credit	10,573	15 5	294,033	10 0	97,882	4 11
Municipalities Investment Account—Act No. 1552					4,520	0 1
Trust Fund—Trustees' Security Account			241,000	0 0		623,777

TRANSACTIONS DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1915—continued.

Accounts.	During the Quarter ended 31st December, 1915.		Total from 1st July to 31st December, 1915.									
	Dr.		Cr.		Dr.		Cr.					
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.				
Crowland and Navarre Railway Construction Trust— Security Account ... ..	...	...	...	...	775	0	0	...				
Licensing Act 1906 Compensation Fund—Security Account	1,000	0	0	...	3,000	0	0	...				
Officers Assurance Fund ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Developmental Railways Account	4,859	13	9	8,062	7	9	5,285	13	6			
State Coal Mines—Sinking Fund	10,800	0	0	...	...	...	10,800	0	0			
" " Depreciation Fund	3,508	6	10	895	17	2	8,961	2	9			
Main Roads—Sinking Fund	699	11	9	...	...	...	699	11	9			
Teachers' Residences Fund	1,044	4	2	...	...	...	2,839	12	4			
Public Officers' Fidelity Guarantee Fund ... ..	...	...	...	225	0	0	...	...	225	0	0	
Government Buildings Fire Insurance Fund	394	12	9	2,105	0	0	554	12	9	2,105	0	0
Closer Settlements Fire Insurance Fund	6	11	5	704	13	6	6	11	5	1,115	19	11
Agent-General's Deposit Account	19,000	0	0	...	...	...	19,000	0	0	...	...	...
Government Employees' Accident Fund ... ..	...	...	...	800	0	0	...	...	800	0	0	
Victorian Railways Repayments Account	17,411	3	9	27,200	0	0	63,432	14	3	64,200	0	0
State Savings Bank—London Deposit Account	2,726	0	8	2,008	2	7	3,909	16	3	3,676	18	2
American Settlers' Deposits Account	1,562	13	4	1,599	8	9	3,307	2	5	3,475	18	3
American Agents' Collection Account	1,599	3	9	2,897	8	10	3,475	13	3	6,550	18	10
Special Imported Fodder Account	125,976	7	7	71,433	13	11	181,261	9	1	104,926	0	3
State Accident Insurance Fund	3,105	3	5	8,241	8	4	9,244	6	1	14,561	5	7
Chamber of Manufactures Insurance Limited Deposit Account ... ..	...	...	...	4,500	0	0	...	...	...	4,500	0	0
Commonwealth Bank Deposit Account ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surplus Revenue Act No. 2085	218	17	7	...	...	...	663	4	4	...	...	...
" " Act No. 2388	2,047	4	8	...	...	...	2,047	4	8	...	...	...
Technical Schools Fund	14,703	8	11	50,000	0	0	14,703	8	11	50,000	0	0
Agricultural High Schools Fund ... ..	...	...	...	7,000	0	0	...	...	...	7,000	0	0
Lunatic Asylums Fund ... ..	...	...	...	15,500	0	0	...	...	...	15,500	0	0
CASH	10,686,808	9	6	10,606,189	7	3	21,130,301	15	6	20,714,326	6	8
	3,726,130	4	6	3,806,799	6	9	8,350,792	9	5	8,766,767	18	3
	14,412,938	14	0	14,412,988	14	0	29,481,094	4	11	29,481,094	4	11

A. J. PEACOCK,
Treasurer.

Treasury,
Melbourne, 27th January, 1916.

	330 13 11	234 6 1	96 7 10	718 3 0	599 0 10	...	119 2 2
Supreme and other Courts	11,926 18 5	11,723 3 8	...	27,475 6 5	25,857 12 1	...	2,117 14 4
Comptroller of Office of Titles	4,775 0 4	2,029 17 0	...	4,126 5 4	4,195 3 6	...	...
Stamps and Registrar-General's Office	12 1 2	15 0 8	...	169 2 6	59 17 0	...	58 5 6
Collector of Annual Licences	55,418 10 5	91,256 16 4	...	122,065 15 6	184,992 17 11	...	...
Imposts, Act of Duty Stamps	1140, &c.	100 18 2	17 1 10	1,829 9 2	1,651 11 6	...	...
Registration, Selling Tobacco—Act No. 1082	301 5 6	302 2 6	...	728 3 0	1,406 11 6	...	...
Mines	1,614 4 2	3,439 5 2	...	3,817 6 2	5,299 15 8	...	...
Lands	29 8 0	25 10 4	2 18 0	3,817 6 2	5,299 15 8	...	...
Forests	418 19 5	590 16 10	...	839 6 9	870 8 6	...	...
Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons	295 18 9	344 3 3	...	1,561 9 3	1,942 4 9	...	...
Factories and Shops, Servants Registry, and Lifts	884 0 9	852 0 9	1 11 0	1,561 9 3	1,942 4 9	...	...
Regulation Acts	73,526 9 10	110,936 10 3	...	164,713 7 10	227,156 3 7	...	...
Other Fees	2,709 0 6	2,935 14 4	...	5,953 17 9	5,856 1 11	...	...
Supreme and other Courts	71 6 1	88 17 8	...	125 6 7	150 0 10	...	...
Other Fines and Forfeitures	2,780 6 7	3,024 12 0	...	6,079 4 4	6,006 2 9	...	...
TOTAL FINES	389 17 11	280 1 0	109 16 11	729 6 3	542 3 6	...	...
(Rents (exclusive of Lands)	625 14 4	1,470 6 0	55 7 6	1,255 18 2	1,840 9 0	...	...
Sale of Government Property	901 19 7	3,236 12 0	...	1,620 0 0	3,216 15 10	...	...
Storage of Gunpowder	2,402 18 6	2,917 8 2	569 8 8	4,009 10 0	4,614 2 0	...	...
Police Department	2,586 16 10	8,455 6 6	...	4,896 13 9	4,031 15 9	...	...
Mint Charges	8,499 11 9	1,770 10 10	5 5 3	14,917 7 6	16,908 16 10	...	...
Surplus Mint Subsidy, Returned	182 15 7	1,308 8 6	...	774 12 4	3,172 5 2	...	...
Interest on Loans, Water Trusts	3,834 12 7	3,494 6 1	2,023 4 1	92 15 6	131 10 4	...	...
" " Other Corporations	1,375 14 0	3,622 10 0	...	4,639 7 5	4,896 0 4	...	...
" " Mining Development Act, No. 1461	3,622 10 0	80,143 13 7	...	1,836 17 8	2,424 0 7	...	...
" " Public Account	81,041 8 5	673 16 7	...	3,622 10 0	3,622 10 0	...	...
" " Trust Fund Trustees	1,127 1 9	378 12 4	...	81,041 8 5	85,142 13 7	...	...
" " Loans, Municipalities Act No. 2591	1,082 17 3	106 16 11	...	4,101 5 2	651 6 0	...	...
" " Repayments of Loans—Mining Development Act, No. 1461	1,049 3 9	771 17 8	...	...	...	...	...
" " Settlement on Lands Act, No. 1311	10,871 19 1	14,315 6 5	...	...	...	...	...
Government Printer	3,651 7 1	3,243 18 2	...	...	...	...	...
Penal Establishments	2,497 14 1	7,293 12 5	...	...	...	...	...
Master-in-Law	7,505 13 11	6,645 15 11	...	...	...	...	...
Education Department	3,393 17 8	16,511 18 7	...	...	...	...	...
Department of Agriculture	145,838 12 1	169,971 10 1	...	...	...	...	...
All other Receipts	4,950 11 8	4,950 11 8	...	...	...	...	...
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works—Interest	150,789 3 9	165,922 1 9	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS...	1,893,714 8 1	1,987,852 15 6	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	433,305 0 0	430,473 0 0	...	...	...	...	...
Payment to State by Commonwealth	2,329,019 8 1	2,426,323 15 6	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL REVENUE	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Treasury, Melbourne, 31st December, 1915.

A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer.

EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE

Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries— Judges, Officers of Parliament, Public Service Classified and Exempt Staff.	Ordinary Expenditure.	Interest (Including Expenses of Paying).		For Redemption Purposes.		Pensions, Gratuities, Compensa- tions, &c— Officers.	Furtherance of the Mining Industry.											
			Funded Debt.	Unfunded Debt.	Funded Debt.														
					For Re- demption of Loan direct from Revenue.	Contributions to Redemption Funds.													
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
I. Chief Secretary ..	138,694	4	1	99,777	8	5	..	..	..	..	17,130	11	3	..	
II. Minister of Labour ..	3,328	15	6	2,323	10	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III. Minister of Public Instruc- tion	213,017	6	10	31,020	11	4	..	..	..	..	236	7	8	..	
IV. Attorney-General ..	16,276	7	4	4,428	3	8	..	..	..	..	52	10	0	..	
V. Solicitor-General ..	12,019	17	6	4,018	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
VI. Treasurer	27,077	6	9	15,286	4	3	..	..	..	..	105	18	6	..	
VII. Commissioner of Crown Lands	19,390	7	1	10,334	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
VIII. Commissioner of Public Works	14,571	10	7	8,545	13	11	..	..	..	..	562	10	0	..	
IX. Minister of Mines ..	5,871	19	8	1,321	14	8	7,968	8	2			
X. Minister of Forests ..	4,039	2	2	10,051	18	4				
XI. Minister of Water Supply				
XII. Minister of Agriculture	11,889	14	3	19,033	11	10				
XIII. Minister of Health ..	2,207	6	8	7,028	18	4				
XIV. Minister of Railways ..	1,840	16	8	400	8	1	..	..	..	..	7,072	8	2	..	
Total VOTES ..	476,625	4	1	221,077	16	4	25,160	5	7	7,968	8	2			
Total SPECIAL APPRO- PRIATIONS ..	9,355	11	8	10,269	14	4	694,239	18	4	..	143,346	0	11	51,296	17	3	6,097	3	9
Total VOTES AND SPECIAL APPRO- PRIATIONS ..	485,980	15	9	231,347	10	8	694,239	18	4	..	143,346	0	11	76,457	2	10	14,065	11	11

YEAR 1915-16 DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1915.

Works and Buildings.	Road Works and Bridges.	Endowments and Grants.	Special Allowance to Railways for Carriage of Expeditionary Forces, Victorian Coal, &c.	Railways.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.	Exceptional Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st Dec., 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st Dec., 1914.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	..	1,580 0 0	..	..	..	..	257,062 3 9	402,866 2 2	364,568 1 7
..	5,652 5 0	9,210 19 7	8,656 3 10
3,332 13 0	..	5,867 11 9	..	..	..	..	259,674 10 7	428,659 3 2	421,051 12 2
..	20,755 1 0	34,810 15 8	37,780 0 11
..	16,933 1 11	28,552 17 0	30,980 14 0
..	..	32,304 10 11	37,323 3 5	..	..	23,800 19 0	135,898 2 10	198,827 1 7	137,672 3 10
500 7 2	..	928 13 1	..	..	..	924 5 6	38,078 1 11	58,477 8 3	101,682 3 7
31,342 3 3	3,380 17 10	102 12 4	..	..	..	186 15 0	58,692 11 11	171,367 6 4	155,944 3 2
..	32 18 9	15,195 1 8	24,975 3 0	27,611 12 10
..	14,991 0 0	24,146 2 8	23,002 18 0
..	36,068 15 9	..	36,068 15 9	59,360 7 1	49,355 13 10
..	40,000 0 0	70,923 6 1	80,607 7 1	44,540 8 11
..	9,236 5 0	15,278 13 7	17,065 6 2
..	1,008,926 17 7	..	..	1,018,249 10 6	1,805,915 5 7	1,953,633 16 9
35,175 3 5	3,380 17 10	40,763 8 1	37,323 3 5	1,008,926 17 7	36,068 15 9	64,944 18 3	1,957,414 13 6	3,348,144 12 9	3,373,544 10 7
..	..	15,307 16 8	..	30,743 0 7	825 0 0	5,625 0 0	967,106 3 0	1,711,050 15 2	1,548,190 5 11
35,175 3 5	3,380 17 10	56,071 4 9	37,323 3 5	1,039,669 18 2	36,893 15 9	70,569 18 3	2,924,521 2 0	5,060,005 7 11	4,921,741 5 6

EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1915-16

Division.	Subdivision.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries— Classified and Exempt Staff.	Ordinary Expenditure.	Pensions, Gratuities, Compensations, &c.—Officers.	Furtherance of the Mining Industry.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
I. CHIEF SECRETARY.						
1	1	Legislative Council	287 10 0	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
1	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
2	1/6	Legislative Assembly	2,290 0 7	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
2	7	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	115 0 9	.. .. .	.. .. .
3	1	Parliamentary Standing Committee on Railways..	156 0 0	68 8 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
3	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
4	1	Refreshment Rooms	223 2 0	15 3 4	.. .. .	.. .. .
4	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
5	1/2	The Library	155 0 0	60 0 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
5	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
6	1/3	The Library, State Parliament House	120 0 0	198 0 7	.. .. .	.. .. .
6	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
7	1/3	Victorian Parliamentary Debates	863 0 0	273 0 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
7	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
8	1/5	Chief Secretary	2,077 10 8	553 1 11	.. .. .	.. .. .
8	6	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
9	..	Pensions .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	17,130 11 3	.. .. .
10	..	Grants .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
11	1/3	Board for Protection of Aborigines	172 15 0	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
11	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	1,138 14 2	.. .. .	.. .. .
12	1/4	Explosives	832 1 6	118 7 3	.. .. .	.. .. .
12	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
13	1/4	State Accident Insurance Office	461 14 8	117 15 3	.. .. .	.. .. .
13	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	2 2 4	.. .. .	.. .. .
13	6	Insurance of State Employees .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
14	1/3	Fisheries and Game	321 0 1	362 9 1	.. .. .	.. .. .
14	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
15	1	Government Shorthand Writer	290 8 0	25 15 2	.. .. .	.. .. .
15	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	84 19 5	.. .. .	.. .. .
16	1	Governor's Office .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
17	1/3	Herbarium	249 10 0	17 3 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
17	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
18	1/2	Inebriates' Institution	247 4 0	452 3 2	.. .. .	.. .. .
18	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
19	1/3	Marine Board	713 15 8	195 5 6	.. .. .	.. .. .
19	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
20	1	Mercantile Marine	84 0 0	85 10 9	.. .. .	.. .. .
20	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
21	1/3	Observatory	611 8 4	82 0 11	.. .. .	.. .. .
21	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
22	1/3	Premier's Office	627 15 4	469 10 1	.. .. .	.. .. .
22	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
23	1	Training Ship	643 3 9	1,476 8 9	.. .. .	.. .. .
23	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	275 0 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
24	1	Agent-General .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
25	1/2	Audit Office	2,968 14 6	579 9 11	.. .. .	.. .. .
25	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
26	1/4	Statist	2,465 10 6	2,188 15 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
26	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
27	1/4	Lunacy Department	25,910 16 4	35,072 7 6	.. .. .	.. .. .
27	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
28	1/3	Neglected Children	2,057 10 3	37,610 1 11	.. .. .	.. .. .
28	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
29	1/3	Penal and Gaols	9,214 15 11	4,886 4 9	.. .. .	.. .. .
29	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
30	1/4	Police	80,453 14 2	10,401 12 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
30	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
31	1/11	Public Library	3,415 2 10	2,718 6 5	.. .. .	.. .. .
31	12	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
32	1/2	Public Service Commissioner	681 0 0	134 13 6	.. .. .	.. .. .
32	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Total CHIEF SECRETARY			138,594 4 1	99,777 8 5	17,130 11 3	.. .. .
II. MINISTER OF LABOUR.						
33	1/4	Department of Labour	3,328 15 6	2,323 10 0	.. .. .	.. .. .
33	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Total MINISTER OF LABOUR			3,328 15 6	2,323 10 0	.. .. .	.. .. .

DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1915—continued.

Works and Buildings.	Road Works and Bridges.	Endowments and Grants.	Special Allowance to Railways for Carriage of Expeditionary Forces, Victorian Coal, &c.	Railways.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.	Exceptional Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st December 1915.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	479 3 4
..
..	3,823 7 5
..	217 11 2
..	260 0 0
..	91 8 0
..	374 6 8
..	24 8 10
..	258 6 8
..	100 0 0
..	240 0 0
..	198 0 7
..	1,438 6 8
..	461 13 4
..	3,495 12 0
..	860 12 4
..	22,197 6 7
..	..	1,560 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	2,670 0 0
..	287 18 4
..	1,031 14 3
..	1,459 14 6
..	221 1 4
..	685 8 0
..	263 10 11
..	2 2 4
..	535 11 7
..	707 15 7
..	492 8 0
..	60 8 6
..	118 5 3
..	413 16 8
..	33 12 11
..	426 8 6
..	616 4 9
..	1,149 10 7
..	359 12 9
..	140 0 0
..	146 18 5
..	1,135 1 8
..	122 14 11
..	1,065 13 6
..	542 12 2
..	1,109 16 2
..	2,519 19 9
..	329 11 0
..	4,989 13 11
..	683 18 9
..	4,144 9 5
..	2,974 10 6
..	43,451 18 5
..	49,968 0 1
..	3,433 15 7
..	61,076 5 6
..	15,541 1 5
..	8,262 4 1
..	120,332 19 11
..	14,035 16 4
..	5,680 17 11
..	3,306 19 11
..	1,140 11 0
..	165 2 9
..	..	1,560 0 0	..	..	..	..	237,062 3 0	402,856 2 2
..
..	5,598 10 7
..	3,612 3 0
..	5,652 5 6	9,210 19 7

EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR

Division.	Subdivision.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries— Classified and Exempt Staff.	Ordinary Expenditure.	Pensions, Gratuities, Compensations, &c.—Officers.	Furtherance of the Mining Industry.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
III. MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.						
34	1/4	Education	11,075 11 7	..	..	..
34	5	Ditto, Teachers	206,803 4 4	..	..	..
34	6	Ditto, Exemption from provisions of Act No. 1133, &c.	738 10 11	..	..	..
34	7	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	31,620 11 4	..	..
35	..	Ditto, Pensions, Gratuities, and Compensations ..	..	..	236 7 8	..
36	..	Ditto, Works and Buildings .. .. .	..	..	..	..
37	..	Ditto, Endowments and Grants .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Total MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION ..			218,617 6 10	31,620 11 4	236 7 8	..
IV. ATTORNEY-GENERAL.						
39	1	Supreme Court	787 10 0	..	..	..
39	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	280 5 0	..	..
40	1/5	Law Officers of the Crown	2,348 0 8	..	..	..
40	6	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	1,044 16 8	..	..
41	..	Ditto, Pensions, Gratuities, Compensations, &c. ..	..	..	52 10 0	..
42	1/4	Crown Solicitor	1,526 17 9	..	..	..
42	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	151 13 5	..	..
43	1/3	Prothonotary	306 15 6	..	..	..
43	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	..	..
44	1/3	Master in Equity and Lunacy	847 10 0	..	..	..
44	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	34 9 2	..	..
45	1/7	Registrar-General and Registrar of Titles	8,903 13 8	..	..	..
45	8	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	882 15 5	..	..
46	1/3	Sheriff	781 1 9	..	..	..
46	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	1,720 13 4	..	..
47	1/2	Comptroller of Stamps and Collector of Imposts under <i>Stamps Acts</i> 1890 and 1892	774 18 0	..	..	..
47	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	311 10 8	..	..
Total ATTORNEY-GENERAL			16,276 7 4	4,426 3 8	52 10 0	..
V. SOLICITOR-GENERAL.						
48	1/3	County Courts, Courts of Insolvency, Courts of Mines, General and Petty Sessions, and Chil- dren's Courts	2,577 0 0	..	..	..
48	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	2,714 16 7	..	..
49	1	Police Magistrates and Wardens	3,043 15 0	..	..	..
49	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	462 5 4	..	..
50	..	Clerks of Courts	7,260 2 6	..	..	..
51	1	Coroners	39 0 0	..	..	..
51	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	841 2 6	..	..
Total SOLICITOR-GENERAL			12,919 17 6	4,018 4 5	..	..
VI. TREASURER.						
52	1/4	Treasury	4,678 19 11	..	..	..
52	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	1,501 3 3	..	..
53	..	Ditto, Transport Samples, and Marine Insurance ..	..	1,260 1 10	..	..
54	..	Ditto, Unforeseen and Accidental Expenditure ..	..	1,604 17 0	..	..
55	..	Ditto, Allowance to Railway Department for Car- riage of Expeditionary Forces, Coal, &c. ..	..	..	..	..
56	..	Ditto, Grants .. .. .	..	..	..	..
57	..	Ditto, Pensions, Compensations, and Gratuities ..	..	..	105 18 6	..
58	..	Ditto, Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..
60	1/3A	Ditto, Taxation Office (Income Tax)	2,942 12 8	..	..	..
60	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	731 12 2	..	..
61	1/4	Ditto, Land Tax Office	2,801 14 9	..	..	..
61	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	6,005 15 3	..	..
62	1	Ditto, Death Duties Branch	227 0 0	..	..	..
62	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	20 17 0	..	..
63	1/3	Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons	753 10 0	..	..	..
63	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	13 10 0	..	..
64	1/4	Government Printer	15,673 9 5	..	..	..
64	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	3,749 18 0	..	..
65	..	Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..
66	..	Advertising .. .. .	..	398 9 9	..	..
Total TREASURER			27,077 6 9	15,286 4 3	105 18 6	..

1915-16 DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1915—continued.

Works and Buildings.	Road Works and Bridges.	Endowments and Grants.	Special Allowances to Railways for Carriage of Expeditionary Forces, Victorian Coal, &c.	Railways.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.	Exceptional Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.	Total Six months ending 31st December, 1915.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	18,539 14 8
..	338,893 16 2
..	1,082 14 1
..	43,966 4 7
..	290 1 7
3,332 13 0	3,965 5 1
..	..	5,867 11 9	..	..	..	..	..	21,021 7 0
3,332 13 0	..	5,867 11 9	..	..	..	..	259,674 10 7	428,659 3 2
..	1,312 10 0
..	373 13 9
..	3,667 0 8
..	1,461 17 8
..	87 10 0
..	2,641 1 7
..	245 6 3
..	479 5 5
..	4 8 2
..	1,403 17 11
..	59 9 2
..	15,385 6 10
..	1,364 2 8
..	1,356 8 1
..	3,062 16 5
..	1,316 9 0
..	589 12 1
..	20,755 1 0	34,810 15 8
..	4,322 1 1
..	4,406 18 7
..	5,279 18 4
..	903 11 10
..	12,432 17 8
..	65 0 0
..	1,142 9 6
..	16,938 1 11	28,552 17 0
..	9,023 15 11
..	2,393 11 4
..	1,374 17 7
..	2,115 8 4
..	38,156 10 1
..	67,507 13 9
..	259 15 8
..	..	32,304 10 11	37,323 3 5	..	..	23,734 1 0	..	23,754 1 0
..	4,870 14 2
..	975 17 7
..	4,682 19 10
..	9,044 7 2
..	377 0 0
..	50 6 9
..	1,304 3 4
..	40 4 7
..	26,166 5 3
..	6,104 3 9
..	66 18 0	..	89 8 0
..	535 17 6
..	..	32,304 10 11	37,323 3 5	..	..	23,800 19 0	135,898 2 10	198,827 1 7

EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR

Division.	Subdivision.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries— Classified and Exempt Staff.		Ordinary Expenditure.		Pensions, Gratuities, Compensation, &c.—Officers.		Furtherance of the Mining Industry.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
VII. COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS AND SURVEY.										
67	1/5	Survey, Land Settlement, and Management of Crown Lands	16,065	18 6	..	..	..	..	..	..
67	6	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	5,271	5 1	..	..	..	..
67	7	Surveys, &c. .. .. .	..	..	845	0 4	..	..	..	..
68	1/3	Intelligence and Labour Bureau	1,147	9 11	..	..	..	..	..	..
68	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	5,318	7 0	..	..	..	..
69	1	Public Parks, Gardens, and Reserves	96	6 8	..	..	..	..	..	..
69	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	27	8 5	..	..	..	..
70	..	Grants .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
71	1/2	Botanical and Domain Gardens	1,985	4 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
71	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	301	5 10	..	..	..	..
72	1/2	Extirpation of Rabbits and Wild Animals	95	8 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
72	3	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	4,571	2 5	..	..	..	..
73	..	Works and Buildings .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
74	..	Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS AND SURVEY			19,390	7 1	16,334	9 1	..	..	..	..
VIII. COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.										
75	1/5	Public Works—Salaries	8,770	5 9	..	..	..	..	..	..
75	6	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	2,585	16 2	..	..	..	..
75A	..	Pensions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	562	10 0	..	..
76	1/3	Ports and Harbors	5,801	13 10	..	..	..	..	..	..
76	4	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	5,959	17 9	..	..	..	..
76	5	Ditto, Dredging Operations .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
76	6	Shipbuilding .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
77	..	Ditto, Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	1	Wharfs, Jetties, Harbors, Rivers, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	2	Police Buildings .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	3	Gaols and Penal Establishments .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	4	Lunatic Asylums .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	4A	Inebriate Retreat .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	5	Reformatories and Industrial Schools .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	6	Court Houses .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	7	Lighthouses and Lightships .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	8	Powder Magazines .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	9	Lands and Survey .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	10	Treasury Buildings .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	11	Sundry Works, Melbourne .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	12	Fences and Repairs to Fences, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	13	Rents and Furniture, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	14	State School Buildings .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
78	15	Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
79	..	Road Works and Bridges .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
80	..	Endowments and Grants, Municipalities, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
81	..	Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS			14,571	19 7	8,545	13 11	562	10 0	..	..
IX. MINISTER OF MINES.										
82	1/5	Mines	5,871	19 8	..	..	..	..	..	..
82	6	Mines, General Items .. .. .	..	..	1,321	14 8	..	..	..	..
83	..	Furtherance of Mining Industry .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	7,968	8 2	..
84	..	Ditto, Pensions .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
85	..	Ditto, Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total MINISTER OF MINES			5,871	19 8	1,321	14 8	..	7,968	8 2	..
X. MINISTER OF FORESTS.										
86	1/3	State Forests	4,039	2 2	..	..	..	..	..	..
86	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	..	10,951	18 4	..	..	..	..
87	..	Ditto, Exceptional Expenditure
Total MINISTER OF FORESTS			4,039	2 2	10,951	18 4

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Works and Buildings.	Road Works and Bridges.	Endowments and Grants.	Special Allowance to Railways for Carriage of Expeditionary Forces, Victorian Coal, &c.	Railways.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.	Exceptional Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st December, 1915.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	26,348 18 3
..	7,104 15 6
..	2,081 18 7
..	1,560 5 9
..	7,370 0 10
..	202 6 8
..	50 10 5
..	..	928 13 1	..	..	..	..	..	1,723 19 6
..	3,314 4 0
..	320 1 2
..	229 8 0
..	6,665 10 5
500 7 2	582 7 8
..	924 5 6	..	923 1 6
500 7 2	..	928 13 1	..	..	..	924 5 6	38,078 1 11	58,477 8 3
..	14,736 13 0
..	4,571 13 7
..	562 10 0
..	9,809 16 3
..	9,654 0 2
..	7,134 3 7
4,534 4 1	56,856 2 4
Cr.10,480 15 1	186 17 6	..	185 17 6
3,710 0 6	5,643 17 0
270 5 8	839 14 1
108 14 4	129 18 7
3,930 7 4	7,972 9 8
0 12 0	0 12 0
46 18 2	52 15 2
1,412 10 7	1,729 11 4
156 17 8	200 0 11
46 0 6	47 10 6
44 8 7	80 10 1
1,362 9 6	2,140 14 2
..
4,898 10 9	6,110 1 8
15,743 18 1	29,802 17 7
5,567 0 7	7,683 6 0
..	3,380 17 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,024 12 2
..	..	102 12 4	..	..	..	..	..	267 19 3
..	0 17 6	..	129 19 9
31,342 3 3	3,380 17 10	102 12 4	..	..	..	186 15 0	58,692 11 11	171,367 6 4
..	9,809 5 0
..	1,891 9 4
..	13,189 19 7
..
..	32 18 9	..	84 9 1
..	32 18 9	15,195 1 3	24,975 3 0
..	6,683 4 11
..	17,462 17 9
..
..	14,991 0 6	24,146 2 8

EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR

Division.	Subdivision.	Heads of Expenditure.	Salaries— Classified and Exempt Staff.	Ordinary Expenditure.	Pensions, Gratuities, Compensations, &c.—Officers.	Furtherance of the Mining Industry.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
XI.—MINISTER OF WATER SUPPLY.						
88	1	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission ..	..	..	..	..
	2	Coliban Works .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		Other State Works .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		Irrigation Areas and Irrigation and Water Supply Districts .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		Waterworks Districts .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		General Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..
	3	River Gaugings, Pump Inspectors, Surveys, &c. . .	..	..	..	..
		Total MINISTER OF WATER SUPPLY ..	..	..	..	..
XII. MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE.						
89	1/4	Administrative	1,596 9 10	..	..	..
89	5	General Items .. .. .	..	895 12 6	..	..
90	1/3	Agriculture	3,031 16 4	..	..	..
90	4	Maffra Beet Sugar Factory—Expenses running ..	..	1,204 15 6	..	..
90	5	Agriculture—General Items .. .. .	..	6,602 17 8	..	..
90A		Exceptional Expenditure .. .. .	..	..	..	..
91		Grants .. .. .	..	..	..	..
92	1/4	Stock and Dairy Supervision	4,163 17 8	..	..	..
92	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	1,128 8 10	..	..
93	1/4	Export Development	3,097 10 5	..	..	..
93	5	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	8,809 8 6	..	..
93	6	Fruit, Cool Stores .. .. .	..	392 8 10	..	..
		Total MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE ..	11,889 14 3	19,033 11 10	..	..
XIII. MINISTER OF HEALTH.						
94	1/5	Public Health	2,207 6 8	..	..	..
94	6	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	7,001 11 3	..	..
94	7	Commonwealth Services .. .. .	..	27 7 1	..	..
95		Grants, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		Total MINISTER OF HEALTH ..	2,207 6 8	7,028 18 4	..	..
XIV. MINISTER OF RAILWAYS.						
96	1	Working Expenses of All Lines .. .. .	..	..	..	..
96	2	Contribution to the Railway Accident and Fire Insurance Fund, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..
96	3	Expenditure temporarily charged to Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
97		Pensions, Gratuities, Compensation, &c. .. .. .	..	..	7,072 8 2	..
98	1	Construction Branch—Salaries	1,840 16 8	..	..	..
	2	Ditto, General Items .. .. .	..	409 8 1	..	..
99	1	State Coal Mine—Salaries .. .. .	..	..	..	..
	2	Ditto, Working Expenses .. .. .	..	..	..	..
	3	Ditto, Advance for Purchase of Stores .. .. .	..	..	..	..
		Total MINISTER OF RAILWAYS ..	1,840 16 8	409 8 1	7,072 8 2	..
		Total VOTES ..	476,625 4 1	221,077 16 4	25,160 5 7	7,968 8 2

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Works and Buildings.	Road Works and Bridges.	Endowments and Grants.	Special Allowances to Railways for Carriage of Expeditionary Forces, Victorian Coal, &c.	Railways.	State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.	Exceptional Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st December, 1915.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	3,561 10 0	..	..	5,636 0 0
..	2,561 15 6	..	..	4,215 6 8
..	899 13 9	..	..	1,533 9 1
..	13,444 10 1	..	..	23,127 4 3
..	13,194 6 3	..	..	21,533 10 2
..	1,871 16 8	..	..	2,391 2 1
..	535 3 6	..	..	923 14 10
..	36,068 15 9	..	36,068 15 9	69,360 7 1
..	2,634 16 4
..	1,244 13 1
..	5,071 19 5
..	2,655 13 9
..	9,820 7 9
..	40,000 0 0	..	40,000 0 0
..	6,804 5 6
..	1,704 13 2
..	5,244 9 7
..	10,673 7 7
..	753 0 11
..	40,000 0 0	70,923 6 1	86,607 7 1
..	3,994 11 7
..	10,777 14 8
..	506 7 4
..	9,236 5 0	15,278 13 7
..	951,227 6 6	..	..	..	1,671,613 14 1
..	6,559 19 4	..	..	..	10,450 3 0
..	10,768 11 11
..	1,840 16 8
..	464 18 11
..	555 6 0	..	..	..	1,581 16 4
..	51,363 4 0	..	..	..	89,870 5 11
..	Cr. 778 18 3	..	..	..	18,424 18 9
..	1,008,926 17 7	..	..	1,018,249 10 6	1,805,015 5 7
35,175 3 5	3,380 17 10	40,763 8 1	37,323 3 5	1,008,926 17 7	36,068 15 9	64,944 18 3	1,957,414 18 6	63,348,144 12 9

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1915-16 UNDER SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1915.

Heds of Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.	Total Six Months ending 31st December, 1915.
SALARIES.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Act 18 & 19 Vict., cap. 55, Constitution, Schedule D—		
Part I.—Governor's Salary, Salary of Staff, &c., Act 1075	1,250 0 0	2,500 0 0
Part II.—Judges and Master-in-Equity	3,125 0 0	5,125 0 0
Part III. (Act 1864)—His Majesty's Ministers	2,029 0 0	3,483 6 8
Part IV.—		
Executive Council	114 0 0	228 0 0
Legislative Council	837 11 8	1,397 7 0
Act No. 1142—Additional Judges, &c.	1,125 0 0	1,875 0 0
" 2616—Auditor-General	250 0 0	416 13 4
" 2713—Public Service Commissioner	250 0 0	416 13 4
" 2716—Victorian Railways Commissioners (<i>Railways</i>)	1,375 0 0	2,291 13 4
" 2687—Inspector-General of the Insane	375 0 0	625 0 0
" 2747, Sec. 20—State Rivers, &c., Commissioners (<i>State Rivers, &c.</i>)	825 0 0	1,375 0 0
Total SALARIES	11,555 11 8	19,783 13 8
GENERAL EXPENDITURE.		
18 & 19 Vict., cap. 55, Schedule D, Part IV.—		
Executive Council Expenses	41 6 4	79 1 10
Legislative Council Expenses	136 6 10	210 8 0
Act No. 835—Protection of Public Buildings	...	...
" 2632—Electoral Expenses	298 7 8	561 1 2
" 2632—Expenses of Members of Legislative Assembly	4,280 0 0	7,130 0 0
" 2717, Sec. 8 (*)—Railways Standing Committee, Attendance Fees...	291 7 6	611 2 0
" 2717, Sec. 10—Railways Standing Committee, Travelling Expenses	65 6 0	334 2 8
" 2700—The Mint	5,000 0 0	10,000 0 0
" 2688—Marine Board	157 0 0	157 0 0
" 1127—Contribution to Police Superannuation Fund (<i>Pensions</i>)	...	2,000 0 0
" 1997—South Africa Contingent	169 8 5	348 19 5
Total GENERAL EXPENDITURE	10,439 2 9	21,431 15 1
INTEREST—FUNDED DEBT, and Expenses in connexion therewith	694,239 18 4	1,291,787 10 0
INTEREST—UNFUNDED DEBT.		
Act No. 2729, Section 60, Sub-section (8)—Interest on Post Office Savings Banks Deposits, &c.	...	7,688 19 1
Act No. 2729, Section 60, Sub-section (12)—To Reimburse Commissioners of Savings Banks for extra Working Expenses	...	1,148 13 9
Total INTEREST (UNFUNDED DEBT)	...	8,837 12 10
FOR REDEMPTION OF FUNDED DEBT.		
CONTRIBUTIONS TO CONSOLIDATED INSCRIBED STOCK REDEMPTION FUND.		
Act No. 1560—3 per cent. (Stock)		
" 1562—3 " " " " "		
" 1560—3 1/2 " " " " "	} Act No. 1561	48,829 15 3
" 2167—3 1/2 " " " " "		
" 1560—4 " " " " "		
" 2428—4 " " " " "		
CONTRIBUTIONS TO VICTORIAN LOANS REDEMPTION FUND.		
Act No. 1564—Victorian Loans Redemption Fund		
" 1623 " " " " " "	} Act No. 1565	143,346 0 11
" 1659 " " " " " "		
" 1753 " " " " " "		
" 1982 " " " " " "		
" 1990 " " " " " "		
" 2041 " " " " " "		
" 2116 " " " " " "		
" 2161 " " " " " "		
" 2163 " " " " " "		
" 2286 " " " " " "		
" 2308 " " " " " "		
" 2323 " " " " " "		
" 2415 " " " " " "		
" 2429 " " " " " "		
" 2481 " " " " " "		
Total for REDEMPTION OF FUNDED DEBT	143,346 0 11	192,175 16 2
FOR REPAYMENT OF UNFUNDED DEBT.		
Act No. 2044—Trust Funds—Interest on Investments	...	...
Carried forward	859,580 13 8	1,533,966 7 9

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE OF THE STATE OF VICTORIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR 1915-16 UNDER SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS DURING THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1915—*continued.*

Heads of Expenditure.	Total Quarter ending 31st December, 1915.			Total Six Months ending 31st December, 1915.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	859,580	13	8	1,533,966	7	9
ENDOWMENTS, GRANTS, ETC.						
Act No. 2742, Sec. 23—University	3,750	0	0	9,000	0	0
" 2742, Sec. 24—University School of Veterinary Science	1,050	0	0	2,100	0	0
" 2653—Fire Brigades	7,707	16	8	15,415	13	4
" 2129—Endowment to Municipalities ... ..	...	...	...	1,500	0	0
" 2297— <i>Special Funds Act</i> 1910, Sec. 8-2b—Government Buildings Fire Insurance Fund	2,000	0	0	2,000	0	0
" 2297— <i>Special Funds Act</i> 1910, Sec. 9-2b—Employees Accident Fund	800	0	0	800	0	0
Total ENDOWMENTS AND GRANTS	15,307	16	8	30,815	13	4
PENSIONS, ETC.						
OFFICERS.						
Act 18 & 19 Vict., cap. 55, Schedule D, Part V.— To Officers appointed during good behaviour	375	0	0	1,875	0	0
Act No. 1066—Audit	166	13	3	277	15	5
" 1075—Officers of Parliament	127	5	9	212	2	11
" 1078—County Court Judges ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 1083—Defences	163	0	6	257	14	4
" 1113—Lunacy Statute	1,135	19	7	1,744	9	3
" 1133—(25 Vict. No. 160)—Civil Service	15,273	9	4	25,706	11	6
" 1133—(47 Vict. No. 773)—Public Service	33,791	14	5	55,409	10	1
" 2716, Sec. 175—Victorian Railways (<i>Railways</i>)	28,903	18	6	45,176	8	2
" 1324—Public Service Board ... ..	...	...	...	125	0	0
" 1377 } Victorian Railways Commissioners (<i>Railways</i>)	294	9	3	490	15	5
" 1474 }	94	6	0	141	9	0
" 1988—Pension to P. A. McAnulty ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 1133 (Act 160) } and Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, sec. 84 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " " 773 } ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 1083 } ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total PENSIONS, ETC.—OFFICERS	80,325	16	7	131,416	16	1
FURTHERANCE OF MINING INDUSTRY.						
Act No. 2699—Mining Development	6,097	3	9	9,957	5	2
STATE RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.						
Act No. 2747, Sec. 19—Redemption Fund ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " " " Sec. 20—Depreciation Fund ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total STATE RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
STATE COAL MINE.						
Act No. 2630, Sec. 74-2b—Sinking Fund, &c.	169	12	10	169	12	10
" " " " Victorian Coal Miners' Accidents Relief Fund ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total STATE COAL MINE	169	12	10	169	12	10
EXCEPTIONAL EXPENDITURE.						
Act No. 2394— <i>Melbourne Land Act</i> 1912, Sec. 2 (?)	5,625	0	0	5,625	0	0
" 2747, Sec. 87—Murray Settlements ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total EXCEPTIONAL EXPENDITURE	5,625	0	0	5,625	0	0
TOTAL SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS	967,106	3	6	1,711,950	15	2

SUMMARY of Sworn Returns, rendered pursuant to Part I. of the *Reserve and Currency Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2618), showing the Average Amount of the Debts, Engagements, and Liabilities, and of the Assets, Property, Credits, and Securities, within Victoria, of all the Banks trading in Victoria engaged in the ordinary business of banking by receiving deposits and issuing in Victoria or elsewhere bills or notes payable to the bearer at sight or on demand, taken from the several Weekly Statements, for the quarter ended 31st December, 1915.

No.	Banks.	LIABILITIES.																									
		Notes in Circulation.			Bills in Circulation.			Balances due to other Banks.			Deposits by the Crown.			Deposits by other Persons.			Total Amount of Liabilities.										
Not Bearing Interest.			Bearing Interest.			Not Bearing Interest.			Bearing Interest.			Not Bearing Interest.			Bearing Interest.												
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
1	Australasia	12,757	9	3	26,071	3	5	...	29,793	5	7	36,154	17	1	2,610	924	11	2	4,077	017	13	4	6,792	718	19	10	
2	Union, of Australia Limited	5,115	18	5	9,231	6	1	...	11,042	0	6	381,924	17	10	2,166	348	1	11	4,143	950	7	5	6,717	712	12	2	...
3	New South Wales	28,859	9	3	9,978	15	5	...	...	...	...	282,990	0	0	1,764	387	8	4	3,084	723	11	6	6,235	774	3	9	...
4	Victoria Limited	7,744	19	2	15,903	0	10	...	...	...	...	1,515,068	11	2	2,188,927	17	0	...	...	...	...	...	3,478	493	8	1	...
5	London, of Australia Limited	4,909	0	0	5,988	13	3	...	...	...	...	461,635	8	5	1,513,511	5	10	...	...	...	...	...	1,286	195	8	3	...
6	English, Scottish, and Australian Limited	523	6	1	20,211	14	3	...	...	...	...	347,286	5	4	1,426,333	11	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Colonial, of Australasia Limited	18,717	3	1	3,809	12	11	...	...	...	...	46,324	16	9	1,447,199	9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	National, of Australasia Limited	17,838	16	11	11,918	6	2	...	...	...	...	271,751	16	10	2,045,602	5	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Commercial, of Australasia Limited	6,900	9	3	6,337	10	3	...	...	...	...	305,265	5	11	2,683,208	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Royal, of Australia Limited	901	0	0	3,065	4	6	...	...	...	...	390,102	8	10	727,117	19	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	New Zealand	...	...	...	993	19	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Queensland National	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	North Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Totals	103,567	11	5	128,357	14	11	...	1,537,882	9	11	3,336,597	0	5	18,266,033	17	10	25,893,218	11	0	50,679,200	10	9	...	...	...	...

No.	Banks.	ASSETS.												Percentage the Reserves of Gold, Bullion, and Australian Notes bear to the Bank's Liabilities.												
		Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion.			Landed and other Property.			Notes and Bills of other Banks.			Balances due from other Banks.				All Debts due to the Bank.*			Total Amount of Assets.								
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1	Australasia	575,963	4	3	1,008,871	0	9	...	75,315	0	5	4,952,271	16	6	6,634,151	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	63
2	Union, of Australia Limited	977,398	13	0	3,404,818	5	0	...	65,862	0	0	3,773,246	7	0	5,292,607	15	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	02
3	New South Wales	1,761,977	19	3	3,755,749	13	0	...	191	3	1	1,302	0	0	8,871,310	14	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	06
4	Victoria Limited	395,254	6	10	368,879	10	6	...	36,790	7	1	33,067	1	9	7,034,944	15	3*	...	...	...	...	...	13	013	
5	London, of Australia Limited	187,044	6	9	205,109	0	6	...	18,878	4	10	26,909	18	4	2,367,311	5	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	82
6	English, Scottish, and Australian Limited	352,776	15	11	136,310	0	0	...	22,963	8	4	24,491	0	1	3,734,036	19	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	533*
7	Colonial, of Australasia Limited	454,742	1	3	259,408	18	0	...	20,350	9	8	42,606	16	9	3,977,029	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	89
8	National, of Australasia Limited	774,835	5	7	17,439	12	6	...	38,265	8	9	5,906	771	5	6	6,887,748	1	2	...	...	...	...	15	99	
9	Commercial, of Australia Limited	444,603	14	0	337,512	15	4	...	39,840	2	2	11,237	2	11	4,474,600	11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	34
10	Royal, of Australia Limited	275,423	9	0	144,215	0	0	...	25,967	19	2	184,606	5	10	307,604	5	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	68
11	New Zealand	94,560	13	10	4,494	7	8
12	Queensland National	448	5	7	3,335	8	6
13	North Queensland	451	5	7	717	8	6
	Totals	6,234,738	14	10	7,019,792	19	0	1,503,967	3	9	352,544	7	1	300,672	15	2	38,063,327	6	7	53,692,243	14	6	26	57		

* Including Perpetual Inscribed Stocks, £1,048,046 7s. 8d.—† Including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, excepting notes, bills, and balance due to the bank from other banks.—‡ Or 19-687 excluding Perpetual Inscribed Stocks.

SUMMARY OF STERN RETURNS—continued.

No.	Banks	CAPITAL AND PROFITS.			
		Amount of Capital Stock paid up.	Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.	Amount of last Dividend so declared.	Amount of Reserved Profits exclusive of such Dividend at the time of declaring such Dividend.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	Australasia	2,000,000 0 0	14 1/2 cent. and bonus of 12s. per share	170,000 0 0	2,863,000 0 0
2	Union, of Australia Limited	2,000,000 0 0	14 1/2 cent. per annum	140,000 0 0	2,030,500 10 3
3	New South Wales	3,500,000 0 0	10 1/2 cent. per annum	87,500 0 0	2,711,065 10 8
4	Victoria Limited	1,478,010 0 0*	6 1/2 cent. per annum (preference)	44,340 6 0	414,453 13 0
5	London, of Australia Limited	669,587 10 0†	7 1/2 cent. per annum (preference)	23,170 5 3	328,317 13 0
6	English, Scottish, and Australian Limited	589,437 10 0	8 1/2 cent. per annum (ordinary)	43,155 0 0	433,229 4 8
7	Colonial, of Australasia Limited	439,280 10 0	7 1/2 cent. per annum (ordinary)	15,374 16 3	258,704 7 2
8	National, of Australasia Limited	1,498,220 0 0	7 1/2 cent. per annum (preference)	52,437 14 0	593,938 5 1
9	Commercial, of Australia Limited	2,213,009 0 0‡	7 1/2 cent. per annum (ordinary)	42,347 0 0	9,575 17 7
10	Royal, of Australia Limited	300,000 0 0	8 1/2 cent. per annum (preference)	12,000 0 0	253,916 5 7
11	New Zealand	2,277,104 7 2	12 1/2 cent. per annum and bonus of 3 1/2 cent. on ordinary shares and 10 1/2 cent. on A preference shares	229,459 13 2	2,000,000 0 0
12	Queensland National	480,000 0 0	3 1/2 cent. per annum (ordinary)	12,000 0 0	36,933 17 8
13	North Queensland	162,500 0 0	6 1/2 cent. per annum (ordinary)	4,875 0 0	39,762 6 6
	Totals	17,557,148 17 2	...	876,659 19 8	11,972,406 11 2

* Preference shares
Ordinary shares

† Preference
Ordinary

‡ Preference
Ordinary

£416,750 0 0
1,061,250 0 0
£1,478,010 0 0
£171,930 0 0
497,657 10 0
5069,587 10 0
£2,117,350 0 0
95,659 0 0
£2,213,009 0 0

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE BANK OF AUSTRALASIA.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October, 1915 to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	TOTALS.	Specie, Bullions, and Australian Notes per cent. of Total Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	12,757 9 3	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	...	...
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	23,071 3 5	Australian Notes	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Landed and other Property	...	...
Balances due to other Banks	29,793 5 7	...	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	...
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	36,154 17 1	65,948 2 8	Balances due from other Banks	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	2,610,924 11 2	...	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including	...	...
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	4,077,017 13 4	6,687,942 4 6	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Funded Debts of description, excepting	...	...
Persons	...	...	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said	...	...
			Bank from other Banks	...	...
				4,952,271 16 6	23 63
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	6,792,718 19 10	Total Amount of Assets	...	...
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	2,000,000 0 0		6,683,151 1 11	
Rate of last dividend declared to the shareholders, per cent. per annum	...	14 per cent., and bonus 12s. per share			
Amount of last dividend so declared	...	170,000 0 0			
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	2,863,000 0 0			

Melbourne, 7th January, 1916.

H. J. RALPH, Manager.
W. R. COLLIE, Accountant.

I, REGINALD HAROLD WALFORD, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October, 1915, to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

R. H. WALFORD.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } L. GREIVE, Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits for the State of Victoria.
seventh day of January, 1916.

And I, CHARLES JAMES HENDERSON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Reginald Harold Walford are true in every particular.

C. J. HENDERSON.

Sworn before me at Melbourne, this } L. GREIVE, Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits for the State of Victoria.
seventh day of January, 1916.

State of Victoria.
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage the Reserve Fund bears to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	5,115 18 5	5,115 18 5	Australian Notes ...	340 048 2 0	1,345,327 5 0	14.96
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	9,231 6 1	9,231 6 1	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals ...	577 398 13 0	106,600 0 0	
Balances due to other Banks ...	11,042 0 6	392,066 18 4	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion ...	28,080 10 0	65,862 3 0	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	381,024 17 10	6,311,298 9 4	Landed and other Property ...	...	1,302 0 0	
Crown ... { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	2,183,346 1 11	6,311,298 9 4	Notes and Bills of other Banks ...	...	...
Deposits by other persons ...	4,142,950 7 5	6,717,712 12 2	Balances due from other Banks ...	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities ...	...	6,717,712 12 2	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks ...	...	3,773,316 7 0	Percentage the Reserve Fund bears to the Bank's Liabilities ...
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December 1915 ...	...	2,000,000 0 0	Total Amount of Assets ...	...	5,292,607 15 0	20.02
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum and bonus 2 per cent., equal to ...	...	14 per cent. per annum				
Amount of the last dividend so declared ...	...	140,000 0 0				
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend ...	...	2,030,509 10 3				

Melbourne, 6th January, 1916.
 CHAS. W. T. F. RUSSELL, General Manager.
 F. P. WARRY,
 Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, FREDERICK PALMER WARRY, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Bank and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

And I, CHARLES WANLEY TRELAWEY FULLER RUSSELL, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Frederick Palmer Warry are true in every particular.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } WM. H. WADDELL, Justice of the Peace.
 6th day of January, 1916.

F. P. WARRY.
 CHAS. W. T. F. RUSSELL.

State of Victoria.
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES
WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of the Reserves of Gold, Bullion, and Australian Notes held by the Bank to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation	...	28,559 9 3	Australian Notes	3,755,749 13 10	5,466,251 17 7	87.66
{ Bearing Interest	...	9,978 15 5	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	1,701,877 12 3		
{ Not bearing Interest	...	1,112,634 19 3	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	8,624 11 6		
Bills in Circulation	Landed and other Property	...		
{ Bearing Interest	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...		
{ Not bearing Interest	...	5,084,100 19 10	Balances due from other Banks	...		
Deposits by the Crown	292,990 0 0	...	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...		
Deposits by other persons	1,754,387 8 4	6,235,774 3 9	Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...		
Total Amount of Liabilities	3,329,191 18 1	
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	3,500,000 0 0	Total Amount of Assets	...	8,871,310 14 8	
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	...	10 per cent.		...		
Amount of the last dividend so declared (quarterly)	...	87,500 0 0		...		
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	2,711,065 10 8		...		

Melbourne, 7th January, 1916.

OSCAR LINES, Manager.
 J. M. DAVID,
 Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, JOHN McLEOD DAVID, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

J. M. DAVID.

And I, OSCAR LINES, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said John McLeod David are true in every particular.

OSCAR LINES.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } WM. H. WADELLE, Justice of the Peace.
 seventh day of January, 1916.

State of Victoria.
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA, OF THE BANK OF VICTORIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage the Reserves of Cash, Bullion, and Australian Notes to the Bank's Liabilities.
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest Bearing Interest	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 7,744 19 2	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	£ s. d. 385,293 6 10	£ s. d. 451,885 2 9	13.013
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest Bearing Interest	... ..	15,905 0 10	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	56,631 15 11	368,879 16 1	
Balances due to other Banks	... ..	50,375 2 0	Australian Notes	...	820,764 18 10	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest Crown } Bearing Interest	153,221 9 3 412,223 0 2	565,444 9 5	Landed and other Property	...	330,410 6 11	
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest persons } Bearing Interest	2,188,927 17 0 3,478,493 8 1	5,667,421 5 1	Balances due from other Banks	...	36,789 7 1	
	6,232,865 14 6		Amount of all debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	33,057 1 9	
Total Amount of Liabilities	6,232,865 14 6	6,306,888 16 6				
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	Preference Shares Ordinary Shares	£416,760 1,061,260	Total Amount of Assets	7,934,944 15 3		
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	Preference Ordinary	6 per cent. per annum 6 per cent. per annum				
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividends		£414,453 13 0				

Melbourne, 10th January, 1916.

PHILIP CH. DE CRESPIGNY, Acting General Manager.
A. C. HUGGINS.
Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, ALFRED CHARLES HUGGINS, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria during the period specified.

A. C. HUGGINS.

And I, PHILIP CHAMPTON DE CRESPIGNY, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Alfred Charles Huggins are true in every particular.

PHILIP CH. DE CRESPIGNY.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } E. K. HEALES, Justice of the Peace.
11th day of January, 1916, }

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE LONDON BANK OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of Coin, Bullion, and Notes bear to the Bank's Liabilities.
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest } { Bearing Interest }	£ 4,209 0 0	£ 4,209 0 0	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	£ 187,944 6 9	£ 197,828 7 11	13.82
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest } { Bearing Interest }	5,088 13 3	5,088 13 3	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	10,784 1 2	240,109 0 9	
Balances due to other Banks	32,704 15 3	32,704 15 3	Australian Notes	130,910 0 0	18,878 4 10	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest } { Bearing Interest }	461,635 8 5	494,340 3 8	Landed and other Property	...	26,600 18 4	
Crown { Not bearing Interest } { Bearing Interest }	1,151,068 11 2	2,664,579 17 0	Balances due from other Banks	...	2,267,311 5 9	
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest } { Bearing Interest }	1,513,511 5 10	3,168,217 13 11	Amount of all debts due to the Bank, including	...	...
Deposits by other persons—Bearing Interest—Transferable	...	...	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	...	Funded Debts of every description, excepting	...	...
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	£171,980 0 0	689,587 10 0	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	...
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders (ordinary)	497,657 10 0	7 per cent. per annum	Total Amount of Assets	2,881,627 17 7	...	
Amount of the last dividend so declared (preference)	...	7 per cent. per annum	...	...	...
Amount of the received profits, exclusive of such dividends, at the time of declaring each dividends	6,017 11 0	17,152 14 3	...	...	...
...	...	328,317 13 0	...	...	...

Melbourne, 5th January, 1916.

O. MORRICE WILLIAMS, Inspector and General Manager.
R. G. JOINER, Inspector's Accountant.

I, RICHARD GAVIN JOINER, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the Banks and Currency Act 1890, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

And I, OLIVER MORRICE WILLIAMS, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Richard Gavin Joiner are true in every particular.

Sworn before me at Melbourne, this } J. R. BUTCHART, Justice of the Peace.
5th day of January, 1916.

O. MORRICE WILLIAMS.

R. G. JOINER.

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, AND AUSTRALIAN BANK LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage the Reserves of Gold, Bullion and Australian Notes bear to the Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Perpetual Inscribed Stocks	...	1,045,042 7 8	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	352,776 16 11	364,398 2 0	14-833
Notes in Circulation—Not bearing Interest	...	523 6 1	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	11,621 6 1	123,824 8 5	or
Bills in Circulation—Not bearing Interest	...	20,211 14 3	Landed and other Property	...	22,963 8 4	excluding
Balances due to other Banks	...	96,142 18 5	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	24,491 6 1	Perpetual
Balances due by the Bank	19,849 17 8	367,136 3 0	Amount due to the Bank	...	...	Inscribed
Deposits by the Bank	347,286 5 4	2,712,533 19 11	Amount due to the Bank including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Debts of every description, excepting	...	2,933,142 8 2	Stocks
Deposits by other persons	1,426,338 11 8	...	Funded Debts of every description, excepting	...	265,217 6 1	19,687
Deposits by other persons	1,286,195 8 3	...	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	...
	...	4,244,590 9 4	Australian Notes	...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	...		...	3,733,036 19 1	
Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	539,437 10 0	Total Amount of Assets	...	...
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	...	8 per cent. per annum		...	...
Amount of the last dividend so declared	...	43,156 0 0		...	...
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	433,229 4 8		...	...

Melbourne, 31st December, 1915.

I, G. E. MALE, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the Banks and Currency Act 1890, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

G. E. MALE.

And I, ERNEST OSULLIVAN, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said G. E. Male are true in every particular.

ERNEST OSULLIVAN.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } WM. H. WADELLE, Justice of the Peace.
31st day of December, 1915,

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE COLONIAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of the Reserves of Gold, Silver, and Bullion, and Australian Notes due to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	18,717 3 1	18,717 3 1	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	454,742 1 3	454,742 1 3	18.89
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	11,200 7 2	11,200 7 2
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	8,309 12 11	8,309 12 11	Australian Notes	259,408 18 6	725,351 6 11	
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Landed and other Property	...	197,439 6 11
Balances due to other Banks	...	600 9 6	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	20,239 9 8	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	46,324 16 9	46,324 16 9	Balances due from other Banks	...	746 14 8	
... { Bearing Interest	271,761 16 10	318,076 13 7	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	3,032,556 12 1	
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	1,447 199 9 2	1,447 199 9 2		...		
... { Bearing Interest	2,046,602 5 7	3,492,801 14 9		...		
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	3,833,505 13 10		...		
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	480,280 10 0		...		
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders—Ordinary	...	7 per cent.	Total Amount of Assets	...	3,977,026 10 3	
Preference	...	7 per cent.		...		
Amount of the last dividend so declared—Ordinary	£4,733 5 6	15,374 16 3		...		
Preference	10,641 10 9	253,704 7 2		...		
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	...		...

Melbourne, 21st January, 1916.

SELBY PAXTON, General Manager.
THOMAS GROUNDS,
Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, THOMAS GROUNDS, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

And I, SELBY PAXTON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Thomas Grounds are true in every particular.

THOMAS GROUNDS,
SELBY PAXTON.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } B. H. ALTON, Justice of the Peace.
21st day of January, 1916.

State of Victoria
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES
WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA LIMITED.
Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	Percentage the Reserves of Coin, Bullion, and Australian Notes held by the Bank to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	17,838 16 11	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	774,835 5 7	15.99
{ Bearing Interest	11,918 6 2	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	17,425 12 8	
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	Australian Notes	298,804 0 0	
{ Bearing Interest	...	Landed and other Property	...	
Balances due to other Banks	20,553 1 3	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	439,143 0 0	Balances due by other Banks	...	
{ Bearing Interest	2,541,233 5 5	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including	...	
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	3,583,346 4 10	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	
{ Bearing Interest	...	Funded Debts of every description, except-	...	
persons	...	ing Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said	...	
		Bank from other Banks	5,506,771 5 6	
Total Amount of Liabilities	6,819,750 1 9			
		Total Amount of Assets	6,887,743 1 2	
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...		...
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	7 per cent.		...	
Amount of the last dividend so declared	52,437 14 0		...	
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	503,938 5 1		...	

Melbourne, 6th January, 1916.

E. H. WREFFORD, Chief Manager.
W. L. HUNTER,
Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, WILLIAM LIVINGSTON HUNTER, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the Bank and Currency Act 1890, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

W. L. HUNTER.

And I, ERNEST HENRY WREFFORD, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said William Livingston Hunter are true in every particular.

E. H. WREFFORD.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this }
6th day of January, 1916, } D. BUZZOLICH, Justice of the Peace.

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of Coin, Bullion, and Australian Assets Bear to the Total Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	6,900 9 3	6,900 9 3	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	444,563 14 0	801,161 0 11	18.3
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	6,537 10 3	6,537 10 3	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars	19,054 11 1	235,545 0 0	
Balances due to other Banks	...	61,653 4 9	Australian Notes	337,912 15 4	39,900 2 2	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	29,767 19 10 365,285 5 11	334,993 5 9	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	11,257 2 11	
Deposits by other persons { Not bearing Interest ... { Bearing Interest ...	2,033,208 2 4 1,872,731 13 10	3,905,939 16 2	Balances due to other Banks	...	3,386,737 5 1	
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	4,376,024 6 2	Amount due to the Bank including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funds of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	...
Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	2,117,350 0 0	Total Amount of Assets	...	4,474,600 11 1	
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	... { Preference ... { Ordinary ...	4 per cent.				
Amount of the last dividend so declared	... { Preference ... { Ordinary ...	Nil				
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at time of declaring such dividend	... { Preference ... { Ordinary ...	42,347 0 0				

H. L. HERON, General Manager.

A. P. THOMPSON,

Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, ARTHUR PRUETT THOMPSON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of the Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria during the period specified.

A. P. THOMPSON.

I, HERBERT LEDLIZ HERON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Arthur Pruett Thompson are true in every particular.

H. L. HERON.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } JAMES EVERIST, Justice of the Peace.
4th day of January, 1916,

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE ROYAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage the Reserves of Coin, Bullion, and Australian Notes bear to the Bank Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	901 0 0	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	275,423 9 6	434,715 8 11	22.54
... { Bearing Interest	...	...	Australian Notes	144,215 0 0	62,221 18 5
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	8,065 4 6	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	15,076 19 5	20,458 0 9	
... { Bearing Interest	...	...	Landed and other Property	...	1,932,371 19 8
Balances due to other Banks	25,303 11 6	10,407 11 0	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	2,479,734 19 5	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	399,102 8 10	421,406 0 4	Balances due from other Banks	...	...
... { Bearing Interest	727,285 19 0	1,484,403 18 0	Amount of all debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	...	...
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	757,117 19 0	...		...	...
... { Bearing Interest	...	...		...	...
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	1,928,183 13 10		...	...
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	300,000 0 0	Total Amount of Assets	...	2,479,734 19 5	
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders	...	8 per cent.		
Amount of the last dividend so declared	...	12,000 0 0		
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	252,916 5 7		

H. T. WILSON, General Manager.
A. J. SHEPHERD, Accountant.

I, HENRY STIRLING, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the Bank's and Currency Act 1890, and from the said Statements prepared, the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

HENRY STIRLING.

And I, HUGH THURBURN WILSON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Henry Stirling are true in every particular.

H. T. WILSON.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this 24th day of January, 1916, WALTER G. HISCOCK, Justice of the Peace.

State of Victoria.
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBITS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES
WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.

Taken from the general Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of Com. Bullion, and Notes bear to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest			Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals		94,560 13 10	85.68
{ Bearing Interest			Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion		4,400 0 0	
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest		933 19 6	Australian Notes		4,924 7 8	
{ Bearing Interest			Leaded and other Property		33,244 9 4	
Balances due to other Banks		150 17 10	Notes and Bills of other Banks		256 19 2	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest			Balances due from other Banks		134,606 5 10	
{ Bearing Interest	90,633 6 0		Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including			
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	28,023 13 4	118,691 19 4	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and			
{ Bearing Interest			Funded Debts of every description, excepting			
persons			Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank			
			from other Banks		35,611 10 0	
Total Amount of Liabilities		119,836 16 8				
			Total Amount of Assets		307,604 5 10	
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915		2,277,104 7 2				
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12 per cent. and bonus of 3 per cent. on ordinary shares and B. preference shares, 10 per cent. on A. preference shares		229,450 18 2				
Amount of the last dividend so declared		2,000,000 0 0				
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend						

Melbourne, 21st January, 1916.

G. C. LEMANN, Manager.
H. W. STOW, Accountant.

I, HAROLD WHITCOMB STOW, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Banks and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

H. W. STOW.

And I, GEORGE CHARLES LEMANN, of Melbourne, make oath and say, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Harold Whitcomb Stow are true in every particular.

G. C. LEMANN.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } WAL. H. WADELL, Justice of the Peace.
 22nd day of January, 1916,

State of Victoria.

GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK LIMITED.

Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage the Reserves of Coin, Bullion, and Australian Notes held to the Banks' Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	...	...	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals	448 5 7	...	3 11
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	3,335 8 6	...	
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	3,048 8 4	3,048 8 4	Australian Notes	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Landed and other Property	...	...
Balances due to other Banks	...	...	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	...
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	59,974 16 4	...	Balances due by other Banks	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	67,365 10 9	118,341 7 1	Amount of all debts due to the Bank, including	...	...
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	...	...	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	...	...	Funded Debts of every description, excepting	...	...
persons	...	...	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank	...	...
	...	...	from other Banks	...	198,047 3 11	
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	121,889 15 5		...	...
			Total Amount of Assets	...	205,051 6 11	
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	480,000 0 0		...	...
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders—Ordinary	...	3 per cent. per annum		...	...
Amount of the last dividend so declared	...	12,000 0 0		...	...
Amount of the reserved profits, exclusive of such dividend, at the time of declaring such dividend	...	36,933 17 8		...	...

Melbourne, 7th January, 1916.

H. RYLAND, Manager.
EWEN A. CAMERON,
Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, EWEN ALAN CAMERON, of Melbourne, make oath and say that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Bank and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular, and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

And I, HERBERT RYLAND, of Melbourne, make oath and say that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Ewen Alan Cameron are true in every particular.
Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this 7th day of January, 1916, } W.M. H. WADDELL, Justice of the Peace.

EWEN A. CAMERON.

H. RYLAND.

State of Victoria.
GENERAL ABSTRACT SHOWING THE AVERAGE AMOUNT OF THE DEBTS, ENGAGEMENTS, AND LIABILITIES, AND OF THE ASSETS, PROPERTY, CREDITS, AND SECURITIES
WITHIN THE STATE OF VICTORIA OF THE BANK OF NORTH QUEENSLAND LIMITED.
Taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915.

LIABILITIES.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	ASSETS.	AMOUNT.	TOTALS.	Percentage of Coin, Bullion, and Australian Notes bear to the Bank's Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	12.15
Notes in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metals	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	Gold and Silver in Bars and Bullion	...	...
Bills in Circulation { Not bearing Interest	Australian Notes	451 5 7	1,168 14 1	
{ Bearing Interest	Landed and other Property	717 8 6	...	
Balances due to other Banks	Notes and Bills of other Banks	...	5,544 8 1	
Deposits by the { Not bearing Interest	Balances due by other Banks	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	5,468 18 4	...	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including	...	...
Crown	4,138 9 3	9,607 7 7	Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and	...	...
Deposits by other { Not bearing Interest	Funded Debts of every description, excepting	...	...
{ Bearing Interest	Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said	...	...
persons	Bank from other Banks	...	7,075 14 2	
Total Amount of Liabilities	...	9,607 7 7		...	...
					13,788 16 4	
Amount of capital stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending the 31st day of December, 1915	...	162,500 0 0	Total Amount of Assets	...	...
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders { Preference	...	6 0 0		...	...
Amount of the last dividend so declared	...	4,875 0 0		...	...
Amount of the reserved profits exclusive of such dividend at the time of declaring such dividend	...	39,762 6 6		...	...

Melbourne, 6th January, 1916.

PHIL. GROUT, Manager.
 ALLAN M. LEES.
 Officer by whom the foregoing Statement was prepared.

I, ALLAN MACKENZIE LEES, of Melbourne, make oath and say, that I prepared Weekly Statements of the above Bank during the Quarter from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1915, in accordance with the *Bank and Currency Act 1890*, and from the said Statements prepared the above Abstract, and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the said Weekly Statements are full and true in every particular; and that the coined gold and silver and other coined metals, and the gold and silver in bars and bullion, as stated in every such Statement, faithfully represent the true amounts on hand after payment of the balances due to other Banks upon the weekly balances of exchange, excepting the amounts mentioned in such Statements under the heading "Balances due to other Banks"; and the above Abstract is an accurate Abstract of the said Weekly Statements, and a true and faithful account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities within the State of Victoria of the above Bank during the period specified.

And I, PHILIP HENRY GROUT, of Melbourne, make oath and say, that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Statements of the said Allan Mackenzie Lees are true in every particular.
 PHIL. GROUT.

Sworn before me, at Melbourne, this } G. GEO. CRESPIN, Justice of the Peace.
 sixth day of January, 1916, }

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

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.
1716	MINES— Completing extension of Track No. 177 from Old Eldorado Battery to South Eldorado Tunnel Site, Gaffney's Creek [Contract abandoned by W. Herbert. See serial No. 434.]	£ s. d. 25 0 0	Eldorado Gold Mines No Liability	Surplus Revenue Acts	T. Livingston. 8.11.1915.
1717	Removing Drill No. 4, Maroons, and Cable Rig, Plant, and Derricks to Maroons Railway Station [In lieu of Serial No. 1389, <i>Government Gazette</i> , 1st December, 1915, p. 4780.]	16 0 0	Dell and Sons	Votes	T. Livingston. 4.2.1916.
1718	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS— (2)—Supply and delivery of No. 8 gauge Galvanized Telegraph Wire, at £22 per ton, delivered at the Telegraph Store, Spencer-street	Rates	J. G. Black	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	
1719	(2)—Supply and delivery of Battery Signal Machines for Signal Shops, Newport, at £36 1s., provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street Railway Station	Ditto	R. W. Cameron and Co.	Ditto	
1720	(2)—Supply and delivery of Rolled Steel Joists, Angle Braces, Bedplates, Clips, and Bolts for renewal of Bridges at 17 miles 3 chains 60 links (near Rockbank) and 36 miles 12 chains 50 links (near Rowsley), Sunshine to Ballarat line	Rates as per Annex	Dorman, Long, and Co. Ltd.	Ditto	
1721	(1)—Supply and delivery of Steel Channel Bars for (40) "A2" Engines and (1) Consolidation Engine, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street Railway Station. Deposit, £22 *— Item No. 1. 23 ft. 1 in. x 10 in. x 4 in. x 7-16 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton Item No. 2. 10 ft. 4 in. x 10 in. x 4 in. x 7-16 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton Item No. 3. 4 ft. 7 in. x 10 in. x 4 in. x 7-16 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton Item No. 4. 4 ft. 10 in. x 10 in. x 4 in. x 7-16 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton Item No. 5. 2 ft. 10 in. x 10 in. x 4 in. x 7-16 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton Item No. 6. 7 ft. 4 in. x 15 in. x 4 in. x 7/8 in., at £16 6s. 5d. per ton	Rates	Edward Duckett and Sons	Ditto	
1722	(3)—Supply and delivery of Butchers' Meat for Dining Car Service, as ordered, during the period commencing on 1st January, 1916, and ending on 30th December, 1916. Deposit, £20	Rates as per Annex	T. K. Bennet and Woolcock Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1723	(3)—Supply and delivery of Biscuits (Australian) for Dining Car Service, as ordered, during the period commencing on 1st January, 1916, and ending on 30th December, 1916. Deposit, £3— Item No. 2. Biscuits, Coffee, at 5½d. per lb. Item No. 3. Biscuits, Thin Captains, at 3½d. per lb. Item No. 4. Biscuits, Cabin, at 3½d. per lb. Item No. 5. Biscuits, Sultana Luncheon, at 7½d. per lb. Item No. 6. Biscuits Currant Luncheon, at 7½d. per lb. Item No. 7. Biscuits, Dessert, at 10½d. per lb.	Rates	The Phoenix Biscuit Co. Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	J. S. Rees, for Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners, 4.2.1916.
1724	(4)—Supply and delivery of Wire Rose-headed Nails, delivered at the General Railway Store, Spencer-street— Item No. 1. 2½ in. x 11 gauge, at £1 0s. 3d. per cwt. Item No. 4. 2 in. x 10 gauge, at 19s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 5. 2 in. x 11 gauge, at £1 0s. 3d. per cwt. Item No. 6. 2½ in. x 10 gauge, at 19s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 8. 2½ in. x 9 gauge, at 19s. per cwt. Item No. 9. 2½ in. x 10 gauge, at 19s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 10. 3 in. x 8 gauge, at 18s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 11. 3 in. x 10 gauge, at 19s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 12. 4 in. x 6 gauge, at 18s. per cwt. Item No. 15. 4 in. x 7 gauge, at 18s. per cwt.	Ditto	C. S. Green and Son	Ditto	
1725	(7)—Supply and delivery of 6-in. W.I. Tubing, delivered at the Flinders-street Railway Station— Galvanize, at 4s. 6d. per foot Black, at 3s. 4½d. per foot Steam, at 3s. 11½d. per foot	Ditto	McPherson's Pty. Ltd.	Ditto	
1726	(7)—Supply and delivery of 6-in. W.I. Tubing, delivered at the Flinders-street Railway Station— Black, at 3s. 11½d. per foot	Ditto	Stewarts and Lloyds (Australia) Ltd.	Ditto	

* Order in Council obtained

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16)—continued

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
1727	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS—continued— (4)—Supply and delivery of Wire Rose-headed Nails, delivered at the General Railway Store, Spencer-street— Item No. 2. 1 in. x 15 gauge, at £1 7s. per cwt. Item No. 3. 1½ in. x 13 gauge, at £1 4s. per cwt. Item No. 7. 2 in. x 12 gauge, at £1 3s. per cwt. Item No. 13. 5 in. x 5 gauge, at £1 per cwt. Item No. 14. 6 in. x 4 gauge, at £1 per cwt.	Rates ...	Edward Duckett and Sons	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	
1728	(4)—Supply and delivery of Wire Rose-headed Nails, delivered at the General Railway Store, Spencer-street— Item No. 2. 1 in. x 15 gauge, at £1 10s. per cwt. Item No. 3. 1½ in. x 13 gauge, at £1 7s. per cwt. Item No. 7. 2 in. x 12 gauge, at £1 6s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 13. 5 in. x 5 gauge, at £1 2s. 6d. per cwt. Item No. 14. 6 in. x 4 gauge, at £1 2s. 6d. per cwt.	Ditto ...	Austral Nail Co. Pty. Ltd.	Ditto ...	J. S. Rees, for Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners 4 2 1916
1729	(1)—Supply and delivery of Steel Strand Galvanized Wire, 17 B.W.G. x 7 strand, at £35 per ton ex stock and £38 per ton imported, delivered at the Goods Sheds, Spencer-street Railway Station *	Ditto ...	R. Johnson, Clapham, and Morris Ltd.	Ditto ...	
1730	(2)—Construction and erection of Verandahs over Island Platform at Maroona Station—Ararat to Maroona Regrading. Deposit, £42	£ 6 d. 847 17 7	A. Challingsworth Pty. Ltd.	Votes and Loans ...	
1731	(1)—Construction, riveting, &c. (on the site of the contract works), of the Steel Piers, &c., for Bridges over lines at Thompson and Cole streets, Williamstown. Deposit, £6	110 0 10	Dorman, Long, and Co. Ltd.	Ditto ...	

* Order in Council obtained.

Corrigenda.

Victorian Railways.—Benson Bros. Ltd., Serial No. 790/1915-16, Gazette No. 107 of 1st September, 1915—Price of Machine increased by £20.

" " C. C. Weickhardt, Serial No. 1404/1914-15, Gazette No. 158 of 21st December, 1914; Gazette No. 73 of 30th June, 1915; and Gazette No. 111 of 8th September, 1915—Increased rate of £3 12s. 2d. per Tank to be paid until further notice for all Tanks supplied in excess of the 150 referred to in Gazette No. 111 of 8th September, 1915.

" " A. Challingsworth Pty. Ltd., Serial No. 774/1913-14, Gazette No. 137 of 3rd September, 1913—

Total amount of Contract	£372 8 4
Amount gazetted	360 9 5
Extra on Contract	£11 18 11

—J. S. REES, for Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners. 4.2.1916.

Melbourne, 9th February, 1916

ANNEX TO CONTRACT NO. 1720.

Dorman, Long, and Co Ltd.

Contract.—Supply and delivery of Rolled Steel Joists, Angle Braces, Bedplates, Clips, and Bolts for renewal of Bridges at 17 miles 3 chains 60 links (near Rockbank) and 36 miles 12 chains 50 links (near Rowsley), Sunshine to Ballarat line.

No. of Item.	Description.	Rate.
BRIDGE AT 17 MILES 3 CHAINS 60 LINKS.		
		£ s. d.
1	Rolled Steel Joists, 12 in. x 6 in. x 54 lbs. x 12 ft. 5 in., with necessary holes, including painting, as specified	15 10 0 per ton
2	Mild Steel Angle Braces, 3 in. x 3 in. x ¾ in., with necessary bolts and bolt holes, including painting, as specified	1 2 0 per cwt.
3	Mild Steel Bedplates and Bolts, including painting, as specified	1 0 0 "
4	Mild Steel Clips, of size and shape shown, with necessary bolt holes, including painting, as specified	1 6 0 "
BRIDGE AT 36 MILES 12 CHAINS 50 LINKS.		
5	Rolled Steel Joists, 12 in. x 6 in. x 44 lbs. x 10 ft. 11 in., with necessary holes, including painting, as specified	15 10 0 per ton
6	Mild Steel Angle Braces, 3 in. x 3 in. x ¾ in., with necessary bolts and bolt holes, including painting, as specified	1 2 0 per cwt.
7	Mild Steel Bedplates and Bolts, including painting, as specified	1 0 0 "
8	Mild Steel Clips, of size and shape shown, with necessary bolt holes, including painting, as specified	1 6 0 "

ANNEX TO CONTRACT NO. 1722.

T. K. Bennet and Woolcock Pty. Ltd.

Contract.—Supply and delivery of Butchers' Meat for Dining Car Service, as ordered, during the period commencing on 1st January, 1916, and ending on 30th December, 1916.

Item No.	Description.	Rate per—	Rate, delivered at the Dining Car Depot, Dudley-street, Melbourne.
1	Beef, Rib, 1st and 2nd Cuts, in one joint, 12 lbs. (thereabouts) each	lb.	£ s. d. 0 0 7
2	" Corned, Silverside (Aitchbone or Centre Cut), 10 to 12 lbs. each	"	0 0 8
3	" Sirloin (cut without Flank), each about 20 lbs.	"	0 0 8
4	" Fillet, each about 12 lbs.	"	0 0 11
5	" Mince	"	0 0 5
6	Fillet Steak	"	0 0 11
7	Bladebone Steak	"	0 0 8
8	Rump Steak	"	0 0 10
9	Top Side Steak, in 12 to 18 lb. pieces	"	0 0 8
10	Ox Tails	each	0 0 10
11	" Tongues	"	0 2 9
12	Lamb, Forequarter, 11 ribs each, about 8½ lbs.	lb.	0 0 6½
13	" Hindquarter, 9 to 10 lbs. each	"	0 0 7½
14	" Heads	doz.	0 3 0
15	Mutton, Haunch	lb.	0 0 6
16	" Saddle	"	0 0 7
17	" Mid. Loin Chops	"	0 0 7
18	" Middles	"	0 0 7
19	" Legs, each about 8 lbs.	"	0 0 7
20	Sheeps' Tongues, Salt	doz.	0 2 6
21	" Kidneys	"	0 1 0
22	Mutton Cutlets	lb.	0 0 8
23	Veal, Fillet, 10 to 12 lbs.	"	0 0 6
24	" Cutlets	"	0 0 6
25	Sweetbreads	doz.	0 6 0
26	Calves' Feet	each	0 0 3
27	" Heads	"	0 2 0
28	Pork, Middle Loin, each about 8 lbs.	lb.	0 1 0
29	" Leg, Salted, each about 8 lbs.	"	0 1 0
30	" Belly, Pickled	"	0 1 0
31	" Chops	"	0 1 0
32	" Cutlets	"	0 1 0
33	" Mince	"	0 1 0
34	Brains, Sets	doz.	0 3 0
35	Tripe	lb.	0 0 6
36	Lamb Fry	doz.	0 3 0
37	Suet	lb.	0 0 6
38	Dripping	"	0 0 7
39	Shins, Beef	"	0 0 3
40	Ox Kidneys	each	0 0 7
41	Pigs' Cauls	doz.	0 1 0

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1915-16.)

Serial No.	Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charge against Vote or Fund.
	FIREWOOD—	£ s. d.		
	Supply of Firewood, at Ballarat, in such quantities as may be ordered, to 31st December, 1916, at the undermentioned rates:—			
	FIREWOOD.			
	(In 2-ft. Billets and 4½-ft. lengths, 40 cubic feet measurement per ton, placed in stacks 5 feet high.)			
1732	2. Ballarat—For the Hospital for Insane only, in 2-ft. billets—3,000 tons. Security, £20	0 9 8	W. Coad and Sons, Doveton Siding, Ballarat	Contingencies, 1915-16.
	3. Ballarat—For the Hospital for Insane, in billets 17 inches in length. Security, £5	0 12 0		
1733	4. Ballarat—For the Gaol only, in 4½-ft. lengths—200 tons	0 10 6	J. Allan, 206 Neil-street, Ballarat	

Approved—A. J. PEACOCK, Treasurer. 20.1.1916.

Corrigendum.

Wire Nails.—Contract No. 1915/1503, Gazette No. 1915/5235, for the supply of Wire Nails.—The rates quoted are for quantities of 1 cwt. If supplied in packages of less than 1 cwt. the price should read 2s. 6d. per cwt. extra.—Jno. G. WHITZ, Secretary to the Tender Board. 27.1.1916.

Health Act.
SHIRE OF KYNETON.

BY-LAW No. XXIV.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Health Act 1915* and other Acts of Parliament hereunto authorizing them the President and Councillors and Ratepayers of the Shire of Kyneton hereby order as follows:—

1. The occupier of any land in the shire of Kyneton on which is erected any stable cow yard or cattle shed shall cause such premises to be kept in such a state of cleanliness as not to be a nuisance or injurious to health and shall cause all soil dung or manure produced or accumulated therein to be removed from such premises once every week.

2. Every occupier and every person having the management or control of any house or premises shall cause all house or yard refuse to be rendered inoffensive until the same shall be removed from the premises and every such occupier or person shall cause all rubbish from his house or premises to be placed without delay in covered non-absorbent receptacles into which a sufficient quantity of some efficient deodorant shall be introduced when necessary.

3. At least once a week or more frequently if the health inspector should deem it necessary the contents of the receptacles shall be removed and rendered inoffensive by some person appointed by the council to do so.

4. Every such occupier shall keep such receptacles in his yard or yards and shall not place them in streets or lanes and such receptacles shall be replaced from time to time as often as occasion shall require in such manner as the council shall direct.

5. Every such occupier or person shall be responsible for the keeping of the receptacles in an inoffensive condition.

6. No person shall within twenty-five feet of a dwelling house establish or construct a fowl yard or cause one to be established or constructed or within such distance permit any land or place to be used afresh or for the first time as a fowl yard without the written permission of the council and any such permission may if deemed necessary be revoked by the council.

7. No person shall keep any swine on any land or premises included in an area to be defined by regulation in the Kyneton and Trentham Ridings of the shire of Kyneton.

8. No person shall construct or permit the construction of any privy or earth closet upon any land in the shire of Kyneton of which he is the owner or occupier unless the same is kept a clear four feet from the boundary fence of any adjoining property and twenty-five feet away from any neighbouring dwelling house, and the owner of any privy or earth closet so situated as not to comply with this By-law shall upon notice from the health inspector remove such privy or earth closet within seven days from receipt of such notice.

9. Any person who shall disobey any order of the council made under this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two pounds and not less than Five shillings for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued.

10. This By-law with the exception of clause seven shall apply to and have operation in the whole of the shire of Kyneton.

All former By-laws so far as they relate to the matters and things provided for in this By-law are hereby repealed.

Resolution for passing this By-law was adopted on the 7th day of August, 1915, and confirmed on the 6th day of November, 1915.

In witness hereof the common seal of the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Kyneton was hereto affixed this 6th day of November, 1915, in the presence of—

(SEAL) DAVID WATSON, President.
H. HARPER, Shire Secretary.

The foregoing By-law was allowed and confirmed by the Board of Public Health in and for the State of Victoria (it having been first certified that notice of the intention to apply for such confirmation had been given in the shire for which the same has been made in the manner required by law) this second day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

By order of the Board,
T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary.

SHIRE OF KARKAROOC.

BY-LAW No. 10.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in the *Health Act 1915* and of any other power thereunto enabling them on that behalf the council of the shire of Karkaroc in the name and on behalf of the President, Councillors and Ratepayers of the said shire for the purpose of carrying the said Act into execution within their jurisdiction make the following By-law that is to say:—

1. All former By-laws so far as they relate to the matters and things provided for in this By-law are hereby repealed.

2. This By-law shall come into full force and operation on its confirmation by the Board of Public Health and immediately after its publication in the *Government Gazette*.

3. This By-law shall apply to and have operation within the township boundaries of Lascelles, Turriff, Speed, and Tempy within the shire of Karkaroc.

4. The occupier of any premises in which there is a closet or privy shall cause the space under the seat of each closet or privy on such premises to be prepared and shall permit the same to be used for the double pan service hereinafter provided for and shall cause the closet or privy to be kept in a fit state for such service.

5. The council shall cause every closet or privy to be supplied and kept supplied with two pans for the reception of night soil and a lid to closely fit the same and shall cause one or other of such pans to be kept under the seat aforesaid.

6. The occupier aforesaid or other person having the control or management of the premises shall cause to be kept in every closet or privy belonging thereto a supply of dry powdered earth ashes charcoal sawdust or some other material efficient for deodorizing night soil and shall cause all night soil which may be deposited in the pan of such closet or privy to be immediately on the deposit thereof covered with a quantity of such deodorizing material sufficient to thoroughly and effectually deodorize the contents of such pan.

7. The council shall at least once a week cause the pan in use to be closed with a lid and removed with its contents from the premises in the day time and the other pan to be left in its place.

8. Before leaving any pan in a closet or privy the council shall cause the same to be cleansed by superheated steam and tar painted inside or by some equally efficient means.

9. The occupier aforesaid or other person shall not contract for the removal of night soil from such premises except in accordance with this By-law.

10. The council shall have power in lieu of making a rate to make a charge on each occupier for the pans supplied and for the removal of night soil and the other work herein directed the amount in default of payment to be recovered in any Court of Petty Sessions.

11. If any person or the council commit a breach of this By-law he or they shall for every such breach be liable to a penalty not exceeding Ten pounds, and not less than Five shillings, or to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds and not less than Five shillings for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued.

Resolution for passing this By-law No. 10 agreed to by the council the 16th day of November, 1915, and confirmed the 14th day of December, 1915.

A. R. MARSHMAN, President.
H. LEARMONTH,
(SEAL) A. HAMLIN, } Councillors.
THOS. HATCHER, }
CHAS. A. CHAMBERLAIN, Shire Secretary.

The foregoing By-law was allowed and confirmed by the Board of Public Health in and for the State of Victoria (it having been first certified that notice of the intention to apply for such confirmation had been given in the shire for which the same has been made in the manner required by law) this second day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

By order of the Board,
T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary.

Section 178 of Act No. 2665.

PUBLIC HEALTH.

IN pursuance of the powers contained in the *Health Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that it appears to the Board of Public Health that the cities of Bendigo, Collingwood, and Footscray are affected by the dangerous infectious or contagious disease known as Acute Anterior—Poliomyelitis (synonyms), Infantile Paralysis, Infant Spinal Palsy, or Epidemic Paralysis; and the said Board doth hereby require and direct all medical practitioners and registrars of births and deaths to report all cases of such disease in such districts respectively. Every such practitioner and registrar shall, immediately on any such case coming to his knowledge, report it by post to the said Board, and to the Council of the municipal district concerned, in the form following (that is to say):—

To the Board of Public Health (or to the Council of the _____ of _____).
I give notice that a case of _____ has occurred as under:—

Name of Patient	Surname.		Christian Name.
	Sex.	Age.	Duration (Days).
Sex, Age, and Duration of Illness			
Exact Address (name or number of house and street)			
Municipality ...			
Occupation or school. (If associated with production or distribution of milk state particulars)			
Place of Occupation or Location of School			
Name and Address of Milk Supplier			

Date—
Signature—
Dated at Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, this 2nd day of February, 1916.
By order of the Board of Public Health,
T. W. H. HOLMES,
Secretary.

N.B.—Printed forms of notification will be supplied, on application, to medical practitioners. Any person hereinbefore designated neglecting to send the above notice is liable (unless he can prove that he was aware such case had already been reported) to a fine of Twenty pounds.

STATE RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.

SHIRE OF TUNGAMAH WATERWORKS TRUST.

AUTHORITY TO OBTAIN A BANK OVERDRAFT.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 11th day of January, 1916, authorized, in pursuance of the provisions of section 271 of the *Water Act 1915*, the Shire of Tungamah Waterworks Trust to obtain an advance from the National Bank of Australasia Limited, Tungamah, by overdraft of its current account thereat, such overdraft not to exceed at any one time the sum of Five hundred pounds (£500).

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 11th January, 1916.

STATE RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.

BENALLA WATERWORKS TRUST.

AUTHORITY TO OBTAIN A BANK OVERDRAFT.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 11th day of January, 1916, authorized, in pursuance of the provisions of section 271 of the *Water Act 1915*, the Benalla Waterworks Trust to obtain an advance from the Colonial Bank of Australasia Limited, Benalla, by overdraft on its current account thereat, such overdraft not to exceed at any one time the sum of Five hundred pounds (£500).

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 11th January, 1916.

GISBORNE WATERWORKS TRUST.

REGULATIONS RELATING TO WATER SUPPLY.

THE Chairman and Commissioners of the Gisborne Waterworks Trust, which has been proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following Regulations:—

1. The Trust may make special agreements as to method of supply, and may require a meter to be used in any case where it is deemed necessary.
2. The Trust may, by notice in writing, intimate to any owner or occupier using water for domestic use, and for other than domestic purposes, that the water is to be charged for by measure, and may by such notice require such owner or occupier to provide a meter within 14 days after the receipt of such notice, and thereupon such owner or occupier shall within the time specified, at his own expense, provide a meter.
3. If any person who has provided a meter fail to give notice of any repairs required for such meter he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5).
4. Any person requiring to remove or alter the position of a meter shall give six (6) days' notice, in writing, to that effect to the Trust, and a registration of the quantity of water used shall be taken before such removal or alteration is made.
5. Any person supplied with water by the Trust who shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste, or who shall use or allow the water to be used in an unauthorized manner, or who is in arrears with the payment of his water rate, or refuse to provide a meter, the Trust may, after seven (7) days' notice, cut off the supply of water from the premises of such person either by cutting the pipe by or through which the water is supplied or by any other means that are available, and may cease to supply such premises with water so long as the Trust may think fit.
6. The charge for water supplied temporarily during the erection of buildings shall be subject to arrangements with the Trust.
7. The charge for water supplied to public gardens shall be subject to arrangements with the Trust.
8. A supply of water for steam power or manufacturing purposes shall be by measure, and may be sold by special agreement.
9. No person shall use water, or permit water to be used or allow water to run in any manner whatsoever upon any land upon which is growing lucerne, maize, or other fodder crops, or other crop of any nature whatsoever, without a permit from the secretary of the Trust, who shall, subject to the approval of the Trust, issue the same. The fee for such permit and conditions thereof shall be as may be fixed by the Trust. No person shall so use water or permit its use or allow water to so run without a permit as aforesaid and unless a meter be attached by such person to the service supplying such land and kept and maintained in good working condition by such person to the satisfaction of such officer as the Trust may appoint, such person committing a breach of this clause shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5).
10. No meter for measuring the water supplied to any tenement shall be affixed until it shall have been approved of by the Trust.
11. The Trust may, in the event of a shortage or scarcity of water by giving notice, in writing, to any owner or occupier limit the supply of water for domestic use and for other than domestic purposes to a quantity as may be arranged by the Trust, and may cease to supply for other than domestic purposes for any period the Trust may consider necessary, or such time as the shortage or scarcity remains.
12. The officer or officers of the Trust, or other persons appointed for that purpose, may at all lawful times enter any house, tenement, or land to, through, or into which water is supplied by the Trust in order to inspect the meters, instruments, pipes, and apparatus for measuring, conveying, reception, or storage of water, or for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity of water

supplied or consumed, or examining: if there be any waste or misuse of such water or breach of this By-law, and if any person hinders or prevents such entry or examination he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5). The Trust may turn off the water supplied by it from any house, tenement, or land to which such entry is refused or on which such examination is hindered, and cease to supply the same with water until such inspection shall have been permitted and effected.

The foregoing Regulations relating to water supply was made by the Chairman and Commissioners of the Gisborne Waterworks Trust, and the seal of the Trust affixed hereto this 5th day of October, 1915.

(SEAL) HENRY PIERCE, Chairman,
H. M. HUSSEY, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
23rd December, 1915.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

6 George V. No. 2611, Secs. 76 and 94.
6 George V. No. 2741, Sec. 31.

NOTICE.

A RULE to administer the estate of each of the undermentioned deceased persons has been granted to me, and creditors next of kin, and all others having claims against the estate of any of the persons so mentioned are required to send particulars of their

claims to the Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, 483 Collins-street, Melbourne, on or before the 20th March, 1916, or they may be excluded from the distribution of the estate when the assets are being distributed:—

BARTHOLOMEW BROWN, late of McDonald-street, Mor-dialloc, retired railway employee, died 19th January, 1916, intestate.

CATHERINE (OR KATE) CARROLL late of Ravenswood, general servant, died 25th November, 1915, intestate.

CHARLES RENAUD COOK, late of Hawthorn, company manager, died 16th January, 1916, intestate.

JOHN CRIPPS, late of Dandenong, groom, died 9th January, 1916, intestate.

THOMAS JOHNSTON, late of High-street, Kyneton, and also of No. 33 Wills-street, Ballarat, of no occupation, died 3rd December, 1915, intestate.

RICHARD LANE (with the will annexed), late of Selwyn-street, Elsternwick gentleman, died 10th August, 1915.

JOSEPH MANN, late of Walwa, of no occupation, died 2nd September, 1915, intestate.

JAMES DUNDASS SLAVEN, late of No. 4 St. George's-road, Elsternwick, club steward, died on 7th or 8th January, 1916, intestate.

EDWARD JAMES VEALE, late of Spring Gully-road, Bendigo, old-age pensioner, died 1st December, 1915, intestate.

GEORGE JOHN WILSON, late of No. 145 a'Beckett-street, Melbourne, labourer, died 15th January, 1916, intestate.

WALTER B. HOUSE,

Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons.
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which the Curator has been appointed to administer during the past month.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Estate.			Time of Deceased's Death.
					£	s.	d.	
				1916				
1	Aarons, Harold ...	Footscray ...	None ...	13th January	11	17	0	6th August, 1915
2	Allan, Thomas ...	24 Fitzroy-street, Fitzroy	Scotland ...	20th January	78	12	10	25th December, 1915
3	Bruton, Robert Henry, with the will annexed	None ...	"The Chest-nuts," New-ent, England	20th January	887	8	7	10th June, 1915
4	Brossnan, Johanna ...	17 Raglan-street, South Ballarat	Ireland ...	6th January	20	10	0	9th December, 1915
5	Birch, Walter James, with the will annexed	414 New-street, Elstern- wick	None ...	6th January	3	8	12	12th December, 1915
6	Coleman, John James	230 The Parade, Ascot Vale	None ...	20th January	132	0	0	27th September, 1915
7	Cohen, William ...	93 Napier-street, Fitzroy	Unknown ...	13th January	50	0	0	Between 28th April, and 2nd May, 1915
8	Donnelly, John ...	7 Ward-street, South Melbourne	None ...	20th January	107	1	5	16th September, 1915
9	Farmer, Thomas ...	49 Hambleton-street, Albert Park	England ...	13th January	73	0	3	24th December, 1915
10	Graham, Margaret, with the will annexed	George-street, Newtown, Geelong	Scotland ...	6th January	56	13	5	7th December, 1915
11	Hennessey, Catherine ...	66 Oxford-street, Colling- wood	Ireland ...	13th January	58	1	8	3rd January, 1916
12	Lodge, William Thomas	North Wonthaggi ...	Unknown ...	13th January	1,096	11	9	1st January, 1916
13	Lysaght, Walter ...	Whipstick ...	None ...	13th January	12	3	3	18th December, 1915
14	Michell, Denis ...	16 Richmond-street, Gee- long East	None ...	20th January	13	0	0	10th October, 1915
15	Monk, Richard James ...	Orbost ...	None ...	20th January	11	19	8	6th December, 1915
16	Nevin, Agnes ...	42 Berkley-street, Carl- ton	Unknown ...	13th January	15	14	9	12th November, 1915
17	O'Grady, John ...	Fosterville ...	None ...	20th January	9	1	4	26th October, 1915
18	Olsson, Aron ...	Thompson-street, Wil- liamstown	Sweden ...	20th January	2	10	7	8th January, 1916
19	Ross, Anna Maria ...	58 Pelham-street, Carlton	None ...	13th January	815	0	0	3rd January, 1916
20	Robertson, Elizabeth ...	Salvation Army Home, Little Lonsdale-street, Melbourne	Scotland ...	6th January	177	5	2	22nd December, 1915
21	Smith, George ...	60 Wilson-street, Princes Hill	Ireland ...	20th January	193	1	1	21st December, 1915
22	Smaile, Mildred Anne ...	Kalgoorlie, W.A. ...	None ...	13th January	14	6	6	4th November, 1915
23	Strang, Ellenore Jane ...	Lower Heidelberg-road, Ivanhoe	Ireland ...	13th January	200	0	0	31st December, 1915
24	Scott, Mary (or Marion)	Bacchus Marsh ...	None ...	20th January	405	1	2	30th November, 1915
25	Sutcliffe, Webster ...	22 David-street, Carlton	England ...	6th January	17	9	3	16th October, 1915
26	Trembath, Richard ...	169 Miller-street, North Fitzroy	England ...	6th January	4	6	9	6th July, 1915
27	Voigt, Mathias (or Mat- thies)	Bungalally ...	Unknown ...	6th January	41	11	7	26th October, 1915
28	Williams, Warren, Tre- vena	Port Melbourne ...	None ...	20th January	293	11	0	6th December, 1915
29	Willis, William Peacock	Near Yandoit ...	England ...	13th January	27	16	0	24th December, 1915
30	Wyatt, William ...	Station-road, North Wil- liamstown	England ...	13th January	58	10	11	10th March, 1909
31	Wood, James Ferguson, with the will annexed	Maryborough, Queensland	America ...	13th January	20	0	0	27th January, 1908
32	Yonelle, Thomas Igna- tius, with the will annexed	Normanby-road, Caulfield	Ireland ...	6th January	58	0	0	23rd April, 1915

Dated at Melbourne, the first day of February, 1916.

WALTER B. HOUSE,
Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons.

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INTER-STATE CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Fast Excursion Trains will run as under:—Wednesdays, 8th March, 12th April, and 17th May.—Leave Melbourne for Adelaide at 4.40 p.m. Fares:—Single—First class, £1 14s.; second class, £1. Return—First class, £3; second class, £2. Thursdays, 17th February and 16th March, Tuesday, 18th April, and Thursday, 18th May.—Leave Melbourne for Sydney at 10 p.m. Fares:—Single—First class, £2; second class, £1 10s. Return—First class, £4; second class £3. Full particulars respecting tickets booking to Mount Gambier, Penola, Narracoorte, Wolsley, Broken Hill, &c., on posters at stations.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS FROM AND TO MELBOURNE. CERTAIN LINES ONLY.

First and second class tickets at a low rate, available for return by ordinary trains (express excepted) for one calendar month, will be issued at the Government Tourist Bureau, corner Collins and Swanston streets, City; booking office, Spencer-street (Flinders-street for South-Eastern lines), and the respective country stations, up till noon of the day preceding the excursion from Melbourne (except where otherwise specified). The dates of the excursions from Melbourne are given, and those to Melbourne are the day following (see exceptions). Tickets are issued to or from Melbourne and the stations between those shown below. See posters at stations. These tickets will not (except in certain cases which will be shown on posters) be recognised on the forward journey at any station short of the destination printed thereon, and passengers desirous of breaking or terminating their journey short of such destination can only do so on forfeiture of the ticket and payment of the difference between the Cheap Excursion and the ordinary return fare to the station at which they alight.

Wednesday, 16th February.—To Kanawalla to Cavendish, at 7.40 a.m. (From Cavendish, &c., to Melbourne on Tuesday, 22nd February.)

Thursday, 17th February.—(1) To Dumosa and all stations to Nandaly, at 6.40 a.m. (From Sea Lake, &c., to Melbourne, Wednesday, 23rd February.) (2) To Langi Logan and all stations to Portland, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Wednesday, 23rd February.)

Friday, 18th February.—(1) To Bochara and all stations to Coleraine, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Tuesday, 22nd February.) (2) To Miakite and all stations to Coleraine, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Thursday, 24th February.) (3) To Borung and all station to Boort. (From those stations to Melbourne on Monday, 21st February.) (4) To Barraport and all stations to Quambatook. (From those stations to Melbourne on Tuesday, 22nd February.) (5) To Cannie and all stations to Manangatang. (From those stations to Melbourne on Thursday, 24th February.)

Monday, 21st February.—To Marong and all stations to Wycheproof and Wedderburn, at 10.45 a.m. To Maryborough and all stations to Donald, at 10.15 a.m.

Tuesday, 22nd February.—(1) To Lascelles and all stations to Hattah, at 6.40 a.m. (2) To Sebastian and all stations to Swan Hill, at 10.10 a.m.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—(1) To Creswick and all stations to Daisy, at 7.40 a.m. (*via* Ballarat). (2) To Beechworth and Yackandandah, at 6.15 a.m. (From Yackandandah to Melbourne on Thursday, 24th, and from Beechworth on Friday, 25th February.) (3) To Woorinen and all stations to Piangil, at 6.40 a.m. (4) To Murgheboluc and all stations to Tatyoon, at 6.30 a.m.

Thursday, 24th February.—(1) To Hunter and all stations to Cohuna, at 6.40 a.m. (2) To Benalla and all stations to Bright, at 11.25 a.m. (3) To Rupanyup and all stations thence to Marnoo, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Wednesday, 1st March.)

Friday, 25th February.—To Lake Buloke and all stations to Woomelang, at 6.40 a.m.

Wednesday, 1st March.—To Tiega and all stations to Murrayville. (From Murrayville, &c., to Melbourne same date.)

Monday, 6th March.—To Kyneton and all stations to Bendigo, at 8.20 a.m. (From Bendigo, &c., to Melbourne same day.)

Tuesday, 7th March.—(1) To Wodonga and all stations to Tallangatta, at 6.15 a.m. (2) To Melbourne from Navarre and all stations to Crowlands, at 7.45 a.m.

Wednesday, 8th March.—(1) To Wandong and all stations to Mansfield and Alexandra, at 9.20 a.m. (2) To Adelaide Lead and all stations to Warra Yadin (Avoca line), at 6.40 a.m. (3) To Woodleigh and all stations thence to Wonthaggi, at 6.30 a.m. (4) To Karn and all stations to Tatong by the 6.15 a.m. ordinary train ("Up" excursion, same date).

Thursday, 9th March.—To Clyde and all stations to Port Albert, at 9.20 a.m.

Tuesday, 2nd May.—To Nowingi and all stations to Mildura, at 6.40 a.m. (To Melbourne from Mildura and all stations to Hattah on 3rd May.)

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Boort—Mysia—Borong.—Monday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Boort, Mysia, and Borong. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Friday, 18th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 17th February. Particulars at stations.

Quambatook—Barraport.—Tuesday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Quambatook and stations to Barraport inclusive. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Friday, 18th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 17th February. Particulars at stations.

Wycheproof—Marong—Wedderburn.—Tuesday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Wycheproof and stations to Marong inclusive, and from Wedderburn. Monday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Particulars at stations.

Donald—Maryborough.—Tuesday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Donald and all stations to Maryborough inclusive. Monday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Particulars at stations.

Cavendish line.—Tuesday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Cavendish, Kyup, and Kanawalla. Wednesday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Coleraine line.—Tuesday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Coleraine and stations to Bochara inclusive. Friday, 18th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 17th February. Particulars at stations.

Portland—Branxholme—Langi Logan.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Portland and stations to Langi Logan inclusive. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Thursday, 17th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 16th February. Particulars at stations.

Nandaly—Sea Lake—Dumosa.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Nandaly and all stations to Dumosa. Tickets close noon, Monday, 21st February. Thursday, 17th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 16th February. Particulars at stations.

Tatyoon—Gnarkcet.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Tatyoon and all stations to Gnarkcet. Tickets close noon. Tuesday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to those stations on same date. Particulars at stations.

Swan Hill—Sebastian.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Swan Hill and all stations to Sebastian inclusive. Tuesday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Particulars at stations.

Hattah—Ouyen—Lascelles.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Hattah and all stations to Lascelles inclusive. Tuesday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Particulars at stations.

Cohuna—Hunter.—Wednesday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Cohuna and all stations to Hunter inclusive. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Thursday, 24th February.—From Melbourne to all those stations. Particulars at stations.

Berrybank—Murgheboluc.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Berrybank and all stations to Murgheboluc. Tickets close noon, 23rd February. Wednesday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Casterton line.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from all stations on the Casterton line. Friday, 18th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Piangil—Woorinen.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Piangil and all stations to Woorinen inclusive. Tickets close noon, 23rd February. Wednesday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Manangatang—Cannie.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Manangatang and stations to Cannie inclusive. Tickets close noon, Tuesday, 22nd February. Friday, 18th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 17th February. Particulars at stations.

Yackandandah—Wooragee.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Yackandandah and Wooragee. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Wednesday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to Yackandandah. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Particulars at stations.

Daisy—Creswick.—Thursday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Daisy and stations to Creswick inclusive (*via* Ballarat). Wednesday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Particulars at stations.

Beechworth—Baarmutha.—Friday, 25th February.—To Melbourne from Beechworth and Baarmutha. Tickets close noon, 23rd February. Wednesday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Particulars at stations.

Bright—Benalla.—Friday, 25th February.—To Melbourne from Bright and stations to Benalla inclusive. Thursday, 24th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 23rd February. Particulars at stations.

Woomelang—Lake Buloke.—Saturday, 26th February.—To Melbourne from Woomelang and stations to Lake Buloke inclusive. Friday, 25th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 24th February. Particulars at stations.

Murrayville line.—Wednesday, 1st March.—To Melbourne from Murrayville and stations to Tiegga inclusive. Tickets close noon, 28th February. Wednesday, 1st March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 29th February. Particulars at stations.

Marnoo—Rupanyup line.—Wednesday, 1st March.—To Melbourne from stations on Marnoo and Rupanyup line. Thursday, 24th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 23rd February. Particulars at stations.

Carisbrook—Campbell.—Thursday, 2nd March.—To Melbourne from Carisbrook and stations to Campbell inclusive. Tickets close noon, 1st March. Particulars at stations.

Warra Yadin—Avoca.—Monday, 6th March.—To Melbourne from Warra Yadin and all stations to Avoca inclusive. Tickets close noon, 4th March. Wednesday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

Bendigo—Kyneton.—Monday, 6th March.—To Melbourne from Bendigo and stations to Kyneton inclusive. Same date.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 4th March. Particulars at stations.

Navarre—Crowlands.—Tuesday, 7th March.—To Melbourne from Navarre and stations to Crowlands inclusive. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

Tatong—Karn.—Wednesday, 8th March.—To Melbourne from Tatong and all stations to Karn inclusive; and from Melbourne to those stations on same date. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

Homebush—Adelaide Lead.—Wednesday, 8th March.—To Melbourne from Homebush and all stations to Adelaide Lead inclusive. Wednesday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

Tallangatta—Wodonga.—Wednesday, 8th March.—To Melbourne from Tallangatta and stations to Wodonga inclusive. Tuesday, 7th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

Wonthaggi—Woodleigh.—Wednesday, 8th March.—To Melbourne from Wonthaggi and all stations to Woodleigh. Wednesday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

Mansfield—Alexandra—Wandong.—Thursday, 9th March.—To Melbourne from Mansfield and stations to Wandong inclusive, and from Alexandra line. Wednesday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

Port Albert—Korumburra—Clyde.—Friday, 10th March.—To Melbourne from Port Albert and stations to Clyde inclusive. Thursday, 9th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 8th March. Particulars at stations.

Mildura—Lascelles.—Wednesday, 3rd May.—To Melbourne from Mildura and stations to Hattah inclusive. Tuesday, 2nd May.—From Melbourne to Nowingi and all stations to Mildura. Tickets close noon, 1st May. Particulars at stations.

WEEK-END EXCURSIONS.

Week-end tickets are issued at Holiday Excursion fares from any station to any other station distant more than 9 miles by the last train on Fridays, and by all trains on Saturdays, also by the last train in the week on any line on which no train runs on Fridays or on Saturdays. The tickets will be available for return till the last through train on the following Monday, provided that on any line on which no train runs on Monday such tickets will be available for return by the first train in the week following their issue. Week-end tickets are also issued (1) at all stations on lines on which trains run on Sundays; (2) by the following trains from Melbourne on Fridays:—Bendigo line, 4.50 p.m.; Ballarat line, 5.6 p.m.; Warrnambool and Queens-cliff lines, 4.22 p.m.; Seymour line, 4 p.m.; Bairnsdale line, 4.30 p.m.; Healesville line, 4.53 p.m.; Frankston and Mornington line, 5.9 p.m.

The Metropolitan Suburban Traffic is excepted from the above arrangements, also that within the Ballarat suburban radius of North Creswick and Buninyong.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Warburton line.—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Warburton, at 9.30 and 10.40 a.m., stopping at all stations, and at 11.10 a.m. for Warburton, stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return from Warburton at 5.48 and 6.8 p.m., stopping at certain stations to Lilydale, and at Croydon, Ringwood, Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond, and at 6.34 p.m., stopping at all stations to Melbourne. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Healesville line.—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Healesville at 10.30 a.m., stopping only at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and at 11.22 a.m., stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return at 6.5 and 6.55 p.m., stopping all stations to Lilydale and at certain stations thence. Passengers from stations between Flinders-street and Lilydale at which the 11.22 a.m. does not stop will require to travel by the 10.40 a.m. train to Lilydale and join the Healesville train there. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Ferntree Gully and Gembrook lines.—Leave Flinders-street (from No. 1 platform, east end) at 10.25 a.m. for Upper Ferntree Gully and Emerald, picking up at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, Box Hill, Ringwood, and all stations thence, and at 11 a.m. for Upper Ferntree Gully and Gembrook, picking up at Richmond, Box Hill, and Ringwood, and stopping at all stations thence, returning to Ferntree Gully from Gembrook at 5 p.m. (express Selby to Ferntree Gully), from Belgrave at 6.50 p.m., stopping at all stations, and from Emerald at 6.47 p.m., stopping at all stations to Ferntree Gully; and from Ferntree Gully at 7.5 p.m., stopping at Dayswater, Glenferrie, and Richmond only, at 7.30 p.m., stopping at all stations to Ringwood, and setting down only at Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond, and at 8.7 p.m., stopping at all stations to Box Hill and at Camberwell, Auburn, Glenferrie, and Richmond only thence. A train will also leave Flinders-street at 1.55 p.m. for Ferntree Gully and Belgrave, stopping at all stations. Return fares to Ferntree Gully:—First class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d. Gembrook.—Second class, 2s. 6d. Passengers from stations East Richmond to Mitcham inclusive at which the 11 a.m. does not stop will require to travel by the 10.40 a.m. train to Ringwood and join the Gembrook train there. Passengers from Melbourne by these Sunday trains on Ferntree Gully and Gembrook line will require to book and enter platform at Prince's-bridge Station (not Flinders-street).

Gembrook line.—Owing to the limited accommodation on this line, a maximum number of 250 passengers can only be booked, viz., 200 from Prince's-bridge and 50 from Upper Ferntree Gully. Passengers will not be booked from other than these two stations.

Mornington line.—Leave Flinders-street at 10.45 a.m. (instead of 10.50 a.m.) for Mornington, running express from Caulfield to Mordialloc, and reaching Mornington at 12.40 p.m., leaving Mornington on return at 7.10 p.m., non-stopping Frankston to Caulfield, and reaching Melbourne at 8.50 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Pakenham line.—Leave Flinders-street for Pakenham at 11.2 a.m., and return at 7.5 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, Clyde.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.2 a.m. for Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde, reach Clyde at 3.50 p.m., and return from there at 5.50 p.m., arriving in Melbourne at 8.50 p.m. Passengers change trains at Dandenong. Holiday excursion fares.

Bacchus Marsh line.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.10 a.m., and return from Bacchus Marsh at 7.3 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s.; second class, 2s.

Whittlesea line.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.1 a.m., return from Whittlesea at 7.25 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 2s. 6d.; second class, 1s. 6d.

Eltham and Hurstbridge line.—Leave Prince's-bridge for Eltham at 10.5 a.m., stopping at all stations, and at 10.45 a.m. for Hurstbridge, stopping only at Clifton Hill, Heidelberg, Eltham, and all stations thence, and at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. for Eltham, stopping at all stations; returning from Eltham at 6 p.m., stopping at all stations; and from Hurstbridge at 6.45 p.m. (7.8 p.m. from Eltham), stopping only at Balee, Diamond Creek, Eltham, Heidelberg, Clifton Hill, and all stations thence, and at 7.34 p.m. from Eltham, stopping at all stations.

Return fares to Eltham:—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 1s.; and to Hurstbridge—First class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d.

Tickets available for return on day of issue only.

Full particulars on posters at stations.

THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS TO MOUNT BUFFALO.

Tickets are issued daily at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and at Spencer-street station to Mount Buffalo, available from Melbourne to Bright (rail), thence by coach to Mount Buffalo, and return, at the following combined fares:—First class, 56s. 8d.; second class, 42s. 10d. Tickets available for return for two months from date of issue. The rail journey cannot be broken.

Seymour, Benalla, Wangaratta, Beechworth, and Albury will also issue through rail and coach tickets to Mount Buffalo, *via* Bright, at the following combined fares:—From Seymour, first class, 43s. 8d.; second class, 34s. 2d.; from Benalla, first class, 30s. 10d.; second class, 25s. 6d.; from Wangaratta, first class, 26s.; second class, 22s. 6d.; from Beechworth, first class, 24s. 8d.; second class, 21s. 6d.; and from Albury, first class, 33s. 11d.; second class, 27s. 8d. The tickets will be available for return for two months from date of issue, and the railway journey cannot be broken.

Passengers from stations other than Seymour, Benalla, Wangaratta, and Beechworth may obtain tickets at holiday excursion fares to the nearest of these stations on payment in addition of the through rail and coach fare to Mount Buffalo.

MOUNT BUFFALO EXCURSIONS.

Special inclusive week tickets, covering transport and accommodation at the Government Chalet, are issued on Mondays by the 6.15 a.m. train, and on Fridays by the 4 p.m. Express train. First class, £5 10s. Excursionists wishing to travel by motor from Bright may do so, weather permitting, on payment at Bright of 2s. 6d. extra.

EXCURSIONS TO HEALESVILLE.

Seven (7) days' trip, including first class rail, accommodation, and coach drives, £3.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

Sunday trains at special cheap fares run on the Warburton, Healesville, Ferntree Gully and Gembrook, Pakenuham, Mornington, Bacchus Marsh, Whittlesea, and Eltham and Hurstbridge lines; and at holiday excursion fares to Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde. See posters at stations.

CHEAP EXCURSION FROM GEELONG AND SOUTH GEELONG TO DRYSDALE AND QUEENSLIFF ON SATURDAYS TILL 25TH MARCH INCLUSIVE.

The special train will leave Geelong at 2 p.m., and South Geelong at 2.5 p.m.; and return from Queenscliff at 8.15 p.m., and Drysdale at 8.40 p.m.; Return fares:—To Drysdale, first class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d.; to Queenscliff first class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 6d. Children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at Geelong and South Geelong stations up till the departure of the train. They will be available by the special train only. Passengers holding week-end or ordinary tickets to Drysdale and Queenscliff may travel to Geelong by the 10.15 a.m. from Ballarat, and 11 a.m. train from Melbourne, thence by the 2 p.m. special.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO RIDDELL, GISBORNE, MACEDON, WOODEND, TRENTHAM, LYONVILLE, AND DAYLESFORD, ON SATURDAYS, 19TH FEBRUARY, AND 4TH AND 18TH MARCH.

The special train will leave Spencer-street at 9.10 a.m., and return from Daylesford at 6.50 p.m. Return Fares:

—1st class, 1½d. per mile; 2nd class, 1d. per mile; children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner of Collins and Swanston streets, up till 5.0 p.m. the previous day, and at Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and Footscray stations up till starting time of train. See posters at stations.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, tickets in connexion with the following cheap excursions will be issued:—Seaside and Gippsland Lakes; Mountainous Districts; through Rail and Coach; Buchan Caves; Mount Buffalo (issued throughout the year); Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday Excursions to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc; Family Suburban Seaside Excursions. Full particulars can be obtained from the "Book Time-table" or from posters at stations.

SEASIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, Seaside Excursion Tickets will be issued at Melbourne and some of the principal stations to Geelong, Queenscliff, Dean Marsh (Melbourne excepted), Forrest, Timboon (Melbourne excepted), Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Carrum, Seaford, Frankston, Hastings, Mornington, Bittern, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Tooradin, Foster, Bennison, Toora, Welshpool, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes. The tickets will be available for return for two months, and the journey may be broken at Melbourne for three clear days going and returning. See posters at stations.

EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, first and second class return tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Flinders-street station (as the case may be), to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Huon, Tallangatta, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Walhalla, and Briagolong, from Echuca, Bendigo, Kerang, St. Arnaud, Maryborough, Geelong, Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Horsham, Warracknabeal, and Seymour to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Benalla, Wangaratta, and Shepparton to Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, and Portland to Beechworth, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Mangalore to Bright; from Albury, Wahgunyah, Wodonga, and Yarrawonga to Beechworth; and from Bendigo, Boort, Chillingollah, Donald, Echuca, Kerang, Korong Vale, Mildura, Sea Lake, Swan Hill, and Wycheproof, to Macedon and Woodend.

THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, through rail and coach tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Flinders-street station (as the case may be), at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and at Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son to Forest-road, Hazel Dell, Ferny Creek, Sassafras, Olinda, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Fillans, Marysville, Kerami, Gracedale, Claverton, Nyora, Buxton, Acheron, Taggerty, Cathedral Side, Jamieson, Thornton, Upper Thornton, Darlingford, Omeo, Bruthen, Lorne, Port Campbell, Peterborough, Ocean Grove, Barwon Heads, Torquay, Portarlington, Clifton Springs, Angelsea, Airey's Inlet, St. Leonards, Flinders, Inverloch, Walsh's Creek, and Apollo Bay; also from Geelong, Ballarat, Ballarat East, and Camperdown to Port Campbell and Peterborough; and from Geelong and South Geelong to Lorne.

Through rail and coach circular tickets will also be issued as follow:—(1) Melbourne to Healesville (by rail), thence to Marysville and Alexandra (by coach), and Alexandra to Melbourne (by rail) and *vice versa*, also issued from Alexandra for circular journey. Fares—First class, 29s. 6d.; second class, 24s. 8d. (2) Melbourne to Upper Ferntree Gully (rail), thence to Bayswater, *via* Sassafras (coach), and Bayswater to Melbourne (rail) and *vice versa*. Fares—First class, 7s. 3d.; second class, 6s. 8d. (3) Bright to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 66s.; second class, 52s. 10d. (4) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence to Omeo (by coach). Fares—First class, 74s.; second class, 60s. 10d. 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, 35s.; Omeo to Bairnsdale, 27s. (5) Beechworth to Melbourne and Bairnsdale (by rail), thence to Bright (by coach), thence to Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 103s.; second class, 89s. 4d. (6) Beechworth to Bright (by rail), thence to Bairnsdale (by coach), thence to Melbourne and Beechworth (by rail). Fares—First class, 103s.; second class, 89s. 4d. (7) Melbourne to Bright (rail), thence to Omeo and Bairnsdale (coach), thence to Melbourne (rail), also the reverse route.

Fares—First class, 10s.; second class, 8s. 10d. (8) Bairnsdale to Melbourne and Bright (by rail), thence coach to Bairnsdale, also the reverse route. Fares—First class, 10s.; second class, 8s. 10d. (9) Melbourne to Warburton (by rail), thence to Walsh's Creek (by coach), and Wallialla to Melbourne (by rail); also the reverse route. Fares—First class, 2s. 10d.; second class, 1s. 6d. Passengers make their own arrangements for the journey between Walsh's Creek and Wallialla. (10) Melbourne or Geelong to Forrest (rail) thence to Apollo Bay and Beech Forest (coach), and Beech Forest to Melbourne or Geelong (rail); also the reverse route. Fares—Melbourne: First class, 3s. 4d.; second class, 3s. 4d. Geelong: First class, 3s. 8d.; second class, 2s. 7d.

For full particulars see posters at stations.

EXCURSIONS TO THE BUCHAN CAVES.

Commencing on 15th November, 1915, Flinders-street station, the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son will issue through rail, boat, and coach circular tickets from Melbourne to the Buchan Caves and return, available over the following routes:—Melbourne to Bairnsdale (rail), Bairnsdale to Cunningham (steamer), Cunningham to Lake Tyers (coach), Lake Tyers to Nowa Nowa (motor launch), and Nowa Nowa to Buchan (coach), returning Buchan to Nowa Nowa (coach), Nowa Nowa to Lake Tyers (motor launch), Lake Tyers to Cunningham (coach), Cunningham to Sale (steamer), and Sale to Melbourne (rail); or alternately going *via* Sale and returning *via* Bairnsdale. The journey cannot be broken on rail portion of route, but may be broken at the junction of the rail and boat or coach routes. Tickets are available for return for two (2) months from date of issue. Combined fares—First class, 6s.; second class, 5s. 6d. These tickets are also issued from Dandenong, Warragul, Moe, and Traralgon at proportionately reduced fares.

THROUGH RAIL AND BOAT TICKETS TO COWES, NEWHAVEN (PHILLIP ISLAND), AND SAN REMO.

Through rail and boat tickets are issued daily at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son, Collins-street, and at Flinders-street and all stations to Mentone inclusive, also at some of the principal stations to Cowes, Newhaven (Phillip Island), and San Remo, available for return for two months. The journey cannot be broken except on tickets issued at country stations, on which passengers may break the journey at Melbourne for three days both going and returning.

WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1915, till 30th April, 1916, inclusive, Cheap Suburban Seaside Excursion tickets will be issued by all trains from 10 a.m. on Saturdays (north and south suburban stations, 10 miles radius, will issue tickets by connecting trains, which arrive at Melbourne about 10 a.m.), and by all trains on Sundays, and by all trains from 1 p.m. on Wednesdays, as follows:—

Children under sixteen years, half fare.

These tickets are available for return on day of issue only.

To Williamstown.—From Flinders-street, Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and South Kensington. Rail only—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Footscray and Seddon, second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Williamstown, children under sixteen years can travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from North Williamstown or Williamstown Beach if desired. These tickets are available *via* Port Melbourne and ferry steamer of *via* Footscray on either route.

To Port Melbourne or St. Kilda.—From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d., when cheaper than ordinary return fare.

To Brighton Beach.—From Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, and South Yarra—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Prahran and Windsor—Second class, 6d. From stations nearer to Brighton Beach, children under sixteen years can travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Brighton or Middle Brighton if desired.

To Sandringham.—From Spencer-street, Flinders-street, Richmond, South Yarra, and Prahran—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Sandringham, children under sixteen years can 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. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from Hampton if desired.

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

FAMILY SUBURBAN SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.

A special family card ticket will be issued at all suburban stations within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne to the following seaside resorts at the undermentioned fares by all trains after 10 a.m. on week days, and by all trains on Sundays:—To Mordialloc, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s. 6d.; second class, 3s. 6d.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 5s.; second class, 4s. Williamstown, Brighton Beach, and Sandringham, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s.; second class, 2s.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s. Port Melbourne and St. Kilda, within a radius of 10 miles of Melbourne—First class, 2s. 6d.; second class, 1s. 6d.; exceeding 10 miles, but within a radius of 15 miles of Melbourne—First class 3s.; second class, 2s.; exceeding 15 miles, but within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d. Each ticket entitles two adults and four children under sixteen years, or one adult and five children under sixteen years, to travel between the issuing station and one of the above-named stations. Tickets are available for one return journey on the day of issue only. Journey may be broken at Melbourne only. The following public holidays—Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, and any other holidays notified from time to time—are excepted from the above arrangement.

MILITARY TRAVELLING FROM MELBOURNE TO TRAINING CAMPS.

Soldiers proceeding to Seymour may travel only by the 6.15 a.m. train on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and the 6.48 a.m. Mondays and Saturdays; also the 2.40 p.m., 4 p.m. (limited number), and the 6.35 p.m. trains. Those to Castlemaine or Bendigo to travel by the 12.15 p.m. and 5.42 p.m. (6.30 p.m. Saturdays) trains; those to Ballarat by the 11 a.m. or the 7.9 p.m. trains; and those to Geelong by the 11 a.m. or 7 p.m. trains.

MILITARY CAMP AT SEYMOUR.

On Sundays, special trains will leave Flinders-street (No. 9 platform, east end) for Seymour at 10.48 a.m., if required, and at 10.58 a.m., the latter train stopping at all stations to Essendon, thence as required. On return, leave Seymour (if required) at 6.50 p.m., and also at 7.0 p.m., the latter train stopping as required to Essendon, thence at all stations. Cheap special fares:—From Melbourne—Return, 1st class 4s. 6d.; 2nd class, 3s. 6d.; children under 3 years, free; over 3 and under 14 years, half fare. Tickets available for the day only. The above fares will also apply from stations between Melbourne and Seymour if cheaper than Holiday Excursion Fares.

BROADMEADOWS SUNDAY TRAINS.

On Sundays trains will leave Flinders-street for Broadmeadows at 12.47, 1.32, 2.30, 3.0, 6.0, and 9.32 p.m., and leave Broadmeadows for Flinders-street at 9.42 a.m., 2.15, 3.0, 5.46, 6.30, 7.29 (to Spencer-street), 9.4 and 10.25 p.m. Passengers will require to change trains at Essendon.

SANDOWN PARK RACES.

On Saturday, 12th February, special and ordinary trains will leave Flinders-street for Sandown Park at 12.19, 12.40, 12.56, 1.4, 1.15, 1.24, 1.30, and 1.42 p.m. (last special), and return after the races. Caulfield passengers will require to travel by trains leaving there at 12.40, 1.6 (local special), 1.35, 1.44, 1.53, and 2.2 p.m. Race fares as usual.

Alterations to Ordinary Trains.—The 12.15 and 1.0 p.m. Oakleigh line trains will not stop at Richmond or South Yarra. The 12.50 p.m. Oakleigh train will not stop at South Yarra. The 12.40 p.m. Caulfield and 1.24 p.m. Oakleigh trains will run 2 minutes later than usual. The 1.15 p.m. Dandenong train will not stop at Richmond, South Yarra, Clayton, or Spring Vale, and run 3 minutes earlier than usual from Hawksburn.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Secretary

Land Surveyors Act 1895.

EXAMINATION OF LAND SURVEYORS.

THE Surveyors Board appointed under the *Land Surveyors Act 1895* hereby gives notice that the next examination will commence on Monday, 20th March, 1916.

All applications from intending candidates must be in the hands of the Secretary by the 4th March, 1916. Regulations for the examination of Land Surveyors are published hereunder.

By order,

H. C. WHITE,
Secretary to the Board.

Office of the Surveyors Board,
Public Offices, Treasury Gardens,
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

Land Surveyors Act 1895.

REGULATIONS FOR EXAMINATIONS FOR LAND SURVEYORS AND ISSUE OF LICENCES TO SURVEY.

REGULATIONS approved by the Governor in Council, 8th November, 1910, are hereby rescinded, and the following Regulations are substituted therefor:—

1. Examination of candidates for certificates as surveyors will be held in Melbourne in the months of March and September of each year, and at such other times as may be deemed advisable.

2. A candidate shall forward to the Secretary of the Board—

(a) Notice of his intention to present himself for examination, with documentary evidence of having complied with the preliminary conditions specified hereunder, all of which must reach the Secretary at least ten days before the date fixed for the examination, due notice of which will be given in the *Government Gazette*.

(b) An examination fee of £2 2s., which must be paid on or before the date of examination.

PRELIMINARY CONDITIONS.

3. A candidate shall satisfy the Board that he will be of the full age of twenty years at the time of examination, but no certificate will be issued until the candidate shall have attained the age of 21 years.

4. A candidate shall produce satisfactory evidence as to character.

5. (a) A candidate shall have served under articles, or other similar agreement, with some qualified surveyor or surveyors, for a period of four years, three of which must have been in the field; and shall produce satisfactory evidence of having received such education as will qualify him for the proper exercise of his profession.

NOTE.—Applies only to candidates whose articles or other similar agreements were entered into prior to 1st March, 1910.

(b) Or he shall have passed at any University recognised by an Australasian University the matriculation examination, or such other examination as shall, in the opinion of the Board, be equivalent thereto; and shall have been professionally employed under articles or other similar agreement with some qualified surveyor or surveyors for not less than three years, two of which must have been in the field.

(c) Or shall have passed the examination for the degree of Bachelor in Engineering at any University recognised by an Australasian University, and have been professionally employed under articles or other similar agreement in the field for a period of two years with a qualified surveyor or surveyors.

(d) Or shall have passed the examination for the degree of Bachelor in Engineering at the Melbourne University on examination in which a representative of the Surveyors Board acted as co-examiner, and shall have been at some time professionally employed in the field for a period of eighteen months on work satisfactory to the Board.

6. In addition to evidence of service, a candidate shall produce in the following form, or to like effect, a certificate from a qualified surveyor or surveyors, with whom he has served, that he is competent to undertake surveys:—

Form of Certificate for presentation to the Board of Examiners.

I, A. B., a qualified land surveyor, hereby certify that C. D. has been professionally and continuously employed with me as _____, viz., from _____, to _____, or has served under articles or other similar agreement for a period of _____ years (_____ of which have been in the field), and that he is fully competent to undertake surveys.

[Here describe the survey work on which C. D. was engaged.]

(Signed) A. B.

(Date.)

NOTE.—For this purpose a "qualified surveyor" shall mean any person entitled to practise as a land surveyor in any part of the British Empire, where the standard of examination is, in the opinion of the Board, equivalent to that prescribed by these Regulations.

7. A candidate shall produce his original field notes and plan plotted by him therefrom of the survey of an area of not less than 40 acres, one of the boundaries of which shall be a water-course or other natural feature or an irregular road, and also a plan, field notes, and description of a survey of a town lot built upon, as made for the purpose of an application under the provisions of the Real Property Act or Land Transfer Act.

The field notes, plan, and survey must be certified by the candidate to be entirely his own work.

8. If the foregoing preliminary conditions are complied with to the satisfaction of the Board, the candidate will be admitted to examination.

9. Each candidate presenting himself for examination shall provide himself with a book of logarithms, 40-20 scale, a parallel ruler, protractor, and necessary appliances for plan-drawing, except paper.

SUBJECTS OF EXAMINATION.

10. A candidate shall undergo an examination which shall embrace the following subjects:—

Mathematics.

(a) Trigonometry, plane and spherical; geometry and algebra. These subjects will be treated as far as they are applicable to surveying.

Computation.

(b) Reduction of traverses, computation connected with triangulation and the setting out of roads and curves; adjustment of discrepancies in surveys, computation of areas, including such as have irregular and curved boundaries.

Principles and Practice of Surveying.

(c) Detail of field practice, including the keeping of field notes, topographical, trigonometrical, and underground surveying, setting out of areas, redetermination of boundaries, laying out of roads, setting out curves, plotting by co-ordinates and from field notes, stadia surveying, barometric and other measurement of heights, surveying under Transfer of Land Act, writing descriptions of boundaries.

Candidates may be required to effect surveys under supervision.

Engineering Surveys.

(d) Levelling and contouring; grading; setting-out, and measurement of earthworks, including practical tests.

Use of Instruments.

(e) Principles of construction, adjustment and use of the following instruments:—Theodolite, plane-table, sextant, tachometer, level, compass, clinometer, barometer, thermometer and steel band.

Field Astronomy, Geodesy, &c.

(f) Determination (including practical tests) of time, latitude, and azimuth; the use of ephemerides; elementary geodesy, including spherical excess and convergence of meridians; declination of the magnetic needle.

Drawing.

(g) Plan-drawing, drawing of sections and contours, compilation of plans, projection of maps and charts.

Miscellaneous.

(h) Elementary physics, elementary geology, elementary forestry.

[The scope of the examination in elementary physics will be that covered by "Balfour Stewart's Elementary Physics," Fourth Edition, omitting chapters 8, 10, and 11, and the scope of the examination in elementary geology will be that covered by "Geikie's Class-book of Geology," Fourth Edition.]

11. Candidates producing satisfactory evidence of having passed the matriculation or senior examination at a University, or of having completed a course of the degree of Bachelor in Engineering at any University recognised by an Australasian University, may be exempted from working out papers in elementary geometry, trigonometry, and algebra, and will be credited with 60 per centum of the maximum marks allotted those papers. Candidates holding satisfactory certificates or diplomas from any University recognised by an Australasian University or from recognised public technical schools may be exempted from working out papers in physics and geology, and will be credited with 60 per centum of the maximum marks allotted those papers.

Candidates admitted under clause 5(d) may be exempted from working out papers other than those prescribed in clause 10(c), and from such portion of the practical examination as the Board may determine.

CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCY.

12. A candidate qualifying and passing the examination held under these regulations shall be entitled to a certificate that he is qualified for the position of a land surveyor in Victoria.

13. A surveyor applying to the Board for a certificate of competency without examination on the grounds of his holding a licence and certificate entitling him to practise in any of the other Australian States or in the Dominion of New Zealand, shall produce such licence or certificate of competency from the Board of the State or Dominion in which he is licensed or

authorized to survey, together with satisfactory evidence as to character; provided that, should such licence or certificate have been issued upon examination held prior to September, 1895, or in virtue of a certificate issued prior to September, 1895, he shall further produce a written recommendation or a certificate, dated not more than twelve months previously, from such Board; provided also, that any surveyor prevented by absence from the State or Dominion in which he obtained his licence or certificate from obtaining the recommendation of the Board of that State or Dominion, may be granted a certificate on passing such examination under these regulations as the Board may require. Each application shall be accompanied by a fee of £2 2s.

14. The Board may grant a certificate of competency or a letter of recommendation to any surveyor holding a Victorian certificate dated prior to September, 1895, and desiring to be registered in another State or the Dominion of New Zealand, either without examination or on such *viva voce* examination as in the opinion of the Board may be necessary. Application for such certificate shall be accompanied by a fee of £2 2s.

REGISTRATION OF ARTICLES OF INDENTURE.

15. Articles of indenture or other similar agreement for the tuition of surveying by a qualified surveyor shall be forwarded to the secretary for registration within three months of the date of commencement of service thereunder. Applications for registration shall be accompanied by evidence of the pupil having passed at any University recognised by an Australasian University the matriculation examination or such other examination as shall, in the opinion of the Board, be equivalent thereto. The fee for each registration shall be Five shillings. Transfers of articles or agreements shall be registered within three months of such transfers.

16. On and after March, 1913 (except as hereinafter provided), no candidate shall be eligible for examination unless he shall have passed the University or other examination as set forth in the preceding clause; provided that, subject to his

passing a special examination prescribed by the Board which shall include English, arithmetic, geometry, and algebra, a candidate who has not passed the University or other examination as set forth in the preceding clause may be admitted to examination if—

- (a) He failed at an examination held prior to March, 1913; or
- (b) He produces certificates of six years' satisfactory field service.

LICENCES TO SURVEY.

17. The Board may issue a licence to any person to whom it has issued a certificate of competency, or who holds a certificate of competency issued by any reciprocating Board of Examiners for land surveyors in Australasia subsequent to 1st January, 1896, and who is still entitled to practise as a land surveyor in the State or Colony where he obtained his certificate, or to any surveyor holding a certificate of competency issued by the Department of Land and Survey prior to 1st January, 1896, or who holds a licence to practise as surveyor under the Transfer of Land Act issued by the Surveyor-General prior to 1st January, 1896. Each application shall be accompanied by the fee (£1 ls.), the declaration as prescribed by the *Land Surveyors Act 1895*, and satisfactory evidence as to character.

Adopted at a meeting of the Surveyors Board, held on the 6th November, 1912.

J. M. REED, Chairman.
J. M. COANE,
A. W. CRAVEN, } Members.

R. J. GRAY,
Acting Secretary, Surveyors Board, Victoria.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
25th November, 1912.

F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

VICTORIA.—ARRIVALS BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who arrived in the State of Victoria by Sea during the Month of October, 1915.

Port of Arrival, &c.	Place of Departure.											Total Souls.	
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total from the Neighbouring States.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.	Other British Dominions.		Foreign Ports.
MELBOURNE.													
Adults	Males 1,086	223	176	399	2,635	60	4	4,583	43	12	474	17	5,129
	Females 745	150	123	247	941	46	3	2,255	84	10	7	3	2,364
Children (under 12 years)	Males 61	28	12	44	134	5	...	282	3	3	...	...	290
	Females 71	28	10	50	117	2	...	276	11	4	...	...	291
Totals	1,963	425	321	740	3,827	113	7	7,396	141	29	483*	25	8,074

* Including members of Expeditionary Forces.

GEO. KERMODE,
Immigration Officer.

Immigration Office,
Melbourne, 4th February, 1916.

VICTORIA.—DEPARTURES BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who departed from the State of Victoria by Sea during the Month of October, 1915.

Port of Departure, &c.	Place of Destination.											Total Souls.	
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total to the Neighbouring States.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.	Other British Dominions.		Foreign Ports.
MELBOURNE.													
Adults	Males 1,039	109	85	161	1,356	78	..	2,828	14	...	4,436	15	7,293
	Females 701	76	86	156	740	62	4	1,825	15	...	30	2	1,872
Children (under 12 years)	Males 47	10	11	17	43	11	...	139	...	...	4	1	144
	Females 41	4	2	24	43	19	2	131	1	...	3	...	138
Totals	1,828	199	184	338	2,182	169	6	4,926	30	...	4,473*	18	9,447

* Including members of Expeditionary Forces.

GEO. KERMODE,
Immigration Officer.

Immigration Office,
Melbourne, 4th February, 1916.

Local Government Act 1915, Part 39, Section 732.—Unused Roads and Water Frontages.

LICENCES TO OCCUPY UNUSED ROADS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Unused Roads have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Licence Fee specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 26th day of January, 1916.

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area.	Municipality	Parish.	Abutting on— Allotments and Sections.	Date of Issue of Licence.	Date of Expiry of Licence.	Fee for Licence.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
13428	Bothwell, Jas., Corinella	4 0 0	Philip Island and Woolamai	Corinella	34, 35	1.1.1905	31.12.1907	0 8 0	Melbourne
13429	Penno, Wm. H., Canary Island South, <i>vide</i> Beort	4 0 0	Gordon	Yarrowalla and Loddon	2, sec. A; 38D, 38C of A	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0 8 0	Kerang
13430	Howlett, Jas. A., "Heatherlie," Chapman-street, North Melbourne	3 2 0	Morwell	Maryvale	38A, 38B	1.1.1911	31.12.1913	0 7 0	Traralgon
13431	Hamilton, Wm., Bairnsdale	5 0 0	Bairnsdale	Broadlands	6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 75, 74, 73, 72, 71	1.1.1905	31.12.1907	5 0 0	Bairnsdale
13432	Webb, John F., Alexandria	1 0 0	Alexandria	Alexandria	32D, 32B	1.1.1905	31.12.1913	0 2 6	Alexandria
13433	Bayard, Jas. Ashton, Morrisons	5 1 0	Bannockburn	Moreep	13, 14, 22, 23A, 40, 41	"	"	0 12 3	Geelong
13434	Grogan, John J., Woodlands, <i>vide</i> Lindelow	1 2 0	Bairnsdale	Wuk Wuk	8, 9 subdivision	"	"	0 15 0	Bairnsdale
13435	Kidman, Jas., Guildford	3 0 0	Glenlyon	Yandot	3A, 4, sec. 4, 11 sec. 6	"	"	0 9 0	Caslemaine
13436	Richards, Mrs. A. M., Bundalong, <i>vide</i> Yarrowonga	1 2 0	Yarrowonga	Bundalong	Secs. E, F, G, Township of Bathuni	"	"	0 0 0	Yarrowonga
13437	Vagg, Jas. Lewis, Cobden	7 2 0	Heytesbury	Jancoort	B1	1.1.1912	31.12.1914	0 7 6	Camperdown
13438	Osborne, Mrs. Barbara, Cobden	4 1 0	Aron	"	14B, 14B ² , part 14A ¹	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	0 4 3	"
13439	Disher, John Samuel, Perry Bridge, <i>vide</i> Stratford	90 0 0	Aron	Meerlieu	1A, 2A, 2B, 3A of 63; 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B, 3A of 64; 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B of 61; 1A, 1B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B of 60; 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B of 59; 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B of 62; 5A, 5B, 57 of 62; 2, and 56	"	"	9 5 0	Benalla
13440	Walker, Ada I., "Greenvale," Gooramadda	5 2 0	Benalla	Bungest	58, 58C	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0 16 6	"
13441	Simmons, J. P., Toora	1 1 0	South Gippsland	Wonga Wonga	17, sec. A	1.1.1907	31.12.1909	0 15 0	Yarram
13442	Powell, John, Glass-street, Essendon	15 0 0	Dundas	Lambark and Bepeth	1, 1	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0 15 0	Hamilton
13443	Hutchinson, Joseph, "Homeleigh," Main-dample	6 0 0	Mansfield	Mervon	52A	1.1.1910	31.12.1912	0 12 0	Alexandria
13444	Hogan, James, Gooramadda	4 0 0	Rutherglen	Gooramadda	3A, sec. Q	1.1.1905	31.12.1907	0 8 0	Rutherglen

Licence Nos. 13428 to 13431, renew to 31st December, 1910, then to 31st December, 1913, then to 31st December, 1916; Nos. 13432 to 13437, renew to 31st December, 1916; No. 13438, rent to be charged from 1st October, 1915; No. 13440, renew to 31st December, 1916; No. 13443, renew to 31st December, 1915, then to 31st December, 1916; No. 13441, renew to 28th February, 1911, then terminate, rent to be charged from 1st December, 1907.

Local Government Act 1915, Part 39.—Unused Roads and Water Frontages.

LICENCES TO OCCUPY WATER FRONTAGES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Water Frontages have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Licence Fee specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 25th day of January, 1916.

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area.	Municipality.	Parish.	Abutting on— Allotments and Sections.	Date of Issue of Licence.	Date of Exp'n of Licence.	Fee for Licence.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
9155	Catani, C., "Wyndham," Blessington-street, St. Kilda	A. B. P.	Kyneton	Baynton	90A, 90B	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0	Kyneton
9156	Edwards, J. H., "The Moorlands," Acheron		Alexandra	Acheron and Thornton	1A, 1B, 49A	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	3	Alexandra
9157	Phillips, M., Rushworth		Berwick	Fakenham	246	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0	Melbourne
9158	Bayard, Jas. Ashton, Morrions		Barrackburn	Moreep	14, 16, 19, 41, 25	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	1	Geelong
9159	Grogan, John J., "Woodlands," rd Lindenow		Bairnsdale	Wak Wuk	9 subdivision	"	"	0	Bairnsdale
9160	Burt, Elijah, East Barrakdale		Barrakdale	Broadlands	13, 14, 69	"	"	0	"
9161	Sardner, K. G., Parklands		Cranbourne	Yannathan	Part 63, 62	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	1	Warragul
9162	Thomas, Geo. J., Whitefield		Oxley	Whitefield	32, sec. 1	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	0	Wangaratta
9163	Cooper, John, Lavanga, and Yaokandandah		Bright	Whitefield	1A, 2, sec. 13	1.1.1905	31.12.1907	0	Bright
9164	McLigue, Michael, Werribee		Werribee	Deungam	17, sec. 15A	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	0	Melbourne
9165	Carrhaw, Margaret, Owens Vale		Bright	Barwidgee	28, 26, sec. 18	1.1.1911	31.12.1913	0	Bright

Licences No. 9155, 9157, and 9163, renew to 31st December, 1916; No. 9163, renew to 31st December, 1910, then to 31st December, 1913, then to 31st December, 1916; No. 9155, charge rent from 1st April, 1913; No. 9161, charge rent from 1st September, 1915; No. 9163, charge rent from 1st October, 1911.

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

	No. of Gazette.
Bendigo—Wednesday, 1st March, 1916	18
Boort, Thursday, 17th February, 1916	10
Castlemaine—Wednesday, 23rd February, 1916	18
Cobden, Wednesday, 16th February, 1916	10
Coleraine—Tuesday, 7th March, 1916	23
Echuca—Wednesday, 22nd March, 1916	38
Hamilton—Thursday, 16th March, 1916	38
Heathcote—Tuesday, 7th March, 1916	23
Horsham—Tuesday, 22nd February, 1916	18
Melbourne—Wednesday, 1st March, 1916	23
Melton—Saturday, 4th March, 1916	23
Warragul, Thursday, 17th February, 1916	10

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

SALE OF RIGHT TO LEASES OF CROWN ALLOTMENT AT SOUTH MELBOURNE, ON 1st MARCH, 1916. To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq.

THE Right to Lease of the Crown allotment herein after described, under sections 125 and 126 of the Land Act 1915, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD., at THREE o'clock on WEDNESDAY, the 1st MARCH, 1916, for any or all of the purposes here specified, viz.:-

- Stores,
- Dwellings,
- Warehouses,
- Factories,
- Boat building and repairing,
- General engineering works.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 24th January, 1916.

SALE OF THE RIGHT TO LEASE.

A SALE of the Right to the Lease for a period of ten (10) years of the undermentioned Crown lands will be held at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD., 360 Collins-street, at THREE o'clock p.m. on WEDNESDAY, 1st MARCH, 1916. To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq., Lands Department. Auctioneers: Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD.

Description of the Land.

CITY LOT.

SOUTH MELBOURNE, PARISH OF SOUTH MELBOURNE,
COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Corner Normanby-road and Lorimer-street.

Upset annual rental £135.

Allot. S9. Area 2r. 0½p.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The term shall be ten (10) years, commencing 2nd March, 1916.
- The rent for one quarter must be paid at the time of sale, and thereafter quarterly in advance.
- The site and all improvements and buildings, whether attached to the soil or not, shall revert absolutely to the Crown on expiry or any previous determination of the lease.
- Improvements to the value of £500 at least, must be effected within two years, and the whole of the improvements must be maintained throughout the term of the lease in good order and repair to the satisfaction of the Board of Land and Works, which reserves the right of entry for inspection.

Plans of all buildings proposed to be erected on the land shall be submitted to and approved by the Board of Land and Works before erection.

5. The lessee shall be bound to keep all buildings insured to an amount as fixed from time to time by the Surveyor-General for the time being, the insurance to be in the name of the Treasurer of the State of Victoria, and the policy in respect thereof to be deposited at the Treasury.

6. The lessee shall not assign or sub-let the allotment, or any portion thereof, without the consent of the Governor in Council.

7. The lease will be voidable for non-payment of rent or breach of any conditions thereof, or if the lessee fail at any time to use the land *bonâ fide* for the purposes for which it has been demised.

8. The site shall not be used, nor be allowed to be used, for the purpose of storing dynamite, gunpowder, kerosene, or other combustible or inflammable manufactured materials.

9. The Governor in Council reserves the right to resume for public purposes on payment of compensation for the interest in the unexpired term of the lease.

10. From the time of sale by auction of any land the purchaser thereof shall for the purposes of any Acts relating to local government, or public health, or sewerage, or water supply, be deemed and taken to be the owner thereof.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 21st January, 1916.

SALE (No. 9100) OF CROWN LANDS IN FEE SIMPLE, AT ECHUCA, ON 22ND MARCH, 1916. TO BE CONDUCTED BY A. W. GOODE, ESQ., LAND OFFICER.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct that a sale by auction of the undermentioned Crown lands will be holden at Echuca, in the forenoon, on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of March, 1916, at the Court House, and that such lands be offered for sale in the lots hereinafter specified, and at the upset price fixed to each lot respectively.

The lands will be sold in fee simple, and subject to the covenants, conditions, exceptions, and reservations directed by the Governor in Council by an Order in Council dated the 19th day of October, 1915, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 21st October, 1915, page 4046.

A deposit of twelve and a half per centum of the price at which each lot is sold must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and all such payments shall be made only in gold, silver, or bank notes, or cheques approved of by the Receiver and Paymaster, and the residue of such price will be payable in equal instalments, in accordance with the scale hereunder, on the last day of each successive period of six months from the time of sale, or, if the purchaser choose, at any earlier time or times, being one of such last days of any of the periods of six months stated above; such residue of payment will bear interest at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, to be computed from the time of sale to the time of payment of such residue or instalment of such residue.

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

SCALE OF PAYMENTS.

- £20 and under, not more than 6 instalments.
- Over £20, and not exceeding £50, not more than 8 instalments.
- Over £50, and not exceeding £100, not more than 10 instalments.
- Over £100, and not exceeding £200, not more than 12 instalments.
- Over £200, and not exceeding £300, not more than 14 instalments.
- Over £300, and not exceeding £400, not more than 16 instalments.
- Over £400, and not exceeding £500, not more than 18 instalments.
- Over £500, not more than 20 instalments.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th February, 1916.

ECHUCA.—Sale (No. 9100), at ELEVEN o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 22nd MARCH, 1916, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by A. W. GOODE, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneers: Messrs. J. S. KELLY & SON.

TOWN LOTS.

ECHUCA, PARISH OF WHARAPARILLA, COUNTY OF GUNBOWER.
In the Borough, fronting Radcliffe-street.

- Upset price £2 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
- Lot 1. Area 1r. 0 9-10p., allotment 6, section J. One month to remove fencing.
- Lot 2. Area 1r. 7 2-10p., allotment 7, section J. One month to remove fencing.

Lot 3. Area 1r. 13 6-10p., allotment 10, section J. One month to remove fencing.

Lot 4. Area 1r. 19 7-10p., allotment 11, section J. One month to remove fencing.

Lot 5. Area 1r. 26p., allotment 14, section J. One month to remove fencing.

KYABRAM, PARISH OF KYABRAM EAST, COUNTY OF RODNEY.
The old Police Station site.

Upset price £165 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
Lot 6. Area 2r., allotment 6a. Valuation for improvements, £50.

TOWNSHIP OF WYUNA ESTATE, PARISH OF WYUNA, COUNTY OF RODNEY.

Upset price £12 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
Lot 7. Area 2r., allotment 8, section 1.
Lot 8. Area 2r., allotment 10, section 1.
Lot 9. Area 1r. 31 7-10p., allotment 11, section 2.
Lot 10. Area 1r. 32 3-10p., allotment 12, section 2.

COUNTRY LOTS.

PARISH OF KANYAPELLA, COUNTY OF RODNEY.

Adjoining holdings of W. T. Alexander.

Upset price £3 per acre.—Charge for survey £1 5s.
Lot 11. Area 25a., allotment 149G, section B.
Lot 12. Area 13a. 2r. 7p., allotment 151B, section B.

PARISH OF ECHUCA SOUTH, COUNTY OF RODNEY.

The Strathallan Homestead allotment, situate on Campaspe River, and adjoining the township.

Upset price £360 per lot.—Charge for survey £1 3s.
Lot 13. Area 22a. 0r. 30p., allotments 55 and 56a., (Buildings and all existing improvements sold with the land.)

SALE BY PUBLIC COMPETITION.

A SALE of Crown lands in fee simple by public competition will be held at the Court House, HAMILTON, on THURSDAY, 16th MARCH, 1916, at TWO o'clock. To be conducted by E. BURGESS, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneers: JOHN FENTON & CO.

COUNTRY LOT.

PARISH OF BULART, COUNTY OF DUNDAS.

The Mooralla Estate Homestead situated to the north of Hamilton, about 4 miles from Cavendish Railway Station.

Upset price £3 10s. per acre.
Allotment 16, section A, containing an area of 733a. 3r. 14p.
The improvements, which are to be sold with the land, consist of residence, barn, stable, hut, fencing, &c.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

A deposit of one-tenth of the total purchase money must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale, and the balance in twenty equal annual instalments.

Interest on the unpaid balance to be charged at the rate of 5 per centum per annum.

Full particulars from Auction Sales Branch, Lands Department; Land Officer, Hamilton; or auctioneers.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

SALE BY PUBLIC COMPETITION.

A SALE of Crown lands in fee-simple by public competition will be held at MELTON on SATURDAY, 4th MARCH, 1916, at ONE o'clock, at the SALE YARDS of Messrs. McPHEIL BROS. & CO. To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq., Lands Department. Auctioneers: Messrs. McPHEIL BROS. & CO.

(Description of Land.)

PARISH OF KOROROIT, COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Being former holding of late John Kennedy, on Esford Estate.

Allotment 12, section C. Area 159a. 0r. 19p.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

A deposit of one-eighth at least of the total purchase money must be paid at the time of sale, and the balance will be payable in forty equal half-yearly instalments, with interest added at the rate of Five per centum per annum.

Purchaser will have the option of paying off the whole of the balance of purchase money at any time during the period allowed for payments, or may transfer his interest in such purchase subject to the approval of the Governor in Council. The whole of the existing improvements will be sold with the land.

Immediate possession.
 Crown grant on completion of purchase.
 Full particulars from Crown Lands Department, Melbourne; or Auctioneers, McPhail Bros. & Co., 368 Bourke-street, Melbourne.

W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 20th January, 1916.

PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.

In pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to revoke the temporary reservations of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz. :—

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on the 19th January, 1916, pursuant to Orders of the 11th January, 1916.

BENDIGO.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th December, 1875, of two hundred and twenty acres, more or less, of land in the city of Bendigo, as a site for Supply of Gravel, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Twenty-three acres, more or less: Commencing at a point on the boundary of the Railway reserve bearing N. 25 deg. 48 min. W. four chains forty-eight links and S. 38 deg. 36 min. W. six chains forty-five links and a half from the west angle of allotment 124 of section O; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 38 deg. 36 min. E. nine chains seventy-eight links and seven-tenths and N. 58 deg. 6 min. E. about twenty-four chains to the eastern boundary of the site; thence by that boundary bearing N. 31 deg. 42 min. E. about five chains to the Railway reserve; and thence by that reserve bearing westerly and south-westerly to the point of commencement.—(S.372(14) (14.C.64293)).

CASTLEMAINE.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 10th October, 1859, of thirty-one acres two roods two perches, more or less, of land in the parish of Castlemaine, as a site for a Reservoir in connexion with the Mount Alexander Waterworks Company, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.—Three acres one rood ten perches: Commencing at a point bearing N. 45 deg. 0 min. E. two chains eighteen links from the south-east angle of the site; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 44 deg. 34 min. W. fifty links, N. 51 deg. 57 min. W. eight chains seventy-eight links, N. 0 deg. 32 min. E. three chains sixty links, S. 43 deg. 55 min. E. four chains forty-four links, S. 69 deg. 34 min. E. eight chains three links, and S. 45 deg. 0 min. W. four chains seventy-seven links to the point of commencement.—(C.100(3) (14.063/142)).

ELLIMINYT.—The temporary reservation, by Orders of the 14th December, 1863, and the 1st of May, 1865, of three hundred and nineteen acres three roods thirty-six perches of land in the parish of Elliminyt, being allotment 38, as a site for Racing and other purposes of Public Recreation for Colac, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Three acres: Commencing at a point bearing S. 89 deg. 39 min. W. seven chains sixty-two links and a half from the north-east angle of allotment 39; bounded thence by the said allotment bearing S. 89 deg. 39 min. W. three chains; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 0 deg. 21 min. W. ten chains and N. 89 deg. 39 min. E. three chains; and thence by the Water Supply reserve bearing S. 0 deg. 21 min. E. ten chains to the point of commencement.—(E.35(2) (15.C.65350)).

PELLUEBLA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 27th September, 1886, of forty-eight acres three roods thirty-seven perches of land in the parish of Pelluebla, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Seven acres three roods thirty-seven perches: Commencing at the south-west angle of the site; bounded thence by the reserve for Conservation of Water bearing north five chains thirty-two links; thence by a line and the Park and Recreation reserve bearing east fifteen chains; thence by a line bearing south five chains thirty-two links; and thence by allotment 70 and the Race-course and Recreation reserve, town of Pelluebla, bearing west fifteen chains to the point of commencement.—(P.145a) (15.C.65285).

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 2nd February, 1916, pursuant to Order of the 26th January, 1916.

KANGERONG.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 29th April, 1872, of one hundred and seventeen acres one rood twenty-eight perches of land in the parish of Kangerong, being part of allotment 28, as a site for Race-course and General Recreative purposes, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Two acres two roods thirty-eight perches: Commencing at a point bearing N. 89 deg. 14 min. E. four chains eighty links and three-tenths from the south-west angle of the site; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 34 deg. 45 min. E. five chains seventy links and two-tenths, N. 3 deg. 53 min. E. two chains forty-one links and three-tenths, and N. 26 deg. 58 min. W. eighteen chains ten links and a half; thence by a road bearing N. 0 deg. 3 min. E. two chains twenty links and one-tenth; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 26 deg. 58 min. E. twenty chains thirty-four links and six-tenths, S. 3 deg. 53 min. W. two chains ninety-six links and four-tenths, and S. 34 deg. 45 min. W. five chains twenty-six links and four-tenths; and thence by allotment 28b bearing S. 89 deg. 14 min. W. one chain twenty-two links and eight-tenths to the point of commencement.—(K.7(2) (15.C.65206)).

W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
 Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne.

LAND PROPOSED TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

In pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2676), notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Governor in Council to reserve from sale, permanently, the lands hereunder described, viz. :—

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 2nd February, 1916, pursuant to Order of 26th January, 1916.

BRUTHEN.—Site for Municipal Offices and Conveniences in connexion therewith, about to be permanently reserved.—Two roods seventeen perches, county of Dargo, township of Bruthen: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 14; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 81 deg. 14 min. W. one chain six links and a half; thence by Main-street bearing N. 29 deg. 41 min. W. one chain twenty-seven links and seven-tenths, N. 8 deg. 46 min. E. one chain, S. 57 deg. 5 min. E. two chains forty-four links and four-tenths, S. 40 deg. 34 min. E. three chains forty-eight links, and S. 49 deg. 26 min. W. one chain; and thence again by allotment 14 bearing N. 40 deg. 34 min. W. three chains eleven links to the point of commencement.—(T.63(2) (15.C.66451)).

W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.
 Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne.

Land Act 1915.

TRANSFER APPROVED.

The following Application for Transfer of a Licence under the 121st section of the *Land Act 1915* having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent specified may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officer.

Number of Licence.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and areas.	Parish.	Held under Section.	Date of Licence.	Yearly Payment.	Transfer Fee and where paid.	Rent payable to Revenue Officer at—
0234	Wm. A. Barry ...	Allan Corrie ...	A. B. P. 133 0 0	Alberton East	121	1.10.15	£ s. d. 2 9 5	10s., Melbourne	Yarram

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

LEASES.—TRANSFERS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

RETURN of all Transfers Registered at the Office of Titles of Leases issued under sections 42-44, 47-49, 59-61, 54-56, 29, and 142 of the Land Acts 1890, 1898, 1901, 1904, 1909, and 1911, and section 49 of the Closer Settlement Acts.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Land Survey.

Corr. No.	Name of Transferor.	Name of Transferee.	Particulars of Land Transferred.				Receiver of Revenue at—
			Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Extent.	
A. R. P.							
Period ending the 17th day of January, 1916.							
4442/42-44	Peter J. Jarvie { (as executrix)	Ellen Maud Jarvie, Jeeralang	Jeeralang	15	B	209 1 10	Traralgon
4441/42-44		Gilbert Smith, Waterloo	Eurambreen	20	C	65 1 2	
2385/47-49	P. F. T. Hains	William Bownds, Bethanga	Berringa	7F	H	46 1 4	Ballarat
0754/47-49	M. A. Gibson	William Bownds, Bethanga	Berringa	31	H	19 3 26	Bethanga
0755/47-49	T. Sangster	William Bownds, Bethanga	"	30	H	9 2 35	"
4442/42-44	E. M. Jarvie (ex- ecutrix P. J. Jar- vie)	Ellen Maud Jarvie, Jeeralang	Jeeralang	15	B	209 1 10	Traralgon
4441/42-44		"	"	20	C	65 1 2	
2030/59-61	T. H. Bayley	National Trustees Executors and Agency Co. of Australasia Ltd. (administrator), Melbourne	Mangalore	23w	B	311 1 9	Seymour
035/54-56	C. W. Tehan	Thomas Tehan, Mitchell's Creek	Northwood	5B	C	279 1 38	"
5882/54-56	J. Scott	Harry Scott, Valencia Creek	Koorool	9	B	252 0 17	Sale
569/29	J. T. G. Kays	His Majesty the King	Woolpooper	40		439 3 24	Hamilton
1557/29		"	"	39		199 3 31	
30/29	T. H. Bayley	National Trustees Executors and Agency Co. of Australasia Ltd. (administrator), Melbourne	Avenel	34	18A	161 0 0	Seymour
064/142	F. J. Bird	Grace Abraham, Wonthaggi	Wonthaggi	7	6	0 0 16½	Wonthaggi
0351/142	Mayne Nickless Motor Carriers Ltd. (1)	Mullaly and Byrne Proprietary Ltd., Melbourne	South Mel- bourne	23	D	0 2 3½	Melbourne
0351/142	Mullaly and Byrne Proprietary Ltd.	Withers Proprietary Limited, Little Collins-street, Melbourne	"	23	D	0 2 3½	"
CLOSER SETTLEMENT LEASE.							
2773/49	Alexander Peters (2)	George Alexander Peters, Wal-lacedale North	Byambynee	29	11A	19 3 39	Hamilton
1027/49		"	"	"	"	"	

(1) In lieu of notice gazetted 12th January, 1916, p. 154.
(2) Date of transfer, 30th July, 1915.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

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

Name.	Parish.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
			Balance to Complete Purchase.	Fees.				Total to Pay.
A. R. P.							
£ s. d.							
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.							
Emily Osmond	Berringa	19 3 32	8 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 10	9 1 10	Bethanga 0607
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.							
J. M. Walton (1)	St. Arnaud	19 3 38	1 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 8	2 1 8	St. Arnaud 0725
Matthew Walton (1)	"	19 3 22	1 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 8	2 1 8	" 0726
Emily Humphrey (2)	Barkly	19 3 35	1 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 10	2 1 10	Avoca 0728
Andrew Rungay (2)	Brenanah	19 3 38	3 0 0	1 1 0	0 0 10	4 1 10	Inglewood 0823
John Ashworth	Kurting	39 3 15	21 0 0	1 1 0	0 1 3	22 2 3	" 0855
Under Section 51 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.							
Charles Hunt (1)	Shelbourne	80 0 10	57 0 0	1 6 0	0 3 5	58 9 5	Bendigo 3369
Under Sections 130-383 of the Land Act 1901.							
A. McKenzie (3)	Yarragon	86 0 23	32 13 9	1 6 0	0 1 10	34 6 6	Warragul 4628

(1) Second class.
(2) First class.
(3) Total to pay includes interest on balance to complete purchase from 1st January, 1916, to 29th February, 1916.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUE OF CROWN GRANTS.

Carr. No.	Name.	Area.	Parish.	Date of Payment.	AMOUNT COLLECTED.				Paid to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Balance.	Grant Fee.	Assurance Fee.	Total Amount.	
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890.									
1022	B. and W. H. Lavery	100 0 0	Corack	17.1.16	2 10 0	1 6 0	4 2	4 0 2	Donald 1.7.02
57	W. J. Boreham	92 1 18	Colvinsby	21.1.16	2 6 6	1 6 0	3 11	3 16 5	Ararat 1.8.01
1854	Charlotte Bride	319 1 33	Warburton	20.1.16	8 0 0	1 11 6	13 4	10 4 10	Melbourne 1.1.96
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1898.									
2274	William T. Edmonds (1, 2)	56 2 39	Carchap	19.1.16	3 2 7	1 6 0	1 10	4 12 4	Horsham 1.1.02
2970	Peter Wilson (1)	303 2 37	Bringalbart	9.4.15	5 14 0	1 11 6	9 6	7 15 0	Harrow 1.1.01
12435	C. M. Graham (1)	116 2 34	Woranga	18.1.16	2 3 11	1 6 0	3 8	3 13 7	Yarram 1.7.02
11431	Geo. E. Jeffs (1)	28 1 38	Boodyarn	19.1.16	0 10 11	1 1 0	0 11	1 12 10	1.7.02
11431	Geo. E. Jeffs (1)	91 1 24	"	"	1 14 6	1 6 0	2 11	3 3 5	" 1.7.02
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
0245	Mary E. Ennis (3)	15 3 5	Glonlogie	17.1.16	6 8 0	1 1 0	0 6	7 9 6	Avoca
0847	Susan Sparks (4)	20 0 0	Avoca	18.1.16	8 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	9 1 10	"
0762	James Young (4)	19 3 16	Ratshear	"	9 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	10 1 10	"
089	Mabel Collard (3)	15 0 33	Neereman	"	8 8 0	1 1 0	0 6	9 9 6	Maldon
2362	N. A. Howells (1)	17 1 18	Warrak	20.1.16	3 0 9	1 1 0	0 7	4 2 4	Ararat 1.1.06
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9.									
0169	Wm. R. Scott (4)	20 0 0	Neilborough	20.1.16	3 0 0	1 1 0	0 10	4 1 10	Bendigo
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9-11.									
0685	Arthur J. Jones (3)	18 1 37	Nilumbik	20.1.16	"	1 1 0	0 8	1 1 8	Melbourne
0684	May Jones (3)	19 0 36	"	"	"	1 1 0	0 8	1 1 8	"
Under Section 51 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
049	John Wood (3)	13 3 8	Gerangamete	18.1.16	7 7 0	1 1 0	0 6	8 8 6	Colac
Under Section 61 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1898.									
2827	James Slorach (5, 6)	96 3 6	Landsbarough	21.1.16	2 8 6	1 6 0	2 1	4 3 4	Stawell 2.7.00
2042	Matthew Bourke (5)	201 0 14	Numbie- Munjie	18.1.16	51 17 6	1 6 0	4 3	53 7 9	Omeo 1.7.02
4046	John Bermingham (5)	42 1 5	Toongabbie South	8.12.15 29.1.16 21.1.16	1 0 6	1 1 0	0 11	2 2 5	Melbourne 1.1.02
4046	Matthew F. Bermingham (5)	188 1 35	"	8.12.15 21.1.16	2 7 3	1 6 0	4 0	3 17 3	" 1.1.02
Under Section 56 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901.									
17280	Mary A. Prosser (5)	318 2 24	Wannaene	19.1.16	63 16 0	1 11 6	6 8	65 14 2	Melbourne 1.6.10
Under Section 56 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
0182	William Milford (7)	60 1 34	Faraday	21.1.16	21 7 0	1 1 0	1 4	22 9 4	Castlemaine
Under Section 322 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901.									
8469	Margaret Jenkins	8 2 5	Branxholme	20.1.16	49 6 4	1 1 0	4 7	50 11 11	Melbourne
8470	Margaret Jenkins	4 3 18	"	"	27 0 0	1 1 0	2 6	28 3 6	"
Under Section 7 of the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1912.									
0831	Janet Veitch (8)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi	13.1.16	9 19 4	1 1 0	0 8	11 1 0	Melbourne

(1) Second class.
 (2) Includes 3s. 9d. interest.
 (3) Second class. From licence.
 (4) First class. From licence.

(5) Third class.
 (6) Includes 6s. 9d. interest.
 (7) Third class. From licence.
 (8) Freehold value, £16.

W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

Land Acts.

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 uncommissioned Revenue Officers. When Lease is ready for execution Lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Class.	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. Lease Certificate.	
					£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.			
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.														
1.7.15	Alfred Thomas Osmond (1)	Berringa.	1st	19 3 35	..	..	37 0 0	Yes	1 0 0	2 0 0	1	3 0 0	Bohanga	0592
1.1.16	Sarah M. Davy	Towaninny	2nd	319 2 24	..	..	285 0 0	Yes	6 0 0	6 0 0	1	7 0 0	Wycheproof	0157
1.2.16	Martin A. Laage	Gowar	2nd	27 1 23	..	..	30 0 0	Yes	3 0 0	3 0 0	1	4 0 0	St. Arnaud	0111
"	Walker Jardine	Rathscar	1st	126 1 30	..	..	164 0 0	Yes	3 3 6	3 3 6	1	4 3 6	Avoca	0550
1.11.15	Mary E. Lander	Maldon	1st	71 2 2	..	..	135 0 0	Yes	3 12 0	3 12 0	1	4 12 0	Maldon	0120
1.12.15	George Bryce	Eversley	1st	29 1 5	..	..	32 0 0	Yes	0 15 0	0 15 0	1	1 15 0	Ararat	03
1.1.16	Charles W. Brooks	Lexington	2nd	111 1 15	..	..	338 0 0	Yes	2 2 0	2 2 0	1	3 2 0	Ararat	051
"	Francis E. Bardwell	Bulga	1st V.C.	137 0 30	..	..	246 0 0	Yes	1 14 6	1 14 6	1	2 14 6	Varram	0244
1.1.14	Henry Robins (2)	Nerim East	2nd V.C.	110 1 25	..	..	92 0 0	Yes	1 0 10	5 4 2	..	5 4 2	Warragul	18730
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-5.														
1.1.16	August Stainowsky (3)	Rapanrup	1st	28 3 22	..	..	60 0 0	Yes	2 10 7	2 10 7	1	3 10 7	Stawell	053
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-9.														
1.1.16	Grace Alice Stewart (4, 5)	Moora	1st	20 0 0	..	..	42 0 0	Yes	0 12 6	..	1	1 0 0	Rushworth	052
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-9-11.														
1.12.15	Benjamin E. Taylor	Nangana	2nd	319 3 14	..	..	839 0 0	Yes	6 0 0	6 0 0	1	7 0 0	Melbourne	0283
Under Section 56 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.														
1.1.16	Alexr. Gideon Hay	Worrough	3rd	255 2 36	..	..	265 10 0	Yes	3 4 0	3 4 0	1	4 4 0	Serrmour	027
"	Robert Webb	Moliagul	3rd	99 3 31	..	..	57 0 0	Yes	1 5 0	1 5 0	1	2 5 0	Dunolly	0107
"	Varla O'Brien	"	3rd	217 2 23	..	..	125 0 0	Yes	2 14 6	2 14 6	1	3 14 6	"	010
1.12.15	Arthur S. Hird	Yandoit	3rd	61 1 3	..	..	35 0 0	Yes	0 15 6	0 15 6	1	1 15 6	Castlemaine	0866
1.1.16	Catherina Neil	Glenlogie	3rd	200 0 22	..	..	184 0 0	Yes	2 10 3	2 10 3	1	3 10 3	Avoca	3692
Under Section 56 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904-9-11.														
1.1.16	C. M. F. Chomley	Longwood	3rd	459 1 0	Yes	..	326 16 0	Yes	2 17 6	2 17 6	1	3 17 6	Seymour	0117

(1) Special valuation £2 per acre.
 (2) Fee paid at Melbourne on 9th September, 1905, credited as lease fee.
 (3) Subject to interest, section 6, Land Act 1905.

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916
 W. HUTCHINSON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915.

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, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area, subject to measurement of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date Licence.	Survey Charge payable in 12 Half-yearly Instalments.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—		
									Payment, including instalment of Survey Charge (if any).	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.			
									£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
...	Messrs. Sharp and Taylor, 171 City-road, South Melbourne	453 0 0	Towina	...	...	...	1.2.1916	...	9 12 0	0 5 0	16 5 0	Birchip
0271	Charles Richardson, Bonang (1)...	28,502 0 0	Bonang	...	...	...	1.11.1915	...	19 0 0	0 5 0	19 5 0	Bairnsdale
Under Section 129 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made yearly.														
0104	Emilia Bogetti, Chiltern Valley	3 0 0	Chiltern West	...	...	...	1.1.1916	...	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Rutherglen
0106	Carolina C. Positti, Chiltern Valley	3 0 0	Chiltern West	...	...	...	"	...	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	"
01250	Charles M. Miller, Queenscliff (1)	0 0 13	Paywitz	...	...	...	"	...	1 0 0	...	1 0 0	Geelong
01249	Walter A. Dark, Sorrento (1)	Bathing box	Sorrento	...	...	...	"	...	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	Melbourne
...	T. W. Reddiah, Sorrento (1)	Bathing box	Sorrento	...	...	...	"	...	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"

(1) Amount paid.

NOTE.—BAIRNSDALE DISTRICT.—The interest in permit to occupy a site for a shed and jetty in the parish of Mallacoota, dated 1st January, 1910, issued to Russell Allan, is hereby transferred to Edwin James Brady.

Land Act 1916, Section 325.

APPLICATIONS FOR GRANTS APPROVED.

THE following applications for Grants having been approved, it is hereby notified that the balance of the Purchase Money specified in each case may be received by the Revenue Officer at Wonthaggi in forty half-yearly instalments.

No.	Name.	Partab.	Allotment.	Section.	Area	Purchase Money.	Rent paid Credited.	Balance.	Amount of each Half-yearly Instalment.	Due Date of Next Instalment.	Amount due.
0216	The Wonthaggi Co-operative Distribution Society Limited (1)	Wonthaggi ..	22	5	A. R. P. 0 0 20	£ s. d. 132 0 0	£ s. d. 38 8 0	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 3 2 9	30.6.12	£ s. d. ..
0297	William Challis Easton, John Henry Tanner, Frank John Bird, George Hedford, Archibald Bain Wilson, Alfred Beighton Pitt, Frederick Henry Spencer, John Frederick Knorr, Charles Carling, and Michael Donald Cook (2, 3)	Wonthaggi ..	2	20	0 1 0	35 0 0	5 15 8	..	0 16 8	"	3 12] 0

(1) Amount credited £38 8s. pays deposit, interest, nine instalments, and 6s. 8d. part 10th.
 (2) Amount credited £5 15s. 8d. pays deposit, interest, four instalments, and 6s. 10d. part 5th.
 (3) Includes interest.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

LICENCES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1901, 1904, 1905, 1909, AND 1911 EXPIRED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licences mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have expired.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
A. B. P.								
Licences under the Land Acts 1901-4-5-9-11.								
Ararat ...	1973	Elizabeth Wilson	103	Ararat ...	...	20 0 0	...	Ararat
" ...	101	Charles Holland	147	Yehrip ...	...	10 0 0	...	Avoca
St. Arnaud ...	016	Ethel M. Minifie	145	Watchem ...	...	0 3 28 ⁷ / ₈	...	Donald
Geelong ...	1318	Esther Russell...	145	Paywit ...	...	...	...	Geelong
Bairnsdale ...	1164	Richard Clements...	145	Bullunwaal ...	...	2 3 39	...	Bairnsdale
Melbourne ...	01080	F. W. Beach ...	145	Kinglake ...	...	3 0 0	...	Melbourne
" ...	19810	Eva M. Ridout(1)	47	Langwarrin ...	20, sec. B	52 0 0	...	"
" ...	18904	Simeon Trivett (1)	50	Nillumbik ...	3B, 3J, sec. 8A	17 0 0	...	"

(1) Second class.

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.	Assur. agca.		
A. B. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.			
Under Section 172 of the Land Act 1915.								
Adam Smith Carmichael, Walter Carmichael, and Thomas Carmichael, as tenants in common	Nagwarry ...	12 1 3	36 16 2	1 1 0	1 0 0	1 7	38 18 9	Casterton 4175/187
Under Section 481 of the Local Government Act 1903.								
Robert Scott Anderson (1)	Delatite ...	9 2' 0	85 10 0	1 1 0	1 0 0	3 7	87 14 7	Mansfield H.80553
Helén Martin (1)	" ...	1 0 0	9 0 0	1 1 0	1 0 0	0 5	11 1 5	"
Under Section 481 of the Local Government Act 1915.								
Alfred Ashby (1)	Nagwarry ...	1 1 0	2 10 0	0 10 6	1 0 0	0 2	4 0 8	Casterton 2009/54

(1) Purchase money when paid to be passed to the credit of the Country Roads Board Fund.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Section 121.—Mallee Lands.

ISSUE OF A GRAZING LICENCE APPROVED.

THE issue of a Licence to the following person having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent and Fee specified have been paid and the Licence forwarded to the applicant.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area (approximate).	Situation.	Date of Licence.	Annual Payment.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.	Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
		Acres.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
02742/121	Hedley, J. W.	16	Allots. 19 and 20, sec. 60, block E, parish of Mildura	1.1.16	1 12 0	0 5 0	1 9 0	Mildura

Land Act 1915, Section 2.—Mallee Lands.

APPLICATION FOR A LEASE: APPROVED.

THE following Application for a Lease having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rent and Fee specified may be received by the undermentioned Receivers of Revenue.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 7th February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Date of Lease.	Names of Lessees.	Agricultural Allotment Number.	Parish.	Area.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—	
					Rent payable half-yearly or during first 14 years of Lease.	Rent payable half-yearly or during first 14 years of Lease.	Lease Fee.		
1.1.16	McQueen, John Alexander	40	Cocamba	A. R. P. 664 3 22	£ s. d. 6 13 0	£ s. d. 6 13 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 7 13 0	Swan Hill.

NOTE.—Interest on over-due rents—6, 6, or 7 per cent., as provided in section 425. *Land Act 1901.*

Land Act 1915, Section 2.—Mallee Lands.

PERMITS TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Permits to occupy Crown Lands have been issued to the following approved applicants, and 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, 7th February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No. of Lease.	Name and Address of Lessee.	Area, subject to modification of Boundaries and Area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Lease.	Value per Acre.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
									Payment including instalment of Survey Charge (if any).	Fee for Lease.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
02302	McLarty, Chas. Archd., Yarraby	467 2 18	Towan	85	...	1st	1.5.14	1 0 0	5 17 0	1 0 0	6 17 0	Swan Hill
02475	Whitehouse, Jos. Chas. Royce, Grange-road, East Caulfield (1)	674 2 25	Turoor	23 and 23A	...	2nd	1.11.15	0 18 0	7 11 11	1 0 0	8 11 11	"

Under Section 22 of the *Land Act 1911.*—Payment to be made half-yearly.

(1) First rent and fee paid.

FORTNIGHTLY LIST OF CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE (OTHER THAN MALLEE LANDS).

THE undermentioned areas are available for application as provided by various sections of the *Land Act 1915*, and all applications received on or before Wednesday, the 8th March, 1916, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made, but any application lodged after such date may be considered if received in time for inclusion in the advertisement of the cases to be heard at the Local Land Board. Applicants may obtain from Local Land Officers, or the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, a certificate authorizing the issue by the Railway Department of a return ticket at concession fares to enable them to inspect available areas or to attend Local Land Boards. Specially reduced rates are also allowed for a selector when granted an allotment for removal of his family and belongings to the land. A pamphlet explaining various sections of the *Land Act 1915* may be obtained at a cost of 1s. Marked plans of any particular area, application forms, and any further information may be obtained from the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, and Land Officers, Alexandra, Ararat, Bairnsdale, Ballarat, Beechworth, Benalla, Bendigo, Geelong, Hamilton, Horsham, Melbourne, Omeo, Sale, Seymour, Stawell, St. Arnaud, and Warracknabeal.

Department of Crown Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

* Improvements may be subject to re-valuation after land has been granted to an applicant.

Local Land Office.	County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	How available.				Valuation of Improvements (if any).	Location of Land, &c.	Nearest Railway Station or Township and Distance in miles therefrom.	How accessible.	Water Supply.	General Description of Land—Soil, Timber, suitability (Grazing, &c.).
						Classification.	Value per Acre.	Survey Fee.	(If any).						
Beechworth	Begong	Byawatha	30	A	48 0 0	1st	3 0 0	5 2 0	£158 16s.	In the south of parish (5798/187)	4 miles from Tarravangee R.S.	By road	Creek	Good, flat, cultivable country; no timber	
"	"	Woorragee	2	M	175 1 0	2nd	0 15 0	8 11 0	To be valued	In north-east of parish. Forfeited by J. Davies (50/8)	2½ miles from Woorragee R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Rangy country, stony soil; timbered with box, apple, stringybark and gum	
Horsham	Lowan	Mortat	28B	..	39 3 39	3rd	0 10 0	3 16 0	NH	In the south-east of parish (Rs.560)	30 miles from Natimuk R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Undulating, light sandy soil; stunted stringybark and heath	
Hamilton	Normanby	Tarragal	5	12	50 0 0	3rd	0 10 0	4 2 0	NH	In north-east of parish (Z.9691)	8 miles from Portland R.S.	By road and track	To be conserved	Fair sandy soil; timbered with stunted stringybark, gum saplings, grass trees, and scrub	
"	"	Hotsapur	14 and 15	B	112 0 0	3rd	0 10 0	5 14 0	To be valued	South of and adjoining township of Hotsapur (129/8)	10 miles from Condah R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Slightly undulating, light sandy soil; timbered with gum and lightwood	
"	"	Tyrendarra	35C	..	82 0 0	3rd	0 10 0	5 2 0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by A. A. V. Cain (2159/26)	15 miles from Heywood R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Flat, sandy loam; gums, ferns, &c.	
Bendigo	Dalhousie	Trentham	4	K	20 0 0	1st	1 0 0	3 14 0	£42 house, fencing, and cultivation	In south-east of parish. Forfeited by W. Sauvavin (2887/5-10)	5 miles from Fern Hill R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Suitable for cultivation; lightly timbered	
"	Gladstone	Glenalbyn	25	1	25 0 0	2nd	0 15 0	4 5 0	NH	In the north of parish (W.38281)	1 mile from Kurting R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Level country, suitable for cultivation and grazing; light forest of eucalyptus on part	
"	"	Craigie	1	1	20 0 0	1st	1 0 0	3 1 0	To be valued	In the north-west of parish (W.38618)	5 miles from Maryborough R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Fair soil, suitable for cultivation and grazing; timber of no value	

AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING LANDS.

Selection Purchase Allotments—Division IV, Part I, *Land Act 1915*.

Ballarat (a)	Ripon	Trarwalla	14	23	0	0	2nd	0	15	0	4	5	0	NH	In the north-east of parish (31.6230)	2 miles from Beaufort R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Hilly, suitable for grazing only; covered with scrub and some growing timber
"	(a) Grenville	Dereel	28H	100	0	0	3rd	0	10	0	6	14	0	NH	In the south-east of parish (31.14113)	4 1/2 miles from Illabarook R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Level, light sandy soil, suitable for grazing, orchard, and part cultivable; timbered with stringybark and gum saplings
Geelong (a)	Polwarth	Gerangamete	49	435	0	0	3rd	0	10	0	13	4	0	£5 16s.	In south-west of parish. Forfeited by J. P. Collins (160/29)	4 miles from Gerangamete R.S.	By road	Well	Undulating, suitable for grazing; timbered with gum, messmate, stringybark, ti-tree, and grass-trees
Omeco (a)	Bogong	Wollonaby	9	19	1	11	3rd	0	10	0	4	14	0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by J. Toner (697/64)	3 1/2 miles from Bright R.S.	Bush roads	Big River	Hilly country, suitable for grazing; timbered with gum, mountain ash, and peppermint
"	(a) Bonambra	Omeco	83	787	1	7	3rd	0	10	0	15	1	0	To be valued	In east of parish. Forfeited by E. Hutton (381/29)	50 miles from Bright R.S.	Bush roads	Creek	Hilly country; timbered with gum and peppermint
Bairnsdale (a)	Dargo	Bullm-waal	6A and 6B	360	0	0	3rd	0	10	0	24	2	0	To be valued	In the south-east of parish (T.84464)	12 miles from Bairnsdale R.S.	Bush roads	Nicholson River	Gravelly, clayey soil; timbered with stringybark, peppermint, and box
"	Tambo	Newmerella	53	198	2	32	3rd	0	10	0	8	19	0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by D. R. Morris (1563/29)	50 miles from Bairnsdale R.S.	Bush roads	Morass	Undulating and hilly; timbered with stringybark and gum
"	Croajlong	Weeraga	4 and 4A	314	0	11	3rd	0	10	0	15	0	0	To be valued	In east of parish. Forfeited by A. E. Ellerton (83/13)	100 miles from Bairnsdale R.S.	Bush roads	Creek	Hilly country; timbered with stringybark and box
"	"	Loongelaat	7 and 8	594	1	20	3rd	0	10	0	20	14	0	To be valued	In west of parish. Forfeited by C. M. Cowell (163/35)	50 miles from Bairnsdale R.S.	Bush roads	Snowy River	Hilly country; timbered with stringybark and box
Sale (a)	Tanjil	Walhalla	1	20	0	0	1st	1	0	0	4	14	0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by W. Hoskin (851/103)	3 miles from Walhalla R.S.	Bush roads	Creek	Hilly country; timbered with gum and stringybark
"	"	Nindoo	32A	141	1	20	3rd	0	10	0	6	7	0	To be valued	In south-west of parish. Forfeited by C. Southorn (984/54)	3 miles from Fernbank R.S.	Bush roads	Providence Ponds	Sandy soil; timbered with gum, stringybark, and honeysuckle
"	Buln Buln	Holey Plains	57A	409	2	28	3rd	0	10	0	10	3	0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by E. M. Bryan (34/13)	10 miles from Rosedale R.S.	Bush roads	Creek	Undulating country; timbered with stringybark, messmate, and honeysuckle
"	"	"	52	639	2	20	3rd	0	10	0	11	10	0	To be valued	In centre of parish. Forfeited by G. R. Bryan (33/13)	10 miles from Rosedale R.S.	Bush roads	To be conserved	Undulating country; timbered with peppermint, stunted gum, and banksia
Melbourne (a)	"	Wonyip	31A and 33B	150	0	0	1st	2	0	0	14	6	0	To be valued	In the west of parish (G.37951)	14 miles from Toora R.S.	By road	Morwell River	Northern portion steep, but very good land, covered with scrub; southern portion good grass land, but overgrown; whole area well burnt in bush fires, now clear of fallen timber
"	"	Bulga	14	152	1	39	1st	1	5	0	14	6	0	To be valued	In the south-west of parish (19022/47)	19 miles from Alberton R.S.	By road	Creek	Hilly, good soil, suitable for dairying; timbered with blackbutt, bluegum, hazel, and blanket-wood
"	Mornington	Langwarrin	11	45	0	36	2nd	0	15	0	4	2	0	Nil	In north-west of parish. Forfeited by K. M. Carr-Boyd	4 miles from Frankston R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Undulating country, sandy soil, suitable for fruit-growing and grazing; timbered lightly with ti-tree, messmate, and peppermint

(a) Subject to special mining condition, section 81, Land Act 1915.

FORBRIGHTLY LIST OF CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE (OTHER THAN MALLEE LANDS)—continued.
 * Improvements may be subject to re-valuation after land has been granted to an applicant.

Local Land Office.	County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	How available.		Valuation of Improvements (if any).	Location of Land, &c.	Nearest Railway Station or Township and Distance in miles therefrom.	How accessible.	Water Supply.	General Description of Land—Soil, Timber, suitability (Grazing, &c.).
						Classification.	Value per Acre.						
				A. B. P.		£ s. d. £ s. d.							
AURIFEROUS LAND.—Section 86, Land Act 1915.													
Ararat	Ripon	Ararat	22E	3B	20 0 0	..	Rent, £1 per annum	3 1 0	£10 2s. 6d., Formerly held by E. Wilson (1973/103)	3 miles from Ararat R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Undulating, light gravelly soil; timbered with box, gum, and stringybark
"	"	"	22	14	3 0 16	..	Rent, 10s. per annum	2 5 0	At California Gully (054/103)	2 miles from Ararat R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Undulating, gravelly soil; timbered with stringybark and peppermint
LAND AVAILABLE UNDER RESIDENCE AND GARDEN LICENCE.—Section 129, Land Act 1915.													
Beechworth	Bogong	Gooramadda	29	S	3 0 0	..	To be valued	2 2 0	In the west of parish at North Princes (H.92105)	2 1/2 miles from Rutherglen R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Flat, suitable for cultivation
LANDS AVAILABLE UNDER CONDITIONAL PURCHASE LEASE (SPECIAL SETTLEMENT AREA).—Section 261, Land Act 1915.													
Hamilton	Normanby	Tarragal	4	14	223 1 1	..	Capital value, £365; half-yearly instalment, £10 19s.	7 11 0	West portion of Cashmore Special Settlement Area. Forfeited by J. Hemley (14/37)	5 miles from Portland North R.S.	By road	Part swampy	Undulating, loamy soil
"	"	Trawalla	9	11	166 2 38	..	Capital value, £360; half-yearly instalment, £10 16s.	6 14 0	In Cashmore Special Settlement Area. Forfeited by B. Jackson (18/37)	3 miles from Portland North R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Gently undulating, sandy loam
"	"	Mouzie	21	9	145 0 4	..	Capital value, £290; half-yearly instalment, £8 14s.	0 7 0	In south-east of parish. Forfeited by W. W. Gordon (40/37)	3 miles from Gorae R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Black sandy soil, red soil in parts, good flats; heavy scrub of 4-tree, heath, and gum in parts

a) Subject to special mining condition, section 81, Land Act 1915.

Mallee Lands.

FORNIGHTLY LIST OF CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE.

THE undermentioned areas are available for application as provided by various sections of the *Land Act 1915*, and all applications received on or before Wednesday, the 8th March, 1916, will be deemed to have been simultaneously made, but any application lodged after such date may be considered if received in time for inclusion in the advertisement of the cases to be heard at the Local Land Board.

Applications on proper form, accompanied by 5s. duty stamp uncancelled (registration fee), may be delivered or forwarded by post to the Local Land Officer or to any Crown Lands Office in Victoria. Applicants may obtain from Local Land Officers, or the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, a certificate authorizing the issue by the Railway Department of a return ticket at concession fares to enable them to inspect available areas or to attend Local Land Boards. Specially reduced rates are also allowed for a selector when granted an allotment for removal of his family and belongings to the land.

A pamphlet explaining various sections of the *Land Act 1915*, may be obtained at a cost of 1s. Marked plans of any particular area, application forms, and any further information may be obtained from the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, and Land Officers, Alexandra, Ararat, Bairnsdale, Ballarat, Beechworth, Benalla, Bendigo, Geelong, Hamilton, Horsham, Melbourne, Omeo, Sale, Seymour, Stawell, St. Arnaud, and Warracknabeal.

Department of Crown Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th February, 1916.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

* Improvements may be subject to re-valuation after land has been granted to an applicant.

Local Land Office.	County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	How available.			Valuation of Improvements (if any).	Location of Land, &c.	Nearest Railway Station or Township and miles therefrom.	How accessible.	Water Supply.	General Description of Land—Soil, Timber, suitability (Grazing, &c.).
						Classification.	Value per Acre.	Survey Fee.						
Bendigo	Karraroc	Myall	2	..	783 1 27	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8½ miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	3	..	715 2 10	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	4	..	707 3 12	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	7½ miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	5	..	842 0 13	3rd	0 13	0 11	0 0	Nil	9 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	6	..	754 0 37	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	10 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	9 and 9A	..	697 2 4	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	11	..	720 2 7	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	7 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine

MALLEE LANDS.

Selection Purchase Allotments—Division I., Part 2, *Land Act 1915*.

Local Land Office.	County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	How available.			Valuation of Improvements (if any).	Location of Land, &c.	Nearest Railway Station or Township and miles therefrom.	How accessible.	Water Supply.	General Description of Land—Soil, Timber, suitability (Grazing, &c.).
						Classification.	Value per Acre.	Survey Fee.						
									£	s.	d.			
Bendigo	Karraroc	Myall	2	..	783 1 27	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8½ miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	3	..	715 2 10	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	4	..	707 3 12	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	7½ miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	5	..	842 0 13	3rd	0 13	0 11	0 0	Nil	9 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	6	..	754 0 37	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	10 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	9 and 9A	..	697 2 4	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	8 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
"	"	"	11	..	720 2 7	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	7 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine

MALLEE LANDS.—FORTNIGHTLY LIST OF CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE.—continued.
 * Improvements may be subject to re-valuation after land has been granted to an applicant.

Local Land (Allot.)	County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	How available.		Valuation of Improvements (if any).	Location of Land, &c.	Nearest Railway Station or Township and Distance in miles therefrom.	How accessible.	Water Supply.	General Description of Land—Soil, Timber, suitability (Grazing, &c.).		
						Classification.	Value per Acre.								
						A.	B.	F.							
						£	s.	d.							
MALLEE LANDS.—Selection Purchase Allotments.—Division I., Part 2, Land Act 1915.—continued.															
Bendigo ..	Karkaroo	Myall	13	..	864 0 2	3rd	0 13	0 11	0 0	Nil	In north of parish	8 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	14	..	696 3 7	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	In centre of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	15	..	708 1 12	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	Near centre of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	36	..	649 0 21	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	Near centre of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	37	..	650 3 32	2nd	0 18	0 10	0 0	Nil	In east of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	40	..	612 2 4	2nd	0 18	0 9	0 0	Nil	Near eastern boundary of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
" ..	"	"	41	..	614 2 9	2nd	0 18	0 9	0 0	Nil	Adjoins eastern boundary of parish	Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, and turpentine
LANDS AVAILABLE UNDER RESIDENCE AND GARDEN LICENCE.—Section 126, Land Act 1915.															
Bendigo ..	Tatchera	Tynnynder North	18A	2	1 3 30	..	Rent, £3 per annum	2 2 0	To be valued	Adjoins northern boundary of subdivision. Forfeited by Thos. Hoban (02518/145)	1 1/2 miles from Nyah R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Suitable for garden and residence	
" ..	"	"	18B	2	1 3 30	..	Rent, £3 per annum	2 2 0	£9, clearing and fencing	Within Nyah Settlement. Forfeited by R. B. Nicholas (02517/145)	1 1/2 miles from Nyah R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Suitable for garden and residence	

Courts.

MELBOURNE.—COUNTY COURT.

THE times appointed for "Return Days" in the Melbourne County Court during the year 1916 (i.e. the day to be appointed in any summons or proceeding for the appearance of the party summoned) shall be as follows:—

RETURN DAYS.

In Cases under £50.	£50 and under £250.	Other Cases.
February 14th	—	February 14th
March 1st and 15th	March 1st	March 15th
April 3rd and 12th	April 3rd	April 12th
May 1st and 15th	May 1st	May 15th
June 1st and 15th	June 1st	June 15th
July 3rd and 17th	July 3rd	July 17th
August 1st and 15th	August 1st	August 15th
September 1st and 15th	September 1st	September 15th
October 2nd and 16th	October 2nd	October 16th
November 1st and 15th	November 1st	November 15th
December 1st and 11th	December 1st	December 6th

Dated at Melbourne this 22nd day of December, 1915.

(By order of the Judges),

D. F. McGRATH,
Registrar, Melbourne.

KYNETON.—LICENSING COURT.—Notice is hereby given that a Sitting of the Licensing Court for the Licensing Districts of Kyneton and Trentham will be held at the Court House, Kyneton, on Tuesday, the seventh day of March, 1916, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated at Kyneton the first day of February, 1916.—W. A. L. FOSTER, Clerk of the Licensing Court.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes; pursuant to Order in Council of 23rd day of December, 1915.

Ararat	Thursday, 9th March.
Ballarat	Tuesday, 4th April.
Beechworth	Wednesday, 15th March.
Benalla	Tuesday, 23rd May.
Bendigo	Tuesday, 15th February.
Castlemaine	Tuesday, 21st March.
Geelong	Thursday, 10th February.
Hamilton	Thursday, 6th April.
Horsham	Tuesday, 7th March.
Maryborough	Thursday, 18th May.
Melbourne	Tuesday, 15th February.
Sale	Tuesday, 22nd February.
Shepparton	Friday, 28th April.
St. Arnaud	Tuesday, 16th May.
Warrnambool	—

GENERAL SESSIONS; pursuant to Order in Council of 23rd day of December, 1915.

Ararat	Tuesday, 16th May.
Bairnsdale	Tuesday, 7th March.
Ballarat	Tuesday, 7th March.
Beechworth	Wednesday, 24th May.
Benalla	Wednesday, 1st March.
Bendigo	Tuesday, 14th March.
Camperdown	Friday, 25th February.
Casterton	Wednesday, 29th March.
Castlemaine	Thursday, 13th April.
Charlton	Thursday, 13th April.
Colac	Wednesday, 23rd February.
Daylesford	Tuesday, 30th May.
Donald	Tuesday, 4th April.
Echuca	Tuesday, 18th April.
Geelong	Tuesday, 22nd February.
Hamilton	Wednesday, 16th February.
Horsham	Tuesday, 13th June.
Kerang	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Korumburra	Tuesday, 14th March.
Kyneton	Wednesday, 9th August.
Mansfield	Wednesday, 17th May.
Maryborough	Tuesday, 15th February.
Melbourne	Wednesday, 1st March.
Mildura	Tuesday, 28th March.
Nhill	Wednesday, 16th March.
Omeo	Wednesday, 5th April.
Portland	Thursday, 17th February.
Sale	Thursday, 9th March.
Seymour	Wednesday, 16th February.
Shepparton	Tuesday, 7th March.
St. Arnaud	Wednesday, 16th February.
Stawell	Tuesday, 21st March.
Wangaratta	Wednesday, 23rd February.
Warracknabeal	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Warragul	Thursday, 18th May.
Warrnambool	Tuesday, 28th March.
Yarram Yarram	Wednesday, 10th May.
Yarrowonga	Wednesday, 19th April.

COUNTY COURTS.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	Tuesday, 22nd February.
Bairnsdale	Tuesday, 7th March.
Ballarat	Monday, 6th March.
Beechworth	Wednesday, 24th May.
Benalla	Wednesday, 1st March.
Bendigo	Tuesday, 14th March.
Birchip	Wednesday, 5th April.
Camperdown	Friday, 25th February.
Casterton	Wednesday, 29th March.
Castlemaine	Thursday, 13th April.
Charlton	Thursday, 13th April.
Chiltern	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Clunes	Thursday, 9th March.
Colac	Wednesday, 23rd February.
Daylesford	Tuesday, 29th February.
Dimboola	Thursday, 16th March.
Donald	Tuesday, 4th April.
Dunolly	Friday, 3rd March.
Echuca	Tuesday, 18th April.
Geelong	Tuesday, 22nd February.
Hamilton	Wednesday, 16th February.
Horsham	Tuesday, 14th March.
Inglewood	Wednesday, 12th April.
Kerang	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Kilmore	Thursday, 6th April.
Korumburra	Tuesday, 14th March.
Kyneton	Tuesday, 9th May.
Mansfield	Wednesday, 1st March.
Maryborough	Tuesday, 15th February.
Melbourne	Wednesday, 1st March.
Mildura	Tuesday, 28th March.
Mornington	Friday, 28th April.
Nhill	Wednesday, 16th March.
Omeo	Friday, 7th April.
Numurkah	Wednesday, 5th April.
Ouyen	Wednesday, 29th March.
Portland	Thursday, 17th February.
Rainbow	Tuesday, 18th April.
Rochester	Wednesday, 29th March.
Sale	Thursday, 9th March.
Sea Lake	Wednesday, 5th April.
Seymour	Wednesday, 16th February.
Shepparton	Tuesday, 7th March.
St. Arnaud	Wednesday, 16th February.
Stawell	Tuesday, 21st March.

Swan Hill	Thursday, 23rd March.
Traralgon	Tuesday, 21st March.
Wangaratta	Wednesday, 23rd February.
Warracknabeal	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Warragul	Thursday, 18th May.
Warrnambool	Tuesday, 28th March.
Wodonga	Wednesday, 12th April.
Wonthaggi	Thursday, 23rd March.
Yarram Yarram	Wednesday, 10th May.
Yarrawonga	Wednesday, 19th April.

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUSTICE.	
Melbourne	— — — —
ARARAT DISTRICT.	
Ararat	Tuesday, 22nd February.
Stawell	Tuesday, 21st March.
BALLARAT DISTRICT.	
Ballarat	Monday, 6th March.
Clunes	Thursday, 9th March.
BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.	
Beechworth	Wednesday, 24th May.
Benalla	Wednesday, 1st March.
Chiltern	Wednesday, 22nd March.
Kilmore	Thursday, 6th April.
Mansfield	Wednesday, 1st March.
Wodonga	Wednesday, 12th April.
BENDIGO DISTRICT.	
Bendigo	Tuesday, 14th March.
CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.	
Castlemaine	Thursday, 13th April.
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	— — — —
Hepburn (Daylesford)	Tuesday, 29th February.
Kyneton	Tuesday, 9th May.
GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.	
Bairnsdale	Tuesday, 7th March.
Omeo	Wednesday, 5th April.
Sale	Thursday, 9th March.
Yarram Yarram	Wednesday, 10th May.
MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.	
Dunolly	Friday, 3rd March.
Inglewood	Wednesday, 12th April.
Maryborough	Tuesday, 15th February.
St. Arnaud	Wednesday, 16th February.

tenders.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, MELBOURNE.

TENDERS will be received at this office, until Twelve o'clock on the days and for the purposes under-mentioned.

Particulars may be learnt at this office, and also at the offices named in each instance.

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

10th February, 1916.

Tyabb.—Two additional Chambers to Cool Stores. Preliminary deposit, £15. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Walwa.—Conversion of school into residence, State School No. 2806. Particulars at Police Stations, Walwa, Tallangatta, and Beechworth: Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Coonooer Bridge.—Remodelling school and additions to residence, State School No. 1736. Particulars at Police Stations, St. Arnaud and Charlton. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Nillumbik.—Improved lighting, new cloak-room, repairs, &c., State School No. 1003. Particulars at Police Station, Diamond Creek. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Quambatook.—Additions to State School No. 2443. Particulars at Police Station, Quambatook, and office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Rocky Lead.—Remodelling school and repairs to residence, State School No. 785. Particulars at Police Stations, Daylesford, and also at Creswick till 3rd February, 1916, then with Inspector of Works, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Toolern.—Remodelling State School No. 946. Particulars at Police Station, Bacchus Marsh. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Clunes.—Renovations and repairs to State School No. 136. Particulars at Police Station, Clunes, and Office of Inspector of Works, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

17th February, 1916.

Lauderdale.—New building, State School. Particulars at Police Stations, Kyabram and Rushworth. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Wycheproof.—Repairs and painting State School No. 1757. Particulars at Police Station, Wycheproof, and Office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

North Williamstown.—New out-offices at State School No. 1409. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Coburg.—Fittings to Higher Elementary School. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

24th February, 1916.

Maribyrnong.—New building, State School. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Brunswick.—New class room and students' room, Technical School. Preliminary deposit, £15. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Eddi.—Remodelling, repairs, &c., State School No. 1422. Particulars at State School No. 1422, Eddi, and Police Station, Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Serviceton.—Repairs, improved lighting, &c., State School No. 2831. Particulars at Police Station, Serviceton, and office of Inspector of Works, Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Piangil.—New teacher's residence, State School No. 3583. Particulars at Police Station, Swan Hill, and office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Colbinabbin Railway Station.—Removal of State School No. 1991, Moora, and re-erection at State School. Particulars at Police Station, Rushworth, and office of Inspector of Works, Shepparton. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Echuca.—Removal of State School No. 2331, Runnymede, and re-erection at High School. Particulars at Police Stations, Echuca and Elmore. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Sunbury.—Alterations to kitchen and installation of baker's oven, Hospital for Insane. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Melbourne.—Alterations and additions to goods' lifts at Government Printing Office. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, £10.

Heidelberg.—Dismantling and re-erection of old fencing, and supplying and erecting new fencing along Boulevard, in property of Mr. Keam. Particulars at Shire Hall, Heidelberg. Preliminary deposit, £2. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Northcote.—Repairs, painting, &c., State School No. 1401. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Queenscliff.—Repairs to old Jetty. Particulars at Police Stations, Geelong and Queenscliff. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Ballarat.—Laundry machinery, Hospital for Insane. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

2nd March, 1916.

Tongala Township.—New teacher's residence, State School No. 3776. Particulars at Police Stations, Kyabram and Echuca. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Wangaratta.—Removal and re-erection of State School No. 643, Yackandandah, at State School. Particulars at Police Stations, Yackandandah and Wangaratta. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Nyah.—New teacher's residence, State School No. 3263. Particulars at Police Station, Swan Hill, and office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Kew.—Sanitary connexions, Hospital for the Insane. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Buchan.—New building, State School No. 1905. Particulars at Police Stations, Buchan and Bairnsdale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Melbourne.—Manufacture and supply of presses for State Schools. Particulars at office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo, and office of Inspector of Works, Ballarat. Preliminary deposit, £5.

Echuca Village Settlement.—Additions and repairs to State School No. 3253. Particulars at Police Station, Echuca, and office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

9th March, 1916.

Donald.—Remodelling State School No. 1465. Particulars at Police Stations, Donald and Maryborough. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

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

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Melbourne, 9th February, 1916.

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 Eleven a.m. on the date specified. Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Spencer-street, and as stated.

ELECTRIC STAFF INSTRUMENTS.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Supply and delivery of electric staff instruments. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

ELECTRIC POINT OPERATING MACHINES.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Supply and delivery of seven electric point operating machines. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

AIR RECEIVERS.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of two air receivers for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. Particulars also at Ballarat, Geelong, Bendigo, and Castlemaine Stations. P.D., £1.

SALE OF RESIDENCE.

Wednesday, 16th February.—Purchase and removal of Departmental Residence No. 464, between Craigieburn and Somerton. Particulars also at Craigieburn and Somerton Stations. Deposit, £1.

GENERAL STORES.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply, during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of tubes and fittings; brass; copper (sheet and tubing); iron; rolled iron (Australian); blister, cast and D.S. steel; mild steel (plates, &c.); mild steel (channel, &c.); spring steel; steel blooms; fishbolt and nut steel; dogspike iron; zinc; crane chain; iron chain; signal chain; fencing wire; sundry wire; signal wire and pulleys; wire rope, locks, keys, &c.; upholstery, &c.; glassware, sponges; burners, lamps, &c.; lamp chimneys, glasses, &c.; canvas bags, tents, &c.; mops; packing; wire netting; chamois skins; sundry canvas; canvas hose; sponge cloths, &c.; oils (various); colours, &c.; paints, &c.; varnish; benzine, turpentine, &c.; pens, pencils, &c.; stamps, &c.

Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply, during the two years commencing 1st July, 1916, of carpets and rugs; truck seals; artists' colours, &c.; type for dating machines; photographic sundries; carbons; telegraph glassware; telegraph and telephone sundries; electric light material; motor accessories; drysalteries, chemicals, &c.; ambulance material; disinfectants, &c.; carbonic acid gas; corks, &c.; explosives; fog signals; platers' material; Arabian cream; sanitary paper; carborundum and emery wheels; electric cells; Trewella jacks and parts; brass, gunmetal, and phosphor bronze castings; oxygen; expanded metal; gold and silver symbols; straw rope; jute

dust; charcoal; Bricks (Bendigo district); bricks (Ballarat district); bricks (North-eastern district); bricks (Benalla to Wodonga); crockeryware and cutlery; metal gates.

A complete list of the articles required, specifying the requisite deposits, can be obtained on application at the Contractors' Room, Spencer street, where schedules may be obtained. The samples, which are exhibited by the Department, may be seen on application to the Stores Purchasing Agent, Spencer-street Store (foot of Lonsdale-street).

COMMUTATOR SLOTTING MACHINES.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of commutator slotting machines for Jolimont Car Shops. P.D., £1.

AIR PRESSURE BLOWERS.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of air pressure blowers for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. Contract 29671. P.D., £1.

AIR PRESSURE BLOWER.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of air pressure blower for Bendigo Workshops. Contract 29672. P.D., £1.

HORIZONTAL REVOLVING SHUTTERS.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of horizontal revolving shutters for tanks for Jolimont Electric Car Shed. Particulars also at Ballarat, Geelong, Bendigo, and Castlemaine stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

VERTICAL PLATE-BENDING ROLLS.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of one vertical plate-bending rolls (belt driven) for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. Fresh tenders. P.D., £5.

PILES.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of grey box, red ironbark, yellow stringybark, or redgum piles for workmaster, Maryborough. Particulars also at Port Albert, Alberton, Sale, Bairnsdale, Maryborough and Echuca Stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

LATHES.

Wednesday, 23rd February.—Supply and delivery of two 10-in. lathes for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. (Fresh tenders.) P.D., as specified.

YORKSHIRE ANGLES AND TEES.

Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply and delivery of best Yorkshire angles and tees. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

BEST STEEL BOILER PLATES.

Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply and delivery of best steel boiler plates. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

COPPER ROD.

Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply and delivery of copper rod. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

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Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply and delivery of copper plates. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

Wednesday, 1st March.—Supply and delivery of 10,000 casks of Portland cement (Electrification). P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

STEEL BLOOMS FOR PISTON RODS.

Wednesday, 8th March.—Supply and delivery of steel blooms for piston rods for engines. P.D., £1.

ELECTRIC INTERLOCKING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 8th March.—Supply and delivery of electric interlocking machine. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

HIGH-SPEED DRILLING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of one 20-inch vertical high-speed drilling machine for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

HIGH SPEED DRILL.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of high speed single spindle sensitive drill for Jolimont Car Repair Shop (Electrification). P.D., £1.

CIRCULAR SAW.

Wednesday, 15th March.—Supply and delivery of cold metal circular saw (belt driven) for Signal Shops, Newport. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

GRINDER.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of grinder for finishing machined parts, for Jolimont Car Repair Shed. P.D., £1.

GRINDING MACHINE.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of double wet tool grinding machine for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

RECORDING PYROMETERS.

Wednesday, 22nd March.—Supply and delivery of thermo-electric recording pyrometers (complete) for Jolimont Car Shop. P.D., £1.

LATHE.

Wednesday, 20th March.—Supply and delivery of one 13-inch centre x 14 feet gap bed sliding, surfacing, and screw cutting lathe for Jolimont Car Shed. P.D., ½ per cent.

MOQUETTE CLOTH.

Wednesday, 29th March.—Supply and delivery of moquette cloth for sleeping cars. P.D., £1.

GAP LATHE.

Wednesday, 29th March.—Supply and delivery of 10-inch gap lathe for North Melbourne Car Shop. P.D., £1.

RUNWAY HOIST.

Wednesday, 12th April.—Supply and delivery of electrically operated runway hoist for Jolimont Car Shops. P.D., ½ per cent.

FELT BODY BLOCKS.

Wednesday, 12th April.—Supply and delivery of felt body blocks for cars. P.D., ½ per cent.

WOOL WASTE.

Wednesday, 19th April.—Supply and delivery of wool waste. Particulars also at Geelong, Ballarat, Warrnambool, and Castlemaine stations. P.D., ½ per cent.

AMPERE HOUR STORAGE BATTERY.

Wednesday, 19th April.—Supply, delivery, and erection of one 1,000 ampere hour storage battery, at Jolimont Car Shed. P.D., £1.

PLANT FOR IMPREGNATING ELECTRICAL APPARATUS.

Wednesday, 19th April.—Supply, delivery, and erection of complete plant for impregnating electrical apparatus with insulating varnishes and solid compounds, at Jolimont Car Shed. P.D., ½ per cent.

BADGED CROCKERYWARE AND GLASSWARE.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply and delivery of badged crockeryware and glassware for refreshment rooms. P.D., ½ per cent.

WASHING-OUT PLANT.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply, delivery, and erection of washing-out plant (boilers) at Geelong Loco. Sheds. P.D., £20.

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply and delivery of electrical equipment for substitution for Sandringham-Black Rock Tramway. P.D., ½ per cent.

CAR-LIGHTING MATERIAL.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply and delivery of car-lighting material. P.D., ½ per cent.

CANVAS.

Wednesday, 26th April.—Supply and delivery of canvas for water crane hose bags. P.D., ½ per cent.

COLOUR (CHINESE RED, DRY).

Wednesday, 3rd May.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of colour (Chinese red, dry). P.D., ½ per cent.

MOTOR GENERATOR SET.

Wednesday, 10th May.—Supply and delivery of 5 K.W. motor generator set for battery charging of baggage trucks. P.D., £1.

HYDRAULIC PRESSES.

Wednesday, 10th May.—Supply and delivery of hydraulic spring buckle presses for Ballarat and Bendigo Workshops. P.D., ½ per cent.

ELECTRIC GOODS ELEVATOR.

Wednesday, 17th May.—Supply, delivery, and erection of one (1) 2-ton electrically-operated goods elevator at the Car Shed, Jolimont. P.D., ½ per cent.

LEASING RAILWAY LANDS.

Applications are invited for letting on building leases for business purposes land at or near stations. Terms up to 21 years. For particulars apply to Estate Officer, Spencer-street, Melbourne, or to local stationmasters or roadmasters.

No tender will necessarily be accepted.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Secretary.

YALLOCK AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE RESERVE. SUBDIVISION.

Lease of Agricultural College Area.

TENDERS will be received until Noon of 27th March, 1916, by the undersigned for lease of one or more of the undermentioned allotments, Agricultural College Reserve, parish of Yallock, for a term of thirty years, for agriculture or grazing, or both such purposes, purpose to be stated. A deposit of 10 per cent. on the amount of the first year's rent must accompany each tender.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for College Reserve." The Trustees, Agricultural College lands, reserve the right of accepting or rejecting any tender. The land is adjacent to the Caldermeade Railway Station.

Allotment.	Acres.	Allotment.	Acres.
47	97	64	181
48	99	65	176
49	100	66	199
50	99	67	177
51	102	68	179
52	102	69	181
53	99	70	179
		71	199

T. J. PURVIS,

Secretary, Council of Agricultural Education.

Public Offices, Melbourne.

Conditions of Lease.

The general conditions of the lease under the *Agricultural Colleges Act 1915*, as approved by the Governor in Council, shall apply.

1. The term of lease is thirty years.
2. The rental at which the lease is granted will apply for the first ten years of the lease, when a reappraisal of the rent shall be made, and further reappraisals shall be made at the end of every successive five years after the first ten years.

3. At any reappraisal should the rent be increased and the lessee desire to surrender his lease, the Trustees of Agricultural College Reserves may accept such surrender, and all improvements (excepting buildings erected by lessee with consent of Trustees, and which lessee may sell or remove within one month from date of surrender) become the property of the Trustees, as at expiry of the lease.

When any such land is again leased the Trustees will obtain from the incoming lessee the value of all substantial and permanent improvements thereon, and the whole or any part of money received therefor may, if the Trustees think fit, be paid to the person who immediately prior to the expiration or surrender or determination of the lease held the land.

The lessee shall comply with the requirements of the Vermin Destruction Act (Rabbits) and Thistle Act, and will be liable for all rates and taxes payable on the land.

Fencing.

Each tenant will require to erect such fencing as may be necessary to be erected on his allotment, and shall erect same within twelve months from date of lease. All fencing to consist of seven wires and posts, three to the chain, with two droppers between posts. Posts to be sunk 2 feet, and if split 8 by 4 inches, sawn 6 by 3 inches. Fencing to be erected to the satisfaction of the Trustees, who reserve the right of constructing same at lessee's expense should he fail to comply with said conditions.

Drainage.

The lessee shall within three years of date of lease excavate along the line of his division fence a drain sufficient to discharge surface drainage and such other drains, cuts, or ditches as the Trustees may require to be constructed, and shall at all times during term of lease keep open and free from obstruction all drains, ditches, cuts, &c., now upon the land, or which at any time he may be required to construct thereon, and will not permit nor cause to be done any acts, &c., whereby any such drains may be injured or endangered.

Failing compliance by lessee to carry out the above provisions relating to maintenance of drainage, the Trustees, after giving thirty days' notice to lessee, shall have power to employ workmen and carry out the work to the satisfaction of the Trustees, and money so expended shall be recoverable in any Court of Petty Sessions.

Each lessee shall make provision for supply of water for his own use by construction of water holes, tanks, or wells fitted with windmills.

The Trustees reserve the right to enter or authorize any other person to enter on any allotment for the purpose of connecting with any existing drain, or with any newly constructed drain, or for clearing out existing drains, or drains that may be excavated by the tenant.

Insolvency Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estates of Milcent Dight, of Coburg, butcher; Henry Moritz Fiedler, of St. Kilda, no occupation; Vivian Elliston Fleming, of North Fitzroy, commercial traveller; and Herbert Davis, of Balwyn, farmer, have been sequestrated, and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, A.D. 1916, 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 7th day of February, A.D. 1916.

D. F. McGRATH,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Ballarat.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Mary Ellen McCrae, of Ballarat, licensed victualler, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Ballarat, on Thursday, the 17th day of February, A.D. 1916, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Ballarat this 7th day of February, A.D. 1916.

MORTON S. CLARK,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Colac.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Robert Joshua Sutton, of Colac, in the State of Victoria, carpenter, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Queen-street, Colac, on Thursday, the tenth day of February, A.D. 1916, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Colac this 1st day of February, A.D. 1916.

A. H. A. STEWART,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Colac.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Francis Joseph Gaunt, of Birregurra, in the State of Victoria, contractor, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Queen-street, Colac, on Thursday the tenth day of February, A.D. 1916, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Colac this 1st day of February, A.D. 1916.

A. H. A. STEWART,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Kerang.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Charles Norbert Henry Woolfroy, of Kerang, in the State of Victoria, carpenter, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Kerang, on Friday, the 18th day of February, A.D. 1916, 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 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Kerang this 7th day of February, A.D. 1916.

W. J. S. REID,
Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Insolvency, Northern District, at Numurkah.

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Rupert Joseph Pechotsch, of Numurkah, musician, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be held at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Numurkah, on Tuesday, the 15th day of February, 1916, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of trustees and for the other purposes mentioned in the 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Numurkah the 1st day of February, 1916.

J. E. HOLMES,
Chief Clerk.

Private Advertisements.

MURRAY RIVER, AT MILDURA.

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to apply for a licence empowering me to divert water to the extent of 400 cubic feet per minute from the above-named River Murray, for irrigation purposes; and to occupy certain Crown lands for works of storage and diversion; and to cut a race thereon:

Any objection to such application must be forwarded, in writing, to the State Rivers and Water Supply Commission; Melbourne; within thirty days of the date hereof.

THOS. WILKINSON.

3rd February, 1916.

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CITY OF ESSENDON.

BY-LAW No. 38.

NOTICE is hereby given that By-law No. 38, entitled—

A By-law of the city of Essendon, made under the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered 38, for—

- (a) regulating and restraining the erection and construction of buildings, erections, or hoardings;
- (b) requiring the pulling down and removal of buildings, erections, or hoardings;
- (c) authorizing the council to pull down and remove buildings, erections, or hoardings erected or constructed contrary to any such By-law, or not pulled down or removed as required by or under any such By-law, and to sell the materials, and apply the proceeds in reimbursing the expenses of pulling down and removing such buildings, erections, or hoardings, and in paying into the municipal fund any fees or penalties due by the owner thereof;
- (d) appointing fees which may be charged and received by the council for any act done or to be done by any of its officers under such regulations, and for any permit or licence to be issued by the council;

was, by resolution of the council, agreed to, on the 20th December, 1915, confirmed and sealed by the council on the 17th January, 1916, and approved by the Governor in Council on the 26th January, 1916, and has been duly made.

SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE SAID BY-LAW.

Introductory:

1. By-laws Nos. 28 and 29 are hereby repealed.
2. Regulations Nos. 16 (so much as is not already repealed); 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, and 37 are hereby repealed.
3. All Government buildings shall be exempted from the provisions of this By-law.
4. This By-law shall apply to and have operation throughout the whole of the municipal district.

Part I.—Definitions.

Part II.—Notice of intention to build and lodgment of plans; payment of fees and permit; duties of surveyor; distance of building from street lines.

Part III.—Materials.

Part IV.—Excavations, foundations, and footings.

Part V.—Thickness of external and party walls for all brick, stone, or concrete buildings.

Part VI.—Buildings; wholly or partly in wood, including removal and re-erection of such buildings; outbuildings.

Part VII.—Construction of buildings.

Part VIII.—Ventilation, lighting, and open spaces.

Part IX.—Chimneys, flues, fireplaces, and heating apparatus.

Part X.—Fire-proof construction; frame-building construction.

Part XI.—Ruinous and dangerous buildings.

Part XII.—Verandahs, signs, and hoardings.

Part XIV.—Enforcement of By-law and penalties.

Schedule A.—Fees payable under this By-law; rates of buildings.

Schedule B.—Clause 1, streets referred to in Part II.; clauses 7 and 8, "brick areas"; clause 2, streets referred to in Part VI., clause 1.

Schedule C.—Table showing minimum sizes, dimensions, and spacing of all timbers used in the domestic class of buildings.

Schedule D, table A.—Thickness of wall shown in inches.

A copy of this By-law is open for inspection; free of charge, during office hours, at the Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Moonee Ponds.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1916.

By order,

D. CAMERON, Town Clerk.

CITY OF ESSENDON.

BY-LAW No. 39.

NOTICE is hereby given that By-law No. 39, entitled—

A By-law of the city of Essendon, made under the provisions of the *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered 39, for the management and use of the Public Baths in Pascoe Vale-road, and for fixing the amounts to be charged for admission to and for the use of the same, and fixing the penalties for any breach of such By-law—

was, by resolution of the council, agreed to on the 22nd November, 1915, and confirmed and sealed by the council on the 20th December, 1915.

SUMMARY OF THE CONTENTS OF THE SAID BY-LAW.

The use and management of the baths.
The charges for admission thereto.
The days and hours the baths will be open.
The penalties for offences.
The By-law to have operation in the Public Baths, Pascoe Vale-road, Moonee Ponds.
A copy of this By-law is open for inspection, free of charge, during office hours, at the Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Moonee Ponds.
Dated this 7th day of February, 1916.

By order,

5936 D. CAMERON, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF WARRNAMBOOL.

REGULATION No. 60.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a meeting of the municipal council of the town of Warrnambool, held on the fourth (4th) day of January, 1916, the said council did make, seal, and confirm a Regulation, No. 60, and the title of such Regulation is, viz.:—

A Regulation of the town of Warrnambool, numbered sixty (60), made under section twenty-six (26) of Part I. of the 13th Schedule of the *Local Government Act 1915*, in force in the town by virtue of a By-law of the above-named town, numbered seventy-two (72), for regulating the width, depression, and inclination of crossings across or over footways and channels, and the materials for making and constructing the same, the mode of laying and bedding such materials, the length, width, size, strength and fall of bridge crossings, and the said inclination and fall, either absolutely or with relation to the levels, inclination or fall of the footway or channel, or otherwise in like manner.

And notice is hereby further given that a copy of such Regulation is open for inspection at the office of the said council.

By order,

5932 H. E. LAWSON, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF WARRNAMBOOL.

BY-LAW No. 88.

A By-law of the town of Warrnambool, made under section 197 of the *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered eighty-eight (88) for prohibiting the deposit of refuse or rubbish on or requiring the removal of rubbish or refuse from streets, roads, lanes, or passages, or any land.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Town of Warrnambool order as follows:—

1. The council does hereby direct and appoint that the portion of land containing about four (4) acres, enclosed by a post and wire fence, situated on the south side of the south-western railway line, opposite to allotments 298 and 300 of the town of Warrnambool, shall be a site or place where rubbish and refuse shall be deposited.

2. Every person who shall deposit or cause to be deposited any rubbish or refuse at any other site, place, street, road, lane, passage, or on any land, within the town of Warrnambool than the site or place described in the preceding clause of this By-law shall be guilty of an offence against the provisions of this By-law.

3. Every person upon depositing rubbish or refuse at the said site or place shall cause the same to be deposited and properly levelled back beyond a line running between two posts painted white, which shall be placed there by direction of the council of the said town.

4. Every person who deposits or places at the aforesaid site or place any dead animal or part of any dead animal, or any organic matter, or any matter or anything of a nature either dangerous or offensive to any person shall be guilty of an offence against the provisions of this By-law.

5. This By-law shall apply to and have operation throughout the whole of the municipal district of the town of Warrnambool.

Resolution for passing this By-law was agreed to by the council the fourth day of January, 1916, and confirmed the first day of February, 1916.

(SEAL) (Sgd.) JAS. D. DEANY, Mayor.
(Sgd.) BEN ABBEY, Councillor.
5933 (Sgd.) H. E. LAWSON, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF WARRNAMBOOL.

BY-LAW No. 87.

A By-law of the town of Warrnambool, made under section 635 of the *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered eighty-seven (87), for regulating the market place and for fixing the days and the hours during each day on which the market will be held, and for repealing By-law No. 83 for regulating the market.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Town of Warrnambool order as follows:—

1. The market shall be known as the Victoria Market, and shall be held at the place and in the buildings and yards appointed to be used for the purpose of such market, situated between Raglan-parade, Kepler-street, Spence-street and Liebig-street, and the said market shall be used for the sale of cattle and articles.

2. The said market shall be open for the reception of cattle and articles save and except pigs, on every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Six o'clock a.m. till the hour of Eleven o'clock a.m. in the months of October, November, December, January, February, and March.

3. The said market shall be open for the sale of cattle and articles, save and except pigs, on every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m. to the hour of Seven o'clock p.m. during the months of October, November, December, January, February, and March.

4. The said market shall be open for the reception of cattle and articles, save and except pigs, on every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Seven o'clock a.m. to the hour of Eleven o'clock a.m. during the months of April, May, June, July, August, and September.

5. The said market shall be open for the sale of cattle and articles, save and except pigs, on every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m. to the hour of Six o'clock p.m. during the months of April, May, June, July, August, and September.

6. The said market shall be open for the reception of pigs only on every Tuesday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Six o'clock a.m. to the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m. during the months of October, November, December, January, February, and March.

7. The said market shall be open for the reception of pigs only on every Tuesday, public holidays excepted, from the hour of Seven o'clock a.m. to the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m. during the months of April, May, June, July, August, and September.

8. The said market shall be open for the sale of pigs only on every Tuesday, public holidays excepted, during the months of October, November, December, January, February, and March from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon to the hour of Seven o'clock p.m., and during the months of April, May, June, July, August, and September the said market shall be open for the sale of pigs only on every Tuesday from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon to the hour of Six o'clock p.m.

9. Cattle or articles shall not be received at the said market on any Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, or Saturday after the hour of Eleven o'clock a.m. and no person shall sell or offer for sale any cattle or articles in the said market before the time as set forth in this By-law for commencing sales, or after the closing of the said market.

10. Pigs shall not be received at the said market on any Tuesday after the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m., and no person shall sell or offer for sale any pigs in the said market before the time as set forth in this By-law for the commencing of sales, or after the closing of the said market.

11. On every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, or Saturday the first sales of cattle or articles shall be commenced at the hour of Eleven thirty o'clock a.m., and the sales of cattle or articles shall be conducted in the order following:—

- 1st (first)—Sheep.
- 2nd (second)—Fat cattle.
- 3rd (third)—Store cattle.
- 4th (fourth)—Horses.
- 5th (fifth)—Articles or sundries.

12. On every Tuesday the first sales of pigs shall be commenced at the hour of Twelve o'clock noon, and at every such sale all auctioneers or salesmen shall draw lots for order of priority of selling, and they shall, in the order of such drawing sell or submit for sale the whole of the pigs at their disposal in the said market, provided all fat pigs shall be sold or disposed of first, in the order of the drawing for priority of sale, and then all the store pigs shall be sold or otherwise disposed of in the order of the drawing for priority of sale.

13. On every day, Tuesdays excepted, when sales are to be held in the said market, all auctioneers or salesmen shall draw lots for priority of order of selling cattle or articles, and the auctioneer or salesman first in such drawing shall sell or otherwise dispose of any cattle or articles for a period of not longer than thirty minutes, the time to be indicated by a clock placed in the said market, or till the sooner conclusion of his sales or other disposal of any cattle or articles, when the auctioneer or salesman next in such order of drawing shall sell or otherwise dispose of any cattle or articles in like manner, and so on, the other auctioneers or salesmen shall in the order of the drawing for priority of sale continue to conduct the sales in a similar manner as aforesaid, until all the auctioneers or salesmen shall have sold or otherwise disposed of any cattle or articles, and should all the cattle or articles in the said market be not then sold or disposed of, the sale shall be continued in the order of drawing, and in a like manner as aforesaid, provided always that should any auctioneer or salesman have sold or otherwise disposed of any particular class of cattle or articles before the expiration of the period of thirty minutes, as aforesaid, he shall cease to sell or offer for sale, or otherwise dispose of any cattle or articles, till all the said cattle or articles shall be sold, offered for sale, or otherwise disposed of in the order of sales, as set forth in clause eleven (11) of this By-law, provided always that this clause shall not apply to the sale of sheep or fat cattle, save so far as it provides for the order of selling and priority of order of selling.

14. No auctioneer or salesman shall sell or otherwise dispose of any fat cattle for more than fifteen (15) minutes at any continuous period of time, provided always he must comply with the provisions of this By-law, as to the time allowed for selling or submitting for sale of each "lot" of fat cattle, excepting pigs.

15. On every day that sales are to be held in the market the collector of the said market shall ring a bell at the time appointed for the commencement of sales, and the auctioneer or salesman drawn first in the order of priority of selling shall commence the sale of such cattle or articles within five (5) minutes of the ringing of the bell.

16. Every auctioneer or salesman who shall not commence to sell or offer for sale any cattle or articles at the time, and in the order provided by this By-law, or who shall not cease to offer or sell any cattle or articles at the time, as provided for by this By-law, shall be guilty of an offence against the provisions of this By-law.

17. On every day, Tuesdays excepted, when sales are to be held in the said market each auctioneer or salesman shall sell or offer for sale any or every "lot" of cattle or articles for a period of time in all of not longer than three minutes, provided that, at the expiration of a period of time of two (2) minutes from the time at which the first bid at any sale by auction is made, the auctioneer or salesman shall at once proceed to offer or sell another lot of cattle or articles, which shall not consist of the lot of cattle or articles last submitted by him, the collector shall ring a bell at the expiration of the period of three minutes, or two minutes aforesaid, or at the earlier conclusion of the sale of each lot, whichever first happens, whereupon the selling or offering for sale of the next lot shall be proceeded with in a similar manner, and every auctioneer or salesman shall conduct the sales in a like manner, provided always the provisions of clause seventeen of this By-law shall not apply to the sale of pigs.

18. Every auctioneer or salesman who shall persist in selling or offering for sale any cattle or articles contrary to the provisions of this By-law, upon being warned by the collector to discontinue selling or offering for sale any cattle or articles, or who shall attempt to continue to sell or offer for sale any cattle or articles contrary to the provisions of this By-law, after being warned by the collector to discontinue selling or offering for sale any cattle or articles, may be summarily removed from the market on the direction of the collector by a constable of police, and thereupon the auctioneer or salesman next in order of the drawing for priority of sale shall at once commence to sell or offer for sale any cattle or articles, and the sales shall be continued in the manner provided by this By-law.

19. No person shall obstruct the collector of the said market in the performance of his duties, or release or remove any cattle or articles from the said market, or remove any cattle or articles from one part of the said market to another part of the said market, without the consent of the collector thereof, nor shall any person wilfully open any gate or lock or fastening of any gate, or open or break down or damage any of the gates, fences, buildings, or appurtenances of the said market, nor cause any riot or disturbance, or curse or swear or use any indecent language, or to be guilty of any indecent or gross conduct within the said market, or upon the immediate approaches thereto.

20. All cattle or articles not removed from the said market by the hour of Eight o'clock a.m. (8 a.m.) on the morning next after any sale shall have been held in the said market, shall be removed by the collector of the said market, at the expense and risk of the owner of any such said cattle or articles.

21. In this By-law cattle shall include horses, mares, fillies, foals, geldings, colts, bulls, bullocks, cows, heifers, steers, calves, asses, mules, sheep, ewes, wethers, rams, lambs, goats, or swine.

22. In this By-law the expression "the collector" shall mean the person appointed by the council to collect the stallages, rents or tolls, authorized by this Act, and shall include the assistants of the collector.

23. In this By-law the expression "lot" shall mean any number, either one or more than one, or quantity of cattle or articles that shall be submitted for sale, or offered for sale, by public auction, at any time, by any auctioneer or salesman.

24. The collector shall act as timekeeper and his decision as to the time for opening and closing of the market and for the period of time for each auctioneer or salesman for offering for sale or selling any cattle or articles shall be binding and conclusive on all persons concerned.

25. By-law No. eighty-three (83) relating to the above, confirmed on the twelfth day of February, 1907, is hereby repealed.

This By-law shall apply to and have operation throughout the whole of the municipal district of the town of Warrnambool.

Resolution for passing this By-law agreed to by the council the fourth day of January, 1916, and confirmed the first day of February, 1916.

(SEAL) (Sgd.) JAS. D. DEANY, Mayor.
(Sgd.) BEN ABBEY, Councillor.
5934 (Sgd.) H. E. LAWSON, Town Clerk.

SHIRE OF DIMBOOLA.

NOTICE.

ALBERT BENJAMIN BURNS has been appointed Poundkeeper at Rainbow, vice Robert McDougall, dismissed.

ST. ELOY D'ALTON, Shire Secretary.
Shire Office, Jeparit, 3rd February, 1916. 5926

THE BAIRNSDALE AND ORBOST RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION DISTRICT.

RESOLUTION FOR THE MAKING OF A RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION RATE FOR THE YEAR 1ST MARCH, 1915, TO 29TH FEBRUARY, 1916.

AT a meeting of the Bairnsdale and Orbost Railway Construction Trust, held at Bruthen, on the 1st February, 1916, the following resolution was passed, on the motion of Councillor Terrill, seconded by Councillor Hutton:—

"That a railway construction rate be made upon all properties within the Bairnsdale and Orbost Railway Construction District; that the said rate, both for rateable properties under five acres and for rateable properties of five acres or more, be made either at the amounts in the £1, and according to the valuations, or at the amounts per acre, and according to the classification of the properties referred to or set out in the Schedules of Rates therefor, exhibited at this Trust meeting, and which have been approved by the Governor in Council. That the said rate be for the period commencing on the first day of March, 1915, and ending on the twenty-ninth day of February, 1916. That it be payable on the 22nd day of February, 1916, and that John Donald Macdonald, solicitor, Bruthen, be authorized to collect the said rate."

J. D. MACDONALD, Secretary.
Bruthen, 2nd February, 1916. 5936

SWAN HILL WATERWORKS TRUST.
LAYING OF MAINS.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 190 of the Water Act 1915, that the urban district of the Swan Hill Waterworks Trust is supplied with water.

Notice is hereby given to the owners of tenements in the streets enumerated in the schedule hereto, and the private streets, lanes, courts, and alleys opening thereon, that the main pipes in the said streets being laid down, the owners of all tenements situated as below described are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of March, 1916, next, to cause a proper pipe and stop-cocks to be laid so as to supply water from the main pipes within such premises:—

Pritchard-street, from Campbell-street to Curlewis-street.

McCallum-street, from High-street to the Murray River.

McCrae-street, from allotment one (1), section 43, to Campbell-street.

Rutherford-street, from allotment 5, section 43, to Curlewis-street.

Curlewis-street, from allotment 4, section 21, to allotment 9 of section 14.

Campbell-street, from allotment 4, section 22, to allotment 9 of section 14.

Beveridge-street, from allotment one (1), section 20, to allotment 10 of section 14; and thence across Gray-street (or Boundary-street) south-easterly 7 chains in line with Beveridge-street.

Splatt-street, from allotment 4 of section 42, to allotment 8 of section 15; and thence across Gray-street to the race-course.

High-street, from Pritchard-street to Wood-street.

Wood-street, from Splatt-street to High-street.

Pye-street, from Campbell-street to Curlewis-street.

Everingham-street, from Rutherford-street to the township boundary.

J. H. STEWART.

Trust Secretary.

Trust office, Swan Hill, 1st February, 1916. 5035

I, THE Most Reverend Thomas Joseph Carr, Doctor of Divinity, Archbishop of Melbourne, head or authorized representative in Victoria of the denomination known as Roman Catholic, with the consent of myself and Joseph Kennedy, of The Rest, Geelong-road, Footscray, gentleman, being the only surviving trustees of the land described in the subjoined statement of trusts, and of The Reverend Michael Murphy, being the person entitled to minister in or occupy a building or buildings upon the said land, hereby apply to the Governor of the State of Victoria for leave to dispose of the said land by the means and for the purposes mentioned in the said statement of trusts, and I hereby certify—

That the said land was reserved for Roman Catholic purposes.

That the only trustees of the said land resident in the said State are myself and the said Joseph Kennedy.

That the only buildings on the said land are a church, two schools, presbytery, and a dwelling; and

That the only person authorized to minister in or occupy the same is the above-named Michael Murphy.

* THOMAS J. CARR.

We consent to this application—

MICHAEL MURPHY.
JOSEPH KENNEDY.

STATEMENT OF TRUSTS.

Description of Land.—1 acre 2 roods 39 perches, county of Bourke, parish of Cut Paw Paw, city of Footscray, being section 4A: Commencing at the intersection of the north side of Wingfield-street and the east side of Whitehall-street; bounded thence by the last-named street bearing north 12 degrees east 2 chains 89 9-10 links; thence by Hopkins-street bearing south 89 degrees 51 minutes east 5 chains 15½ links; thence by Morland-street bearing south 12 degrees 4 minutes west 4 chains 1 8-10 links; and thence by Wingfield-street bearing north 77 degrees 19 minutes west 5 chains 4 2-10 links to the point of commencement.

Name of Trustee.—The Roman Catholic Trusts Corporation for the Diocese of Melbourne.

Powers of Disposition.—To sell, transfer, mortgage, charge, lease, exchange, give, grant, or dispose of the whole or any part of the said land.

Purposes to which Proceeds of Disposition are to be Applied.—To such purposes of the Roman Catholic Church in the Diocese of Melbourne as a Council of such Diocese, under the provisions of Act No. 2100, may from time to time by resolution direct.

GAVAN DUFFY & KING, No. 125 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the applicant. 5955

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Hawthorn Tramways Trust to borrow the sum of Twenty thousand pounds for the purposes of the construction of the tramway authorized by Order in Council of the twenty-fourth day of March; One thousand nine hundred and fifteen; to be constructed in the municipal district of the city of Camberwell, such sum to be repayable in ten years, with interest thereon in the meantime at the rate of Five pounds ten shillings per centum per annum, at the Colonial Bank of Australasia Limited, Elizabeth-street, in the city of Melbourne, or other the bankers for the time being of the Trust in the said city of Melbourne. The loan will be liquidated by investing in every year a sum equivalent to Ten shillings per centum on the amount thereof to form a sinking fund.

Dated this 1st day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

A. M. HUSLOP, Acting Secretary to the said Trust,
31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5966

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Hawthorn Tramways Trust to borrow the sum of Fifty thousand pounds for the purposes of its undertaking, such sum to be repayable in ten years, with interest thereon in the meantime at the rate of Five pounds per centum per annum, at the Colonial Bank of Australasia Limited, Elizabeth-street, in the city of Melbourne, or other the bankers for the time being of the Trust, in the said city of Melbourne. The loan will be liquidated by investing in every year a sum equivalent to Ten shillings per centum on the amount thereof to form a sinking fund.

Dated this 1st day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

A. M. HUSLOP, Acting Secretary to the said Trust,
31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5967

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned Edgar Charles Busch and Ernest Talbot Busch, under the trading name of "Busch Brothers," as butchers, at No. 63 Puckle-street, Moonee Ponds, has been dissolved as from the first day of February instant. The business will in future be carried on solely on his own account by the said Edgar Charles Busch, who will receive all moneys due to and discharge all liabilities owing by the late firm.

Dated this seventh day of February, 1916.

EDGAR C. BUSCH.
ERNEST T. BUSCH.

Witness to signatures—JAMES M. SHANNON, solicitor,
&c., Melbourne. 5995

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between Frank Gilbert Chipperfield and Charles Harold Page, carrying on business as box manufacturers and printers, under the style or firm of Chipperfield & Page, at Shelley-street, North Richmond, has been dissolved as from the first day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen. The business will in future be carried on at the same address by the said Frank Gilbert Chipperfield, who will receive and pay all outstanding accounts.

Dated the 2nd day of February, 1916.

FRANK G. CHIPPERFIELD.
CHARLES H. PAGE.

Witness to the signatures of Frank Gilbert Chipperfield and Charles Harold Page—GEORGE R. BANNERMAN,
Selborne-road, Toorak.

Hodgson and Finlayson, solicitors, Collins House, 360 Collins-street, Melbourne. 5988

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between Ronald Albert Derrick, Walter Johnston Steele, and John Gale Pottenger, trading as Derrick & Steele, as builders and contractors, at Swanston-street, Melbourne, and elsewhere in the State of Victoria, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of November, 1915. The said Ronald Albert Derrick and Walter Johnston Steele will carry on the said business as formerly, under the style of Derrick & Steele, and pay all debts owing by and receive all moneys owing to the late partnership.

Dated the 24th day of January, 1916.

RONALD ALBERT DERRICK.
WALTER JOHNSTON STEELE.
JOHN GALE POTTENGER.

Witness—P. CLAUDE TULLY, clerk to W. R. Rylah,
solicitor, Melbourne.

W. R. Rylah, M.A., LL.M., Royal Bank Chambers, 70 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, solicitor. 5973

CHARLEY MOTORS LIMITED
(IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of above company will be held at the office of the liquidator, 375 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the seventeenth day of March, 1916, at Two p.m. for the purpose of receiving the liquidator's final winding up account.

Dated the eighth day of February, 1916.
5993 GEORGE KINROSS, Liquidator.

THE MORELAND SMELTING WORKS
PROPRIETARY LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).

PURSUANT to section 189, sub-section (1), Companies Act 1910, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above company will be held at 31 Dudley-street, West Melbourne, at Eleven a.m. on the ninth day of February, 1916.

5990 ED. McDONNELL, Liquidator.

Companies Act 1915.

THE MAGNUS TYRE PROTECTOR CO. LTD.—
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1915, notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the said company will be held at 48 Queen-street, Melbourne, on the eighteenth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, at the hour of Three o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 4th day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.
5962 A. J. WATSON, Liquidator.

Companies Act 1915.

THE MAGNUS TYRE PROTECTOR CO. LTD.

AT a General Meeting of the Members of the said company, duly convened and held at Champion's (Queen's Arms) Hotel, Swanston-street, Melbourne, on the third day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, the following extraordinary resolutions were duly passed:—

1. That the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up.
2. That Mr. Alfred James Watson, of 48 Queen-street, Melbourne, be appointed liquidator.

Dated this fourth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.
5963 A. J. WATSON, Liquidator.

The Companies Act.—In the matter of the HOT WATER & RADIATION PTY. LTD. (In Liquidation).

A FINAL Meeting of Shareholders of the above company will be held at the office of the liquidator, 28 and 29 Fink's Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, at Eleven o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd day of February, 1916.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1916.
JAMES MOFFITT GRAHAM, Liquidator.
Edward Graham and Sons, public accountants and trade assignees, 28 and 29 Fink's Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne 5964

The Companies Act.—In the matter of CHICAGO PROPRIETARY LIMITED, of 290 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria (In Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders, held at the registered office of the company, 290 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the fourth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, an extraordinary resolution was passed, that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the meeting that the company could not, by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it was advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, and that Edward William Smail, of 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, be and is hereby appointed liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

Dated the 4th day of February, 1916.
EDWARD W. SMAIL, F.C.P.A., liquidator of the above company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5978

AGNES SMITH STEPHENSON, DECEASED.

CREDITORS, next of kin, and all others having claims against the estate of the undermentioned person are required to send particulars thereof to the Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, on or before the 4th day of March, 1916:—

Name—AGNES SMITH STEPHENSON.
Usual Residence—Wellington, District of Paarl, Province of Cape of Good Hope, South Africa.
Occupation of Deceased—Bookkeeper.
Date of Death—2nd of June, 1915.
SIR GEORGE TURNER, 341 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the said company. 5968

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE JOSEPH SCHOLÉS
LOMAX; DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Trusts Act 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Joseph Scholés Lomax, late of 124 Chapel-street, Balaclava, in the State of Victoria, retired musician, deceased, intestate (who died on the 23rd day of October, 1915; and letters of administration of whose estate were, on the 27th day of January, 1916, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to The Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited, of 89-91 Queen-street, Melbourne), are hereby requested to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the said association, at its address as above, on or before the fourteenth day of March, 1916. And notice is hereby given that after that date the said association will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph Scholés Lomax, deceased, intestate, which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said association shall then have had notice; and the said association will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this third day of February, 1916.
H. W. SHEPHERD, of 317 Collins-street, Melbourne, 5994
proctor for the said association.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—JOHN HARBISON,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Trusts Act 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Harbison, late of Power-street, Hawthorn, in the State of Victoria, gentleman, deceased (who died on the twenty-eighth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose last will was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria to James Alexander Harbison, of Nunurkab, in the said State, and John Wesley Harbison, of West Maitland, in the State of New South Wales, medical practitioners), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executors on or before the thirtieth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Harbison, deceased, which shall have come to their hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this third day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

LOUGHREY & DOUGLAS, of 472 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executors. 5984

RICHARD CORY, DECEASED:

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Trusts Act 1915, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Richard Cory, late of Oscar House, in the city of Cardiff, Wales, esquire, deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1914, and an exemplification of the probate of whose will, with twelve codicils thereto, granted out of the District Probate Registry, at Llandaff, of His Majesty's High Court of Justice; on the 4th day of January, 1915, to Beatrice Cory, Theodora John Cory, Robert Wilberforce Cory, Richard Penrose Kernick, and Richard Morgan, the executors appointed by the said will and codicils, was sealed by the Supreme Court of Victoria, on the 2nd day of February, 1916; on the application of Lauchlan Kenneth Scobie Mackinnon; of 120 William-street, Melbourne; in the State of Victoria, solicitor, the duly authorized attorney under power of the said executors), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the said Lauchlan Kenneth Scobie Mackinnon, at 120 William-street, Melbourne aforesaid, on or before the 11th day of March, 1916. And notice is hereby given that after such last-mentioned date the said Lauchlan Kenneth Scobie Mackinnon will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto; or forward same to the said executors for that purpose, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said Lauchlan Kenneth Scobie Mackinnon shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed or dealt with to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated the 7th day of February, 1916.

BLAKE & RIGGALL, 120 William-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said Lauchlan Kenneth Scobie Mackinnon. 5959

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* ELIZABETH
DICKIE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Elizabeth Dickie, late of Esplanade, Brighton, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the 19th day of August, 1915, and probate of whose will was granted to The Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, of number 333 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, and Hume Robertson, of Esplanade, Brighton Beach, in the said State, clergyman, executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company on or before the 11th day of March, 1916. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Elizabeth Dickie, deceased, which shall have come to their hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which they shall have then had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1916.
G. LINDSAY SKINNER & CO., 230 Collins-street,
Melbourne, proctors for the said executors. 5970

RE ALICE ELIZABETH MCKENZIE, DECEASED.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Alice Elizabeth McKenzie, late of Miller-street, North Fitzroy, in the State of Victoria, married woman, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of November, 1915, letters of administration, with the will annexed, of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the first day of February, 1916, to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the said company having been authorized to apply for such letters of administration, with the will annexed, by Robert Haden Smith, the sole executor appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to the said company, at its said address, on or before the 25th day of March, 1916, after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice.

Dated the fifth day of February, 1916.
FRANK SHAW FITCHETT, Temple Court, Mel-
bourne, proctor. 5985

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* SAMUEL MARCUS
DILL CAIRNS, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Samuel Marcus Dill Cairns, late of Yackandandah, in Victoria, accountant, deceased (who died on the twenty-ninth day of May, 1915, and probate of whose will and codicil was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, on the eleventh day of August, 1915, to Arthur Molyneux Wallace, of Kerangah, in Victoria, grazier, the sole executor named therein), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executor, care of the undersigned, at the undermentioned address, on or before the eighteenth day of March, 1916, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated the first day of February, 1916.
GEO. H. WRAY, Yackandandah, proctor for the said
executor. 5928

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Jessie Stringer, formerly of 108 Railway-place, Williamstown, in the State of Victoria, but late of Bambra-road, Caulfield, in the said State, widow, deceased (who died on the 28th day of October, 1915, and probate of whose will was, on the 3rd day of February, 1916, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to The Equify Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the sole executor named therein), are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the said company, on or before the 14th day of March, 1916, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard to and being liable only for those claims of which it shall then have had notice.

Dated the 4th day of February, 1916.
TOLHURST & DRUCE, 418 Chancery-lane, Mel-
bourne, proctors for the said company. 5957

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* JESSIE ADA
SHANNON, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Jessie Ada Shannon, late of Lismore, in the State of New South Wales, deceased, formerly the wife of Donald Kennedy Shannon, of Lismore aforesaid, auctioneer (who died on the sixth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose will was sealed by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the application of The Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales Limited, of O'Connell-street, Sydney, in the said State, the executor appointed by the said will, and to whom probate was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its probate jurisdiction), are hereby required to send in notice, in writing, of such claims on or before the ninth day of March next to the said company. And notice is given that after that date the said company will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the moneys, or any part thereof, so distributed to any persons of whose claim it shall not have had notice.

Dated this seventh day of February, 1916.
DAVIES & CAMPBELL, 267 Collins-street, Mel-
bourne, proctors for the said executor. 5969

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1890, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Carl-Heinrich Fimmel, late of Kewell East, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (probate of whose will has been granted to John Christian Fimmel and Ernest Frederick Fimmel, both of Kewell East aforesaid, farmers, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to forward particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, on or before the twelfth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any persons of which claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this first day of February, One thousand nine
hundred and sixteen.
ANDERSON & SEWELL, Minyip, proctors for the
said executors. 5929

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1890, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Murphy, late of Rupanyp, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (probate of whose will has been granted to John Joseph Murphy, of Burreroo, in the said State, farmer, and Annie Catherine Murphy, of Rupanyp aforesaid, spinster, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to forward particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, on or before the twelfth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any persons of which claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this first day of February, One thousand nine
hundred and sixteen.
ANDERSON & SEWELL, Minyip, proctors for the
said executors. 5930

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* CHARLES
FREDERICK WILLIAM McCABE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Charles Frederick William McCabe, late of Ni Ni East, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the twenty-second day of September, 1915, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to The Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of Camp-street, Ballarat), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, on or before the twenty-fifth day of March, 1916. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Frederick William McCabe, deceased, which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, 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 first day of February, 1916.
J. W. TRUMBLE & PALMER, Nhill, proctors for
the said company. 5931

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* JAMES HOGAN,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of James Hogan, late of McCrae-street, Bendigo, in the State of Victoria, retired coachbuilder, deceased (who died on the twenty-third day of August, 1915, and probate of whose last will was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the thirteenth day of December, 1915, to John Francis Kelly, of Neale-street, Bendigo aforesaid, estate agent, the executor named therein), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, at his office hereunder mentioned, on or before the twenty-third day of March, 1916, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Hogan, deceased, which shall have come to his hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this eighth day of February, 1916.

DANIEL H. HOGAN, Bull-street, Bendigo, proctor
for the said executor. 5952

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—*RE* MARTIN WILLIAM
HEGNEY, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Martin William Hegney, late of Mildura, in the State of Victoria, boardinghouse-keeper, deceased (who died on the seventeenth day of October, 1915, and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Martin William Hegney, of Mildura, in the said State, labourer, the sole executor named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned Percy T. Park, the proctor for the said Martin William Hegney, on or before the tenth day of March, 1916. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Martin William Hegney, deceased, which shall have come to his hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this fourth day of February, 1916.

PERCY T. PARK, Risbey's Chambers, Deakin-avenue, Mildura, proctor for the said Martin William Hegney. 5953

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Joseph Bird, late of Bourke-street, Kyneton, in the State of Victoria, farmer and grazier, deceased (who died on the 18th day of September, 1915, and probate of whose will was, on the 15th day of December, 1915, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria to William Bird, of Tylden, in the said State, farmer, and Frank Thrum Stevens, of Kyneton aforesaid, solicitor, the executors appointed by the will), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executors, in care of the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of March, 1916, after which date the executors will distribute the assets amongst the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have then had notice; and the executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1916.

PALMER, STEVENS, & RENNICK, solicitors,
Kyneton. 5999

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Reginald George Porter, formerly of number 7 Curran-road, North Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, but late of Oakleigh Ruspier-road, Hoorsham, in the county of Sussex, England, retired clerk, deceased, intestate (who died on the tenth day of August, 1915, and administration of whose estate was granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the twenty-sixth day of January, 1916, to Thomas Cauvine Alston, of 103-105 William-street, Melbourne, in the said State, solicitor, the duly appointed attorney of Edward Paty Porter, the administrator, to whom letters of administration were granted in England), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said Thomas Cauvine Alston, care of the

undersigned, at their office hereunder mentioned, on or before the fifteenth day of March, 1916, after which date the said Thomas Cauvine Alston will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Reginald George Porter, deceased, intestate, which shall have come to his hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Thomas Cauvine Alston will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this third day of February, 1916.

HEDDERWICK, FOOKES, & ALSTON, of 103-105
William-street, Melbourne, solicitors for the said ad-
ministrator. 5987

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of William Derby, late of Kyneton, in the State of Victoria, retired farmer, deceased (who died on the 24th day of May, 1915, and probate of whose will was, on the 17th day of July, 1915, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria to Thomas Crewther, machinist, and Frank Thrum Stevens, solicitor, both of Kyneton aforesaid, the executors appointed by the will), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executors, in care of the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of March, 1916, after which date the executors will distribute the assets amongst the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1916.

PALMER, STEVENS, & RENNICK, solicitors,
Kyneton. 5938

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MARY CARLESS,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Carless, late of Frankston-road, Chelsea, and Yeoman-street, Northcote, in the State of Victoria, spinster (who died on the twenty-sixth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and probate of whose last will was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria to Neville Carless, of 11 Cameron-street, Moreland, in the said State, clerk), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executor, on or before the thirtieth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mary Carless, deceased, which shall have come to his hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this third day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

LOUGHREY & DOUGLAS, of 472 Little Collins-
street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executor. 5983

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MARY KEFFORD,
DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Kefford, late of No. 65 Oxford-street, Collingwood, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the thirty-first day of December, 1915, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the twenty-sixth day of January, 1916, to Jessie Annie Kefford, of No. 65 Oxford-street, Collingwood aforesaid, spinster, and Frederick Kefford, of No. 30 Mirams-street, Ascot Vale, in the said State, carrier's assistant, the executrix and executor named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said executrix and executor, care of the undersigned, Messieurs Maddock, Jamieson, and Lonie, proctors for the said executrix and executor, on or before the eleventh day of March, 1916, after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. And the said executrix and executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this third day of February, 1916.

MADDOCK, JAMIESON, & LONIE, of 136 and 138
Queen-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said executrix
and executor. 5989

HENRY O'BRIEN DOUGLAS, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, all persons having any claims against the estate of Henry O'Brien Douglas, late of Dick-street, Randwick, in the State of New South Wales, property manager, deceased, intestate, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims, addressed to Mrs. Gertrude Herbert Douglas, of Hoddle-street, Elsternwick, in the State of Victoria, the widow of the said deceased, and the administratrix to whom letters of administration of the estate of the said deceased have been granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on or before the eleventh day of March next, after which date the administratrix will proceed to a distribution of the assets of the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto; having regard only to those claims of which she shall then have received notice.

Dated the fifth day of February, 1916.

DARVALL & HORSFALL, 225 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the administratrix. 5972

In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Frank Geach, of Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitor, the said Sheriff will, on Monday, the 13th day of March, 1916, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, cause to be sold, at the police station, Moorabbin (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 Frank Geach in and to all that piece of land containing five acres two roods thirteen perches and eight-tenths of a perch, or thereabouts, being lots 5, 6, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 33, 34, 35, 40, 41, 42, 46, 47, and 48 on plan of subdivision No. 1022, lodged in the Office of Titles, and being parts of Crown portion 36, at South Brighton, parish of Moorabbin, county of Bourke, and being the whole of the land remaining untransferred in certificate of title entered in the register-book, volume 3390, folio 677845:

N.B.—Terms: Cash.

Dated at Melbourne this second day of February, 1916. 5976

C. J. HARDY, Sheriff's Officer.

In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Noel Stafford, of Yarek, the said Sheriff will, on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, 1916, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, cause to be sold, at Smith's Sale Yards, Yarek (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 Noel Stafford in and to all those pieces of land containing 384 acres 3 roods and 2 perches, or thereabouts, being Crown allotments 7, 7A, 7B, 13, 18, and 18A, and part of Crown allotment 14, section A, parish of Yarek, county of Anglesey, being the whole of the land more particularly described in the certificates of title entered in the register-book, volume 3878, folio 775533; volume 3878, folio 775534; volume 3878, folio 775535, and volume 2986, folio 597151.

N.B.—Terms: Cash. No cheques taken.

Dated at Seymour this 7th day of February, 1916. 5954

DUNCAN STEWART, Sheriff's Bailiff.

In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.*

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Susan Doolan, the said sheriff will, on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1916, at the hour of Three o'clock in the afternoon, cause to be sold at the Police Station, Koonibook (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 Susan Doolan, in and to all that piece of land being allotment 2, section B, parish of Murrabit, county of Gunbower, containing 319 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, more particularly described in Crown grant, entered in the register book, volume 2621, folio 524014.

N.B.—Terms: Cash. No cheques taken.

Dated at Kerang this 4th day of February, 1916. 5937

JOHN COLEMAN, Sheriff's Officer.

Mining Notices.

HOPE GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above company is hereby convened, and will be held at the registered office of the company, A.M.P. Chambers, Lydiard-street north, Ballarat, on Friday, 18th February, 1916, at Two o'clock in the afternoon; for the purpose of considering and ordering on the following business, namely:—

Business:

1. To wind up the company voluntarily under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1890*.
2. To confirm the action of the directors in disposing of the plant and leases of the company.
3. To determine how the books and documents of the company shall be disposed of after completion of such winding up.
4. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

Dated the 25th day of January, 1916.

By order of the Board,

5832

A. J. PEACOCK, Manager.

WEBB'S CONSOLS NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 8th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable to me at the registered office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 8th March, 1916.

A. M. HISLOP, Manager.
Cleveland and Son, public accountants, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5960

MELBOURNE AND ALTONA COLLIERY COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that all shares upon which the 23rd call of Threepence per share remains unpaid will be sold by public auction, in the Vestibule of the Stock Exchange, Melbourne, on Thursday, the 17th of February, 1916, at half-past Eleven a.m.:

J. MEA. HOWDEN, Manager.
98 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne, 5974

CLONBINANE GOLD AND ANTIMONY MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE.

ALL shares forfeited for non-payment of the January call (the 3rd), of Two-pence per share (and previous calls), will be absolutely sold, at the Stock Exchange Hall, Collins-street, Melbourne, on 16th February, 1916 at half-past Eleven a.m., unless previously redeemed:

W. BRUCE FOX, Manager.
123 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5975

THE MOUNT MURPHY WOLFRAM MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL.

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that an increase in the capital of the above-named company was, on the 3rd day of February, 1916, resolved on.

The mode adopted for the increase is by raising the amount and number of the Four hundred shares of £12 each, existing in the company, to Thirty thousand shares of £1 each, with a total capital of £30,000.

GEORGE WALLACE CRABBE, Manager.

WILLIAM HENRY HAMBLY, } Directors of the
GEO. HALEY, } above-named company.

5886

THE PRICE COPPER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, TASMANIA.

THE undermentioned shares in the above company, forfeited for non-payment of the 6th call of Two-pence per share and all previous calls, will be sold by public auction, at the office of the company, Nos. 6 and 7 "The Block," Collins-street, Melbourne, Thursday, the 17th day of February, 1916, at Twelve o'clock noon. All shares numbered 1 to 12,100 inclusive on which the said calls remain unpaid.

5961

C. L. WIBEER, Manager.

Insolvency Notices.

The Insolvency Acts.—In the matter of **GEORGE TUFF**, of 213-215 Bay-street, Port Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, draper, whose estate was assigned on the 10th December, 1915.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in this matter. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 23rd February, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1916.

JAMES MOFFITT GRAHAM, Trustee.

Edward Graham & Sons, public accountants and trade assignees, 27 and 29 Fink's Buildings, Melbourne. 5971

The Insolvency Act 1915.—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of **Thomas Coatley**, of 87 Islington-street, Collingwood, in the State of Victoria, Boot Manufacturer, whose estate was assigned to me on the 17th day of January, 1916. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 23rd day of February, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1916.

F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

Wilson, Rattray & Danby, public accountants, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne, and at Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide, and Perth. 5982

The Insolvency Acts.—In the matter of the separate assigned estate of **EWEN ALEXANDER GRANT**, a member of the firm of Grant and McEwen, of Merino, store-keeper.

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above named, whose estate was assigned for benefit of creditors, on 13th day of October, 1914. Creditors who have not proved their debts by 23rd day of February, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1916.

E. GERALD BALDING, Trustee.

Davey, Balding and Co., public accountants, South British Buildings, 19 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5980

The Insolvency Acts.—In the matter of **JOSEPH MICHAEL CASHMORE**, of 146 Bridgeport-street, Albert Park, mercer, whose estate was assigned on the 26th January, 1916.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in this matter. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 23rd February, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1916.

JAMES MOFFITT GRAHAM, Trustee.

Edward Graham and Sons, public accountants and trade assignees, 28 and 29 Fink's Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne. 5965

The Insolvency Acts.—In the matter of the assigned estate of **ALFRED ERNEST NICHOLAS**, of Maryborough, ironmonger.

A THIRD Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above named, whose estate was assigned for benefit of creditors, on 16th day of October, 1913. Creditors who have not proved their debts by 23rd day of February, 1916, will be excluded.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1916.

E. GERALD BALDING, Trustee.

Davey, Balding and Co., public accountants, South British Buildings, 19 Queen-street, Melbourne. 5979

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Northern District, at Shepparton.—In the insolvent estate of **HAROLD JAMES ROBERT HENRY FIDLER**, of Shepparton, in the State of Victoria, painter and decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given that **I. Frederick George Wilson**, of 47 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, accountant, have been duly appointed to fill the office of trustee of the property of the above-named insolvent, and that such appointment was duly confirmed by an order of the Court of Insolvency, at Shepparton, made on the 4th day of February, 1916. All persons having in their possession any effects of the insolvent must deliver them to me as such trustee, and all debts due to the insolvent must be paid to me as such trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to me as such trustee.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1916.

F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

Wilson, Rattray and Danby, public accountants, Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide, and Perth. 5992

In the Court of Insolvency, Melbourne District.—In the matter of **WALTER HENRY HAWKESFORD**, formerly of number 659 Nicholson-street, North Carlton, but now of number 2 Moffat-street, Brighton Beach, carpenter, an insolvent.

THE above-named Walter Henry Hawkesford intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Melbourne, on the seventh day of March, 1916, at half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the Insolvency Acts, and to dispense with the condition mentioned in section 233 of the Insolvency Act 1915.

Dated the eighth day of February, 1916.

(Signature) **W. H. HAWKESFORD**.

McKay and Thwaites, 360 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitors. 5977

Impoundings.

BALLARAT.—Impounded at Ballarat City Pound.

1 red or yellow cow, near ear marked, off horn turned down, white on face and brisket, indistinct brand like O off rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd March, 1916.

5939—4/1 **O. DOUGLAS GADDEN**, Poundkeeper.

BRAYBROOK.—Impounded at Braybrook.

1 brindle cow, brindle and white head, white belly, ear marked, like A near rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th March, 1916.

5991—4/1 **P. O'SHANNASSY**, Poundkeeper.

COBURG.—Impounded at Coburg.

1 red and white bull calf, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1916.

5997—3/6 **C. THORNTON**, Poundkeeper.

CRESSY.—Impounded at Cressy, 20th December, 1915, by Constable Leese.

1 dark-red bull, slit near ear, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd March, 1916.

5949—4/1 **C. KLIEN**, Poundkeeper.

EPPING.—Impounded at Epping, 6th February, 1916.

1 bay mare, star on forehead, black points, no visible brand
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1916.

5946—3/6 **WILLIAM BOYLE**, Poundkeeper.

HAMILTON.—Impounded at Hamilton Borough Pound, by Town Inspector.

1 bay pony colt, little white, on off hind foot, forehead, and nose, long tail, like AO near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 23rd February, 1916.

5945—4/8 **A. BLOOMFIELD**, Poundkeeper.

KEILOR.—Impounded at Keilor, by Mr. C. Deed.

1 piebald horse, saddle and harness sort, JM near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1916.

5996—3/6 **MATTHEW McGRATH**, Poundkeeper.

MELBOURNE.—Impounded at Melbourne City Pound, Laurens-street, North Melbourne, by G. W. Farleigh.

1 brown mare, G on near shoulder
1 bay filly, three white fetlocks, no visible brand
1 brindle and white heifer, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1916.

5948—5/3 **C. CAVANAGH**, Poundkeeper.

MORTLAKE.—Impounded at Mortlake, 1st February, 1916, by Mr. John Cameron, Herdsman, from the Sisters.

1 black pony filly, HB off shoulder
1 grey filly, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1916.

JAMES ABSALOM,
Poundkeeper.

5940—5/3

NEERIM SOUTH.—Impounded at Neerim South; 1st February, 1916.

1 dark grey mare, scar on knee, M near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th March, 1916.

JOHN McINTOSH,
Poundkeeper.

5950—4/1

NEWBRIDGE.—Impounded at Newbridge.

1 red steer, star forehead, white on belly and legs, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1916.

C. JENNINGS,
Poundkeeper.

5941—4/1

RAINBOW.—Impounded at Rainbow, 29th January, 1916, by H. O'Sullivan.

1 dark-red and white bull, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 25th February, 1916.

A. B. BURNS,
Poundkeeper.

5927—4/1

SOUTH GIPPSLAND.—Impounded at South Gippsland Shire Pound, 8th February, 1916, by Herdsman.

1 red cow, few white spots, quarter out under side off ear; heifer calf at foot

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1916.

EDWARD ASTBURY,
Poundkeeper.

5993—4/8

TAMBO.—Impounded at Tambo Shire Pound.

1 red and white heifer, piece out both ears, like B near ribs, like R off rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 25th February, 1916.

J. W. BROOK,
Poundkeeper.

5942—4/1

TATURA.—Impounded at Tatura.

2 merino wethers, store condition, notch both ears, raddle on shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1916.

THOS. MARTIN,
Poundkeeper.

5943—4/1

TRARALGON.—Impounded at Traralgon, 4th February, 1916, by Herdsman, from Tyers roads.

1 blue-roan cow, top off off ear, tar mark, 2 near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th March, 1916.

H. F. DU VÉ,
Poundkeeper.

5947—4/1

WEST FRAMLINGHAM.—Impounded at West Framlingham, by G. Williams.

1 bay gelding, light delivery sort, three white feet, star and snip, blenish off hock, like T off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1916.

J. McLENNAN,
Poundkeeper.

5951—4/8

YARPTURK.—Impounded at Yarpturk, by C. Smith.

1 Lincoln ram, two notches bottom near ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 4th March, 1916.

A. G. MORRISS,
Poundkeeper.

5944—2/5

POUNDKEEPERS' REMITTANCES.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER acknowledges the receipt of the undermentioned sums:—

1916.	£	s.	d.
February 8.—Jas. Absalom	0 5 0
February 8.—C. Jennings	0 1 9
February 8.—J. W. Brook	0 5 0
February 8.—T. Martin	0 4 1
February 8.—A. G. Morriss	0 3 6
February 8.—J. McLennan	0 5 6
February 8.—A. Bloomfield	0 3 0
February 8.—Win. Boyle	0 5 0
February 8.—H. F. Du VÉ	2 0 0
February 9.—D. McLean	0 3 6

ALBERT J. MULLETT,
Government Printer.

9th February, 1916.

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

COPIES of the following Consolidated Acts of the Parliament of Victoria may be obtained at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, or from any authorized bookseller at the price set opposite to each, viz. :—

	s.	d.
2643. Drainage of Land Act 1915	...	0 6
2644. Education Act 1915	...	1 3
2645. Electric Light and Power Act 1915	...	1 0
2646. Employers and Employees Act 1915	...	1 0
2647. Evidence Act 1915	...	1 6
2648. Explosives Act 1915	...	1 0
2649. Export Products Act 1915	...	0 6
2650. Factories and Shops Act 1915	...	2 3
2651. Fences Act 1915	...	0 9
2652. Fertilizers Act 1915	...	1 0
2653. Fire Brigades Act 1915	...	1 3
2654. Fisheries Act 1915	...	0 9
2655. Forests Act 1915	...	1 0
2656. Friendly Societies Act 1915	...	1 6
2657. Fruit Act 1915	...	1 0
2658. Game Act 1915	...	0 9
2659. Gaols Act 1915	...	1 0
2660. Geelong Harbor Trust Act 1915	...	1 6
2661. Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Act 1915	...	1 6
2662. Gold Buyers Act 1915	...	1 0
2663. Goods Act 1915	...	1 3
2664. Hawkers and Pedlars Act 1915	...	0 6
2665. Health Act 1915	...	3 3
2666. Hospitals and Charities Act 1915	...	0 9
2667. Imprisonment of Fraudulent Debtors Act 1915	...	1 0
2668. Income Tax Act 1915	...	1 6
2669. Inebriates Act 1915	...	0 6
2670. Infant Life Protection Act 1915	...	1 0
2671. Insolvency Act 1915	...	3 0
2672. Instruments Act 1915	...	2 6
2673. Inter-State Destitute Persons Relief Act 1915	...	0 9
2674. Juries Act 1915	...	1 0
2675. Justices Act 1915	...	3 6
2676. Land Act 1915	...	3 6
2677. Landlord and Tenant Act 1915	...	1 3
2678. Lands Compensation Act 1915	...	1 0
2679. Land Surveyors Act 1915	...	0 6
2680. Land Tax Act 1915	...	1 3
2681. Legal Profession Practice Act 1915	...	0 6
2682. Libraries Act 1915	...	0 6
2683. Licensing Act 1915	...	3 0
2684. Lifts Regulation Act 1915	...	0 6
2685. Livery and Agistment Act 1915	...	0 6
2686. Local Government Act 1915	...	6 9
2687. Lunacy Act 1915	...	2 3
2688. Marine Act 1915	...	2 6
2689. Marine Stores and Old Metals Act 1915	...	1 0
2690. Markets Act 1915	...	0 9
2691. Marriage Act 1915	...	2 0
2692. Married Women's Property Act 1915	...	0 9
2693. Master and Apprentice Act 1915	...	0 6
2694. Meat Supervision Act 1915	...	1 0
2695. Medical Act 1915	...	1 3
2696. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1915	...	2 6
2697. Melbourne Harbor Trust Act 1915	...	1 6
2698. Mines Act 1915	...	5 3
2699. Mining Development Act 1915	...	1 0
2700. Mint Act 1915	...	0 6
2701. Money Lenders Act 1915	...	0 6
2702. Motor Car Act 1915	...	0 9
2703. Neglected Children's Act 1915	...	1 0
2704. Partnership Act 1915	...	1 0
2705. Pawnbrokers Act 1915	...	1 0
2706. Penalties Act 1915	...	0 6
2707. Poisons Act 1915	...	1 0

	s.	d.
2708. Police Offences Act 1915	2	6
2709. Police Regulation Act 1915	1	0
2710. Pounds Act 1915	0	9
2711. Printers and Newspapers Act 1915	0	6
2712. Provident Societies Act 1915	0	6
2713. Public Service Act 1915	2	0
2714. Public Works Act 1915	1	6
2715. Railway Lands Acquisition Act 1915	1	3
2716. Railways Act 1915	1	9
2717. Railways Standing Committee Act 1915	0	9
2718. Rating on Unimproved Values Act 1915	0	9
2719. Real Property Act 1915	1	9
2720. Registration of Births Deaths and Marriages Act 1915	1	0
2721. Seamen's Act 1915	0	6
2722. Seeds Act 1915	0	6
2723. Senate Elections (Times and Places) Act 1915	0	6
2724. Servants' Registry Offices Act 1915	0	6
2725. Settled Estates and Settled Lands Act 1915	1	9
2726. Shearers' Hut Accommodation Act 1915	0	6
2727. Sheep Dipping Act 1915	0	6
2728. Stamps Act 1915	1	9
2729. State Savings Bank Act 1915	1	9
2730. Statistics Act 1915	0	6
2731. Stock Diseases Act 1915	1	3
2732. Stock Foods Act 1915	0	6
2733. Supreme Court Act 1915	2	0
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Factories and Shops Act.

DETERMINATION OF THE CARTERS BOARD.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts, the Special Board appointed to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed in carting or driving, or assisting in carting or driving, in connexion with or incidental to some trade or business (except drivers of cabs and vehicles connected with the business of a livery stable-keeper) carried on within the area in which the Factories and Shops Act has effect, other than persons carting or driving, or assisting in carting or driving, in connexion with a trade, business or occupation which may be or is the subject of a Determination of any one of the following Special Boards:—

1. Board,
Bread Carters Board,
Grocers Board,
Hay, Chaff, Wood and Coal Board (*now superseded by the Chaffcutters Board, Coal and Coke Board, Fuel and Fodder Board, Country Fuel and Fodder Board*)—

has made the following Determination, viz.:—

1. That the previous Determinations of this Board are hereby amended, and such amendments shall come into force and be operative on and after the 21st day of February, 1916.

2. NOTE.—The Carters Board when first constituted had power to fix rates for Pastrycooks' Carters, Quarrymen's Carters, and Aerated Water Carters. These powers were taken away by Orders in Council dated 12th June, 1911, 14th July, 1911, and 2nd September, 1912, respectively.

3. That the lowest rate of wages to be paid to the following persons shall be—

Drivers of—	Within the Metropolitan District.			Outside the Metropolitan District wherever this Determination applies.			Extra for each additional Horse.	In any place. Per week of—
	One Horse.	Two Horses.	Three Horses.	One Horse.	Two Horses.	Three Horses.		
Buses	57s	57s.	...	54s. 6d.	54s. 6d.	...	..	54 hours *
Trams	54s.	54s.	...	51s. 6d.	51s. 6d.	...	..	48 hours.*
Ice Carts	55s.	60s.	63s.	52s. 6d.	57s. 6d.	60s. 6d.	2s.	57 hours from 1st November to 31st March, and 44 hours from 1st April to 30th October.*
Jinkers and Boiler Trucks	60s.	65s.	67s. 6d.	57s. 6d.	62s. 6d.	65s.	2s. 6d.	52½ hours.*
Milk Carts	55s.	60s.	63s.	52s. 6d.	57s. 6d.	60s. 6d.	2s.	55 hours from 1st October to 31st March, and 50 hours from 1st April to 30th September.*
Sanitary Carts— Between 6 a.m. and 6 p.m.	55s.	60s.	...	52s. 6d.	57s. 6d.	...	...	52½ hours.*
Between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m.	60s.	65s.	...	57s. 6d.	62s. 6d.	...	...	52½ hours.*
All other Vehicles	55s.	60s.	63s.	52s. 6d.	57s. 6d.	60s. 6d.	2s.	52½ hours.*

	Within the Metropolitan District.	Outside the Metropolitan District wherever this Determination applies.
Drivers of one-horse tip drays	Per week of 62½ hours.* 54s.	Per week of 52½ hours.* 51s. 6d.
Drivers of two-horse tip drays	59s.	56s. 6d.
Drivers of two separate tip drays	65s.	62s. 6d.
Persons assisting in carting or driving horse-drawn vehicles	57s. 6d.	55s.
Drivers of motor vehicles up to 25 cwt. carrying capacity	Per week of 48 hours 60s.	Per week of 48 hours. 57s. 6d.
Drivers of motor vehicles over 25 cwt. carrying capacity	65s.	62s. 6d.
Persons assisting in carting or driving motor vehicles	54s.	51s. 6d.
Stablemen	Per week of 54 hours. 55s.	Per week of 54 hours. 52s. 6d.

* The hours fixed above for the week's work are to be taken as including time occupied in attending to horses.

CASUAL LABOUR.

4. That casual hands, i.e., persons who are employed during any week for not more than one-half the maximum number of hours fixed in this Determination as a week's work, shall be paid at the rate of 1s. per day extra.

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

"Apprentice" means any person under twenty-one years of age bound by indentures of apprenticeship, or any person over twenty-one years of age who, with the sanction of the Minister, is bound by indentures of apprenticeship. (Act 2650, Section 3.)

"Improver" means any person (other than an apprentice) who does not receive a piece-work price or a wages rate fixed by any special Board for persons other than apprentices or improvers, and who is not over twenty-one years of age, or who being over twenty-one years of age holds a licence from the Minister to be paid as an improver. (Act 2650, Section 3.)

5. That—

- (a) the lowest rates which may be paid to an apprentice or an improver ; and
- (b) the proportionate number of apprentices and improvers who may be employed by any employer

shall be as shown in the following table :—

During—	Wages per Week.	Number.
1st 6 months	25s.	One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 52s. 6d. per week of 52½ hours.
2nd 6 months	30s.	
3rd 6 months	35s.	
4th 6 months	40s.	
5th 6 months	45s.	
		One improver to every five drivers receiving not less than 52s. 6d. per week of 52½ hours.

Apprentices and improvers shall be subject to the number of hours per week as fixed for their respective sections.

TIMES OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.

6. That the times for beginning and ending work for the undermentioned persons shall be as indicated, viz. :—

	Drivers of Tip Drays.		Drivers of Parcels Express (not including Merchants' Vehicles.)		All others (except Stable- men, and Drivers or Assistant Drivers of Milk, Ice, or Sanitary Carts, Buses, or Trams.	
	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Mondays	6 30	6 0	8 15	7 15	7 0	6 30
Tuesdays	6 30	6 0	8 15	7 15	7 0	6 30
Wednesdays	6 30	6 0	8 15	7 15	7 0	6 30
Thursdays	6 30	6 0	8 15	7 15	7 0	6 30
Fridays	6 30	6 0	8 15	9 0	7 0	6 30
Saturdays	6 30	1 30	8 15	1 30	7 0	1 30

OVERTIME.

7. That the following rates shall be paid for all work done during the times specified hereunder by—

- (a) *Stablemen, and Drivers or Assistant Drivers of Milk, Ice, or Sanitary Carts, Buses, or Trams—*
 In excess of the number of hours determined for a week's work, } Time and a half.
 in any week
- (b) *All others—*
 Outside the hours fixed in Clause 6,
 and
 Within the hours fixed in Clause 6 in excess of the number } Time and a half.
 of hours determined for a week's work, in any week

SPECIAL RATES FOR SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

8. That the special rate payable to all employees except stablemen, and drivers or assistant drivers of sanitary carts, buses, or trams, for work done on Sundays and the undermentioned Public Holidays shall be as follows :—

- (a) Sundays Double pay ;
- (b) New Year's Day }
 26th January (Foundation Day) }
 21st April (Eight Hours Day) } Time and a half ;
 Good Friday }
 Easter Monday }
 3rd June (King's Birthday) }
 Christmas Day }
 26th December }

but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the above-named holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

Provided that for milk carters these extra rates shall only commence when 5½ hours' work has been done.

9. The term "horse" shall include any other beast of burden.

Dated at Melbourne the 20th day of January, 1916.

E. NOTLEY MOORE, P.M.,
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Factories and Shops Act 1915.

DETERMINATION OF THE AERATED WATER TRADE BOARD.

IN accordance with the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915*, the Special Board appointed to determine the lowest prices or rates which may be paid to any person or persons or classes of persons employed in the process, trade, or business of an Aerated Water or Cordial or Non-intoxicating Beer Manufacturer, has made the following Determination, namely:—

1. That previous Determinations of this Board are hereby amended, and such amendments shall come into force and be operative on and after the 18th day of February, 1916.

The Determination and amendments are printed hereunder.

WAGES.

2. That the lowest rates of wages to be paid to the following shall be:—

Persons in charge of machinery or aerated water making plant ..	60s. per week of 48 hours
Cordial makers	60s. " "
Bottlers	54s. " "
All others	50s. " "

JUVENILE WORKERS.

3. That the lowest rates of payment to persons under 21 years of age (other than apprentices or improvers) engaged in general work, *i.e.*, all work with the exception of—

- (a) bottling aerated waters;
 (b) carrying weights of 84 lbs. or over;
 (c) working a foot crowner receiving the output of a power filling machine—

15 years of age	15s. per week of 48 hours
16 "	17s. 6d. " "
17 "	23s. 6d. " "
18 "	27s. 6d. " "
19 "	31s. " "
20 "	40s. " "

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS.

4. "Apprentice" means any person under 21 years of age bound by indentures of apprenticeship, or any person over 21 years of age who, with the sanction of the Minister, is bound by indentures of apprenticeship (Act 2650, section 3).

APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS—*continued.*

“Improver” means any person (other than an apprentice) who does not receive a piece-work price or a wages rate fixed by any Special Board for persons other than apprentices or improvers, and who is not over 21 years of age, or who, being over 21 years of age, holds a licence from the Minister to be paid as an improver (Act 2650, section 3).

That—

- (a) the lowest rates which may be paid to an apprentice or an improver; and
- (b) the proportionate number of apprentices and improvers who may be employed in any factory or place

shall be as shown in the following table:—

Age.	Wages per week of 48 hours.	Proportionate Number.
14 years of age	11s.	<p style="text-align: center;">MALES.</p> <p>One apprentice to every three or fraction of three workers receiving not less than 50s. per week of 48 hours.</p>
15 " " " "	13s. 6d.	
16 " " " "	16s.	
17 " " " "	21s.	
18 " " " "	25s.	
19 " " " "	27s. 6d.	
20 " " " "	35s.	<p style="text-align: center;">IMPROVERS.</p> <p>One improver to every ten or fraction of ten workers receiving not less than 50s. per week of 48 hours.</p>

TIME OF BEGINNING AND ENDING WORK.

5. That the time of beginning and ending work shall be:—

Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	
7.30 a.m.	12 noon on the day on which the half-holiday is observed, and	
7.30 a.m.	6 p.m. on the other working days of the week.	

OVERTIME.

6. That the following rates shall be paid for all work done during the times specified hereunder, viz.:—

Within the hours fixed in Clause 5 in excess of 48 hours in any week	} Time and a quarter.
Between 12 noon and midnight on the weekly half-holiday	
Between 6 p.m. and midnight on any other working day of the week	
Between midnight and 7.30 a.m.	} Double time.

CASUAL WORK.

7. That casual employees, that is, persons employed during any week for not more than 24 hours, shall be paid at the rate of time and a fifth.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SUNDAY AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

8. That double time shall be the special rate for all work done on—

- Sunday,
- New Year's Day,
- Foundation Day (26th day of January),
- Good Friday,
- Eight Hours Day (21st day of April),
- King's Birthday (3rd day of June),
- Christmas Day,

but if any other day be by Act of Parliament or Proclamation substituted for any of the above-named holidays, the special rate shall only be payable for work done on the day so substituted.

Melbourne, the 18th day of January, 1916.

W. W. HARRIS,
Chairman.